

Exam Two: MTH 221, Spring 2017

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QUESTION 1. (10 points) Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$  be a linear transformation with standard matrix representation  $M =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -2 & 3 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} R_1 + R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \\ -2R_1 + R_3 \rightarrow R_3 \\ R_1 + R_4 \rightarrow R_4 \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{leader col 1} \\ \text{and 3} \end{array}$$

(i) Find the Range of  $T$

Range of  $T = \text{col space of } M.$

Range  $(T) = \text{Span} \{ (1, -1, 2, -1), (1, -1, 3, -1) \}$

(ii) Find the independent-number of Range( $T$ ) (i.e.,  $\dim(\text{Range}(T))$ )

Span of Two indep points,  $\dim \text{Range}(T) = \underline{\underline{2}}$

(iii) Find  $Z(T)$  (i.e.,  $\text{Ker}(T)$  or null space of  $T$ )  $\rightarrow$  should be.

3 variables  $\dim \text{Ker}(T) = 1$  Rank = 2.

$x_3 = 0$   $Z(T) = \{ (x_2, x_2, 0) / x_2 \in \mathbb{R} \}$

$x_1 = x_2$   
 $x_2 \in \mathbb{R}.$   $Z(T) = \text{Span} \{ (1, 1, 0) \} \rightarrow$  one point correct.

(iv) Find  $T(0, 3, 0)$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -2 & 3 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + 3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + 0 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 3 \\ -6 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

(v) Does the point  $(2, -2, 5, 4)$  belong to the Range( $T$ )? Explain

$T(0, 3, 0) = (-3, 3, -6, 3).$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ -1 & -1 & -2 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 & 5 & 5 \\ -1 & -1 & 4 & 4 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R_1 + R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \\ \sim \\ R_1 + R_4 \rightarrow R_4 \end{array} \rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & 5 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 & 6 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow 0 \neq 6$$

No it does not belong because inconsistent system.

**QUESTION 2. (4 points)** Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be a linear transformation such that  $T(1, 1, 1) = 2$ ,  $T(1, 1, 0) = 2$ , and  $T(1, 0, 1) = 0$ . Find  $Z(T)$  and find the independent-number of  $Z(T)$ . [Hint: It is going to be a big mess if you try to find the matrix representation of  $T$  first... STARE and think... then you might see an easier way to do it... however it is not wrong if you want to find the matrix representation of  $T$  first]

Let  $M = [a \ b \ c]$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 2 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{-R_1+R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \\ -R_1+R_3 \rightarrow R_3}} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$b = 2$   
 $c = 0$   
 $a = 0$

$a + b + c = 2$   
 $a + c = 0$   
 $a + b = 2$

$M = [0 \ 2 \ 0] \rightarrow Z(T) = Z(M)$

$Z(T) = \text{span}\{(1, 0, 0), (0, 0, 1)\}$

$\dim Z(T) = 2$

means  
 $b = 0$   
 $a$  and  
 $c \in \mathbb{R}$ .

**QUESTION 3. (4 points)** Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be a linear transformation such that  $T(a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4) = (a_1 + 3a_4, 3a_1 + 9a_4)$ .

(i) Find the independent-number of  $\text{Range}(T)$ . (i.e.,  $\dim(\text{Range}(T))$ )

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 & a_4 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-3R_1+R_3 \rightarrow R_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\text{Span}\{(1, 3)\}$

$\dim \text{Range}(T) = 1$

4 variables

(ii) Find the independent-number of  $Z(T)$ . (i.e.,  $\dim(\text{Ker}(T))$ )

$x_1 = -3x_4$

$$Z(T) = \{x(-3x_4, x_2, x_3, x_4) \mid x_4 \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

$\dim Z(T) = 3 + \text{Rank}(T) = 1 = 4$

**QUESTION 4. (4 points)** Let  $F = \text{span}\{(1, 4, 1, 0), (-1, a, 0, 1), (-1, b, -1, 0)\}$  such that the independent-number of  $F$  is 3. Find all possible values of  $a$  and  $b$ .

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 4 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & a & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & b & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{R_1+R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \\ R_1+R_3 \rightarrow R_3}} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 4 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 4+a & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 4+b & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

Must get 3 leaders

To get 3 leaders

$a = -4$  and  $b \neq -4$ .

4+a part cant be leader  
So need to make 4+b leader.

$a \in \mathbb{R}$

**QUESTION 5. (3 points)** Convince me that  $D = \{f(x) \in P_4 \mid f(2) = 0 \text{ or } f(-1) = 0\}$  is not a subspace of  $P_4$ .

Polynomial in  $P_4 = ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d$ .

$v_1 \in D = x^2 - 4 \rightarrow f(2) = 0$

$v_2 \in D = -x + 1 \rightarrow f(-1) = 0$

$v_1 + v_2 = x^2 - x - 5$

$[v_1 + v_2](2) = 2^2 - 2 - 5 = -3 \neq 0 \notin D$

$[v_1 + v_2](-1) = -5 \neq 0$

Axiom 2 fails

$D$  is not a subspace.

QUESTION 6. (5 points) Convince me that  $L = \{A \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3} \mid A^T = -A\}$  is a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}$ . Then find the independent-number of  $L$  (i.e.,  $\dim(L)$ )

$A = -A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & a & b \\ -a & 0 & c \\ -b & -c & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  Main diagonal are all 0 to make  $A^T = -A$ .

$L = \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$  → written as a span  $L$  is a subspace

$\text{Aug} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$\dim(L) = 3$

QUESTION 7. (4 points) Given  $B = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, A, C \right\}$  is a basis for  $\mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$ . Find one possibility for  $A$  and one possibility for  $C$ . SHOW THE WORK

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1+R_2 \rightarrow R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

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

Hence to form basis for  $\mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$  need leaders in col 3 and 4

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1+R_2 \rightarrow R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow 4 \text{ leaders in } \mathbb{R}^4$

QUESTION 8. (4 points) Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & a & b & 4 \\ 4 & c & d & 8 \\ 6 & 7 & g & h \end{bmatrix}$  such that  $A$  is row-equivalent to  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Find,  $a, b, c,$   $d, g, h$

$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & a & b & 4 \\ 4 & c & d & 8 \\ 6 & 7 & g & h \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \text{Col 3 of B all 0} \rightarrow \text{So } b=d=g=0$

$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & a & 0 & 4 \\ 4 & c & 0 & 8 \\ 6 & 7 & 0 & h \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-2R_1+R_2 \rightarrow R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & a & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & c-2a & 0 & 4 \\ 6 & 7 & 0 & h \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-3R_1+R_3 \rightarrow R_3}$

$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & a & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & -2a+c & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -3a+7 & 0 & -12+h \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} \frac{1}{2}R_1 \\ -R_2 \leftrightarrow R_3 \end{matrix}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & a/2 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & -3a+7 & 0 & -12+h \\ 0 & -2a+c & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{matrix} -12+h=1 \\ h=13 \end{matrix} \rightarrow \boxed{c=2a}$

QUESTION 9. (3 points) Convince me that  $F = \{A \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 4} \mid \text{Rank}(A) \leq 2\}$  is not a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^{3 \times 4}$

Let  $B$  and  $C$  be in  $F$  where

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

$B+C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  Rank(A) = 0 Zero Matrix

Rank = 3  $\not\leq 2 \notin F$

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Rank 2

$F \notin \text{Subspace}$