

Part A

4-3

In Exercises 5 through 40, find the matrix of the given linear transformation  $T$  with respect to the given basis. If no basis is specified, use the standard basis:  $\mathfrak{A} = (1, t, t^2)$  for  $P_2$ ,

$$\mathfrak{A} = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

for  $\mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$ , and  $\mathfrak{A} = (1, i)$  for  $\mathbb{C}$ . For the space  $U^{2 \times 2}$  of upper triangular  $2 \times 2$  matrices, use the basis

$$\mathfrak{A} = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

unless another basis is given. In each case, determine whether  $T$  is an isomorphism. If  $T$  isn't an isomorphism, find bases of the kernel and image of  $T$ , and thus determine the rank of  $T$ .

14.  $T(M) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} M$  from  $\mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$  to  $\mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$ , with respect to the basis

$$\mathfrak{B} = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

Sol |  $[T(M)]_{\mathfrak{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ [\bar{T}(b_1)]_{\mathfrak{B}} & [\bar{T}(b_2)]_{\mathfrak{B}} & [\bar{T}(b_3)]_{\mathfrak{B}} & [\bar{T}(b_4)]_{\mathfrak{B}} \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$T(b_1) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow [\bar{T}(b_1)]_{\mathfrak{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(b_2) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow [\bar{T}(b_2)]_{\mathfrak{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(b_3) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 6 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow [\bar{T}(b_3)]_{\mathfrak{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(b_4) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow [T(b_4)]_{\mathcal{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{So } [T(m)]_{\mathcal{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \text{ref}([T(m)]_{\mathcal{B}})$$

$$\text{So } [\ker T]_m = \text{span} \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[\text{im } T]_m = \text{span} \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

so a basis for  $\ker T$  is  $(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix})$

a basis for  $\text{im } T$  is  $(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix})$

$$\text{rank } T = \dim(\text{im } T) = 2.$$

28.  $T(f(t)) = f(2t-1)$  from  $P_2$  to  $P_2$ , with respect to the basis  $\mathcal{B} = (1, t-1, (t-1)^2)$

$$\text{So } [\bar{T}]_{\mathcal{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} [I(b_1)]_{\mathcal{B}} & [I(b_2)]_{\mathcal{B}} & [I(b_3)]_{\mathcal{B}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} [1]_{\mathcal{B}} & [2t-2]_{\mathcal{B}} & [(t-1)^2]_{\mathcal{B}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

since  $[\bar{T}]_{\mathcal{B}}$  has full rank,  $[\bar{T}]_{\mathcal{B}}$  is invertible

so  $T$  is invertible linear transformation, so  $T$  is isomorphism by definition.  $\text{rank}(T) = 3$ .

60. In the plane  $V$  defined by the equation  $2x_1 + x_2 - 2x_3 = 0$ , consider the bases

$$\mathfrak{A} = (\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2) = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

and

$$\mathfrak{B} = (\vec{b}_1, \vec{b}_2) = \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \right).$$

- a. Find the change of basis matrix  $S$  from  $\mathfrak{B}$  to  $\mathfrak{A}$ .
- b. Find the change of basis matrix from  $\mathfrak{A}$  to  $\mathfrak{B}$ .
- c. Write an equation relating the matrices  $[\vec{a}_1 \quad \vec{a}_2]$ ,  $[\vec{b}_1 \quad \vec{b}_2]$ , and  $S = S_{\mathfrak{B} \rightarrow \mathfrak{A}}$ .

