

Linear Algebra Chapter Tests B.

ch1

$$\frac{1}{1} \left(\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & -1 & 3 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & -2 & 1 & -2 \\ 2 & -2 & 7 & 7 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{\substack{+R_1 \\ -2R_1}} \left(\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & -1 & 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 & -1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{\substack{-3R_2 \\ -R_2}} \left(\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & -1 & 0 & -7 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\therefore \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 0 \\ -3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{R}.$$

2a) Plane in 3-dimensional space.

b) 0 or ∞ solutions:



2 // planes
 $\Rightarrow 0 \text{ sol}^n$ s



planes intersect in line
 $\infty \text{ sol}^n$ s



repeated plane
 $\infty \text{ solutions}$.

c) $\infty \text{ sol}^n$ s: homogeneous systems always have solutions.

3a) ∞ solutions eg: $A(\underline{x}_1 + \lambda(\underline{x}_2 - \underline{x}_1)) = A\underline{x}_1 + \lambda A\underline{x}_2 - \lambda A\underline{x}_1 = \underline{b}$ for all $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$.

b) Yes: $A(\underline{x}_2 - \underline{x}_1) = \underline{0}$ so $A\underline{x} = \underline{0}$ has a $\neq 0 \text{ sol}^n$ $\underline{x}_2 - \underline{x}_1 \Rightarrow A$ singular.

4) a) $A\underline{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ reads $\alpha + \beta = 3 = \frac{1}{2}$ - clearly a contradiction.

b) $\underline{b} = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{pmatrix}$ makes $A\underline{x} = \underline{b}$ consistent $\Leftrightarrow b_2 = 2b_1$. 2nd row of A being twice first \Rightarrow 2nd equation must be twice first for consistency.

5) a) $E = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$, b) ~~but~~ ignore - column operation question!

6) Yes: $A \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \underline{b}$

7) Yes: $A\underline{x} = \underline{0}$ has a $\neq 0$ solution, namely $\underline{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

8) Yes; e.g. $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, $B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow A\underline{x}_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = B\underline{x}_0$.

9) No: eg. $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ is not symmetric

10) Yes: $C^{-1} = F^{-1}E^{-1}$ is a product of elementary matrices since inverse of elem matrices are elementary.

$$11/ A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} I & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & I & 0 \\ 0 & -B & I \end{pmatrix}$$

$$12/ A = \begin{matrix} & \overset{5}{A_{11}} & \overset{5}{A_{12}} \\ \underset{4}{A_{21}} & & \underset{4}{A_{22}} \end{matrix}$$

$$B = \begin{matrix} \overset{5}{B_{11}} & \overset{10-r}{B_{12}} \\ \underset{5}{B_{21}} & \underset{5}{B_{22}} \end{matrix}$$

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$n=5$ no condition on r

Ch 2

$$1/ a) \det\left(\frac{1}{2}A\right) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 \det A = \frac{1}{8} \cdot 4 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$b) \det(B^{-1}A^T) = \frac{\det A}{\det B} = \frac{4}{6} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$c) \det(EA^2) = \det E (\det A)^2 = -1 \cdot 4^2 = -16$$

$$2/ a) \det A = x^3 + 1 - 1 - x - x + x = x^3 - x$$

$$b) A \text{ singular} \Leftrightarrow \det A = 0 \Leftrightarrow x(x^2 - 1) = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = 0, \pm 1.$$

3) Ignore - LU factorization not in course ...

$$4) \det(A^T A) = (\det A)^2 > 0 \Rightarrow A^T A \text{ non-singular.}$$

$$5) \det B = \det(SAS) = (\det S)^{-1} \det A \det S = \det A.$$

$$6) \det C = \det A \det B \text{ so } C \text{ singular} \Rightarrow \det A \cdot \det B = 0 \Rightarrow \det A \text{ or } \det B = 0 \\ \Rightarrow A \text{ or } B \text{ singular.}$$

$$7) \det(A - \lambda I) = 0 \Leftrightarrow (A - \lambda I)\underline{x} = 0 \text{ for some } \underline{x} \neq 0 \text{ (re } A - \lambda I \text{ singular)} \\ \Leftrightarrow A\underline{x} = \lambda \underline{x} \text{ for some } \underline{x} \neq 0.$$

$$8) \text{ Note that } A\underline{x} = \underline{x} \underline{y}^T \underline{x} = (\underline{y}^T \underline{x}) \underline{x} \text{ and } A\underline{y} = (\underline{y}^T \underline{y}) \underline{x}. \text{ If } \underline{y}^T \underline{x} = 0 \text{ then } A\underline{x} = 0 \text{ so } \det A = 0. \\ \text{Otherwise } A \left(\frac{1}{\underline{y}^T \underline{y}} \underline{y} - \frac{1}{\underline{y}^T \underline{x}} \underline{x} \right) = \underline{x} - \underline{x} = 0 \therefore A \text{ is singular (unless } \underline{y} \parallel \underline{x}).$$

Easier: let (a_1, \dots, a_n) be any $\neq 0$ solⁿ to $a_1 y_1 + a_2 y_2 + \dots + a_n y_n = 0$.

Then $A\underline{a} = 0$ so A is singular $\Rightarrow \det A = 0$

$$9) A(\underline{x} - \underline{y}) = 0 \text{ with } \underline{x} - \underline{y} \neq 0 \Rightarrow A \text{ singular} \Rightarrow \det A = 0.$$

$$10) A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det A} \text{adj } A = \pm \text{adj } A \text{ is a matrix of integers, since } A \text{ is.}$$

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$$V_4(A-\lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1-\lambda & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & -2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (1-\lambda) \begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & -1 \\ 2 & -2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (1-\lambda)(\lambda^2 + \lambda) = (1-\lambda)(1+\lambda)\lambda = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 0, \pm 1.$$

$$\lambda = 0: A\underline{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \underline{v} = 0 \Leftrightarrow \underline{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = 1: \underline{A} \underline{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \underline{v} = 0 \Leftrightarrow \underline{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = -1: (A+I)\underline{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \underline{v} = 0 \Leftrightarrow \underline{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\circlearrowleft A = XDX^{-1} \text{ where } X = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}, D = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A^2 = X D^2 X^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} X^{-1} = A.$$

$$2/ \text{ One of the remaining } \bar{\lambda} \text{ values is } 3-2i \quad (A\underline{v} = \lambda\underline{v} \Rightarrow \overline{A\underline{v}} = \overline{\lambda\underline{v}})$$

$$\Rightarrow A\bar{\underline{v}} = \bar{\lambda}\bar{\underline{v}} \Rightarrow \bar{\lambda} \text{ an } \bar{\lambda} \text{ value}$$

The remaining $\bar{\lambda}$ values are either both real, or a complex conjugate pair.

$$3/ a/ \text{ If } \lambda = 0, \text{ then } A\underline{v} = 0 \text{ for some } \underline{v} \neq 0 \Rightarrow A \text{ singular. Contradiction.}$$

$$b/ A\underline{v} = \lambda\underline{v} \Rightarrow \underline{v} = A^{-1}\lambda\underline{v} = \lambda A^{-1}\underline{v} \Rightarrow A^{-1}\underline{v} = \lambda^{-1}\underline{v}.$$

$$4/ |A-\lambda I| = (a-\lambda)^3 = 0 \Leftrightarrow \lambda = a.$$

$$(A-aI)\underline{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \underline{v} = 0 \Leftrightarrow \underline{v} = \alpha \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \beta \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}.$$

only one eigenspace of dimension 2 $\Rightarrow A$ defective.