

# MATH 205A • EXAM II

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① Show all your work in the spaces provided.

② Be NEAT

③ Clearly mark your final answers

④ READ the questions!

GOOD LUCK!

1. Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 & b \\ a & 6 & 1 \\ 9 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 2 \\ c & 5 & d \\ 1 & 0 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$  and suppose  $AB = \begin{bmatrix} 57 & 25 & 82 \\ 64 & 30 & 33 \\ 49 & 0 & 54 \end{bmatrix}$ .

1a. What equations involving one or more of  $a$ ,  $b$ ,  $c$ , and  $d$  need to be solved in order to find  $a$ ,  $b$ ,  $c$ , and  $d$ ? Are they all linear?

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 10 + 5c + b & 25 & 4 + 5d + 9b \\ 5a + 6c + 1 & 30 & 2a + 6d + 9 \\ 45 + 4 & 0 & 18 + 36 \end{bmatrix} \text{ so } \begin{cases} 10 + 5c + b = 57 \\ 5a + 6c + 1 = 64 \\ 4 + 5d + 9b = 82 \\ 2a + 6d + 9 = 33 \end{cases} \text{ are the eqns to solve.}$$

yes, these equations are all LINEAR.

1b. Solve the system involving the linear equations in (1a). Use augmented matrices where appropriate; show your augmented matrix/matrices.

the corresponding augmented matrix is:

$$\begin{array}{cccc|c} a & b & c & d & \\ \hline 0 & 1 & 5 & 0 & 57 - 10 = 47 \\ 5 & 0 & 6 & 0 & 64 - 1 = 63 \\ 0 & 9 & 0 & 5 & 82 - 4 = 78 \\ 2 & 0 & 0 & 6 & 33 - 9 = 24 \end{array}$$

the RREF of this is:

$$\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 8 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{array}$$

telling us that  $\begin{cases} a = 3 \\ b = 7 \\ c = 8 \\ d = 3 \end{cases}$

2. A model of an economy shows four sectors  $M$ ,  $A$ ,  $T$ , and  $H$ . Output from each sector is distributed as follows:  $M$  requires none of  $H$ 's output, and the other three sectors consume equal amounts of the output of  $H$ . None of  $M$ 's output is used by  $H$  and  $M$ ,  $A$ , and  $T$  receive equal amounts of  $M$ 's output.  $M$ ,  $T$  and  $H$  use 10, 40 and 30% of  $A$ 's output respectively;  $A$  uses the rest for itself. Finally,  $T$  uses none of its own output, half of which is consumed by  $M$  and the remainder split between  $A$  and  $H$ .

2a. What is the exchange table for this model?

	$M$	$A$	$T$	$H$	
$M$	$\frac{1}{3}$	.1	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	$\rightarrow M$
$A$	$\frac{1}{3}$	.2	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\rightarrow A$
$T$	$\frac{1}{3}$	.4	0	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\rightarrow T$
$H$	0	.3	$\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\rightarrow H$

2b. Find a set of equilibrium prices for  $P_M$ ,  $P_A$ ,  $P_T$ , and  $P_H$  so that each sector's income matches its expenses, assuming that  $P_H$  is 81.

the equations are

$$\begin{cases} P_M = \frac{1}{3} P_M + \frac{1}{10} P_A + \frac{1}{2} P_T \\ P_A = \frac{1}{3} P_M + \frac{2}{10} P_A + \frac{1}{4} P_T + \frac{1}{3} P_H \\ P_T = \frac{1}{3} P_M + \frac{4}{10} P_A + \frac{1}{3} P_H \\ P_H = \frac{3}{10} P_A + \frac{1}{4} P_T + \frac{1}{3} P_H \end{cases}$$

the corresponding augmented matrix becomes

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} \frac{1}{3}-1 & \frac{1}{10} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{10}-1 & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{3} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{4}{10} & -1 & \frac{1}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{3}{10} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{3}-1 & 0 \end{array} \right] = \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{10} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{8}{10} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{3} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{4}{10} & -1 & \frac{1}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{3}{10} & \frac{1}{4} & -\frac{2}{3} & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

the RREF is

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{29}{27} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -\frac{100}{81} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{32}{27} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\text{so } P_M = \frac{29}{27} P_H$$

$$P_A = \frac{100}{81} P_H$$

$$P_T = \frac{32}{27} P_H$$

where  $P_H$  is free.

