

## Exercise Sheet 8

### Linear Algebra (AAI)

#### Exercise 8.1 (H)

Let

$$V = \{(x_1, x_2, x_3)^\top \in \mathbb{R}^3 : x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 0\},$$
$$W = \{(y_1, y_2, y_3, y_4)^\top \in \mathbb{R}^4 : y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + y_4 = 0\}$$

be subspaces of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  and  $\mathbb{R}^4$ , respectively.

- a) Determine  $n_1, m_1, n_2, m_2 \in \mathbb{N}$  and linear maps  $G_1: \mathbb{R}^{n_1} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{m_1}$  and  $G_2: \mathbb{R}^{n_2} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{m_2}$  such that  $V = \ker G_1$  and  $W = \ker G_2$ .
- b) Let  $\mathcal{A} = ((1, -1, 0)^\top, (1, 0, -1)^\top)$  and  $\mathcal{B} = ((1, -1, 0, 0)^\top, (1, 0, -1, 0)^\top, (1, 0, 0, -1)^\top)$ .
- i) Show that  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  are bases of  $V$  and  $W$ , respectively.  
*Hint: Use the Rank-Nullity Theorem to determine  $\dim V$  and  $\dim W$ .*
- ii) Compute  $F(v)$  for  $F \in L(V, W)$  given by

$$\mathcal{M}_{\mathcal{B}}^{\mathcal{A}}(F) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 \\ 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

and  $v = (2, -1, -1)^\top$ .

#### Exercise 8.2 (H)

Let  $\mathcal{A} = ((1, 1, 0)^\top, (-1, 1, 1)^\top, (0, 1, 2)^\top)$  and  $\mathcal{B} = ((2, 1, 1)^\top, (0, 0, 1)^\top, (-1, 1, 1)^\top)$  be bases of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

- a) Determine the change-of-basis matrix  $\mathcal{T}_{\mathcal{B}}^{\mathcal{A}}$ .
- b) Let  $F \in L(\mathbb{R}^3, \mathbb{R}^3)$  be given by the transformation matrix

$$\mathcal{M}_{\mathcal{B}}^{\mathcal{A}}(F) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 & -2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Compute  $\mathcal{M}_{\mathcal{E}}^{\mathcal{E}}(F)$  for the standard basis  $\mathcal{E}$  of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

### Exercise 8.3 (H)

Let  $A, B \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 2}$  be given by

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- a) Show that  $A$  and  $B$  are equivalent.  
b) Let  $F \in L(\mathbb{R}^2, \mathbb{R}^3)$  be given by  $F = \mathcal{F}_A$ . Construct bases  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  of  $\mathbb{R}^2$  and  $\mathbb{R}^3$ , respectively, such that

$$\mathcal{M}_{\mathcal{B}}^{\mathcal{A}}(F) = B.$$

- c) Construct matrices  $S \in \text{Gl}(3, \mathbb{R})$  and  $T \in \text{Gl}(2, \mathbb{R})$  such that  $A = S \cdot B \cdot T^{-1}$ .  
*Hint: Note that  $\mathcal{M}_{\mathcal{B}}^{\mathcal{A}}(F) = B$  and  $\mathcal{M}_{\mathcal{E}'}^{\mathcal{E}}(F) = A$ , where  $\mathcal{E}$  and  $\mathcal{E}'$  denote the standard bases of  $\mathbb{R}^2$  and  $\mathbb{R}^3$ , respectively.*

### Exercise 8.4 (H)

Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $A = (a_{i,j})_{1 \leq i,j \leq n} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  be given by

$$a_{i,j} = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } i \geq j, \\ 0, & \text{else.} \end{cases}.$$

- a) Show that  $A$  is invertible.  
b) Determine  $A^{-1}$ .

*Hint: First, consider the case  $n = 4$  and transform  $A$  into  $E_4$  by using elementary row operations of type II (start with the last row).*