



MTH 309T LINEAR ALGEBRA

EXAM 1

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6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
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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.

$$\begin{bmatrix} v_1 & v_2 & v_3 \end{bmatrix} = \vec{W}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & -3 & 0 & b \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{-2R_1, R_3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & -2 & b+4 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2, R_3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & b-b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$b-b=0$$

if $b=b$, then $\vec{w} \in \text{Span}(\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3)$

$$x_1 - x_2 + x_3 = -2$$

$$x_2$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & -3 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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 x_3 is free

to be linearly independent, every column after row reduction must be a pivot column. Therefore,

the set is not linearly independent.



2. (10 points) Consider the following matrix:

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

Compute A^{-1} .

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{-R_1+R_2 \\ \frac{1}{2}R_3}} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1/2 & 0 & 0 & 1/2 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{-R_2+R_3} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/2 & 1 & -1 & 1/2 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow{2R_3} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -2 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_3+R_2} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & -1 & 0 & -3 & 4 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -2 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_2+R_1} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 3 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -2 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

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

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 3 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$



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

$$(A^T)^{-1} = (A^{-1})^T \quad AA^{-1} = I \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 4 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 3 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 \\ y_1 & y_2 & y_3 \\ z_1 & z_2 & z_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 4 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_1 + y_1 = 1$$

$$-x_1 + 2z_1 = 4$$

$$2x_1 + y_1 - z_1 = 3$$

$$(A^T)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 & -2 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 & | & 4 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 & | & 3 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 5 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & | & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} z_1 = 6 \\ y_1 = 5 - 2(6) \\ y_1 = -7 \end{matrix}$$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ -7 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} x_1 = 1 - (-7) \\ x_1 = 8 \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 & | & 5 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 & | & 2 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 7 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & | & -2 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$z_2 = 5$$

$$y_2 = 7 - 10 = -3$$

$$y_2 = -3$$

$$x_2 = 2 - (-3) = 5$$

$$x_2 = 5$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 3 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 & | & 4 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 & | & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 7 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & | & -5 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$z_3 = 2$$

$$y_3 = 7 - 4 = 3$$

$$x_3 = 3 - 3 = 0 \quad \begin{matrix} z_3 = 2 \\ y_3 = 3 \\ x_3 = 0 \end{matrix}$$

check

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 5 & 0 \\ -7 & -3 & 3 \\ 6 & 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 4 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$



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

$$T\left(\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - 2x_2 \\ x_1 + x_2 \\ x_1 - 3x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - 2x_2 \\ x_1 + x_2 \\ x_1 - 3x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

a) Find the standard matrix of T .

b) Find all vectors u satisfying $T(u) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 10 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} = A\vec{u}$ \vec{u} is 2×1
 $\begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}$

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

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 10 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 10 \\ 1 & -3 & -2 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 9 \\ 0 & -1 & -3 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & -3 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$u_1 - u_2 = 1$$

$$u_2 = 3$$

$$u_1 = 4$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$



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

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

one to one if pivot position in every column.

a) $\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 & 4 & 0 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 & 0 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow$

A is one to one

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

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not a pivot column

A is not 1-1.
 $T_A(v_1) = A \cdot v_1$

$A \cdot v_1 = A \cdot v_2$

Let $x_3 = 2$
 $x_3 = 2$
 $x_2 = -2(2) = -4$
 $x_1 = 0 - (-4) = 4$

$\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = v_1$
 $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

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

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

$x_3 = x_3$ $x_3 = 1$
 $x_2 + 2x_3 = 0$ $x_2 = 0 - 2$
 $x_1 + x_2 = 0$ $= -2$
Let $x_3 = 1$ $x_1 = 0 - (-2)$
 $= 2$



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 $w \in \text{Span}(u, v)$.

True. ^{lin.} combinations of vectors in a span are still within a span and vice versa.

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.

True. In the set of 3, they are all lin. ind. from each other, meaning if one vector was taken away, the remaining two would still be lin. ind.



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.

true. A matrix is a linear transform so anything that is linear dependent that is linearly transformed stays linearly dependent.

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 $\text{Span}(T(v), T(w))$.

true. Linear transforms will not change is something is within a span.

$$\begin{aligned}
 u &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\
 v &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \\
 w &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$