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**Suggested Reading** You may find the following helpful resources beyond lecture,

(a.) Chapter 2 and §9.1 of my lecture notes for Math 221

(b.) §1.4, 1.5, 1.6, 1.7, 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5 of Lay's *Linear Algebra*

**Problem 31:** Consider  $v = (1, 2, 3, 4)$  and  $w = (0, 1, 1, 0)$ . Determine if  $b_1 = (2, 3, 5, 8) \in \text{span}(v, w)$ . Is  $b_2 = (1, 0, 0, 0) \in \text{span}(v, w)$ ? Calculate  $\text{rref}[v|w|b_1|b_2]$  and use the CCP (column correspondence property) to answer the questions.

**Problem 32:** Suppose that  $\text{rref}(A) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Given that  $\text{col}_1(A) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 3 \\ 3 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$  and

$\text{col}_3(A) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\text{col}_4(A) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ , use the CCP to find  $A$ .

**Problem 33:** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 9 & 4 & 14 & 8 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & 6 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 & 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ .

- (a.) Calculate  $\text{rref}(A)$  and use the CCP to write each non-pivot column of  $A$  as a linear combination of the pivot columns
- (b.) Find a basis for  $\text{Null}(A) = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^5 \mid Ax = 0\}$  and express an arbitrary element of the nullspace of  $A$  as a linear combination of the basis

**Problem 34:** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Calculate  $A^{-1}$  and solve  $Ax = (a, b, c)$  where  $a, b, c$  are constants.

**Problem 35:** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Calculate  $A^{-1}$ .

**Problem 36:** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Calculate  $A^{-1}$  and solve  $Ax = (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)$ .

**Problem 37:** Given that  $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$ , calculate  $(A^T B)^{-1}$ .

**Problem 38:** Consider a  $5 \times 5$  matrix  $A$  along with vectors  $v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4, v_5 \in \mathbb{R}^5$  for which:

$$Av_1 = e_1 + e_2, \quad Av_2 = e_1 - e_2, \quad Av_3 = e_5, \quad Av_4 = \cos \theta e_3 + \sin \theta e_4, \quad Av_5 = -\sin \theta e_3 + \cos \theta e_4$$

where  $e_1 = (1, 0, 0, 0, 0)$  and  $e_5 = (0, 0, 0, 0, 1)$  etc. Find the formula for  $A^{-1}$  in terms of the given vectors  $v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4, v_5$ .

**Problem 39:** Solve  $13x - 2y = a$  and  $x - 7y = b$  for arbitrary  $a, b$  using matrix techniques. I recommend multiplication by inverse of the coefficient matrix.

**Problem 40:** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 0 & k \end{bmatrix}$ . For what values of  $k$  does  $A^{-1}$  exist ?

**Problem 41:** Lay §2.4#9. Symbolic block matrix algebra problem.

**Problem 42:** Let  $M = \begin{bmatrix} A & 0 \\ 0 & B \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{4 \times 4}$  where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} \cosh \phi & \sinh \phi \\ \sinh \phi & \cosh \phi \end{bmatrix}$ . Calculate  $A^{-1}$  and  $B^{-1}$  via the  $2 \times 2$  inverse formula then check, via block-multiplication of the partitioned matrix  $M$  that  $M^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} A^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & B^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$ .



**Problem 43:** If  $v = (a, b, c)$  and  $w = (x, y, z)$  are two vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  then the **dot-product** of  $v$  and  $w$  is given by  $v \cdot w = v^T w = ax + by + cz$  and the **length** of the vector  $v$  is given by  $\|v\| = \sqrt{v \cdot v} = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}$ . Suppose we are given vectors of length one which are pairwise-perpendicular; that is  $u_1 \cdot u_2 = 0$  and  $u_1 \cdot u_3 = 0$  and  $u_2 \cdot u_3 = 0$ . Let  $M = [u_1 | u_2 | u_3]$ . Calculate  $M^T M$  and simplify in view of the given information. Calculate  $M^{-1}$  in terms of  $u_1, u_2, u_3$ .

**Problem 44:** Lay §2.5#3. Solution aided by a given LU-decomposition.

**Problem 45:** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 & 4 & -2 \\ 6 & -9 & 7 & -3 \\ -1 & -4 & 8 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Find the LU-decomposition for  $A$ . I believe this matrix does not require the introduction of a permutation matrix like I faced in the example solved <https://math.stackexchange.com/a/186997/36530>. There is a natural algorithm which helps us construct the LU-decomposition from following the forward-pass of the row-reduction on  $A$ . (this is Lay §2.5#15 but I don't think the slick method outlined in my linked answer is to be found in Lay )