

You must give reasons for your answers.

**Question 1.**

- (a) **(3p)** Find the general solution of the differential equation  $y'' - 3y' - 10y = 0$ .
- (b) **(3p)** Determine the definiteness of the quadratic form  $f(x, y, z) = x^2 + 4xy + 2xz + 3y^2 + 2yz$ .
- (c) **(3p)** Find the rank of the matrix  $A$  for all values of the parameter  $s$ :

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 5 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 & s & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

- (d) **(3p)** Is the set  $D = \{(x, y, z) : x^2 + 2y^2 - 3z^2 \leq 6\}$  compact?

**Question 2.**

We consider the matrix  $A$  and the vector  $\mathbf{v}$  given by

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -2 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- (a) **(6p)** Compute the trace and the determinant of  $A$ .
- (b) **(6p)** Show that  $\mathbf{v}$  is an eigenvector of  $A$ , and determine its eigenvalue.
- (c) **(6p)** Find all the eigenvalues of  $A$ .
- (d) **(6p)** Determine the dimension of the vector space  $W$  of all vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  orthogonal to  $\mathbf{v}$ , and find a base of  $W$  consisting of pairwise orthogonal vectors.

**Question 3.**

- (a) **(6p)** Find the stable equilibrium states of the differential equation  $y' = y(1 - y)$ .
- (b) **(6p)** Find the solution of the differential equation  $y' = 2ty^2$  that satisfies  $y(0) = 1$ .
- (c) **(6p)** Find the general solution of the system of differential equations:

$$\begin{aligned} y_1' &= 8y_1 - 3y_2 + 2 \\ y_2' &= 2y_1 + y_2 + 4 \end{aligned}$$

**Question 4.**

Let  $u(x, y, z) = x^2 + 2xy - 2xz + 2y^2 - 2yz + z^2 + 2x + 4y - 2z + 4$  and consider the function

$$f(x, y, z) = u \ln u - 2u \text{ with } u = u(x, y, z)$$

- (a) **(6p)** Find the stationary points of  $u$ .
- (b) **(6p)** Find the maximum and minimum value of  $u$ , if they exist.
- (c) **(6p)** Determine the range of  $f$ .

**Question 5.**

Consider the Kuhn-Tucker problem

$$\min f(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \text{ when } xy - xz - yz \geq 4$$

- (a) **(6p)** Write down the Kuhn-Tucker conditions for this problem.
- (b) **(6p)** Find the minimum value in the Kuhn-Tucker problem, if it exists.