Lecture notes

ZCA 110/4 (for Class B)

Calculus and Linear Algebra

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TEXT BOOK:

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Sequence of lectures to be covered is as followed:

LINEAR ALGEBRA (WEEK 1 – WEEK 3)

3 Lectures

- 1 Matrix
- 1.1 Matrix Algebra
- 1.2 Type of Matrices:

Identity Matrix, Special Square Matrices, Inverse of a Matrix, Transpose of a Matrix, Symmetric Matrices, Conjugate of a Matrix, Hermitian Matrices, Direct Sums.

2 Lectures

1.3 Determinant of a Square Matrix:

Determinants of orders 2 and 3, Properties of Determinants, Minors and Cofactors, Adjoint of a Square Matrix, Evaluation of Determinant, The Inverse of a Matrix, Elementary Transformation.

2 Lectures

1.4 System of Linear Equations:

Solution using a Matrix, Fundamental Theorems, Homogeneous Equations.

2 Lectures

- 2 Vector Spaces
- 2.1 Vector Spaces: Subspace
- 2.2 Basis and Dimension: Basis and Coordinate 2.3 Linear Transformation:

Definition, Basic Theorems, Change of Basis

CALCULUS (WEEK 4 – WEEK 14)

2 Lectures

Preliminaries

- 0.1 Functions and Graphs
- 0.2 Exponential Functions
- 0.3 Inverse Functions and Logarithms:

One-to-One Functions, Inverses, Logarithm Functions

0.4 Trigonometric Functions and Their Inverses

2 Lectures

- 1. Limits and Continuity
- 1.1 Rates of Change and Limits
- 1.2 Limits and One-Sided Limits:

Properties of Limits, One-Sided Limits

2 Lectures

- 1.3 Limits Involving Infinity
- 1.4 Continuity

2 Lectures

- 2 Derivatives
- 2.1 The Derivative as a Function
- 2.2 The Derivative as a Rate of Change
- 2.3 Derivatives of Products, Quotients, and Negative Powers
- 2.4 Derivatives of Trigonometric Functions
- 2.5 The Chain Rule

2 Lectures

- 2.6 Implicit Differentiation
- 3 Applications of the Derivatives
- 3.1 Extreme Values of Functions

4 Lectures

- 3.2 The Mean Value Theorem
- 3.3 The Shape of a Graph
- 3.4 Optimization
- 4 Integration
- 4.1 Indefinite Integrals
- 4.2 Integration by Substitution
- 4.3 Definite Integrals
- 4.4 The Mean Value and Fundamental Theorems

3 Lectures

- 4.5 Substitution in Indefinite Integrals
- 5 Applications of Integrals
- 5.1 Length of Plane Curves
- 6 Transcendental Functions
- 6.1 Logarithms
- 6.2 Exponential Functions
- 6.3 Derivatives

3 Lectures

- 6.4 Hyperbolic Functions
- 7 Integration Techniques
- 7.1 Basic Integration Formulas
- 7.2 Integration by Parts
- 7.3 Partial Fractions

2 Lectures

7.4 Trigonometric Substitutions

7.5 Integral Tables

7.6 L' H'opital's Rule

1 Lecture

7.7 Improper Integrals

3 Lectures

8 Infinite Series

- 8.1 Limits of Sequences of Numbers
- 8.2 Bounded Sequences
- 8.3 Infinite Series Geometric Series
- 8.4 Series of Nonnegtive Terms

1 Lecture

- 8.5 Alternating Series
- 8.6 Power Series

2 Lectures

- 8.6 Power Series
- 8.7 Taylor and Maclaurin Series
- 8.8 Binomial Series

<u>2 Lectures</u>8.9 Fourier Series

8.10 Fourier Cosine and Sine Series

1 Lecture

A Set

A.1 Set

A.2 Real Numbers

B Complex Numbers

Chapter 1

Matrices

1.1 Algebra of Matrices

A matrix is a rectangular array of numbers.

Example 1.1

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 5 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \tag{1.1}$$

C is a 2×3 matrix (2 rows and 3 columns).

In general, an $m \times n$ matrix A, is a rectangular array of numbers with m rows and n columns.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & a_{m3} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$
 (1.2)

where a_{ij} is an **element** of the matrix A, with i = 1, 2, ..., m and j = 1, 2, ..., n. The element can be a number or a function. The matrix A is then of **order** $m \times n$ and can also be written as

$$A = [a_{ij}]. (1.3)$$

Example 1.2

The matrix
$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 5 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$
,

can be the **coefficient matrix** of a system of homogeneous linear equations

$$7x + 3y + 2z = 0$$

$$x + 5y - z = 0 \tag{1.4}$$

or the augmented matrix of a system of non-homogeneous linear equations

$$7x + 3y = 2$$

 $x + 5y = -1.$ (1.5)

Square Matrix

When m = n, matrix A from Eq.(1.2) becomes a **square matrix** of order n, or a n-square matrix. The elements $a_{11}, a_{22}, a_{33}, \ldots, a_{nn}$ are the **diagonal elements**. The sum of the diagonal elements of a matrix A is the **trace of** A.

Two matrices $A = [a_{ij}]$ and $B = [b_{ij}]$ are the **same** if and only if (iff) they have the same order and

$$a_{ij} = b_{ij}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, m; \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$
 (1.6)

A matrix where all its elements are zero is a **zero matrix**.

Sum of Matrices

If two matrices, $A = [a_{ij}]$ and $B = [b_{ij}]$, are matrices of order $m \times n$, then their sum is given by

$$A + B = [a_{ij}] + [b_{ij}]$$

= $[a_{ij} + b_{ij}]$ (1.7)

and their **difference** is given by

$$A - B = [a_{ij}] - [b_{ij}]$$

= $[a_{ij} - b_{ij}].$ (1.8)

The matrices A and B are **conformable** to addition and subtraction if they are of the same order, that is $m \times n$.

Example 1.3

Given
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and $B = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 5 & 6 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$.

Then
$$A + B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 7 & 9 \\ 4 & 8 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$
, $A - B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & -3 \\ 4 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$. (1.9)

Multiplication of Scalar with Matrices

If k is any scalar and the matrix $A = [a_{ij}]$, then

$$kA = k[a_{ij}] = [ka_{ij}] = [a_{ij}k]$$

= $[a_{ij}]k = Ak$. (1.10)

Example 1.4

$$k = 3, \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$kA = 3 \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 6 & 9 \\ 12 & 15 & 18 \end{bmatrix}.$$
(1.11)

The negative of a matrix A is -A and it is the same as -1 times with A. $A + (-A) = 0 \equiv a$ zero matrix of the same order as A.

If the matrices A, B, and C are conformable to addition, then:

$$A + B = B + A$$
, Commutative Law (1.12)

$$A + (B + C) = (A + B) + C$$
, Associative Law (1.13)

$$k(A+B) = kA + kB = (A+B)k, k = \text{scalar}.$$
 (1.14)

Hence conformable matrices obey the same addition laws as the elements of these matrices.

Multiplication of Matrices

If A is a $1 \times m$ matrix and B a $m \times 1$ matrix, then,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1m} \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} \\ b_{21} \\ \vdots \\ b_{m1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\implies AB = a_{11}b_{11} + a_{12}b_{21} + \dots + a_{1m}b_{m1} = C$$
(1.15)

where C is a 1×1 matrix, that is, a number. The product operation is **row by** column.

If $A = [a_{ij}]$ is a $m \times p$ matrix and $B = [b_{ij}]$ is a $p \times n$ matrix, then the product AB in that order is $AB = C = [c_{ij}]$ is a $m \times n$ matrix,

where
$$c_{ij} = a_{i1}b_{1j} + a_{i2}b_{2j} + \ldots + a_{ip}b_{pj}$$

= $\sum_{k=1}^{p} a_{ik}b_{kj}$, $i = 1, 2, \ldots, m$; $j = 1, 2, \ldots, n$. (1.16)

NOTE: Each row of A is multiplied once and only once into each column of B. The elemen c_{ij} is a product of the ith row of matrix A and the jth column of matrix B.