$$a. \quad S_{\mathfrak{B} \rightarrow \mathfrak{A}} = \begin{bmatrix} | & | \\ [\vec{b}_1]_{\mathfrak{A}} & [\vec{b}_2]_{\mathfrak{A}} \\ | & | \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[\vec{b}_1]_{\mathfrak{A}} = \begin{bmatrix} | \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad [\vec{b}_2]_{\mathfrak{A}} = \begin{bmatrix} | \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_{\mathfrak{B} \rightarrow \mathfrak{A}} = \begin{bmatrix} | & | \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$b. \quad S_{\mathfrak{A} \rightarrow \mathfrak{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} | & | \\ [\vec{a}_1]_{\mathfrak{B}} & [\vec{a}_2]_{\mathfrak{B}} \\ | & | \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[\vec{a}_1]_{\mathfrak{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} | \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad [\vec{a}_2]_{\mathfrak{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} | \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(c) \quad [\vec{a}_1 \quad \vec{a}_2] = S [\vec{b}_1 \quad \vec{b}_2] \quad \text{so} \quad S_{\mathfrak{A} \rightarrow \mathfrak{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} | & | \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

5-1 Find the angle  $\theta$  between each of the pairs of vectors  $\vec{u}$  and  $\vec{v}$  in Exercises 4 through 6.

$$6. \vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}}{\|\vec{u}\| \|\vec{v}\|} = \frac{-3}{\sqrt{540}} = \frac{-3}{6\sqrt{15}} = \frac{-1}{2\sqrt{15}}$$

$$\text{So } \theta = \arccos \frac{-\sqrt{15}}{30} \approx 1.7 \text{ rad} \\ = 97.4^\circ$$

17. Find a basis for  $W^\perp$ , where

$$W = \text{span} \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \\ 7 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} \right).$$

Sol let  $\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ 6 & 7 \\ 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 + 4x_4 = 0 \\ 5x_1 + 6x_2 + 7x_3 + 8x_4 = 0 \end{cases}$$

The matrix form of the system:

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 0 \\ 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{ref}} \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = x_3 + 2x_4, x_2 = -x_3 - 3x_4$$

$$\text{So } \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_4 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

So the solution space which is  $W^\perp$  is

$$\left\{ r \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + s \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \mid r, s \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

So a basis for  $W^\perp$  is  $\left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right)$

26. Find the orthogonal projection of  $\begin{bmatrix} 49 \\ 49 \\ 49 \end{bmatrix}$  onto the subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  spanned by

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -6 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\underline{\text{So}} \quad \vec{u}_1 = \frac{1}{7} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \vec{u}_2 = \frac{1}{7} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -6 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So by Thm 5.1.5, } \text{proj}_{\sqrt{2}} \vec{x} &= (\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{x}) \vec{u}_1 + (\vec{u}_2 \cdot \vec{x}) \vec{u}_2 \\ &= (2+3+6) \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} + (3-6+2) \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -6 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 19 \\ 39 \\ 64 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

**Problem 1.** Let  $W$  be an  $n$ -dimensional vector space with ordered bases  $\mathcal{A}$ ,  $\mathcal{B}$ , and  $\mathcal{C}$ .

- (a) Prove that  $S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}} = S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}} S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}}$ .
- (b) Show that  $S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}} S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}} S_{\mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}} = I_n$ .

(a) Proof,

Denote  $\mathcal{C}$  by  $(c_1, c_2, \dots, c_n)$

Take  $f \in W$ .

$$\text{So } [f]_{\mathcal{A}} = S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}} [f]_{\mathcal{C}} = S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}} [f]_{\mathcal{B}}$$

$$[f]_{\mathcal{B}} = S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}} [f]_{\mathcal{C}} \text{ by } \underline{\text{def 4.3.3}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So } \underbrace{S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}} [f]_{\mathcal{C}}}_{= (S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}} S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}}) [f]_{\mathcal{C}}} &= S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}} (S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}} [f]_{\mathcal{C}}) \\ &= \underbrace{(S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}} S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}})}_{\text{multiplication}} [f]_{\mathcal{C}} \text{ by associativity of matrix} \end{aligned}$$

By taking  $f$  such that  $[f]_{\mathcal{C}} = e_i$ ,  $1 \leq i \leq n$

we have  $S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}} e_i = (S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}} S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}}) e_i$  for all  $i$  such that  $1 \leq i \leq n$   
which indicates every column of  $S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}}$  and  
 $S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}} S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}}$  equals.

