## MATH 419 SECTION 001

## FINAL

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- To receive full credit you must show all your work.
- Theorems listed at the end can be used without proof.
- Both sides of a US letter size paper  $(8.5" \times 11")$  with notes is OK.
- NO CALCULATOR, BOOKS, or OTHER NOTES.

Problem	Points	Score
1	10	
2	14	
3	12	
4	6	
5	6	
6	12	
7	20	
TOTAL	80	

**Problem 1.** (10 points) Find the rank of the matrices.

(a) 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
, (b)  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ , (c)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 7 \\ 2 & 5 & 8 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$ .

**Solution** (a) [3] 3, (b) [3] 1, (c) [4] 2.

Problem 2. (14 points)

(a) Compute  $A^6$  for  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -3\sqrt{2} \\ 3\sqrt{2} & -4 \end{bmatrix}$ . (b) Compute  $A^4 - 10A^3 + 21A^2 + 21A + 4$  for  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1.7 & 7.61 \\ 1 & 3.3 \end{bmatrix}$ .

**Solution** (a) [7] Note that

$$A\begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2}\\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 2\begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2}\\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad A\begin{bmatrix} 1\\ \sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix} = -\begin{bmatrix} 1\\ \sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}.$$

We have

$$A^{6} = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2} & 1 \\ 1 & \sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2^{6} & 0 \\ 0 & (-1)^{6} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2} & 1 \\ 1 & \sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 127 & -63\sqrt{2} \\ 63\sqrt{2} & -62 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(b) [7] By the Cayley-Hamilton theorem,  $A^2 - (\operatorname{tr} A)A + \det A = A^2 - 5A - 2I_2 = 0$ . Thus,

$$A^{4} - 10A^{3} + 21A^{2} + 21A + 4 = (A^{2} - 5A - 2I_{n})^{2} + A = A = \begin{bmatrix} 1.7 & 7.61\\ 1 & 3.3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

**Problem 3.** (12 points) Let V be the linear space spanned by  $e^x$  and  $e^{-x}$ , with the bases  $\mathcal{A} = (e^x, e^{-x})$  and  $\mathcal{B} = (e^x + e^{-x}, e^x - e^{-x})$ . Consider the linear transformation T(f) = f' from V to V.

- (a) Find the change of basis matrix  $S_{\mathcal{B}\to\mathcal{A}}$ .
- (b) Find the  $\mathcal{A}$ -matrix A of T or the  $\mathcal{B}$ -matrix B of T (Choose one of them).

**Solution** (a) [6] The change of basis matrix satisfies  $[f]_{\mathcal{A}} = S_{\mathcal{B}\to\mathcal{A}}[f]_{\mathcal{B}}$ . We obtain

$$S_{\mathcal{B}\to\mathcal{A}} = \left[ e^x + e^{-x} \right]_{\mathcal{A}} \quad [e^x - e^{-x}]_{\mathcal{A}} \right] = \left[ \begin{array}{cc} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{array} \right].$$

(b) [6] Note that  $T(e^x) = e^x$  and  $T(e^{-x}) = -e^{-x}$ . Thus,

$$A = \left[ \begin{array}{cc} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{array} \right].$$

Note that  $T(e^{x} + e^{-x}) = e^{x} - e^{-x}$  and  $T(e^{x} - e^{-x}) = e^{x} + e^{-x}$ . Thus,

$$B = \left[ \begin{array}{cc} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{array} \right].$$

The matrices A and B are related as  $B = S_{\mathcal{B} \to \mathcal{A}}^{-1} A S_{\mathcal{B} \to \mathcal{A}}$ .