Example 1.5

If

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} , \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

then

$$C = AB = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \times 4 + 2 \times 1 & 1 \times 5 + 2 \times 2 & 1 \times 6 + 2 \times 3 \\ 3 \times 4 + 4 \times 1 & 3 \times 5 + 4 \times 2 & 3 \times 6 + 4 \times 3 \\ 5 \times 4 + 6 \times 1 & 5 \times 5 + 6 \times 2 & 5 \times 6 + 6 \times 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 9 & 12 \\ 16 & 23 & 30 \\ 26 & 37 & 48 \end{bmatrix}.$$
 (1.17)

If the product AB is defined, then A is conformable to B for multiplication. Hence the number of columns of A is equal to the number of rows of B. However it is not necessarily true that BA must be defined. Assuming that A, B, and C are conformable to the below multiplication and addition, then we have

$$A(B+C) = AB + AC$$
, First Distributive Law (1.18)

$$(A+B)C = AC+BC$$
, Second Distributive Law (1.19)

$$A(BC) = (AB)C$$
, Associative Law. (1.20)

However,

(a)
$$AB \neq BA$$
, in general, (1.21)

(b)
$$AB = 0$$
, does not necessarily imply that $A = 0$ or $B = 0$, (1.22)

(c)
$$AB = AC$$
, does not necessarily imply that $B = C$. (1.23)

Example 1.6

Given
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and $B = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
 $AB = 1 \times (-2) + 2 \times 1 = -2 + 2 = 0$
 $BA = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -4 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$.

Hence AB = 0 does not necessarily mean that A = 0 or B = 0. Also $AB \neq BA$ in this case.

Example 1.7

Given
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$
, $B = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $C = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$
 $AC = 1 \times 2 + 2 \times (-1) = 0$, $AB = 0$ (from Example 1.6)
 $AB = AC = 0$ but $B \neq C$.

1.2 Types of Matrices

1.2.1 Identity Matrix

A square matrix with elements $a_{ij} = 0$ for i > j is called an upper triangular matrix and a matrix A with elements $a_{ij} = 0$ for i < j is called a lower triangular matrix. Hence,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ 0 & a_{22} & a_{23} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ 0 & 0 & a_{33} & \dots & a_{3n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$
 is an upper triangular matrix, (1.24)

and

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ b_{31} & b_{32} & b_{33} & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ b_{n1} & b_{n2} & b_{n3} & \dots & b_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$
 is a lower triangular matrix. (1.25)

If a matrix C is both upper and lower triangular, then C is a **diagonal matrix**. Hence,

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & c_{22} & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & c_{33} & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & c_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$
 is a diagonal matrix. (1.26)

C can also be written as

$$C = \operatorname{diag}(c_{11}, c_{22}, c_{33}, \dots, c_{nn}).$$

If the diagonal matrix C possesses elements,

$$c_{11} = c_{22} = c_{33} = \ldots = c_{nn} = k,$$

C is called a scalar matrix. If k = 1, matrix C is called an identity matrix, and the symbol used is I_n or I only.

Example 1.8

$$I_2 = \left[\begin{array}{cc} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \;, \quad I_3 = \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

For p terms,

$$\underbrace{I_n + I_n + \ldots + I_n}_{p \text{ terms}} = pI_n = \operatorname{diag}(p, p, \ldots, p)$$
(1.27)

$$I^p = I. (1.28)$$

If A is 2×3 matrix, then,

$$I_2 A = A I_3 = I_2 A I_3 = A. (1.29)$$

1.2.2 Special Square Matrices

If A and B are square matrices and

$$AB = BA, (1.30)$$

then A and B are **commutative** or A commute with B. If A is a n-square matrix, then

$$AI_n = I_n A. (1.31)$$

Matrices A and B are **anti-commutative**, if

$$AB = -BA. (1.32)$$

If $A^{k+1} = A$ where k is a positive integer, then the matrix A is said to be **periodic**. If k is the smallest possible positive integer where $A^{k+1} = A$, then the matrix A has **period** k. If k = 1, then $A^2 = A$, and the matrix A is **idempotent**. An example of an idempotent matrix is

$$A = \left[\begin{array}{rrr} 2 & -2 & -4 \\ -1 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & -2 & -3 \end{array} \right].$$

If $A^p = 0$, where p is a positive integer, then A is **nilpotent**. If p is the smallest positive integer where $A^p = 0$, then A is said to be **nilpotent of index p**.

1.2.3 The Inverse of a Matrix

If A and B are square matrices and AB = BA = I, then B is the **inverse** of matrix A, and we can write, $B = A^{-1}$. Also A is the inverse of matrix B and $A = B^{-1}$.

Example 1.9

Please refer to section 1.3.7 for the definition of elementary transformations.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{then} \quad B = A^{-1}.$$

$$[A \ I_2] \quad = \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & | & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & | & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \stackrel{R_2^1(-1)}{\longrightarrow} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & | & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & | & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\stackrel{R_1^2(-2)}{\longrightarrow} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & | & 3 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & | & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = [I_2 \ A^{-1}].$$

Example 1.10

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ -1/4 & 0 & 1/2 \\ 1/8 & 1/2 & -1/4 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ -1/4 & 0 & 1/2 \\ 1/8 & 1/2 & -1/4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I_3$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} A & I_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 & | & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & | & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1(1/2)} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & | & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2^1(-1) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & | & -1/2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2(1/2) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & -1/4 & 0 & 1/2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3(-1) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & -1/4 & 0 & 1/2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & | & 1/4 & 1 & -1/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3(1/2) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & -1/4 & 0 & 1/2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 1/8 & 1/2 & -1/4 \end{bmatrix} = [I_3 & A^{-1}].$$

Not all matrices possess an inverse. If the matrix A possesses an inverse, then the inverse is unique. If A and B are square matrices of the same order with inverse A^{-1} and B^{-1} respectively, then

$$(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}. (1.33)$$

If matrix A is such that, $A^2 = I$, then A is said to be **involutary**. Hence involutary matrices are matrices of period 2. I is involutary as $I^2 = I$ and an involutary matrix is the inverse of itself, that is, $A^{-1} = A$.

If a matrix A has a zero row or column, then A is **singular**. A singular matrix does not possess an inverse.

1.2.4 The Transpose of a Matrix

A matrix of order $n \times m$ that is obtained by interchanging the rows and columns of a matrix A of order $m \times n$, is called the **transpose** of A and is denoted by A^T or A transpose.

Example 1.11

Given
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$
 then, $A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$.

If k is a scalar, then,

$$(A^T)^T = A (1.34)$$

$$(kA)^T = kA^T (1.35)$$

$$(A+B)^{T} = A^{T} + B^{T} (1.36)$$

$$(AB)^T = B^T A^T (1.37)$$

$$A = [a_{ij}], \quad A^T = [a_{ij}^T] = [a_{ji}].$$
 (1.38)

1.2.5 Symmetric Matrices

A square matrix A with the property, $A^T = A$, is said to be **symmetric**. So if $A = [a_{ij}]$, then,

$$[a_{ij}^T] = [a_{ji}] = [a_{ij}], \quad \forall i, j.$$
 (1.39)

Example 1.12

The matrix, $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 6 & 7 \\ 6 & 2 & 5 \\ 7 & 5 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ is symmetric.

If A is symmetric, then kA is also symmetric (k is a scalar). If A is a n-square

matrix, then $(A + A^T)$ is symmetric. A square matrix A, such that $A^T = -A$ is said to be **skew-symmetric**, that is,

$$[a_{ij}^T] = [a_{ji}] = [-a_{ij}]. (1.40)$$

Hence the diagonal elements of a skew-symmetric matrix are zeros.

