

Math 362 - Linear Algebra - Exam 1 Key p1/

$$1. \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(a) \quad AB^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 2 \\ -3 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \boxed{\begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 & 2 \\ -16 & 6 & -4 \end{bmatrix}}$$

(2x2) (2x3)

$$(b) \quad \vec{x} \vec{x}^T + \vec{x}^T \vec{x}$$

(3x1) (1x3) (1x3) (3x1)

$\Rightarrow 3 \times 3$ $\Rightarrow 1 \times 1$

Not possible to add, since $\vec{x} \vec{x}^T$ is a 3×3 matrix and $\vec{x}^T \vec{x}$ is a 1×1 matrix.

$$2. \quad \begin{array}{rcl} x_1 + 2x_2 & + x_4 = 4 \\ & x_3 - 3x_4 = 2 \\ x_1 + 2x_2 + 2x_3 - 5x_4 = 8 \end{array} \Rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -3 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 & -5 & 8 \end{array} \right]$$

RREF $\rightarrow$ Calculator

$$\left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} \textcircled{1} & 2 & 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & \textcircled{1} & -3 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \leftarrow \text{consistent.}$$

$\uparrow$ $\uparrow$
 x_2 free x_4 free

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x_1 + 2x_2 + x_4 = 4 \\ x_3 - 3x_4 = 2 \\ x_2, x_4 \text{ free} \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} x_1 = -2x_2 - x_4 + 4 \\ x_2 = x_2 \\ x_3 = 3x_4 + 2 \\ x_4 = x_4 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{x} = x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_4 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\text{soln to homog. system}} \quad \underbrace{\hspace{5em}}_{\text{particular soln}}$

Exam 1 Key p2/

3. $A + B$ are invertible.

(a) Solve for X : $AXB = (AB)^2$

OR

$$AXB = (AB)(AB)$$

$$A^{-1}A^{-1}AXB = A^{-1}A^{-1}ABAB$$

$$IXB = IBAB$$

$$XB = BAB$$

$$XBB^{-1} = BABB^{-1}$$

$$XI = BAI$$

$$X = BA$$

$$AXB = (AB)(AB)$$

$$AXB = A(BA)B$$

$$\uparrow \quad \quad \uparrow$$

$$X = BA$$

Lots of possibilities

(b) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow A^{-1} = \frac{1}{(1)(1) - (2)(0)} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow B^{-1} = \frac{1}{(2)(1) - (3)(0)} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 & -3/2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A+B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 3 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow A^{-1} + B^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 3/2 & -3/2 \\ -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$(A+B)^{-1}$ DNE since $\det(A+B) = (3)(2) - (3)(2) = 0$

So, clearly $(A+B)^{-1}$ can't equal $A^{-1} + B^{-1}$

Another example:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow A^{-1} = \frac{1}{(1)(1) - (0)(0)} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow B^{-1} = \frac{1}{(1)(4) - (2)(3)} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{-2} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 3/2 & -1/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow A^{-1} + B^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 3/2 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

or know $I^{-1} = I$

$$A+B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow (A+B)^{-1} = \frac{1}{(2)(5) - (2)(3)} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -2 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -2 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 5/4 & -1/2 \\ -3/4 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Not the same.

Exam 1 p3/

4.
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & x & x & : & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & x & : & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{-xR_3+R_1 \rightarrow R_1 \\ -xR_3+R_2 \rightarrow R_2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x & 0 & : & 1 & 0 & -x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & : & 0 & 1 & -x \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\xrightarrow{-xR_2+R_1 \rightarrow R_1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & : & 1 & -x & x^2-x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & : & 0 & 1 & -x \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

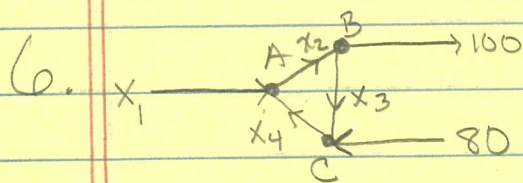
So
$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -x & x^2-x \\ 0 & 1 & -x \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

5.
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 & -1 & : & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & : & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & : & 4 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow[\text{Calculator}]{\text{RREF}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & : & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & : & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & : & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
 Not Consistent

(a) There is no solⁿ to the associated eqn $A\vec{x} = \vec{u}$
 $\therefore \vec{u}$ is not in the set spanned by the columns of A .

