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*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.*

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## TU QUESTIONS-ANSWERS 2075

Group 'A'

$(3 \times 10 = 30)$

Attempt any three questions:

1. When a system of linear equations is consistent and inconsistent? Give an example for each. Test the consistency and solve:  $x + y + z = 4$ ,  $x + 2y + 2z = 2$ ,  $2x + 2y + z = 5$ . [2+1+7]

**Solution:**

**Definition (Consistent and Inconsistent System)**

A system of linear equations is called consistent if it has solution (that may be one solution or infinitely many solutions) and called inconsistent if it has no solution.

**Example:** Consider a system

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 - 2x_2 &= -1 \\ x_1 - 3x_2 &= -3 \end{aligned}$$

This system has solution  $(3, 2)$ . So, the system is consistent and has unique solution.

Consider a system

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 - x_2 &= 1 \\ -3x_1 + 3x_2 &= -3 \end{aligned}$$

Here second equation is the thrice time multiple of first. So, the system has infinite solutions and is consistent.

Consider a system

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + 2x_2 &= -1 \\ x_1 + 2x_2 &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

Here the equations represent parallel lines. So, the system has no solution. So, the system is inconsistent.

**Problem Part:**

**Solution:** Given system is;

$$\begin{aligned} x + y + z &= 4 \\ x + 2y + 2z &= 2 \\ 2x + 2y + z &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

The matrix notation of the system is,

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 & 5 \end{array} \right]$$

Apply  $R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1$ ,  $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 2R_1$  then the above matrix reduces to

$$\sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -3 \end{array} \right]$$

Apply  $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + R_1$  then the above matrix reduces to

$$\sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{array} \right] \text{ is triangular form.}$$

The equation form of the matrix notation is,

$$x + y + z = 4 \quad \dots \text{(i)}$$

$$y + z = -2 \quad \dots \text{(ii)}$$

$$z = 3 \quad \dots \text{(iii)}$$

From (iii), we get  $z = 3$ .

then (ii) gives,  $y = -5$

And, (i) gives,  $x = 6$

Thus, the solution of the given linear system is  $(x, y, z) = (6, -5, 3)$ .

2. What is the condition of a matrix to have an inverse? Find the inverse of the matrix,  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & -1 \\ -1 & 5 & 6 \\ 5 & -4 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$ . [2+8]

**Solution:** If A is an invertible matrix then there is a matrix C such that

$$AC = I = CA.$$

In such case, C is called inverse of A and write as  $C = A^{-1}$ .

#### Condition for existence of inverse of a matrix.

Let A be a given matrix then the inverse of A i.e.  $A^{-1}$  exists if  $\det(A)$  is non-zero.

#### Problem Part:

$$\text{Let } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -1 \\ -1 & 5 & 6 \\ 5 & -4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Here, } \det(A) &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -1 \\ -1 & 5 & 6 \\ 5 & -4 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= 1(25 + 24) + 2(-5 - 30) - 1(4 - 25) \\ &= 49 - 70 + 21 \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

So, the inverse of A does not exist.

3. Define linearly independent set of vectors with an example. Show that the vectors  $(1, -4, 3)$ ,  $(0, 3, 1)$  and  $(3, -5, 4)$  are linearly independent. Do they form a basis? Justify. [2+5+3]

**Solution: Definition (Linearly independent and dependent vectors)**

An indexed set of vectors  $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_p\}$  in V is said to be linearly independent if the vector equation

$$c_1 v_1 + c_2 v_2 + \dots + c_p v_p = 0$$

has only the trivial solution, i.e.  $c_1 = 0, c_2 = 0, \dots, c_p = 0$ .

For otherwise, the vectors are linearly dependent.

**Example:** The set  $\{(1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 1)\}$  is linearly independent vectors.

#### Problem Part:

Given vectors are  $(1, -4, 3)$ ,  $(0, 3, 1)$  and  $(3, -5, 4)$ .

Here we have to show that  $v_1, v_2, v_3$  are linearly independent and they span  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

For linearly independent,  $Ax = 0$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & -4 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & -5 & 4 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sim \left[ \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & -4 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 & -5 & 0 \end{array} \right] \quad [\text{Applying } R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 3R_1]$$

$$\sim \left[ \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & -4 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -22 & 0 \end{array} \right] \quad [\text{Applying } R_2 \rightarrow 3R_2 - 7R_3]$$

No basic variable so having a trivial solution. Thus  $v_1, v_2, v_3$  are linearly independent.

For  $v_1, v_2, v_3$  span  $\mathbb{R}^3$

$$A = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & -4 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & -5 & 4 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & -4 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -22 \end{array} \right]$$

Each row has pivot so, column of A span  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . So,  $\{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$  span  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .  
Thus  $\{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$  is basic for  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

4. Find a least square solution of  $Ax = b$  for  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $b = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ 7 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ .

**Solution:** Let,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, b = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ 7 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Here,

$$A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 5 & 0 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 8 & 10 \\ 8 & 20 & 26 \\ 10 & 26 & 38 \end{bmatrix}$$

and,

$$A^T b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 5 & 0 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ 7 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 18 \\ 30 \\ 38 \end{bmatrix}$$

Since we have the set of least squares solutions of  $Ax = b$  coincides with the non-empty set of solutions of  $A^T A x = A^T b$ .

Therefore,

$$\hat{x} = (A^T A)^{-1} (A^T b) \quad \dots \dots \text{(i)}$$

Here,

$$|A^T A| = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 8 & 10 \\ 8 & 20 & 26 \\ 10 & 26 & 38 \end{vmatrix} = 84 \neq 0.$$

Then,

$$(A^T A)^{-1} = \frac{1}{84} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ -1 & 17 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore (i) becomes,

$$\hat{x} = \frac{1}{84} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ -1 & 17 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 19 \\ 11 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{84} \begin{bmatrix} 84 \\ 168 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Group 'B'**

Attempt any ten questions: (10×5 = 50)

5. Change into reduced echelon form of the matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & -6 \\ 3 & -7 & 8 \\ 3 & -9 & 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Solution:** Here,

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & -6 \\ 3 & -7 & 8 \\ 3 & -9 & 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

Interchange rows 1 and 3. (We could have interchanged rows 1 and 2 instead.)

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -9 & 12 \\ 3 & -7 & 8 \\ 0 & 3 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -9 & 12 \\ 0 & 2 & -4 \\ 0 & 3 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

[Applying  $R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1$ ]

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -9 & 12 \\ 0 & 2 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

[Applying  $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2$ ]

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

[Applying  $R_1 \rightarrow \frac{1}{3}R_1$ ] $R_2 \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}R_2$ 

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

[Applying  $R_1 \rightarrow R_1 + 2R_2$ ]

This is the reduced echelon form of the original matrix.

