

Math 33A, Lecture 2  
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- **Mysterious or unsupported answers will not receive full credit.** A correct answer, unsupported by calculations, explanation, or algebraic work will receive no credit; an incorrect answer supported by substantially correct calculations and explanations might still receive partial credit.
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Problem	Points	Score
1	8	7
2	10	8
3	10	10
4	11	8
5	11	7
Total:	50	<del>37</del>

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1. (8 points) For each of the following statements, circle T for True, F for False.

- T  F If  $A, B$  are two  $n \times n$  symmetric matrices then their product  $AB$  is also symmetric.
- T  F For every  $n \times m$  matrix  $A$ ,  $\ker(A)^\perp = \text{im}(A^T)$ .
- T  F For every two  $n \times n$  matrices  $A, B$ ,  $\text{rank}(AB) \leq \text{rank}(B)$ .
- T  F If  $Q$  is an orthogonal matrix then so is  $-Q^T$ .
- T  F If  $V \subset \mathbb{R}^6$  is a subspace and  $\dim(V) = 3$  then the matrix representing the projection onto  $V$  is a  $3 \times 3$  matrix.
- T  F For each  $n \geq 1$ , there exists an  $n \times n$  matrix  $A$  which is both symmetric and skew-symmetric.
- T  F There is a  $3 \times 3$  matrix  $A$  so that  $\det(A) \neq 0$  and  $\text{im}(A) \neq \mathbb{R}^3$ .
- T  F If  $x, y$  are two positive real numbers and  $x + y \leq 2$  then  $\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y} \geq 2$ .

2. (10 points) Let  $\mathfrak{B}$  be a basis for  $\mathbb{R}^2$  given by the vectors  $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$

(a) Find the coordinates of the vectors  $w_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $w_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$  in the basis  $\mathfrak{B}$ .

(b) Let  $T(\vec{x}) = \text{proj}_L(\vec{x})$  be the projection to the line  $L$  passing through the origin and  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$ . Find the  $\mathfrak{B}$ -matrix of  $T$ .

(a)  $\vec{w}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = -\vec{v}_1 + \vec{v}_2$ . Therefore  $\vec{w}_1$  is  $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  in  $\mathfrak{B}$ .

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

$\vec{w}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} = -5\vec{v}_1 + 2\vec{v}_2$ . Therefore  $\vec{w}_2$  is  $\begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$  in  $\mathfrak{B}$ .

$\begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$

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(b) Let  $\vec{u} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } T(\vec{x}) &= (\vec{x} \cdot \vec{u}) \vec{u} \\ &= (x_1 u_1 + x_2 u_2) \vec{u} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} x_1 u_1^2 + x_2 u_1 u_2 \\ x_1 u_1 u_2 + x_2 u_2^2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} u_1^2 & u_1 u_2 \\ u_1 u_2 & u_2^2 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x} \\ &= \frac{1}{25} \begin{bmatrix} 9 & -12 \\ -12 & 16 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x} \end{aligned}$$

Then the  $\mathfrak{B}$ -matrix of  $T$  is

$$\begin{bmatrix} | & | \\ [T(\vec{v}_1)]_{\mathfrak{B}} & [T(\vec{v}_2)]_{\mathfrak{B}} \\ | & | \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ \frac{2}{5} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \frac{48}{125} \\ \frac{12}{125} \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ \frac{2}{5} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \frac{48}{125} \\ \frac{12}{125} \end{matrix}$$

$$* T(\vec{v}_1) = \frac{1}{25} \left( \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ -12 \end{bmatrix} + 2 \begin{bmatrix} -12 \\ 16 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{25} \begin{bmatrix} -15 \\ 20 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{5} (-5\vec{v}_1 + 2\vec{v}_2) = -\vec{v}_1 + \frac{2}{5}\vec{v}_2 \quad \uparrow$$

$$* T(\vec{v}_2) = \frac{1}{25} \left( 4 \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ -12 \end{bmatrix} + 3 \begin{bmatrix} -12 \\ 16 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{25} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{12}{25} \cdot \frac{1}{5} (4\vec{v}_1 - \vec{v}_2) = \frac{48}{125} \vec{v}_1 - \frac{12}{125} \vec{v}_2 \quad \uparrow$$

$$= 0\vec{v}_1 + 0\vec{v}_2 \quad \uparrow$$

3. (10 points)

6/6 (a) Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $V = \text{im}(A) \subset \mathbb{R}^4$ . Find a basis for the orthogonal complement  $V^\perp$ . What is  $\dim(V)$ ?

