

# MA 265 Final Exam

- Thursday, 8/2
- 3:30pm-5:30pm
- FRNY G140
- 20 multiple choice problems
- Covers all lessons
  - no special emphasis on material since exam 2

Fall 2012

4. T/F

i)  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  has  $m$  equations and  $n$  unknowns,  $m < n$   
then system has infinitely many solutions

FALSE because sys. could be inconsistent

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

ii)  $A, B$  are  $n \times n$  and  $AB$  is nonsingular, then  
 $A$  and  $B$  are nonsingular. TRUE

$$(AB)^{-1} \text{ exists} \quad (AB)^{-1} = \underbrace{B^{-1}A^{-1}}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{exists}}} \quad \text{must also exist}$$

if

iii)  $A, B, C$   $n \times n$  such that  $AB = AC$ , then  $B = C$ .

FALSE. Because  $A = 0$  means  $AB = AC$  for any  
 $B, C$

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5. i) If  $\lambda$  is an eigenvalue for  $A$  then  $-\lambda$  is an eigenvalue for  $-A$

$$A\vec{v} = \lambda\vec{v}$$

$$-A\vec{v} = -\lambda\vec{v}$$

$$\text{let } -A = B$$

$$B\vec{v} = (-\lambda)\vec{v}$$

$\underbrace{(-\lambda)}_{\text{eigenvalue of } B = -A}$

TRUE.

- ii)  $\vec{v}$  is eigenvector for  $A$  then  $\vec{v}$  is also e-vector for  $2A$

$$A\vec{v} = \lambda\vec{v}$$

$$2A\vec{v} = 2\lambda\vec{v}$$

$$\text{let } 2A = C$$

$$\hookrightarrow C\vec{v} = (2\lambda)\vec{v}$$

$\hookrightarrow$  is e-vector for  $C = 2A$

TRUE

- iii) eigenspace for eigenvalue  $\lambda$  has dimension = multiplicity of  $\lambda$

FALSE (but true for all symmetric matrices)

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8.

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 & a_4 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 & b_4 \\ c_1 & c_2 & c_3 & c_4 \\ d_1 & d_2 & d_3 & d_4 \end{bmatrix} = 5$$

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} * & & & * \\ a_4 & a_2 & a_3 & a_1 \\ b_4 & b_2 & b_3 & b_1 \\ 2c_4 + 3a_4 & 2c_2 + 3a_2 & 2c_3 + 3a_3 & 2c_1 + 3a_1 \\ d_4 & d_2 & d_3 & d_1 \end{bmatrix} = ?$$

$\det(A^T) = \det(A)$       \* : row swap within  $A^T$   
 $\rightarrow$  det changes sign

det changed { then ~~back~~ transpose again  
 by the same      mult. row 3 by 2

does not { then added 3 times row 1  
 change det      to row 3

$$= 5 \cdot -1 \cdot 2 = -10$$

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11. Dimension of subspace spanned by

$$[1, 2, 3, 4, 5], [0, 2, 0, 0, 0], [0, 0, 0, 0, 3]$$

$$[2, 4, 6, 8, 13], [2, 6, 6, 8, 10] \quad 15$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 & 4 & 6 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 & 6 & 6 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 & 8 & 8 \\ 5 & 0 & 3 & 13 & 10 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} \boxed{1} & 0 & 0 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & \boxed{2} & 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & \boxed{3} & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\dim = 3$$

13. W spanned by  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

apply Gram-Schmidt to produce an orthonormal basis

2 vectors in basis because  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$  is a basis but not orthonormal  
 $\vec{x}_1$                        $\vec{x}_2$

$$\vec{v}_1 = \vec{x}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{v}_2 = \vec{x}_2 - \frac{\langle \vec{x}_2, \vec{v}_1 \rangle}{\langle \vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_1 \rangle} \vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{2}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{u}_1 = \frac{\vec{v}_1}{\|\vec{v}_1\|} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{u}_2 = \frac{\vec{v}_2}{\|\vec{v}_2\|} = \begin{bmatrix} -1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix}$$



19.  $A$  is  $2 \times 2$  eigenvalues  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2$   $\lambda_1 \neq \lambda_2$ . which is/are true?

i)  $A$  is diagonalizable. TRUE, because the eigenvectors corresponding to distinct eigenvalues are ALWAYS linearly independent

$$\rightarrow P \text{ in } A = PDP^{-1}$$

ii)  $\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2\}$  is linearly independent. TRUE, see above.

iii)  $\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2\}$  is orthogonal. FALSE, in general.

(but ALWAYS true if  $A = A^T$ )

$$20. \quad L: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 \quad L\left(\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 + 2x_2 \\ 3x_2 - 2x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

matrix for  $L$ ?

size of matrix?  $2 \times 3$

$$A \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

$\boxed{2 \times 3}$      $3 \times 1$      $2 \times 1$

$$L\left(x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\right)$$

$$= x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$L\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$L\left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$L\left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$



22.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{find least-squares solution}$$

$$A^T A \vec{x} = A^T \vec{b}$$

$$A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 14 & 7 \\ 7 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^T \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 14 & 7 & 2 \\ 7 & 6 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -5 & 0 \\ 7 & 6 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 6/7 & 1/7 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} x_2 = 0 \\ x_1 = 1/7 \end{array}$$

$$\hat{\vec{x}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/7 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

23.  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$  Find  $P$  such that  $P^{-1}AP = D$   
 $D$  is diagonal.

$$P^{-1}AP = D \iff AP = PD$$

$$A = PDP^{-1}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & 4 \\ 1 & -2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$(1-\lambda)(-2-\lambda) - 4 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 + \lambda - 6 = 0$$

$$(\lambda + 3)(\lambda - 2) = 0$$

$$\lambda = -3, \lambda = 2 \quad D = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{or } D = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = 2 \quad \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 4 & 0 \\ 1 & -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = -3 \quad \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 4 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



$$25. \quad \vec{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x}$$

$$\vec{x}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{x}(1) = ?$$

need eigenthings

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

$$(1-\lambda)^2 - 4 = 0$$

$$1-\lambda = \pm\sqrt{4} = \pm 2$$

$$\lambda_1 = -1 \quad \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_1 = -1 \quad \lambda_2 = 3$$

$$\lambda_2 = 3 \quad \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{x}(t) = c_1 e^{-t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^{3t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$c_2 = 2 \quad c_1 = 1$$

$$\vec{x}(1) = \begin{bmatrix} e^{-1} \\ -e^{-1} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2e^3 \\ 2e^3 \end{bmatrix}$$