

PLENARY SESSION 1

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MATHEMATICS

Plan:

Selected exercises from the
Workbook, Lecture 1-3

Problems

1.4, 1.8-1.10, 1.15 (1.11)
2.18, 2.20c, 2.21
3.4, 3.5, 3.14, 3.15 (3.11,
3.12)

Lecture 1:

1.4 $\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & h \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{\substack{R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 - R_1}} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & h-1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{1/2}$

$\rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & h+1/2 \end{array} \right)$

Consistent

\Leftrightarrow

$h+1/2=0$

$h=-1/2$

1.15 $\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 2q \\ 2 & -3 & 2 & 4q \\ 3 & -2 & p & q \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{\substack{R_2 - 2R_1 \\ R_3 - 3R_1}} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 2q \\ 0 & -5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -5 & p-3 & -5q \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{1/5}$

$\rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 2q \\ 0 & -5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & p-3 & -5q \end{array} \right)$

$q=0$ inf. many solutions
 $\text{rk } A=2, \text{rk } \tilde{A}=2$
(x_3 free)

$q \neq 0$
no solutions
 $\text{rk } A=2, \text{rk } \tilde{A}=3$

$p \neq 3$
one solution
 $\text{rk } A = \text{rk } \tilde{A} = 3$

1.8

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ -1 & a & -21 & 2 \\ 3 & 7 & a & b \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{R_1} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & a+2 & -18 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & a-9 & b-3 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & a-9 & b-3 \\ 0 & a+2 & -18 & 3 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{-(a+2)}$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & a-9 & b-3 \\ 0 & 0 & \underbrace{-18 - (a+2)(a-9)}_{*} & \underbrace{3 - (a+2)(b-3)}_{**} \end{array} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{*} = 0: & \quad -18 - (a^2 - 7a - 18) = 0 \\ & \quad -a^2 + 7a = 0 \Leftrightarrow a^2 - 7a = 0 \\ & \quad \underline{a=0}, \underline{a=7} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{**} = 0: & \quad 3 - (a+2)(b-3) = 0 \\ & \quad a=0: \quad 3 - 2b + 6 = 0 \quad 2b = 9 \quad \underline{b = 9/2} \\ & \quad a=7: \quad 3 - 9b + 27 = 0 \quad 9b = 30 \quad \underline{b = 30/9 = 10/3} \end{aligned}$$

$a=0, 7$ / $**=0$ infinitely many solutions
 $a \neq 0, 7$ / $** \neq 0$ no solutions
 $a \neq 0, 7$ / $** \neq 0$ one solution

Conclusion:

$a \neq 0, a \neq 7$: one solution

$a=0, b \neq 9/2$: no solutions

$a=7, b \neq 10/3$: no solution

$a=0, b=9/2$: inf. many

$a=7, b=10/3$: inf. many

1.9

$$\left(\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 3 & 4 & 1 & 7 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 7 \\ -1 & 3 & 2 & 4 & 9 \end{array} \right) \begin{array}{l} \left[\begin{array}{l} -3 \\ -3 \end{array} \right] \end{array}$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 3 & 4 & 1 & 7 \\ 0 & -2 & -11 & -3 & -14 \\ 0 & 6 & 6 & 5 & 16 \end{array} \right) \left[\begin{array}{l} 4/7 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 3 & 4 & & \\ 0 & -2 & -11 & & \\ 0 & 0 & -66/7 + 42/7 & & \end{array} \right)$$

0

1.10

$$\left(\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 6 & -7 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 9 & -6 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 & -8 & 4 & 5 \end{array} \right) \begin{array}{l} \left[\begin{array}{l} -1 \\ -1 \end{array} \right] \end{array}$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 6 & -7 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -3 & -1 & 1 & 4 \end{array} \right) \left[\begin{array}{l} 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 6 & -7 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 5 \end{array} \right)$$

