

## Collection of quiz Problems for MATH 307

### CHAPTER 1

**Problem 1.** Let  $\mathbf{x} = (2, 3)$ ,  $\mathbf{y} = (4, 6)$ ,  $\mathbf{z} = (-3, 2)$ .

- a) (3 points) Draw  $-\mathbf{x} + \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{y} + \mathbf{z}$ .  
b) (3 points) Are the following vectors parallel:  $\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}$  and  $2\mathbf{z} + \mathbf{y}$ ? Explain.

**Problem 2** (5 points) Let  $\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $c, d \in \mathbb{R}$ . Prove that  $(\mathbf{x} - c\mathbf{y})d = d\mathbf{x} - dc\mathbf{y}$ .

**Problem 3.** (5 points) Solve the following system of linear algebraic equations.

$$\begin{cases} -z + x + y = 0 \\ 8x + 2y - 6z = 2 \\ -4x - y + 3z = -1. \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

**Problem 4.** (4 points each) Let  $l$  be a line in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  with the following parametric equation:

$$\begin{pmatrix} y \\ z \\ x \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} t + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad t \in \mathbb{R} \quad (2)$$

Sketch this line in the provided coordinate system.

**Problem 5** (3 points)

Give an example of a system of linear algebraic equations in variables  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  which has no solutions.

**Problem 6.** Given the following system of linear algebraic equations.

- a) (3 points) Write an augmented matrix corresponding to the system.  
b) (6 points) Use method of Gaussian elimination to find reduced row-echelon form.  
c) (2 points) Circle all leading ones.  
d) (3 points) Write the solution of the system.

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + 5x_3 + 6x_4 &= 3 \\ x_1 + 3x_2 + 5x_3 + 9x_4 &= 3 \\ x_2 + 5x_3 - x_4 &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

**Problem 7.** (5 points) Solve the following system of linear algebraic equations.

$$\begin{cases} -z + x + y = 0 \\ 8x + 2y - 6z = 2 \\ -4x - y + 3z = -1. \end{cases} \quad (3)$$

**Problems 1** (5 points)

Let  $\mathbf{a}_1 = (1, 1, 0, -1)$ ,  $\mathbf{a}_2 = (1, 0, 0, -1)$ ,  $\mathbf{a}_3 = (0, 0, 1, -1)$ ,  $\mathbf{b} = (1, 2, 3, 4)$ . Is  $\mathbf{b}$  in the  $\text{Span}(\{\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2, \mathbf{a}_3\})$ ? If yes, give the corresponding coefficients. If not, justify your answer.

**Problem 2** ( 1 point each ) True/False?

a) Any linear combination of vectors  $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3, \mathbf{v}_4$  is has the form  $a\mathbf{v}_1 - b\mathbf{v}_2 + c\mathbf{v}_3$ , where  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$ .

b) Any linear combination of vectors  $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3, \mathbf{v}_4$  is in the  $\text{Span}(\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3, \mathbf{v}_4\})$ .

c) A product of  $4 \times 10$  and  $4 \times 3$  matrices is well-defined.

d)  $\mathbb{R}^3$  is a span for some set of vectors.

**Problem 8.** (4 points each) Let  $l$  be a line in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  with the following parametric equation:

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} t + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (3)$$

Sketch this line (label the graph properly).

**Problem 9** Give an example of a system of linear algebraic equations in variables  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  which has no solutions.

**Problem 10.** (5 points) Find the reduced row echelon form for the augmented matrix of the following system. Use this to write all solutions.

$$\begin{cases} x_1 + x_2 = 0 \\ x_1 - 3x_2 = 0 \\ x_1 - x_2 = 2. \end{cases} \quad (3)$$

**Problem 11.** (7 points) Find the reduced row echelon form for the

augmented matrix of the following system. Use this to write all solutions.

$$\begin{cases} x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 0 \\ 2x_1 + x_2 - x_3 + 3x_4 = 0 \\ x_1 - 2x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 9. \end{cases} \quad (3)$$

**Problem 1.** Given the following system of linear algebraic equations.

- a) (3 points) Write an augmented matrix corresponding to the system.  
 c) (2 points) Circle all leading elements.

