



Final Exam

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[1] Find a system of equations having as solution set the following affine subspace of $\mathbb{R}^4$.

$$\begin{bmatrix} w \\ x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} t$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w \\ x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

check:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} t \right)$$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} t$$

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There are many possible answers.

A full rank answer that checks is correct.

[2] Find the 3×3 matrix A that projects $\mathbb{R}^3$ orthogonally onto the hyperplane $x + y + 3z = 0$.

(Taken from 8:40 Exam 2 [4])

$$A = \frac{1}{11} \begin{bmatrix} 10 & -1 & -3 \\ -1 & 10 & -3 \\ -3 & -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x + y + 3z &= 0 \\ \underbrace{(1, 1, 3)} \cdot (x, y, z) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$A + B = I$, B projects onto normal vector $(1, 1, 3)$

$$(x, y, z) \xrightarrow{B} \frac{(x, y, z) \cdot (1, 1, 3)}{(1, 1, 3) \cdot (1, 1, 3)} (1, 1, 3)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{B} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}}{\| \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \|^2}$$

$$B = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}}{\| \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \|^2} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 3 & 9 \end{bmatrix}}{11}$$

$$A = I - B = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 11 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 11 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 11 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 3 & 9 \end{bmatrix}}{11} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 10 & -1 & -3 \\ -1 & 10 & -3 \\ -3 & -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}}{11}$$

check:

$$\frac{\begin{bmatrix} 10 & -1 & -3 \\ -1 & 10 & -3 \\ -3 & -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}}{11} \cdot \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}}{11} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 11 & 33 \\ 0 & -11 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -11 \end{bmatrix}}{11} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}}{11}$$

in plane
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[3] Find the 3×3 matrix A that projects $\mathbb{R}^3$ orthogonally onto the plane $x + y + z = 0$, with respect to the inner product

$$\langle (a, b, c), (r, s, t) \rangle = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} r \\ s \\ t \end{bmatrix}$$

(Taken from 10:10 Exam 2 [5])

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

$(1, 1, 1)$ is normal to $x + y + z = 0$ using the usual dot product.

It is **not** normal to the plane using this inner product.

We'll still use $A = I - B$ but we need to first find the normal.

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{two vectors in plane}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (2, -1, 2)$$

looks familiar for a reason

$$\langle (x, y, z), (2, -1, 2) \rangle = [2 \ -1 \ 2] \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = [1 \ 1 \ 1] \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\langle (2, -1, 2), (2, -1, 2) \rangle = [2 \ -1 \ 2] \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = [1 \ 1 \ 1] \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = 3$$

$$(x, y, z) \xrightarrow{B} \frac{\langle (x, y, z), (2, -1, 2) \rangle}{\langle (2, -1, 2), (2, -1, 2) \rangle} (2, -1, 2)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{B} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \frac{[1 \ 1 \ 1]}{3} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{so } B = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 2 \\ -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}}{3}$$

$$A = I - B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & & \\ & 3 & \\ & & 3 \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{3} - \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 2 \\ -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}}{3} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -2 \\ 1 & 4 & 1 \\ -2 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}{3}$$

check:

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

in plane

$\perp$ to plane for this inner product



[4] Find A^n where A is the matrix

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

$$A^n = \frac{(-1)^n}{1} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{0^n}{1} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = -1, 0 \quad A^n = (-1)^n \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} + 0^n \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$



[5] Solve the differential equation $y' = Ay$ where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad y(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$y = \frac{e^t}{1} \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{e^{2t}}{1} \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = 1, 2 \quad e^{At} = e^t \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} + e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad y = e^t \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} + e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$$



[6] Find e^{At} where A is the matrix

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

$$e^{At} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}}{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 4 & -2 \\ 0 & -4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}} + \frac{\begin{bmatrix} e^{2t} \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}}{\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}} + \frac{\begin{bmatrix} e^{3t} \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}}{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}}$$

$$\lambda = 0, 2, 3 \quad e^{At} = \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 4 & -2 \\ 0 & -4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{e^{2t}}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{e^{3t}}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$



[7] Find e^{At} where A is the matrix

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

$$e^{At} = \frac{e^{3t}}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{et}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{te^t}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = 3, 1, 1 \quad e^{At} = \frac{e^{3t}}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{e^t}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{te^t}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$



[8] Express the quadratic form

$$-2x^2 - 2xy - 3y^2 - 2xz - 3z^2$$

as a sum of squares of orthogonal linear forms.

$$-\frac{4}{3} (x+y+z)^2 - \frac{3}{2} (y-z)^2 - \frac{1}{6} (2x-y-z)^2$$

$$\lambda = -4, -3, -1 \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & -3 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix} = -\frac{4}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{3}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 & -2 \\ -2 & 1 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-\frac{4}{3} (x + y + z)^2 - \frac{3}{2} (y - z)^2 - \frac{1}{6} (2x - y - z)^2$$