↑
free

inf- many solutions,
one free variable
(z)

free variables = $n - \text{rk } A = 4 - 3 = 1$

1.11 a)

$$\begin{aligned} x - 3y + 6z &= -1 \\ 2x - 5y + 10z &= 0 \\ 3x - 8y + 17z &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

i) Substitution:

$$\underline{x = 3y - 6z - 1} \rightarrow 2(3y - 6z - 1) - 5y + 10z = 0$$

$$\boxed{y - 2z = 2}$$



$$3(3y - 6z - 1) - 8y + 17z = 1$$

$$\boxed{y - z = 4}$$

$$\begin{cases} y - 2z = 2 \\ y - z = 4 \end{cases}$$

$$\underline{y = 2z + 2} \rightarrow (2z + 2) - z = 4$$

$$\begin{aligned} z &= 2 \\ \hline y &= 6 \\ \hline x &= 5 \\ \hline \end{aligned}$$

ii)

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & 6 & -1 \\ 2 & -5 & 10 & 0 \\ 3 & -8 & 17 & 1 \end{array} \right) \begin{array}{l} \downarrow -2 \\ \downarrow -3 \end{array} \rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & 6 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 4 \end{array} \right) \downarrow -1$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & 6 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right)$$

$$x = 5$$

$$y = 6$$

$$z = 2 //$$

2.18

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$$a) \begin{vmatrix} x & 0 & x^2-2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & x & x-1 \end{vmatrix} = x \cdot (x-1 - \cancel{x}) + (-1) \cdot (-(x^2-2))$$

$$= -x + x^2 - 2 = \underline{x^2 - x - 2}$$

$$|A|=0 : x^2 - x - 2 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1+8}}{2} = \frac{1 \pm 3}{2}$$

$$x = \underline{2}, \quad x = \underline{-1}$$

$$x \neq 2, -1 : |A| \neq 0 \Rightarrow \text{rk } A = 3$$

$$x = 2, -1 : |A| = 0 \Rightarrow \text{rk } A < 3$$

$$\underline{x=2}: A = \begin{pmatrix} \boxed{2} & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & \dots \end{pmatrix} \quad M_{12,12} = 2 \neq 0$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$\text{rk } A = 2$$

$$\underline{x=-1}: A = \begin{pmatrix} \boxed{-1} & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & 1 & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & \dots \end{pmatrix} \quad M_{12,12} = -1 \neq 0$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$\text{rk } A = 2$$

$$\text{rk} \begin{pmatrix} x & 0 & x^2-2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & x & x-1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{cases} 3, & x \neq 2, -1 \\ 2, & x = 2, -1 \end{cases}$$

b)

$$\begin{vmatrix} t+3 & 5 & 6 \\ -1 & t-3 & -6 \\ 1 & 1 & t+4 \end{vmatrix} = (t+3) \cdot ((t-3)(t+4)+6) + 1 \cdot (5(t+4)-6) + 1 \cdot (-30-6(t-3))$$

$$= (t+3) \cdot ((t-3)(t+4) + 6) + 5(t+4) - 6 - 30 - 6(t-3)$$

$$= (t+3)(t-3)(t+4) + \underbrace{5(t+4) - 6 - 30 - 6(t-3)}_{-t-20+2} = (t+3)(t-3)(t+4) + (5t+20)$$

|A|=0:

$$= (t+4) \cdot [(t+3)(t-3) + 5] = 0$$

$$t = -4 \quad t^2 - 9 + 5 = 0$$

$$t^2 - 4 = 0$$

$$t = \pm 2$$

$t \neq 2, -2, -4 : \text{rk } A = 3$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} t=2 : M_{12,13} = \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ -1 & -6 \end{vmatrix} = -30 + 6 \neq 0 \\ t=-2 : M_{13,12} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 - 5 \neq 0 \\ t=-4 : M_{12,12} = \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 5 \\ -1 & -7 \end{vmatrix} = 7 + 5 \neq 0 \end{array} \right\} \text{rk } A = 2$$

$$\underline{t=2}: A = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 5 & 6 \\ -1 & -1 & -6 \\ 1 & 1 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underline{t=-2}: \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5 & 6 \\ -1 & -5 & -6 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underline{t=-4}: \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 5 & 6 \\ -1 & -7 & 6 \\ \dots & \dots & \dots \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a) \quad -2x_1 - 3x_2 + x_3 &= 3 \\ 4x_1 + 6x_2 - 2x_3 &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\hat{A} = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} -2 & -3 & 1 & 3 \\ 4 & 6 & -2 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

