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M511: Linear Algebra (Fall 2017)
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Chapter 4 Exam



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Read and follow all instructions. You may not use any notes or electronic devices.

Part I: True/False [4 points each]

Neatly write **T** on the line if the statement is always true, and **F** otherwise [2 points]. In the space provided, give sufficient explanation of your answer [2 points].

T 1. If $L: V \rightarrow V$ is a linear transformation and $\mathbf{x} \in \ker(L)$, then $L(\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{x}) = L(\mathbf{v})$ for all $\mathbf{v} \in V$.

$$L(\bar{\mathbf{v}} + \bar{\mathbf{x}}) = L(\bar{\mathbf{v}}) + L(\bar{\mathbf{x}}) = L(\bar{\mathbf{v}}) + \bar{\mathbf{0}} = L(\bar{\mathbf{v}}).$$

F 2. Let $L: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ be a linear transformation. If $L(\mathbf{x}_1) = L(\mathbf{x}_2)$, then \mathbf{x}_1 must be equal to \mathbf{x}_2 .

only true if L is one-to-one.

F 3. Let $L: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ be a linear transformation, and let A be the standard matrix representation of L . Then $\text{range}(L) = \text{row}(A)$.

$$\text{range}(L) = \text{col}(A).$$

T 4. Let $L: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ be a linear transformation, and let A be the standard matrix representation of L . Then $\ker(L) = \text{Null}(A)$.

$$\begin{aligned} L(\bar{\mathbf{x}}) = \bar{\mathbf{0}} &\Rightarrow L(c_1\bar{\mathbf{v}}_1 + c_2\bar{\mathbf{v}}_2 + \dots + c_n\bar{\mathbf{v}}_n) = \bar{\mathbf{0}} \Rightarrow c_1L(\bar{\mathbf{v}}_1) + c_2L(\bar{\mathbf{v}}_2) + \dots + c_nL(\bar{\mathbf{v}}_n) = \bar{\mathbf{0}} \\ &\Rightarrow (L(\bar{\mathbf{v}}_1), L(\bar{\mathbf{v}}_2), \dots, L(\bar{\mathbf{v}}_n)) \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \\ \vdots \\ c_n \end{pmatrix} = \bar{\mathbf{0}} \Rightarrow A \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \\ \vdots \\ c_n \end{pmatrix} = \bar{\mathbf{0}}. \end{aligned}$$

F 5. The transformation of \mathbb{R}^2 that reflects each point in the plane over the line $y = 2x - 4$ is a linear transformation.

$$L(\bar{\mathbf{0}}) \neq \bar{\mathbf{0}}!$$

Part I: Written Problems (10 points each)

Follow all instructions exactly, and show enough work.

- 6-7. Consider the ordered bases $U = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$ and $V = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$ of \mathbb{R}^2 .
6. Consider the linear transformation defined by $L(u_1) = 2u_1 - u_2$ and $L(u_2) = u_1 + 3u_2$. Find the matrix representing L with respect to the basis U .

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

7. Find the matrix representing L with respect to the basis V .

$$B_L = S^{-1} A_L S$$

$$\text{where } S: V \rightarrow U = U^{-1}V.$$

$$V = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 1 & -4 \end{pmatrix}, \quad U = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 1 & -3 \end{pmatrix}, \quad U^{-1} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} -3 & -2 \\ -1 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$S = \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} -3 & -2 \\ -1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} -5 & -2 \\ -3 & -6 \end{pmatrix}$$

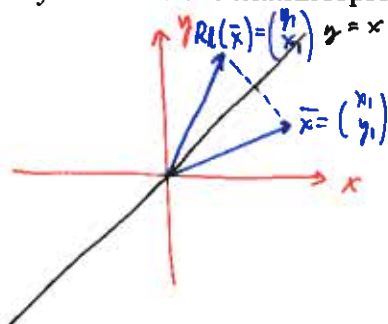
$$S^{-1} = \frac{16}{16} \cdot \frac{1}{24} \begin{pmatrix} -6 & 2 \\ 3 & -5 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{2}{3} \begin{pmatrix} -6 & 2 \\ 3 & -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$B = \frac{2}{3} \begin{pmatrix} -6 & 2 \\ 3 & -5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \left(\frac{1}{4} \begin{pmatrix} -3 & -2 \\ -1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \right) = \frac{1}{6} \begin{pmatrix} -6 & 2 \\ 3 & -5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -7 & -6 \\ 0 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$B_L = \frac{1}{6} \begin{pmatrix} 42 & 28 \\ -21 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

8. Let $R_\ell : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be the linear transformation that reflects each vector over the line $\ell : y = x$. Find the matrix representing R_ℓ with respect to the standard basis.



$$R_\ell \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R_\ell \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{so, } R_\ell = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

9. Let $U = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$, and suppose $L(u_1) = 2u_1$ and $L(u_2) = -4u_2$. Find the matrix representing L with respect to the standard basis.

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad U^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A_U = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$B = A_U = U^{-1} A_U U = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ -4 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -6 \\ -6 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -3 \\ -3 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

10-11. Suppose $L: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is given by

$$L \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + x_2 \\ x_2 + x_3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

10. Find a basis for $\ker(L)$.

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

$$x_1 = -x_2$$

$$x_3 = -x_2$$

so x_2 is free.

therefore $\ker(L) = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}.$

11. Is L onto? Explain.

$n=3$ and $\text{null}(A)=1$, so $\text{rk}(A)=2$.

Therefore $\dim(\text{range}(L))=2$, and $\text{range}(L) = \mathbb{R}^2$.

12–13. Consider the subspace $S = \text{span}\{e^{-x} \cos x, e^{-x} \sin x\}$ of $C(\mathbb{R})$.

12. Find the matrix representing the derivative $D: f \mapsto f'$ on S .

$$D(e^x \cos x) = -e^x \cos x - e^x \sin x = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$D(e^x \sin x) = e^x \cos x - e^x \sin x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{so, } D = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

13. Use the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus to compute

$$\int 3e^{-x} \cos x - 5e^{-x} \sin x dx$$

as a matrix product.

$$A = D^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{so } \int 3e^{-x} \cos x - 5e^{-x} \sin x dx &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= e^{-x} \cos x + 4e^{-x} \sin x \end{aligned}$$