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Test 2 Linear Algebra 3450:312 Dr. Clemons
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$$\bar{X} = 86.8$$

$$n = 33$$

$$s = 4$$

$$\text{min} = 67$$

$$\text{med} = 87$$

$$\text{max} = 100$$

Test Total

5-100

7-90's

15-80's

4-70's

2-60's

1. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & -7 & -1 & 7 \\ 1 & 0 & -2 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -2 & -2 & -2 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$, which row-reduces to $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.

(a) Find a basis for *Col A*.

$$\beta = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ -2 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

5 points

(b) Find a basis for *Nul A*.

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 &= 2x_3 - x_5 \\ x_2 &= -x_3 + 2x_5 \\ x_3 &= x_3 \\ x_4 &= -x_5 \\ x_5 &= x_5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\beta = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

10 points

(c) Find a basis for *Row A*.

$$\beta = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ -7 \\ -1 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ -2 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \text{ or } \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

5 points

(d) Find *Rank A* and *dim Nul A*.

$$\text{Rank} + \text{Nul} = \# \text{ Col} = 5$$

$$3 + 2 = 5$$

5 points

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2. Use Cramer's rule to solve

$$3x + 7y = 5$$

$$2x + 4y = 11$$

$$x = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 5 & 7 \\ 11 & 4 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 7 \\ 2 & 4 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{20 - 77}{12 - 14} = \frac{-57}{-2} = \frac{57}{2}$$

$$y = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 2 & 11 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 7 \\ 2 & 4 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{33 - 10}{-2} = \frac{23}{-2} = -\frac{23}{2}$$

10 points

3. Let P_2 be the space of polynomials of degree two or less. The sets $A = \{1 - 2t + t^2, 3 - 5t + 4t^2, 2t + 3t^2\}$ and $B = \{1, t, t^2\}$ form bases for P_2 .

(a) Calculate the change-of-coordinate matrix $[P]_{B \leftarrow A}$.

$$[P]_{B \leftarrow A} = \begin{pmatrix} [1 - 2t + t^2]_B & [3 - 5t + 4t^2]_B & [2t + 3t^2]_B \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ -2 & -5 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

10 points

(b) Evaluate $[-1 + 2t + t^2]_A = \begin{pmatrix} 11 \\ -4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned} -1 + 2t + t^2 &= \alpha(1 - 2t + t^2) + \beta(3 - 5t + 4t^2) + \gamma(2t + 3t^2) \\ &= (\alpha + 3\beta) + (-2\alpha - 5\beta + 2\gamma)t + (\alpha + 4\beta + 3\gamma)t^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha + 3\beta &= -1 \\ -2\alpha - 5\beta + 2\gamma &= 2 \\ \alpha + 4\beta + 3\gamma &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} -1 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & -5 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ -2 & -5 & 2 \\ \alpha & 4 & 3 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{11}{1} = 11$$

$$\beta = \frac{-1 - \alpha}{3} = -4$$

$$\gamma = \frac{1 - \alpha - 4\beta}{3} = \frac{1 - 11 - 4(-4)}{3} = \frac{6}{3} = 2$$

$$[-1 + 2t + t^2]_A = \begin{pmatrix} 11 \\ -4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

10 points

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4. Evaluate

(a) $\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 8 & -2 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 1/2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix} = 1 \cdot 2 \cdot -1 \cdot 5 = -10$, prod of diagonals since upper Δ .

(b) $\det \begin{pmatrix} -6 & 0 & 12 & 2 \\ 7 & 0 & 7 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 11 & -4 \\ 6 & 0 & -3 & 8 \end{pmatrix} = 0$, since a column consists entirely of 0's.

(c) $\det(A)$, given $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 & 8 \end{pmatrix} A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 & 8 \end{vmatrix} |A| = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 & 8 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{-3 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 & 8 \end{vmatrix} + 8 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 5 \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{-27}{(6-15) + 8(5-4) - 9+8} = \frac{-27}{-9+8} = 27$$

12 pts

5. Is $H = \{A \in M_{2 \times 2} \mid \text{tr}(A) = a_{11} + a_{22} = 0\}$ a subspace of the vector space $M_{2 \times 2}$, the 2×2 matrices? ?

i) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $\text{tr} A = 0 + 0 = 0$. So 0 is in H .

ii) $A, B \in H$ $A+B = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11}+b_{11} & a_{12}+b_{12} \\ a_{21}+b_{21} & a_{22}+b_{22} \end{pmatrix}$
 $\text{tr}(A+B) = (a_{11}+b_{11}) + (a_{22}+b_{22})$
 $= (a_{11}+a_{22}) + (b_{11}+b_{22})$
 $= \text{tr} A + \text{tr} B = 0 + 0 = 0$
 so $A+B \in H$.

iii) $A \in H$

$$dA = \begin{pmatrix} da_{11} & da_{12} \\ da_{21} & da_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{tr}(dA) = da_{11} + da_{22}$$

$$= d(a_{11} + a_{22})$$

$$= d \cdot 0 = 0$$

so $dA \in H$.

10 points

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6. Consider the vector space $V = \{p(x) \in P_3 | p(x) = ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + (a+b+c)\}$.

(a) For what value of n is V isomorphic to \mathbb{R}^n .

Find a basis

$$a=1 \quad x^3+1$$

$$b=1 \quad x^2+1$$

$$c=1 \quad x+1$$

$$\mathcal{B} = \{x^3+1, x^2+1, x+1\}$$

$$\underline{n=3}$$

5 points

(b) Find an isomorphism from V to \mathbb{R}^n .

$$T(x^3+1) = e_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$T(x^2+1) = e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$T(x+1) = e_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

• A linear transformation is completely determined by its action on a basis.

• An isomorphism between 2 vector spaces w/ the same size is takes bases to bases.

$$\text{Hence } T(ax^3+bx^2+cx+(a+b+c)) = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix}.$$

8 points

7. Determine if $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 11 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$ forms a basis for $M_{2 \times 2}$.

$$\mathcal{B} = \text{standard basis} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

writing S as coord vectors in \mathbb{R}^4 :

$$[S]_{\mathcal{B}} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 11 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & 4 & 11 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 4(-3) = -12 \neq 0. \text{ So } S \text{ is lin indep.}$$

10 pts

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