4/4 (b) Compute the following determinants:

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

(a)  $V^\perp = \text{im}(A)^\perp = \ker(A^T)$

$$= \ker \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & -2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} 0 \\ 0 + R_1 \\ 0 - 3R_1 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & -2 & -2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 + R_2 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} 0 \\ 0 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{array} \begin{cases} x_1 + x_3 + x_4 = 0 \\ x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} x_1 = -x_3 - x_4 \\ x_2 = -x_3 - x_4 \\ x_3 = x_3 \\ x_4 = x_4 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \text{a basis for } V^\perp \text{ is } \left\langle \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\rangle \quad \left\langle \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\rangle$$

$$\dim(V) = n - \dim(V^\perp) = 4 - 2 = 2$$

$$\dim(V) = 2 \quad \text{Yes.}$$

(b) (i)  $\det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{array}$

$$= -(0) - (-2) - (-3) + (3) + (-4) + (0)$$

$$= -2 + 3 + 3 - 4$$

$$= 1 - 1$$

$$= 0$$

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(ii)  $\det \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 4 & 0 \end{array}$

$$= -(-8) - (0) - (0) + (0) + (0) + (0)$$

$$= 8$$

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4. (11 points)

(a) Find the least-squares solution  $\vec{x}^*$  of the system  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(b) Let  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  be a linear inconsistent system and suppose that  $\vec{b} \in \text{im}(A)^\perp$ . Explain why  $\vec{x}^* = \vec{0}$  is a least squares solution of this system.

(a)  $A^T A \vec{x}^* = A^T \vec{b}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 0 \\ 0 & 28 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad (\text{see scratch})$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 0 \\ 0 & 28 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \frac{1}{6} \\ -\frac{1}{28} \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{3}{14} \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{x}^* = \left\langle \frac{1}{3}, \frac{3}{14} \right\rangle \quad \vec{x}^* = \left\langle \frac{1}{3}, \frac{3}{14} \right\rangle$$

$\vec{x}^*$  doesn't need to be in  $\text{im}(A)$ .  $A\vec{x}^*$  does.

(b) If  $\vec{b} \in \text{im}(A)^\perp$ , then there isn't really an  $A\vec{x}^* \in \text{im}(A)$  that can approximate  $\vec{b}$ . The best we can do is minimize the error  $\|\vec{b} - A\vec{x}\|$ ; this leads us to  $\vec{x}^* = \vec{0}$ , which is the projection of  $\vec{b}$  onto  $\text{im}(A)$ .

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5. (11 points)

7 (a) Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ . Use the Gram-Schmidt process to compute an orthonormal basis for  $\text{im}(A)$ .

0 (b) Can there exist two  $3 \times 3$  matrices  $A, B$  so that  $\det(A) = \det(B)$  and  $A - B$  is invertible? Justify your answer by either giving an example of such matrices or explain why they cannot exist.

(a)  $\vec{v}_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{v}_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{v}_3 \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

$\sqrt{\|\vec{v}_1\|^2} = \sqrt{4} = 2$

$\vec{u}_1 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{v}_2^\perp \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{v}_3^\perp \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

$\vec{v}_2^\perp = \vec{v}_2 - (\vec{v}_2 \cdot \vec{u}_1) \vec{u}_1$   
 $= \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{4} \left( \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$   
 $= \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{4} (0) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$   
 $= \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

$\vec{u}_1 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{u}_2 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{u}_3 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$\sqrt{\|\vec{v}_2^\perp\|^2} = \sqrt{4} = 2$

$\vec{u}_1 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{u}_2 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{v}_3^\perp \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

$\vec{v}_3^\perp = \vec{v}_3 - (\vec{v}_3 \cdot \vec{u}_1) \vec{u}_1 - (\vec{v}_3 \cdot \vec{u}_2) \vec{u}_2$   
 $= \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{4} \left( \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{4} \left( \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$   
 $= \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{4} (2) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{4} (-2) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$   
 $= \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$   
 $= \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$\sqrt{\|\vec{v}_3^\perp\|^2} = \sqrt{4} = 2$

$\text{im}(A)$ : orthonormal basis

$\vec{u}_1 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{u}_2 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{u}_3 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

no part (b)

Extra paper 1

4a)  $A^T A :$ 

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 0 \\ 0 & 28 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^T \vec{b} = 1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 1 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$





Extra paper 2