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + 5x_3 + 6x_4 &= 3 \\ x_1 + 3x_2 + 5x_3 + 9x_4 + 2 &= 3 \\ x_2 + 5x_3 - x_1 &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

**Problem 12.** For each of the matrices below:

- a) (1 point per matrix) circle all leading elements  
 b) (1 point per matrix) write to the left of the matrix:  
 “RRE” if the matrix is in the reduced row-echelon form,  
 “RE” if the matrix is in the row-echelon, but not reduced row echelon form,  
 “N” if the matrix is not in row-echelon form.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 & 0 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 7 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1. \end{pmatrix}, \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 5 & 6 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1. \end{pmatrix},$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix},$$

**Problem 13** Perform one elementary row operation on each of the matrices below such that the element in position (2,3) becomes zero. Write what operation you are doing.

- a) (2 points)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

b) (2 points)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

**Problem 14.** Given the following system of linear algebraic equations.

- a) (3 points) Write an augmented matrix corresponding to the system.
- b) (6 points) Use method of Gaussian elimination to find reduced row-echelon form.
- c) (2 points) Circle all leading ones.
- d) (3 points) Write the solution of the system.

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + 5x_3 + 6x_4 &= 3 \\ x_1 + 3x_2 + 5x_3 + 9x_4 &= 3 \\ x_2 + 5x_3 - x_4 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

(-6)

**Problem 15.** For each of the following augmented matrices corresponding to the systems of linear algebraic equations with unknowns  $x_1, \dots, x_n$  in order, find the **number of solutions, is the matrix in reduced row-echelon form (T/F)?**

a) (3points)

$$\begin{array}{cccccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array}$$

b) (3points)

$$\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 2 & 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array}$$

**Problem 16** (3 points) Can a system of linear algebraic equations have exactly three solutions?

**Problem 17.** (3 points each) Let the following matrices be augmented matrices for the systems of linear algebraic equations with unknowns  $x_1, x_2, \dots$ . Give the solution sets for each of the system:

$$A_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad A_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

$$A_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 3 & 4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad A_4 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

**Problem 18.** (6 points) Find the reduced row echelon form for the augmented matrix of the following system.

$$\begin{cases} x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 0 \\ 2x_1 + x_2 - x_3 + 3x_4 = 0 \\ x_1 - 2x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 9. \end{cases} \quad (-9)$$

**Problem 19.** (3 points) Sketch the following vector  $\mathbf{q} = 2\mathbf{u} - 2\mathbf{v} + \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{w}$ .

**Problem 20.** For each of the following augmented matrices corresponding to the systems of linear algebraic equations with unknowns  $x_1, \dots, x_n$  in order, find the **number of solutions, is the matrix in reduced row-echelon form (T/F)?**

$$\text{a) (3points)} \quad \begin{array}{cccccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array}$$

$$\text{b) (3points)} \quad \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 2 & 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array}$$

**Problem 21** (3 points) Can a system of linear algebraic equations have exactly three solutions?

Give a geometric explanation in case when there are two variables involved.

**Problem 24.** (6 points) Consider the following vectors.

$$\mathbf{v}_1 = (1, 2, 3, 1, 1), \mathbf{v}_2 = (1, 2, 0, 0, 0), \mathbf{v}_3 = (0, 0, 0, 1, 1), \mathbf{v}_4 = (0, 1, 1, 0, 0), \mathbf{v}_5 = (0, 0, 1, 0, 0).$$

- a) Determine whether they are linearly independent or not.  
 b) If they are linearly dependent, give the coefficients of the corresponding linear combination.

**Problem 25**

For each set of the vectors below, determine whether they are linearly dependent or not without performing any calculations. (hint: you can use the matrix or other criteria for linear independence). Provide your explanation.

- a) (2 points)

$$\mathbf{v}_1 = (1, 2, 3), \mathbf{v}_2 = (1, 2, 0), \mathbf{v}_3 = (1, 1, 0), \mathbf{v}_4 = (0, 1, 0).$$

- b) (2 points)

$$\mathbf{v}_1 = (1, 2, 3, 4, 5), \mathbf{v}_2 = (0, 0, 0, 0, 0), \mathbf{v}_3 = (0, 0, 0, 1, 1), \mathbf{v}_4 = (0, 1, 1, 0, 0).$$

- c) (2 points)

$$\mathbf{v}_1 = (1, 2, 3, 4, 5), \mathbf{v}_2 = (2, 4, 6, 8, 10).$$

**Problem 26.** Consider the following vectors.

$$\mathbf{v}_1 = (1, 2, 3, 1, 1), \mathbf{v}_2 = (1, 2, 0, 0, 0), \mathbf{v}_3 = (0, 0, 0, 1, 1), \mathbf{v}_4 = (0, 1, 1, 0, 0), \mathbf{v}_5 = (0, 0, 1, 0, 0).$$

- a) (4 points) Is  $\mathbf{v}_1$  in the  $Span(\{\mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3, \mathbf{v}_4, \mathbf{v}_5\})$ ?  
 b) (4 points) If yes, provide the coefficients of corresponding linear combination.  
 c) (4 points) Is  $Span(\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3\}) = Span(\{\mathbf{v}_3, \mathbf{v}_4, \mathbf{v}_1\})$ ? Justify your answer.