Example 1.13

The matrix,
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -4 & 3 \\ 4 & 0 & 2 \\ -3 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
 is skew-symmetric.

If A is skew-symmetric, then kA is also skew-symmetric (k is a scalar). If A is a n-square matrix, then $(A-A^T)$ is skew-symmetric. Every square matrix A can be written as the sum of the symmetric matrix $B=\frac{1}{2}(A+A^T)$ and the skew-symmetric matrix $C=\frac{1}{2}(A-A^T)$; that is A=B+C.

1.2.6 The Conjugate of a Matrix

If a and b are real numbers and $i = \sqrt{-1}$, then z = a + bi is a **complex** number. The conjugate of z is given by $\bar{z} = a - bi$. The conjugate of \bar{z} is $\bar{\bar{z}} = a + bi = z$. Hence,

$$\bar{\bar{z}} = z. \tag{1.41}$$

If $z_1 = a + bi$ and $z_2 = c + di$, then,

$$z_{1} + z_{2} = (a+c) + (b+d)i$$

$$\overline{z_{1} + z_{2}} = (a+c) - (b+d)i = (a-bi) + (c-di)$$

$$\overline{z_{1} + z_{2}} = \bar{z_{1}} + \bar{z_{2}}.$$
(1.42)

$$z_1 z_2 = (ac - bd) + (ad + bc)i$$

$$\overline{z_1 z_2} = (ac - bd) - (ad + bc)i$$

$$= (a - bi)(c - di) = \overline{z_1}\overline{z_2}$$

$$\overline{z_1 z_2} = \overline{z_1}\overline{z_2}.$$
(1.43)

If A is a matrix with complex number elements, then the matrix obtained from A by replacing all its elements with the conjugate of its elements is called the **conjugate** of A and is denoted by \bar{A} , or A conjugate.

Example 1.14

Given
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2+i & -i \\ 4 & 3-2i \end{bmatrix}$$
 then, $\bar{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 2-i & i \\ 4 & 3+2i \end{bmatrix}$.

If k is a given scalar, then,

$$\overline{kA} = \bar{k}\bar{A} \tag{1.44}$$

$$\overline{\overline{A}} = A \tag{1.45}$$

$$\overline{A+B} = \overline{A} + \overline{B} \tag{1.46}$$

$$\overline{AB} = \bar{A} \bar{B}$$
 (in the same order) (1.47)

$$\bar{A}^T = \bar{A}^T = A^* \tag{1.48}$$

where $A^* = \bar{A}^T$ is A conjugate transpose.

1.2.7 Hermitian Matrices

A square matrix $A = [a_{ij}]$ such that $\bar{A}^T = A$ is called **Hermitian**. Hence,

$$[a_{ij}] = [\overline{a}_{ji}]. \tag{1.49}$$

Hence the diagonal elements of a Hermitian matrix are real numbers.

Example 1.15

Given the matrix
$$A=\left[\begin{array}{ccc}2&1+i&1\\1-i&4&-i\\1&i&6\end{array}\right]$$
 is Hermitian.

If k is a scalar, and A is Hermitian, then,

$$\overline{kA}^T = \overline{k}\overline{A}^T = \overline{k}A = kA, \tag{1.50}$$

 $\Rightarrow \bar{k} = k \Rightarrow k$ is a real number if kA is Hermitian.

A square matrix $A = [a_{ij}]$ such that $\bar{A}^T = -A$ is called **skew-Hermitian**. Hence,

$$[a_{ij}] = [-\bar{a}_{ji}], \tag{1.51}$$

and the diagonal elements of a skew-Hermitian matrix are purely imaginary.

Example 1.16

Given the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2i & 1+i & 3 \\ -1+i & 0 & 3i \\ -3 & 3i & i \end{bmatrix}$ is skew-Hermitian.

If k is a scalar and the matrix A is skew-Hermitian, then,

$$\overline{kA}^T = \bar{k}\bar{A}^T = -\bar{k}A = -kA. \tag{1.52}$$

Hence kA is skew-Hermitian if k is a real number. If k is an **imaginary** number, then kA becomes a Hermitian matrix.

If A is any n-square matrix, then $(A + \bar{A}^T)$ is Hermitian and $(A - \bar{A}^T)$ is skew-Hermitian,

$$\overline{(A + \bar{A}^T)}^T = (\bar{A} + A^T)^T = \bar{A}^T + A = A + \bar{A}^T,$$
 (1.53)

$$\overline{(A - \bar{A}^T)}^T = (\bar{A} - A^T)^T = \bar{A}^T - A = -(A - \bar{A}^T).$$
 (1.54)

Any matrix A can be written as the sum of a Hermitian matrix B and a skew-Hermitian matrix C,

$$A = B + C$$

 $B = \frac{1}{2}(A + \bar{A}^T)$, Hermitian
 $C = \frac{1}{2}(A - \bar{A}^T)$, skew-Hermitian. (1.55)

1.2.8 Direct Sum

If A_1, A_2, \ldots, A_s are square matrices of order m_1, m_2, \ldots, m_s respectively. Then the diagonal matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} A_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & A_2 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & A_s \end{bmatrix} = \operatorname{diag}(A_1, A_2, \dots, A_s)$$
 (1.56)

is called the **direct sum** of the matrices A_i .

Example 1.17

Given the matrices
$$A_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and $A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 7 \\ 2 & 5 & 8 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$,

then the direct sum is
$$A = \operatorname{diag}(A_1, A_2) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 4 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 5 & 8 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}.$$

If A_i and B_i are of the same order for i = 1, 2, ..., s, then,

$$AB = \operatorname{diag}(A_1B_1, A_2B_2, \dots, A_sB_s), \text{ where}$$

$$A = \operatorname{diag}(A_1, A_2, \dots, A_s)$$

$$B = \operatorname{diag}(B_1, B_2, \dots, B_s). \tag{1.57}$$

1.3 Determinant of a Square Matrix

In a given **permutation**, if there exist a larger integer preceding a smaller integer, then we have an **inversion**. If the number of inversions in the permutation is even (odd), then the permutation is said to be **even** (odd).

Example 1.18

Given 4 5 2 1 3. There are 7 inversions, hence the permutation is odd.

1.3.1 Determinant of Matrices of Order Two or Three

The determinant of a matrix A is given by

$$|A| = \sum_{\rho} \epsilon_{j_1 j_2 \dots j_n} a_{1j_1} a_{2j_2} \dots a_{nj_n}$$
 (1.58)

where the sum is over $\rho = n!$ permutations of $j_1 j_2 \dots j_n$ of the integers $1, 2, \dots, n$.

Hence
$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{vmatrix} = \epsilon_{12}a_{11}a_{22} + \epsilon_{21}a_{12}a_{21} = a_{11}a_{22} - a_{12}a_{21}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} = a_{11} \begin{vmatrix} a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} - a_{12} \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} + a_{13} \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= a_{11}(a_{22}a_{33} - a_{23}a_{32}) - a_{12}(a_{21}a_{33} - a_{23}a_{31})$$

$$+ a_{13}(a_{21}a_{32} - a_{22}a_{31}). \tag{1.59}$$

Example 1.19

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ -3 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 1(3-4) - 2(-9-1) - 1(-12-1)$$
$$= -1 + 20 + 13 = 32.$$

or
$$\begin{vmatrix}
1 & 2 & -1 & | & 1 & 2 \\
-3 & 1 & 1 & | & -3 & 1 \\
1 & 4 & 3 & | & 1 & 4
\end{vmatrix}_{+} = +(3+2+12) - (-1+4-18)$$

$$= 32.$$

NOTE: The second method in used Example 1.19 is only true for matrices of order 3.

