

- Q1. (a) Determine whether,  $S = \{(x, y, z, t) \mid xy = z\}$  is a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^4$ ? [5 points]  
 (b) Show that  $\{(x, y, z, w) \mid x + 2y = z + 3w = 0\}$  is a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^4$ . [5 points]  
 (c) Find a basis for the subspace,  $S = \{(x, y, z, w) \mid x + 2y = z + 3w = 0\}$  of  $\mathbb{R}^4$ .  
 What is the dimension of this subspace? [6 points]

Counter example

(a)  $\langle 1, 1, 1, 1 \rangle \in S$ ,  $\langle 2, 2, 4, 1 \rangle \in S$  2  
 $\langle 1, 1, 1, 1 \rangle + \langle 2, 2, 4, 1 \rangle = \langle 3, 3, 5, 2 \rangle \notin S$   
 $3 \cdot 3 \neq 5 \cdot 2$  2

Second condition is not satisfied.  $S$  is not a subspace. 1

(1)  $\langle -2y, y, -3w, w \rangle$  is the general form of a vector in  $V$ . (1+1)

(1)  $w = y = 0 \Rightarrow \vec{0} \in V$  1

(2)  $\langle -2y_1, y_1, -3w_1, w_1 \rangle + \langle -2y_2, y_2, -3w_2, w_2 \rangle$   
 $= \langle -2(y_1 + y_2), y_1 + y_2, -3(w_1 + w_2), w_1 + w_2 \rangle$  1

The components of the sum satisfy the equations.

Hence,  $V$  is closed under sum.

(3)  $k \langle -2y, y, -3w, w \rangle = \langle -2ky, ky, -3kw, kw \rangle$

The components of scalar multiplication satisfy the equations

$-2ky = 2(ky)$   $-3kw + 3kw = 0$  1

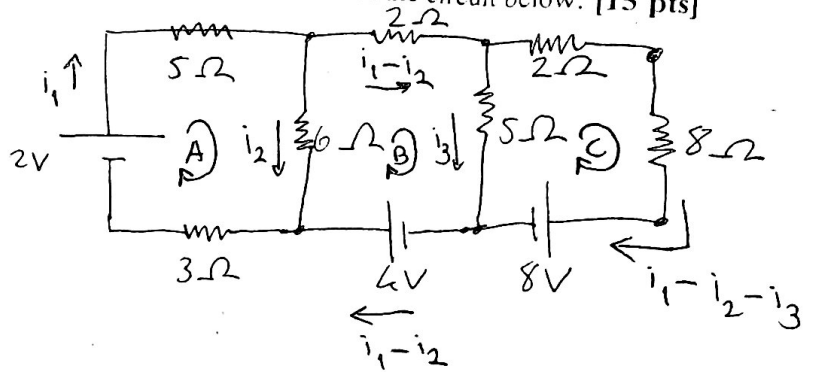
$V$  is closed under scalar multiplication. Hence,  $V$  is a subspace. 1

(c)  $\langle -2y, y, -3w, w \rangle = y \langle -2, 1, 0, 0 \rangle + w \langle 0, 0, -3, 1 \rangle$  2

$B = \{ \langle -2, 1, 0, 0 \rangle, \langle 0, 0, -3, 1 \rangle \}$  spans  $V$ . They are linearly independent (1+1)  
 as they are not multiple of each other.  $B$  is a basis

$\dim V = 2$  2

Q2. Using Gaussian elimination, find the currents in all branches of the circuit below. [15 pts]



A:  $-5i_1 - 6i_2 - 3i_1 + 2 = 0$

(2+1) B:  $-2(i_1 - i_2) - 5i_3 + 6i_2 = -4$

C:  $-10(i_1 - i_2 - i_3) - 8 + 5i_3 = 0$

$8i_1 + 6i_2 = 2$

$2i_1 - 8i_2 + 5i_3 = 4$

$-10i_1 + 10i_2 + 15i_3 = 8$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 8 & 6 & 0 & 2 \\ 2 & -8 & 5 & 4 \\ -10 & 10 & 15 & 8 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{5R_2 + R_3} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 8 & 6 & 0 & 2 \\ 2 & -8 & 5 & 4 \\ 0 & -30 & 40 & 28 \end{array} \right)$$

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~~R1 + R2 + R3~~

$-4R_2$   
then  $R_1 + R_2$   
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$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 8 & 6 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 38 & -20 & -14 \\ 0 & -70 & 40 & 28 \end{array} \right)$$

$\frac{1}{2}R_1$   
 $\frac{1}{2}R_2$   
 $\frac{1}{2}R_3$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 4 & 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 19 & -10 & -7 \\ 0 & -15 & 20 & 14 \end{array} \right)$$

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① then  $R_2 + R_3$   
 $\frac{19}{15}R_3$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 4 & 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 19 & -10 & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{46}{3} & \frac{161}{15} \end{array} \right)$$

