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1. Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & -2 \\ 3 & 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix}, \quad x = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 7 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\text{(i) Find } \frac{1}{3}x = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 7 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1/3 \\ 7/3 \\ -1/3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{(ii) Find } x + b = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 7 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 9 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{(iii) Find } x \cdot b = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 7 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} = 0 + 14 - 8 = 6$$

$$\text{(iv) Find } \|b\| = \sqrt{0^2 + 2^2 + 8^2} = \sqrt{68}$$

$$\text{(v) Find } Ax = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & -2 \\ 3 & 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 7 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1+0-1 \\ -2+0+2 \\ -3+7-6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

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2. Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Write  $A$  as  $LDU$  where  $L$  is lower triangular with ones on its diagonal,  $D$  is diagonal and  $U$  is upper triangular with ones on its diagonal.

Handwritten notes for problem 2:

- Row operations:  $r_2 - 2r_1$ ,  $r_3 - r_1$ .
- Matrix  $A$ :  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$
- Matrix  $U$ :  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$
- Matrix  $L$ :  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
- Matrix  $D$ :  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$
- Matrix  $U$ :  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

3. Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Find the reduced row echelon form  $R$  of  $A$ .

Handwritten notes for problem 3:

- Row operations:  $r_2 - 2r_1$ ,  $r_1 - r_2$ ,  $r_2 \leftrightarrow r_3$ ,  $r_1 - r_2$ .
- Matrix  $A$ :  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$
- Matrix  $R$ :  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
- Matrix  $R$ :  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & -2 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

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4. Consider the matrix  $A$  with reduced row echelon form  $R$  given by

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 0 & 6 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 3 & 6 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 5 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- (i) Find a basis for the subspace  $\mathcal{C}(A)$  and state its dimension.

Basis:  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

$$\dim \mathcal{C}(A) = 4$$

- (ii) Find a basis for the subspace  $\mathcal{N}(A)$  and state its dimension.

Basis:  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}, \quad \dim \mathcal{N}(A) = 1$

5. Let

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

Find  $\det A$ .

$$\det A = \det [r_2 \leftrightarrow r_3] \det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= (-1)(1 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 4) = -24$$

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6. Let

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

Find an orthogonal matrix  $Q$  and an upper triangular matrix  $R$  such that  $A = QR$ .

$$\tilde{q}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad q_1 = \frac{\tilde{q}_1}{\|\tilde{q}_1\|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$\tilde{q}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} - q_1(q_1^T \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{3}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1/2 \\ -1/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$q_2 = \frac{\tilde{q}_2}{\|\tilde{q}_2\|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad Q = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R = Q^T A = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2/\sqrt{2} & 3/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 1/\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

7. Let

$$Q = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3} & \frac{-1}{3\sqrt{2}} & \frac{-1}{3\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix}, \quad R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Note that  $Q$  is orthogonal and  $R$  upper triangular. Suppose  $A = QR$ . Find the  $x$  which minimizes  $\|Ax - b\|$ .

$$Q^T Ax = Q^T b \quad \text{or} \quad Rx = Q^T b$$

$$Q^T b = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & 0 & \frac{2}{3} \\ \frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3} & -\frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

back substitution...

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{aligned} x_3 &= 2 \\ x_2 &= 2 - 2 = 0 \\ x_1 &= 1 - 0 - 2 = -1 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $x = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$  minimizes  $\|Ax - b\|$ .

8. Let

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

Find the eigenvectors and eigenvalues of  $A$

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = (1-\lambda)(2-\lambda)(3-\lambda) \text{ so } \lambda_1 = 1, \lambda_2 = 2, \lambda_3 = 3$$

$$\lambda_1 = 1 // A - \lambda_1 I = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ thus } x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 = 2 // A - \lambda_2 I = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_3 - R_2} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1 + R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{thus } x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_3 = 3 // A - \lambda_3 I = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1 + \frac{1}{2}R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1 + R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{thus } x_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

9. Let

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

Find the singular value decomposition  $A = U\Sigma V^T$  where  $U$  and  $V$  are orthogonal