1.3.2 Properties of Determinants

- (i) If all the elements in a certain row (column) of a square matrix A are zero, then |A| = 0.
- (ii) If A is a square matrix, then

$$|A^T| = |A|. (1.60)$$

(iii)

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & ka_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & ka_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & ka_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} ka_{11} & ka_{12} & ka_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} = k \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$
 (1.61)

(iv) If
$$A \xrightarrow{R_{i+1}^i} B$$
, then $|B| = -|A|$. (If $A \xrightarrow{C_{i+1}^i} B$, then $|B| = -|A|$.)

(v) If
$$A \xrightarrow{R_{i+p}^i} B$$
, then $|B| = (-1)^p |A|$. (If $A \xrightarrow{C_{i+p}^i} B$, then $|B| = (-1)^p |A|$.)

- (vi) If two rows or columns of the matrix A are the same, then |A| = 0.
- (vii) If A is a singular matrix, then |A| = 0.

(viii)

$$\begin{vmatrix} b_{11} + c_{11} & b_{12} + c_{12} & b_{13} + c_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & b_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} & c_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & b_{13} + c_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & b_{23} + c_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & b_{33} + c_{33} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & b_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & b_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & b_{33} \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & c_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & c_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & c_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$
 (1.62)

(ix)

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} + ka_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} + ka_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} + ka_{32} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} + ka_{21} & a_{12} + ka_{22} & a_{13} + ka_{23} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$
 (1.63)

Hence if $A \xrightarrow{R_j^i(k)} B$, then |A| = |B| and $A \xrightarrow{C_j^i(k)} B$, then |A| = |B|.

(x) If M is an upper (lower) triangular matrix with the diagonal blocks, A_1, A_2, \ldots, A_s , then

$$|M| = |A_1| \cdot |A_2| \cdot \dots |A_{s}|$$

If A, B, C, and D are square matrices and

$$M = \left[\begin{array}{cc} A & B \\ C & D \end{array} \right],$$

then $|M| \neq |A||D| - |B||C|$ (in general).

(xi) If A and B are n-square matrices, then $|AB| = |A| \cdot |B|$.

1.3.3 First Minors and Cofactors

Given that A is a n-square matrix. Matrix M_{ij} is the matrix A with the ith row and the jth column removed. The determinant $|M_{ij}|$ is called the **first minor**

or **minor** of A. The minor with sign $(-1)^{i+j}|M_{ij}|$ is called the **cofactor** of the matrix $[a_{ij}]$ and is denoted by α_{ij} . Hence

$$\alpha_{ij} = (-1)^{i+j} |M_{ij}|. (1.64)$$

Example 1.20

Given
$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$
, then $|M_{21}| = \begin{vmatrix} a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$, $|M_{22}| = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{13} \\ a_{31} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$,

$$|M_{23}| = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix}. (1.65)$$

Hence
$$|A| = a_{21}\alpha_{21} + a_{22}\alpha_{22} + a_{23}\alpha_{23}$$

 $= a_{21}(-1)^{2+1}|M_{21}| + a_{22}(-1)^{2+2}|M_{22}| + a_{23}(-1)^{2+3}|M_{23}|$
 $= -a_{21}|M_{21}| + a_{22}|M_{22}| - a_{23}|M_{23}|$. (1.66)

$$|A| = a_{i1}\alpha_{i1} + a_{i2}\alpha_{i2} + \dots + a_{in}\alpha_{in} = \sum_{k=1}^{n} a_{ik}\alpha_{ik}$$

$$i = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$
(1.67)

$$|A| = a_{1j}\alpha_{1j} + a_{2j}\alpha_{2j} + \ldots + a_{nj}\alpha_{nj} = \sum_{k=1}^{n} a_{kj}\alpha_{kj},$$

$$j = 1, 2, \ldots, n.$$
(1.68)

$$\sum_{k=1}^{n} a_{lk} \alpha_{mk} = |A| \quad \text{if} \quad l = m$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{if} \quad l \neq m. \tag{1.69}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{n} a_{kl} \alpha_{km} = |A| \quad \text{if} \quad l = m$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{if} \quad l \neq m. \tag{1.70}$$

Example 1.21

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix},$$

$$a_{11}\alpha_{11} + a_{12}\alpha_{12} + a_{13}\alpha_{13} = |A|$$

$$a_{11}\alpha_{31} + a_{12}\alpha_{32} + a_{13}\alpha_{33} = 0$$

$$a_{11}\alpha_{11} + a_{21}\alpha_{21} + a_{31}\alpha_{31} = |A|$$

$$(1.71)$$

$$a_{11}\alpha_{12} + a_{21}\alpha_{22} + a_{31}\alpha_{32} = 0. (1.72)$$

A square matrix A is singular if |A| = 0, if $|A| \neq 0$, A is non singular.

1.3.4 The Adjoint of a Square Matrix

The **adjoint** of the square matrix A, is denoted by

adjoint
$$A = \operatorname{adj} A = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_{11} & \alpha_{21} & \dots & \alpha_{n1} \\ \alpha_{12} & \alpha_{22} & \dots & \alpha_{n2} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ \alpha_{1n} & \alpha_{2n} & \dots & \alpha_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$
 (1.73)

$$A(\text{adj } A) = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \dots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_{11} & \alpha_{21} & \dots & \alpha_{n1} \\ \alpha_{12} & \alpha_{22} & \dots & \alpha_{n2} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ \alpha_{1n} & \alpha_{2n} & \dots & \alpha_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

=
$$\operatorname{diag}(|A|, |A|, |A|, \dots, |A|)$$

= $|A| \cdot I_n = (\operatorname{adj} A)A$. (1.74)

Taking determinant of the above equation, we get

$$|A||\operatorname{adj} A| = |A|^n = |\operatorname{adj} A||A|.$$
 (1.75)

If A is non singular, then

$$|\text{adj } A| = |A|^{n-1}.$$
 (1.76)

If A is singular, then

$$A(\text{adj }A) = (\text{adj }A)A = 0 \quad \text{(zero matrix)}.$$
 (1.77)

If A and B are n-square matrices, then

$$adj(AB) = (adj B)(adj A). \tag{1.78}$$

NOTE: If C and A are n-square matrices, k a scalar and C = kA, then the determinant

$$|C| = k^n |A|$$
.

Hence

$$|A(\operatorname{adj} A)| = ||A| \cdot I_n|$$

$$|A||\operatorname{adj} A| = |A|^n |I_n|$$

$$= |A|^n, \quad \text{where} \quad |I_n| = 1.$$

1.3.5 Evaluation of Determinant

Procedure for evaluating determinant

Use the elementary transformation $R_j^i(k)$ or $C_j^i(k)$ repeatedly over the matrix A to get the matrix $B = [b_{ij}]$ whose elements, except one, of a row (column) are zero. If b_{pq} is the non zero element and β_{pq} its cofactor, then

$$|A| = |B| = b_{pq} \ \beta_{pq} = (-1)^{p+q} \ b_{pq} \times \text{minor of } b_{pq}$$
 (1.79)

Example 1.22

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ -3 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 \end{vmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2^1(1)} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ -2 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 \end{vmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_3^1(3)} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ -2 & 3 & 0 \\ 4 & 10 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_3^2(2)}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ -2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 16 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^{3+2} 16 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = -16(0-2) = 32.$$

If A and B are n-square matrices, then

$$|AB| = |A| \cdot |B|. \tag{1.80}$$

Differentiation of Determinant

Example 1.23

$$\frac{d}{dx} \begin{vmatrix} x^3 & x^2 + 3 & 5 \\ 2 & 2x^3 - 5 & x^4 \\ x & -3 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 3x^2 & 2x & 0 \\ 2 & 2x^3 - 5 & x^4 \\ x & -3 & 0 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} x^3 & x^2 + 3 & 5 \\ 0 & 6x^2 & 4x^3 \\ x & -3 & 0 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} x^3 & x^2 + 3 & 5 \\ 2 & 2x^3 - 5 & x^4 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}.$$

Example 1.24

$$\frac{d}{dx} \begin{vmatrix} f_1(x) & f_2(x) \\ f_3(x) & f_4(x) \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} df_1/dx & df_2/dx \\ f_3 & f_4 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} f_1 & f_2 \\ df_3/dx & df_4/dx \end{vmatrix}$$
(1.81)
$$= \frac{d}{dx} (f_1 f_4 - f_2 f_3).$$

The above procedure can also be applied to the columns.

$$\frac{d}{dx} \begin{vmatrix} f_1(x) & f_2(x) \\ f_3(x) & f_4(x) \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} df_1/dx & f_2 \\ df_3/dx & f_4 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} f_1 & df_2/dx \\ f_3 & df_4/dx \end{vmatrix} = \frac{d}{dx} (f_1 f_4 - f_2 f_3).$$

1.3.6 The Inverse of a Matrix

If AB = BA = I, then $B = A^{-1}$.

