



MTH 309T LINEAR ALGEBRA

EXAM 1

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Instructions:

- Textbooks, calculators and any other electronic devices are not permitted. You may use one sheet of notes.
- For full credit solve each problem fully, showing all relevant work.

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1. (20 points) Consider the following vectors in \mathbb{R}^3 :

$$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad w = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \\ b \end{bmatrix}$$

a) Find all values of b such that $w \in \text{Span}(v_1, v_2, v_3)$.

b) Is the set $\{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$ linearly independent? Justify your answer.

$$a) \quad x_1 v_1 + x_2 v_2 + x_3 v_3 = w$$

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

$$\rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & -3 & 0 & b \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & -2 & 4+b \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4+b \end{array} \right] \quad b \Rightarrow -4$$

b) From part a $\rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$

No, the set $\{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$ is not linearly independent because the solution would be a trivial solution if it were linearly independent. In this case, it leads to infinitely many solutions.



2. (10 points) Consider the following matrix:

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

Compute A^{-1} .

$$\xrightarrow{-1} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \xrightarrow{-1} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \xrightarrow{-2} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \xrightarrow{-1} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -2 & 1 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \xrightarrow{+1} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & -2 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -2 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & -2 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -2 & 1 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



3. (10 points) Let A be the same matrix as in Problem 2, and let

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 4 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find a matrix C such that $A^T C = B$ (where A^T is the transpose of A).

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A^T C &= B \\ A^{T^{-1}} A^T C &= A^{T^{-1}} B \\ I C &= A^{T^{-1}} B \\ C &= A^{T^{-1}} B \end{aligned}$$

$C = 3 \times 3$ matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 & -2 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 4 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

Find inverse of A^T

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 & | & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 & | & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & | & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & | & -2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & -1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & | & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & -1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & | & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & 3 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & -1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & -2 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & 3 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & -1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{inverse of } A^T = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 & -2 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} -2 + 4 + 6 &= 8 \\ -4 + 5 + 4 &= 5 \\ -6 + 4 + 2 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3 + (-4) + (-6) &= -7 \\ 6 + (-5) + (-4) &= -3 \\ 9 + (-4) + (-2) &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} -1 + 4 + 3 &= 6 \\ -2 + 5 + 2 &= 5 \\ -3 + 4 + 1 &= 2 \end{aligned}$$



4. (20 points) Let $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be a linear transformation given by

$$T\left(\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - 2x_2 \\ x_1 + x_2 \\ x_1 - 3x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

a) Find the standard matrix of T .

b) Find all vectors u satisfying $T(u) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 10 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$.

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{a) } e_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad e_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} T(e_1) \Rightarrow T\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ T(e_2) \Rightarrow T\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} \end{array} \right. \end{array}$$

Standard Matrix of T :

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

$$\text{b) } Av = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 10 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{c} \text{row 1} \\ \downarrow \end{array} \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 10 \\ 1 & -3 & -2 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \begin{array}{c} \text{row 1} \\ \downarrow \end{array} \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 9 \\ 0 & -3 & -3 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\text{C } (1/3) \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 9 \\ 0 & -1 & -3 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \begin{array}{c} \text{row 2} \\ \downarrow \end{array} \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & -3 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \begin{array}{c} \text{row 2} \\ \downarrow \end{array} \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{array}{c} x_1 \quad x_2 \\ \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 0 & 7 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} x_1 = 7 \\ x_2 = 3 \end{array} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow u$$



5. (20 points) For each matrix A given below determine if the matrix transformation $T_A: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ given by $T_A(v) = Av$ is one-to-one or not. If T_A is not one-to-one, find two vectors v_1 and v_2 such that $T_A(v_1) = T_A(v_2)$.

a) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

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$$C1/2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \downarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\xrightarrow{-2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

one-to-one

b) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} C1/2$

$$\downarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\downarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Not one-to-one: pivot position not present in every row.

Find the null space \Rightarrow set of vectors v such that $T_A(v) = 0$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 \\ 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_1 - 2x_3 = 0$$

$$x_2 + 2x_3 = 0$$

$$x_3 = x_3$$

$$x_1 = 2x_3$$

$$x_2 = -2x_3$$

$$x_3 = x_3$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{cases} v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Null space: } \left\{ x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \text{span} \left(\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$



6. (10 points) For each of the statements given below decide if it is true or false. If it is true explain why. If it is false give a counterexample.

a) If u, v, w are vectors in \mathbb{R}^3 such that $w + u \in \text{Span}(u, v)$ then $w \in \text{Span}(u, v)$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = u \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = v \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = w$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = w + u \in \text{Span}\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\right)$$

It is true

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow w \in \text{Span}\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\right) ?$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 1 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$0u + 1v = w$$

b) If u, v, w are vectors in \mathbb{R}^3 such that the set $\{u, v, w\}$ is linearly independent then the set $\{u, v\}$ must be linearly independent.

$$u = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad v = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad w = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{linearly independent} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{set } \{u, v\} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \\ 1 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} x_1 = 0 \\ x_2 = 0 \\ 0 = 0 \end{matrix}$$

doesn't matter!

It is true. since, linear dependence means having a trivial sol. so by decreasing the $x_1 = 0, x_2 = 0, x_3 = 0$ set to $\{u, v\}$, it won't change to infinite amount of sol.



7. (10 points) For each of the statements given below decide if it is true or false. If it is true explain why. If it is false give a counterexample.

a) If A is a 2×2 matrix and u, v are vectors in \mathbb{R}^2 such that Au, Av are linearly dependent then u, v also must be linearly dependent.

$$u = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad v = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{Linearly independent}$$

It is false. You could have a linear independent vectors and by multiplying it by the matrix, end up ~~not~~

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

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \neq \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$\text{linearly dependent.} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \neq \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

b) If $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is a linear transformation and $u, v, w \in \mathbb{R}^2$ are vectors such that u is in $\text{Span}(v, w)$ then $T(u)$ must be in $\text{Span}(T(v), T(w))$.

It is false. $T(u)$ means $A(u)$ which means multiplying by a matrix that could lead to no linear combinations for $T(u)$.