6. Define linear transformation with an example. Is a transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  defined by  $T(x, y) = (3x + y, 5x + 7y, x + 3y)$  linear? Justify. [2 + 3]

**Solution:****Definition (linear transformation)**A transformation  $T: U \rightarrow V$  is linear if for  $u, v \in U$  and for any scalar  $a$ 

(i)  $T(u + v) = T(u) + T(v)$

(ii)  $T(au) = aT(u)$

Alternatively,

A transformation  $T: U \rightarrow V$  is called linear if for any  $u, v \in U$  and for any two scalars  $a, b$ ,

$$T(au + bv) = aT(u) + bT(v)$$

**Problem Part:**Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  is defined by

$$T(x, y) = (3x + y, 5x + 7y, x + 3y)$$

Let  $u = (x_1, y_1)$  and  $v = (x_2, y_2)$  then  $u, v \in \mathbb{R}^2$ Also, let  $a, b$  are two scalars,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Here, } T(au + bv) &= T(a(x_1, y_1) + b(x_2, y_2)) \\
 &= T(ax_1 + bx_2, ay_1 + by_2) \\
 &= (3(ax_1 + bx_2) + (ay_1 + by_2), 5(ax_1 + bx_2) \\
 &\quad + 7(ay_1 + by_2), (ax_1 + bx_2) + 3(ay_1 + by_2)) \\
 &= a(3x_1 + y_1, 5x_1 + 7y_1, x_1 + 3y_1) + b(3x_2 + y_2, 5x_2 \\
 &\quad + 7y_2, x_2 + 3y_2) \\
 &= aT(x_1, y_1) + bT(x_2, y_2) \\
 &= aT(u) + bT(v)
 \end{aligned}$$

This means  $T$  is linear.

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7. Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 \\ 5 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 2 \\ k & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ . What value(s) of  $k$ , if any, will make  $AB = BA$ ?

**Solution:** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 \\ 5 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 2 \\ k & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

Here,

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 \\ 5 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 2 \\ k & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -9 - 2k & 0 \\ 45 + 9k & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

and

$$BA = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 2 \\ k & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 \\ 5 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -k - 5 & -2k - 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

And, suppose  $AB = BA$ . That is,

$$\begin{bmatrix} -9 - 2k & 0 \\ 45 + 9k & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -k - 5 & -2k - 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

This, implies,

$$-9 - 2k = 1 \Rightarrow k = -5.$$

$$45 + 9k = -k - 5 \Rightarrow k = -5 \text{ (which is same as above).}$$

Thus, at  $k = -5$ , we get  $AB = BA$ .

8. Define determinant. Evaluate without expanding  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 5 & -6 \\ -1 & -4 & 4 \\ -2 & -7 & 9 \end{vmatrix}$ .

**Solution: Definition (Determinant)**

For  $n \geq 2$ , the determinant of an  $n \times n$  matrix  $A = [a_{ij}]$  of  $n$  terms of the form

$$\det(A) = \sum_{j=1}^n (-1)^{1+j} a_{1j} \det(A_{1j})$$

**Problem Part:**

Here,

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

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 5 & -6 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 3 & -3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 5 & -6 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix} \quad [\text{Applying } R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 3R_2]$$

$$= (1)(1)(3) \quad [\text{Multiple leading diagonal entries}] \\ = 3$$

9. Define subspace of a vector space. Let  $H = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} s \\ t \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, s, t \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ . Show that  $H$  is a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

**Solution: Definition (Vector Subspace)**

Let  $V$  be a vector space over the field  $K$ . Then a non-empty subset  $W$  of  $V$  is called a subspace of  $V$  if  $W$  satisfies the conditions:

$$(i) \quad w_1 + w_2 \in W \text{ for all } w_1, w_2 \in W.$$

$$(ii) \quad aw \in W \text{ for all } w \in W, a \in K.$$

$$(iii) \quad 0 \in W.$$

**Problem Part:**

Let  $H = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} s \\ t \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, s, t \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ .

(i) Taking,  $0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \in W$ , is an zero element in  $W$ .

(ii) For all  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $w_1 = \begin{bmatrix} s_1 \\ t_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, w_2 = \begin{bmatrix} s_2 \\ t_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \in W$  then

$$\alpha w_1 + \beta w_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha s_1 + \beta s_2 \\ \alpha t_1 + \beta t_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \in W.$$

Hence,  $W$  is a subspace of  $V$ .

**10. Find the dimension of the null space and column space of**

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 6 & -1 & 1 & -7 \\ 1 & -2 & 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & -4 & 5 & 8 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

**Solution:** Let,

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 6 & -1 & 1 & -7 \\ 1 & -2 & 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & -4 & 5 & 8 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 6 & -1 & 1 & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 & 10 & -10 \\ 0 & 0 & 13 & 26 & -26 \end{pmatrix} \quad \left( \begin{array}{l} \text{Applying} \\ R_2 \rightarrow 3R_2 + R_1 \\ R_3 \rightarrow 3R_3 + 2R_1 \end{array} \right) \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 6 & -1 & 1 & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \left( \begin{array}{l} \text{Applying} \\ R_2 \rightarrow \frac{1}{5}R_2 \text{ and } R_3 \rightarrow \frac{1}{13}R_3 \end{array} \right) \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 6 & -1 & 1 & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \left( \begin{array}{l} \text{Applying} \\ R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2 \end{array} \right) \end{aligned}$$

In the echelon form of  $A$ , there are three free variables  $x_2, x_4$  and  $x_5$ . So, the dimension of  $\text{Nul } A$  is 3. Also, it has two pivot columns that is first and third column, so  $\dim \text{Col } A$  is 2.

**11. Find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of the matrix**

$$\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 3 & -8 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

**Solution:**

$$\text{Let } A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 3 & -8 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Let  $\lambda$  be a scalar value such that

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } \begin{vmatrix} 6-\lambda & 3 & -8 \\ 0 & -2-\lambda & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -3-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (6-\lambda)(2-\lambda)(-3-\lambda) + 1[3(-3-\lambda)] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (3+\lambda)[(6-\lambda)(2-\lambda) + 3] = 0$$

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$$\Rightarrow (3 + \lambda)(\lambda^2 - 8\lambda + 15) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (3 + \lambda)(\lambda - 5)(\lambda - 3) = 0$$

This gives,  $\lambda = 3, 5, -3$ .

So, the eigen values corresponding to A are  $\lambda = 3, 5, -3$ .  
And the eigen vector X corresponding to A at the eigen values  $\lambda$  is,

$$Ax = \lambda x$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 3 & -8 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \lambda \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

At  $\lambda = 3$ ,

$$6x_1 + 3x_2 - 8x_3 = 3x_1$$

$$-2x_2 = 3x_2$$

$$x_1 - 3x_3 = 3x_3$$

These implies ..... (2)

$$3x_1 + 3x_2 - 8x_3 = 0$$

$$5x_2 = 0 \dots\dots\dots (3)$$

$$x_1 - 6x_3 = 0 \dots\dots\dots (4)$$

From (3),  $x_2 = 0$

From (4)  $x_1 = 6x_3$

$$\text{From (2), } x_3 = \frac{1}{8}(3x_1 + 3x_2) = \frac{18x_3}{8}$$

$$\Rightarrow 10x_3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x_3 = 0$$

Then,  $x_1 = 0$

Thus,  $x = (x_1, x_2, x_3) = (0, 0, 0)$  be eigen vector of at  $\lambda = 3$ .

