## Linear Algebra

Midterm Sample Question

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**Exercise** True or False? In both cases, explain clearly.

- Every Diagnoal matrix is an invertible matrix. No
- An upper traingular matrix times an upper traingular matrix is a upper traingular matrix. Yes
- The inverse of a permutation matrix is also a permutation matrix. Yes
- The transpose of an ellimination matrix is also a an ellimination matrix. Yes
- If A and B are elimination matrix, then AB = BA. No
- Only symmetric matrix have a LDL decomposition. Yes
- The LU decomposition of a matrix is unique No
- The inverse of upper traingular matrix is lower traingular matrix No
- An Elimination matrix times an Elimination matrix matrix is stil an Elimination matrix. No
- Every invertible matrix is a square matrix. Yes
- $E_{21}E_{32}A$  means change Row 2 of matrix A by linear combination of Row 2 and Row 1 and then change Row 3 by linear combination of Row 3 and Row 2. No
- $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ x+2y \end{bmatrix} | 3x+2y=0 \right\}$  is a vector space. Yes
- $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ x+2y+1 \end{bmatrix} | 3x+2y=0 \right\}$  is a vector space. No
- The set of all polynomials of degree less than 3 forms a vector space. This means any polynomial that can be written in the form  $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where a, b and c are constants (which can include zero), belongs to this vector space. Yes

- A is an invertible matrix then  $A^{-1}A^{\top}A^2$  is also invertible. Yes, the inverse matrix is  $A^{-2}(A^{-1})^{-\top}A$
- For a matrix  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{4 \times 5}$ , the largest possible rank of A is 5. No
- For a matrix  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{4 \times 5}$  there are possibility that linear system Ax = b have one and only have one solution. No
- For a matrix  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{4 \times 5}$ , rank(A) = 4. There are possibility that linear system Ax = b have one and only have one solution. No
- For a matrix  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{4\times 3}$ , rank(A) = 3. There are possibility that linear system Ax = b have one and only have one solution. Yes
- For a matrix  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{5\times 4}$ , rank(A) = 4. There are possibility that linear system Ax = b have one and only have one solution. Yes
- For a matrix  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{4\times 5}$ , rank(A) = 4. There are possibility that linear system Ax = b have no solution. No
- For a matrix  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{5\times 4}$ , rank(A) = 4. There are possibility that linear system Ax = b have no solution. Yes
- The exist matrix A and matrix B, rank(A) = 4 and rank(AB) = 3. No
- $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1\\0\\1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1\\-1\\0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1\\2\\3 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$  is a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . No
- The column vectors of a full column rank  $m \times n$  matrix is a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^m$ .
- The column vectors of a full row rank  $m \times n$  matrix is a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^m$ . No
- The complete solution of linear system Ax = b is  $\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} +$

$$x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
, then  $\dim(\operatorname{col}(A)) = 3$  Yes

## Questions

- Compute Angle, matrix product, inverse matrix, LU decomposition, LDU decomposition, complete solution
- Compute the rank of the four subspaces