

1. Let  $L = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $U = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ; then  $LU = A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 3 & 0 \\ 4 & 22 & 12 & 4 \\ 0 & -6 & 1 & -12 \end{bmatrix}$ .

Following the method developed in class, use this  $LU$  factorization to solve  $A\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 20 \\ 108 \\ -84 \end{bmatrix}$ .

2. Suppose  $A$  is a 4-by-5 matrix with column vectors  $\mathbf{c}_1, \mathbf{c}_2, \mathbf{c}_3, \mathbf{c}_4, \mathbf{c}_5$ , and the solutions to  $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$  are given by

$$\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \\ x_5 \end{bmatrix} = x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_5 \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 0 \\ 6 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ where } x_2 \text{ and } x_5 \text{ are free.}$$

2a. Can  $\mathbf{c}_1$  be written as a linear combination of the other columns? Show an explicit combination or explain why there are none.

2b. Can  $\mathbf{c}_4$  be written as a linear combination of the other columns? Show an explicit combination or explain why there are none.

2c. Are the four columns  $\mathbf{c}_2, \mathbf{c}_3, \mathbf{c}_4$ , and  $\mathbf{c}_5$ , linearly independent? Explain your answer.

2d. Do the columns of  $A$  span  $\mathbf{R}^4$ ? Explain. (Hint: you should be able to figure out how many pivot elements there are. Are there any rows of 0's in the RREF of  $A$ ?)

3. Let  $D = \begin{bmatrix} 11 & 14 & 7 & 2 \\ 3 & 29 & 8 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 5 & 17 & 12 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .

3a. Find  $\det(D)$ . Use cofactor expansion across whatever rows or columns you want, but choose smartly.

3b. Does the inverse of  $D$  exist? If so, what's  $\det(D^{-1})$ ? If not, explain why  $D^{-1}$  doesn't exist.

3c. Is  $D$  singular? Explain what this means.

4. Find the inverse of the matrix  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  using the method we developed in class:

Apply to  $I_3$  the same elementary row operations we apply to  $B$  . . . .

5. Consider the Linear Transformations  $T$  from  $\mathbf{R}^m$  to  $\mathbf{R}^n$  defined by  $T(\mathbf{u}) = A\mathbf{u}$  where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

and  $S$  from  $\mathbf{R}^p$  to  $\mathbf{R}^q$  defined by  $S(\mathbf{v}) = Z\mathbf{v}$  where

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

5a. What are the values of  $m$ ,  $n$ ,  $p$  and  $q$ ?

5b. The composition  $T \circ S$  is a linear transformation from  $\mathbf{R}^i$  to  $\mathbf{R}^j$ , where the values of  $i$  and  $j$  are what?

5c. Find  $(T \circ S) \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right)$ .

5d. Compute the matrix  $P$  which gives the values of  $T \circ S$  directly, ie, so that  $(T \circ S)\mathbf{v} = P\mathbf{v}$ .

6a. What are the two “rules” that a linear transformation  $T$  from  $\mathbf{R}^m$  to  $\mathbf{R}^n$  must satisfy?

6b. If  $T \left( \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 20 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $T \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$ , find  $T \left( \begin{bmatrix} 34 \\ 64 \end{bmatrix} \right)$ .

HINT: Write  $\begin{bmatrix} 34 \\ 64 \end{bmatrix}$  as  $\alpha \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 20 \end{bmatrix} + \beta \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ; the values of  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are obvious. Compute  $T \left( \begin{bmatrix} 34 \\ 64 \end{bmatrix} \right)$  using your result.