**Problem 28** (3 points) Find all the solutions (and write in a set theoretic notation) for the following system with unknowns  $x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6$ .

$$\begin{cases} x_2 + x_3 - 5x_5 = 0 \\ x_1 + 3x_6 = 5 \\ x_4 - 2x_6 = 4. \end{cases} \quad (-9)$$

**Problem 30** (3 points) How many solutions does the system with the following augmented matrix have? What is the rank of this matrix?

$$\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 2 & 4 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array}$$

**Problem 31** (3 points) Let  $T$  be a linear transformation with matrix

$$\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array}$$

Find  $T(\mathbf{x})$  where  $\mathbf{x} = (1, 2, 0)$ . Sketch  $\mathbf{x}$  and  $T(\mathbf{x})$ .

**Problem 32** (6 points) Let

$$T(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{x}.$$

Find all vectors  $\mathbf{x}$  such that they are not changed by transform  $T$ , i.e., that image of  $\mathbf{x}$  under  $T$  is  $\mathbf{x}$ .

**Problem 33** (6 points) Are the following functions linear transforms?

Justify your answer.

a)  $T((x_1, x_2, x_3)) = (x_2 - x_1, x_3 + 4x_1)$ .

b)  $T((x_1, x_2, x_3)) = (x_1 - x_2 + 3, x_3 - x_1)$ .

**Problem 34.**(5points) Sketch  $T(P)$ , where  $P$  is the region below and  $T$  is the following linear transform.

$$T(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{x}$$

**Problem 35** (6 points) Let  $T$  be a linear transform.  $T : \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$  such that  $T(\mathbf{e}_1) = (1, 2, 0, 1)$ ,  $T(\mathbf{e}_2) = (2, 2, 0, 0)$ ,  $T(\mathbf{e}_3) = (1, 0, 0, 7)$ ,  $T(\mathbf{e}_4) = (1, 0, -1, 0)$ .

Find  $T((4, 3, 0, 6))$  and the matrix of the transform.

**Problem 36.**(10 points) Let  $T_1$  be a linear transformation corresponding to first rotation clockwise by 30 degrees. Let  $T_2$  be projection with respect to the vector  $\mathbf{w} = (3, 4)$ . Find the matrices of these transforms.

**Problem 37** (6 points) Let

$$T(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 4 & 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{x}.$$

Find all vectors  $\mathbf{x}$  such that they are not changed by transform  $T$ .

**Problem 38** (6 points) Let  $T$  be a linear transform such that  $T((1, 2, 3)) = (0, 2, 1)$ ,  $T((1, 0, 3)) = (1, 2, 4)$ ,  $T((0, 0, 1)) = (1, 1, -1)$ .

a) Find a matrix  $A$  of  $T$ .

b) Sketch the image of the following region under  $T$ .

**Problem 39** (4 points) Let  $T$  be a transform such that  $T((0, 0, 0, 0)) = (1, 2)$ .

a) Find domain and codomain of  $T$ .

b) Prove that  $T$  is not linear.

**Problem 40** (6 points) Verify that the following transform is linear by formally checking the linearity properties.

$$T((x_1, x_2, x_3)) = (x_2 - x_1, 2x_1, x_3 + 4x_1, x_3).$$

**Problem 41.** Consider the following vectors.

$$\mathbf{v}_1 = (1, 0, 3, 1, 1), \mathbf{v}_2 = (1, 2, 0, 0, 0), \mathbf{v}_3 = (0, 0, 0, 1, 1), \mathbf{v}_4 = (0, 1, 1, 0, 0), \\ \mathbf{v}_5 = (0, 0, 1, 0, 0).$$

Are these vectors linearly dependent or linearly independent? If they are linearly dependent, provide the corresponding coefficients.

**Problem 42** (6 points) Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be a linear transform corresponding to rotation by  $\pi/6$  clockwise.

