

MATH 54 FALL 2016: DISCUSSION 102/105 QUIZ#8

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Problem 1. (5 points) Let \mathcal{P}_2 be as usual. Consider the bases $B = (1 + x, x^2 - x, x^2 + x)$ and $C = (1 - x, 1 + x, x^2 + 2x)$. Find the change of basis matrix ${}^P_C \leftarrow B$ (which converts coordinates w/r/t B into coordinates w/r/t/ C). [Hint: the diagram below may make your life easier, where $E = (1, x, x^2)$ is another basis of \mathcal{P}_2 that is easy to work with]

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 \mathcal{P}_2 & \xrightarrow{\text{Id}} & \mathcal{P}_2 & \xrightarrow{\text{Id}} & \mathcal{P}_2 \\
 B \uparrow \sim & & E \uparrow \sim & & C \uparrow \sim \\
 \mathbb{R}^3 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \mathbb{R}^3 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \mathbb{R}^3 \\
 & ({}^P_E \leftarrow B) & & ({}^P_C \leftarrow E) &
 \end{array}$$

Problem 2. (5 points) Find all eigenvalues and corresponding eigenvectors of the matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ -5 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$.