

1. (25 points): Given the following matrix  $A$ ,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -5 & -1 & -6 & 1 \\ 2 & 10 & 1 & 10 & -3 \\ -1 & -5 & 0 & -4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Solution:**

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & -5 & -1 & -6 & 1 \\ 2 & 10 & 1 & 10 & -3 \\ -1 & -5 & 0 & -4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 0 & 4 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (a) Find a basis to the column space of  $A$ .

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

- (b) Find a basis to the row space of  $A$ .

$$\{ [1 \ 5 \ 0 \ 4 \ -2], [0 \ 0 \ 1 \ 2 \ 1] \}$$

- (c) Find a basis to the null space of  $A$ .

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 0 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

2. (25 points): Given the following vectors, and  $\mathcal{B} = \{\mathbf{b}_1, \mathbf{b}_2\}$  and  $\mathcal{C} = \{\mathbf{c}_1, \mathbf{c}_2\}$

$$\mathbf{b}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{b}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{c}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{c}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Solution:**

$$\begin{bmatrix} 7 & -3 & 1 & -2 \\ 5 & -1 & -5 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -5 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 7 & -3 \\ -5 & 2 & 5 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -5 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(a) \text{ Find } {}_{\mathcal{B} \leftarrow \mathcal{C}} P \quad {}_{\mathcal{B} \leftarrow \mathcal{C}} P = {}_{\mathcal{C} \leftarrow \mathcal{B}} P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ -5 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(b) \text{ Find } {}_{\mathcal{C} \leftarrow \mathcal{B}} P \quad {}_{\mathcal{C} \leftarrow \mathcal{B}} P = {}_{\mathcal{B} \leftarrow \mathcal{C}} P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 1 \\ -5 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(c) \text{ Given that } [\mathbf{x}]_{\mathcal{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ find } [\mathbf{x}]_{\mathcal{C}}. \quad [\mathbf{x}]_{\mathcal{C}} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 1 \\ -5 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

3. (50 points): Given the following matrix,

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

- (a) Find the characteristic polynomial of  $A$ .

**Solution:**  $x^3 - 7x^2 + 11x - 5$

- (b) Find all the eigenvalues of  $A$ , and their algebraic multiplicities. Hints:  $\lambda = 1$  is an eigenvalue, and all eigenvalues to this matrix are integers.

**Solution:**  $x^3 - 7x^2 + 11x - 5 = (x - 5)(x - 1)^2$ , so  $\lambda = 1$  (mult 2), 5 (mult 1).

- (c) Find bases to each of the eigenspaces for  $A$ .

**Solution:** For  $\lambda = 1$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

For  $\lambda = 5$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

- (d) What is the dimension of each eigenspace and what geometric object is each eigenspace?

**Solution:**  $\dim(E_1) = 2$  (plane through  $\mathbf{O}$ ) and  $\dim(E_5) = 1$  (line through  $\mathbf{O}$ ).

- (e) Is  $A$  diagonalizable? If so, find  $P$  and  $D$  such that  $A = PDP^{-1}$ .

**Solution:** Yes, eigenspace dimensions match algebraic multiplicities for all  $\lambda$ .

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \quad P = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (f) Is  $A$  invertible? Why or why not?

**Solution:** Yes, 0 is not an eigenvalue of  $A$ .

- (g) If we define  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  as  $T(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x}$ , and we let  $\mathcal{B}$  be the set of eigenvectors to  $A$ , what is  $[T]_{\mathcal{B}}$ ?

**Solution:**  $[T]_{\mathcal{B}} = D$ .

- (h) Is  $T$  one-to-one? Why or why not?

**Solution:** Yes, since  $A$  is invertible,  $T$  is invertible and hence both 1-1 and onto.

- (i) Is  $T$  onto? Why or why not?

**Solution:** Yes, since  $A$  is invertible,  $T$  is invertible and hence both 1-1 and onto.

- (j) Is there a plane through the origin in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  that  $T$  maps to a line through the origin? If so, find a plane that maps to a line, and if not, state why no such plane exists.

**Solution:** No, since  $T$  is 1-1, if such a plane existed an infinite number of points would be mapped to the same point on the image line, which is a contradiction.

4. **Extra Credit:** (10 points): The following matrix  $A$  was subjected to many iterations of the QR method and the result was the matrix  $B$ . Find all the eigenvalues to the matrix  $A$ .

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{117}{11} & -\frac{54}{11} & -\frac{30}{11} & -\frac{60}{11} & -\frac{21}{11} & -\frac{30}{11} \\ -\frac{90}{11} & \frac{59}{33} & -\frac{10}{33} & \frac{46}{33} & \frac{16}{11} & \frac{56}{33} \\ -\frac{130}{11} & -\frac{455}{33} & -\frac{287}{33} & -\frac{244}{33} & -\frac{60}{11} & \frac{208}{33} \\ \frac{710}{11} & \frac{1000}{33} & \frac{712}{33} & \frac{929}{33} & \frac{150}{11} & \frac{52}{33} \\ \frac{134}{11} & \frac{50}{11} & \frac{18}{11} & \frac{58}{11} & \frac{39}{11} & \frac{40}{11} \\ -\frac{441}{11} & -\frac{878}{33} & -\frac{599}{33} & -\frac{703}{33} & -\frac{124}{11} & \frac{61}{33} \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 7 & 9 & -4 & 3 & 15 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 & -1 & 1 & 6 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & -5 & 8 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -3 & -2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 5 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Solution:**  $\{5, -3, 5 - 4i, 5 + 4i, 2 - i, 2 + i\}$