Is this transform one-to-one (give a complete argument)? Justify your answer.

**CHAPTERs 2, 3**

**Problem 22** (4 points) Calculate the following matrix product.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad (-9)$$

**Problem 23** (2points) Is product of  $2 \times 4$  and  $4 \times 100$  matrices defined? (Y/N)

**Problem 27** Calculate the product of the following matrices:

a) (2 points)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad (-9)$$

b) (3 points)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} \quad (-9)$$

**Problem 29.** Find determinant of each of the following matrices: (simplify first)

a) (3 points)

$$\begin{matrix} 1 & 3 & 400 & 1 & 6 \\ 2 & 6 & 412 & 5 & 7 \\ -1 & -3 & 179 & 5 & 0 \end{matrix}$$

b) (3 points)

$$\begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{matrix}$$

**Problem 57** (4 points) Let

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad (-9)$$

Use Cramer's rule to find solution of the following system:  $A\mathbf{x} = (1, 0, -1)^T$ .

**Problem 58** (4 points) Let  $S$  be a triangle with vertices  $(0, 0), (1, 0), (0, 2)$ . Let  $T$  be a linear transform with matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \quad (-9)$$

Find the area of  $T(S)$  using determinants.

**Problem 59.** (8 points) Find the determinant of the following matrix:

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & 2a & 0 & 3a & 4a & 3a \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 5 & 6 & 5 \\ b & 3b & 0 & b & 2b & b \\ -b & 0 & -2b & b & b & b \\ 0 & a & a & a & a & a \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix}.$$

**Problem 60** (2 points) Let  $A$  be an  $n$  by  $n$  matrix, and  $\mathbf{b}$  be a vector with  $n$  components. Let  $\det(A) = 3$ ,  $\det(A_i(\mathbf{b})) = i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ . Solve the system  $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ .

**Problem 61** (4 points) Express the determinant of the following matrix as a sum of determinants of  $4 \times 4$  matrices using splitting by 4th column. (DO NOT EVALUATE those determinants) (DO NOT simplify)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 & 10 & 11 \\ 13 & 14 & 15 & 16 & 17 \\ 19 & 20 & 21 & 22 & 23 \\ 25 & 26 & 27 & 28 & 29 \end{pmatrix}.$$

**Problem 43** (5 points) Find the following matrix product.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 4 \\ 3 & -1 & 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 \\ 4 & 1 \\ 5 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

**Problem 44.** (6 points) Find inverse of the following matrix or show that it does not exist

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

**Problem 50** (6 points) Find the determinant of the following matrix:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (-12)$$

**Problem 56** (2 points each part) Let  $A$  be a  $4 \times 4$  matrix such that  $\det(A) = 7$ .

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & a_{14} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} & a_{24} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} & a_{34} \\ a_{41} & a_{42} & a_{43} & a_{44} \end{pmatrix} \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & a_{14} \\ 2a_{21} - a_{11} & 2a_{22} - a_{12} & 2a_{23} - a_{13} & 2a_{24} - a_{14} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} & a_{34} \\ a_{41} & a_{42} & a_{43} & a_{44} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$C = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & a_{14} \\ a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & a_{14} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} & a_{34} \\ a_{41} & a_{42} & a_{43} & a_{44} \end{pmatrix} \quad D = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{13} & a_{12} & a_{14} \\ a_{21} & a_{23} & a_{22} & a_{24} \\ a_{31} & a_{33} & a_{32} & a_{34} \\ a_{41} & a_{43} & a_{42} & a_{44} \end{pmatrix}$$

Find the following:

- $\det((A^3)^{-1})$
- $\det(-3A)$
- $\det(B)$
- $\det(C)$
- $\det(D)$ .

**Problem 57** (4 points) Let

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad (-14)$$

Use Cramer's rule to find solution of the following system:  $A\mathbf{x} = (1, 0, -1)^T$ .

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## CHAPTER 4

**Problem 45** (5 points) Let  $S = \{(a + b, a - b, c + 3b) : a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}\}$ . Is  $S$  a subspace? Show ALL your work.

**Problem 46** (4 extra-points) Let  $S = \{(a+b+1, a-b-2, c) : a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}\}$ . Is  $S$  a subspace? Show ALL your work.

**Problem 47.** (8 points) Let

$$T(\mathbf{x}) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 3 & 4 & 0 \\ 3 & 5 & 5 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{x}.$$

Find  $\text{Ker}(T)$  and  $\text{Im}(T)$ .

