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**Exam II, MTH 221, Fall 2010, 2pm section**

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**QUESTION 1. (12 points)** Let  $F = \text{span}\{1 - x + x^2, -1 + x^2, -x + 2x^2\}$

(i) Find a basis for  $F$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1+R_2-DR_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-R_2+R_3-DR_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Basis for  $F$ :  $\{1 - x + x^2, -1 + x^2\}$

(ii) Is  $1 - 3x + 5x^2 \in F$ ? EXPLAIN. If YES, write  $1 - 3x + 5x^2$  as a linear combination of the basis elements.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-R_1+R_3-DR_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-2R_2+R_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Yes, it belongs to  $F$  as it can be written as a linear combination of the basis elements.

**QUESTION 2. (5 points)** Given  $v_1 = (2, 3, 2), v_2 = (-2, -3, 2)$  are independent in  $R^3$ . Find  $v_3 \in R^3$  such that  $B = \{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$  is a basis for  $R^3$ . Show the work.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 2 \\ -2 & -3 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1+R_2-DR_2} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-1/4 R_2+R_3} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$v_3 = (0, 1, 1)$

**QUESTION 3. (5 points)** Are  $2 + x + 7x^2, -2 + 13x - 5x^2, 4 + x^2, -7x + 13x^2$  independent in  $P_2$ ? explain (you may finish on the back)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 7 \\ -2 & 13 & -5 \\ 4 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -7 & 13 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1+R_2-DR_2} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 7 \\ 0 & 14 & 2 \\ 0 & -2 & -13 \\ 0 & -7 & 13 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} -1/14 R_2+R_3 \\ 1/2 R_2+R_4 \end{matrix}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 7 \\ 0 & 14 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & -59/7 \\ 0 & 0 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(ii) \quad 1 - 3x + 5x^2 = \alpha_1(1 - x + x^2) + \alpha_2(-1 + x^2)$$

$$(1, -3, 5) = \alpha_1(1, -1, 1) + \alpha_2(-1, 0, 1)$$

$$\begin{array}{l|l} 1 = \alpha_1 - \alpha_2 & \alpha_1 = 3 \\ -3 = -\alpha_1 & \alpha_2 = 2 \\ 5 = \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 & \end{array}$$

$$\therefore 1 - 3x + 5x^2 = 3(1 - x + x^2) + 2(-1 + x^2)$$

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$$\xrightarrow{\frac{98}{89} R_3 + R_4 - 14R_1} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 7 \\ 0 & 14 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & -89/7 \\ 0 & 0 & 14 \end{pmatrix}$$

Not independent

as  $-7x + 13x^2$  can

be written as a  
linear combination

of the others

$$x \left( -\frac{89}{7} \right) + 14 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-14 \times 7}{-89}$$

$$x = \frac{98}{89}$$

**QUESTION 4. (15 points)** Given  $T : P_4 \rightarrow R_{2 \times 2}$  such that  $T(f(x)) = \begin{bmatrix} f(-1) & f(0) \\ f(-1) & f(0) \end{bmatrix}$  is a linear transformation.

(i) Find the standard matrix representation of  $T$ .

$$T(1) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(x^3) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(x) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$T(x^2) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

(ii) Find a basis for  $\text{Ker}(T)$  and write  $\text{Ker}(T)$  as a span.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R_1 + R_2 \rightarrow DR_2 \\ R_1 + R_3 \rightarrow DR_3 \\ R_1 + R_4 \rightarrow DR_4 \end{array}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R_2 + R_4 \rightarrow DR_4 \\ -R_2 + R_4 \rightarrow DR_4 \end{array}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$x_1 = 0$$

$$x_2 - x_3 + x_4 = 0$$

$$x_3 = 1, x_4 = 0$$

$$(0, 1, 1, 0)$$

$$x_3 = 0, x_4 = 1$$

$$\text{Free} = x_3, x_4$$

$$N(A) = \{0, x_3 - x_4, x_3, x_4\}$$

$$\text{basis for Ker}(T) = \{x + x^2, -x + x^3\}$$

$$(0, -1, 0, 1) \quad \text{Ker}(T) = \text{Span}\{x + x^2, -x + x^3\}$$

(iii) Find a basis for  $\text{Range}(T)$  and write  $\text{Range}(T)$  as a span.

$$\text{range}(A) = \left\{ (1, 1, 1, 1), (-1, 0, -1, 0) \right\}$$

$$\text{basis Range}(T) = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$\text{Range}(T) = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

**QUESTION 5. (15 points)** Given  $T : P_3 \rightarrow R$  is a linear transformation such that  $T(2) = 6$ ,  $T(x^2 + x) = -5$ , and  $T(x^2 + 2x + 1) = 4$ .

