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1. Solve the following system of equations using the method of (a) LU decomposition and (b) Cramer's Rule. (30%)

$$x_1 + x_2 - x_3 + 2x_4 = 7$$

$$x_1 + 3x_2 + 2x_3 + 2x_4 = 6$$

$$-x_1 - 3x_2 - 4x_3 + 6x_4 = 12$$

$$4x_2 + 7x_3 - 2x_4 = -7$$

2. Determine the characteristic polynomial, eigenvalues, and corresponding eigenspaces of the given 4 X 4 matrix. (20%)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & -2 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

3. Determine the inverse of the following 4 X 4 matrix, if it exists, using the method of Gauss-Jordan elimination. (15%)

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & -1 & -1 \\ -3 & -1 & 0 & -1 \\ 5 & 0 & 4 & 3 \\ 3 & 0 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

4. Considering the following linear programming problem,

$$\text{Maximize } Z = 2x_1 + 5x_2 + 3x_3 + 4x_4 + x_5,$$

subject to

$$x_1 + 3x_2 + 2x_3 + 3x_4 + x_5 \leq 6$$

$$4x_1 + 6x_2 + 5x_3 + 7x_4 + x_5 \leq 15$$

and

$$x_j \geq 0, \text{ for } j = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.$$

It has been conjectured that x_1 and x_2 should be the basic variables for the optimal solution. Directly derive this basic solution (and Z) by using Gaussian elimination. (20%)

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5. Find the reduced echelon form for the following matrix. Use the reduced echelon form to determine a basis for the row space, and the rank of the matrix. (15%)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 3 \\ -1 & 0 & -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$