

# CS3010 Spring 2024 Homework 1

Total points: 100

Due date: Monday, March 11, 2024

## Purposes:

1. Review concepts: vectors, vector notations, and vector operations.
2. Review concepts: matrices, matrix notations, and matrix operations.
3. Review concepts: matrix trace, matrix determinant, and matrix rank.
4. Get familiar with Gram-Schmidt process to orthonormalize a set of vectors.
5. Get familiar with the naïve Gaussian Elimination process to solve a system of linear equations.

**“Please start working on this assignment as early as possible!”**

## Task Description:

- **(5 pts) Task 1:** Compute **the cosine of the angle** between the following two vectors. Please **provide** the steps on how to get the answers.

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } y = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- **(5 pts) Task 2:** Compute the **magnitude of the cross product** of the following two vectors. Please **provide** the steps on how to get the answers.

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } y = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- **(25 pts) Task 3:** apply **the Gram-Schmidt process** to orthonormalize the following set of vectors. Please **provide** the steps on how to get the answers, and **justify** that the resulting vectors are orthonormal.

$$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ and } v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (5 pts) Task 4: Given the following two matrices  $A$  and  $B$ , compute **both** the matrix-matrix multiplications  $AB$  and  $BA$ .

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 3 & 2 \\ 5 & 8 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 6 & -2 \\ -1 & 4 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Please use **the 1<sup>st</sup> approach** (as described in Pages 3 and 4 of this assignment) and **provide** the steps on how to get the answers. **Note:**  $AB \neq BA$  in general.

- (10 pts) Task 5: Given the following two matrices  $A$  and  $B$ , compute **both** the matrix-matrix multiplications  $AB$  and  $BA$ .

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 3 & 2 \\ 5 & 8 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 6 & -2 \\ -1 & 4 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Please use **the 2<sup>nd</sup> approach** (as described in Page 4 of this assignment) and **provide** the steps on how to get the answers. **Note:**  $AB \neq BA$  in general.

- (5 pts) Task 6: Compute the **matrix inverse**  $A^{-1}$  of the following  $2 \times 2$  matrix. Please **justify** your answers based on the definition of matrix inverse.

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

- (25 pts) Task 7: Use the naïve **Gaussian Elimination method** to find the solution to the following general system of linear equations. Please **provide** the steps on how to get the answers.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 5 & 8 & 6 & 3 \\ 4 & 2 & 5 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (20 pts) Task 8: Use the naïve **Gaussian Elimination method** to find the solution to the following **tridiagonal** system of linear equations. Please **provide** the steps on how to get the answers.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 & & & \\ -1 & 5 & -1 & & \\ & -1 & 5 & -1 & \\ & & -1 & 5 & -1 \\ & & & -1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \\ x_5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

## What to Submit?

1. **One pdf file** which includes the answers with clear steps to Tasks 1 to 8.
2. Please **name your pdf file in the format “yourname\_p1.pdf”** and submit it in Canvas.

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## Matrix-Matrix Multiplication

Recall that in class we studied the following **two different approaches** to computing the Matrix-Matrix Multiplication  $AB$  of two matrices  $A = (a_{ij})_{r \times s}$  and  $B = (b_{ij})_{s \times t}$ ,

- The **1<sup>st</sup> approach** is to use the row vectors of the matrix  $A$  and the column vectors of the matrix  $B$ , such that

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} A^{(1)} \\ A^{(2)} \\ \vdots \\ A^{(r)} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b^{(1)} & b^{(2)} & \dots & b^{(t)} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A^{(1)}b^{(1)} & A^{(1)}b^{(2)} & \dots & A^{(1)}b^{(t)} \\ A^{(2)}b^{(1)} & A^{(2)}b^{(2)} & \dots & A^{(2)}b^{(t)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ A^{(r)}b^{(1)} & A^{(r)}b^{(2)} & \dots & A^{(r)}b^{(t)} \end{bmatrix}_{r \times t}$$

where  $A^{(i)}$  denotes the  $i$ -th row vector of the matrix  $A$  and  $b^{(j)}$  the  $j$ -th column vector of the matrix  $B$ . Note that each  $A^{(i)}b^{(j)}$  is a scalar.

- The **2<sup>nd</sup> approach** is to use the column vectors of the matrix  $A$  and the row vectors of the matrix  $B$ , such that

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} a^{(1)} & a^{(2)} & \dots & a^{(s)} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} B^{(1)} \\ B^{(2)} \\ \vdots \\ B^{(s)} \end{bmatrix} = a^{(1)}B^{(1)} + a^{(2)}B^{(2)} + \dots + a^{(s)}B^{(s)} = \sum_{i=1}^s a^{(i)}B^{(i)}$$

where  $a^{(i)}$  denotes the  $i$ -th column vector of the matrix  $A$  and  $B^{(j)}$  the  $j$ -th row vector of the matrix  $B$ . Note that each  $a^{(i)}B^{(i)}$  is a matrix of size  $r \times t$ .