(b) If you consider the associated homogeneous eqn $A\vec{x} = 0$, the solⁿ contains a free variable x_3 . Therefore, the columns of A are linearly dependent.

Note: There are other possible justifications/explanations



Node

A
B
C

overall system

Inflow = Outflow

$$x_1 + x_4 = x_2$$

$$x_2 = x_3 + 100$$

$$x_3 + 80 = x_4$$

$$x_1 + 80 = 100$$

ie
$$\begin{aligned} x_1 - x_2 + x_4 &= 0 \\ x_2 - x_3 &= 100 \\ x_3 - x_4 &= -80 \\ x_1 &= 20 \end{aligned}$$

7. (a) ^{Proof} Let $\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3, \vec{v}_4$ be in $\mathbb{R}^n$ and suppose $\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3\}$ is linearly dependent. Show that $\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3, \vec{v}_4\}$ is linearly dep.

Then there exists weights not all zero, such that

$$c_1 \vec{v}_1 + c_2 \vec{v}_2 + c_3 \vec{v}_3 = \vec{0}$$

Using the same not all zero weights c_1, c_2, c_3 the following equation holds for $c_4 = 0$

$$\underbrace{c_1 \vec{v}_1 + c_2 \vec{v}_2 + c_3 \vec{v}_3}_{\vec{0} \text{ from above}} + \underbrace{0 \vec{v}_4}_{\vec{0}} = \vec{0}$$

$\therefore \{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3, \vec{v}_4\}$ is linearly dependent.

(b) ^{Proof} Let A & B be invertible and let $AB = BA$.
Then A^{-1} & B^{-1} exist. Show $(AB)^{-1} = A^{-1}B^{-1}$
Consider $(AB)^{-1} = (BA)^{-1}$ since $AB = BA$
 $= A^{-1}B^{-1}$ by property of inverses

□

[Note: Should also state that we know $(AB)^{-1}$ exists since properties of inverses tell us the product of 2 invertible matrices is also invertible.]

(c) ^{Proof} Let $\vec{w}$ be a solⁿ to $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$. i.e. $A\vec{w} = \vec{b}$ is true. (*)
Let $\vec{u}_n$ be a solⁿ to $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$. i.e. $A\vec{u}_n = \vec{0}$ is true. (**)
Let $\vec{v} = \vec{w} + \vec{u}_n$ Show that $\vec{v}$ is a solⁿ to $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$
i.e. Show $A\vec{v} = \vec{b}$ is true

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Consider } A\vec{v} &= A(\vec{w} + \vec{u}_n) \\ &= A\vec{w} + A\vec{u}_n \quad \text{by Left Distributive Law} \\ &= \vec{b} + \vec{0} \quad \text{by (*) and (**)} \\ &= \vec{b} \end{aligned}$$

i.e. $A\vec{v} = \vec{b}$ is true. $\therefore \vec{v}$ is a solⁿ to $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$.

8. (a) $(A+B)^2 = A^2 + 2AB + B^2$ **FALSE**

$$(A+B)^2 = (A+B)(A+B) = A(A+B) + B(A+B) \\ = A^2 + \underbrace{AB + BA}_{\text{cannot combine since } AB \neq BA} + B^2$$

cannot combine since $AB \neq BA$

(b) **FALSE**

A must have a pivot in every row for $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ to be consistent for each $\vec{b}$ in $\mathbb{R}^m$.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & | & * \\ 0 & 1 & | & * \\ 0 & 0 & | & * \end{bmatrix}$$

Counterexample

(c) **TRUE**

{ You need at least 3 vectors in $\mathbb{R}^3$ to span $\mathbb{R}^3$.

(d) **TRUE**

$AB = [A\vec{b}_1, A\vec{b}_2, A\vec{b}_3]$ by Defⁿ.

{ (Explanations are not required for True statements)