# **MOCK FINAL EXAM**

# LINEAR ALGEBRA - 20221

Time: 90 minutes

**Question 1 [1p]** Given the linear map:  $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{C}$  define: f(x,y) = (2x+y) + (2x-y)i and  $A = \{z \in \mathbb{C} \mid z \cdot \overline{z} = 2\}$ . Compute a - b if  $f^{-1}(A) = \{(x,y) \in \mathbb{R} \mid ax^2 - by^2 = 1\}$ 

Question 2. [1p] Find matrix X such that: 
$$\left(\frac{1}{2}X^T - 2E\right)^{-1} = 2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Question 3. [2 $\bar{\mathbf{d}}$ ] Consider  $R^4$ , given vectors:

$$v_1 = (1,0,-1,0), \quad v_2 = (1,2,3,4), \quad v_3 = (-1,-2,0,1), \quad v_4 = (-2,-2,7,11)$$

- a) Proof that these vectors are linear dependent and express one vector in the set as a linear combination of others
- b) Let  $V_1 = span\{v_1, v_2\}$ ,  $V_2 = span\{v_3, v_4\}$ . Find basis and dimension of vector space  $V_1 \cap V_2$

**Question 4 [3p]** Consider a linear transformation in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  defined by:

$$f(2,1,-2) = (5,-3,2)$$

$$f(0,3,1) = (10,4,14)$$

$$f(4,1,0) = (11,-3,8)$$

- a) Find matrix of f with respect to the standard basis E of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Find f(0,1,1)
- b) Find a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  so that the matrix of f with respect to this basis is diagonal
- c) **Prove**:  $\exists v(a,b,c)$  with  $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 \neq 0$  such that  $f(v) = \theta$  ( $\theta$ : null vector of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ )

**Question 5. [2p]** Vector space  $\mathbb{R}^3$  with dot product  $\langle x,y\rangle=x^TAy$   $(x,y\in\mathbb{R})$  and

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 2 \\ -1 & 6 & 1 \\ 8 & 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- a) Find the distance of two vector  $v_1 = (1,2,3)$  and  $v_2 = (4,-1,0)$
- b) Find an orthonormal basis of subspace  $V = \text{span}\{v_1, v_2\}$  using Gram-Schmidt process
- c) Find a vector of V such that the distance from this vector to w = (2,3,-1) is minimum
- d) Which matrix A makes this dot product becomes standard?

Question 6. [1p] Find the determinant of the following matrix A:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 + \varepsilon^{2} & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 - \varepsilon^{2} & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 + \varepsilon^{5} & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 - \varepsilon^{5} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\text{With } \varepsilon = \cos \frac{2\pi}{7} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{7})$$



#### Question 1.

$$f^{-1}(A) = \{(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid f(x,y) \in A\}$$

$$= \{(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid (2x+y) + (2x-y)i \in A\}$$

$$= \{(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid |(2x+y) + (2x-y)i|^2 = 2\}$$

$$= \{(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid (2x+y)^2 + (2x-y)^2 = 2\}$$

$$= \{(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid 4x^2 + y^2 = 1\}$$

So, a = 4 and b = -1 and a - b = 5

#### **Question 2.**

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}X^{T} - 2E\right)^{-1} = 2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 4 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}X^{T} - 2E = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 4 & 6 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ -1 & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}X^{T} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{7}{2} & \frac{3}{2} \\ 1 & \frac{5}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow X^{T} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow X = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

## Question 3.

a) Consider the linear combination

$$x_{1}\begin{bmatrix}1\\0\\-1\\0\end{bmatrix}+x_{2}\begin{bmatrix}1\\2\\3\\4\end{bmatrix}+x_{3}\begin{bmatrix}-1\\-2\\0\\1\end{bmatrix}+x_{4}\begin{bmatrix}-2\\-2\\7\\11\end{bmatrix}=0$$
with variables  $x_{1},x_{2},x_{3},x_{4}$  and  $(x_{1},x_{2},x_{3},x_{4})\neq(0,0,0,0)$ 



$$\iff \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 2 & -2 & -2 \\ -1 & 3 & 0 & 7 \\ 0 & 4 & 1 & 11 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

