

MATH 203-02 (Kunkle), Exam 2  
100 pts, 50 minutes

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No notes, books, electronic devices, or outside materials of any kind.

Read each problem carefully and simplify your answers. Supporting work will be required on every problem worth more than 2 points.

Solve always means to find the general solution, if it exists.

3[1] If  $\begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ x & y & z \end{vmatrix} = -4$ , find the following determinants.

a (6 pts).  $\begin{vmatrix} a & x & d \\ b & y & e \\ c & z & f \end{vmatrix}$

b (6 pts).  $\begin{vmatrix} 2a & 2b & 2c \\ 2d & 2e & 2f \\ 2x & 2y & 2z \end{vmatrix}$

c (6 pts).  $\begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 & c \\ 0 & 0 & f \\ z & y & x \end{vmatrix}$

2. Find the following (if it exists), if  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

2[a] (16 pts)  $A^{-1}$

3[b] (12 pts)  $\det(A)$

2[3] (8 pts). Compute the product (if it exists).

a.  $(1 \ 2 \ -3) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$

b.  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} (-2 \ 5)$

c.  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 0 & -1 \\ 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 5 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

2[4] Suppose  $X^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $Y^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , and  $Z^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ .

a (4 pts). Solve for  $\mathbf{u}$  (if it exists) in the equation  $Z\mathbf{u} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

b (8 pts). Solve for  $C$  (if it exists) in the equation  $CX = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ .

c (8 pts). Find  $(X^T Y)^{-1}$  (if it exists).

5 (8 pts). Answer either part a or part b. Clearly indicate which question you're answering.

3[a] If  $A$  is invertible, explain why  $\det(A^{-1}) = (\det A)^{-1}$ .

2[b] If  $B$  is a  $4 \times 4$  matrix whose columns are linearly independent, explain why the columns of  $B^2$  must span  $\mathbb{R}^4$ .

3[6] Let  $D = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & -5 \\ 0 & a & 7 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $\mathbf{c} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ , and  $\mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix}$ . Suppose that  $\det(D) = \frac{1}{3}$ .

a (9 pts). If  $D\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{c}$ , find  $x_2$ .

b (9 pts). Find  $(D^{-1})_{3,2}$

$$1.a. \begin{vmatrix} a & x & d \\ b & y & e \\ c & z & f \end{vmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{transpose}} \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ x & y & z \\ d & e & f \end{vmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{row interchange}} - \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ x & y & z \end{vmatrix} = -(-4) = 4 \quad (\text{alt 5})$$

$$b. \begin{vmatrix} 2a & 2b & 2c \\ 2d & 2e & 2f \\ 2x & 2y & 2z \end{vmatrix} = 2 \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ 2d & 2e & 2f \\ 2x & 2y & 2z \end{vmatrix} = 2 \cdot 2 \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ 2x & 2y & 2z \end{vmatrix} = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ x & y & z \end{vmatrix} = -32 \quad (\text{alt -40})$$

c.  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & c \\ 0 & 0 & f \\ z & y & x \end{pmatrix}$  is singular because rows 1 & 2 can't both have a pivot. Determinant = 0.

$$2. \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Steps

a.  $r_3 \leftarrow r_3 - r_1$   
 $r_4 \leftarrow r_4 + r_2$

b.  $r_2 \leftrightarrow r_3$ , then

$r_2 \leftarrow -r_2$   
 $r_4 \leftarrow \frac{1}{4} r_4$

c.  $r_3 \leftarrow r_3 - 2r_4$   
 $r_1 \leftarrow r_1 - 3r_2$

$$\sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1/4 & 0 & 1/4 \end{pmatrix} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -2 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1/2 & 0 & -1/2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1/4 & 0 & 1/4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$a. A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/2 & 0 & -1/2 \\ 0 & 1/4 & 0 & 1/4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$b. |A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = - \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = -(-4) = 4.$$

$$2 \text{ alt: } a. \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\stackrel{2.2}{\sim} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -4 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \stackrel{3.}{\sim} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -2 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1/2 & 0 & 1/2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1/4 & 0 & -1/4 \end{pmatrix} \cdot A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/2 & 0 & 1/2 \\ 0 & 1/4 & 0 & -1/4 \end{pmatrix}$$

steps: 1.  $r_2 \leftrightarrow r_3$  2.  $r_4 \leftarrow r_4 - r_3$ ,  $r_2 \leftarrow r_2 - r_1$ . 3.  $r_4 \leftarrow r_4 \div (-4)$ ,  $r_2 \leftarrow -1 \cdot r_2$ ,  
(3. continued) then  $r_3 \leftarrow r_3 - 2r_4$ ,  $r_1 \leftarrow r_1 - 3r_2$ .

b.  $\det A = - \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = - \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -4 \end{vmatrix} = -1(1)(1)(-4) = -4.$

one row interchange to here  $\rightarrow$

3a.  $(1 \ 2 \ -3) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} = 1 + 2(-1) + (-3) \cdot 5 = -16.$  alt:  $(1 \ 3 \ -2) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} = 1 - 3 - 10 = -12.$

$(1+3)$   $(3+5)$   $(1 \times 1)$

b.  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 \\ +4 & -10 \end{pmatrix}.$  alt:  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 \\ -4 & 10 \end{pmatrix}.$

$3 \times 1$   $1 \times 2$   $3 \times 2$

c. DNE. can't multiply  $3 \times 2$  by  $3 \times 3$ .

4. It is not necessary to find  $X, Y, \text{ or } Z$  to solve this problem.

a.  $u = Z^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}.$  alt.  $Z^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}.$

b.  $C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} X^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -3 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}.$  alt.  $C = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$

c.  $(X^T Y)^{-1} = Y^{-1} (X^T)^{-1} = Y^{-1} (X^{-1})^T = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 2 & -2 \end{pmatrix}.$

5a.  $AA^{-1} = I \Rightarrow \det(AA^{-1}) = \det(I) = 1$ . The determinant of the product of 2 square matrices is the product of their determinants, so  $\det(A) \cdot \det(A^{-1}) = 1 \Rightarrow \det(A^{-1}) = \frac{1}{\det A} = (\det A)^{-1}$ .

5b. cols of  $B$  linearly independent  $\Rightarrow B$  invertible, by Invertible Matrix Theorem. Because the product of invertible matrices is invertible,  $B^2 = BB$  must also be invertible. By IVT again, cols of  $B^2$  must span  $\mathbb{R}^4$ .

6a. Cramer's Rule  $\Rightarrow x_2 = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \\ 3 & -1 & 0 \end{vmatrix}}{\det(D)}$ , Expand along row 2:

$$x_2 = -7 \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 \end{vmatrix}}{3} = -7(-2-3) \cdot 3 = 105. \quad \text{Alt: } x_2 = -7(-2-3) \cdot 5 = 175.$$

b.  $D^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det D} (\text{cofactors of } D)^T$ , so  $(D^{-1})_{3,2} = \frac{1}{1/3} \begin{pmatrix} 2,3 \text{ cofactor of } D \end{pmatrix}$

$$\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 0 & -5 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 & 0 & 0 \end{array}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1/3} (-1)^{2+3} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 3 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 3(-1)(2) = -6.$$

$$\text{alt: } D^{-1}_{32} = 5(-1)(2) = -10.$$