
MATH 307 Final Exam

June 29, 2022

- No calculators, cellphones, laptops or notes
- Time allowed: 150 minutes
- 70 total marks
- Write your name and student number in the space below
- Notation:
 - A^T is the transpose of A
 - $N(A)$ is the nullspace of A and $R(A)$ is the range of A
 - U^\perp is the orthogonal complement of a subspace U
 - I is the identity matrix
 - $\text{proj}_U(\mathbf{x})$ is the projection of \mathbf{x} onto U

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Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10	Total
12	8	8	6	6	6	5	6	6	7	70

1. Determine if the statement is **True** or **False**. No justification required.

- (a) (2 marks) If U_1 and U_2 are orthogonal subspaces of \mathbb{R}^n , then the orthogonal complements U_1^\perp and U_2^\perp are orthogonal. In other words, if $U_1 \perp U_2$ then $U_1^\perp \perp U_2^\perp$.

- (b) (2 marks) If A is any 4×4 matrix with characteristic polynomial

$$c_A(x) = (x^2 + 2x - 2)(x^2 - 2x - 2)$$

then A is diagonalizable.

- (c) (2 marks) Let $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $\lambda_1 \neq \lambda_2$, and let $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2 \in \mathbb{R}^2$ be nonzero vectors such that $\langle \mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2 \rangle = 0$. There is a unique 2×2 symmetric matrix A such that $A\mathbf{v}_1 = \lambda_1$ and $A\mathbf{v}_2 = \lambda_2$.

(d) (2 marks) The matrix

$$P = \frac{1}{\sqrt{14}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

is the projection matrix onto a subspace U such that $\dim(U) = 2$.

(e) (2 marks) Let A be a $m \times n$ matrix such that $\text{rank}(A) = n$ and let $A = Q_1 R_1$ be the thin QR decomposition. Then $Q_1^T Q_1 = I$.

(f) (2 marks) Let $\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2 \in \mathbb{R}^N$ and let $\mathbf{y}_1 = \text{DFT}(\mathbf{x}_1)$ and $\mathbf{y}_2 = \text{DFT}(\mathbf{x}_2)$. If $\langle \mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2 \rangle = 0$ then $\langle \mathbf{y}_1, \mathbf{y}_2 \rangle = 0$.

2. Consider the matrix

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

- (a) (4 marks) Find the LU decomposition of A .
- (b) (4 marks) Find a basis of $R(A)^\perp$.

3. Let $A = Q_1 R_1$ be the thin QR decomposition of A , and let $\mathbf{b} \in \mathbb{R}^4$ where

$$Q_1 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad R_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (a) (4 marks) Find the projection of \mathbf{b} onto $R(A)^\perp$.
- (b) (4 marks) Find the least squares approximation $A\mathbf{x} \cong \mathbf{b}$.

4. (6 marks) Find the orthogonal diagonalization $A = PDP^T$ of the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

The characteristic polynomial of A is $c_A(x) = x^3 - 5x^2 + 4x$.

5. Let a and b be nonzero numbers and consider the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ -b & a \end{bmatrix}$$

- (a) (4 marks) Compute $\|A\|$.
- (b) (2 marks) Compute $\text{cond}(A)$.

6. (6 marks) Find the shortest distance from \mathbf{x} to $U = \text{span}\{\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3\}$ where

$$\mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{u}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