We have:

$$[A|0] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -2 & -2 & 0 \\ -1 & 3 & 0 & 7 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 1 & 11 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_3 + R_1 \to R_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & -1 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 1 & 11 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus, the general solution is given by

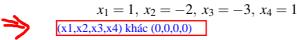
$$x_1 = x_4$$

$$x_2 = -2x_4$$

$$x_3 = -3x_4$$

where  $x_4$  is a free variable.

Suppose  $x_4 = 1$  then we have nonzero solution that



Therefore, the set is linearly dependent.

Substituting these values, we have:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1\\0\\-1\\0 \end{bmatrix} - 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1\\2\\3\\4 \end{bmatrix} - 3 \begin{bmatrix} -1\\-2\\0\\1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -2\\-2\\7\\11 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} -2\\-2\\7\\11 \end{bmatrix} = -\begin{bmatrix} 1\\0\\-1\\0 \end{bmatrix} + 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1\\2\\3\\4 \end{bmatrix} + 3 \begin{bmatrix} -1\\-2\\0\\1 \end{bmatrix}$$
 (linear combination)

b) Assume 
$$v \in V_1 \cap V_2$$
. Then

$$\Rightarrow \bigvee = 0 (1, 0, 1, 0) + b (1, 2, 3, 4) = c(-1, -2, 0, 1) + (-2, -2, 7, 11)$$

$$( \in \bigvee_{i=1}^{n} \bigvee_{j=1}^{n} a(1, 0, -1, 0) + b(1, 2, 3, 4) = c(-1, -2, 0, 1) + (-2, -2, 7, 11)$$

$$\iff a \begin{vmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{vmatrix} + b \begin{vmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{vmatrix} - c \begin{vmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{vmatrix} - d \begin{vmatrix} -2 \\ -2 \\ 7 \\ 11 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

We have:

$$[A|0] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 3 & 0 & -7 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & -1 & -11 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_3 + R_1 \to R_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 1 & -5 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & -1 & -11 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus, the general solution is given by

$$a = -t$$
 $b = 2t$ 
 $c = -3t$ 
 $d = t$  t is any scalar

We have:

$$v = a(1,0,-1,0) + b(1,2,3,4) = -t(1,0,-1,0) + 2t(1,2,3,4) = t(1,4,7,8)$$
 So the basis of  $V_1 \cap V_2 = \{(1,4,7,8)\} \Rightarrow dim(V_1 \cap V_2) = 1$ 

#### Question 4.

a) Standard basis of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ :  $E = \{(1,0,0), (0,1,0), (0,0,1)\}$ Call  $v_1 = (2,1,-2), v_2 = (0,3,1), v_3 = (4,1,0)$  and A: matrix of f with respect to E. We have:

$$[f(v_1) f(v_2) f(v_3)]_E = A[v_1 v_2 v_3]_E$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 10 & 11 \\ -3 & 4 & -3 \\ 2 & 14 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = A \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 10 & 11 \\ -3 & 4 & -3 \\ 2 & 14 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

b) 
$$det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} 2 - \lambda & 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 - \lambda & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = -\lambda^3 + 5\lambda^2 - 6\lambda = 0 \Leftrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \lambda = 3 \\ \lambda = 2 \\ \lambda = 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

+) 
$$\lambda = 3$$
: Solve  $(A - 3I)(x)_E = 0$ 

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = (t, 0, t) \Rightarrow \text{Eigen vector } (1, 0, 1)$$

+) 
$$\lambda = 2$$
: Solve  $(A - 2I)(x)_E = 0$ 

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = (12t, -3t, t) \Rightarrow \text{Eigen vector } (12, -3, 1)$$