<b>Problem 4.</b> (6 points) Find the determinant of the matrix	1	1	1	1	]
	1	2	3	4	
	1	3	6	10	•
	1	4	10	20	

**Solution** The determinant is 1.

**Problem 5.** (6 points) Express  $\cos(3\theta)$  and  $\sin(3\theta)$  in terms of  $\cos\theta$  and  $\sin\theta$ .

## Solution

$$\cos 3\theta + i \sin 3\theta = (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^3$$
  
= 
$$(\cos^3 \theta + 3 \cos^2 \theta (i \sin \theta) + 3 \cos \theta (i \sin \theta)^2 + (i \sin \theta)^3)$$
  
= 
$$\cos^3 \theta - 3 \cos \theta \sin^2 \theta + i (3 \cos^2 \theta \sin \theta - \sin^3 \theta).$$

Therefore,

 $\cos 3\theta = 4\cos^3 \theta - 3\cos \theta$ ,  $\sin 3\theta = 3\sin \theta - 4\sin^3 \theta$ .

**Problem 6.** (12 points) Decide if the matrix is diagonalizable or not. If possible, find an invertible S and a diagonal D such that  $S^{-1}AS = D$ , where A is the matrix in question.

(a) 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$
, (b)  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

**Solution** (a) [6] Not diagonalizable. Note that  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

(b) [6] Diagonalizable.  $S = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $D = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Note that the eigenvalues are obtained as 2, 1, and  $E_2 = \operatorname{span}\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $E_1 = \operatorname{span}\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ ). Alternative solution

Note that there are other correct solutions. For example,  $S = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 1\\ 1 & 0 & 0\\ 0 & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $D = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 1\\ 0 & 0 & 0\\ 0 & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ 

 $\left[\begin{array}{rrrr} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{array}\right].$ 

**Problem 7.** (20 points) Consider the linear system  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ , where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 5\sqrt{3} & 0\\ 0 & 1\\ -5 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{3}\\ 1\\ -1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- (a) Find the least-squares solution  $\vec{x}^*$ .
- (b) Find the singular values of A.
- (c) Find the regularized solution  $\vec{x}_{reg}^*$  by taking only the largest singular value into account.

Solution (a) [4]

$$\vec{x}^* = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{20} & 0 & -\frac{1}{20} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{3} \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{5} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(b) [4] By solving

$$\det \left( A^T A - \lambda I_2 \right) = \begin{vmatrix} 100 - \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 1 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = (\lambda - 100)(\lambda - 1) = 0.$$

We obtain  $\lambda = 100, 1$ . Therefore singular values  $\sigma_1$  and  $\sigma_2$  are obtained as

$$\sigma_1 = 10, \quad \sigma_2 = 1.$$

(c) [12] All singular values contribute in the Tikhonov regularization. So, we use the truncated SVD. Note that  $(A^T A)\vec{v}_1 = \sigma_1^2\vec{v}_1$  and  $(A^T A)\vec{v}_2 = \sigma_2^2\vec{v}_2$ , where  $\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\0 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0\\1 \end{bmatrix}$ , respectively. Then,  $\vec{u}_1 = (1/\sigma_1)A\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{3}/2\\0\\-1/2 \end{bmatrix}$ . We obtain  $\vec{x}_{\text{reg}}^* = \frac{1}{\sigma_1}\vec{v}_1(\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{b}) = \begin{bmatrix} 1/5\\0 \end{bmatrix}$ .

## Alternative solution

Note

By the singular value decomposition, A is written as

$$A = U\Sigma V^{T} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{T}.$$
  
that  $(A^{T}A)^{-1}A^{T} = V(\Sigma^{T}\Sigma)^{-1}\Sigma^{T}U^{T}$  and  $(\Sigma^{T}\Sigma)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{100} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$  We obtain  
 $\vec{x}_{\text{reg}}^{*} = V\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{100} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Sigma^{T}U^{T}\vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{20} & 0 & -\frac{1}{20} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{3} \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{5} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}.$ 

**Theorem 1.** If ker $(A) = {\vec{0}}$ , then the linear system  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  has the unique least-squares solution  $\vec{x}^* = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T \vec{b}$ .

**Theorem 2.** The determinant of an (upper or lower) triangular matrix is the product of the diagonal entries of the matrix.

**Theorem 3.** Elementary row operations for determinants: (i) If *B* is obtained from *A* by dividing a row of *A* by a scalar *k*, then det  $B = (1/k) \det A$ . (ii) If *B* is obtained from *A* by a row swap, then det  $B = -\det A$ . (iii) If *B* is obtained from *A* by adding a multiple of a row of *A* to another row, then det  $B = \det A$ .

