

MATHEMATICS 2090 Section 1
Exam II

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1. a) Use Gaussian elimination to determine the solution set to the system of linear equations: 9pt

$$2x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 = 3$$

$$2x_1 + x_2 - x_4 = 2$$

$$3x_1 + 3x_2 + x_3 - x_4 = 5$$

- b) Does the solution set above form a subspace of \mathbb{R}^4 ? If not, please explain why. 3pt

$$a) \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 2 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 3 & 3 & 1 & -1 & 5 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow[\Delta_{13}(-1)]{\Delta_{12}(-1)} \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 2 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 2 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow{\Delta_{21}(-2)} \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 2 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow{\Delta_{21}(1)} \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{M_2(-1)} \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\Delta_{32}(-1)} \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow{\Delta_{21}(1)} \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -1 \end{array} \right]$$

Let $x_4 = t$, $x_1 = 0$, $x_2 = t + 2$
 So $x_2 = 2 + t$, $x_3 + 2t = -1 \Rightarrow x_3 = -1 - 2t$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2+t \\ -1-2t \\ t \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + t \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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b) The solution set $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + t \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} : t \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ is

not a subspace of \mathbb{R}^4 .

because it is not closed under scalar multiplication.

$$2 \left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + t \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 2t \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ which does not belong to } S.$$

2. a) Compute the determinant of $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$.

4pt

b) Is A invertible? If no, please explain why; if yes, please compute its inverse A^{-1} .

6pt

$$a) \det A = 2 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} + 0 + \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 2(-1) + 1 = -1$$

b) A is invertible because $\det A \neq 0$

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 2 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow[A_{13}(-2)]{A_{12}(-3)} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & -3 & 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 & -2 \end{array} \right] \\ & \xrightarrow{M_{12}} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & -3 & 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 & -2 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow[A_{31}(-1)]{A_{32}(3)} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 3 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 & 2 \end{array} \right] \\ & \xrightarrow{M_{21}} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 & -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 & 2 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 3 & -1 & 3 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

3. Compute the Wronskian of the functions $1, \cos x, \sin x$ defined over \mathbb{R} . Are they linearly dependent or independent? Please justify.

7pt

$$W(1, \cos x, \sin x) = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & \cos x & \sin x \\ 0 & -\sin x & \cos x \\ 0 & -\cos x & -\sin x \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} -\sin x & \cos x \\ -\cos x & -\sin x \end{vmatrix} - \cos x \begin{vmatrix} 0 & \cos x \\ 0 & -\sin x \end{vmatrix} + \sin x \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -\sin x \\ 0 & -\cos x \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \sin^2 x + \cos^2 x - 0 + 0$$

$$= 1.$$

4. a) Show that $v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$, $v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$, and $v_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ span \mathbb{R}^3 .

5pt

b) Express $v = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ as a linear combination of v_1, v_2, v_3 .

5pt

$$a) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow[\Delta_{13}(1)]{\Delta_{12}(-1)} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\Delta_{23}(1)} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow[\Delta_{32}(1)]{\Delta_{31}(-2)} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Since $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ has rank 3 then v_1, v_2, v_3 span \mathbb{R}^3 .

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

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - 2 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

5. Let $T: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be the linear transformation

11 pt

$$T(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) = (x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3, x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3, x_1 + x_2 + x_3, x_1 - x_3).$$

a) Determine the matrix A such that $T(x) = Ax$.

b) Find a basis for the kernel, $\text{Ker}(T)$ of T , and determine its dimension.

c) Find a basis for the range, $\text{Rng}(T)$ of T , and determine its dimension.

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

$$b) \text{ let } x_4 = L, x_2 = S$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -x_2 + x_4 \\ x_2 \\ -2x_4 \\ L \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -S + L \\ S \\ -2L \\ L \end{bmatrix} = S \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + L \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore \{(-1, 1, 0, 0), (1, 0, -2, 1)\}$ is a basis of $\text{Ker } T$ and $\dim \text{Ker } T = 2$.

Range T is spanned by $(1, 2, 3)$ and $(1, 1, 1)$

$\therefore \dim \text{Im } T = 2$.