

## ITM426, Quiz 2, 2020 Fall

### Solution and Grading

- ITM 426 Engineering Mathematics 2020 F
  - Oct 23, 2020
  - Duration: 90 minutes
  - 5 Questions
  - Weighting of 25 % or 30 % depending on other quiz scores
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- Write legibly.
  - In on-line exam, start every problem in a new page.
  - Justification is necessary unless stated otherwise.
  - Partial points are given only sparingly for the most problems because you are expected to 1) carry out proper sanity check and 2) correct your mistake by doing so.

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5	15
Total	75

#1. Find the solution set of the following system of linear equations by describing in parametric vector form. Also, give a geometric description of the solution set. [15pt]

$$\begin{aligned}x_1 + 3x_2 + x_3 &= 1 \\ -4x_1 - 9x_2 + 2x_3 &= -1 \\ -3x_2 - 6x_3 &= -3\end{aligned}$$

**Difficulty:** Easy

**Amount of work:** 20 %

**Suggested answer:**

Row reduce the augmented matrix for the system:

$$\begin{aligned}&\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & 1 \\ -4 & -9 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & -3 & -6 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 6 & 3 \\ 0 & -3 & -6 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 6 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\&\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} \textcircled{1} & 0 & -5 & -2 \\ 0 & \textcircled{1} & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}. \quad \begin{aligned} \textcircled{x_1} - 5x_3 &= -2 \\ \textcircled{x_2} + 2x_3 &= 1. \\ 0 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $x_1 = -2 + 5x_3$ ,  $x_2 = 1 - 2x_3$ , and  $x_3$  is free. In parametric vector form,

$$\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 + 5x_3 \\ 1 - 2x_3 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 5x_3 \\ -2x_3 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

The solution set is the line through  $\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ , parallel to the line that is the solution set of the

homogeneous system in Exercise 5.

#2. Find the inverse of these matrices. [20pt]

(a)

$$\begin{bmatrix} -2 & -7 & -9 \\ 2 & 5 & 6 \\ 1 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Difficulty:** Medium

**Amount of work:** 10 %

**Suggested answer:**

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \\ -2 & 1 & -6 \\ 1 & -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b)

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

**Difficulty:** Easy**Amount of work:** 10 %**Suggested answer:**

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

#3. Find an LU factorization of the following matrix. [15pt]

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 & 4 & -2 \\ 6 & -9 & 7 & -3 \\ -1 & -4 & 8 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Difficulty:** Easy

**Amount of work:** 20 %

**Suggested answer:**

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \textcircled{2} & -4 & 4 & -2 \\ 6 & -9 & 7 & -3 \\ -1 & -4 & 8 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 & 4 & -2 \\ 0 & \textcircled{3} & -5 & 3 \\ 0 & -6 & 10 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 & 4 & -2 \\ 0 & 3 & -5 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \textcircled{5} \end{bmatrix} = U$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \begin{bmatrix} \textcircled{2} \\ 6 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} \textcircled{3} \\ -6 \end{bmatrix} & \textcircled{5} \\ \div 2 & \div 3 & \div 5 \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \end{array}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & \\ 3 & 1 & & \\ -1/2 & -2 & 1 & \end{bmatrix}, \quad L = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \\ -1/2 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

#4. If the following statement is True, then provide a mathematical proof or explain it further. If False, then provide a counter-example. [10pt]

For a  $m \times n$  matrix  $A$ , if  $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$  has a nontrivial solution, then the number of solution to  $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$  is infinite.

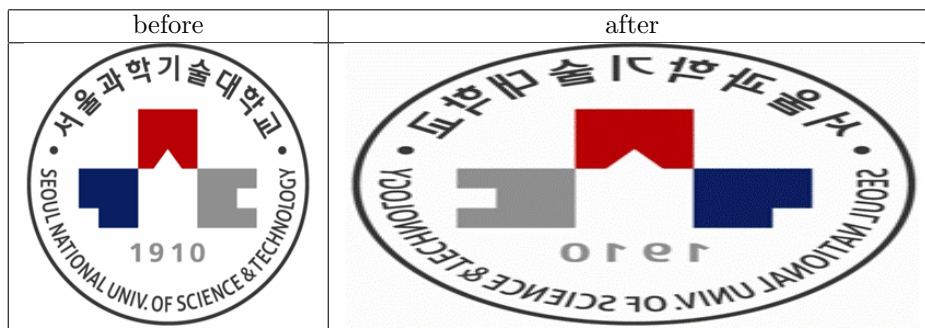
**Difficulty:** Medium

**Amount of work:** 15 %

**Suggested answer:**

False.  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$  is a possible counter-example.

#5. After a linear transformation, SNU Tech's emblem has been transformed. Specifically, the emblem is horizontally reversed and its horizontal length is doubled. Suggest a standard matrix for this linear transformation and explain it. [15pt]



**Difficulty:** Hard

**Amount of work:** 25 %

**Suggested answer:**

Doubling in x-axis can be achieved by  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , and reflection through y-axis can be achieved by

$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Doing these consecutively means multiplication of these matrices, which leads to a standard matrix of  $\begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$



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