Next at  $\lambda = 5$ ,

$$6x_1 + 3x_2 - 8x_3 = 5x_1$$

$$-2x_2 = 5x_2$$

$$x_1 - 3x_3 = 5x_3$$

These implies

$$x_1 + 3x_2 - 8x_3 = 0 \dots\dots\dots (5)$$

$$7x_2 = 0 \dots\dots\dots (6)$$

$$x_1 - 8x_3 = 0 \dots\dots\dots (7)$$

From (6),  $x_2 = 0$

From (7),  $x_1 = 8x_3$

From (5),  $8x_3 = x_1 + 3x_2 = 8x_3$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = 0$$

That is  $x_3$  is free.

Therefore,  $x = (8x_3, 0, x_3)$  be the eigen vector of A at  $\lambda = 5$ .

Next  $\lambda = -3$

$$6x_1 + 3x_2 - 8x_3 = -3x_1$$

$$-2x_2 = -3x_2$$

$$-3x_3 = -3x_3$$

This implies,

$$9x_1 + 3x_2 - 8x_3 = 0 \dots\dots\dots (8)$$

$$x_2 = 0$$

$$x_1 = 0$$

And (i) gives  $x_3 = 0$

Therefore,  $x = (x_1, x_2, x_3) = (0, 0, 0)$  be eigen vector of A at  $\lambda = -3$ .

12. Find the LU factorization of the matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 6 & -7 \end{pmatrix}$ .

**Solution:** Let,

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 6 & -7 \end{pmatrix} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 0 & -22 \end{pmatrix} \quad \left[ \begin{array}{l} \text{Applying} \\ R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 3R_1 \end{array} \right] \\ = U.$$

Here, U has pivot values 2 in first column, -22 in second column.

The entries of column of pivot value and to be reduced value which are determine the row reduction of A to U are,

$$\begin{matrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} [-22] \\ \div 2 \end{bmatrix} \\ \downarrow & \downarrow \\ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{bmatrix} [1] \\ \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

Therefore L is,

$$L = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Thus,

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 6 & -7 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 0 & -22 \end{pmatrix} = LU.$$

13. Define group. Show that the set of all integers  $\mathbb{Z}$  forms group under addition operation.

**Solution: Definition (Group)**

Let  $(G, *)$  be a binary structure then G is said to be a group with the binary operation \* if the following conditions are satisfied.

1. Closure: For all  $a, b \in G$  then  $a * b \in G$ .
2. Associativity: For all  $a, b, c \in G$  then  $(a * b) * c = a * (b * c)$ .
3. Existence of identity element: For any  $a \in G$  there exist an element  $e \in G$  such that,  $a * e = e * a = a$ .
4. Existence of inverse element: For any  $a \in G$  there exists  $a' \in G$  such that  $a * a' = e = a' * a$ .

where \* is additive or multiplicative operation.

**Problem Part:**

Let  $\mathbb{Z}$  be a set of all integers.

1. Closure: For all  $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$  then  $a + b$  is again an integer, so  $(a + b) \in \mathbb{Z}$ .
2. Associativity: For all  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$  then  $(a + b) + c = a + (b + c)$ .
3. Existence of identity element: For any  $a \in \mathbb{Z}$  there exist  $0 \in \mathbb{Z}$  such that,  $a + 0 = 0 + a = a$ .
4. Existence of inverse element: For any  $a \in \mathbb{Z}$  there exist  $(-a) \in \mathbb{Z}$  such that  $a + (-a) = 0 = (-a) + a$ .

This means  $\mathbb{Z}$  is group under addition.

15. Define ring with an example. Compute the product in the given ring  $(-3, 5)(2, -4)$  in  $\mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_{11}$ .

**Solution: Definition of Ring:**

A non-empty set R together with two binary operator + and  $\bullet$  denoted by  $\langle R, +, \bullet \rangle$  is called ring if the following conditions are satisfied:

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- (i) Closure: For all  $a, b \in R$  then  $(a + b) \in R$ .
- (ii) Commutative: For all  $a, b \in R$  then  $a + b = b + a$ .
- (iii) Associativity: For all  $a, b, c \in R$  then  $(a + b) + c = a + (b + c)$ .
- (iv) Existence of identity element: For all  $a \in R$  there exists an element  $0 \in R$  such that  $a + 0 = 0 + a = a$ .
- (v) Existence of inverse element: For all  $a \in R$  there exists  $a' \in R$  such that  $a + a' = 0 = a' + a$ .
- (vi) Closure: For all  $a, b \in R$  then  $ab \in R$ .
- (vii) Associativity: For all  $a, b, c \in R$  then  $(ab)c = a(bc)$ .
- (viii) Distributive: For all  $a, b, c \in R$ ,
 
$$a(b + c) = ab + ac \quad (\text{left distributive})$$

$$(a + b)c = ac + bc \quad (\text{right distributive}).$$

**Example:** A set of real number  $R$  is a ring.

**Problem Part:**

Since in  $Z_4$ ,  $-3 = 1$  and in  $Z_{11}$ ,  $-4 = 7$ .

So,  $(-3, 5)(2, -4) = (1, 5)(2, 7) = (2, 2)$ .

**15. State and prove the Pythagorean Theorem of two vectors and verify this for  $u = (1, -1)$  and  $v = (1, 1)$ .**

**Solution: The Pythagorean Theorem**

Two vectors  $u$  and  $v$  are orthogonal if and only if

$$\|u + v\|^2 = \|u\|^2 + \|v\|^2.$$

**Proof:**

First suppose that  $u$  and  $v$  are orthogonal. Therefore,

$$u \cdot v = 0 \quad \dots \text{(i)}$$

Since  $\|u\|^2 = u \cdot u$ . So,

$$\begin{aligned} \|u + v\|^2 &= (u + v) \cdot (u + v) \\ &= u \cdot (u + v) + v \cdot (u + v) \\ &= u \cdot u + u \cdot v + v \cdot u + v \cdot v \\ &= \|u\|^2 + 0 + 0 + \|v\|^2 \quad (\text{using (i)}) \\ &= \|u\|^2 + \|v\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

Conversely, suppose that

$$\begin{aligned} \|u + v\|^2 &= \|u\|^2 + \|v\|^2 \\ \Rightarrow (u + v) \cdot (u + v) &= \|u\|^2 + \|v\|^2 \\ \Rightarrow u \cdot u + u \cdot v + v \cdot u + v \cdot v &= \|u\|^2 + \|v\|^2 \\ \Rightarrow \|u\|^2 + u \cdot v + v \cdot u + \|v\|^2 &= \|u\|^2 + \|v\|^2 \\ \Rightarrow u \cdot v + v \cdot u &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow 2u \cdot v &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow u \cdot v &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

This means the vectors  $u$  and  $v$  are orthogonal.

**Problem Part:**

Let  $u = (1, -1)$  and  $v = (1, 1)$ . Then

$$\|u + v\|^2 = \|(1, -1) + (1, 1)\|^2 = \|(2, 0)\|^2 = (\sqrt{4+0})^2 = 4.$$

And,

$$\|u\|^2 = \|(1, -1)\|^2 = (\sqrt{1+1})^2 = 2.$$

$$\|v\|^2 = \|(1, 1)\|^2 = (\sqrt{1+1})^2 = 2.$$

Thus,  $\|u + v\|^2 = \|u\|^2 + \|v\|^2$ .

