
1. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 4 & 0 \\ -2 & -2 & 8 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

- a) Find a relation between the rows of A.
b) Find a basis for the row-space of A.
c) Find the rank and nullity of A.
d) Solve the homogenous system $AX = 0$.
e) Find a basis for the Null space of A.

(25 pts)

2. Find the adjoint of the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 4 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$

(10 pts)

3. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$

- a) Find the inverse of A.
b) Find a 2×2 -matrix X satisfying $AXA - AX = I_2$,
where I_2 is the identity 2×2 - matrix.

(15 pts)

4. Consider the system: $\begin{cases} 2x + 3y + 4z = 1 \\ x - 2y + z = 0 \\ 2y - 3z = 2 \end{cases}$

- a) Without solving, show that the system has a unique solution.
b) Solve the system using Cramer's rule.

(15 pts)

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5. Let $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be the linear transformation defined by:

$$\begin{cases} x' = 3x + 2y + z \\ y' = 4x + 4y + 3z \\ z' = 3x + 3y + 2z \end{cases}$$

Find the inverse transformation.

(10 pts)

6. Find the matrix of the reflection across the xz -plane, followed by the rotation about the x -axis through an angle of $\frac{-\pi}{3}$

(10 pts)

7. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$. Let W be the set of all 2×2 – matrices X

such that $AX = XA$.

Determine if W is a vector space or not.

(15 pts)

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1. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 8 & 5 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 6 & 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

- a) Solve the homogenous system $AX = 0$, and find a basis for the Null space of A.
b) Find a relation between the rows of A.
c) Find the rank and nullity of A.

(20 pts)

2. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & -4 & -3 \\ -2 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$ and $b = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$.

- a) Using cofactors, find the inverse of the matrix A.
b) Deduce from (a) the solution of the system $AX = b$.

(15 pts)

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3. Find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of the matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -2 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

(15 pts)

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4. Let $T : R^3 \rightarrow R^3$ be the linear transformation defined by:

$$\begin{cases} x' = 3x + 5y + 5z \\ y' = 2y - 3z \\ z' = 2x + 3y + 4z \end{cases}$$

Find the inverse transformation.

(10 pts)

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5. Let T_1 be the reflection across the xz -plane, and let T_2 be the rotation about the y -axis through an angle of $\frac{\pi}{6}$.

Find the matrix of:

- a) T_1 followed by T_2 using product of matrices.
b) T_2 followed by T_1 by finding the images of the standard basis

(15 pts)

6. Let A be an invertible $n \times n$ -matrix, and let X be an $n \times n$ -matrix satisfying $2XA + AXA = A^2$

a) Find X in terms of A .

b) Find X if $A = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 3 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$

(15 pts)

7. Let $W = \{(x, y, x, t) \in \mathbb{R}^4 \mid x - 2z = 0 \text{ and } y + z - t = 0\}$

Determine if W is a vector space or not.

(10 pts)
