

Exam 2

MAS 3105—APPLIED LINEAR ALGEBRA, SPRING 2018

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Read all of what follows carefully before starting!

- This test has **6 problems** and is worth **100 points**. *Please be sure you have all the questions before beginning!*
- The exam is **closed-note** and **closed-book**. You may **not** consult with other students, and **no** calculators may be used!
- Show all work clearly in order to receive full credit. **No work = no credit!** (unless otherwise stated)
- You may use appropriate results from class and/or from the textbook as long as you fully and correctly state the result and where it came from.
 - If you use a result/theorem, you have to state *which* result you're using and explain *why* you're able to use it!
- You **do not** need to simplify results, unless otherwise stated.
- There is scratch paper at the end of the exam; you may also use the backs of pages or get more scratch paper from me.
- Some questions are multiple choice.
 - Indicate correct answers by circling them and/or drawing a box around them.
 - More than one choice may be a correct answer for a question; if so, circle all correct answers!
 - There may be correct answers which aren't listed; in this case, only focus on the choices provided!

- The notation I_n always denotes the $n \times n$ identity matrix. For example, $I_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$.

Question	1 (10)	2 (10)	3 (30)	4 (20)	5 (20)	6 (10)	Total (100)
Points							

Do not write in these boxes! If you do, you get 0 points for those questions!

1. (10 pts) If $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$, which of the following is equal to A^3 ?

(i). $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & 9 \\ 16 & 25 & 36 \end{pmatrix}$

(v). $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$

(ii). $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 8 & 27 \\ 64 & 125 & 196 \end{pmatrix}$

(vi). $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$

(iii). $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

(vii). $\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 4 & -2 & -1 \\ 3 & 11 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$

(iv). $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

(viii). None of These

2. (10 pts) If $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$, which of the following is equal to A^T ?

(i). $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & 9 \\ 16 & 25 & 36 \end{pmatrix}$

(v). $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$

(ii). $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 8 & 27 \\ 64 & 125 & 196 \end{pmatrix}$

(vi). $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$

(iii). $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

(vii). $\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 4 & -2 & -1 \\ 3 & 11 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$

(iv). $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

(viii). None of These

3. Let $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^5$ be the transformation $T : \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ x_1 - x_3 \\ x_2 \\ -x_1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$.

(a) (8 pts) **True or False:** T is a linear transformation. Justify your claim.

SOLUTION:

Question 3(b) is on the next page

(b) (2 pts) What is the domain of T ?

(c) (2 pts) What is the codomain of T ?

(d) (2 pts) Is the codomain of T equal to the range of T ? How do you know? If they *aren't* the same, find a point in $\text{codomain}(T)$ that *isn't* in $\text{range}(T)$.

Question 3(e) is on the next page

(e) (8 pts) Is T injective/one-to-one? Justify your claim.

(f) (8 pts) Is T surjective/onto? Justify your claim.

4. Let $S : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ and $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$ be the transformations

$$S : \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} x_1 - x_2 \\ x_2 - x_3 \\ x_3 - x_1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad T = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ y_2 \\ -y_1 \\ 3y_3 \end{pmatrix},$$

respectively.

(a) (5 pts) Find the canonical matrix \mathbf{A} corresponding to the transformation S such that $S(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}$ for all \mathbf{x} or state that no such matrix exists.

(b) (5 pts) Find the canonical matrix \mathbf{B} corresponding to the transformation T such that $T(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{B}\mathbf{x}$ for all \mathbf{x} or state that no such matrix exists.

Question 4(c) is on the next page

(c) (10 pts) Find the canonical matrix corresponding to the composition $T \circ S : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$ or state that no such matrix exists. **Hint:** Recall that $(T \circ S)(\mathbf{x}) = T(S(\mathbf{x}))$ for all \mathbf{x} .

SOLUTION:

5. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$.

(a) (5 pts) Find $\det(A)$.

SOLUTION:

Question 5(b) is on the next page

(b) (10 pts) Find A^{-1} or state that no such matrix exists. Justify your claim.

SOLUTION:

Question 5(c) is on the next page

(c) (5 pts) Use the result from part (b) to solve the linear system

$$x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 = 1$$

$$4x_1 + 5x_2 + 6x_3 = 0$$

$$7x_1 + 8x_2 = 2$$

or state that no solution exists.

SOLUTION:

6. (1 pt ea.) Indicate whether each of the following questions is True or False by writing the words “True” or “False”. **No justification is required, and no credit will be given if you write *only* the letters “T” or “F”!**
- (a) An $n \times n$ matrix \mathbf{A} may have more than one inverse. In other words, there may exist matrices \mathbf{B} and \mathbf{C} with $\mathbf{B} \neq \mathbf{C}$ such that $\mathbf{AB} = \mathbf{I}_n = \mathbf{BA}$ and $\mathbf{AC} = \mathbf{I}_n = \mathbf{CA}$.
- (b) If $T(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{Ax}$ is a linear transformation $\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ and if $\det(\mathbf{A}) = 13$, then there is a linear transformation $S : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ such that $S(T(\mathbf{x})) = \mathbf{x} = T(S(\mathbf{x}))$ for all $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$.
- (c) Every injective linear transformation from \mathbb{R}^n to \mathbb{R}^n has an inverse linear transformation.
- (d) If the $n \times n$ matrix \mathbf{A} has linearly independent columns, then $\det(\mathbf{A})$ may equal zero.
- (e) If \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{B} are both nonsingular, then $(\mathbf{AB})^{-1} = \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{B}^{-1}$.

Question 6(f) is on the next page

(f) If $\det(\mathbf{A}) = 10$ and $\det(\mathbf{B}) = -1$, then $\det(\mathbf{AB}) = -10 = \det(\mathbf{BA})$.

(g) If the columns of an $n \times n$ matrix \mathbf{A} span \mathbb{R}^n , then $\det(\mathbf{A})$ may equal zero.

(h) If \mathbf{A} is invertible, then \mathbf{A}^T is invertible.

(i) If \mathbf{A}^T is invertible, then \mathbf{A} is invertible.

(j) If $\det(\mathbf{A}) \neq 0$, then $\det(\mathbf{A}^{-1}) = \frac{1}{\det(\mathbf{A})}$.