This means  $u$  and  $v$  verifies the Pythagorean Theorem.

## TU QUESTIONS-ANSWERS 2076

### Group 'A'

Attempt any three questions:  $(3 \times 10 = 30)$

1. When a system of linear equation is consistent and inconsistent? Give an example for each. Test the consistency and solve the system of equations:  
 $x - 2y = 5, -x + y + 5z = 2, y + z = 0.$   $[2 + 2 + 6]$

**Solution:**

A system of linear equations is called consistent if it has solution (that may be one solution or infinitely many solutions) and called inconsistent if it has no solution.

**Problem Part:**

**Solution:** Given system is,

$$\begin{aligned} x - 2y &= 5 \\ -x + y + 5z &= 2 \\ y + z &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

The matrix notation of the system is,

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -2 & 0 & 5 \\ -1 & 1 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

Apply  $R_2 \rightarrow R_2 + R_1$  then the above matrix reduces to

$$\sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -2 & 0 & 5 \\ 0 & -1 & 5 & 7 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

Apply  $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + R_2$ ; then the above matrix reduces to

$$\sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -2 & 0 & 5 \\ 0 & -1 & 5 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 & 7 \end{array} \right] \text{ is triangular form.}$$

The equation form of the matrix notation is,

$$\begin{aligned} x - 2y &= 5 && \dots (i) \\ -y + 5z &= 7 && \dots (ii) \\ 6z &= 7 && \dots (iii) \end{aligned}$$

From (iii), we get  $z = \frac{7}{6}$ .

then (ii) gives,  $y = -\frac{7}{6}$

And, (i) gives,  $x = -\frac{5}{6}$

Thus, the solution of the given linear system is  $(x, y, z) = \left( -\frac{5}{6}, -\frac{7}{6}, \frac{7}{6} \right).$

2. What is the condition of a matrix to have an inverse? Find the inverse of the matrix,  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 4 & -3 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$ , if it exists.  $[2+8]$

**Solution:** Let  $A$  be a given matrix then the inverse of  $A$  i.e.  $A^{-1}$  exists if  $\det(A)$  is non-zero.

**Problem Part:**

$$\text{Let } A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 4 & -3 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\text{Here, } \det(A) = \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 4 & -3 & 8 \end{vmatrix} = 5(0+9) - 1(8-12) + 2(-3-0) \\ = 45 + 4 - 6 = 43 \neq 0$$

So, the inverse of A exists.

By algorithm,

$$\begin{aligned} [A \quad I] &= \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|cc|c} 5 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & -3 & 8 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \\ &\sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|cc|c} 5 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 4 & 5 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -19 & 32 & 0 & -4 & 1 \end{array} \right] \quad [\text{Applying } R_2 \rightarrow 5R_2 - R_1, R_3 \rightarrow 5R_3 - 4R_1] \\ &\sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|cc|c} 1 & 0 & 3 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 3 & -4 & 1 \end{array} \right] \quad [\text{Applying } R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + 3R_2] \\ &\sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|cc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & -9/2 & 7 & -3/2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -2 & 4 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3/2 & -2 & 1/2 \end{array} \right] \\ &\sim [I \quad A^{-1}] \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $A^{-1}$  exists and

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -9/2 & 7 & -3/2 \\ -2 & 4 & -1 \\ 3/2 & -2 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

3. Find a least square solution of  $Ax = b$  for  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -6 \\ 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $b = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$ . [10]

**Solution:** Let,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -6 \\ 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 7 \end{bmatrix}, b = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Here,

$$A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -6 & -2 & 1 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -6 \\ 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 7 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 90 \end{bmatrix}$$

and,

$$A^T b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -6 & -2 & 1 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 45 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Since we have the set of least squares solutions of  $Ax = b$  coincides with the non-empty set of solutions of  $A^T A x = A^T b$ .

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} [A^T A : A^T b] &= \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 & : & 8 \\ 0 & 90 & : & 45 \end{bmatrix} \\ &\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & : & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & : & 0.5 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Performing} \\ R_1 \rightarrow \frac{1}{4} R_1 \\ R_3 \rightarrow \frac{1}{90} R_3 \end{array} \end{aligned}$$

From the last matrix,

$$x_1 = 2 \text{ and } x_2 = 0.5$$

Then, the least squares solution of  $Ax = b$  is

$$\hat{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

4. Let  $T$  is a linear transformation. Find the standard matrix of  $T$  such that

i.  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$  by  $T(e_1) = (3, 1, 3, 1)$  and  $T(e_2) = (-5, 2, 0, 0)$  where  $e_1 = (1, 0)$  and  $e_2 = (0, 1)$ .

ii.  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  rotates point as the origin through  $\frac{3\pi}{2}$  radians counter clockwise.

iii.  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  is a vertical shear transformation that maps  $e_1$  into  $e_1 - 2e_2$  but leaves vector  $e_2$  unchanged.

[4 + 3 + 3]

**Solution:**

- (i) Let  $T$  is a linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$  is defined by  $T(e_1) = (3, 1, 3, 1)$  and  $T(e_2) = (-5, 2, 0, 0)$  where  $e_1 = (1, 0)$  and  $e_2 = (0, 1)$ .

The standard matrix for  $T$  is

$$A = [T(e_1) \ T(e_2)] = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (ii) Solution: Let  $e_1 = (1, 0)$  and  $e_2 = (0, 1)$ . Let the vector rotates through an angle  $\frac{3\pi}{2}$  in counterclockwise direction. Then,

$$T(e_1) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(3\pi/2) \\ \sin(3\pi/2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

and  $T(e_2) = \begin{bmatrix} -\sin(3\pi/2) \\ \cos(3\pi/2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .

Now, the standard matrix  $A$  for  $T$  is,

$$A = [T(e_1) \ T(e_2)] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (iii) Let a linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  is a vertical shear transformation that maps  $e_1$  into  $e_1 - 2e_2$  but leaves vector  $e_2$  unchanged. Therefore,

$$T(e_2) = e_2 = (0, 1)$$

and

$$T(e_1) = e_1 - 2e_2 = (1, 0) - 2(0, 1) = (1, -2)$$

Thus,

$$A = [T(e_1) \ T(e_2)] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

### Group 'B'

Attempt any ten questions: (10 × 5 = 50)

5. For what value of  $h$  will  $y$  be in span  $\{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$  where  $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -4 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $y = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \\ h \end{bmatrix}$ ?

**Solution:**

Let  $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -4 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $y = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \\ h \end{bmatrix}$ .

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We have if  $x_1v_1 + x_2v_2 + x_3v_3 = y$  has solution, then  $b$  is in the plane spanned by  $v_1, v_2$  and  $v_3$ .

Let  $y$  is in the plane spanned by  $v_1, v_2$  and  $v_3$ . So, the equation

$$Ax = y$$

has solution for  $A = [v_1 \ v_2 \ v_3]$

Here the augmented matrix of  $Ax = b$  is,

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 5 & -3 & -4 \\ -1 & -4 & 1 & 3 \\ -2 & -7 & 0 & h \end{array} \right]$$

Apply  $R_2 \rightarrow R_2 + R_1$  and  $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + 2R_1$  then

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 5 & -3 & -4 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 & -6 & h-8 \end{array} \right]$$

Again apply  $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 3R_2$ . Then

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 5 & -3 & -4 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & h-5 \end{array} \right]$$

Clearly, the matrix gives solution only if

$$h-5=0.$$

$$\Rightarrow h=5.$$

Thus, for  $h=5$ , the vector  $y$  is in the plane spanned by  $v_1, v_2$  and  $v_3$ .

