

## San Francisco Bay University

MATH203 - Linear Algebra Homework #3

Due day: 7/2/2024

#### **Instruction:**

1. Homework answer sheet should contain the original questions and corresponding answers.

2. Recommend writing the Python or Matlab program for any calculation, and then copy & paste source code and running results on the answer sheet

3. Overdue homework submission could not be accepted.

4. Takes academic honesty and integrity seriously (Zero Tolerance of Cheating & Plagiarism)

1. Please use as many columns of A as possible to construct a matrix B with the property that the equation Bx = 0 has only the trivial solution. Solve Bx = 0 to verify your work.

a. 
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5. R2 = 8R2/5:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{3}{8} & 0 & -\frac{7}{8} & \frac{1}{4} \\ 0 & 1 & 8 & 5 & -\frac{38}{5} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{4} & 2 & \frac{5}{4} & \frac{5}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{7}{8} & 7 & \frac{35}{8} & \frac{35}{4} \end{bmatrix}$$

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7. 
$$R3 = R3 - R2/4$$
:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 & 1 & -\frac{13}{5} \\ 0 & 1 & 8 & 5 & -\frac{38}{5} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{22}{5} \\ 0 & \frac{7}{8} & 7 & \frac{35}{8} & \frac{35}{4} \end{bmatrix}$$

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9. 
$$R3 = 5R3/22$$
:

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10. 
$$R1 = R1 + 13R3/5$$
:

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11. 
$$R2 = R2 + 38R3/5$$
:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 8 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{77}{5} \end{bmatrix}$$

12. 
$$R4 = R4 - \frac{77}{5}R3$$
:

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

The pivot columns are 1,2 and 5. So, the matrix B is:

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We again need to find the row-reduced form of the matrix B

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -3 & 2 \\ -9 & 4 & -7 \\ 6 & -2 & 4 \\ 5 & -1 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

Divide row 1 by 8:  $R_1 = \frac{R_1}{8}$ 

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{3}{8} & \frac{1}{4} \\ -9 & 4 & -7 \\ 6 & -2 & 4 \\ 5 & -1 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

Add row 1 multiplied by 9 to row 2:  $R_2 = R_2 + 9R_1$ .

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Add row 2 multiplied by  $\frac{3}{8}$  to row 1:  $R_1 = R_1 + \frac{3R_2}{8}$ .

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Multiply row 3 by  $\frac{5}{22} : R_3 = \frac{5R_3}{22}$ .

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Subtract row 3 multiplied by  $\frac{77}{5}$  from row 4:  $R_4 = R_4 - \frac{77R_3}{5}$ .

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Thus the solution is:

$$x_1 = 0, x_2 = 0, x_3 = 0$$

Therefore,

$$Bx = 0$$

has a trivial solution.

b. For 
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In the system  $B\mathbf{x} = 0$ :

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Thus, the solution is  $x_1 = 0$ ,  $x_2 = 0$ ,  $x_3 = 0$ ,  $x_4 = 0$ .

Hence, Bx = 0 has only the trivial solution.

2. Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^m$  be a linear transformation and let  $\{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$  be a linearly dependent set in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . Explain why the set  $\{T(v_1), T(v_2), T(v_3)\}$  is linearly dependent.

Note: column vectors are written as rows, such as  $x = (x_1, x_2)$  and T(x) is written as  $T(x_1, x_2)$ 

Since  $\{\mathbf v_1, \mathbf v_2, \mathbf v_3\}$  is a linearly dependent set in  $\mathbb R^n$ , there exist scalars  $c_1, c_2, c_3$ , not all zero, such that

$$c_1\mathbf{v}_1 + c_2\mathbf{v}_2 + c_3\mathbf{v}_3 = \mathbf{0}.$$

Applying the linear transformation T to both sides of the equation and using the properties of linearity (T(a+b) = T(a) + T(b)) and T(ca) = cT(a) for any vectors  $\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}$  and scalar c), we get

