

Final review¹

1. Consider

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & r \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ s \end{bmatrix}$$

Determine r, s so that the system is consistent; is inconsistent; has a unique solution; has infinitely many solutions.

Augmented matrix:

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & r & 2 \\ 1 & -1 & s \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -1 & s \\ 2 & r & 2 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -1 & s \\ 0 & r+2 & 2-2s \end{array} \right]$$

2. If

$$\begin{bmatrix} a+b & c+d \\ c-d & a-b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 6 \\ 10 & 2 \end{bmatrix},$$

find a, b, c, d .

3. Show that

A. If any 2×2 matrices A, B are symmetric, then $AB - BA$ can never be I_2 .

B. For any $n \times n$ matrices A, B , $\text{Trace}(A^T A) \geq 0$.

4. Find two different 2×2 matrices so that $A^2 = I_2$; Find two different 2×2 matrices so that $A^2 = O$.

5. For any square matrix A , show $A - A^T$ is skew-symmetric.

6. Let A, B be $n \times n$ symmetric matrices, show that AB is symmetric iff $AB = BA$.

7. Find a row/col echelon form of

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

8. Solve

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} x = \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 7 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Reduced row echelon form of the augmented matrix: $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

¹The summary and problems do not necessarily or accurately reflect the contents or depth of the exam. The final exam will consist of multiple choice problems.

9. Assume $r \neq 2$. Then the inverse of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ r & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ is equal to

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

B. $\begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ \frac{r}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$

C. $\frac{1}{r-2} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ \frac{r}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$

D. $\frac{1}{r-2} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ \frac{r}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$

E. $\frac{1}{r-2} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & \frac{r}{2} \\ 1 & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$

10. Compute

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}.$$

6 terms of $(\pm)a_{1-}a_{2-}a_{3-}$. 6 permutations, even: 123, 231, 312, odd: 132, 213, 321.

$$\begin{aligned} \det(A) &= a_{11}a_{22}a_{33} + a_{12}a_{23}a_{31} + a_{13}a_{21}a_{32} \\ &\quad - a_{11}a_{23}a_{32} - a_{12}a_{21}a_{33} - a_{13}a_{22}a_{31}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\det(A) = -\det(A_{r_i \leftrightarrow r_j}) \quad (i \neq j)$$

$$\det(A) = \frac{1}{k}(A_{kr_i \rightarrow r_i}) \quad (k \neq 0)$$

$$\det(A) = \det(A_{kr_i+r_j \leftrightarrow r_j}) \quad (i \neq j)$$

11. Compute

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 & 4 \\ -4 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & -3 \\ 2 & 0 & -2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 8$$

12. Compute

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

Find $\text{adj}(A)$ and A^{-1} .

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

13. Let A and B be 3×3 matrices, and $\det(A) = 2$, $\det(B) = 3$. Then $\det(AB^{-1}) =$

- A. 6
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. $\frac{2}{3}$
- E. $\frac{3}{2}$

14. Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & a & 3 \\ 5 & b & -1 \\ 1 & c & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{b}.$$

If $\det(A) \neq 0$, then the first entry of \mathbf{x} is equal to

- A. $-b + 17c - 6a$
- B. $5/(-b + 17c - 6a)$
- C. 0
- D. 1
- E. $2b - 5a$

15. Let

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

Find x_1 .

by Cramer's rule.

$$x_1 = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 3 \\ -1 & -1 \end{vmatrix}}{|A|} = 0, x_2 = 1$$

16. Find c_1, c_2 so that

$$c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

17. Which of the following V is a vector space?

- A. V : the set of vectors $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$ with $x \leq 0$, with the usual operations in R^2 .
- B. V : the set of vectors $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$ with $x + y = 1$, with the usual operations in R^2 .

- C. V : the set of all matrices $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ b+1 & d \end{bmatrix}$ with regular matrix operations.
- D. V : the set of all positive real numbers, with \oplus defined by $u \oplus v = uv$, and $c \odot u = u^c$.
- E. V : all $n \times n$ nonsingular matrices.
18. Is $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ -1 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$ in $\text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$? Are these four matrices linearly dependent?
19. For what values of c are the vectors $[-1, 0, -1]$, $[2, 1, 2]$, $[1, 1, c]$ linearly independent?
20. Find a basis for

$$V = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 11 \\ 10 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 6 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \right\}.$$

Find a basis for V and a basis for V^\perp .