Therefore  $S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}} = S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}} S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{b}) \text{ By (a), } S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}} S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}} S_{\mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}} &= S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}} S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}} S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}} S_{\mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}} \\ &= S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}} (S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}} S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}}) S_{\mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}} \text{ by associativity of} \\ &\quad \text{matrix multiplication} \end{aligned}$$

By def 4.3.3,  $S_{C \rightarrow B} S_{B \rightarrow C} = I_n$ ,

$$S_{B \rightarrow A} S_{A \rightarrow B} = I_n$$

$$\text{So } S_{C \rightarrow A} S_{B \rightarrow C} S_{A \rightarrow B} = S_{B \rightarrow A} (S_{C \rightarrow B} \cdot S_{B \rightarrow C}) S_{A \rightarrow B}$$

$$= (S_{B \rightarrow A} I_n) S_{A \rightarrow B}$$

$$= S_{B \rightarrow A} S_{A \rightarrow B}$$

$$= I_n$$

**Problem 2.** Let  $f_1, f_2, f_3$  be the smooth functions defined by

$$f_1(x) = \sin 2x, f_2(x) = \cos 2x, f_3(x) = e^{3x}$$

and consider the subspace  $V \subseteq C^\infty(\mathbb{R})$  spanned by the basis  $\mathcal{B} = (f_1, f_2, f_3)$ . (You may assume without proof that these three functions are linearly independent.) Now consider the linear transformation  $D : V \rightarrow V$  defined by differentiation, i.e. for any function  $g \in V$ ,  $D(g)(x) = \frac{dg}{dx}$ .

(a) Find  $[D]_{\mathcal{B}}$ .

(b) Give a geometric interpretation of the matrix  $[D]_{\mathcal{B}}$ . That is, how does it act on  $\mathbb{R}^3$ ?

(a)  $[D]_{\mathcal{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ [D(f_1)]_{\mathcal{B}} & [D(f_2)]_{\mathcal{B}} & [D(f_3)]_{\mathcal{B}} \\ | & | & | \end{bmatrix}$

$$D(f_1) = 2 \cos 2x, \text{ so } [D(f_1)]_{\mathcal{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$D(f_2) = -2 \sin 2x, \text{ so } [D(f_2)]_{\mathcal{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$D(f_3) = 3e^{3x}, \text{ so } [D(f_3)]_{\mathcal{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{So } [D]_{\mathcal{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b) For any element  $f = af_1 + bf_2 + cf_3 \in V$

$D$  maps every  $f_1$  to  $2f_2$ , every  $f_2$  to  $-2f_1$ ,  
and every  $f_3$  to  $3f_3$ .

So for  $[D]_{\mathcal{B}}$ , it rotates every vector in  $\mathbb{R}^3$

for  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  counterclockwise, and stretch the  
 $x, y$  coordinates to be twice long and the  
 $z$  coordinate to be three times long.

**Problem 3.** Let  $V$  be a vector space with ordered bases  $\mathcal{B} = (b_1, \dots, b_n)$  and  $\mathcal{C} = (c_1, \dots, c_n)$ . Let  $T : V \rightarrow V$  be a linear transformation, with  $B = [T]_{\mathcal{B}}$  and  $C = [T]_{\mathcal{C}}$ . Give a proof or counterexample for each of the following statements:

- (a) For all integers  $k \geq 1$ ,  $B^k$  and  $C^k$  are similar.
- (b)  $\ker(B) = \ker(C)$ .
- (c)  $\dim(\ker(B)) = \dim(\ker(C))$ .

(a) By change of Basis theorem for transformations,

Proof.  $[T]_{\mathcal{C}} = S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}}^{-1} [T]_{\mathcal{B}} S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}}$

Take  $S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}}$  as  $S$ , we have  $\underbrace{C = S^{-1} B S}$

We will prove the statement by induction on  $k$

Claim: for all integer  $k \geq 1$ ,  $B^k$  and  $C^k$  are similar  
(and furthermore,  $C^k = S^{-1} B^k S$  where  $S$   
is the same one as  $S_{\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}}$ ).