A

$$M_{12,12} = -12 + 12 = 0$$

$$M_{12,13} = 4 - 4 = 0$$

$$M_{12,23} = 6 - 6 = 0$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} M_{12,12} = 0 \\ M_{12,13} = 0 \\ M_{12,23} = 0 \end{array} \right\} \text{rk } A = \underline{1}$$

all 2-minors = 0
there is a 1-minor $\neq 0$

$$M_{12,14} = -2 - 12 = -14 \neq 0 \Rightarrow \text{rk } \hat{A} = \underline{2}$$

no solutions

x_3 free

$$c) \quad \hat{A} = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c|c} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 & 3 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 & -8 & 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 5 & -7 & 7 & 7 \end{array} \right)$$

$$M_{1234,1245} = 0$$

$$\text{rk } \hat{A} = \text{rk } A = \underline{3}$$

$$|A| = \left| \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & -7 & 7 \end{array} \right| \begin{array}{l} \downarrow \cdot 2 \\ \downarrow \cdot (-1) \end{array} - 4 = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & -5 & 1 \\ 0 & 6 & -10 & 0 \\ 0 & 9 & -15 & 3 \end{array} \right)$$

$$= 1 \cdot (-90 + 90) + 3 \cdot (-30 + 30) = \underline{0}$$

$$M_{123,123} = 1 \cdot 0 = 0$$

$$M_{123,124} = 1 \cdot \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 6 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = -6 \neq 0$$

$$\Delta_{123,124} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 \cdot (-14) - 2 \cdot (-6) + 1 \cdot (-4) \\ = -14 + 12 - 4 = \underline{-6} \neq 0$$

$$\text{rk } A = \underline{3}$$

$$\text{rk } \hat{A} = \underline{3}$$

Conclusion:

Consistent

$$\# \text{ free vars} = n - \text{rk } A = 4 - 3 = \underline{1}$$

Solution:

Take eqn. (1), (2), (3)
Solve for vars. (1), (2), (4)

} $M_{123,124}$

1	2	4	
	$x_1 - x_2$	$+ x_4$	$= 1 - 2x_3$
2	$x_1 + x_2$	$+ 3x_4$	$= 3 + x_3$
3	$x_1 + 5x_2$	$+ x_4$	$= 1 + 8x_3$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - 2x_3 \\ 3 + x_3 \\ 1 + 8x_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 - 2x_3 \\ 3 + x_3 \\ 1 + 8x_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

↑
det. of this matrix
is $\Delta_{123,124} \neq 0$.

3.4

i) $\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}$ lin. independent $\Rightarrow \underline{a+b}, \underline{b+c}, \underline{a+c}$ are lin. independent

Proof:

Assume $\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}$ lin. independent.

Check if $\underline{a+b}, \underline{b+c}, \underline{a+c}$ are lin. independent.

$$x \cdot (\underline{a+b}) + y \cdot (\underline{b+c}) + z \cdot (\underline{a+c}) = \underline{0}$$

$$(x+z) \cdot \underline{a} + (x+y) \cdot \underline{b} + (y+z) \cdot \underline{c} = \underline{0}$$

Since $\underline{a}, \underline{b}, \underline{c}$ are lin. independent,

$$x+z=0, \quad x+y=0, \quad y+z=0$$

$$z=-x, \quad y=-x \quad ; \quad y+z = (-x) + (-x) = 0$$

$$-2x = 0$$

$$\underline{x=0}$$

$$\underline{z=0} \quad \underline{y=0}$$

Only the trivial solution.

