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Linear Algebra, EE 10810EECS205004

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Total scores: 120

1. (25%) [Determinant]

Let matrix  $\bar{B}$  be formed by the column vectors  $\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3, \vec{v}_4\}$ , i.e.,

$$\bar{B} \equiv (\vec{v}_1 \ \vec{v}_2 \ \vec{v}_3 \ \vec{v}_4) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (1)$$

(a) (5%) Calculate  $\det[2 \cdot \bar{B}^{(-2)}]$ .

(b) (10%) Calculate  $\bar{B}^{(-10)}$ .

(c) (10%) What is the minimum distant from  $\vec{v}_1$  to the subspace of  $\text{span} = \{\vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3, \vec{v}_4\}$ , where the distance between two column vectors  $\vec{x}$  and  $\vec{y}$  is defined as  $\sqrt{(\vec{x} - \vec{y})^t(\vec{x} - \vec{y})}$ , or  $\|\vec{x} - \vec{y}\|$ .

2. (10%) [Distinct Eigenvalues]

Let  $\bar{A}$  be a positive definite ( $\forall \lambda_i > 0$ ), symmetric matrix ( $\bar{A} = \bar{A}^t$ ). Prove that eigenvectors corresponding to distinct eigenvalues are orthogonal.

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda v \cdot w &= \bar{A} v \cdot w = (\bar{A}^t v) w = (V \bar{A} N)^t w = V \bar{A} N w \\ \bar{A} w \cdot v &= A w \cdot v = V \bar{A} w \cdot v = V (\bar{A}^t w) v = V (\lambda_p w) \cdot v \\ (W \bar{N})^t &= \end{aligned}$$

3. (15%) [Vandermonde Matrix]

$$\bar{V} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x_1 & x_1^2 & x_1^3 \\ 1 & x_2 & x_2^2 & x_2^3 \\ 1 & x_3 & x_3^2 & x_3^3 \\ 1 & x_4 & x_4^2 & x_4^3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & x_2 - x_1 & x_2^2 - x_1^2 & x_2^3 - x_1^3 \\ 1 & x_3 - x_1 & x_3^2 - x_1^2 & x_3^3 - x_1^3 \\ 1 & x_4 - x_1 & x_4^2 - x_1^2 & x_4^3 - x_1^3 \end{pmatrix} \quad (2)$$

(a) (5%) Find the determinant of Vandermonde matrix, i.e.,  $\det[\bar{V}]$ .

(b) (10%) Find the inverse matrix by using Cramer's rule, i.e.,  $(\bar{V})^{-1} = \bar{C}^t / \det[\bar{V}]$ .

$$x_2 x_3 x_4^2 + x_3 x_4^2 x_2 + x_4 x_2^2 x_3 - x_4 x_3 x_2^3 - x_3 x_2 x_4^3 - x_2 x_4 x_3^3$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & x_2 - x_1 & 0 \\ 1 & x_3 - x_1 & (x_2^2 - x_1^2) - (x_2 x_1) \\ 1 & x_4 - x_1 & -(x_2^2 - x_1^2) \\ & & - (x_2 x_1)(x_3 - x_1) \end{vmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \textcircled{1} & \textcircled{3} \\ x_2^3 x_3 x_4 (x_3 - x_1) & x_4^3 x_1 x_2 (x_2 - x_1) \\ x_3^3 x_1 x_2 (x_1 - x_2) & x_1^3 x_2 x_4 (x_4 - x_2) \\ x_1^3 x_2 x_3 (x_2 - x_3) & x_2^3 x_1 x_4 (x_4 - x_2) \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \textcircled{2} & \textcircled{4} \\ x_2^3 x_3 x_4 (x_4 - x_3) & x_3^3 x_1 x_4 (x_4 - x_1) \\ x_4^3 x_1 x_3 (x_3 - x_4) & x_1^3 x_3 x_4 (x_3 - x_4) \\ x_3^3 x_2 x_4 (x_2 - x_4) & x_4^3 x_1 x_3 (x_1 - x_3) \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &- x_2 x_3 + x_2 x_1 x_3 + x_1 x_3 \\ &x_2^2 - x_2 x_3 + x_2 x_1 - x_1 x_3 \\ &+ x_4 (x_1 - x_3) - x_1 x_3 \end{aligned}$$

## 4. (25%) [Diagonal Matrix]

Let  $P_2(\mathcal{R})$  be the set of all polynomials with degree less than or equal 2 and with coefficients from a real field  $\mathcal{R}$ . Let a linear operator  $\hat{T} : P_2(\mathcal{R}) \rightarrow P_2(\mathcal{R})$  be defined by  $\hat{T}(f) = f(0) + f(1)(x+x^2)$ .

(a) (10%) Find a basis  $\beta$  such that  $[\hat{T}]_{\beta}$  is a diagonal matrix.

(b) (5%) Show the diagonal matrix.

(c) (10%) Evaluate

$$\text{tr} [\cos(\alpha [\hat{T}]_{\beta})],$$

with the constant  $\alpha$ . Here,  $\text{tr}$  denotes trace.

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & -2 \\ -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda(\lambda-2) &\stackrel{(3)}{=} 0 \\ \lambda^2 + b\lambda + 9 - d^2 - 9 - bd &= 0 \\ \lambda^2 + b\lambda + 9 - d^2 + 3(-3 - 2d) &= 0 \\ (-3 - d)^2 - d^2 + 3(a - d) &= 0 \\ a^2 - d^2 + 3(a - d) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

## 5. (25%) [Cayley-Hamilton Theorem]

Suppose that a  $2 \times 2$  matrix  $\bar{M}$  satisfies

$$\bar{M}^2 + 3\bar{M} + 2\bar{I} = \bar{O},$$

where  $\bar{I}$  is a  $2 \times 2$  identity matrix and  $\bar{O}$  is a  $2 \times 2$  zero matrix.

(a) (10%) Determine the eigenvalues of  $\bar{M}$ .

(b) (10%) Is  $\bar{M}^{-1}$  diagonalizable? If yes, find  $\bar{M}^{-1}$ ; If not, explain your answer.

(c) (5%) Calculate  $\bar{M}^{(-2)}$  with the help of Cayley-Hamilton theorem.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bar{M} = \begin{bmatrix} (-1)^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & (-1)^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & (-1)^2 \end{bmatrix} + 3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

## 6. (20%) [Square Root of Matrix]

Let

$$\bar{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad (\lambda-1)^3 - 3(\lambda-1) + 2 \quad (5)$$

find the matrix  $\bar{S}$  such that  $\bar{S} \cdot \bar{S} = \bar{A}$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 0$$

$$x_1 = -x_2 - x_3$$

$$V_1 = x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2} & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & \sqrt{2} & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & \sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2} & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & \sqrt{2} & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & \sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$8 + 12(-1) + 6\lambda^2 - \lambda^3 - 6 + 3\lambda^2$$

$$+ \lambda^3 + 6\lambda^2 + 9\lambda + 4$$

$$(\lambda-1)(\lambda^2 - 5\lambda + 4)$$

$$(\lambda-1)(\lambda-4)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad V_2 = t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$