

Assignment

2.3: 13,15,16,17; 2.4: 2(bef), 5, 17, 20; 2.5: 3(cd), 6(bc), 10, 13

Work

2.3

13. Let A and B be $n \times n$ matrices. Prove that $\text{tr}(AB) = \text{tr}(BA)$ and $\text{tr}(A) = \text{tr}(A^t)$.
15. Let M and A be matrices for which the product matrix MA is defined. If the j th column of A is a linear combination of a set of columns of A , prove that the j th column MA is linear combination of the corresponding columns of MA with the same corresponding coefficients.
16. Let V be a finite-dimensional vector space, and let $T: V \rightarrow V$ be linear.
 - (a) If $\text{rank}(T) = \text{rank}(T^2)$, prove that $R(T) \cap N(T) = \{0\}$. Deduce that $V = R(T) \oplus N(T)$
 - (b) Prove that $V = R(T^k) \oplus N(T^k)$ for some positive integer k
17. Let V be a vector space. Determine all linear transformations $T: V \rightarrow V$ such that $T = T^2$.

2.4

2. For each of the following linear transformations T , determine whether T is invertible and justify your answer.
 - (b) $T: T^2 \rightarrow R^3$ defined by $T(a_1, a_2) = (3a_1 - 2a_2, a_2, 4a_1)$
 - (e) $T: M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow P_2(\mathbb{R})$ defined by $T \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = a + 2bx + (c + d)x^2$
 - (f) $T: M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R})$ defined by $T \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a+b & a \\ c & c+d \end{pmatrix}$.
5. Let A be invertible. Prove that A^t is invertible and $(A^t)^{-1} = (A^{-1})^t$.
17. Let V and W be finite-dimensional vector spaces and $T: V \rightarrow W$ be an isomorphism. Let V_0 be a subspace of V .
 - (a) Prove that $T(V_0)$ is a subspace of W .
 - (b) Prove that $\dim(V_0) = \dim(T(V_0))$.
20. Let $T: V \rightarrow W$ be a linear transformation from an n -dimensional vector space V to an m -dimensional vector space W . Let β and γ be ordered bases for V and W respectively. Prove that $\text{rank}(T) = \text{rank}(L_A)$ and that $\text{nullity}(T) = \text{nullity}(L_1)$, where $A = [T]_{\beta}^{\gamma}$.

2.5

3. For each of the following pairs of ordered bases β and β' for $\mathbf{P}_2(\mathbb{R})$, find the change or coordinate matrix that changes β' -coordinates into β -coordinates.

(c) $\beta = \{2x^2 - x, 3x^2 + 1, x^2\}$ and $\beta' = \{1, x, x^2\}$

(d) $\beta = \{x^2 - x + 1, x + 1, x^2 + 1\}$ and $\beta' = \{x^2 + x + 4, 4x^2 - 3x + 2, 2x^2 + 3\}$

6. For each matrix A and ordered basis β , find $[\mathbf{L}_A]_\beta$. Also find an invertible matrix Q such that $[\mathbf{L}_A]_\beta = Q^{-1}AQ$.

(b) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\beta = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$

(c) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\beta = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$

10. Prove that if A and B are similar $n \times n$ matrices, then $\text{tr}(A) = \text{tr}(B)$.

13. Let \mathbf{V} be a finite-dimensional vector space over a field F , and let $\beta = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$ be an ordered basis for \mathbf{V} . Let Q be an $n \times n$ invertible matrix with entries from F . Define

$$x'_j = \sum_{i=1}^n Q_{ij}x_i \text{ for } 1 \leq j \leq n$$

and set $\beta' = \{x'_1, x'_2, \dots, x'_n\}$. Prove that β' is a basis for \mathbf{V} and hence that Q is a coordinate matrix changing β' -coordinates into β -coordinates.

Claim $\text{span}(\beta) = \text{span}(\beta')$

Forward Direction

Suppose $x' \in \text{span}(\beta')$

$$x' = c_1 \left(\sum_{i=1}^n Q_{i1}x_i \right) + c_2 \left(\sum_{i=1}^n Q_{i2}x_i \right) + \cdots + c_n \left(\sum_{i=1}^n Q_{in}x_i \right) \quad (1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} x' = & c_1 (Q_{11}x_1 + Q_{21}x_2 + \cdots + Q_{n1}x_n) + \\ & + c_2 (Q_{12}x_1 + Q_{22}x_2 + \cdots + Q_{n2}x_n) + \\ & + \cdots + c_n (Q_{1n}x_1 + Q_{2n}x_2 + \cdots + Q_{nn}x_n) \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} x' = & (c_1Q_{11} + c_2Q_{12} + \cdots + c_nQ_{1n})x_1 + \\ & + (c_1Q_{21} + c_2Q_{22} + \cdots + c_nQ_{2n})x_2 + \\ & + \cdots + (c_1Q_{n1} + c_2Q_{n2} + \cdots + c_nQ_{nn})x_n \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

$$\implies x \in \text{span}(\beta') \quad (4)$$

Reverse Direction

Suppose $x \in \text{span}(\beta)$

$$x = c_1x_1 + c_2x_2 + \cdots + c_nx_n \quad (5)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n c_i x_i \quad (6)$$

Let $c_i = \sum_{j=1}^n a_j Q_{ij}$

$$x = \sum_{i=1}^n \left(x_i \sum_{j=1}^n a_j Q_{ij} \right) \quad (7)$$

$$x = \sum_{i=1}^n ((a_1 Q_{i1} + a_2 Q_{i2} + \cdots + a_n Q_{in}) x_i) \quad (8)$$

$$\begin{aligned} x = & (a_1 Q_{11} + a_2 Q_{12} + \cdots + a_n Q_{1n})x_1 + \\ & + (a_1 Q_{21} + a_2 Q_{22} + \cdots + a_n Q_{2n})x_2 + \\ & + \cdots + (a_1 Q_{n1} + a_2 Q_{n2} + \cdots + a_n Q_{nn})x_n \end{aligned} \quad (9)$$

$$\begin{aligned} x = & a_1(Q_{11}x_1 + Q_{21}x_2 + \cdots + Q_{n1}x_n) + \\ & + a_2(Q_{12}x_1 + Q_{22}x_2 + \cdots + Q_{n2}x_n) + \\ & + \cdots + a_n(Q_{1n}x_1 + Q_{2n}x_2 + \cdots + Q_{nn}x_n) \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

$$x = a_1 \sum_{i=1}^n Q_{i1}x_i + a_2 \sum_{i=1}^n Q_{i2}x_i + \cdots + a_n \sum_{i=1}^n Q_{in}x_i \quad (11)$$

$$\implies x \in \text{span}(\beta') \quad (12)$$