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and  $\Sigma$  is diagonal.  ~~$A^T A = (U\Sigma V^T)^T (U\Sigma V^T) = V\Sigma U^T U \Sigma V^T = V\Sigma^2 V^T$~~

$$A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 2 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \det(A^T A - \lambda I) &= (5-\lambda)(8-\lambda) - 9 = 40 - 13\lambda + \lambda^2 - 4 = \lambda^2 - 13\lambda + 36 \\ &= (\lambda - 9)(\lambda - 4) \text{ so } \lambda_1 = 9 \text{ and } \lambda_2 = 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\lambda_1 = 9 // A^T A - \lambda_1 I = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{r_2 \leftarrow r_2 + \frac{1}{2}r_1} \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{r_1 \leftarrow \frac{1}{4}r_1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 = 4 // A^T A - \lambda_2 I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{r_2 \leftarrow r_2 - 2r_1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$V = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & | & x_2 \\ \|x_1\| & & \|x_2\| \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{5} & -2/\sqrt{5} \\ 2/\sqrt{5} & 1/\sqrt{5} \end{bmatrix}, \Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{5} & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$U = AV\Sigma^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1/3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1/3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{check } = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2/\sqrt{5} & -1/\sqrt{5} \\ 1/\sqrt{5} & 2/\sqrt{5} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$U\Sigma V^T = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 10 \\ -5 & 10 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

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10. Let  $u, v \in \mathbf{R}^2$  and  $\theta$  be the angle between  $u$  and  $v$ . Show that  $u \cdot v = \|u\| \|v\| \cos \theta$ .

law of cosines:  
 $\|u-v\|^2 = \|u\|^2 + \|v\|^2 - 2\|u\|\|v\|\cos \theta$

Definition of norm:  $\|u-v\|^2 = (u-v) \cdot (u-v) = u \cdot u - u \cdot v - v \cdot u + v \cdot v$   
 $= \|u\|^2 - 2u \cdot v + \|v\|^2$

Therefore  $u \cdot v = \|u\| \|v\| \cos \theta$ .

11. Let  $A \in \mathbf{R}^{m \times n}$  and  $B \in \mathbf{R}^{l \times m}$ .

- (i) Show that  $C(BA) \subseteq C(B)$ .

Let  $y \in C(BA)$ . Then there is  $x \in \mathbf{R}^n$  such that  $y = BAx$ . Let  $z = Ax$ . Then  $z \in \mathbf{R}^m$  and  $y = Bz$  implies  $y \in C(B)$ .

Therefore  $C(BA) \subseteq C(B)$ .

- (ii) Given a concrete example where  $C(B) \neq C(BA)$ . Let  $m = n = l = 0$ .

Suppose  $A = [0]$  and  $B = [1]$ .

Then  $C(B) = \mathbf{R}$  and  $\dim C(B) = 1$ .

However  $C(BA) = C(0) = \{0\}$

and  $\dim C(BA) = 0$ .

Thus  $C(B) \neq C(BA)$ .

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1. Let  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$  where  $m \neq n$ . Suppose that the rank of  $A$  is  $\text{rank}(A) = r$ .

(i) What is  $\dim \mathcal{C}(A)$ ?

$$r$$

(ii) What is  $\dim \mathcal{N}(A)$ ?

$$n - r$$

(iii) What is  $\dim \mathcal{C}(A)^\perp$ ?

$$m - r$$

(iv) What is  $\dim \mathcal{N}(A)^\perp$ ?

$$r$$

(v) Show that  $\mathcal{C}(A)^\perp = \mathcal{N}(A^T)$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{C}(A)^\perp &= \{y \in \mathbb{R}^m : v \cdot y = 0 \text{ for every } v \in \mathcal{C}(A)\} \\ &= \{y \in \mathbb{R}^m : Ax \cdot y = 0 \text{ for every } x \in \mathbb{R}^n\} \\ &= \{y \in \mathbb{R}^m : (Ax)^T y = 0 \text{ for every } x \in \mathbb{R}^n\} \\ &= \{y \in \mathbb{R}^m : x^T A^T y = 0 \text{ for every } x \in \mathbb{R}^n\} \\ &= \{y \in \mathbb{R}^m : x \cdot A^T y = 0 \text{ for every } x \in \mathbb{R}^n\} \\ &= \{y \in \mathbb{R}^m : A^T y = 0\} = \mathcal{N}(A^T).\end{aligned}$$

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13. Let  $A \in \mathbf{R}^{4 \times 7}$ .

- (i) Find the matrix  $E$  such that  $AE$  corresponds to the result obtained after performing the column operation  $c_2 \leftarrow c_2 - 3c_1$  on the matrix  $A$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{c_2 - 3c_1} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{E}$$

- (ii) Prove or disprove the claim that  $\mathcal{N}(AE) = \mathcal{N}(A)$ . If true explain why; if false provide a counterexample.

$$\mathcal{N}(AE) = \{x : AEx = 0\} \quad \mathcal{N}(A) = \{x : Ax = 0\}$$

If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$   $AE = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

Then  $\mathcal{N}(A) = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$   $\mathcal{N}(AE) = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$  different spaces.