- (i) The square matrix A has an inverse iff, A is non singular.
- (ii) If A is non singular, then

$$AB = AC \implies B = C,$$
 (1.82)

 \implies the inverse is unique.

- (iii) The inverse of the diagonal matrix, $\operatorname{diag}(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n)$ is $\operatorname{diag}(1/k_1, 1/k_2, \dots, 1/k_n)$; $k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n \neq 0$.
- (iv) From Eq.(1.74), the inverse of matrix A can be written as,

$$A^{-1} = \frac{\operatorname{adj} A}{|A|}. (1.83)$$

1.3.7 Elementary Transformations

- 1. R_j^i = interchange the *i*th row and the *j*th row. C_j^i = interchange the *i*th column and the *j*th column.
- 2. $R_i(k)$ = Multiplying every elements of the *i*th row with the non zero scalar k.

 $C_i(k)$ = Multiplying every elements of the *i*th column with the non zero scalar k.

- 3. $R_j^i(k) = \text{Multiplying every elements of the } i \text{th row with the non zero scalar } k$ and then adding them to the elements of the j th row.
- $C_j^i(k)$ = Multiplying every elements of the *i*th column with the non zero scalar k and then adding them to the elements of the *j*th column.

The transformation R is called the **elementary row transformations** and the transformation C is called the **elementary column transformations**.

Two matrices A and B are said to be **equivalent**, if B is obtained from A through a sequence of elementary transformations.

Equivalent matrices have the same order and rank.

- (a) A matrix A is of **rank** r if there exist at least a r-square minor that is non zero while every (r+1)-square minors are zero. A zero matrix has rank r=0.
- (b) For a non singular matrix A (that is $|A| \neq 0$), the rank r = n (order)
- (c) For a singular matrix, the rank r < n.

Example 1.25

(a)

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 6 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[A \ I] = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 2 & | & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 6 & 1 & 3 & | & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 & | & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2^1(-1)} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 2 & | & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 1 & | & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 & | & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= [I A^{-1}]$$

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 2 & 1 \\ -9 & 4 & 3 \\ 11 & -5 & -3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

What is the rank of the matrix A?

(b)

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 6 & 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|B| = 0;$$
 Minor of B , $|M_{11}| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 4 - 8 = -4.$

What is the rank of the matrix B?

Example 1.26

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & -2 \\ 4 & -3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} A \ I \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & | & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & -2 & | & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & -3 & -1 & | & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2^1(-3)} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & | & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -5 & -5 & | & -3 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & -3 & -1 & | & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2(-1/5) \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & | & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 3/5 & -1/5 & 0 \\ 4 & -3 & -1 & | & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_{2}^{3}(-1) \qquad \left[\begin{array}{cccccccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 7/30 & 1/30 & 1/6 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & 1/6 & 1/6 & -1/6 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 13/30 & -11/30 & 1/6 \end{array} \right]$$

$$= [I A^{-1}]$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 7/5 & 1/5 & 1\\ 1 & 1 & -1\\ 13/5 & -11/5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

What is the rank of the matrix A?

1.3.8 Echelon Forms

A matrix is in reduced row echelon form (RREF) if

- 1. Rows of all zeros, if there are any, appear at the bottom of the matrix.
- 2. The first nonzero entry of a nonzero row is 1. This is called a **leading 1**.
- 3. For each nonzero row, the leading 1 appears to the right and below any leading 1's in preceding rows.
- 4. Any column in which a leading 1 appears has zeros in every other entry.

A matrix in RREF appears as a staircase pattern of leading 1's descending from the upper left corner of the matrix. The columns of the leading 1's are columns of an identity matrix.

A matrix is in **row echelon form (REF)** if properties 1, 2, and 3 above are satisfied.

Example 1.27

Determine which of the following matrices are in upper triangular form, REF, RREF or none of these forms.

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ upper triangular.}$$

1.4 System of Linear Equations

A system of m linear equations is given by

$$a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + \dots + a_{1n}x_n = h_1$$

$$a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + \dots + a_{2n}x_n = h_2$$

$$\vdots \quad \vdots \quad \vdots \quad \vdots \quad \vdots$$

$$a_{m1}x_1 + a_{m2}x_2 + \dots + a_{mn}x_n = h_m$$

$$(1.84)$$

If the system of m linear equations possesses solutions, it is said to be **consistent**, if not it is said to be **inconsistent**. A consistent system possesses either only one solution or infinitely many solutions.

Two systems of linear equations are said to be **equivalent** if every solution of one of the systems is the same as the solution of the other system. An equivalent system can be obtained from a system A by applying the elementary transformations over it.

1.4.1 Solution Using a Matrix

In matrix notation, the system of equations, Eq. (1.84), can be written as

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} h_1 \\ h_2 \\ \vdots \\ h_m \end{bmatrix}$$

$$AX = H$$
 (1.85)

where $A = [a_{ij}]$ is the **coefficient matrix**, $X = [x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n]^T$, and $H = [h_1, h_2, \dots, h_m]^T$. X is a n-vector and H is a m-vector. The **augmented matrix** is given by

$$[A H] = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} & | & h_1 \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} & | & h_2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots & | & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} & | & h_m \end{bmatrix}$$
(1.86)

Example 1.28

Solved the following non-homogeneous system of equations

$$x_{1} + 2x_{2} + x_{3} = 2$$

$$3x_{1} + x_{2} - 2x_{3} = 1$$

$$4x_{1} - 3x_{2} - x_{3} = 1.$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & | & 2 \\ 3 & 1 & -2 & | & 1 \\ 4 & -3 & -1 & | & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_{2}^{1}(-3)} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & | & 2 \\ 0 & -5 & -5 & | & -5 \\ 4 & -3 & -1 & | & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_{2}(-1/5) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & | & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 1 \\ 4 & -3 & -1 & | & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_{3}^{2}(3)} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & | & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 1 \\ 4 & 0 & 2 & | & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_{1}^{2}(-2) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 1 \\ 4 & 0 & 2 & | & 4 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_{3}^{1}(2)} \xrightarrow{R_{3}(1/6)} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 2/3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_{3}^{1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 2/3 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_{3}^{1}(-1)} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 2/3 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 2/3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_{2}^{3}(-1) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 2/3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & 1/3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 2/3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_{1} = x_{3} = \frac{2}{3}, \quad x_{2} = \frac{1}{3}.$$

1.4.2 Fundamental Theorems

1. A system of linear equations AX = H is consistent iff the coefficient matrix [A] and the augmented matrix [AH] have the same rank.

2. If H is not a zero vector, then the system, AX = H, is called a

non-homogeneous system. A system of n non-homogeneous equations with n unknowns possesses a unique solution provided that the matrix A is non singular, that is $|A| \neq 0$.