+) 
$$\lambda = 0$$
: Solve  $(A - 0I)(x)_E = 0$ 

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = (2t, -3t, 5t) \Rightarrow \text{Eigen vector } (2, -3, 5)$$

So, matrix of f with respect to basis  $D = \{(1,0,1), (12,-3,1), (2,-3,5)\}$  is diagonal

c) **Option 1**: 
$$f(v) = \theta \Rightarrow A[v]_E = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Det(A) = 0 \Rightarrow r(\overline{A}) = r(A) < 3$$

 $\Rightarrow$  System has infinite solution  $\Rightarrow$  q.e.d

**Option 2:**  $Det(A) = 0 \Rightarrow dim(Imf) < 3 \Rightarrow dim(kerf) > 0 \Rightarrow q.e.d$ 

### Question 5.

• We have:

$$v_1 - v_2 = (-3, 3, 3)$$

$$d(v_1, v_2) = ||v_1 - v_2|| = \sqrt{\langle v_1 - v_2, v_1 - v_2 \rangle} = \sqrt{(v_1 - v_2) \cdot A \cdot (v_1 - v_2)^T} = \sqrt{90}$$

•  $v_1, v_2$  are independent and  $B = \{v_1, v_2\}$  is a basis of V. We orthogonalize using Gram-Schmidt method:

$$u_1 = v_1, \qquad e_1 = \frac{u_1}{\|u_1\|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{14}}(1, 2, 3)$$

$$u_2 = v_2 - proj_{u_1}(v_2) = v_2 - \frac{u_1 \cdot v_2}{u_1 \cdot u_2} u_2 = \left(\frac{27}{7}, \frac{-9}{7}, \frac{-3}{7}\right), \quad e_2 = \frac{u_2}{\|u_2\|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{91}}(9, -3)$$
Hence, one orthonormal basis of subspace  $V$  is  $B' = \{u_1, u_2\}$ .

• We can find one vector that is the projection of w to V.

$$proj_{V}(w) = w - \langle w, u_{1} \rangle u_{1} - \langle w, u_{2} \rangle u_{2}$$

$$= w - \frac{5}{14}u_{1} - \frac{10}{39}u_{2}$$

$$= \left(\frac{17}{26}, \frac{34}{13}, -\frac{51}{26}\right)$$

Hence, one vector that we can find is  $\left(\frac{17}{26}, \frac{34}{13}, -\frac{51}{26}\right)$ 

• This dot product becomes standard when  $A = I_3$ .

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#### Question 6.

• We have: det(A) =

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1+\varepsilon^2 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1-\varepsilon^2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1+\varepsilon^5 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1-\varepsilon^5 \end{vmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1-R_2\to R_1 \atop R_3-R_4\to R_3} \begin{vmatrix} \varepsilon^2 & \varepsilon^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1-\varepsilon^2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & \varepsilon^5 & \varepsilon^5 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1-\varepsilon^5 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\xrightarrow{C_1-C_2\to C_1 \atop C_3-C_4\to C_3} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & \varepsilon^2 & 0 & 0 \\ \varepsilon^2 & 1-\varepsilon^2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \varepsilon^5 \\ 0 & 1 & \varepsilon^5 & 1-\varepsilon^5 \end{vmatrix}$$

• Hence,

$$\det(A) = -\varepsilon^2 \begin{vmatrix} \varepsilon^2 & 0 & 1\\ 0 & 0 & \varepsilon^5\\ 0 & \varepsilon^5 & 1 - \varepsilon^5 \end{vmatrix} = (-\varepsilon^2) \times (-\varepsilon^5) \begin{vmatrix} \varepsilon^2 & 0\\ 0 & \varepsilon^5 \end{vmatrix} = \varepsilon^{14}$$
$$\Rightarrow \det(A) = \left(\cos\frac{2\pi}{7} + i\sin\frac{2\pi}{7}\right)^{14} = \cos(4\pi) + i\sin(4\pi) = 1$$