

# Solutions

## NTU math 107

VERSION 1.0

1. We have new question

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (x_1 + x_2 + \cdots + x_n \leq H) - (x_1 + x_2 + \cdots + x_n < L), \quad \forall x_i \geq 0, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n \\
 & (\text{Let } x_{n+1} = H - (x_1 + x_2 + \cdots + x_n), \quad x_{n+1} \geq 0, \\
 & \quad y_{n+1} = L - (x_1 + x_2 + \cdots + x_n), \quad y_{n+1} > 0) \\
 \Rightarrow & (x_1 + x_2 + \cdots + x_n + x_{n+1} = H, \quad \forall x_i \geq 0, \quad 1 \leq i \leq (n+1)) \quad (1) \\
 & \quad - (x_1 + x_2 + \cdots + x_n + y_{n+1} = L, \quad \forall x_i \geq 0, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n, \quad y_{n+1} > 0) \\
 \Rightarrow & (x_1 + x_2 + \cdots + x_n + x_{n+1} = H, \quad \forall x_i \geq 0, \quad 1 \leq i \leq (n+1)) \\
 & \quad - (x_1 + x_2 + \cdots + x_n + z_{n+1} = L - 1, \quad \forall x_i \geq 0, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n, \quad z_{n+1} \geq 0)
 \end{aligned}$$

**Answer** †

$$\left( \binom{(n+1) + H - 1}{H} \right) - \left( \binom{(n+1) + (L-1) - 1}{L-1} \right) \quad (2)$$

2. We have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \alpha^2 &= 2 \times \alpha + 3 \\
 \Rightarrow \alpha &= 3 \vee \alpha = -1 \\
 \Rightarrow a_n &= c \times 3^n + d \times (-1)^n
 \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

Then, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \begin{cases} a_0 = 1 = c + d \\ a_1 = 1 = 3 \times c - d \end{cases} \\
 \Rightarrow c &= \frac{1}{2}, \quad d = \frac{1}{2}
 \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

**Answer** †

$$a_n = \frac{1}{2} \times 3^n + \frac{1}{2} \times (-1)^n \quad (5)$$

3. We have

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+1)^2 x^n$$

$$\stackrel{\text{integral}}{=} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+1) x^{n+1} = x \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+1) x^n \quad (6)$$

Then, we have

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+1) x^n$$

$$\stackrel{\text{integral}}{=} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^{n+1} = \frac{x}{1-x} \quad (7)$$

Then, we have

$$\frac{x}{1-x} \stackrel{\text{derivative}}{=} \frac{1}{(1-x)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+1) x^{n+1} = \frac{x}{(1-x)^2} \quad (8)$$

And, we have

$$\frac{x}{(1-x)^2} \stackrel{\text{derivative}}{=} \frac{1+x}{(1-x)^3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+1)^2 x^n = \frac{1+x}{(1-x)^3} \quad (9)$$

**Answer** †

$$\frac{1+x}{(1-x)^3} \quad (10)$$

4. **Answer** †

$$2^{\binom{m}{2}} \quad (11)$$

5. **Answer** †

$$2^{\frac{n(n+1)}{2}}, \quad \binom{\binom{n}{2}}{m} \quad (12)$$

6. We have characteristic polynomial

$$p_A(x) = x^2 - 5x + 4 \quad (13)$$

Then, we have

$$f(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{A}^4 - 3 \times \mathbf{A}^3 - 6 \times \mathbf{A}^2 + 7 \times \mathbf{A} + 2 \times \mathbf{I}$$

$$= (\mathbf{A}^2 + 2 \times \mathbf{A})(\mathbf{A}^2 - 5 \times \mathbf{A} + 4 \times \mathbf{I}) + (-\mathbf{A} + 2 \times \mathbf{I}) \quad (14)$$

$$= (-\mathbf{A} + 2 \times \mathbf{I})$$

Answer †

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (15)$$

7. We have

$$\begin{aligned} \det(\mathbf{A} + t\mathbf{I}) &= \det \begin{bmatrix} t & 0 & 0 & \cdots & a_0 \\ -1 & t & 0 & \cdots & a_1 \\ 0 & -1 & t & \cdots & a_2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & a_{n-1} + t \end{bmatrix}_{n \times n} \\ &= t^{n-1}[(a_{n-1} + t) + \frac{1}{t}a_{n-2} + \frac{1}{t^2}a_{n-3} + \cdots + a_0] \\ &= t^n + t^{n-1}a_{n-1} + t^{n-2}a_{n-2} + \cdots + a_0 \\ &= t^n + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} a_i t^i \end{aligned} \quad (16)$$

