



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) $\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & -3 & 0 & b \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{(-3)(1) \text{ of } R_1 \\ b + (-2)(2)}} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & -2 & b-4 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{b+(-2)(2)} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & b-6 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & b-6 \end{array} \right]$
 free.

when $b+6=0$
 $b=-6$. so $w \in \text{Span}(v_1, v_2, v_3)$ ✓

matrix It has infinite solution. with free variable x_3 .

b) no, for set $\{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$ after row reduced.

we got $\left[\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$ the third column is not a pivot column. ✓

which means it is not a linearly independent set.

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

$$\text{for } v_1, v_2, v_3: \quad x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

because it has free variable.

have infinite solutions.

so not linear indep



2. (10 points) Consider the following matrix:

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

Compute A^{-1} .

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

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

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ — invertible}$$

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

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

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

check

$$A \cdot A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 3 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1x-2 + -1(1) + 2(2) & 1x3 + -1(x-1) + 2x2 & 1x-1 + -1(x) + 2x1 \\ 1x3 + -1(x-1) + 1x2 & 1x3 + 0x-1 + 1x-2 & 1x-1 + 0x1 + 1x1 \\ 0x-2 + 1x(1) + -1x2 & 0x3 + 2x-1 + -1x-2 & 0x-1 + 2x0 + -1x1 \end{bmatrix}$$



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).

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

$$A^T C = B$$

$$A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^T A^T$$

$$(A^T)(A^T)^T C = B (A^T)^T$$

$$C = B(A^T)^T$$

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

Invertible.

$$(A^T)^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 & | & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 & | & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 2 & | & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 & | & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(A^T)^T = (A^T)^T \quad \checkmark$$

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

$$C = B(A^T)^T$$

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

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \times -2 + 2 \times 3 + 3 \times -1 \\ 4 \times -2 + 5 \times 3 + 4 \times -1 \\ 3 \times -2 + 2 \times 3 + 1 \times -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \times 1 + 2 \times -1 + 3 \times 1 \\ 4 \times 1 + 5 \times -1 + 4 \times 1 \\ 3 \times 1 + 2 \times -1 + 1 \times 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \times 2 + 2 \times -2 + 3 \times 1 \\ 4 \times 2 + 5 \times -2 + 4 \times 1 \\ 1 \times 2 + 2 \times -2 + 1 \times 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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



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 $T(u) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 10 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$.

a. $T_A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$ ✓

b. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 10 \\ 1 & -3 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2 - R_1, R_3 - R_1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 9 \\ 0 & -3 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_3 + R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 9 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_3 \cdot \frac{1}{6}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 9 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 \\ 1 & 0 & 7 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \leftarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \leftarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

free

$\begin{cases} x_1 = 7x_3 \\ x_2 = 3x_3 \\ x_3 = x_3 \end{cases}$ ~~$x = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$~~ $u \in \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

There is no x_3

$u = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$



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

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

⊗ pivot in each column, One-to-One ✓ $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

b. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
 $x_1 = 2x_3$
 $x_2 = -2x_3$ x_3 free
 $x_3 = x_3$

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

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

✓ $T_A(v_1) = T_A(v_2)$



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. \checkmark if only $[c_1u + c_2v] \in \text{Span}(u, v)$
 if $w + u \in \text{Span}(u, v)$
 $w = c_1u$ or $w = c_2v$ \leftarrow not necessarily
 $\therefore w \in \text{Span}(u, v)$

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.

False. \checkmark if $u = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $v = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $w = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$. $2u + v + 0w = 0$ is not linearly independent.
 $\lambda_1 = 2$
 $\lambda_2 = -1$
 $u + v + 0w = 0$ is linearly independent.
 $\lambda_1 u + \lambda_2 v + \lambda_3 w = 0$ is linearly independent.
 but $\lambda_1 u + \lambda_2 v = 0$ is not linearly independent.
 $\lambda_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \lambda_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0$.
 These vectors are lin. dependent.
 if but $\lambda_1 u + \lambda_2 v$ is not linearly independent.
 $\lambda_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \lambda_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is linearly dependent.



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.

False ✓ ~~$Au = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $Av = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$~~
 $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ | $\vec{0} = Au, Av$ is linearly dependent.
 which one is u ? $u = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ $v = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$
 $u = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ $v = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$
 u, v is not dependent.
 For this matrix you can't get a counterexample...

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

False ← why?