Base case:  $k = 1$ .  $C^1 = S^{-1} B^1 S$ , so  $B^k$  and  $C^k$   
are similar by definition

Inductive step: Assume  $B^k = S^{-1}C^kS$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So } B^{k+1} &= B^k \cdot B = (S^{-1}C^kS)(S^{-1}C^kS) \\ &= S^{-1}C^k(S^2)CS \\ &= S^{-1}C^k I_n CS \\ &= S^{-1}C^{k+1}S \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $B^{k+1}$  is similar to  $C^{k+1}$ ,  
by definition

So we have proved that for all  $k \geq 1$ ,  $B^k$  is  
similar to  $C^k$  by induction.

(b) This is not correct.

Counterexample: consider  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\Sigma = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}, \quad \beta = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$\text{So } [A]_{\Sigma} = A, \quad [A]_{\beta} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{are two ordered basis.}$$

$[A]_{\Sigma}$  is similar to  $[A]_{\beta}$  since  $[A]_{\Sigma} = \underbrace{S_{\Sigma \rightarrow \beta}^{-1} [A]_{\beta} S_{\Sigma \rightarrow \beta}}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{But } \ker[A]_{\Sigma} &= \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ r \end{bmatrix} \mid r \in \mathbb{R} \right\}, \quad \ker[A]_{\beta} = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -r \\ -r \\ r \end{bmatrix} \mid r \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \\ &= \text{span} \left( \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) \quad = \text{span} \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$\ker[A]_{\Sigma} \neq \ker[A]_{\beta}$ . By taking  $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$  represented  
by  $B$  then  $B = [A]_{\Sigma}$  and  $C = [A]_{\beta}$ , so we have disproved the statement.

(c) Proof:

By rank-nullity theorem,  $\dim(\ker B) = \dim(V) - \dim(\text{im } B)$   
 $= n - \text{rank } B$

Similarly we get  $\dim(\ker C) = n - \text{rank } C$

Claim ①: For any  $m \times n$  matrices  $M, N$ ,  $\text{rank}(MN) \leq \text{rank}(N)$   
and  $\text{rank}(MN) \leq \text{rank}(M)$

Proof of claim ①:

By rank-nullity theorem,  $n = \text{rank}(MN) + \dim(\ker MN)$   
 $= \text{rank}(N) + \dim(\ker N)$

Let  $\vec{v} \in \ker N$ , so  $N\vec{v} = \vec{0}$ , so  $(MN)\vec{v} = (MN)\vec{0} = \vec{0}$

Therefore  $\ker N \subseteq \ker MN$ , so  $\dim(\ker MN) \geq \dim(\ker N)$

So  $\text{rank}(MN) \leq \text{rank}(N)$  (1)

Also,  $\text{rank}(MN) = \text{rank}((MN)^T) = \text{rank}(N^T M^T)$

by (1),  $\text{rank}(N^T M^T) \leq \text{rank}(M^T) = \text{rank}(M)$

so  $\text{rank}(MN) \leq \text{rank}(M)$  (2)

Claim ②: For any  $m \times n$  matrices  $M, N$ : If  $M$  is invertible,

$\text{rank}(MN) = \text{rank}(N)$

Proof of claim ②:

$\text{rank}(NM) = \text{rank}(N)$  also

Since  $M$  is invertible,  $N = NM^{-1}$

$$\text{So } \text{rank}(N) = \text{rank}(I_n N) = \text{rank}(M^{-1}MN)$$

Since  $\text{rank}(M^{-1}MN) \leq \text{rank}(MN)$  by claim ①,

$$\underbrace{\text{rank}(N)}_{(3)} \leq \text{rank}(MN)$$

So by (1)(3) we have proved  $\text{rank}(MN) = \text{rank}(N)$

Also,  $\text{rank}(N) = \text{rank}(NMN^{-1}) \leq \text{rank}(NM)$  by claim ①  
 $\leq \text{rank}(N)$

