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1. Your Name: _____

Consider the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$.

- a) Find A^{-1} .
- b) Solve for X which satisfies: $AX = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$.
- c) Solve for Y which satisfies: $YA = (1 \ 1)$.
- d) Solve for B which satisfies: $AB = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$.
- e) Solve for C which satisfies: $CA = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$.

$$(a) \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 & | & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & | & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & | & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 & | & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & | & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & | & 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & | & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & | & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & | & 3 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 & | & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \#$$

$$(b) AX = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \Leftrightarrow X = A^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \#$$

$$(c) YA = (1 \ 1) \Leftrightarrow Y = (1 \ 1) A^{-1} = (1 \ 1) \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = (2 \ -3) \#$$



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$$(d) \quad AB = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \Leftrightarrow B = A^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -12 & -14 \\ 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \#$$

$$(e) \quad CA = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \Leftrightarrow \del{A} C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} A^{-1}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 5 & -7 \end{pmatrix}$$



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Consider the following matrix:

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

Find a basis and the dimension for the column, null, and row spaces of A .

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 & -7 \\ 2 & 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 5 & 7 & -1 & -5 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 & -7 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 15 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 & 30 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 & -7 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 15 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -3 & -22 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 15 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\uparrow \uparrow \quad \uparrow \rightarrow$
 pivots free

$$\text{Col}(A) = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} \right\}, \quad \dim(\text{Col}(A)) = 2$$

$$\text{Row}(A) = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -3 & -22 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 15 \end{pmatrix} \right\}, \quad \dim(\text{Row}(A)) = 2$$



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For $\text{Null}(A)$: solve $AX=0$:

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3\alpha + 22\beta \\ -2\alpha - 15\beta \\ \alpha \\ \beta \end{pmatrix} = \alpha \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \beta \begin{pmatrix} 22 \\ -15 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 22 \\ -15 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

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basis

$$\dim(\text{Null}(A)) = \underline{\underline{2}}$$



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Let $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be a linear transformation such that

$$T \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad T \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

a) What is the value of $T \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$?

b) What is the value of $T \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$?

c) What is the value of $T \begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$?

d) What is the matrix representation of T ?

e) Is T onto? Is T one-to-one? Is T invertible?

(Hint: for (a), (b), (c), it might be easier if you consider a "general case".)

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

$$T \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = 2 T \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - T \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = 2 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 12 \end{pmatrix}$$

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

$$T \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = T \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - T \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(c) T \begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = 10 T \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + 3 T \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 10 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 12 \end{pmatrix} + 3 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 13 \\ 105 \end{pmatrix}$$



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$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(d)} \quad T\begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} &= aT\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + bT\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = a\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + b\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & -5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} \\
 &\quad \swarrow \quad \searrow \\
 &\quad \text{matrix of } T.
 \end{aligned}$$

Alternative for (a), (b), (c), (d)
method

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} c_1 + c_2 = x \\ c_1 + 2c_2 = y \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow c_2 = y - x$$

$$c_1 = x - y + x = 2x - y$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = (2x - y) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + (y - x) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Hence } T\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = (2x - y)T\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + (y - x)T\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$



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$$T\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = (2x-y)\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} + (y-x)\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 4x-2y+3y-3x \\ 14x-7y+2y-2x \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x+y \\ 12x-5y \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 12 & -5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$

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matrix for T .

$$(a) T\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 12 & -5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 12 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(b) T\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 12 & -5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(c) T\begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 12 & -5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 13 \\ 105 \end{pmatrix}$$



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(e) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 12 & -5 \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow$ a square matrix.

$\text{Rank}(A) = 2$ since columns of A are lin.
ind.

Hence A is onto and also one-to-one.

Thus A is invertible.



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In the following, an example means an example with explicit numbers. You also need to determine the values of m and n .

- a) Give an example of an $m \times n$ matrix A such that the linear transformation given by the matrix A is onto but not one-to-one. In your example, m and n must at least 2. You need to explain to me that your matrix is indeed onto but not one-to-one. For your example, give an example of vectors X_1 and X_2 such that $X_1 \neq X_2$ but $AX_1 = AX_2$.
- b) Give an example of an $m \times n$ matrix A such that the linear transformation given by the matrix A is one-to-one but not onto. In your example, m and n must at least 2. You need to explain to me that your matrix is indeed one-to-one but not onto. For your example, give an example of a vector Y such that there is no X that satisfies $AX = Y$.

(a) Need $\text{rank}(A) = m < n$.

eg $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad m=2 < n=3$

$$A \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = A \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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



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(b) Need $\text{rank}(A) = n < m$

eg $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad n=2 < 3=m$

$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} X = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ has no solution.
← (inconsistent.)



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This question is to fill in some proofs related to the properties of inverses. It only concerns square matrices of dimension $n \times n$.

a) (Uniqueness of inverses)

Suppose B satisfies $AB = I$ and $BA = I$ and C satisfies $AC = I$ and $CA = I$. Prove that $B = C$.

(Hint: consider multiplying C to the first set of conditions.)

b) (Equivalence of onto and one-to-one)

Suppose $T : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ is a linear transformation given by a A . Prove that the property that T is onto is equivalent to the property that it is one-to-one.

c) (Equivalence of $AB = I$ and $BA = I$.)

Suppose A and B are two matrices such that $AB = I$. Prove that $BA = I$.

(Hint: what can you say about the solvability of the equation $AX = Y$ for any value of Y ?)

$$\begin{aligned} (a) \quad AB &= I \\ C \cdot AB &= C \cdot I \\ \downarrow \\ IB &= CI \\ B &= C \end{aligned}$$

(b) A is $n \times n$, a square matrix.

A is onto \Leftrightarrow rank(A) = # of rows

\Leftrightarrow rank(A) = n

\Leftrightarrow nullity(A) = 0

\Leftrightarrow A is one-to-one.

rank + nullity
= # of cols.



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(c) One solution of $AX=Y$ is given by

$$X=BY.$$

(Check: $AX=ABY=IY=Y$.)

Hence $AX=Y$ is always soluble for any Y .

Hence A is onto.

By (b), A is also one-to-one.

Hence A^{-1} exists.

$$AB=I.$$

$$\Rightarrow A^{-1}AB=A^{-1}I$$

$$\Rightarrow B=A^{-1}$$

$$\text{Thus } BA=A^{-1}A=I=AB$$