For V , use the reduced row echelon form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 11 & 7 \\ 2 & 2 & 10 & 6 \\ 2 & 1 & 7 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

21. Find a basis for V : all vectors of the form $\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix}$ where $b = a + c$.
22. Find a basis for all 2×2 symmetric matrices.
23. Find a basis for

$$\text{span} \{t^3 + t^2 + 2t + 1, t^3 - 3t + 1, t^2 + t + 2, t + 1, t^3 + 1\}$$

24. Find a basis for the solution space of

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

25. Decide the row/col rank and nullity of

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

26. For what r does

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & r \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} x = 0$$

have a nontrivial solution?

27. For a $m \times n$ matrix, discuss the max/min possible rank, nullity, and number of linearly independent rows/cols.

28. Find the angle between $[-1/\sqrt{2}, 0, a]$, $[0, -1, b]$. For what a, b are they orthogonal? Orthonormal?

29. For what a, b is $[a, b, 2]$ orthogonal to both $[2, 1, 1]$ and $[1, 0, 1]$?

30. Orthonormalize $[2, 1, 1]$ and $[1, 0, 1]$.

31. Find an orthonormal basis for the subspace of all vectors of the form $[a, a + b, b]^T$.

32. Let V be a subspace of \mathbb{R}^3 spanned by $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$. Find a basis for V^\perp . For

$b = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, find $proj_V b$ and the distance between b and V .

33. Find a least squares soln to $Ax = b$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad b = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 0 \\ 14 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$$

34. Find the least squares fitting for the points $(1, 2), (2, 5), (3, 4), (4, 4)$ using

- A. Straight line.
- B. Quadratic polynomial.

35. Which of the following functions are linear transformations:

- A. $L : R_2 \rightarrow R_3$ defined by $L([u_1, u_2]) = [u_1 + 1, u_2, u_1 + u_2]$.
- B. $L : R_3 \rightarrow R_3$ defined by $L([u_1, u_2, u_3]) = [1, u_2, u_1]$.
- C. $L : R_3 \rightarrow R_3$ defined by $L([u_1, u_2, u_3]) = [0, u_3, u_2]$.
- D. $L : M_{nn} \rightarrow M_{nn}$ defined by $L(A) = A^T$.
- E. $L : M_{nn} \rightarrow R$ defined by $L(A) = \det(A)$.

F. $L : M_{nn} \rightarrow R$ defined by $L(A) = A^{-1}$.

G. $L : M_{22} \rightarrow R$ defined by $L(A) = a_{11} + a_{22}$.

36. Find the standard matrix representation for $L : R^2 \rightarrow R^2$ defined by $L\left(\begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 - 3u_2 \\ 2u_1 - u_2 \\ 2u_2 \end{bmatrix}$.

37. A linear transformation $L : M_{22} \rightarrow M_{22}$ satisfies

$$\begin{aligned} L\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}\right) &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, & L\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}\right) &= \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \\ L\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}\right) &= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, & L\left(\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}\right) &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

Find $L\left(\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 \\ 6 & 7 \end{bmatrix}\right)$.

38. Consider the matrices

$$\begin{aligned} &\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \\ &\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -4 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

A. Find the eigenvalues, eigenvectors, basis for the eigenspaces.

B. Decide if they are diagonalizable or not.

C. If yes, find P such that $P^{-1}AP = D$ is diagonal.

D. Can P be orthogonal?

39. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha \\ 0 & -\sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{bmatrix}$. Find A^{-1} .

40. Let $B = P^{-1}AP$. Show that if x is an eigenvector of A then $P^{-1}x$ is an eigenvector of B .

41. Consider $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 + 2i & -1 + 3i \\ -2 & 1 - i \end{bmatrix}$, (or $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 + 3i \\ -1 - 3i & 1 \end{bmatrix}$)

A. Find A^{-1} .

- B. Find $|A|$.
- C. Solve $Ax = b$ where $b = \begin{bmatrix} 2+i \\ 2-i \end{bmatrix}$.
- D. Find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of A .

42. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -2 & 3 \\ 0 & -2 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

- A. Is A diagonalizable? If yes, diagonalize it.
- B. Solve $x' = Ax$.

Eigenvectors/eigenvalues: $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \leftrightarrow -2, \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \leftrightarrow 2, \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -7 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \leftrightarrow -3.$

- C. For $x' = Ax$, if $x(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, find $x(1)$.