6. Let us define a linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  by  $T(x) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$ . Find the image under  $T$  of  $u = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ , and  $u+v = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ .

**Solution:** Let

$$T(x) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, u = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, v = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, u+v = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore,

$$Tu = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$T(u+v) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

7. Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -5 \\ 3 & k \end{bmatrix}$ . Determine the value (s) of  $k$  if any will make  $AB = BA$ .

**Solution:** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -5 \\ 3 & k \end{bmatrix}$ .

Here,

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -5 \\ 3 & k \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8+15 & -10+5k \\ -12+3 & 15+k \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 23 & -10+5k \\ -9 & 15+k \end{bmatrix}$$

and

$$BA = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -5 \\ 3 & k \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8+15 & 20-5 \\ 6-3k & 15+k \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 23 & 15 \\ 6-3k & 15+k \end{bmatrix}$$

And, suppose  $AB = BA$ . That is,

$$\begin{bmatrix} 23 & -10 + 5k \\ -9 & 15 + k \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 23 & 15 \\ 6 - 3k & 15 + k \end{bmatrix}$$

This, implies,

$$-10 + 5k = 15 \Rightarrow k = 5.$$

$$-9 = 6 - 3k \Rightarrow k = 5 \text{ (which is same as above).}$$

Thus, at  $k = 5$ , we get  $AB = BA$ .

8. Define determinant. Compute the determinant without expanding

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

[1 + 4]

**Solution:** For  $n \geq 2$ , the determinant of an  $n \times n$  matrix  $A = [a_{ij}]$  of  $n$  terms of the form

$$\det(A) = \sum_{j=1}^n (-1)^{1+j} a_{1j} \det(A_{1j}).$$

**Problem Part:**

Here,

$$\begin{bmatrix} -2 & 8 & -9 \\ -1 & 7 & 0 \\ 1 & -4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 8 & -9 \\ 0 & 6 & 9 \\ 0 & 0 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Performing} \\ R_2 \rightarrow 2R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 \rightarrow 2R_3 + R_1 \end{array}$$

$$= (-2) \times 6 \times (-5)$$

$$= 60$$

9. Define null space. Find the basis for the null space of the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}.$$

[1 + 4]

**Solution:** Let  $A$  be a  $m \times n$  matrix then null-space of the matrix  $A$  is denoted by  $\text{Nul } A$  and defined by

$$\text{Nul } A = \{x: x \in \mathbb{R}^n; Ax = 0\}.$$

**Problem Part:**

The augmented matrix of  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$  is

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -2 & 0 \end{array} \right) \sim \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -2 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

Pivot is in 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> column so  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  are basic variables and  $x_3$  is free variable. Hence  $Ax = 0$  has non-trivial solution. For solution

From 1<sup>st</sup> row,  $x_1 - x_3 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = x_3$$

From 2<sup>nd</sup> row,  $-x_2 - 2x_3 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x_2 = -2x_3$$

and  $x_3$  is free variable

$$\text{Thus, solution, } x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_3 \\ -2x_3 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = x_3 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Thus, } \text{Nul } A = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}; a \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \text{ and here } \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \neq P \text{ and}$$

span Nul A

Hence,  $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$  is basis for Nul A.

10. Let  $B = \{b_1, b_2\}$  and  $C = \{c_1, c_2\}$  be bases for a vector space V, and suppose  $b_1 = -c_1 + 4c_2$  and  $b_2 = 5c_1 - 3c_2$ . Find the change of coordinate matrix for vector space and find  $[x]_C$  for  $x = 5b_1 + 3b_2$ . [2.5 + 2.5]

**Solution:** We know that

$$[x]_C = \underset{\text{P}}{C \leftarrow B} [x]_B \quad \dots\dots(1)$$

and  $\underset{\text{P}}{C \leftarrow B} = [[b_1]_C \quad [b_2]_C]$

Given that,

$$b_1 = -c_1 + 4c_2 \quad \text{i.e. } [b_1]_C = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$b_2 = 5c_1 - 3c_2 \quad \text{i.e. } [b_2]_C = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

and  $x = 5b_1 + 3b_2$  i.e.  $[x]_B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ .

Thus,  $\underset{\text{P}}{C \leftarrow B} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 5 \\ 4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$  is called change of coordinate matrix from B to C.

From (1),

$$[x]_C = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 5 \\ 4 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 11 \end{bmatrix}$$

11. Find the eigenvalues of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 5 \\ -8 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$ .

**Solution:** Given,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 5 \\ -8 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

So, the characteristic equation of A is

$$|A - \lambda I| = 0.$$

Here,

$$A - \lambda I = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 5 \\ -8 & -6 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6-\lambda & 5 \\ -8 & -6-\lambda \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus, characteristic equation of A is,

$$|A - \lambda I| = 0.$$

$$\text{or, } \begin{vmatrix} 6-\lambda & 5 \\ -8 & -6-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0.$$

$$\text{or, } (6-\lambda)(-6-\lambda) + 40 = 0.$$

$$\text{or, } -(6-\lambda)(6+\lambda) + 40 = 0.$$

$$\text{or, } \lambda^2 - 36 + 40 = 0.$$

$$\text{or, } \lambda^2 = -4$$

This gives,

$$\lambda = \pm 2i$$

Therefore, the eigenvalues of A are  $\lambda = 2i$  and  $\lambda = -2i$ .

12. Find the QR factorization of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

**Solution:**

Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Let the columns of A are  $x_1, x_2$ . So,

$$x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = (2, 3) \text{ and } x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = (1, -1)$$

Then,

$$v_1 = x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = (2, 3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Take, } v_2 &= x_2 - \left( \frac{x_2 \cdot v_1}{v_1 \cdot v_1} \right) v_1 = (1, -1) - \left( \frac{(1, -1) \cdot (2, 3)}{(2, 3) \cdot (2, 3)} \right) (2, 3) \\ &= (1, -1) - \left( \frac{-1}{13} \right) (2, 3) \\ &= \frac{1}{13} [(13, -13) + (2, 3)] \\ &= \frac{1}{13} (15, 10) \\ &= \frac{5}{13} (3, 2) \end{aligned}$$

Set,  $v' = (3, 2)$ 

Thus,  $\{v_1, v_2'\}$  be an orthogonal basis. Let  $\{u_1, u_2\}$  be normalize of the orthogonal basis. So,

$$u_1 = \frac{v_1}{\|v_1\|} = \frac{(2, 3)}{\sqrt{13}}$$

$$u_2 = \frac{v_2'}{\|v_2'\|} = \frac{(3, 2)}{\sqrt{13}}$$

Let Q be a matrix whose columns are  $u_1, u_2$ . Then

$$Q = \begin{bmatrix} 2/\sqrt{13} & 3/\sqrt{13} \\ 3/\sqrt{13} & 2/\sqrt{13} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{13}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Since we have  $A = QR$ , by QR-factorization theorem. Here,

$$Q^T A = Q^T (QR) = Q^T QR = IR = R.$$

Now,

$$R = Q^T A$$

$$\Rightarrow R = \frac{1}{\sqrt{13}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{13}} \begin{bmatrix} 13 & -1 \\ 12 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

13. Define binary operation. Determine whether the binary operation  $*$  is associative or commutative or both where  $*$  is defined on  $Q$  by letting  
 $x * y = \frac{x+y}{3}$ .