(i) Find  $T(x)$  and  $T(x^2)$  and  $T(5x^2 + 3x + 8)$

$$\begin{aligned} T(x^2) + T(x) &= -5 \\ T(x^2) + 2T(x) + T(1) &= 4 \\ T(x^2) &= -5 - T(x) \\ -5 - T(x) + 2T(x) + T(1) &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(x) + \frac{1}{2}T(2) &= 9 \\ T(x) + 3 &= 9 \\ T(x) &= 6 \\ T(x^2) &= -5 - 6 \\ T(x^2) &= -11 \end{aligned}$$

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(ii) Find the standard matrix representation for  $T$ .

$$\begin{aligned} T(1) &= 3 \\ T(x) &= 6 \\ T(x^2) &= -11 \end{aligned}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 6 & -11 \end{bmatrix}$$

(iii) Find a basis for  $\text{Ker}(T)$  and write  $\text{Ker}(T)$  as a span.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 3 & 6 & -11 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{3}R_1} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -11/3 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + 2x_2 - 11/3 x_3 &= 0 \\ x_2 = 0, x_3 = 1 \\ (11/3, 0, 1) \end{aligned}$$

$$x_1 + 2x_2 - 11/3 x_3 = 0$$

$$x_1 = -2x_2 + 11/3 x_3$$

$$N(A) = \left\{ -2x_2 + 11/3 x_3, x_2, x_3 \right\}$$

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(iv) Is  $T$  ONTO? explain.

**QUESTION 6. (15 points)** Let  $F = \{(a, b, c, d) \in R^4 \mid a, b, c, d \in R, a + 2b + 3d = 0, \text{ and } c - 3b + d = 0\}$ .

(i) Show that  $F$  is a subspace of  $R^4$ .

$$\begin{aligned} a &= (1)a + 0(b) + 0(c) + 0(d) \\ b &= 0(a) + 1(b) + 0(c) + 0(d) \\ c &= 0(a) + 0(b) + 1(c) + 0(d) \\ d &= 0(a) + 0(b) + 0(c) + 1(d) \end{aligned}$$

as  $a, b, c, d$  can be written as a linear combination of  $a, b, c, d$ ,  $F$  is a subspace of  $R^4$

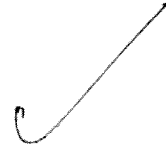
(ii) Find a basis for  $F$  and write  $F$  as a span.

$$a = -2b + 3d, \quad c = 3b + d$$

$$F = \{(-2b + 3d, b, 3b + d, d) \in R^4 \mid b, d \in R\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b=1, d=0 & \mid b=0, d=1 & \mid \text{basis for } F = \{(-2, 1, 3, 0), (3, 0, 1, 1)\} \\ (-2, 1, 3, 0) & \mid (3, 0, 1, 1) & \mid F\text{-span} \{(-2, 1, 3, 0), (3, 0, 1, 1)\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}T(5x^2+3x+8) &= 5T(x^2) + 3T(x) + 4T(2) \\ &= 5 \times (-11) + 3(6) + 4(6) \\ &= -13\end{aligned}$$



(iii)

$$\text{basis Ker}(T) = \left\{ -2+x, \frac{1}{3}+x^2 \right\}$$

$$\text{Ker}(T) = \text{span} \left\{ -2+x, \frac{1}{3}+x^2 \right\}$$

$$\text{basis Rang}(T) = \{ 3 \} \implies \dim \text{ of Rang}(T) = 1 = \dim(R)$$

$\therefore T$  is onto



**QUESTION 7. (8 points)** Let  $D = \{3a + (2+b)x^2 + 4ax^3 \mid a, b \in R\}$  Is  $D$  a subspace of  $P_3$ ? If NO, explain. If YES, find a basis for  $D$

NO,  $D$  is not a subspace since  $2+b$  cannot be written as a linear combination of  $a$  and  $b$ .

**QUESTION 8. (15 points)** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

(i) Find a basis for  $ROW(A)$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 & 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{R_1 + R_2 - DR_2 \\ -2R_1 + R_3 - DR_3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Basis } ROW(A) = \left\{ (1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1), (0, 2, 0, 3, 4, 5), (0, 0, 0, 0, 3, 0) \right\}$$

(ii) Find a basis for  $Col(A)$

$$\text{basis } Col(A) = \left\{ (1, -1, 2), (1, 1, 2), (1, 3, 5) \right\}$$

**QUESTION 9. (10 points)** Given  $L = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 6a & 2a+3b \\ 2b & -c \end{bmatrix} \mid a, b, c \in R \right\}$  is a subspace of  $R_{2 \times 2}$ . Find a basis for  $L$ .

$$\begin{array}{l} a=1, b=0, c=0 \\ a=0, b=1, c=0 \\ a=0, b=0, c=1 \end{array} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\text{basis for } L = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

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