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1 (24 pts.)

Let 
$$A = \begin{pmatrix} .5 & 0 & 0 \\ .5 & .9 & 0 \\ 0 & .1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
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1. (4 pts) True or False: The matrix A is Markov.

2. (6 pts) Find a vector  $x \neq 0$  and a scalar  $\lambda$  such that  $A^T x = \lambda x$ .

3. (4 pts) True or False: The matrix A is diagonalizable. (Explain briefly.)

4. (4 pts) True or False: One singular value of A is  $\sigma = 0$ . (Explain briefly.)

5. (6 pts) Find the three diagonal entries of  $e^{At}$  as functions of t.

## 2 (30 pts.)

1. (5 pts) An orthogonal matrix Q satisfies  $Q^T Q = Q Q^T = I$ . What are the *n* singular values of Q?

2. (10 pts) Let 
$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$
. Find an SVD, meaning  $A = U\Sigma V^T$ , where  $U$  and  $V$  are orthogonal, and  $\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_1 \\ \sigma_2 \\ \sigma_3 \end{pmatrix}$  is diagonal with  $\sigma_1 \ge \sigma_2 \ge \sigma_3 \ge 0$ . (Be sure

that the factorization is correct and satisifies all stated requirements.)

3. (15 pts) The 2 × 2 matrix  $A = \sigma_1 u_1 v_1^T + \sigma_2 u_2 v_2^T$ , where  $\sigma_1 > \sigma_2 > 0$  and both  $u_1, u_2$ and  $v_1, v_2$  are orthonormal bases for  $R^2$ .

The set of all vectors x with ||x|| = 1 describes a circle in the plane. What shape best describes the set of all vectors Ax with ||x|| = 1? Draw a general picture of that set labeling all the relevant quantities  $\sigma_1, \sigma_2, u_1, u_2$  and  $v_1, v_2$ . (Hint: Why are  $v_1, v_2$ relevant and  $u_1, u_2$  not relevant?)

## 3 (16 pts.)

1. (6 pts) Let  $x \neq 0$  be a vector in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . How many eigenvalues of  $A = xx^T$  are positive? zero? negative? (Explain your answer.)

2. (6 pts) a) What are the possible eigenvalues of a projection matrix?b) True or False: every projection matrix is diagonalizable.

3. (4 pts) True or False: If every eigenvalue of A is 0, then A is similar to the zero matrix.

4 (30 pts.)

Consider the matrix 
$$A = \begin{pmatrix} x & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
 with parameter  $x$  in the (1,1) position.

1. (10 pts) Specify all numbers x, if any, for which A is positive definite. (Explain briefly.)

2. (10 pts) Specify all numbers x, if any, for which  $e^A$  is positive definite. (Explain briefly.)

3. (10 pts) Find an x, if any, for which 4I - A is positive definite. (Explain briefly.)