



MTH 309T LINEAR ALGEBRA

EXAM 1

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0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9

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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2. (10 points) Consider the following matrix:

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

Compute A^{-1} .

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

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

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

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



$(A^T)^{-1} = (A^{-1})^T$, then use A^{-1} from problem 2.

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).

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

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

$C = 3 \times 3$ matrix

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

$$3 + (-4) + (-6) = -7$$

$$6 + (-5) + (-4) = -3$$

$$9 + (-4) + (-2) = 3$$

$$-1 + 4 + 3 = 6$$

$$-2 + 5 + 2 = 5$$

$$-3 + 4 + 1 = 2$$



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

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

Standard Matrix of T :

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

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

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

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



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

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

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

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

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

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

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

one-to-one ✓

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

$$\downarrow$$

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

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

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

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

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 \\ 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \text{to create}$$

$$x_1 - 2x_3 = 0$$

$$x_2 + 2x_3 = 0$$

$$x_3 = x_3$$

$$x_1 = 2x_3$$

$$x_2 = -2x_3$$

$$x_3 = x_3$$

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



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 ✓

One example does not show that this is always true.

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

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

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.

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

$$\text{linearly independent} \Rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\text{set } \{u, v\} \Rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} x_1 & x_2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} x_1 = 0 \\ x_2 = 0 \\ 0 = 0 \end{array}$$

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.

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

It is false. You could have 2 linear independent vectors and by multiplying it by the matrix, end up ~~not~~ linearly dependent.

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

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

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

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



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 $T(u)$.