Read Section 7.1 and answer the following questions.

- 1. Let T be a linear operator on a finite dimensional complex vector space. Is the Jordan canonical form for T completely determined (up to reordering blocks) by the characteristic polynomial  $p_T(t)$ ? Why or why not?
- 2. Let T be a linear operator on a vector space V and let  $\lambda$  be an eigenvalue of T.
  - (a) What is the generalized eigenspace of T corresponding to  $\lambda$ ?
  - (b) How does this generalized eigenspace corresponding to  $\lambda$  relate to the eigenspace  $E_{\lambda}$ ?
  - (c) What is the dimension of the generalized eigenspace of T corresponding to  $\lambda$ ?
- 3. Let T be a linear operator on a finite-dimensional vector space. What must be true about the characteristic polynomial to guarantee T has a Jordan canonical form?