

**Assignment 7:** Assigned Wed 10/07. Due Wed 10/14

- Section 13.** 1, 7, 11
- Section 12.** 3(b) & (d), 4, 5
- Let  $U$  be a finite dimensional vector space over a field  $F$ , and  $T \in \mathcal{L}(U, U)$ . Show that the following are equivalent:
  - $T$  is invertible.
  - $T$  is injective.
  - $T$  is surjective.
- Let  $T \in L(U, V)$ ,  $B = (b_1, \dots, b_m)$  an ordered basis of  $U$ , and  $C = (c_1, \dots, c_n)$  be an ordered basis of  $V$ .
  - Show that there exists a matrix  $M$  such that for all  $u \in U$ ,  $(Tu)_C = M(u)_B$ . What are the dimensions of this matrix? What meaning/significance do the columns of this matrix have (in relation to the two basis  $B$  and  $C$ )?
  - Show that  $\dim(\text{Im}(T)) = \text{col. rank}(M)$ . [Here  $\text{col. rank}(M)$  denotes the column rank of  $M$ ]
  - Show that  $\dim(\ker(T)) = m - \text{row rank}(M)$ . [Here  $\text{row rank}(M)$  denotes the row rank of  $M$ ]
  - Show that the row rank and column rank of  $M$  are equal.

**Assignment 8:** Assigned Wed 10/14. Due Wed 10/21

- Section 12.** 7(c), (e) [For 7, feel free to use any method you like, not just that in Example C].
- If  $S, T \in L(U, U)$  are invertible, show  $ST$  is invertible. Express  $(ST)^{-1}$  in terms of  $S^{-1}$  and  $T^{-1}$ .
- Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$ . Find a necessary and sufficient condition for  $A$  to be invertible. Find an explicit formula for  $A^{-1}$ .
- Let  $A$  be a  $m \times n$  matrix. We define the transpose of the matrix  $A^t$  (sometimes denoted by  $A^*$ ) to be the matrix obtained by interchanging the rows and columns of the matrix. For example,  $\begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \end{pmatrix}^t = \begin{pmatrix} a & d \\ b & e \\ c & f \end{pmatrix}$ . If  $A$  is an  $m \times n$  matrix,  $B$  is an  $n \times n'$  matrix, show that  $(AB)^t = B^t A^t$ .
- Let  $\{v_1, \dots, v_n\} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^m$ , and suppose you want to find a basis for  $V = \text{span}\{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$ . The algorithm used so far is as follows: Put the vectors in echelon form, and pick the non-zero ones. They will be a basis of  $V$ .

Suppose now you wanted to reduce  $\text{span}\{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$  to a basis of  $V$ . That is you wanted to find some subset of  $\{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$  which is a basis of  $V$ . In this case, the above algorithm will not help you! Here's an algorithm that works: First form a matrix with  $v_1, \dots, v_n$  as *columns*. Now put this matrix in *row* reduced echelon form. Now, for each  $i$ , if the  $i^{\text{th}}$  *column* in the reduced matrix contains a leading 1, pick the vector  $v_i$  to be part of your basis. If the column does not contain a leading 1, don't pick the vector. This algorithm will give you a method to reduce  $\{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$  to a basis of  $V$ .

- Using the above algorithm, reduce the following sets to a linearly independent set with the same span.

$$(i) \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \qquad (ii) \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -8 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 7 \\ -5 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

- Prove that the above algorithm works in general.
  - Explain how you would adapt this algorithm if  $\mathbb{R}^m$  above was replaced with an abstract (finite dimensional) vector space  $U$ .
- Let  $V = \{f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid f \text{ is continuous, and } \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x)^2 dx < \infty\}$ .
    - Show that  $V$  is a vector space. [There is only one axiom that is hard to check. Only prove this one.]
    - Let  $\langle f, g \rangle = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x)g(x) dx$ . Show that this defines an inner product on  $V$ .
    - Show that if  $f, g \in V$ ,  $|\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x)g(x) dx| \leq (\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x)^2 dx)^{\frac{1}{2}} (\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x)^2 dx)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ .