

# 1 Linear Algebra

## 1.1 Solution

1. Performing the indicated operations (Definition CVA, Definition CVSM), we obtain the vector equations

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \alpha \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \beta \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha + 0 \\ 0 + \beta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{bmatrix} \quad (1)$$

Since the entries of the vectors must be equal by Definition CVE we have  $\alpha = 3$  and  $\beta = 2$

- 2.

$$\vec{v} + \vec{w} = (v_x + w_x, v_y + w_y) \quad (2)$$

$$= (8 \cos(290^\circ) + 6 \cos(60^\circ), (8 \sin(290^\circ) + 6 \sin(60^\circ)) \quad (3)$$

$$\approx (2.74 + 3), (-7.52 + 5.2) \quad (4)$$

$$\approx (5.74, -2.32) \quad (5)$$

$$3. \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & -3 \\ 6 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ -2 & -6 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1+3 & 4+2 & -3+1 \\ 6+(-2) & 3+(-6) & 0+5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 6 & -2 \\ 4 & -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$4. \alpha \mathbf{B} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ -2 & -6 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 1 & \frac{1}{2} \\ -1 & -3 & \frac{5}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$5. \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -5 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \times 2 + 3 \times 0 + 1 \times (-1) & 1 \times (-5) + 3 \times 1 + 1 \times 2 & 1 \times (-1) + 3 \times 0 + 1 \times 1 \\ 0 \times 2 + 1 \times 0 + 0 \times (-1) & 0 \times (-5) + 1 \times 1 + 0 \times 2 & 0 \times (-1) + 1 \times 0 + 0 \times 1 \\ 1 \times 2 + 1 \times 0 + 2 \times (-1) & 1 \times (-5) + 1 \times 1 + 2 \times 2 & 1 \times (-1) + 1 \times 0 + 2 \times 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

6. Determinant of matrix  $\mathbf{A}$

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

Inverse of matrix  $\mathbf{A}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -5 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- 7.

$$\mathcal{O} = a_1 \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} + a_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} + a_3 \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad (6)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2a_1 + 4a_3 & -a_1 + 4a_2 + 2a_3 \\ a_1 - a_2 + a_3 & 3a_1 + 2a_2 + 3a_3 \end{bmatrix} \quad (7)$$

By our definition of matrix equality (Definition ME) we arrive at a homogeneous system of linear equations

$$2a_1 + 4a_3 = 0 \quad (8)$$

$$-a_1 + 4a_2 + 2a_3 = 0 \quad (9)$$

$$a_1 - a_2 + a_3 = 0 \quad (10)$$

$$3a_1 + 2a_2 + 3a_3 = 0 \quad (11)$$

The coefficient matrix of this system row-reduces to the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (12)$$

and from this we conclude that the only solution is  $a_1 = a_2 = a_3 = 0$ . Since the relation of linear dependence is trivial, the set  $S$  is linearly independent

8. Answer  $p_A(x) = -2 - 5x + x^2$
9. Answer  $p_A(x) = -5 + 4x^2 - x^3$
10. if  $\lambda = 2$  is an eigenvalue of  $\mathbf{A}$ , the matrix  $A - 2I_4$  will be singular and its null space will be the eigenspace of  $\mathbf{A}$ . So we form this matrix and row reduce

$$A - 2I_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 16 & -15 & 33 & -15 \\ -4 & 6 & -6 & 6 \\ -9 & 9 & -18 & 9 \\ 5 & -6 & 9 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{RREF} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (13)$$

With two free variables, we know a basis of the null space(Theorem BNS) will contain two vectors. Thus the null space of  $A - 2I_4$  has dimension two, and so the eigenspace of  $\lambda = 2$  has dimension 2 also,  $\gamma_A(2) = 2$