if we take  $P_H = 81$ , we

obtain

$$P_M = \frac{29}{27} \cdot 81 = 87$$

$$P_A = 100$$

$$P_T = \frac{32}{27} \cdot 81 = 96$$

3. Let  $\bar{S}$  be the familiar vector space of all sequences  $\mathbf{s} = (s_1, s_2, s_3, s_4, \dots)$  of real numbers such that all but finitely many of the entries of  $\mathbf{s}$  are 0. Suppose  $T: \bar{S} \rightarrow \bar{S}$  is defined by

$$T(\mathbf{s}) = T((s_1, s_2, s_3, s_4, \dots)) = (s_1 - s_2, s_2 - s_1, s_3 - s_4, s_4 - s_3, \dots).$$

3a. Find  $T((2, 4, 3, 0, 8, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, \dots))$ .

$$= (2-4, 4-2, 3-0, 0-3, 8-1, 1-8, 0, 0, 0, 0) = (-2, 2, 3, -3, 7, -7, 0, 0, 0, 0)$$

3b. Show that  $T$  is a linear transformation.

part ① Let  $\vec{u}$  and  $\vec{v}$  be in  $\bar{S}$ . We need to show  $T(\vec{u}) + T(\vec{v}) = T(\vec{u} + \vec{v})$ .  $\otimes$

Let  $\vec{u} = (u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots)$  and  $\vec{v} = (v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots)$  be in  $\bar{S}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } T(\vec{u}) + T(\vec{v}) &= T((u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots)) + T((v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots)) \\ &= (u_1 - u_2, u_2 - u_1, \dots) + (v_1 - v_2, v_2 - v_1, \dots) \\ &= (u_1 - u_2 + v_1 - v_2, u_2 - u_1 + v_2 - v_1, \dots) \quad (1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } T(\vec{u} + \vec{v}) &= T((u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots) + (v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots)) \\ &= T((u_1 + v_1, u_2 + v_2, \dots)) \\ &= (u_1 + v_1 - (u_2 + v_2), u_2 + v_2 - (u_1 + v_1), \dots) \\ &= (u_1 - u_2 + v_1 - v_2, u_2 - u_1 + v_2 - v_1, \dots) \quad (2) \end{aligned}$$

Since the expressions in (1) and (2) are identical,  $\otimes$  holds.

part ② Let  $\vec{u}$  be as above and let  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ . We need to show  $\alpha T(\vec{u}) = T(\alpha \vec{u})$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \alpha T(\vec{u}) &= \alpha T((u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots)) = \alpha (u_1 - u_2, u_2 - u_1, \dots) = (\text{next line}) \\ &= (\alpha(u_1 - u_2), \alpha(u_2 - u_1), \dots) = (\alpha u_1 - \alpha u_2, \alpha u_2 - \alpha u_1, \dots) = T((\alpha u_1, \alpha u_2, \dots)) \end{aligned}$$

3c. What form does  $\mathbf{s} = (s_1, s_2, s_3, s_4, \dots)$  have to have in order for  $\mathbf{s}$  to be in  $\text{Ker}(T)$ ?  $= T(\alpha \vec{u})$

$$T(\vec{s}) = \vec{0} \Leftrightarrow (s_1 - s_2, s_2 - s_1, \dots) = (0, 0, 0, \dots) \Leftrightarrow s_1 = s_2, s_2 = s_4, s_3 = s_6, \text{ etc.}$$

no desired

3d. What form does  $\mathbf{b} = (b_1, b_2, b_3, b_4, \dots)$  have to have in order for  $\mathbf{b}$  to be in  $\text{Im}(T)$ ?

$\vec{b} \in \text{Im}(T) \Leftrightarrow$  there is an  $\vec{s}$  s.t.  $T(\vec{s}) = \vec{b}$ . Since  $T(\vec{s}) = (s_1 - s_2, s_2 - s_1, s_3 - s_4, s_4 - s_3, \dots)$  we need

3e. Is  $T$  one-to-one? Explain!

No. For example,  $\text{Ker}(T) \neq \{\vec{0}\}$  since  $(1, 1, 0, 0, \dots)$  is also in the kernel.

$$\begin{cases} s_1 - s_2 = b_1 \\ s_2 - s_1 = b_2 \end{cases} \text{ i.e. } b_2 = -b_1, \text{ etc. so } \vec{b} = (b_1, -b_1, b_3, -b_3, \dots)$$

3f. Is  $T$  onto  $\bar{S}$ ? Explain!

No. Not every member of  $\bar{S}$  has the special form  $(b_1, -b_1, b_3, -b_3, \dots)$

for example, let  $\vec{b} = (1, 2, 3, 4, 0, 0, \dots)$ . There is no  $\vec{x} \in \bar{S}$  s.t.  $T(\vec{x}) = \vec{b}$ .