[5]

**Solution: Definition of Binary Operations:**

A binary operation  $*$  on a set  $S$  is a function mapping  $S \times S$  into  $S$ . Given, for each  $(a, b) \in S \times S$ , we will denote the element  $*((a, b))$  of  $S$  by  $a * b$ .

**Problem Part:**

Given,

$$x * y = \frac{x+y}{3} \text{ for all } x, y \in Q$$

**Associative:** for any  $x, y, z \in Q$  we need to show

$$x * (y * z) = (x * y) * z$$

Here,

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$$x * (y * z) = x * \left(\frac{y+z}{3}\right) = \frac{x + \frac{y+z}{3}}{3} = \frac{3x + y + z}{9}$$

$$(x * y) * z = \frac{x+y}{3} * z = \frac{\frac{x+y}{3} + z}{3} = \frac{x+y+3z}{9}$$

Since  $x * (y * z) \neq (x * y) * z$  so it is not associative.

**Cumulative:** For any  $x, y \in Q$  we need to show  $x * y = y * x$

Since,

$$x * y = \frac{x+y}{3} = \frac{y+x}{3} = y * x$$

It is commutative.

Hence, the binary operation  $*$  on  $Q$  is commutative but not associative.

- 14. Show that the ring  $(Z_4, +_4, \bullet_4)$  is not an integral domain.**

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**Solution:** Since  $Z_4 = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$  is ring under binary operation  $+_4$  and  $\bullet_4$ . It is commutative ring and is with identity, also. Here,

$+_4$	0	1	2	3
0	0	1	2	3
1	1	2	3	0
2	2	3	0	1
3	3	0	1	2

$\bullet_4$	0	1	2	3
0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	2	3
2	0	2	0	2
3	0	3	2	1

Here,  $Z_4$  has zero divisor 2 because  $2 \bullet 2 = 0$ . Hence,  $Z_4$  is not integral domain.

- 15. Find the vector  $x$  determined by the coordinate vector  $[x]_{\beta} = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 8 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}$  where**

[5]

$$\beta = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -5 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -7 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

**Solution:** Given that

$$[x]_{\beta} = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 8 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \beta = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -5 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -7 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

Since

$$\beta = \{b_1, b_2, b_3\} = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -5 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -7 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

So,

$$b_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, b_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -5 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, b_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -7 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Here,

$$x = (-4)b_1 + 8b_2 + (-7)b_3 = -4 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 8 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -5 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} - 7 \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -7 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

## TU QUESTIONS-ANSWERS 2078

### Group 'A'

Attempt any three questions:

$(3 \times 10 = 30)$

1. Define system of linear equations. When a system of equations is consistent?  
Determine if the system

$$-2x_1 - 3x_2 + 4x_3 = 5$$

$$x_2 - 2x_1 = 4$$

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

**Solution:** A system of linear equations is consistent if and only if the rightmost column of the augmented matrix is not a pivot column. That is, a linear system has solution if and only if an echelon form of the augmented matrix has no row of the form  $[0 \ 0 \ \dots \ 0 \ b]$  with  $b \neq 0$ .

If the system is not consistent then it is inconsistent.

**Problem Part:**

Given a system of linear equations is

$$-2x_1 - 3x_2 + 4x_3 = 5$$

$$x_2 - 2x_1 = 4$$

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

The augmented matrix of the given system is,

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} -2 & -2 & 0 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 & 5 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

Applying  $R_2 \rightarrow R_2 + R_1$  then

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -2 & 0 & 5 \\ 0 & -1 & 5 & 7 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

Applying  $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + R_2$  then

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -2 & 0 & 5 \\ 0 & -1 & 5 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 & 7 \end{array} \right]$$

Here, no last row is in form of  $[0 \ 0 \ 0 \ b]$ ,  $b \neq 0$ . So, system is consistent. And, from the last matrix, we get

$$x - 2y = 5 \dots (i)$$

$$-y + 5z = 7 \dots (ii)$$

$$6z = 7 \dots (iii)$$

From (iii) we get,  $z = \frac{7}{6}$

From (ii) we get,  $y = 5z - 7 = \frac{35}{6} - 7 = \frac{-7}{6}$

From (i) we get,  $x = 5 + 2y = 5 - \frac{14}{6} = 5 - \frac{7}{3} = \frac{8}{3}$

Thus, the solution of given system is  $(x, y, z) = \left( \frac{8}{3}, \frac{-7}{6}, \frac{7}{6} \right)$ .

2. Define linear transformation with an example. Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 3 & 5 \\ -1 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$

$b = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$  and define a transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  by  $T(x) = Ax$  then

(a) Find  $T(v)$

(b) Find  $z \in \mathbb{R}^2$  whose image under  $T$  is  $b$ .

**Solution:** (Definition: Linear Transformation)

A transformation (or mapping)  $T$  is linear if for all  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{F}$ ,  $u, v$  domain of  $T$ , is

$$T(\alpha u + \beta v) = \alpha T(u) + \beta T(v).$$

**Problem Part:**

Let,  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 3 & 5 \\ -1 & 7 \end{bmatrix}, v = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, b = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix}.$

Given that the transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  by  $T(x) = Ax$ .

Now,

$$(a) T(v) = Av = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 3 & 5 \\ -1 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2+3 \\ 6-5 \\ -2-7 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \\ -9 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(b) Let  $x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$ . Suppose  $x$  in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  whose image under  $T$  is  $b$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} T(x) = b &\Rightarrow Ax = b \\ &\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 3 & 5 \\ -1 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

The augmented matrix of  $Ax = b$  is,

$$\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & 3 & 3 \\ 3 & 5 & 2 & 2 \\ -1 & 7 & -5 & -5 \end{array} \sim \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & 14 & -7 & 2 \\ 0 & 4 & -2 & -5 \end{array} \quad [\text{Apply } R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 3R_1, R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + R_1] \\ \sim \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -0.5 & 0.14 \\ 0 & 4 & -2 & -5 \end{array} \quad [\text{Apply } R_2 \rightarrow R_2/14] \\ \sim \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -0.5 & 0.14 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -5 \end{array} \quad [\text{Apply } R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 4R_2] \\ \sim \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 1.5 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -0.5 & 0.14 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -5 \end{array} \quad [\text{Apply } R_1 \rightarrow R_1 - 3R_2] \end{array}$$

This implies  $x_1 = 1.5$  and  $x_2 = -0.5$

Thus,  $x = \begin{bmatrix} 1.5 \\ -0.5 \end{bmatrix}$  in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  whose image under  $T$  is  $b$ .