$$T(c_1\mathbf{v}_1 + c_2\mathbf{v}_2 + c_3\mathbf{v}_3) = T(\mathbf{0}).$$

This simplifies to

$$c_1T(\mathbf{v}_1) + c_2T(\mathbf{v}_2) + c_3T(\mathbf{v}_3) = \mathbf{0}.$$

Since  $T(\mathbf{0}) = \mathbf{0}$  for any linear transformation T, we have

$$c_1T(\mathbf{v}_1) + c_2T(\mathbf{v}_2) + c_3T(\mathbf{v}_3) = \mathbf{0}.$$

This shows that the set  $\{T(\mathbf{v}_1), T(\mathbf{v}_2), T(\mathbf{v}_3)\}$  is linearly dependent in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , as there exists a nontrivial combination of these vectors that results in the zero vector.

# 3. Show that the transformation T defined by $T(x_1, x_2) = (4x_1 - 2x_2, 3|x_2|)$ is not linear.

To show that the transformation T defined by  $T(x_1, x_2) = (4x_1 - 2x_2, 3|x_2|)$  is not linear, we need to check whether T satisfies the properties of linearity: additivity and homogeneity (or scalar multiplication).

#### Additivity

A transformation T is additive if for all vectors  $\mathbf{u} = (u_1, u_2)$  and  $\mathbf{v} = (v_1, v_2)$ , the following holds:

$$T(\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}) = T(\mathbf{u}) + T(\mathbf{v})$$

Let's check this property for T:

$$\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v} = (u_1 + v_1, u_2 + v_2)$$

$$T(\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}) = T(u_1 + v_1, u_2 + v_2) = (4(u_1 + v_1) - 2(u_2 + v_2), 3|u_2 + v_2|)$$

$$T(\mathbf{u}) = T(u_1, u_2) = (4u_1 - 2u_2, 3|u_2|)$$

$$T(\mathbf{v}) = T(v_1, v_2) = (4v_1 - 2v_2, 3|v_2|)$$

$$T(\mathbf{u})+T(\mathbf{v}) = (4u_1-2u_2,3|u_2|)+(4v_1-2v_2,3|v_2|) = (4u_1-2u_2+4v_1-2v_2,3|u_2|+3|v_2|)$$

For T to be additive, we need:

$$(4(u_1 + v_1) - 2(u_2 + v_2), 3|u_2 + v_2|) = (4u_1 - 2u_2 + 4v_1 - 2v_2, 3|u_2| + 3|v_2|)$$

To see if this holds, consider  $\mathbf{u} = (1, 1)$  and  $\mathbf{v} = (-1, -1)$ :

$$T(\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}) = T(0,0) = (4 \cdot 0 - 2 \cdot 0, 3|0|) = (0,0)$$

$$T(\mathbf{u}) = T(1,1) = (4 \cdot 1 - 2 \cdot 1,3|1|) = (2,3)$$

$$T(\mathbf{v}) = T(-1, -1) = (4 \cdot (-1) - 2 \cdot (-1), 3|-1|) = (-4 + 2, 3) = (-2, 3)$$

$$T(\mathbf{u}) + T(\mathbf{v}) = (2,3) + (-2,3) = (0,6)$$

Since  $(0,0) \neq (0,6)$ , T does not satisfy additivity.

#### Homogeneity

A transformation T is homogeneous if for all vectors  $\mathbf{u} = (u_1, u_2)$  and scalar c, the following holds:

$$T(c\mathbf{u}) = cT(\mathbf{u})$$

Let's check this property for T:

$$c\mathbf{u} = (cu_1, cu_2)$$

$$T(c\mathbf{u}) = T(cu_1, cu_2) = (4cu_1 - 2cu_2, 3|cu_2|)$$

$$cT(\mathbf{u}) = cT(u_1, u_2) = c(4u_1 - 2u_2, 3|u_2|) = (c(4u_1 - 2u_2), c \cdot 3|u_2|)$$

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$$(4cu_1 - 2cu_2, 3|cu_2|) = (c(4u_1 - 2u_2), c \cdot 3|u_2|)$$

To see if this holds, consider c = -1 and  $\mathbf{u} = (1, 1)$ :

$$T(c\mathbf{u}) = T(-1, -1) = (4 \cdot (-1) - 2 \cdot (-1), 3|-1|) = (-4 + 2, 3) = (-2, 3)$$

$$cT(\mathbf{u}) = -1 \cdot T(1,1) = -1 \cdot (4 \cdot 1 - 2 \cdot 1, 3|1|) = -1 \cdot (2,3) = (-2,-3)$$

Since  $(-2,3) \neq (-2,-3)$ , T does not satisfy homogeneity.

