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MATH 311 Exam 2 Spring 2001
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1. (60 points) Let P_n be the vector space of polynomials of degree $\leq n$. Consider the linear map $I : P_1 \rightarrow P_2$ given by

$$I(p)(x) = 2 \int_1^x p(t) dt$$

Hint: For some parts it may be useful to write $p(t) = a + bt \in P_1$ and/or $q(x) = \alpha + \beta x + \gamma x^2 \in P_2$.

- a. (3) Identify the domain of I , a basis for the domain, and the dimension of the domain.

$$\text{Dom}(I) = P_1 \quad \text{basis} = \{e_1 = 1, e_2 = t\} \quad \dim \text{Dom}(I) = 2$$

- b. (3) Identify the codomain of I , a basis for the codomain, and the dimension of the codomain.

$$\text{Codom}(I) = P_2 \quad \text{basis} = \{E_1 = 1, E_2 = x, E_3 = x^2\} \quad \dim \text{Codom}(I) = 3$$

- c. (5) Identify the kernel of I , a basis for the kernel, and the dimension of the kernel.

$$2 \int_1^x p(t) dt = 0 \quad \text{differentiate:} \quad 2p(x) = 0$$

$$\text{Ker}(I) = \{0\} \quad \text{basis} = \{\text{empty}\} \quad \dim \text{Ker}(I) = 0$$

$$\text{OR: } I(a + bt) = 2 \int_1^x a + bt dt = [2at + bt^2]_1^x = 2ax + bx^2 - 2a - b = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad a = b = 0$$

- d. (5) Identify the range of I , a basis for the range, and the dimension of the range.

$$q(x) = 2 \int_1^x p(t) dt \quad \text{differentiate:} \quad \frac{dq}{dx} = 2p(x) \quad \Rightarrow \quad p(x) = \frac{1}{2} \frac{dq}{dx}$$

$$\text{Check: } I\left(\frac{1}{2} \frac{dq}{dx}\right) = 2 \int_1^x \frac{1}{2} \frac{dq}{dt} dt = q(x) - q(1) \quad \text{This} = q(x) \text{ only if } q(1) = 0$$

$$\text{Ran}(I) = \{q \in P_2 \text{ such that } q(1) = 0\} \quad \text{If } q(x) = \alpha + \beta x + \gamma x^2 \text{ then } q(1) = \alpha + \beta + \gamma = 0.$$

$$\text{Ran}(I) = \{q = \alpha + \beta x - (\alpha + \beta)x^2\} = \{\alpha(1 - x^2) + \beta(x - x^2)\} = \text{Span}\{1 - x^2, x - x^2\}$$

$$\text{basis} = \{1 - x^2, x - x^2\} \quad \dim \text{Ran}(I) = 2$$

$$\text{OR: } I(a + bt) = 2ax + bx^2 - 2a - b = 2a(x - 1) + b(x^2 - 1)$$

$$\text{Ran}(I) = \text{Span}\{x - 1, x^2 - 1\} \quad \text{basis} = \{x - 1, x^2 - 1\} \quad \dim \text{Ran}(I) = 2$$

- e. (2) Is the function I one-to-one? Why?

$$\text{Ker}(I) = \{0\} \quad \Rightarrow \quad I \text{ is } 1 - 1$$

- f. (2) Is the function I onto? Why?

$$I \text{ is not onto because } \dim \text{Codom}(I) = 3 \text{ but } \dim \text{Ran}(I) = 2$$

- g. (2) Verify the dimensions in a, b, c and d agree with the Nullity-Rank Theorem.

$$\dim \text{Ker}(I) + \dim \text{Ran}(I) = 0 + 2 = 2 = \dim \text{Dom}(I)$$

h. (5) Find the matrix of I relative to the standard bases: (Call it A .)

$$e_1 = 1, \quad e_2 = t \quad \text{for } P_1 \quad \text{and} \quad E_1 = 1, \quad E_2 = x, \quad E_3 = x^2 \quad \text{for } P_2$$

$$\begin{aligned} I(e_1) &= I(1) = 2 \int_1^x 1 dt = 2(x-1) = -2E_1 + 2E_2 \\ I(e_2) &= I(t) = 2 \int_1^x t dt = x^2 - 1 = -E_1 + E_3 \end{aligned} \quad \Rightarrow \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

i. (6) Another basis for P_1 is $f_1 = 1 + 2t$, $f_2 = 1 + 3t$. Find the change of basis matrices between the e and f bases. (Call them C and C^{-1} .) Be sure to identify which is which!

$$\begin{aligned} f_1 &= 1 + 2t = e_1 + 2e_2 \\ f_2 &= 1 + 3t = e_1 + 3e_2 \end{aligned} \quad \Rightarrow \quad C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \Rightarrow \quad C^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

j. (6) Consider the polynomial $q = 3 + 4t$. Find $[q]_e$ and $[q]_f$, the components of q relative to the e and f bases, respectively.

$$[q]_e = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \quad [q]_f = C^{-1} [q]_e = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

k. (3) A polynomial r has components $[r]_f = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ relative to the f basis. What is r ?

