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MATH 221 BOSS FIGHT 1: MATRICES, LINEAR EQNS, RANK AND NULLITY (200+20PTS)

Show your work where appropriate and box answers. **Standard parametric form** means use non-pivotal variables as parameters for solution set. Thanks! You may use a non-graphing calculator on this test and you are allowed a 3×5 inch card of notes.

Problem 1: (24pts) Find the solution of
$$\begin{cases} x + y - z = 7 \\ 2x + y - 2z = 8 \\ 3x - 4y + z = 7 \end{cases}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & -1 & 7 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 & 8 \\ 3 & -4 & 1 & 7 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow[r_3 - 3r_1]{r_2 - 2r_1} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & -1 & 7 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & -6 \\ 0 & -7 & 4 & -14 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow[r_3 - 7r_2]{r_1 + r_2} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & -6 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & 28 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow[r_3/4]{-r_2} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 7 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{r_1 + r_3} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 8 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 7 \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{array}{l} x = 8 \\ y = 6 \\ z = 7 \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{(8, 6, 7)}$$

Problem 2: (16pts) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 \\ 9 & 9 & 9 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$ let e_1, e_2, e_3, e_4 denote the standard basis for \mathbb{R}^4 and $\bar{e}_1, \bar{e}_2, \bar{e}_3$ denote the standard basis for \mathbb{R}^3 . Calculate the following:

$$(a.) A[e_1|e_4] = [Ae_1 | Ae_4] = [\text{col}_1(A) | \text{col}_4(A)] = \boxed{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 5 & 8 \\ 9 & 9 \end{bmatrix}}$$

$$(b.) (A^T[\bar{e}_1|\bar{e}_2])^T = [\bar{e}_1 | \bar{e}_2]^T (A^T)^T = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{e}_1^T \\ \bar{e}_2^T \end{bmatrix} A = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{e}_1^T A \\ \bar{e}_2^T A \end{bmatrix} = \boxed{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix}}$$

Problem 3: (30pt) Let $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$. Calculate $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$ and solve $\begin{cases} x_1 - 2x_2 = a \\ x_1 - 2x_2 + x_3 = b \\ x_1 - x_2 = c \end{cases}$.

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & -2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{r_2 - r_1 \\ r_3 - r_1}} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & -2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{r_1 + 2r_3} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow{r_2 \leftrightarrow r_3} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \boxed{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -a + 2c \\ -a + c \\ -a + b \end{bmatrix}}$$

Problem 4: Let $v_1 = (1, 2, 2, 1)$ and $v_2 = (1, 3, 2, 4)$ and $w = (1, 0, 6, 4)$.

(a.) (10pts) Determine if $w \in \text{span}\{v_1, v_2\}$

$$xv_1 + yv_2 = w \Leftrightarrow [v_1 | v_2] \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = w$$

$$[v_1 | v_2 | w] = \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 & 6 \\ 1 & 4 & 4 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{r_2 - 2r_1 \\ r_3 - 2r_1 \\ r_4 - r_1}} \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 3 & 3 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \text{inconsistent system} \\ \therefore w \notin \text{span}\{v_1, v_2\}$$

(b.) (10pts) Determine if $\{v_1, v_2, w\}$ is a LI set.

$$\text{rref}[v_1 | v_2 | w] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \therefore \underline{\{v_1, v_2, w\} \text{ is LI.}}$$

Problem 5: (10pts) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \oplus \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$. Calculate A^{-1} .

$$\begin{aligned} A^{-1} &= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \oplus \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \left(\frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \right) \oplus \left(\frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ -3 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ -3 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Problem 6: (20pts) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$. Calculate:

$$(a) AA^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \boxed{\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 5 & 13 \end{bmatrix}}$$

$$(b) A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \boxed{\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 & 7 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 7 & 1 & 10 \end{bmatrix}}$$

Problem 7: (20pts) Find the augmented coefficient matrix $[A|b]$ for:

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + 2x_2 + 2x_3 + 4x_4 &= 0 \\ -2x_1 - 4x_2 - 3x_3 &= -3 \end{aligned}$$

and use row operations to calculate $\text{rref}[A|b]$. Write the general solution of $Ax = b$ in standard parametric form.

$$\left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 2 & 2 & 4 & 0 \\ -2 & -4 & -3 & 0 & -3 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{r_2+2r_1} \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 2 & 2 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 8 & -3 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{r_1-2r_2} \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 2 & 0 & -12 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 8 & -3 \end{array} \right]$$

$$x_1 + 2x_2 - 12x_4 = 6 \quad \rightarrow \quad x_1 = -2x_2 + 12x_4 + 6$$

$$x_3 + 8x_4 = -3 \quad \rightarrow \quad x_3 = -8x_4 - 3$$

$$\text{Solution Set} = \left\{ (-2x_2 + 12x_4 + 6, x_2, -8x_4 - 3, x_4) \mid x_2, x_4 \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

$$= (6, 0, -3, 0) + \text{span} \{ (-2, 1, 0, 0), (12, 0, -8, 1) \}$$

Problem 8: You are given that:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -9 & 2 & -7 \\ 3 & -9 & 2 & -7 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{has} \quad \text{rref}(A) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 0 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

