

MATH 33A Midterm II, Spring 2018

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Instruction: Justify all your answers. No points will be given without sufficient reasoning/calculations.

Problem 1. (4)

(i) Use row or column reduction to compute  $\det A$ , where

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

(ii) Find  $\det B$ , where

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & a & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & b & c \\ 1 & d & e & f \end{bmatrix}$$

Here  $a, b, c, d, e$  and  $f$  are constants.

(iii) Find  $\det(AB)$ ,  $\det(A^{-1})$  and  $\det(B^{-1})$ .

i)  $A = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & 4 & 5 & 7 \end{vmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{-I+II \\ -I+III \\ -I+IV}} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 3 & 4 & 6 \end{vmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{-II+I \\ -2II+III \\ -3II+IV}} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & -3 \end{vmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{-1 \cdot III \\ -1 \cdot IV}} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$

$\xrightarrow{\substack{II+I \\ -2III+II \\ -2II+IV}} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$

$\det(A) = (-1)^2 (1 \cdot 1 \cdot 1 \cdot -1) = -1$

$\det(A) = -1$

ii)  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & a & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & b & c \\ 1 & d & e & f \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & B \\ A^{-1} & C \end{bmatrix} = \det A \det B = (-2)(-12) = 24$

check  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & a & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & b & c \\ 1 & d & e & f \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{3}II} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & a & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & b & c \\ 1 & d & e & f \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-aII+I} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & b & c \\ 1 & d & e & f \end{bmatrix}$

$\det B = 3(1 \cdot 2 \cdot 1 \cdot 4) = 24$

$\det B = 24$

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$$\text{iii) } \det(AB) = \det(A) \det(B) = (-1)(24) = -24$$

$$\det(A^{-1}) = \frac{1}{\det(A)} = \frac{1}{-1} = -1$$

$$\det(B^{-1}) = \frac{1}{\det(B)} = \frac{1}{24}$$



Problem 2. (4)

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Let  $V = \text{span}\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2\}$  be a subspace in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ , where  $\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , and  $\vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .

- (i) Find an orthonormal basis for  $V$  by using Gram-Schmidt process.  
 (ii) Find the QR-factorization for  $A$ , where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

i)  $\vec{u}_1 = \frac{\vec{v}_1}{\|\vec{v}_1\|}$      $\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$      $\|\vec{v}_1\| = \sqrt{1+1+1} = \sqrt{3}$

$$\vec{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{u}_2 = \frac{\vec{v}_2 - (\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2) \vec{u}_1}{\|\vec{v}_2 - (\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2) \vec{u}_1\|}$$

$$\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 1/\sqrt{3}$$

$$(\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2) \vec{u}_1 = 1/\sqrt{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/3 \\ 1/3 \\ 1/3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2/3 \\ -1/3 \\ -1/3 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{3}{\sqrt{6}}$$

$$\vec{v}_2 - (\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2) \vec{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1/3 \\ 1/3 \\ 1/3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2/3 \\ -1/3 \\ -1/3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2/\sqrt{6} \\ -1/\sqrt{6} \\ -1/\sqrt{6} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\|\vec{v}_2 - (\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2) \vec{u}_1\| = \sqrt{\frac{4}{9} + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{9}} = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{3}$$

Orthonormal basis for  $V$ :  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2/\sqrt{6} \\ -1/\sqrt{6} \\ -1/\sqrt{6} \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

ii) Since  $Q = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} & 2/\sqrt{6} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} & -1/\sqrt{6} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} & -1/\sqrt{6} \end{bmatrix}$  then  $R = Q^T A$  where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$Q^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 2/\sqrt{6} & -1/\sqrt{6} & -1/\sqrt{6} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 2/\sqrt{6} & -1/\sqrt{6} & -1/\sqrt{6} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3/\sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 0 & 2/\sqrt{6} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 0 & 2/\sqrt{6} \end{bmatrix}$$



So QR Factorization :

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \end{bmatrix}}_Q \quad \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{3} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ 0 & \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}} \end{bmatrix}}_R$$



Problem 3. (4)

(i) Decide if the equation  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  solvable, where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , and  $\vec{b} =$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(ii) Find the least-squares solution of the equation  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  for  $A$  and  $\vec{b}$  in (i).

$$i) \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow[-I+II]{-I+I} \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\text{switch I and II}} \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{array} \right]$$

Since the last row suggests that  $0 = -1$ , this equation  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  is not solvable for  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$ii) \vec{x}^* = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T \vec{b} \quad A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(A^T A)^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

least-squares solution:  $\vec{x}^* = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$



Problem 4. (4)

Let  $V = \text{span}\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2\}$ , where  $\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , and  $\vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

- (i) Find a basis for the orthogonal complement  $V^\perp$  of  $V$ .  
 (ii) Find the matrix for the projection to  $V^\perp$ ,  $\text{Proj}_{V^\perp} : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  with respect to the standard basis of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

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i)  $\vec{u}_1 = \frac{\vec{v}_1}{\|\vec{v}_1\|}$      $\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$      $\|\vec{v}_1\| = \sqrt{1+1+1} = \sqrt{3}$

$\vec{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix}$

$\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 1/\sqrt{3}$

$\vec{u}_2 = \frac{\vec{v}_2 - (\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2)\vec{u}_1}{\|\vec{v}_2 - (\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2)\vec{u}_1\|}$

$(\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2)\vec{u}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/3 \\ 1/3 \\ 1/3 \end{bmatrix}$

$\vec{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1/3 \\ -1/3 \\ 2/3 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{3}{\sqrt{6}}$

$\vec{v}_2 - (\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2)\vec{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1/3 \\ 1/3 \\ 1/3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1/3 \\ -1/3 \\ 2/3 \end{bmatrix}$

$\vec{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1/\sqrt{6} \\ -1/\sqrt{6} \\ 2/\sqrt{6} \end{bmatrix}$

$\|\vec{v}_2 - (\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2)\vec{u}_1\| = \sqrt{\frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{4}{9}} = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{3}$

Basis:  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1/\sqrt{6} \\ -1/\sqrt{6} \\ 2/\sqrt{6} \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

$\frac{1}{3} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}$

ii)  $\text{Proj}_{V^\perp} = AA^T = B$      $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} & -1/\sqrt{6} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} & -1/\sqrt{6} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} & 2/\sqrt{6} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{3} \\ -1/\sqrt{6} & -1/\sqrt{6} & 2/\sqrt{6} \end{bmatrix}$

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$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 & 1/2 & 0 \\ 1/2 & 1/2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$



Problem 5. (4)

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

(i) Find the eigenvalues of  $A$  and their algebraic multiplicities.

(ii) Find a basis for each eigenspace of  $A$ , and find the geometric multiplicity for each eigenvalue of  $A$ .

(iii) Decide if  $A$  is diagonalizable.

i)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$   $A - \lambda I_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 2-\lambda & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1-\lambda & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 4-\lambda \end{bmatrix}$  solve  $\det(A - \lambda I_3) = 0$

$$\det(A - \lambda I_3) = ((1-\lambda)(4-\lambda) - (-2))(2-\lambda) - 0 + 0 = [4 - 5\lambda + \lambda^2 + 2](2-\lambda)$$

$$= [\lambda^2 - 5\lambda + 6](2-\lambda) = (\lambda-2)(\lambda-3)(2-\lambda) = 0$$

$\lambda = 2$ , algebraic multiplicity of 2  
 $\lambda = 3$ , algebraic multiplicity of 1

ii) For  $\lambda = 2$ :  $A - 2I_3 = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -2 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{I+II \\ -I+III}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

so  $\lambda = 2$  has geometric multiplicity of 1

basis:  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

For  $\lambda = 3$ ,  $A - 3I_3 = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & -2 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{-1 \cdot I \\ \text{switch } I \& III}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & -2 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{II+I \\ 2II+III}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -t \\ t \end{pmatrix} = t \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

so  $\lambda = 3$  has geometric multiplicity of 1  
 basis:  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

iii) Since  $\sum$  algebraic multiplicity  $\neq \sum$  geometric multiplicity

$$3 \neq 2$$

then  $A$  is not diagonalizable