4. Let  $D = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 & 3 & 8 \\ 1 & 1 & 4 & 5 & 10 \\ 3 & 3 & 11 & 14 & 29 \\ 2 & 2 & 7 & 6 & 16 \end{bmatrix}$  and label its five columns  $c_1, c_2, \dots, c_5$ .

4a. Find a basis for  $\text{Col}(D)$ . note that  $\text{RREF}(D)$  is  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

since the pivot columns are #'s 1, 3, & 4,

these columns form a basis of  $\text{Col}(D)$ .  $\therefore \{\vec{c}_1, \vec{c}_3, \vec{c}_4\}$

4b. Find a basis for  $\text{Col}(\text{RREF}(D))$ .

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

4c. Find a basis for  $\text{Nul}(D)$ .

$$D\vec{x} = \vec{0} \Leftrightarrow \vec{x} = x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_5 \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ where } x_2 \text{ \& } x_5 \text{ are free.}$$

since these two  $\rightarrow$  span  $\text{Nul}(D)$  and form a L.I. set, they form a basis of  $\text{Nul}(D)$ .

4d. Find a basis for  $\text{Nul}(\text{RREF}(D))$ .

since the solns of  $\text{RREF}(D) \vec{x} = \vec{0}$

and  $D\vec{x} = \vec{0}$  are

identical,  $\text{RREF}(D)$  &  $D$  have

the same Null Space.  $\therefore$  This is a basis for both of them.

$$\therefore \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

4e. What is the rank of  $D$ ?

(3) since a basis for  $\text{Col}(D)$  has 3 members.

4f. Is  $c_3$  a linear combination of the other columns? Explain. No:

Reason 1: If  $\vec{c}_3 = \alpha_1 \vec{c}_1 + \alpha_2 \vec{c}_2 + \alpha_4 \vec{c}_4 + \alpha_5 \vec{c}_5$ , then  $\vec{0} = \alpha_1 \vec{c}_1 + \alpha_2 \vec{c}_2 + (-1) \vec{c}_3 + \alpha_4 \vec{c}_4 + \alpha_5 \vec{c}_5$  shows that a soln of  $D\vec{x} = \vec{0}$  exists in which the weight of  $\vec{c}_3$  is non-zero. But in 4c we see in any such soln, the weight MUST be 0. so  $\vec{c}_3$  isn't a L.C. of the other cols.

Reason 2: Row reduction of  $[\vec{c}_1 \ \vec{c}_2 \ \vec{c}_4 \ \vec{c}_5 | \vec{c}_3]$  shows the underlying system is inconsistent.

5. All questions on this page are "short answer". \*\*\*\* No proofs, no explanations required! \*\*\*\*

Note that "DNE" (for "Does Not Exist") is a possible answer.

5a.  $\text{Dim}(\mathbb{R}^4)$  is?

(4)

5b. A basis for  $\mathbb{P}_3$  is?

$\{1, x, x^2, x^3\}$

5c.  $\text{Dim}(\text{Nul}(I_4))$  is?

Since  $\text{Nul}(I_4) = \{\vec{0}_4\}$ ,  
and this VS has no basis,  
we agreed the dim. is 0 (by def'n)

5d. The inverse of  $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$  is?

$\frac{1}{ad-bc} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$ , provided  $ad-bc \neq 0$ ; otherwise  
there is no inverse.

5e. A finite set that spans  $(\overline{S})$  is?

DNE

5f. A finite set that spans  $\{0\}$  is?

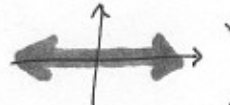
$\{\vec{0}\}$  (although this set is not a basis  
for  $\{\vec{0}\}$ , it still SPANS  $\{\vec{0}\}$ .)

Let  $H$  be the subset of all functions in  $\mathbb{F}$  whose graph either never goes below the  $x$ -axis.

It's just not  
a L.I. set)

5g. Is the 0-vector of  $\mathbb{F}$  a member of  $H$ ? (Y/N)

(Y)

(since " $\vec{0}$ " = )

5h. Is  $H$  closed under vector addition? (Y/N)

(Y)

5i. Is  $H$  closed under scalar multiplication? (Y/N)

(N)

5j.  $\mathbb{P}_3$  is a subspace of  $\mathbb{P}_4$  of dimension 4. (T/F)

(T)

5k.  $\mathbb{R}^3$  is a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^4$  of dimension 3. (T/F)

(F)

$\mathbb{R}^3$  is not a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^4$  in the 1<sup>st</sup> place,  
dimension notwithstanding!