This system, AX = H, with n equations and n unknowns can be solved by two methods:

(a) Method 1 (Cramer's Rule, provided $|A| \neq 0$.)

If A_i , i = 1, 2, ..., n is a matrix obtained from A by replacing the ith column with the constant column H, then the unique solution of the system is the given by

$$x_i = \frac{|A_i|}{|A|}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n.$$
 (1.87)

Example 1.29

$$x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 = 2$$
$$3x_1 + x_2 - 2x_3 = 1$$
$$4x_1 - 3x_2 - x_3 = 1$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & -2 \\ 4 & -3 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 1(-1 - 6) - 2(-3 + 8) + 1(-9 - 4)$$
$$= -7 - 10 - 13 = -30$$

$$|A_1| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & -3 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 2(-1 - 6) - 2(-1 + 2) + 1(-3 - 1)$$
$$= -14 - 2 - 4 = -20$$

$$|A_2| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & -2 \\ 4 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 1(-1+2) - 2(-3+8) + 1(3-4)$$
$$= 1 - 10 - 1 = -10$$

$$|A_3| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 4 & -3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1(1+3) - 2(3-4) + 2(-9-4)$$
$$= 4 + 2 - 26 = -20$$

$$x_1 = x_3 = \frac{-20}{-30} = \frac{2}{3}, \quad x_2 = \frac{-10}{-30} = \frac{1}{3}.$$

(b) Method 2 (By using the inverse A^{-1} .)

$$AX = H$$

$$A^{-1}AX = A^{-1}H$$

$$X = A^{-1}H.$$
(1.88)

Example 1.30

From Example 1.26

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & -2 \\ 4 & -3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad A^{-1} = \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 7/5 & 1/5 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 13/5 & -11/5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$X = A^{-1}H$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 7/5 & 1/5 & 1\\ 1 & 1 & -1\\ 13/5 & -11/5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2\\ 1\\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 14/5 + 1/5 + 1 \\ 2+1-1 \\ 26/5 - 11/5 + 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2/3 \\ 1/3 \\ 2/3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

1.4.3 Homogeneous Equations

A system of linear equations, AX = 0, is a homogeneous system of equations. For this system, the rank of the coefficient matrix A and the augmented matrix $[A\ 0]$ is the same. Hence the system is always consistent. X = 0 is a solution of the system and it is the **trivial solution**. If the rank of A is n, then the unique

solution is the zero solution, X = 0. If the rank of A is r < n, then non-trivial solutions exist.

- 1. A necessary and sufficient condition for a homogeneous system to possess non-trivial solution is that the rank r of the coefficient matrix A must be less than n, that is r < n.
- 2. If the system AX = H is consistent, the complete solution of the system is given by the complete solution of the homogeneous system AX = 0 plus the particular solution of the non-homogeneous system AX = H.

If given X_p is the particular solution of AX = H and X_h is complete solution of the homogeneous system AX = 0, then the complete solution of AX = H is given by

$$X_c = X_p + X_h. (1.89)$$

Proof:
$$AX_c = A(X_p + X_h)$$

 $= AX_p + AX_h = H + 0$
 $\implies AX_c = H.$

Hence X_c is also a solution of the system AX = H.

3. If the rank of the coefficient matrix A of the homogeneous system, AX = 0, is r < n, then the system possesses exactly (n - r) linearly independent solutions. Every given solution is a linear combination of the (n - r) linearly independent solutions and every linear combination of solutions is also a solution.

Example 1.31

$$x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 = 2$$
$$3x_1 + x_2 - 2x_3 = 1$$

$$x_1 + 2x_2 = 2$$

 $3x_1 + x_2 = 1$, Fixed $x_3 = 0$.

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 - 6 = -5,$$
 (Cramer's Rule)
 $|A_1| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 2 - 2 = 0$
 $|A_2| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 - 6 = -5$

$$x_1 = 0, \quad x_2 = \frac{-5}{-5} = 1$$
 Particular solution, $X_p = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

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

$$x_1 + 2x_2 = -a$$

 $3x_1 + x_2 = 2a$ Say $x_3 = a$.

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 - 6 = -5, \quad \text{(Cramer's Rule)}$$

$$|A_1| = \begin{vmatrix} -a & 2 \\ 2a & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -a - 4a = -5a$$

$$|A_2| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -a \\ 3 & 2a \end{vmatrix} = 2a + 3a = 5a$$

$$x_1 = a, \quad x_2 = -a$$

The complete solution for, AX = 0, is $X_h = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ -a \\ a \end{bmatrix}$.

The complete solution for, AX = H, is $X_c = \begin{bmatrix} a+0 \\ -a+1 \\ a+0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ -a+1 \\ a \end{bmatrix}$.

Example 1.32

$$x_1 + 2x_2 + 2x_4 = 0$$

$$x_2 + 3x_3 = 0$$
Hence $AX = 0$,

where the coefficient matrix
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\operatorname{rank} \ r = 2 < n = 4,$$
If given $x_3 = a$ and $x_4 = b$,
$$x_1 + 2x_2 = -2b$$

$$x_2 = -3a$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = 6a - 2b, \Rightarrow$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6a - 2b \\ -3a \\ a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = a \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + b \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Hence, the homogeneous system of equations, AX = 0, possesses two linearly independent solutions, that is, $[6, -3, 1, 0]^T$ and $[-2, 0, 0, 1]^T$ and all linear combinations of these two solutions is also a solution of the system.

Chapter 2

Vector Spaces

2.1 Vector Spaces

Assume that that all vectors are column vectors, that is

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = [x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n]^T.$$

$$(2.1)$$

A collection or a set S of two or more elements, together with two operations, that is addition (+) and multiplication (\cdot) is called a **field** F.

If $a, b, c, \ldots \in F$, then

- 1. $a + b \in F$.
- 2. a + b = b + a, a + (b + c) = (a + b) + c.
- 3. For every $a \in F$, there exist $0 \in F$, where a + 0 = 0 + a = a.
- 4. For every $a \in F$, there exist $-a \in F$, where a + (-a) = 0.
- 5. $a \cdot b \in F$.
- 6. ab = ba, (ab)c = a(bc).
- 7. For every $a \in F$, there exist $1 \neq 0 \in F$ where $1 \cdot a = a \cdot 1 = a$.
- 8. For every $a \in F$, there exist $a^{-1} \in F$ where $aa^{-1} = a^{-1}a = 1$.
- 9. a(b+c) = ab + ac, (a+b)c = ac + bc.

A set of n-vector over F is said to be **closed under addition** if the sum of two vectors from F is also a vector from F. This set is said to be **closed**

under scalar multiplication, if every scalar multiple of a vector from the set is also a vector of the set.

Example 2.1

The set of all vectors $[a, b, c]^T$ of ordinary 3-space is closed under addition and scalar multiplication.

A set of n-vectors over F which is closed under addition and scalar multiplication is called a **vector space** or a vector space of n-dimension.

If given the *n*-vectors $X_1, X_2, \ldots, X_m \in F$, then the set of all the linear combinations $k_1X_1 + k_2X_2 + \ldots + k_mX_m$, (where k_1, k_2, \ldots, k_m are scalars) is a linear vector space over F.

The set of all the vectors $[a, b, c]^T$ from Example 2.1 is a vector space.

2.1.1 Subspace

A set of vectors V from the vector space $V_n(F)$ is a **subspace** of $V_n(F)$ if V is closed under addition and scalar multiplication. Hence the zero n-vector from $V_n(F)$ is a subspace of $V_n(F)$.

If given the *n*-vectors $X_1, X_2, \ldots, X_m \in F$, then the space of all linear combinations of the vectors is a subspace of $V_n(F)$.