$$r = 2f_1 + 1f_2 = 2(1 + 2t) + 1(1 + 3t) = 3 + 7t$$

l. (5) Find the matrix of I relative to the f basis for P_1 and the E basis for P_2 . (Call it B .)

$$B = \begin{matrix} & A & C \\ \begin{matrix} E \leftarrow f \\ E \leftarrow e \\ e \leftarrow f \end{matrix} & \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \end{matrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 & -5 \\ 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

m. (5) Find B by a second method.

$$I(f_1) = I(1 + 2t) = 2 \int_1^x (1 + 2t) dt = 2(x-1) + 2(x^2 - 1) = -4E_1 + 2E_2 + 2E_3$$

$$I(f_2) = I(1 + 3t) = 2 \int_1^x (1 + 3t) dt = 2(x-1) + 3(x^2 - 1) = -5E_1 + 2E_2 + 3E_3$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} -4 & -5 \\ 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

n. (6) A polynomial r has components $[r]_f = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ relative to the f basis. Find $[I(r)]_E$, the components of $I(r)$ relative to the E basis. What is $I(r)$?

$$[I(r)]_E = \begin{matrix} B \\ \begin{matrix} E \leftarrow f \\ E \leftarrow f \end{matrix} \end{matrix} [r]_f = \begin{pmatrix} -4 & -5 \\ 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -13 \\ 6 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} \quad I(r) = -13 + 6x + 7x^2$$

o. (2) Find $I(r)$ by a second method.

$$I(r) = I(3 + 7t) = 2 \int_1^x (3 + 7t) dt = 6(x - 1) + 7(x^2 - 1) = -13 + 6x + 7x^2$$

2. (20 points) Consider a linear map $L : \mathbf{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^p$ whose matrix is $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & -4 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$.

a. (2) What are n and p ?

$$n = 4 \quad p = 3$$

b. (6) Identify the kernel of L , a basis for the kernel, and the dimension of the kernel.

$$\left(\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & -2 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & -4 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -4 & 0 \end{array} \right) \Rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & -2 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -4 & 0 \end{array} \right) \Rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & -2 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} w \\ x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2s - 3t \\ s \\ 4t \\ t \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \text{Ker}(L) = \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

$$\text{basis} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \quad \dim \text{Ker}(L) = 2$$

c. (6) Identify the range of L , a basis for the range, and the dimension of the range.

$$\text{Ran}(L) = \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

$$= \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \quad \text{Are they independent?}$$

$$a \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + b \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + c \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & 0 \end{array} \right) \Rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & 0 \end{array} \right) \Rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3t \\ 4t \\ t \end{pmatrix}$$

Not independent

$$\text{Ran}(L) = \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \quad \text{basis} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \quad \dim \text{Ran}(L) = 2$$

d. (2) Is the function L one-to-one? Why?

$$\text{Ker}(L) \neq \{0\} \Rightarrow L \text{ is not } 1-1$$

e. (2) Is the function L onto? Why?

$$L \text{ is not onto because } \dim \text{Codom}(L) = 3 \text{ but } \dim \text{Ran}(L) = 2$$

f. (2) Verify the dimensions in a, b and c agree with the Nullity-Rank Theorem.

$$\dim \text{Ker}(L) + \dim \text{Ran}(L) = 2 + 2 = 4 = \dim \text{Dom}(L)$$

3. (20 points) Consider the parabolic coordinate system

$$x = u^2 - v^2 \quad y = 2uv$$

a. (4) Describe the u -coordinate curve for which $v = 2$.
(Give an xy -equation and describe the shape.)

$$\text{If } v = 2, \text{ then } x = u^2 - 4 \quad y = 4u. \text{ So } x = \frac{y^2}{16} - 4. \text{ This is a parabola which opens to the right.}$$

b. (4) Find \vec{e}_u , the vector tangent to the u -curve at the point $(u, v) = (3, 2)$.

$$\vec{e}_u = \left(\frac{\partial x}{\partial u}, \frac{\partial y}{\partial u} \right) = (2u, 2v) \quad \vec{e}_u|_{(3,2)} = (6, 4)$$

c. (4) Describe the v -coordinate curve for which $u = 3$.
(Give an xy -equation and describe the shape.)

$$\text{If } u = 3, \text{ then } x = 9 - v^2 \quad y = 6v. \text{ So } x = 9 - \frac{y^2}{36}. \text{ This is a parabola which opens to the left.}$$

d. (4) Find \vec{e}_v , the vector tangent to the v -curve at the point $(u, v) = (3, 2)$.

$$\vec{e}_v = \left(\frac{\partial x}{\partial v}, \frac{\partial y}{\partial v} \right) = (-2v, 2u) \quad \vec{e}_v|_{(3,2)} = (-4, 6)$$

e. (4) Compute $|\vec{e}_u|$, $|\vec{e}_v|$ and $\vec{e}_u \cdot \vec{e}_v$. Find the angle between \vec{e}_u and \vec{e}_v .

$$|\vec{e}_u| = \sqrt{36 + 16} = \sqrt{52}, \quad |\vec{e}_v| = \sqrt{16 + 36} = \sqrt{52} \quad \text{and} \quad \vec{e}_u \cdot \vec{e}_v = -24 + 24 = 0. \text{ The angle is } 90^\circ.$$