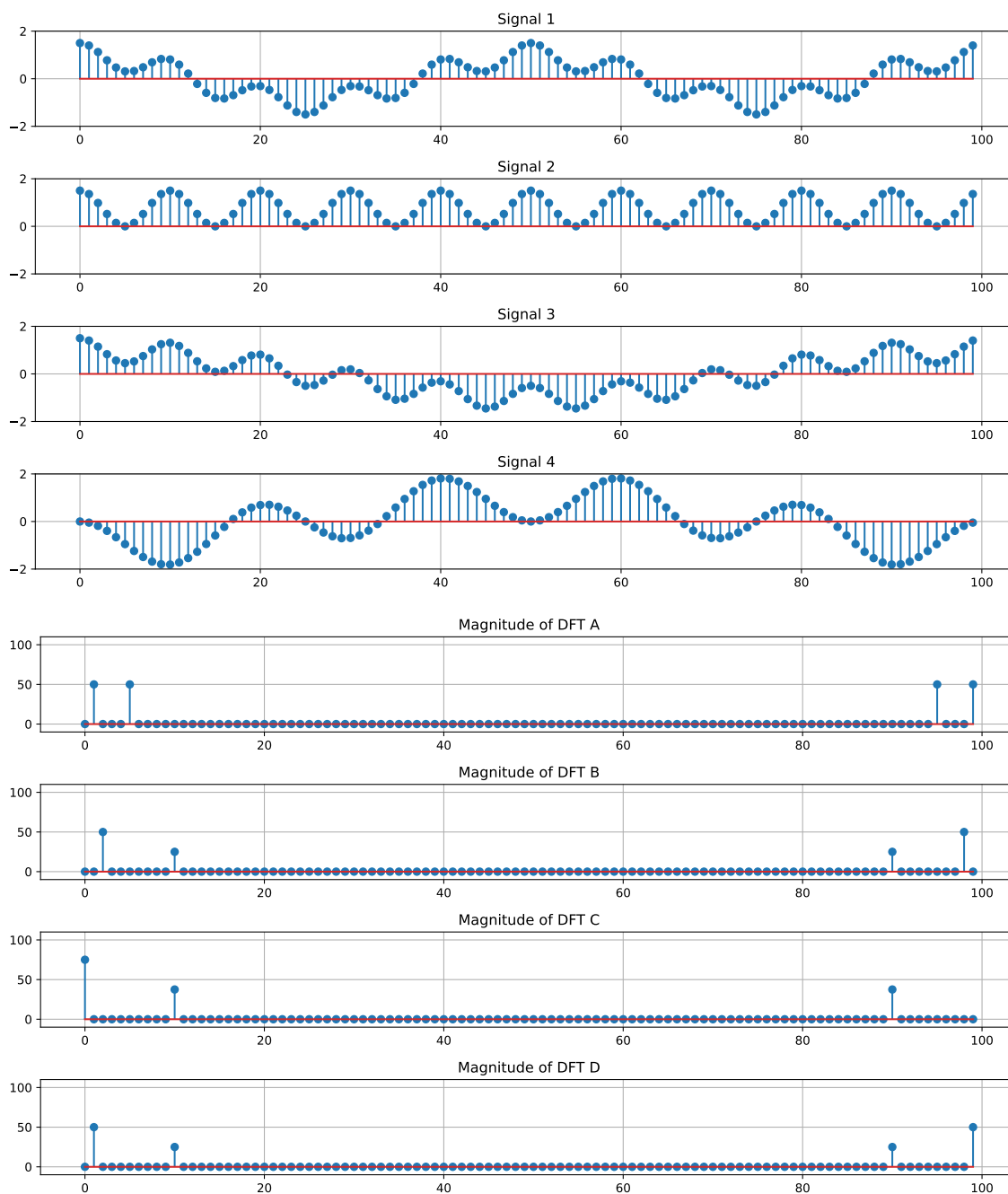
7. (5 marks) Let A be a 4×4 matrix with singular value decomposition $A = P\Sigma Q^T$ where

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{p}_1 & \mathbf{p}_2 & \mathbf{p}_3 & \mathbf{p}_4 \end{bmatrix} \quad \Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad Q = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{q}_1 & \mathbf{q}_2 & \mathbf{q}_3 & \mathbf{q}_4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Let $\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{q}_1 + \mathbf{q}_2 + \mathbf{q}_3 + \mathbf{q}_4$. Compute $\|A\mathbf{x}\|$.

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8. (6 marks) Let $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^{16}$ such that $\mathbf{y} = \text{DFT}(\mathbf{x})$ where $\mathbf{y}[0] = 8$, $\mathbf{y}[4] = \mathbf{y}[12] = 4$, and all other entries of \mathbf{y} are zero. Sketch the stemplot of \mathbf{x} .

9. (6 marks) Match the signal with its discrete Fourier transform.



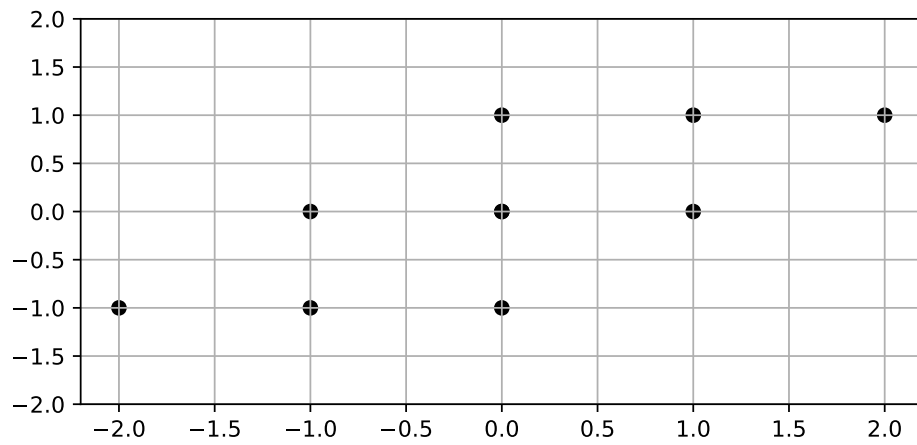
Signal 1 = DFT _____

Signal 2 = DFT _____

Signal 3 = DFT _____

Signal 4 = DFT _____

10. (7 marks) Find the weight vectors \mathbf{w}_1 and \mathbf{w}_2 for the dataset displayed below



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