(a.) (5pts) Find the basis for $\text{Col}(A)$ via the CCP,

pivot columns give basis $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

(b.) (10pts) Find the basis for $\text{Null}(A)$.

$$\begin{aligned} AX = 0 &\Rightarrow x_1 = 3x_2 + 3x_4 \quad \& \quad x_3 = -x_4 \\ &\Rightarrow x = (3x_2 + 3x_4, x_2, -x_4, x_4) \\ &\Rightarrow x = x_2(3, 1, 0, 0) + x_4(3, 0, -1, 1) \end{aligned}$$

Basis of $\text{Null}(A)$: $\{(3, 1, 0, 0), (3, 0, -1, 1)\}$

Problem 9: If possible, write M as the product of elementary matrices. If not, explain why it is not possible.

(a.) (5pts) $M = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \text{rref}(M) \neq I_3 \quad \therefore M^{-1} \text{ d.n.e.}$

and so M cannot be expressed as product of elementary matrices

(b.) (10pts) $M = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow[\textcircled{1}]{r_2 \leftrightarrow r_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow[\textcircled{2}]{r_1 + 2r_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$E_2 E_1 M = I \Rightarrow M = E_1^{-1} E_2^{-1} I$$

$M = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\left(E_2^{-1} : I_3 \xrightarrow{r_1 - 2r_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

Problem 10: (10pts) Let W be the set of quadratic polynomials whose graphs contain the point $(3, 0)$. Express W as a span.

$$\begin{aligned} W &= \{ f(x) \in P_2(\mathbb{R}) \mid f(3) = 0 \} \\ &= \{ Ax^2 + Bx + C \mid (x-3) \text{ is factor} \} \\ &= \{ (x-3)(Ax + D) \mid A, D \in \mathbb{R} \} \\ &= \{ Ax(x-3) + D(x-3) \mid A, D \in \mathbb{R} \} \\ &= \text{span} \{ x^2 - 3x, x - 3 \} \end{aligned}$$

Choose your adventure: pick one of the following two problems for credit:

Problem 11: (15pt) Let $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times p}$ and $B \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times m}$. Prove $\text{tr}(AB) = \text{tr}(BA)$.

Problem 12: (15pt) Let $\text{rref}[v_1|v_2|v_3|e_3|e_2|e_1] = \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 3 & 7 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 7 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$. If $A = [v_1|v_2|v_3]$ then calculate

A^{-1} in terms of v_1, v_2, v_3 .

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$$\text{tr}(AB) = \sum_{k=1}^m (AB)_{kk} = \sum_{k=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^p A_{kj} B_{jk} = \sum_{j=1}^p \sum_{k=1}^m B_{jk} A_{kj} = \sum_{j=1}^p (BA)_{jj} = \text{tr}(BA)$$

\uparrow detⁿ of trace \uparrow detⁿ of matrix multiplication \uparrow finite sum and mult. of scalars commutes \uparrow detⁿ of matrix multiplication \uparrow detⁿ of trace.

P12 From the given rref of $A = [v_1|v_2|v_3]$ we find that

$$\text{rref}[A|e_1] = \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right], \text{rref}[A|e_2] = \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 7 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right], \text{rref}[A|e_3] = \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{array} \right]$$

CCP $\Rightarrow A(4v_2 + v_3) = e_1, \quad A(7v_1 + 7v_2) = e_2, \quad A(3v_1 + 3v_3) = e_3$

$$\therefore A^{-1} = [4v_2 + v_3 \mid 7v_1 + 7v_2 \mid 3v_1 + 3v_3]$$

Problem 13: (15pts) Suppose $G = \{A \mid A^T J A = J\} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ where J is an invertible matrix. Show that if $A, B \in G$ then $AB \in G$ and $A^{-1} \in G$.

Let $A, B \in G$ then $A^T J A = J$ and $B^T J B = J$ then

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

thus $AB \in G$. We would like to show A^{-1} exists and $A^{-1} \in G$.

Suppose $\exists x \neq 0$ s.t. $Ax = 0$ then if $A \in G$ then

$$A^T J A = J \Rightarrow A^T J A x = J x = 0 \text{ for } x \neq 0 \Rightarrow J^{-1} \text{ d.n.e.}$$

which contradicts the existence of $J^{-1} \therefore Ax = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = 0$

hence A^{-1} exists. Observe then $A \in G$ implies

$$A^T J A = J \Rightarrow (A^{-1})^T A^T J A (A^{-1}) = (A^{-1})^T J A^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow (A^{-1})^T A^T J I = (A^{-1})^T J A^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow I J I = (A^{-1})^T J A^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow (A^{-1})^T J A^{-1} = J \therefore \underline{A^{-1} \in G} //$$