Answer †

$$t^n + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} a_i t^i \quad (17)$$

8. By Gram-Schmidt process, we have

$$\begin{aligned} u_1 &= 1, \quad ||u_1|| = \int_0^1 1 \times 1 dt = 1 \\ u_2 &= t - \frac{\int_0^1 1 \times t dt}{1} \times 1 = t - \frac{1}{2}, \quad ||u_2|| = \int_0^1 (t - \frac{1}{2})^2 dt = \frac{1}{12} \\ u_3 &= t^2 - \frac{\int_0^1 1 \times t^2 dt}{1} \times 1 - \frac{\int_0^1 (t - \frac{1}{2}) \times t^2 dt}{\frac{1}{12}} \times (t - \frac{1}{2}) = t^2 - t + \frac{1}{6}, \\ ||u_3|| &= \int_0^1 (t^2 - t + \frac{1}{6})^2 dt = \frac{1}{180} \end{aligned} \quad (18)$$

We have projection

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{\int_0^1 1 \times t^3 dt}{1} \times 1 + \frac{\int_0^1 (t - \frac{1}{2}) \times t^3 dt}{\frac{1}{12}} (t - \frac{1}{2}) + \frac{\int_0^1 (t^2 - t + \frac{1}{6}) \times t^3 dt}{\frac{1}{180}} \times (t^2 - t + \frac{1}{6}) \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \times t^2 - \frac{3}{5} \times t + \frac{1}{20} \end{aligned} \quad (19)$$

Answer †

$$\frac{3}{2} \times t^2 - \frac{3}{5} \times t + \frac{1}{20} \quad (20)$$

9. **Answer** † We have

- False.
- False. We have  $\det(\mathbf{A}^\top) = \det(-\mathbf{A}) \iff \det(\mathbf{A}) = (-1)^n \times \det(\mathbf{A})$ . ONLY if the dimension of  $\mathbf{A}$ , i.e.  $n$ , is odd, then  $\mathbf{A}$  is singular; otherwise, it's non-singular.
- False.  $(\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{I})^n = (2^n - 1) \times \mathbf{A}$ .
- True, since symmetric matrix is **orthogonally diagonalizable**, and it's also **diagonalizable**.
- True. Suppose

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{P} & \mathbf{Q} \\ \mathbf{R} & \mathbf{S} \end{bmatrix} \quad (21)$$

Then, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{B} & \mathbf{C} \\ \mathbf{O} & \mathbf{D} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{P} & \mathbf{Q} \\ \mathbf{R} & \mathbf{S} \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{O} \\ \mathbf{O} & \mathbf{I} \end{bmatrix} \\ \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \mathbf{BP} + \mathbf{CR} = \mathbf{I} \\ \mathbf{BQ} + \mathbf{CS} = \mathbf{O} \\ \mathbf{DR} = \mathbf{O} \rightarrow \mathbf{R} = \mathbf{O} \\ \mathbf{DS} = \mathbf{I} \rightarrow \mathbf{S} = \mathbf{D}^{-1} \end{cases} \\ \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \mathbf{P} = \mathbf{B}^{-1} \\ \mathbf{Q} = -\mathbf{B}^{-1}\mathbf{CD}^{-1} \\ \mathbf{R} = \mathbf{O} \\ \mathbf{S} = \mathbf{D}^{-1} \end{cases} \\ \Rightarrow \mathbf{A}^{-1} &= \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{B}^{-1} & -\mathbf{B}^{-1}\mathbf{CD}^{-1} \\ \mathbf{O} & \mathbf{D}^{-1} \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned} \quad (22)$$

10. **Answer** † We have

- True. We have

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \\ w \end{bmatrix} \quad (23)$$

And, we have

$$\det \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) = 2 \quad (24)$$

is non-singular, so  $\{u + v, v + w, w + u\}$  is linearly independent.

- True.  $\mathbf{A} \sim \mathbf{B} \rightarrow p_{\mathbf{A}} = p_{\mathbf{B}}$ , so  $\mathbf{A}$  and  $\mathbf{B}$  have the same eigenvalues.
- False.  $\mathbf{A} \sim \mathbf{B} \rightarrow p_{\mathbf{A}} = p_{\mathbf{B}}$ , but the eigenvectors may differ.
- False, since if  $m \neq n$ ,  $\mathbf{B}^T \mathbf{A}$  may NOT exist.
- False, since

$$(U + W)^\perp = U^\perp \cap W^\perp \quad (25)$$

