

Linear Algebra

Problem Set 3 Solution

Spring 2015

1.(15pts)

$$\begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ B^T & C \end{bmatrix} = LU = \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ B^T A^{-1} & I \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ 0 & C - B^T A^{-1} B \end{bmatrix} = LDU = \begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ B^T A^{-1} & I \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A & 0 \\ 0 & C - B^T A^{-1} B \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I & A^{-1} B \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= LDL^T$$

where $\begin{bmatrix} I & 0 \\ B^T A^{-1} & I \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} I & A^{-1} B \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix}$ (A is symmetric).

2.(10pts)

$$A = B + C$$

$$A^T = B^T + C^T = B - C$$

$$B = \frac{A + A^T}{2}$$

$$C = \frac{A - A^T}{2}$$

3.(15pts)

(a) Yes.

(b) NO. Let $V = \{(b_1, b_2, b_3) \mid b_1 = 2\}$, $(0,0,0) \notin V$

(c) NO. Let $V = \{(b_1, b_2, b_3) \mid b_1 b_2 b_3 = 0\}$, $(0,1,1) \in V$, $(1,0,0) \in V$, but $(0,1,1) + (1,0,0) = (1,1,1) \notin V$.

(d) YES.

(e) NO. Let $V = \{(b_1, b_2, b_3) \mid b_1 + b_2 + b_3 = 1\}$ $(0,0,0) \notin V$

(f) NO. Let $V = \{(b_1, b_2, b_3) \mid b_1 \leq b_2 \leq b_3\}$, $(1,2,3) \in V$, but $-1(1,2,3) = (-1,-2,-3) \notin V$

4.(10pts)

- (a)True. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \in M$, $\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 \\ 4 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \in M$, $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 \\ 4 & 7 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 6 \\ 6 & 10 \end{bmatrix} \in M$
- (b)True. $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in M$, $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 \\ -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in M$, $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 \\ -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in M$
- (c)False. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in M$, $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \in M$, $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \notin M$
- (d)False. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in M$, $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \in M$, $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \notin M$

5.(20pts)

- (a)False. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \notin C(A)$, $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \notin C(A)$, but, $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \in C(A)$
- (b)True.
- (c)False. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ $C(A) = \text{span}\{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\}$, $C(A^2) = \text{span}\{\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}\}$
- (d)True.
- (e)True.
- (f)False. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$, $A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$, $N(A) = \text{span}\{\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\}$, $N(A^T) = \text{span}\{\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\}$,
- (g)False. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$, $A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$, $C(A) = \text{span}\{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}\}$, $C(A^T) = \text{span}\{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\}$
- (h)False. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, free variables are not the same

6.(10pts)

$$\text{Let } A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, N(A) = \text{span}\{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\} = C(A)$$

7.(10pts)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

8.(10pts)

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 6 & 2 \\ 2 & 5 & 7 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 6 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & -2 & -2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 6 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ let } x_3 = c_1, x_4 = c_2$$

$$x_1 + c_1 - c_2 = 0 \Rightarrow x_1 = c_2 - c_1$$

$$x_2 + c_1 + c_2 = 0 \Rightarrow x_2 = -(c_1 + c_2)$$

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c_2 - c_1 \\ -(c_2 + c_1) \\ c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} c_1 + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} c_2$$

$$N(A) = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}, \text{ nullspace matrix } N = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$