

Directions: This is a *closed* book exam. No calculators, cell phones, pagers, mp3 players and other electronic devices are allowed.

Remember: Answers without explanations will not count. You should **show your work**. Solve each problem on its own page. If you need extra space you can use backs of the pages and the extra page attached to your exam paper, but make a note you did so.

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2	20
3	18
4	10
5	17
6	20
Total	115
Grade	A+

1. Consider the matrix

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

Find rank A , a basis for $\text{Col } A$ and a basis for $\text{Row } A$.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

A basis for $\text{Col } A =$

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

basis for row $A =$

$$\left\{ (1, 1, 1), (0, 1, 2) \right\}$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{rank } A = 2 \text{ (2 rows)}$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

~~$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{matrix}$$~~

~~$$\begin{matrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{matrix} = x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$~~

$$1 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$3 + -3 = 0$$

(20) 2. Problem 2. Compute (or if undefined say so, explaining why)

5 a) $A^{-1}, A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Undefined since $\det(A) = 0$ so A^{-1} is impossible.

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 & -3 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & -2 & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

5 b) $ABA, A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(AB)A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 4 & 5 \\ 9 & 7 & 8 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

5 c) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 \\ 4 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

Undefined a 3×2 cannot multiply a 1×2 since the # of columns of the first matrix does not match up to # of rows of second.

5 d) $\det \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 9 & 1 & 7 & 5 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & 7 & 5 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 6 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = 2 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 & 5 \\ 9 & 1 & 5 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 6 \end{vmatrix} = 2 \cdot (-7) \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 & 5 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 0 & 6 \end{vmatrix}$

$$= 2 \cdot (-7) \cdot (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 14 \cdot 4 = 56$$

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(20) 3. a) State Cramer's rule.

For some system of linear equations or for a matrix representation $Ax = b$

$$x_i = \frac{\det A_i(j)}{\det A} \quad \text{--- } A \text{ invertible}$$

b) Use it to solve the linear system (no credit for solving the system directly)

 $\left(\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{array} \right)$

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

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

$$= -2 + 6 = 4$$

$$\begin{cases} x_1 + 2x_2 = 7 \\ x_2 + 3x_3 = 5 \\ x_1 - 2x_3 = 3 \end{cases}$$

$$A_{1j} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 2 & 0 \\ 5 & 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det A_{1j} = 7 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & -2 \end{vmatrix} - 2 \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 3 \\ 3 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = -14 + 38 = 24$$

$$A_{2j} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 7 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det A_{2j} = 1 \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 3 \\ 3 & -2 \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 5 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = -19 + 21 = 2$$

$$A_{3j} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 7 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det A_{3j} = 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 7 \\ 1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 3 + 3 = 6$$

$$x_1 = \frac{24}{4} = 6 \quad x_2 = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2} \quad x_3 = \frac{6}{4} = \frac{3}{2}$$

- (20) 4. Mark each statement True or False. Justify your answers.
 a) If $AB = 0$ for two square matrices A, B , then either $A = 0$, or $B = 0$.

False, for example

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

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

Both not 0

- b) The set $P_2[X, Y]$ of all polynomials in X and Y of degree at most 2 (together with the usual addition and multiplication by a constant) is a vector space of dimension 6.

$$P_2 = \text{polynomials of the form } \begin{matrix} a_1x^2 + a_2x + a_3x^0 \\ b_1y^2 + b_2y + b_3y^0 \end{matrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \\ b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

True, $\mathbb{R}[x]$ is a vector space of dimension 3 since a single polynomial in x is isomorphic to \mathbb{R}^3 . The same is true for Y and y is a separate polynomial set apart from x . Thus, the set $P_2[X, Y]$ is isomorphic to \mathbb{R}^6 .

$$\begin{matrix} x^2 & x & x^0 & y^2 & y & y^0 \\ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

A basis then consists of 6 vectors. Note the constants a_3 and b_3 (x^0 and y^0) do not overlap since they are constants in x and Y respectively.

(20) 5. Let P_4 denote the vector space of polynomials of degree at most 4 (vector space together with the addition and multiplication by a constant). Consider the differentiation map $D: P^4 \rightarrow P^4$ given by $Df = f'$.

a) Show that D is linear.

$u, v \in P_4$ $u = a_1 t^4 + a_2 t^3 + a_3 t^2 + a_4 t + a_5$ $v = b_1 t^4 + b_2 t^3 + b_3 t^2 + b_4 t + b_5$

~~$D(u)$ is a subset of P_4 since the differentiation of polynomials of degree at most 3.~~

\checkmark 1) ~~Check under addition~~ $D(u+v) = \frac{d}{dt}((a_1+b_1)t^4 + (a_2+b_2)t^3 + (a_3+b_3)t^2 + (a_4+b_4)t + (a_5+b_5))$
 $= 4(a_1+b_1)t^3 + 3(a_2+b_2)t^2 + 2(a_3+b_3)t + (a_4+b_4) = D(u) + D(v)$

\checkmark 2) ~~Check under multiplication~~ $D(cu) = \frac{d}{dt}(ca_1 t^4 + ca_2 t^3 + ca_3 t^2 + ca_4 t + ca_5)$
 $= 4ca_1 t^3 + 3ca_2 t^2 + 2ca_3 t + ca_4 = c(D(u))$

\checkmark Extra check: 0 element ~~$D(0) = 0$~~ $D(0) = 0$

b) Find a basis in P_4 .

a basis would be $\{1, t, t^2, t^3, t^4\}$

why?
 Syntactic representation for next problem

t^4	t^3	t^2	t	1
0	1	0	0	0
0	0	1	0	0
0	0	0	1	0
0	0	0	0	1

c) Find the matrix of D in your chosen basis.

$e_1 = t^4 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $D\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 4e_2$

$e_2 = t^3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $D\left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 3e_3$

$e_3 = t^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $D\left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 2e_4$

$e_4 = t = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $D\left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = e_5$

$e_5 = 1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ $D\left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0$

The matrix for $A = \begin{bmatrix} D(e_1) & D(e_2) & D(e_3) & D(e_4) & D(e_5) \end{bmatrix}$

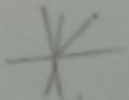
(transition matrix)

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

(20) 6. Mark each statement True or False. Justify your answers.

a) If there is a linear transformation $T: \mathbb{R}^5 \rightarrow V$ which is onto, then $\dim V \geq 5$.

False, this is simply an existence question. For every element in V , there is a corresponding element in \mathbb{R}^5 that is mapped by T into V . However, suppose V is the "result" of a mapping of \mathbb{R}^5 into a line (a "projection"). Thus $\dim V$ is 1 which is < 5 .

Just as in \mathbb{R}^3  Mapping \mathbb{R}^3 onto the xy plane is onto since all the points in the plane can be mapped, but $\dim V = 2$.

At most $\dim V \leq 5$ since a mapping cannot increase the dimensions from the domain to the range. It is limited by its 5 pivot columns.

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b) Any linearly independent set in \mathbb{R}^3 must have exactly three elements.

False, $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ is a linearly independent set with only

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2 elements.