$$\text{So } \underbrace{\text{rank}(N)}_{(3)} = \text{rank}(NM)$$

Claim ③:  $\text{rank}(B) = \text{rank}(C)$

Now since  $B = S^{-1}CS$ ,  $\text{rank}(B) = \text{rank}(S^{-1}CS)$

Since  $S^{-1}, S$  are invertible by claim ②,

$$\text{rank}(S^{-1}CS) = \text{rank}(CS) = \underbrace{\text{rank}(C)}$$

So by the rank-nullity theorem,  $\dim(\ker B) = \dim(\ker C)$

**Problem 4.** Let  $T : U \rightarrow W$  be a linear transformation between vector spaces  $U$  and  $W$ . Suppose that  $\mathcal{B} = (u_1, u_2, \dots, u_k)$  is a basis for the source  $U$  and  $\mathcal{C} = (w_1, w_2, \dots, w_d)$  is a basis for the target  $W$ . As usual, let  $L_{\mathcal{B}}$  denote the coordinate isomorphism  $U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^k$  and let  $L_{\mathcal{C}}$  denote the coordinate isomorphism  $W \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$ .

(a) Show that there exists a linear transformation  $T' : \mathbb{R}^k \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$  such that  $T' \circ L_{\mathcal{B}} = L_{\mathcal{C}} \circ T$ .

[HINT: A diagram showing four vector spaces and four maps between them, similar to those immediately before and after Definition 4.3.1 in the textbook, might be useful.]

(b) Let  $[T]_{(\mathcal{B}, \mathcal{C})}$  denote the standard matrix of the transformation  $T'$  you described in (a). Prove that for all  $u \in U$ ,

$$[T(u)]_{\mathcal{C}} = [T]_{(\mathcal{B}, \mathcal{C})}[u]_{\mathcal{B}}$$

(c) Describe, with explanation, the columns of matrix  $[T]_{(\mathcal{B}, \mathcal{C})}$  in terms of the bases  $\mathcal{B}$  and  $\mathcal{C}$ .

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 u \xrightarrow{T} w & U \xrightarrow{T} W \\
 \text{(a)} \quad L_B J \quad J L_C & L_B J \quad J L_C \\
 [u]_B \xrightarrow{T'} [w]_C & R^k \xrightarrow{T'} R^d
 \end{array}$$

Consider  $T'$  sending  $[u]_B \mapsto [w]_C$   
whenever  $\underline{T(u)=w}$

Let  $u \in U$  with  $T(u)=w$

$$\text{then } T' \circ L_B(u) = T'([u]_B) = [w]_C$$

$$L_C \circ T(u) = L_C(w) = [w]_C$$

$$\text{So } T' \circ L_B = L_C \circ T$$

(b) Let  $u$  be a vector in  $U$ .

$$\text{Then } [T(u)]_C = L_C \circ T(u) \text{ by definition}$$

$$\text{Also, by (a), } L_C \circ T(u) = T' \circ L_B(u) = T'([u]_B)$$

Since  $T'$  is represented by  $[T]_{C_B, C}$ ,

$$T'([u]_B) = [T]_{C_B, C} [u]_B$$

$$\text{Therefore } \underline{[T(u)]_C = [T]_{C_B, C} [u]_B}$$

(c) Take  $u = a_1 \vec{u}_1 + a_2 \vec{u}_2 + \dots + a_k \vec{u}_k$

By (b),  $[T(u)]_c = [T]_{C\beta, C} [u]_\beta$

Since  $[T(u)]_c = L^o T(a_1 \vec{u}_1 + \dots + a_k \vec{u}_k)$

$$= a_1 [T(\vec{u}_1)]_c + a_2 [T(\vec{u}_2)]_c + \dots + a_k [T(\vec{u}_k)]_c$$

and  $[u]_\beta = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ \vdots \\ a_k \end{bmatrix}$ ,

So consider  $\begin{bmatrix} | & | & | & | \\ [T(u_1)]_c & [T(u_2)]_c & \dots & [T(u_k)]_c \\ | & | & | & | \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ \vdots \\ a_k \end{bmatrix} = [T(u)]_c$

it satisfies the equivalence.