The vector space V is said to be **spanned** by the n-vectors X_1, X_2, \ldots, X_m if $X_1, X_2, \ldots, X_m \in F$ and every vector in V is their linear combination. However, X_1, X_2, \ldots, X_m are not necessarily **linearly independent**.

Example 2.2

The vectors

$$K_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad K_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}, \quad K_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad K_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix},$$

are from $S = V_3(R)$ where R is the field of real numbers. Any vector $[a, b, c]^T$

from S can be written as

$$\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = x_1 K_1 + x_2 K_2 + x_3 K_3 + x_4 K_4$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + 5x_4 \\ x_1 + 3x_2 + 5x_3 + 3x_4 \\ x_1 + 5x_2 + 3x_3 + x_4 \end{bmatrix}.$$

This system of equations is consistent. Hence the vectors K_1, K_2, K_3, K_4 span S.

The vectors K_1 and K_2 is linearly independent and span a subspace of planes π of S which contains all the vectors $pK_1 + qK_2$ where $p, q \in R$.

The vector K_4 spans the subspace of lines L of S which contains all the vectors pK_4 , where $p \in R$.

2.2 Basis and Dimension

The **dimension** of a vector space V is the maximum number of linearly independent vectors in V or the minimum number of linearly independent vectors that is required to span the space V. Ordinary space is of linear dimension 3, the space of planes is of dimension 2 and the space of lines is of dimension 1.

A *n*-vectors space of dimension r over F is denoted by $V_n^r(F)$. When r = n, we write $V_n(F)$. A set of r linearly independent vectors from $V_n^r(F)$ is called the **basis** of that space. Every vector from the space is a unique linear combination of the basis vectors.

All bases from $V_n^r(F)$ have the same number of vectors and r linearly independent vectors from that space form a basis.

Example 2.3

From Example 2.2, the given vectors are

$$K_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad K_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}, \quad K_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad K_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

The vectors K_1, K_2 , and K_3 span S because any vectors can be written as

$$\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = x_1 K_1 + x_2 K_2 + x_3 K_3$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} x_1 + x_2 + x_3 \\ x_1 + 3x_2 + 5x_3 \\ x_1 + 5x_2 + 3x_3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

and the system of equations has a unique solution. Hence K_1, K_2 , and K_3 is a basis of the space.

Proof:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 5 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_{2}^{1}(-1)} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_{2}(1/2)} R_{3}(1/2)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_{3}^{2}(-2)} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_{2}^{3}(-2)} R_{3}(-1/3) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_{1}^{3}(-1)} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

The unit vectors, $e_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $e_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $e_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, is a basis of the space S.

The vectors K_1, K_2 , and K_4 is not a basis of the space S.

Proof:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 1 & 3 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{matrix} R_2^1(-1) \\ \longrightarrow \\ R_3^1(-1) \end{matrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 2 & -2 \\ 0 & 4 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{matrix} R_3^2(-2) \\ \longrightarrow \\ R_2(1/2) \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad R_1^2(-1) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 6 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

 $e_1 = [1, 0, 0]^T$ and $e_2 = [0, 1, 0]^T$ spans the subspace π of planes. Hence K_1, K_2 is a basis of the subspace π .

1. If $X_1, X_2, ..., X_n$ are linearly independent *n*-vectors of the vector space $V_n(F)$, then the set $X_1, X_2, ..., X_n$ is a basis of $V_n(F)$.

2. If X_1, X_2, \ldots, X_n are linearly independent n-vectors over F, then vectors

$$Y_i = \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} X_j, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$
 (2.2)

are linearly independent iff the matrix $[a_{ij}]$ is non singular. The set Y_i , i = 1, 2, ..., n is also a basis of $V_n(F)$.

2.2.1 Bases and Coordinates

The n-vectors

$$e_{1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad e_{2} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \dots, \quad e_{n} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \tag{2.3}$$

are called the **elementary vectors** or **unit vectors** over F.

 $e_j =$ the jth unit vector.

 e_1, e_2, \ldots, e_n is an important basis of $V_n(F)$.

For every vector $X \in V_n(F)$, X can be uniquely written as,

$$X = \sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i e_i = x_1 e_1 + x_2 e_2 + \dots + x_n e_n,$$
 (2.4)

where (x_1, x_2, \ldots, x_n) is the coordinate of X relative to the e-basis.

Given that Z_1, Z_2, \ldots, Z_n is a basis of $V_n(F)$, then there exist the unique scalars $a_1, a_2, \ldots, a_n \in F$ such that

$$X = \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_i Z_i = a_1 Z_1 + a_2 Z_2 + \dots + a_n Z_n$$

$$X = [Z_1, Z_2, \dots, Z_n] \cdot X_Z = Z \cdot X_Z$$
(2.5)

where
$$X_Z = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ \vdots \\ a_n \end{bmatrix}$$
, is the coordinate of X relative to the Z -basis.

If given that W_1, W_2, \ldots, W_n is also a basis of $V_n(F)$, so that,

$$X = [W_1, W_2, \dots, W_n] \cdot X_W = W \cdot X_W, \tag{2.6}$$

then

$$X = Z \cdot X_Z = W \cdot X_W$$

$$X_W = W^{-1} \cdot Z \cdot X_Z = PX_Z \tag{2.7}$$

where $P = W^{-1} \cdot Z$ is a non singular matrix and X_W is the coordinate of X relative to the W-basis.

2.3 Linear Transformations

2.3.1 Definition

Given the vectors, $X = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}$, $Y = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix} \in V_n(F)$, are of the same basis

and

$$y_{1} = a_{11}x_{1} + a_{12}x_{2} + \dots + a_{1n}x_{n}$$

$$y_{2} = a_{21}x_{1} + a_{22}x_{2} + \dots + a_{2n}x_{n}$$

$$\vdots \qquad \vdots \qquad \vdots$$

$$y_{n} = a_{n1}x_{1} + a_{n2}x_{2} + \dots + a_{nn}x_{n}$$

$$\implies Y = AX,$$
(2.8)

where $A = [a_{ij}]$ is over F. Then Eq.(2.8) is a transformation that takes the vector $X \in V_n(F)$ to the vector $Y \in V_n(F)$. Y is called the **image** of X.

If $Y_1 = AX_1$ and $Y_2 = AX_2$, then for every scalar k, a, and b,

$$kY_1 = A(kX_1), (2.9)$$

$$aY_1 + bY_2 = A(aX_1 + bX_2).$$
 (2.10)

This transformation is then said to be **linear**.

2.3.2 Basic Theorems

If $X = e_j$ and $A = [a_{ij}]$, then

$$Y = \begin{bmatrix} a_{1j} \\ a_{2j} \\ \vdots \\ a_{nj} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{where} \quad Y = AX. \tag{2.11}$$

- 1. The transformation Y = AX is non singular iff the matrix A is non singular.
- 2. A non singular linear transformation takes linearly independent (dependent) vectors into linearly independent (dependent) vectors.
- 3. If the transformation, Y = AX, is non singular, then it maps the vector space $V_n(F)$ onto itself.
- 4. The elementary vectors e_i of $V_n(F)$ can be transformed into any set of linearly independent n-vectors by a non singular linear transformation and conversely.
- 5. For any given two sets of linearly independent *n*-vectors, there exist a non singular linear transformation that can take the vectors of one of the sets into the vectors of the other.

2.3.3 Change of Basis

If given two matrices A and B, and there exist a non singular matrix Q such that

$$B = Q^{-1}AQ, (2.12)$$

then the matrices A and B are said to be **similar**.

If $Y_Z = AX_Z$ is a linear transformation over $V_n(F)$ relative to the Z-basis and $Y_W = BX_W$ is another linear transformation relative to the W-basis, then A and B are similar.

