

Test 2 for CS2334

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(5 pts) 1. Mark \bigcirc if the statement is *true*, and mark \times otherwise.

- (\bigcirc)(a) Let $R^+ = \{x \mid x > 0\}$. For $\forall x, y \in R^+$ and $\alpha \in R^+$, the addition \oplus and scalar multiplication \odot are defined as $x \oplus y = xy$ and $\alpha \odot x = x^\alpha$, respectively. Under these definitions, R^+ is a vector space over R^+ .
- (\times)(b) For $\forall \mathbf{x} = [x_1, x_2]^t$, $\mathbf{y} = [y_1, y_2]^t$ in R^2 and $\alpha \in R$, the vector addition \oplus and scalar multiplication \odot are defined as $\mathbf{x} \oplus \mathbf{y} = [x_1 + y_1 + 1, x_2 + y_2 + 1]^t$ and $\alpha \odot \mathbf{x} = [\alpha x_1, \alpha x_2]^t$, respectively. Under these definitions, R^2 is a vector space over R .
- (\times)(c) If $\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \dots, \mathbf{x}_n$ span R^n , then they are linearly independent.
- (\times)(d) If $V = \text{span}(\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \dots, \mathbf{v}_n)$, then $\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \dots, \mathbf{v}_n\}$ is a basis for V .
- (\times)(e) Let $A \in R^{m \times n}$, then $R(A) \subset R^m$ and $\text{Null}(A) \subset R^n$.
- (\bigcirc)(f) Let $L : R^n \rightarrow R^n$ be a linear transform defined by $L(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x}$, where $A \in R^{n \times n}$, then $\text{Ker}(L) = \mathbf{0}$ iff A is nonsingular.
- (\times)(g) An affine transform is a linear transform.

(15 pts) 2. Answer each of the following questions.

(A) Express $\mathbf{x} = [6, 3, 1]$ as a linear combination of $\mathbf{u} = [1, 1, 1]$, $\mathbf{v} = [1, 1, 0]$, $\mathbf{w} = [1, 0, 0]$.

$$\mathbf{x} = 1\mathbf{u} + 2\mathbf{v} + 3\mathbf{w}$$

(B) Prove or disprove that $\{[3, 1, -4]^t, [2, 5, 6]^t, [1, 4, 8]^t\}$ is a basis for \mathbb{R}^3 .

(C) The rank of A is 3, where

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 5 & 4 \\ -4 & 6 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 5 & 4 \\ 2 & 10 & 10 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & \frac{13}{3} & \frac{11}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & \frac{4}{3} \\ 0 & \frac{13}{3} & \frac{11}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{13}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

(D) $\dim(\text{Null}(A)) = \underline{2}$, where A is as defined in (C).

\therefore is a basis for \mathbb{R}^3

(E) Find a basis for $R(A)$, where A is as defined in (C).

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

(F) Let $\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{z} \in \mathbb{R}^3$ and let $L : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be a linear transformation such that $L(\mathbf{x}) = [1, 0]^t$, $L(\mathbf{y}) = [0, 1]^t$, $L(\mathbf{z}) = [1, -1]^t$. Then $L(2\mathbf{x} - 3\mathbf{y} + 4\mathbf{z}) = \underline{[6, -1]}^t$

(G) Let $L : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be a linear transformation such that $L([1, 0, 0]^t) = [1, 1]^t$, $L([0, 1, 0]^t) = [1, -1]^t$, $L([0, 0, 1]^t) = [1, 0]^t$. Then $\text{Ker}(L) = \underline{2}$

(H) Let $H \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$ be a Householder matrix defined by $H = I - 2\mathbf{u}\mathbf{u}^t$, where $\mathbf{u} = [1/2, \sqrt{3}/2]^t$. Then $H^t H = \underline{I_2} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$