Since the standard matrix of a linear transformation from  $\mathbb{R}^k$  to  $\mathbb{R}^d$  is unique.

Therefore  $[T]_{C\beta, C} = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | & | \\ [T(u_1)]_c & [T(u_2)]_c & \dots & [T(u_k)]_c \\ | & | & | & | \end{bmatrix}$

**Problem 5.** Let  $f_1, f_2, f_3$  be the functions defined by

$$f_1(x) = \sin x, \quad f_2(x) = \cos x, \quad f_3(x) = e^x,$$

which you may assume without proof are linearly independent. Consider the subspace  $V$  of  $\mathcal{C}^\infty$  spanned by the set  $\{f_1, f_2, f_3\}$ . Recall from Calculus that every function in  $V$  may be expressed as a Taylor series that converges for all real numbers. For example,

$$\sin x = x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \dots,$$

$$\cos x = 1 - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \dots,$$

$$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} + \dots$$

Let  $T : V \rightarrow \mathcal{P}_3$  be the linear transformation that assigns to each function  $f \in V$  the third-degree Taylor polynomial  $f(0) + f'(0)x + \frac{f''(0)}{2!}x^2 + \frac{f'''(0)}{3!}x^3$  for  $f$ , a polynomial approximation to  $f$ .

(a) Find a basis  $\mathcal{C}$  for  $\mathcal{P}_3$  such that

$$[T(f_1)]_{\mathcal{C}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad [T(f_2)]_{\mathcal{C}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad [T(f_3)]_{\mathcal{C}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(b) Let  $\mathcal{C}$  be as in (a), and let  $\mathcal{B} = (f_1 + f_2, f_1 - f_2, f_3 + f_1)$ . Find  $[T]_{(\mathcal{B}, \mathcal{C})}$  (see Problem 4).

$$(a) \quad T(f_1) = x - \frac{\pi^3}{6}$$

$$T(f_2) = 1 - \frac{\pi^2}{2}$$

$$T(f_3) = 1 + x + \frac{\pi^2}{2} + \frac{\pi^3}{6}$$

$$\text{Since } [T(f_3)]_{\mathcal{C}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$\mathcal{C} = \left\{ 1, x, \frac{\pi^2}{2}, \frac{\pi^3}{6} \right\}$$

$$(b) \quad [T]_{(\mathcal{B}, \mathcal{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} [T(f_1 + f_2)]_{\mathcal{C}} & [T(f_1 - f_2)]_{\mathcal{C}} & [T(f_3 + f_1)]_{\mathcal{C}} \\ | & | & | \end{bmatrix}$$

By theorem 4.1.4,

$$[T(f_1 + f_2)]_c = [T(f_1)]_c + [T(f_2)]_c = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[T(f_1 - f_2)]_c = [T(f_1)]_c - [T(f_2)]_c = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[T(f_3 + f_1)]_c = [T(f_3)]_c + [T(f_1)]_c = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{So } [T]_{(\mathcal{B}, \mathcal{C})} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Problem 6.** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -6 & -30 \\ -30 & 19 \end{bmatrix}$  and let  $V = \text{span} \left( \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right)$ .

- (a) Show that for all  $\vec{v} \in V$ ,  $A\vec{v} \in V$ .
- (b) Find a basis for  $V^\perp$ , and show that for all  $\vec{w} \in V^\perp$ ,  $A\vec{w} \in V^\perp$ .
- (c) Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be the linear transformation defined by  $T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x}$  for all  $\vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^2$ . Find a basis  $\mathcal{B}$  of  $\mathbb{R}^2$  such that  $[T]_{\mathcal{B}}$  is diagonal, and write the matrix  $[T]_{\mathcal{B}}$  explicitly.
- (d) Calculate  $[T^{10}]_{\mathcal{B}}$ . [HINT: Leave numbers like  $7^{13}$  in that form; do not attempt to multiply them out.]
- (e) Calculate  $[T^{10}]_{\mathcal{E}}$ . [HINT: Leave the entries as numerical expressions; do not attempt to simplify.]