Since T does not satisfy both additivity and homogeneity, it is not a linear transformation. 4. The given matrix determines a linear transformation T. Find all x such that T(x) = 0.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 & 5 & -5 \\ -9 & 7 & -8 & 0 \\ -6 & 4 & 5 & 3 \\ 5 & -3 & 8 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

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We solve the homogeneous system  $A\vec{x} = 0$  by performing row reduction:

1. Divide row 1 by 4:

$$\begin{pmatrix}
1 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{5}{4} & -\frac{5}{4} \\
-9 & 7 & -8 & 0 \\
-6 & 4 & 5 & 3 \\
5 & -3 & 8 & -4
\end{pmatrix}$$

2. Add 9 times row 1 to row 2:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{5}{4} & -\frac{5}{4} \\ 0 & \frac{5}{2} & \frac{13}{4} & -\frac{45}{4} \\ -6 & 4 & 5 & 3 \\ 5 & -3 & 8 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

3. Add 6 times row 1 to row 3:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{5}{4} & -\frac{5}{4} \\ 0 & \frac{5}{2} & \frac{13}{4} & -\frac{45}{4} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{25}{4} & -\frac{9}{2} \\ 5 & -3 & 8 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

4. Subtract 5 times row 1 from row 4:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{5}{4} & -\frac{5}{4} \\ 0 & \frac{5}{2} & \frac{13}{4} & -\frac{45}{4} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{25}{4} & -\frac{9}{2} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{7}{4} & \frac{9}{4} \end{pmatrix}$$

5. Multiply row 2 by  $\frac{2}{5}$ :

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{5}{4} & -\frac{5}{4} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{13}{10} & -\frac{9}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{25}{4} & -\frac{9}{2} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{7}{4} & \frac{9}{4} \end{pmatrix}$$

6. Add  $\frac{1}{2}$  times row 2 to row 1:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{19}{10} & -\frac{7}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{13}{10} & -\frac{9}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{25}{4} & -\frac{9}{2} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{7}{4} & \frac{9}{4} \end{pmatrix}$$

7. Subtract row 2 from row 3:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{19}{10} & -\frac{7}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{13}{10} & -\frac{9}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{56}{10} & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{7}{4} & \frac{9}{4} \end{pmatrix}$$

8. Subtract  $\frac{1}{2}$  times row 2 from row 4:

$$\begin{pmatrix}
1 & 0 & \frac{19}{10} & -\frac{7}{2} \\
0 & 1 & \frac{13}{10} & -\frac{9}{2} \\
0 & 0 & \frac{56}{10} & 0 \\
0 & 0 & \frac{12}{5} & 0
\end{pmatrix}$$

9. Multiply row 3 by  $\frac{5}{56}$ 

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{19}{10} & -\frac{7}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{13}{10} & -\frac{9}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{12}{\kappa} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

10. Subtract  $\frac{19}{10}$ R3 from R1

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{7}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{13}{10} & -\frac{9}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{12}{5} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

11. Subtract  $\frac{13}{10}$ R3 from R2

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{7}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -\frac{9}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{12}{5} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

12. Subtract  $\frac{12}{5}$ R3 from R4

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{7}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -\frac{9}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

From the row echelon form, we have the following system of equations:

$$\begin{cases} x_1 - \frac{7}{2}x_4 = 0\\ x_2 - \frac{9}{2}x_4 = 0\\ x_3 = 0 \end{cases}$$