<u>Proof</u>: From Eq. (2.7), $X_W = PX_Z$, we let $Q = P^{-1}$, then

$$X_Z = QX_W$$
 and $Y_Z = QY_W$

$$Y_W = Q^{-1}Y_Z = Q^{-1}(AX_Z) = Q^{-1}A(QX_W)$$

$$Y_W = \underbrace{(Q^{-1}AQ)}_B X_W$$

$$B = Q^{-1}AQ.$$

Hence A and B are similar.

Example 2.4

$$A = \left[\begin{array}{rrr} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 5 & 3 \end{array} \right]$$

From Example 2.3, A is non singular. Given that Y = AX is a linear transformation with respect to the e-basis and the vectors,

$$W_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}, \quad W_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad W_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix},$$

formed a new basis. If $X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$, find the coordinate of the its image relative to the W-basis by answering the following questions:

- (a) First find the coordinate of X relative to the W-basis.
- (b) Find the linear transformation $Y_W = BX_W$ corresponding to Y = AX.
- (c) Find the image Y_W of X_W .

Solution

(a) From Example 1.26,

$$W = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & -2 \\ 4 & -3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad W^{-1} = \frac{1}{30} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 1 & 5 \\ 5 & 5 & -5 \\ 13 & -11 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eq. (2.7)
$$\Longrightarrow$$
 $X = WX_W \Longrightarrow$ $X_W = W^{-1}X$.

$$X_W = \frac{1}{30} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 1 & 5 \\ 5 & 5 & -5 \\ 13 & -11 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{30} \begin{bmatrix} 7+10 \\ 5-10 \\ 13+10 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{30} \begin{bmatrix} 17 \\ -5 \\ 23 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b)
$$Y_W = BX_W$$
 and $Y = AX$

$$Y = WY_W \implies Y_W = W^{-1}Y = W^{-1}AX = \underbrace{(W^{-1}AW)}_B X_W$$

$$B = W^{-1}AW$$

$$= \frac{1}{30} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 1 & 5 \\ 5 & 5 & -5 \\ 13 & -11 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 5 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & -2 \\ 4 & -3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{15} \begin{bmatrix} 113 & -10 & -42 \\ 25 & -20 & 0 \\ -43 & 50 & 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 113/15 & -2/3 & -14/5 \\ 5/3 & -4/3 & 0 \\ -43/15 & 10/3 & 4/5 \end{bmatrix}$$

(c)
$$Y_W = BX_W = \begin{bmatrix} 113/15 & -2/3 & -14/5 \\ 5/3 & -4/3 & 0 \\ -43/15 & 10/3 & 4/5 \end{bmatrix} \times \frac{1}{30} \begin{bmatrix} 17 \\ -5 \\ 23 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 4847/450 \\ 53/6 \\ -47/30 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Chapter 3

Tutorials

3.1 Tutorial 1

1. The matrices given are:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 & p^2 + 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -5 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -3 \\ 4 & -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad C = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$A_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & q^2 & 10 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- (a) If $A = A_1$, find all the possible values of p and q.
- (b) Find the matrix $D_1 = AC + B$ and
- (c) the matrix $D_2 = CA + B$. Is the matrix D_1 the same as D_2 . If not, why? Give reasons.
- (d) Find the determinant of the matrices A, B, and C and
- (e) their respective adjoints.
- (f) From part (d) and (e), find the inverse of the matrices A, B, and C.
- (g) Find the inverse of the matrix A again by using the elementary row transformations of matrices.
- 2. The matrices given are:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & b_{13} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & b_{23} \\ b_{31} & b_{32} & b_{33} \end{bmatrix}.$$

- (a) If A is an upper triangular matrix, and its determinant |A| is equal to one, what is the matrix A?
- (b) If $B = A^T$, find the matrix B? What type of matrix is B if the elements b_{21}, b_{31} and b_{32} are non zero?
- (c) What type of matrix is B if the elements b_{21} , b_{31} and b_{32} are zero? Given the matrix C = kB, where k is a scalar. What type of matrix is C?

3.

(a) Given the matrix,

$$A = \left[\begin{array}{cc} a & b \\ c & d \end{array} \right]$$

is an idempotent matrix. If b = 2, what is the matrix A? (That is find the value of a, c, and d.) Is the matrix A singular?

(b) Find an idempotent matrix that is non singular.

4.

- (a) Show that ALL nilpotent matrices are singular.
- (b) Show that the given matrix is nilpotent,

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

- (c) Given B = I A. Show that the matrix B is non singular and find the inverse of matrix B.
- 5. Find the matrix $(AB)^{-1}$, if

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, \quad B^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

6. Given the matrix,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3i & 3+2i & 1-3i \\ 3-2i & 5-i & 3-2i \\ 1-2i & 1+2i & 2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Construct from matrix A, the following matrices:

- (a) B, a Hermitian matrix;
- (b) C, a skew-Hermitian matrix;
- (c) D, a symmetric matrix; and
- (d) E, a skew-symmetric matrix.
- (e) Show that F = iC and $G = \bar{B}$ are Hermitian matrices.
- 7. Show that the following matrices are periodic,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad C = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Find the period of these matrices.

3.2 Tutorial 2

1. (a) Write the following system of linear equations,

$$x_1 + 3x_2 + x_3 = 1$$

$$2x_1 - x_2 - 3x_3 = 1$$

$$x_1 + x_2 - 2x_3 = 5.$$

in matrix notation. What is the coefficient matrix of this system of linear equations?.

- (b) Find the inverse of the coefficient matrix by using the elementary row transformation.
- (c) Find the adjoint of the coefficient matrix.
- (d) Find the inverse of the coefficient matrix by using the answer from part (c) above. Make sure that the answer is the same as the answer for part (b).

- (e) Find all possible solutions of the system by using the inverse of the coefficient matrix.
- (f) Make sure that the answers for part (e) are correct by using Cramer's Rule.
- 2. Given the following system of linear equations:

$$x_1 + 3x_2 + x_3 - 2x_4 = 2$$

$$2x_1 - x_2 - 3x_3 = 1$$

$$x_1 + 2x_2 - 2x_3 = 2$$

$$x_2 + 3x_4 = 0$$

Find the solution for this system of linear equations by using Cramer's Rule. Is the solution unique?

3. Find all the possible solutions for the following system of linear equations:

$$3x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 + x_4 = -2$$
$$2x_1 + x_2 + 3x_3 - x_4 = 3$$
$$x_1 + x_3 + 2x_4 - x_5 = 4.$$

4. Given the matrix,

$$A = \left[\begin{array}{rrr} 2 & 2 & -4 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 3 & 3 & -6 \end{array} \right] ,$$

find the matrix, B, of rank two such that AB=0. What is the rank of matrix A?

5. A given vector space is spanned by the following vectors;

$$K_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
, $K_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$, $K_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $K_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$.

By using the elementary row transformation, choose a suitable set of basis from the above vectors for this vector space. What is the dimension of this vector space?

6. Given that X_Z dan X_W are coordinates with respect to a pair of bases,

$$Z_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$
, $Z_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $Z_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$; and

$$W_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$
, $W_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$, $W_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$,

respectively. The vector, $X = [2, 7, 1]^T$. Find the coordinates, X_Z and X_W , and the matrix P, such that, $X_W = PX_Z$.

7. The matrix equation,

$$Y = AX = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} X,$$

is a linear transformation relative to the e-basis. A new basis chosen is

$$Z_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
, $Z_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $Z_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$.

Relative to the e-basis,

$$X = \left[\begin{array}{c} 7 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{array} \right].$$

Find:

- (a) the image Y of X for the given linear transformation,
- (b) the inverse Z^{-1} of the basis matrix Z,
- (c) the coordinate X_Z of X and the coordinate Y_Z of Y with respect to the Z-basis, and
- (d) the matrix R of the new transformation $Y_Z = RX_Z$.