

# 2017 Fall EE203001 Linear Algebra - Homework 8 solution

Due: None

1. (0%)

- (a) What matrix transforms  $(1, 0)$  into  $(2, 5)$  and transforms  $(0, 1)$  to  $(1, 3)$ ?
- (b) What matrix transforms  $(2, 5)$  to  $(1, 0)$  and  $(1, 3)$  to  $(0, 1)$ ?
- (c) Why does no matrix transform  $(2, 6)$  to  $(1, 0)$  and  $(1, 3)$  to  $(0, 1)$ ?

**Solution:**

- (a)  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 5 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$
- (b)  $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -5 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \text{inverse of (a)}$
- (c)  $A \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$  must be  $2A \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$

2. (0%)

- (a) What matrix  $M$  transforms  $(1, 0)$  and  $(0, 1)$  to  $(r, t)$  and  $(s, u)$ ?
- (b) What matrix  $N$  transforms  $(a, c)$  and  $(b, d)$  to  $(1, 0)$  and  $(0, 1)$ ?
- (c) What condition on  $a, b, c, d$  will make part (b) impossible?

**Solution:**

- (a)  $M = \begin{bmatrix} r & s \\ t & u \end{bmatrix}$  transforms  $(1, 0)$  and  $(0, 1)$  to  $(r, t)$  and  $(s, u)$ ; this is the “easy” direction.
- (b)  $N = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$  transforms in the inverse direction, back to the standard basis vectors.
- (c)  $ad = bc$  will make the forward matrix singular and the inverse impossible.

3. (0%) Find the singular value decomposition of  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

**Solution:**

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ has rank 1 and } A^T A = [5] \text{ and } \sigma_1 = \sqrt{5} \text{ is the only singular value in } \Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{5} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ has } \lambda = 5, 0, 0 \text{ and } u_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, u_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, u_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

4. (0%) Continue above question, Please find the pseudoinverse of  $A$  and the least square solution  $\hat{x}_0$

$$\text{that } b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ for } A\hat{x}_0 = b$$

**Solution:**

$$A^+ = V\Sigma^+U^T = [5] \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{5} & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4\sqrt{5} & 2\sqrt{5} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A\hat{x}_0 = b \Rightarrow \hat{x}_0 = A^+b \Rightarrow 4\sqrt{5}$$

5. (0%) The parabola  $\mathbf{w}_1 = \frac{1}{2}(x^2 + x)$  equals one at  $x = 1$ , and zero at  $x = 0$  and  $x = -1$ . Find the parabolas  $\mathbf{w}_2, \mathbf{w}_3$  from the conditions given below and then find  $y(x)$  using  $\mathbf{w}_1, \mathbf{w}_2, \mathbf{w}_3$  by linearity.
- (a)  $\mathbf{w}_2$  equals one at  $x = -1$ , and zero at  $x = 0$  and  $x = 1$ .
  - (b)  $\mathbf{w}_3$  equals one at  $x = 0$ , and zero at  $x = 1$  and  $x = -1$ .
  - (c)  $y(x)$  equals 9 at  $x = 1$  and 5 at  $x = 0$  and 7 at  $x = -1$ .

**Solution:**

Through simple calculation or just by observation, we have  $\mathbf{w}_2 = \frac{1}{2}(x^2 - x)$  and  $\mathbf{w}_3 = 1 - x^2$ , and by linearity we have  $y(x) = 9\mathbf{w}_1 + 5\mathbf{w}_3 + 7\mathbf{w}_2$ .

6. (0%) Suppose  $T$  is reflection across the  $45^\circ$  line, and  $S$  is reflection across the  $y$  axis. If  $\mathbf{v} = (a, b)$ , find  $S(T(\mathbf{v}))$  and  $T(S(\mathbf{v}))$ .

**Solution:**

$T$  takes  $(a, b)$  to  $(b, a)$  and  $S$  takes  $(a, b)$  to  $(-a, b)$ , thus  $S(T(\mathbf{v})) = (-b, a)$  and  $T(S(\mathbf{v})) = (b, -a)$ . This shows that generally  $ST \neq TS$ .

7. (0%) Suppose a linear  $T$  transforms  $(1,1)$  to  $(1,0,1)$  and  $(2,3)$  to  $(1,-1,4)$ . Find  $T(\mathbf{v})$ :

- (a)  $v = (3, 4)$
- (b)  $v = (4, 6)$
- (c)  $v = (a, b)$

**Solution:**

$$T(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x} = A \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(a) T(\mathbf{v}) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(b) T(\mathbf{v}) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(c) T(\mathbf{v}) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2a - b \\ a - b \\ -a + 2b \end{bmatrix}$$

8. (0%) Given  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .  
If  $T(M) = AMB$ , please find  $T^{-1}(M)$  in the form  $( \quad )M( \quad )$ .

**Solution:**

Because  $A$  and  $B$  are invertible,  $T(T^{-1}(M)) = M$   
So  $T^{-1}(M) = A^{-1}MB^{-1}$

$$T^{-1}(M) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} M \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$