Solving these equations, we get:

$$x_3 = 0$$

$$x_2 = \frac{9}{2}x_4$$

$$x_1 = \frac{7}{2}x_4$$

Let  $t = x_4$ . Then,

$$x_1 = \frac{7}{2}t$$

$$x_2 = \frac{9}{2}t$$

$$x_3 = 0$$

$$x_4 = t$$

Therefore, the solution set is:

$$x = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{7}{2}t\\ \frac{9}{2}t\\ 0\\ t \end{pmatrix}$$

5.  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^4$ ,  $T(e_1) = (3, 1, 3, 1)$  and  $T(e_2) = (-5, 2, 0, 0)$ , where  $e_1 = (1, 0)$  and  $e_2 = (0, 1)$ , assume that T is a linear transformation. Find the standard matrix of T.

Given the linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^4$  with the following images of basis vectors:

$$T(e_1) = (3, 1, 3, 1)$$

$$T(e_2) = (-5, 2, 0, 0)$$

To find the standard matrix A of T:

1. Expressing  $T(e_1)$  and  $T(e_2)$  in terms of the standard basis vectors of  $\mathbb{R}^4$ :

$$T(e_1) = 3 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + 1 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + 3 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + 1 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$T(e_2) = -5 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + 2 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + 0 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + 0 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

2. Form the standard matrix A of T using the column vectors obtained above:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Therefore, the standard matrix A of the linear transformation T is:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

6.  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^2$  first reflects points through the horizontal  $x_1$ - axis and then reflects points through the line  $x_2 = x_1$ . Show that the transformation is merely a rotation about the origin. What is the angle of the rotation?

Considering the transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by the following operations:

- 1. Reflect points through the horizontal  $x_1$ -axis:  $(x, y) \mapsto (x, -y)$ .
- Reflect points through the line x<sub>2</sub> = x<sub>1</sub>: (x, −y) → (−y, x).

#### Transformation Matrix

To find the matrix representation T of the transformation:

- 1. The reflection through the  $x_1$ -axis is represented by the matrix  $R_{x_1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ .
- 2. The reflection through the line  $x_2=x_1$  is represented by the matrix  $R_{x_2=x_1}=\begin{pmatrix}0&1\\1&0\end{pmatrix}$ .

The transformation matrix T is the composition of these two reflections:

$$T = R_{x_2 = x_1} \cdot R_{x_1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

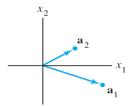
### Angle of Rotation

The matrix T corresponds to a rotation by  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  radians (or 90°) counterclockwise about the origin in  $\mathbb{R}^2$ , given by

$$\cos \theta = 0$$
,  $\sin \theta = 1$ .

Therefore, the transformation T, which initially appears to involve reflections, is actually a rotation about the origin. The angle of rotation is  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  radians (or 90°).

7. Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^2$  be a linear transformation with standard matrix  $A = [a_1, a_2]$  where  $a_1$  and  $a_2$  are shown in the figure. Using the figure, draw the image of  $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$  under the transformation T.



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Next, we'll find the image of the given vector  $\mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ :

$$T(\mathbf{v}) = A\mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

To compute this, we multiply the matrix A by the vector  $\mathbf{v}$ :

$$T(\mathbf{v}) = -a_1 + 3a_2$$

The figure below shows the vectors  $a_1$ ,  $a_2$ ,  $\mathbf{v}$ , and  $T(\mathbf{v})$ .

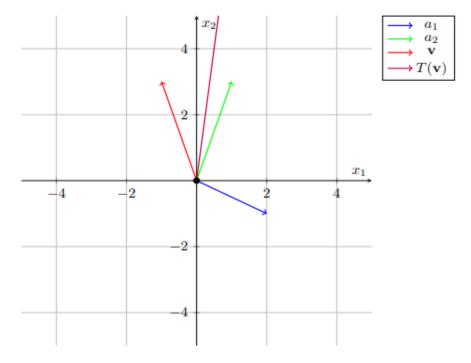


Figure 1: Transformation of  $\mathbf{v}$  under T