(a) Take arbitrary  $\vec{v} \in V$ , so  $\vec{v} = a \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$  for some scalar  $a$

$$\text{so } A\vec{v} = a \begin{bmatrix} -6 & -30 \\ -30 & 19 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = a \begin{bmatrix} -18 \\ -52 \end{bmatrix} = -26a \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \in \text{span} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

So  $A\vec{v} \in V$ .

Therefore for all  $\vec{v} \in V$ ,  $A\vec{v} \in V$

(b) Take arbitrary  $\vec{w} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \in V^\perp$ , so  $3x + 2y = 0 \Rightarrow y = -\frac{3}{2}x$  by definition

$$\text{So } V^\perp = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ -\frac{3}{2}x \end{bmatrix} \mid x \in \mathbb{R} \right\} = \left\{ r \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \mid r \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

So a basis for  $V^\perp$  is  $\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ .

Then take arbitrary  $\vec{w} \in V^\perp$ ,  $\vec{w} = \begin{bmatrix} -2r \\ 3r \end{bmatrix}$  for some  $r \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\text{So } A\vec{w} = r \begin{bmatrix} -6 & -30 \\ -30 & 19 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = r \begin{bmatrix} -18 \\ 117 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{So for all } \vec{w} \in V^\perp, A\vec{w} \in V^\perp = -39r \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \in V^\perp$$

(c) Consider  $\beta = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

Since  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = 0$ , by Thm 5.1.3,

the two vectors are linearly independent.

And since  $\dim(\mathbb{R}^2) = 2$ , by Thm 3.3.4,

$\beta$  is a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^2$

$$[T]_{\beta} = \begin{bmatrix} [T(\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix})]_{\beta} & [T(\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix})]_{\beta} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} [26 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}]_{\beta} & [-39 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}]_{\beta} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 26 & 0 \\ 0 & 39 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by Thm 3.4.3.}$$

$$(d) [T^{\text{to}}]_{\mathcal{B}} = ([T]_{\mathcal{B}})^{\text{to}} \text{ by Thm 3.4.2}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 26^{\text{to}} & 0 \\ 0 & 39^{\text{to}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(e) [T^{\text{to}}]_{\mathcal{E}} = [T]^{\text{to}} \text{ by Thm 3.4.2}$$

By the change of basis thm for matrix,

$$[T]_{\mathcal{E}} = S_{\mathcal{E} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}}^{-1} [T]_{\mathcal{B}} S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}}$$

$$= S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}} [T]_{\mathcal{B}} S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}}^{-1}$$

$$S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}} = \begin{bmatrix} [b_1]_{\mathcal{E}} & [b_2]_{\mathcal{E}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{So } [T^{\text{to}}]_{\mathcal{E}} = [T]_{\mathcal{E}}^{\text{to}} = (S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}} [T]_{\mathcal{B}} S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}}^{-1})^{\text{to}}$$

$$= S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}} [T]_{\mathcal{B}}^{\text{to}} S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}}^{-1}$$

$$S_{\mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{E}}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{13} & \frac{2}{13} \\ \frac{2}{13} & \frac{3}{13} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{So } [T^{\text{to}}]_{\mathcal{E}} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 26^{\text{to}} & 0 \\ 0 & 39^{\text{to}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{13} & \frac{2}{13} \\ \frac{2}{13} & \frac{3}{13} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 3 \cdot 26^{\text{to}} & -2 \cdot 39^{\text{to}} \\ 2 \cdot 26^{\text{to}} & 3 \cdot 39^{\text{to}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{13} & \frac{2}{13} \\ \frac{2}{13} & \frac{3}{13} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{9 \cdot 26^{\text{to}} + 4 \cdot 39^{\text{to}}}{13} & \frac{6 \cdot 26^{\text{to}} - 6 \cdot 39^{\text{to}}}{13} \\ \frac{6 \cdot 26^{\text{to}} - 6 \cdot 39^{\text{to}}}{13} & \frac{4 \cdot 26^{\text{to}} + 9 \cdot 39^{\text{to}}}{13} \end{bmatrix}$$