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~~R1 + R2~~  
~~R3~~

$4x_1 + 3x_2 = 1$

$19x_2 = 10x_3 = -7$

$\frac{46}{3}x_3 = \frac{161}{15}$

$$\begin{cases} x_1 = \frac{1}{4} \\ x_2 = 0 \\ x_3 = \frac{7}{10} \end{cases}$$

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$-\frac{10}{4} + \frac{21}{4}$

Q3. (a) Consider the system of non-homogenous linear algebraic equations,

$$\begin{aligned} ax_1 + x_3 &= 161 \\ -x_1 + ax_2 &= 302 \\ x_2 + x_3 &= 2016 \end{aligned}$$

what are the values that a cannot take? [10 points]

If there is no parameters in the solution of the consistent system, ~~find a~~

(b) Consider the matrix

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

If the system  $BX = C$  is consistent. How many parameters does the solution have?

Find  $\text{rank}(B|C)$ .

[10 points]

Ⓐ If there is no parameters then rank of  $\begin{pmatrix} a & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & a & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  is 3. Ⓐ

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & a & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \neq 0 \quad \begin{aligned} a^2 + (-1) &\neq 0 \\ a^2 - 1 &\neq 0 \quad a \neq \pm 1 \end{aligned} \quad \text{Ⓑ}$$

Or use echelon form.

$$\text{Ⓒ} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 6 & -1 & 5 & 5 \\ 2 & 4 & -1 & 3 & 2 \\ 3 & 6 & -2 & 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{R_2 - \frac{2}{3}R_1 \\ R_3 - R_1}} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 6 & -1 & 5 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} & -\frac{4}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

→  $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 6 & -1 & 5 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} & -\frac{4}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  There are 3 free variables. Hence 3 parameters.  
 If  $\text{Rank}(B|C) = 3$ , the system will be inconsistent.

$\text{Rank}(B|C) = 2$  Rank(B|C) cannot be less than rank B.

Q4. (a) Find the eigenvalues of the matrix,

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ -4 & 6 & 2 \\ 16 & -15 & -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

[10 points]

(b) Find a <sup>nonzero</sup> vector  $v$  such that  $A^{302}v = v$ .

[10 points]

$$\textcircled{a} \begin{vmatrix} 3-\lambda & 0 & 0 \\ -4 & 6-\lambda & 2 \\ 16 & -15 & -5-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = -\lambda(\lambda-1)(\lambda-3) = 0 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} 4 \\ \text{steps} \end{array} \right] \text{ for all}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_1 = 0 \quad \lambda_2 = 1 \quad \lambda_3 = 3.$$

$\textcircled{b}$  If  $v$  is the eigenvector of  $A$ , then  $Av = v$ .

Hence,  $A^2v = Av = v \Rightarrow A^2v = v \Rightarrow A^3v = Av = v$

$$\Rightarrow A^3v = v.$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$A^{302}v = v$$

We can choose  $v$  as the eigenvector of 1.

$$\lambda_1 = 1 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ -4 & 5 & 2 \\ 16 & -15 & -6 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2/5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow v = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -2/5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$v_1 = 0$$

$$v_2 = -\frac{2}{5}v_3$$

Q5. (a) Consider

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

Find matrices  $P$  and  $D$ , with  $P$  orthogonal and  $D$  diagonal, such that  $A = PDP^{-1}$ .

~~10~~ <sup>11</sup> points

(b) Find the eigenvalues and eigen vectors of  $A^{-1}$ .

~~8~~ <sup>6</sup> points

ⓐ  $\begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1-\lambda & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = -(\lambda-1)(\lambda+1)(\lambda-2) = 0$  (showing all work)

$\Rightarrow \lambda = \pm 1, 2$  are eigenvalues

$\lambda_1 = 1$   $\begin{pmatrix} -1 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow v = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$

$\lambda_2 = -1$   $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow v = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}} \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$

$\lambda_3 = 2$   $\begin{pmatrix} -2 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow v = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad v_3 = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \end{pmatrix}$

$P = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \end{pmatrix} \quad D = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & \\ & -1 & \\ & & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

ⓑ  $\lambda_1 = 1 \quad e_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \lambda_2 = -1 \quad e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$\lambda_3 = \frac{1}{2} \quad e_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Q6. Find the inverse of the matrix A, if it exists, using the augmented matrix method where

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

Show the step by step calculations for full marks.

[10 pts]

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 2 & | & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 1 & | & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 & | & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 2 & | & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 & -5 & | & -3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{2}$$

$$\xrightarrow{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & | & -1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & -5 & | & 3 & 1 & -6 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 1/5 & 2/5 & -2/5 \\ 0 & 0 & -5 & | & 3 & 1 & -6 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{1}$$

$$\xrightarrow{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 1/5 & 2/5 & -2/5 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & -3/5 & -1/5 & 6/5 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/5 & 2/5 & -2/5 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ -3/5 & -1/5 & 6/5 \end{pmatrix} \quad 2$$

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