3. Find the LU factorization of  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & -1 & 5 & -2 \\ -4 & -5 & 3 & -8 & 1 \\ 2 & -5 & -4 & 1 & 8 \\ -6 & 0 & 7 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

**Solution:** Let,

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

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc} 2 & 4 & -1 & 5 & -2 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & -9 & -3 & -4 & 10 \\ 0 & 12 & 4 & 12 & -5 \end{array} \right] \quad \left[ \begin{array}{l} \text{Applying} \\ R_2 \rightarrow R_2 + 2R_1 \\ R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1 \\ R_4 \rightarrow R_4 + 3R_1 \end{array} \right] \\
 \sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc} 2 & 4 & -1 & 5 & -2 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4 & 7 \end{array} \right] \quad \left[ \begin{array}{l} \text{Applying} \\ R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + 3R_2 \\ R_4 \rightarrow R_4 - 4R_2 \end{array} \right] \\
 \sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc} 2 & 4 & -1 & 5 & -2 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 5 \end{array} \right] \quad \left[ \begin{array}{l} \text{Applying} \\ R_4 \rightarrow R_4 - 2R_3 \end{array} \right] \\
 = U.
 \end{array}$$

Here, U has pivot values 2 in first column, 3 in second column, third column has no pivot value, 2 in fourth column and 5 in fifth column.

The entries of column of pivot value and to be reduced value which are determine the row reduction of A to U are,

$$\begin{array}{cccc}
 \left[ \begin{array}{c} 2 \\ -4 \\ 2 \\ -6 \end{array} \right] & \left[ \begin{array}{c} 3 \\ -9 \\ 12 \end{array} \right] & \left[ \begin{array}{c} 2 \\ 4 \end{array} \right] & [5] \\
 \div 2 & \div 3 & \div 2 & \div 5 \\
 \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \\
 \left[ \begin{array}{c} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ -3 \end{array} \right] & \left[ \begin{array}{c} 1 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{array} \right] & \left[ \begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 2 \end{array} \right] & [1]
 \end{array}$$

Therefore L is

$$L = \left[ \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -3 & 1 & 0 \\ -3 & 4 & 2 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}
 A &= \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc} 2 & 4 & -1 & 5 & -2 \\ -4 & -5 & 3 & -8 & 1 \\ 2 & -5 & -4 & 1 & 8 \\ -6 & 0 & 7 & -3 & 1 \end{array} \right] \\
 &= \left[ \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc} 2 & 4 & -1 & 5 & -2 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 5 \end{array} \right] \\
 &= LU.
 \end{aligned}$$

4. Find a least square solution of the inconsistent system  $Ax = b$  for

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 2 & -3 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, b = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Solution:** Given that

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 2 & -3 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } b = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Here,

$$A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & -3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 2 & -3 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -11 \\ -11 & 22 \end{bmatrix}$$

and,

$$A^T b = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & -3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Since we have the set of least squares solutions of  $Ax = b$  coincides with the non-empty set of solutions of  $A^T A x = A^T b$ .

Therefore,

$$\hat{x} = (A^T A)^{-1} (A^T b) \quad \dots (i)$$

Here,

$$|A^T A| = \begin{vmatrix} 6 & -11 \\ -11 & 22 \end{vmatrix} = 11 \neq 0.$$

Then,

$$(A^T A)^{-1} = \frac{1}{11} \begin{bmatrix} 22 & 11 \\ 11 & 6 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Therefore (i) becomes,

$$\hat{x} = \frac{1}{11} \begin{bmatrix} 22 & 11 \\ 11 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{11} \begin{bmatrix} 33 \\ 19 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Thus, the least square solution is  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 19/11 \end{bmatrix}$ .

### Group 'B'

Attempt any ten questions:  $(10 \times 5 = 50)$

5. Determination the column of the matrix A are linearly independent, where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 5 & 8 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .

**Solution:** The augmented matrix of  $Ax = 0$  be,

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 4 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 5 & 8 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 5 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad [\text{Interchanging 1st and 2nd row and then apply}]$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 13 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad [R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 5R_1] \quad [R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + 2R_2]$$

- Here,  $x_1, x_2$  and  $x_3$  are basic variable and has no free variable, so there exist trivial solution. This means the columns of A are linearly independent.

6. When two column vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  are equal? Give an example. Compute

$$u + 3v, u - 2v, \text{ where } u = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, v = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

**Solution: Definition (Equal Vectors)**

Two vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  are equal if and only if their corresponding entries are equal. Otherwise, the vectors are not equal.

Example (i)  $u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $v = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix}$ , (ii)  $u = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ .

Here in (i),  $u = v$  if  $u_1 = v_1$  and  $u_2 = v_2$ .

But in (ii),  $u$  and  $v$  are not equal because  $3 \neq 2$  however  $2 = 2$ .

**Problem Part:** Let,

$$u = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, v = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\text{Now, } u + 3v = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + 3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -6 \\ 11 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{and } u - 2v = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} - 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}.$$

7. Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  and define  $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  by  $T(x) = Ax$ , find the image under  $T$  of  $u = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$ .

**Solution:** Let

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, u = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } v = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Then

$$Tu = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Tv = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

8. Find the eigenvalues of  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 6 & -8 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ . 5

**Solution:**

Let  $\lambda$  be the eigenvalues of the given matrix. Then characteristics equation is

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3-\lambda & 6 & -8 \\ 0 & -\lambda & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (3-\lambda) \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & 6 \\ 0 & 2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (3-\lambda)(-\lambda)(2-\lambda) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 3, \lambda = 0, \lambda = 2$$

Thus the eigenvalues of  $A$  are  $\lambda = 3, \lambda = 0, \lambda = 2$ .

9. Define null space of a matrix  $A$ . Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -3 & 2 \\ -5 & -9 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , and  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -3 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then show that  $v$  is the null  $A$ . 1+4

**Solution:** Let  $A$  be a  $m \times n$  matrix then null-space of the matrix  $A$  is denoted by  $\text{Nul } A$  and defined by  $\text{Nul } A = \{x: x \in \mathbb{R}^n; Ax = 0\}$ .

**Problem Part:**

Given that

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -3 & 2 \\ -5 & -9 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ and } v = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -3 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now,

$$Av = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -3 & 2 \\ -5 & -9 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -3 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

This means  $v$  is the null space of  $A$ . That is,  $v$  is the null  $A$ .

**10. Verify that  $1^k, (-2)^k, 3^k$  are linearly independent signals.**

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**Solution:**

We have,  $u_k = 1^k, v_k = (-2)^k, w_k = 3^k$

By Casorati matrix we have

$$\begin{bmatrix} u_k & v_k & w_k \\ u_{k+1} & v_{k+1} & w_{k+1} \\ u_{k+2} & v_{k+2} & w_{k+2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1^k & (-2)^k & 3^k \\ 1^{k+1} & (-2)^{k+1} & 3^{k+1} \\ 1^{k+2} & (-2)^{k+2} & 3^{k+2} \end{bmatrix}$$

taking  $k = 0$ , we have,

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -3 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -3 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

[ Applying  
 $R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1$   
 $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$ ]

[ Applying  
 $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + R_2$ ]

Since, each columns are pivot columns which shows that the Casorati matrix is invertible for  $k = 0$

Thus,  $1^k, (-2)^k$  and  $3^k$  are linearly independent.