**Theorem 4.** Let det  $A_{ij}$  be minors of an  $n \times n$  matrix A whose entries are  $a_{ij}$ . Then the Laplace expansion down the *j*th column is det  $A = \sum_{i=1}^{n} (-1)^{i+j} a_{ij} \det(A_{ij})$ , and the Laplace expansion along the *i*th row is det  $A = \sum_{j=1}^{n} (-1)^{i+j} a_{ij} \det(A_{ij})$ .

**Theorem 5.** Consider  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ , where A is an invertible  $n \times n$  matrix. The components  $x_i$  of  $\vec{x}$  are  $x_i = \det(A_{\vec{b},i})/\det A$ , where  $A_{\vec{b},i}$  is the matrix obtained by replacing the *i*th column of A by  $\vec{b}$ .

**Theorem 6.** Every  $n \times n$  matrix A satisfies its own characteristic equation:  $f_A(A) = 0$ .

**Theorem 7.** (i) Matrix A is diagonalizable if and only if there exists an eigenbasis for A. (ii) If an  $n \times n$  matrix A has n distinct eigenvalues, then A is diagonalizable.

**Theorem 8.**  $(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^n = \cos(n\theta) + i \sin(n\theta)$ . Euler's formula:  $e^{i\theta} = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$ .

**Theorem 9.** A matrix A is orthogonally diagonalizable if and only if A is symmetric. A complex matrix A is diagonalizable with a unitary matrix U if and only if A is selfadjoint.

**Theorem 10.** A symmetric matrix A is positive definite (positive semidefinite) if and only if all of its eigenvalues are positive (nonnegative).

**Theorem 11.** Any  $n \times m$  matrix A can be written as  $A = U\Sigma V^T$ , where U is an orthogonal  $n \times n$  matrix, V is an orthogonal  $m \times m$  matrix, and  $\Sigma$  is an  $n \times m$  matrix whose first r diagonal entries are the nonzero singular values  $\sigma_1, \ldots, \sigma_r$  of A, and all other entries are zero  $(r = \operatorname{rank}(A))$ . The matrix A can also be written as  $A = \sigma_1 \vec{u}_1 \vec{v}_1^T + \cdots + \sigma_r \vec{u}_r \vec{v}_r^T$ , where  $\vec{u}_i$  and  $\vec{v}_i$  are the columns of U and V.

**Theorem 12.** Consider the linear system  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ , where  $n \times m$  (n > m) matrix A is written as  $A = U\Sigma V^T$ . Here,  $U = [\vec{u}_1 \cdots \vec{u}_n]$ ,  $V = [\vec{v}_1 \cdots \vec{v}_m]$ , and the diagonal entries of  $\Sigma$  are  $\sigma_1, \ldots, \sigma_m$ . In the Tikhonov regularization with the Tikhonov regularization parameter  $\alpha > 0$ , the regularized solution is obtained as  $\vec{x}_{\text{reg}}^* = \frac{\sigma_1^2}{\sigma_1^2 + \alpha^2} \frac{1}{\sigma_1} \vec{v}_1(\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{b}) + \cdots + \frac{\sigma_m^2}{\sigma_m^2 + \alpha^2} \frac{1}{\sigma_m} \vec{v}_m(\vec{u}_m \cdot \vec{b})$ . The vector  $\vec{x}_{\text{reg}}^*$  minimizes  $\varepsilon(\vec{x}) = ||A\vec{x} - \vec{b}||^2 + ||\alpha\vec{x}||^2$ . In the truncated SVD with the regularization parameter  $\alpha > 0$ , the regularized solution is obtained as  $\vec{x}_{\text{reg}}^* = \theta(\sigma_1 - \alpha) \frac{1}{\sigma_1} \vec{v}_1(\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{b}) + \cdots + \theta(\sigma_m - \alpha) \frac{1}{\sigma_m} \vec{v}_m(\vec{u}_m \cdot \vec{b})$ , where  $\theta(\cdot)$  is the step function ( $\theta(x) = 1$  for x > 0 and  $\theta(x) = 0$  for  $x \le 0$ ).