**Problem 48** (4 points) Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be a linear transform. It is known that  $\text{Im}(T) \neq \mathbb{R}^2$  and that  $(1, 2) \in \text{Im}(T)$ . Find and sketch  $\text{Im}(T)$ .

**Problem 49** (6 points) Find the inverse of the following matrix or show that it does not exist.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (-16)$$

**Problem 51.** (8 points) Find the dimension of the following subspace:

$$S = \text{Span}(\{(1, 1, -1, 3, 4), (0, -1, 1, -3, -3), (2, 0, 0, 0, 2)\}).$$

**Problem 52** Let  $A$  be a  $10 \times 6$  matrix of rank 3.

a) (2 points) What is the dimension of  $\text{Null}(A)$ ?

b) (2 points) Let  $L(\mathbf{v}) = A\mathbf{v}$ , be a linear transform. Find  $\dim(\text{Im}(L))$ .

**Problem 53** Let  $S$  be a subspace having an ordered basis  $B = ((1, 1, 0, 1, 1), (-1, 0, 1, 1, 0))$ .

Let  $\mathbf{x} = (2, 7, 5, 12, 7)$ .

a) (3 points) Find the coordinatization  $[\mathbf{x}]_B$  of  $\mathbf{x}$  with respect to  $B$ .

b) (2 points) Let  $[\mathbf{y}]_B = (-1, 3)$ . Find  $\mathbf{y}$ .

**Problem 54.** (6 points) Let  $S = \{(1, 2, -1, 0), (1, 3, 4, 0), (3, 8, 7, 0), (1, 1, 1, 1)\}$ .

Is  $S$  a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^4$ ? Show all your calculations.

**Problem 55** (6 points) Let  $S = \{(1, 3, 2), (2, 0, 1)\}$ . Is  $S$  a basis of the following subspace  $V = \{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^3 : x_1 + x_2 - 2x_3 = 0\}$ ? Show all your calculations.

**Problem 62.** (6 points)

Find a basis of  $V = \text{Span}(\{(1, 2, -1, 0), (0, 0, 0, 0), (1, 3, 4, 0), (3, 2, 7, 0), (1, 1, 1, 0)\})$ .

(use whatever method you'd like)

**Problem 63** (6 points)

Find a basis  $B$  of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  such that  $B$  contains a vector  $(1, 3, 2)$ .

(If you are not using any specific method, justify your answer)

(Note that row-reduction method will not necessarily give you the desired result).

**Problem 64**

a)(4 points)

Let  $H = \{(x + 3y, -9y - 3x) : x, y \in \mathbb{R}\}$ .

Is  $H$  a subspace of some vector space  $V$ ? If yes, prove it and state what is  $V$ . If no, prove it.

b)(4 points)

Let  $H = \{y^2 : y \in \mathbb{R}\}$ .

Is  $H$  a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}$ ?

c) (3 points)

Let  $H$  be a set of polynomials of the following form:

$H = \{bx^{2a} : b \in \mathbb{R}, a \in \mathbb{N}\}$ .

For example  $H$  contains  $x^2, 4x^4, \sqrt{5}x^{10}, \dots$ . Is  $H$  a vector space over  $\mathbb{R}$  with usual operations of function addition and multiplication by a scalar? Justify your answer.

**Problem 65.** (6 points)

Let  $B = (1, 2, 3, 4), (0, 0, 1, -1), (0, 0, 1, 1), (1, 0, 0, 2)$ .

a) Prove that  $B$  is an ordered basis of  $\mathbb{R}^4$ .

b) Find transition matrix  $T_B$  such that  $\mathbf{w} = T_B[\mathbf{w}]_b$  for any  $\mathbf{w} \in \mathbb{R}^4$ .

c) Find  $[\mathbf{w}]_B$  for  $\mathbf{w} = (1, 0, 2, -4)$ .

**Problem 66.** (6 points)

Let  $B = (1, 2, 3, 4), (0, 0, 0, -1), (0, 0, 1, 1), (1, 0, 0, 2)$ .

a) Check that  $B$  is an ordered basis of  $\mathbb{R}^4$ .

b) Find transition matrix  $T_B$  such that  $\mathbf{w} = T_B[\mathbf{w}]_b$  for any  $\mathbf{w} \in \mathbb{R}^4$ .

c) Find  $[\mathbf{w}]_B$  for  $\mathbf{w} = (1, 1, 2, -4)$ .