**11. If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 2 \\ -4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Find a formula for  $A^n$ , where  $A = PDP^{-1}$  and**

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } D = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

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**Solution:** Let,  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 2 \\ -4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\text{Given that } P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } D = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Since  $A = PDP^{-1}$ . So,

$$A^2 = (PDP^{-1})^2 = (PDP^{-1})(PDP^{-1}) = PD(P^{-1}P)DP^{-1} = P D^2 P^{-1}$$

Again,

$$A^3 = A \cdot A^2 = (PDP^{-1})(PD^2P^{-1}) = PD(P^{-1}P)D^2P^{-1} = PDID^2P^{-1} = PD^3P^{-1}$$

So, in general, for  $n \geq 1$ ,

$$A^n = P D^n P^{-1}$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} A^n &= P D^n P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5^n & 0 \\ 0 & 3^n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 5^n & 3^n \\ -5^n & -2 \times 3^n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 \times 5^n - 3^n & 5^n - 3^n \\ -2 \times 5^n + 2 \times 3^n & -5^n + 2 \times 3^n \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

12. Find a unit vector  $v$  of  $u = (1, -2, 2, 3)$  in the direction of  $u$ .

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Solution: Let

$$u = (1, -2, 2, 3)$$

Then,

$$\|u\| = \sqrt{(1)^2 + (-2)^2 + (2)^2 + (3)^2} = 3.$$

Therefore, the unit vector of  $u$  is,

$$\frac{u}{\|u\|} = \frac{(1, -2, 2, 3)}{3} = \left( \frac{1}{3}, \frac{-2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, 1 \right).$$

13. Prove that the two vectors  $u$  and  $v$  are perpendicular to each other if and only if the line through  $u$  is perpendicular bisector of the line segment from  $-u$  to  $v$ .

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Solution: The two vectors  $u$  and  $v$  are perpendicular to each other. Then

$$u \cdot v = 0$$

Since the line segment from  $-u$  to  $v$  is  $v + u$ . And, its bisector is  $\frac{v+u}{2}$ .

Now,

$$u \cdot \frac{v+u}{2} = \frac{u \cdot u}{2}$$

14. Let an operation  $*$  be defined on  $\mathbb{Q}^*$  by  $a * b = \frac{ab}{2}$ . Then show that  $\mathbb{Q}^*$  forms a group.

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Solution: Given that  $*$  is defined on  $\mathbb{Q}^*$  by  $a * b = \frac{ab}{2}$ .

Closure: For all  $a, b \in \mathbb{Q}^*$ ,  $a * b = \frac{ab}{2} \in \mathbb{Q}^*$ .

That is, the elements of  $\mathbb{Q}^*$  are closed under  $*$ .

Associativity: For all  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Q}^*$ ,

$$(a * b) * c = \frac{ab}{2} * c = \frac{abc}{4}$$

$$\text{Again, } a * (b * c) = a * \frac{bc}{2} = \frac{abc}{4}$$

Thus,  $*$  is associative

Existence of Identity: For all,  $a \in \mathbb{Q}^*$ ,

$$a * 2 = \frac{a \cdot 2}{2} = a \quad \text{and} \quad 2 * a = \frac{2a}{2} = a$$

Hence 2 is the identity element for  $*$ .

Existence of Inverse:

Finally  $a * b = 2 = b * a$ , where  $b$  is inverse of  $a$  under  $*$ .

$$\frac{ab}{2} = 2 = \frac{ba}{2} \Rightarrow b = \frac{4}{a} \in \mathbb{Q}^*$$

Therefore,  $\frac{4}{a}$  is an inverse for  $a$ . Hence  $\mathbb{Q}^*$  is a group under the binary operation  $*$ .

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Thus,  $*$  satisfies all conditions for group under addition, so  $Q^+$  is a group under addition.

- 15. Define ring and show that set of real numbers with respect to addition and multiplication operation is a ring.** 2+

**Solution: Definition of Ring:**

A non-empty set  $R$  together with two binary operator  $+$  and  $\bullet$  denoted by  $\langle R, +, \bullet \rangle$  is called **ring** if the following conditions are satisfied:

R1:  $\langle R, + \rangle$  is abelian group.

R2 : Closed under multiplication:

for all  $a, b \in R, ab \in R$

R3: Associative under multiplication:

for all  $a, b \in R, (ab)c = a(bc)$ .

R4: Distributive:

for all  $a, b, c \in R, a(b+c) = ab + ac$  (left distributive)

for all  $a, b, c \in R, (a+b)c = ac + bc$  (right distributive)

**Problem Part:**

Let  $R$  be the set all real numbers.

1. For abelian group under addition

i. closure:  $\forall a, b \in R$  we have  $a + b \in R$

ii. Associative:  $\forall a, b, c \in R$  we have  $(a + b) + c = a + (b + c)$

e.g. if  $a = -2, b = 3, c = 1$  then

$$(a + b) + c = (-2 + 3) + 1 = 1 + 1 = 2$$

$$a + (b + c) = -2 + (3 + 1) = -2 + 4 = 2$$

So it is associative

iii. Existence of identity

Since there is an element  $0 \in R$  s.t.  $\forall a \in R$  we have

$$0 + a = a + 0 = a,$$

iv. Existence of inverse

$\forall a \in R$  there exist  $-a \in R$  such that

$$a + (-a) = (-a) + a = 0$$

e.g. if  $2, 3, \dots$  are in  $Z$  then  $-2, -3, \dots$  also are in  $R$ :

v. Commutative

$\forall a, b \in R$  we have  $a + b = b + a$

e.g. if  $a = -3, b = 2$  then

$$a + b = -3 + 2 = -1$$

$$b + a = 2 - 3 = -1$$

- 2: Closed under multiplication

$\forall a, b \in R$  we have  $ab \in R$

eg. if  $a = -3, b = 4$  then  $ab = (-3) \bullet 4 = -12 \in R$

3. Associative under multiplication

$\forall a, b, c \in R$  we have  $a \bullet (b \bullet c) = (a \bullet b) \bullet c$

e.g. if  $a = 2, b = -3, c = 5$  then

$$a \bullet (b \bullet c) = 2 \bullet (-3 \bullet 5) = 2 \bullet (-15) = -30$$

$$(a \bullet b) \bullet c = (2 \bullet (-3)) \bullet 5 = -6 \bullet 5 = -30$$

4. Distributive law

$\forall a, b, c \in R$  we have  $a \bullet (b + c) = a \bullet b + a \bullet c$  and

$$(a + b) \bullet c = a \bullet c + b \bullet c$$

eg. if  $a = 5, b = 2, c = -3$  we have

$$a \bullet (b + c) = 5 \bullet (2 - 3) = 5 \bullet (-1) = -5$$

$$a \bullet b + a \bullet c = 5 \cdot 2 + 5 \bullet (-3) = 10 - 15 = -5$$

Similarly,

$$(a + b) \bullet c = (5 + 2) \bullet (-3) = 7 \bullet (-3) = -21$$

$$a \bullet c + b \bullet c = 5 \cdot (-3) + 2 \bullet (-3) = -15 - 6 = -21$$

Hence,  $(R, +, \bullet)$  forms a ring.