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MATH 250-Linear Algebra and Differential Equations for Engineers

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Midterm Exam 1

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(1) (a) Use Gaussian elimination to solve the linear system $Ax = b$ that is compute the row echelon form of the augmented matrix

$$2x - 3y + 4z = -12$$

$$x - 2y + z = -5$$

$$3x + y + 2z = 1$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 4 & -12 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 & -5 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 & -5 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 & -12 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} -2R_1 + R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \\ -3R_1 + R_3 \rightarrow R_3 \end{matrix}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & -2 \\ 0 & 7 & -1 & 16 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\xrightarrow{-7R_2 + R_3 \rightarrow R_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & -15 & 30 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-15z = 30 \Rightarrow z = -2$$

$$y + 2z = -2 \Rightarrow y = 2$$

$$x - 2y + z = -5 \Rightarrow x = 1$$

(1) (b) The augmented matrix is given below for a system of equations $Ax = b$, where A consists of the first three columns and b is the fourth column. If the system is consistent, find the general solution:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

x_3 free.

$$x_1 + 2x_2 - 3x_3 = 5$$

$$x_2 + 4x_3 = -5$$

$$x_2 = -4x_3 - 5$$

$$x_1 = 5 - 2x_2 + 3x_3$$

$$5 - 2(-4x_3 - 5) + 3x_3$$

$$x_1 = 5 + 8x_3 + 10 + 3x_3$$

$$x_1 = 15 + 11x_3$$

(2) (a) Let

$$a_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}, \quad a_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -10 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Determine whether b can be written as a linear combination of a_1 and a_2 .

$$x_1 \cdot a_1 + x_2 \cdot a_2 = b$$

$$x_1 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -10 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -4 & 2 \\ 4 & 1 & -10 \\ -4 & 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{-\frac{4}{3}R_1 + R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \\ \frac{4}{3}R_1 + R_3 \rightarrow R_3}} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -4 & 2 \\ 0 & 19/3 & -38/3 \\ 0 & -13/3 & 24/3 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\frac{13}{19}R_2 + R_3 \rightarrow R_3}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -4 & 2 \\ 0 & 19/3 & -38/3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$3x_1 - 4x_2 = 2$$

$$\frac{19}{3}x_2 = -\frac{38}{3} \Rightarrow x_2 = -2$$

$$x_1 = -2$$

(2) (b) Let

$$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}, v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 8 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Determine if the set $\{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$ is linearly independent.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 \\ -3 & 8 & -2 \\ 5 & 3 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{3R_1 + R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \\ -5R_1 + R_3 \rightarrow R_3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & 4 \\ 0 & 18 & -16 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{18R_2 + R_3 \rightarrow R_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 56 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-R_2 \rightarrow R_2}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 56 \end{bmatrix}$$

v_1, v_2, v_3 basic variables.

no free variable.

$Ax = 0$ has only trivial soln.

So the columns of A are linearly indep.

(3) (a) Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x & 3 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ y \end{bmatrix}. \text{ If } AB = \begin{bmatrix} 12 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

find x and y .

$$1 \cdot 2 + 4 \cdot x + 3 \cdot y = 12$$

$$2 + 4x + 18 = 12$$

$$4x + 20 = 12$$

$$4x = -8$$

$$4 - 4 + y = 6 \rightarrow \boxed{y = 6}$$

$$\boxed{x = -2}$$

(3) (b) Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find $A^T + 2B$.

$$A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -3 & -1 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \quad 2B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 6 \\ 4 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \quad A^T + 2B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ -1 & 5 \\ 6 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

(3) (c) Find the inverse of

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

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{-2R_1 + R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \\ -2R_1 + R_3 \rightarrow R_3}} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_1 + R_2 \rightarrow R_1}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_2 + R_3 \rightarrow R_2} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & -4 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{-R_2 \rightarrow R_2}$$

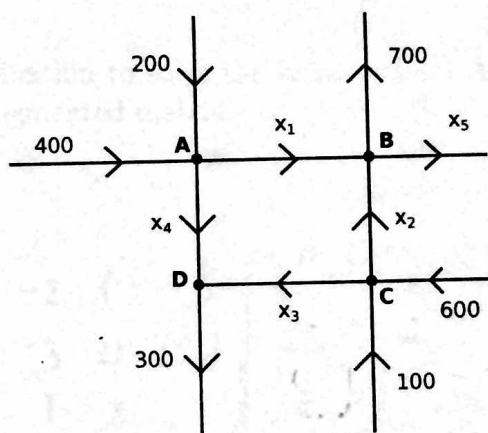
$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 4 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\text{}} \underbrace{\left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 4 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]}_{A^{-1}}$$

(4) (a) Let $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be a linear transformation such that $T(x_1, x_2) = (x_1 + 2x_2, 3x_1 + 4x_2)$. Show that T is invertible and find a formula for T^{-1} .

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{1 \cdot 4 - 2 \cdot 3} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = -\frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 3/2 & -1/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T^{-1}(x_1, x_2) = \left(-2x_1 + x_2, \frac{3}{2}x_1 - \frac{1}{2}x_2\right)$$

(b) The network in the figure shows the traffic flow (in vehicles per hour) over several one-way streets in the downtown area of a certain city during a typical lunch time. Determine the general flow pattern for the network. In other words, find the general solution of the system of equations that describes the flow. In your general solution let x_4 be free.



$$400 + 200 = x_1 + x_4$$

$$x_1 + x_2 = x_5 + 700$$

$$x_4 + x_3 = 300$$

$$100 + 600 = x_2 + x_3$$

$$x_1 + x_4 = 600$$

$$x_1 + x_2 - x_5 = 700$$

$$x_3 + x_4 = 300$$

$$x_2 + x_3 = 700$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 600 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 700 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 300 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 700 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2 \leftrightarrow R_1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 700 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 600 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 300 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 700 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2 \leftrightarrow R_4}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 700 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 700 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 300 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 600 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-R_1 + R_4 \rightarrow R_4} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 700 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 700 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 300 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & -100 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 \xrightarrow{R_2 + R_4 \rightarrow R_4} \\
 \left[\begin{array}{cccccc}
 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 700 \\
 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 700 \\
 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 300 \\
 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 600
 \end{array} \right]
 \end{array}
 \xrightarrow{-R_3 + R_4 \rightarrow R_4}
 \begin{array}{l}
 \left[\begin{array}{cccccc}
 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 700 \\
 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 700 \\
 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 300 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 300
 \end{array} \right]
 \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{x_5 = 300}$$

$$x_3 + x_4 = 300$$

$$\boxed{x_3 = 300 - x_4}$$

$$x_2 + x_3 = 700$$

$$x_2 = 700 - x_3 = 700 - 300 + x_4$$

$$\boxed{x_2 = 400 + x_4}$$

$$x_1 + x_2 - x_5 = 700$$

$$x_1 = 700 - x_2 + x_5$$

$$x_1 = 700 - 400 - x_4 + 300$$

$$\boxed{x_1 = 600 - x_4}$$