**Problem 68** (6 points)

Let  $B = ((1, 2, 3), (0, 1, 0), (-1, 0, 0))$  and  $C = ((1, 0, 0), (4, 0, 1), (1, 1, 0))$ .

Let  $L : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  given by

$L((x_1, x_2, x_3)) = (x_3 - x_1, x_2 + 5x_1, -x_3 + x_1 + x_2)$ .

Find a matrix  $A_{BC}$  such that

$$[L(\mathbf{x})]_C = A_{BC}[\mathbf{x}]_B.$$

**Problem 69** (6 points)

Let  $H = \{(a - b - c + d, -a + b + c, d, a - b - c + 2d) : a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R}\}$ .

Find a basis of  $H$ .

**Problem 73** (3 points each subproblem)

Let

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 4 & 7 & 8 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 & 8 & 15 & 7 \\ 45 & 90 & 2 & 180 & 316 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

It is given that

$$\text{ref}(A) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 4 & 7 & 8 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Find (and write down your argumentation)

- A basis for  $\text{Null}(A)$ .
- A basis for  $\text{Col}(A)$ .
- Dimensions of  $\text{RowSpace}(A)$ ,  $\text{Col}(A)$ ,  $\text{Null}(A)$ .
- Does  $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$  have a solution for any  $\mathbf{b}$ ?

**Problem 75.**

Let  $S = \text{Span}(\{t^2, 2t^3 - 1, 30, \cos(t), t^3 - t^2, \cos(t) + t\})$ .

- (6 points) Find an ordered basis  $B$  for  $S$ . Justify your answer.
- (3 points) Find a coordinatization of the following function with respect to  $B$ :  $f(t) = 7\cos(t) + 5t^3 - 4$ .
- (2 points) Find  $\dim(S)$ .

## CHAPTER 5

**Problem 76.** (12 points)

For the following matrix, find:

- 1) the eigenvalues
- 2) corresponding eigenspaces
- 3) a specific eigenvector for each eigenvalue.

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

## CHAPTER 6

### Problem 70 (6 points)

Let  $P$  be a plane spanned by vectors  $(1, 2, 3)$  and  $(3, 4, 0)$ . Does the following set  $B$  of vectors form a basis of  $P$ ?

Justify your work.

$$B = \{(-2, -2, 3), (1, 0, -6)\}.$$

### Problem 71. (6 points)

a) Prove that the following is an orthonormal basis of a vector space  $V$ .

b) What is the dimension of that vector space?

$$B = \{(1/\sqrt{3}, 1/\sqrt{3}, -1/\sqrt{3}), (0, 1/\sqrt{2}, 1/\sqrt{2})\}.$$

### Problem 72 Let $\mathbf{v} = (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8) \in \mathbb{R}^8$ .

Let  $V = \text{Span}(\{(3, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0), (0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0), (0, 0, 0, 0, -4, 3, 0, 0), (0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 2)\})$ .

a) Find the projection of  $\mathbf{v}$  onto  $V$ .

b) Find the orthogonal complement of  $V$ .

### Problem 74. (12 points)

Let  $V = \{(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) : 2x_1 + x_2 - x_3 + x_4 = 0\}$ . Find a basis  $B$  of  $V$  and use Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization to find an orthonormal basis of  $V$ .

## GENERAL

### Problems 1 (5 points)

Let  $\mathbf{a}_1 = (1, 1, 0, -1)$ ,  $\mathbf{a}_2 = (1, 0, 0, -1)$ ,  $\mathbf{a}_3 = (0, 0, 1, -1)$ ,  $\mathbf{b} = (1, 2, 3, 4)$ . Is  $\mathbf{b}$  in the  $\text{Span}(\{\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2, \mathbf{a}_3\})$ ? If yes, give the corresponding coefficients. If not, justify your answer.

### Problem 2 ( 1 point each ) True/False?

a) Any linear combination of vectors  $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3, \mathbf{v}_4$  is has the form  $a\mathbf{v}_1 - b\mathbf{v}_2 + c\mathbf{v}_3$ , where  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$ .

b) Any linear combination of vectors  $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3, \mathbf{v}_4$  is in the  $\text{Span}(\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3, \mathbf{v}_4\})$ .

c) A product of  $4 \times 10$  and  $4 \times 3$  matrices is well-defined.

d)  $\mathbb{R}^3$  is a span for some set of vectors.