

Final Exam for Math Camp

Total: 140 points + Bonus 20 points

Part I. Calculus (58 points)

1. (8 points) Given the two functions

$$y_1 = f_1(x_1, x_2) = -x_1^2 - \frac{5}{2}x_1x_2 - x_2^2$$

$$y_2 = f_2(x_1, x_2) = (2x_1 + x_2)(x_1 + 2x_2)$$

- (a) (4 points) Compute the gradient of f_1, f_2 , respectively.
- (b) (4 points) Form the Jacobian matrix and find the determinant of it. Are the two functions dependent?

2. (5 points) Determine the total derivative $\frac{dz}{dt}$ for the following function

$$z = x^3 + 4x^2y - xy^2 + y$$

where $x = -3t, y = 1 + \frac{1}{2}t$.

3. (12 points) Solve the following constrained optimization.

$$\max U(c_1, c_2) = -c_1^2 + c_1c_2 - 2c_2^2$$

$$s. t. c_1 + c_2 = 16 \text{ (unit - 1,000 USD)}$$

where $U(c_1, c_2)$ is the utility function of consumptions at time $t = 1$ and $t = 2$. Use the second derivative test to determine if you have maximum or minimum, as below

$D(x, y) = f_{xx}f_{yy} - f_{xy}^2$	
$D > 0, f_{xx} > 0$	Local minimum
$D > 0, f_{xx} < 0$	Local maximum
$D < 0$	Saddle point
$D = 0$	No information

4. (5 points) Use Taylor's expansion to express a third order approximation around $x_0 = 0$ for the following function:

$$f(x) = \frac{3}{(1-x)^2}$$

5. (10 points) Compute the integral in each case

(a) (3 points) $\int_0^{10} (e^{3x} + 4x) dx$; (b) (3 points) $\int_0^1 6x^2 e^{x^3} dx$; (c) (4 points) $\int_1^{3x^3} e^t dt$

6. (5 points) Compute $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{e^x - 1}{x^3 + 3x^2} \right) \sin(x)$

Hint: use L'Hopital's rule and the special limit of $\frac{\sin(x)}{x}$ when $x \rightarrow 0$.

7. (5 points) Find the implicit differentiation $\frac{dy}{dx}$:

$$F(x, y) = 2x^3 - x^2y + \ln y$$

where $y = y(x)$.

8. (5 points) Determine if $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n+1} n^2$ is a convergent series.

For infinite series $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$	
$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} < 1$	Convergence.
$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} > 1$	Divergence.
$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} = 1$	No information.

9. (3 pts) For function $f(x) = 3x^3 - 2x^2 + x - 1$, determine the convexity and concavity of the function for different parts and give the inflection point

Part II. Real Analysis (10 points)

10. (15 points) Examine the following claims.

- (a) (5 points) Show that (\mathbb{R}^n, d_1) , $d_1(x, y) = \min \{1, |x - y|\}$ is a metric space.

(b) (5 points) True or False.

Let (X, d) be metric space.

- (i) X is both open and closed.
- (ii) The union of finite collection of closed subsets of \mathbb{R}^n is closed
- (iii) The intersection of any collection of closed subsets of \mathbb{R}^n is closed.
- (iv) $\overline{(0,1)} \cap (0,1)^\circ = (0,1)$
- (v) If there is a Cauchy sequence in X is convergent, then (X, d) is complete.

Part III. Linear Algebra (72 points)

11. (23 points) Use matrices A through D to answer the following questions:

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

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

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

- (a) (2 points) Compute BC^T .
- (b) (3 points) Compute $\det A$ using Laplace Expansion Theorem.
- (c) (4 points) Compute $\det A$ using row operations
- (d) (5 points) Compute A^{-1} . What is $\text{trace}(A), \text{rank}(A)$?
- (e) (4 points) Give two equivalent statements to the claim that an $n \times n$ square matrix is of full rank.

(f) (5 points) Use Cramer's rule to solve the system.

$$\begin{aligned} 2x_1 - 3x_2 - x_3 &= 2 \\ x_1 + 2x_3 &= 0 \\ x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

12. (32 points) Suppose matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$, $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$, compute:

- (a) (3 points) Find $\text{null}(B)$.
- (b) (3 points) Determine if A is positive definite.
- (c) (3 points) If a transformation $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ can be defined as $T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x}, \forall \vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^2$. Find the standard matrix of its inverse T^{-1} .
- (d) (3 points) Find $\ker(B)$
- (e) (4 points) Find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of A .
- (f) (3 points) Diagonalize A .
- (g) (3 points) Find A^4
- (h) (4 points) By Gram-Schmidt process, find the orthonormal column vectors set of A .
- (i) (3 points) When a square matrix A has linearly independent columns, then A can be factored as $A = QR$, where Q is a matrix with orthonormal columns, and R is an invertible upper triangular matrix. Evaluate the QR factorization of A .

Hint: directly use the conclusion from (h). Note $Q^T Q = I$, this will help you find R .

- (j) (3 points) Compute the generalized inverse of matrix A^+ .

13. True or False (7 pts)

- (i) When Q is an orthogonal matrix, $|Q| = 1$ or -1
- (ii) If Q is an orthogonal matrix, then Q^{-1} is orthogonal
- (iii) Multiplication of two elementary matrices is elementary matrix
- (iv) If $A_{n \times n}$ has n linearly independent variables, A is diagonalizable
- (v) $A_{n \times n}$ has inverse iff. $\lambda_i \neq 0, \forall i$
- (vi) If A is positive definite, it has LU factorization, LDL^T decomposition, and Cholesky decomposition

- (vii) Composite of linear transformation is not necessarily a linear transformation

14. Factorization and Decomposition (10 pts)

For matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

1. (4 points) LU factorize A .
2. (3 points) Find the LDL^T decomposition of A
3. (3 points) Cholesky decompose A .

Bonus (20 points)

For problem 11

1. (4 points) Give $\text{adj } B$.

For problem 12.

2. (4 points) Spectral decompose A
3. (12 points) Find the singular value decomposition of $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$.
 - (i) Compute $A^T A$, and the singular values, and Σ (3 points)
 - (ii) Compute V (3 points)
 - (iii) Compute U (3 points)