$x=y=z=0 \Rightarrow \underline{\underline{\underline{a+b}, \underline{b+c}, \underline{a+c}}}$ are lin. independent

3.14

$$\underline{w} = x_1 \underline{v}_1 + x_2 \underline{v}_2 + x_3 \underline{v}_3$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 5 & -3 & -4 \\ -1 & -4 & 1 & 3 \\ -2 & -7 & 0 & h \end{array} \right) \begin{array}{l} \downarrow + \\ \leftarrow 2 \end{array} \rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} \textcircled{1} & 5 & -3 & -4 \\ 0 & \textcircled{1} & -2 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 & -6 & h-8 \end{array} \right) \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \downarrow -3 \end{array}$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} \textcircled{1} & 5 & -3 & -4 \\ 0 & \textcircled{1} & -2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & h-5 \end{array} \right)$$

$h=5$: inf. many sol. (consistent) yes $\textcircled{3}$
 $h \neq 5$: no solutions (inconsistent) no

3.15

Is $\underline{v}_1, \underline{v}_2, \underline{v}_3$ lin. independent?

$$\begin{vmatrix} \textcircled{2} & 1 & h+1 \\ \textcircled{3} & 2 & h \\ -1 & 1 & h-2 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{array}{l} 2(2(h-2)-h) \\ -3(h-2-(h+1)) \\ -1(h-2-2(h+1)) \end{array}$$

$$= 4h - 8 - 2h + 9 + h + 2$$

$$|A|=0: \quad = \underline{3h+3} = 0 \quad h=-1$$

$$|A|=0 \not\Rightarrow h \neq -1 \Rightarrow \text{no}$$

$$|A| \neq 0 \Leftrightarrow h \neq -1 \Rightarrow \text{yes}$$

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3.11 A any matrix: $\text{rk}(A^T A) = \text{rk}(A)$

a)

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 4 & 5 \\ 5 & 6 \\ 6 & 7 \\ 7 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A^T A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 & 8 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 4 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 30 & 60 \\ 60 & 120 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |A^T A| &= 30 \cdot 120 - 60^2 = 0 \\ &= 3600 - 3600 \end{aligned}$$

$$\underline{\text{rk}(A^T A) = 1 = \text{rk}(A)}$$

3.12 A $m \times n$ -matrix

Nullspace of A = all \underline{x} s.t. $A\underline{x} = \underline{0}$

i) Show that $\text{Nullspace}(A) = \text{Nullspace}(A^T A)$

In other words: $A\underline{x} = \underline{0} \iff (A^T A)\underline{x} = \underline{0}$

If $A\underline{x} = \underline{0}$, then $A^T(A\underline{x}) = A^T \underline{0}$
 $(A^T A)\underline{x} = \underline{0}$

If $(A^T A)\underline{x} = \underline{0}$, then $\underline{x}^T (A^T A)\underline{x} = \underline{x}^T \underline{0}$

$$(A\underline{x})^T (A\underline{x}) = \underline{0}$$

Put $\underline{y} = A\underline{x}$:

$$\underline{y}^T \cdot \underline{y} = \underline{0}$$

$$(y_1 \ y_2 \ \dots) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix} = y_1^2 + y_2^2 + \dots + y_n^2 = 0$$

$$y_1 = y_2 = \dots = y_n = 0$$

$$\underline{A\underline{x}} = \underline{0} \iff \underline{y} = \underline{0}$$

2) Use this to prove $\text{rk}(A) = \text{rk}(A^T A)$.

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Know from 1) $A\underline{x} = \underline{0} \iff (A^T A)\underline{x} = \underline{0}$

A
 $m \times n$
 $\leftarrow n \times m \quad m \times n$
 $A^T A \leftarrow$
 $n \times n$

degrees of freedom = # degrees of freedom

$$n - \text{rk } A = n - \text{rk}(A^T A)$$

$$\underline{\text{rk } A} = \underline{\text{rk}(A^T A)}$$