

# Solutions to HW #6

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$$\textcircled{1} \quad \text{a) } L: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2, \quad L(x) = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + x_2 \\ 3x_2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2$$

$L$  is a linear transformation, because  $\forall \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2$ ,  $y = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2$  we have:

$$\begin{aligned} L(\alpha x + \beta y) &= \begin{pmatrix} \alpha x_1 + \beta y_1 + \alpha x_2 + \beta y_2 \\ 3(\alpha x_2 + \beta y_2) \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} \alpha(x_1 + x_2) + \beta(y_1 + y_2) \\ \alpha(3x_2) + \beta(3y_2) \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \alpha \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + x_2 \\ 3x_2 \end{pmatrix} + \beta \begin{pmatrix} y_1 + y_2 \\ 3y_2 \end{pmatrix} = \alpha L(x) + \beta L(y) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{b) } L: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, \quad L(n) = |n|, \quad n \in \mathbb{R}$$

$L$  is not linear because for  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $y \in \mathbb{R}$ :

$$L(x+y) = |x+y| \neq |x| + |y| = L(x) + L(y)$$

$$\text{c) } L: P_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, \quad L(p) = \int_a^b p(x) dx, \quad p \in P_2$$

$L$  is a linear transformation, because  $\forall \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $p \in P_2$  and  $q \in P_2$ :

$$\begin{aligned} L(\alpha p + \beta q) &= \int_a^b [\alpha p(x) + \beta q(x)] dx \\ &= \int_a^b \alpha p(x) dx + \int_a^b \beta q(x) dx \\ &= \alpha \int_a^b p(x) dx + \beta \int_a^b q(x) dx = \alpha L(p) + \beta L(q). \end{aligned}$$

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$$\textcircled{2} \quad L: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, \quad L(x) = x_1 + x_2, \quad \forall x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2$$

a)  $\text{Ker}(L)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ker}(L) &= \left\{ x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid L(x) = 0 \right\} \\ &= \left\{ x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x_1 + x_2 = 0 \right\} \\ &= \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ -x_1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad x_1 \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \\ &= \left\langle \alpha \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \alpha \in \mathbb{R} \right\rangle \\ &= \text{span}((1, -1)^T) \end{aligned}$$

b)  $\text{range}(L)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{range}(L) &= \left\{ y \in \mathbb{R} \mid y = L(x), \quad x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2 \right\} \\ &= \left\{ y = x_1 + x_2, \quad x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \\ &= \left\{ y = \alpha, \quad \alpha \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \\ &= \mathbb{R} \end{aligned}$$

c) Since  $\text{rang}(L) = \mathbb{R}$ , the transformation is onto.

③  $E = \{e_1, e_2, e_3\}$  basis for  $\mathbb{R}^3$

$F = \{b_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, b_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}\}$  basis for  $\mathbb{R}^2$

$$L: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2, \quad L(x) = (x_1 - x_2)b_1 + (x_1 - x_3)b_2, \quad x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3$$

We need to find  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 3}$  s.t.  $[L(x)]_F = A [x]_E$ .

$$\text{Let } A = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$a_1 = [L(e_1)]_F \quad \text{where } L(e_1) = (1-0)b_1 + (1-0)b_2 = b_1 + b_2$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$a_2 = [L(e_2)]_F \quad \text{where } L(e_2) = (0-1)b_1 + (0-0)b_2 = -b_1 + 0 \cdot b_2$$

$$\Rightarrow a_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$a_3 = [L(e_3)]_F \quad \text{where } L(e_3) = (0-0)b_1 + (0-1)b_2 = 0 \cdot b_1 - b_2$$

$$\Rightarrow a_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Hence, } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad L: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3, \quad L(x) = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + x_2 \\ x_2 + x_3 \\ x_3 + x_1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3.$$

a) Find  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}$  s.t.  $[L(x)]_E = A [x]_E$  where  $E = \{e_1, e_2, e_3\}$ .

Let  $A = [a_1 \ a_2 \ a_3]$

$$a_1 = [L(e_1)]_E \quad \text{where} \quad L(e_1) = \begin{pmatrix} 1+0 \\ 0+0 \\ 0+1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 1 \cdot e_1 + 0 \cdot e_2 + 1 \cdot e_3$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$a_2 = [L(e_2)]_E \quad \text{where} \quad L(e_2) = \begin{pmatrix} 0+1 \\ 1+0 \\ 0+0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = 1 \cdot e_1 + 1 \cdot e_2 + 0 \cdot e_3$$

$$\Rightarrow a_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$a_3 = [L(e_3)]_E \quad \text{where} \quad L(e_3) = \begin{pmatrix} 0+0 \\ 0+1 \\ 1+0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 0 \cdot e_1 + 1 \cdot e_2 + 1 \cdot e_3$$

$$\Rightarrow a_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Hence,  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

b) Find  $B \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}$  s.t.  $[L(x)]_F = B [x]_F$  where  $F = \{u_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, u_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, u_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}\}$ .

Let  $B = [b_1 \ b_2 \ b_3]$

$$b_1 = [L(u_1)]_F \quad \text{where} \quad L(u_1) = \begin{pmatrix} 1+2 \\ 2+3 \\ 3+1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

to find  $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}_F$ , we need to multiply  $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$  by  $U^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1/3 \\ 0 & 1/2 & -1/3 \\ 1 & -1/2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\Rightarrow b_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1/3 \\ 0 & 1/2 & -1/3 \\ 1 & -1/2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4/3 \\ 7/6 \\ 1/2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$b_2 = [L(u_2)]_F \text{ where } L(u_2) = \begin{pmatrix} 1+2 \\ 2+0 \\ 0+1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow b_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1/3 \\ 0 & 1/2 & -1/3 \\ 1 & -1/2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/3 \\ 2/3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$b_3 = [L(u_3)]_F \text{ where } L(u_3) = \begin{pmatrix} t+0 \\ 0+0 \\ 0+1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow b_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1/3 \\ 0 & 1/2 & -1/3 \\ 1 & -1/2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/3 \\ -1/3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Hence,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 4/3 & 1/3 & 1/3 \\ 7/6 & 2/3 & -1/3 \\ 1/2 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

c)  $S$ : transition matrix to change basis from  $F$  to  $E$ :

given  $x = \alpha u_1 + \beta u_2 + \gamma u_3$ , find  $x = a e_1 + b e_2 + c e_3$

This means  $\underbrace{[u_1 \ u_2 \ u_3]}_S \begin{pmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \\ \gamma \end{pmatrix} = \underbrace{[e_1 \ e_2 \ e_3]}_I \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix}$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} = S \begin{pmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \\ \gamma \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{where} \quad S = [u_1 \ u_2 \ u_3] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

We finally verify that  $SB = AS$ :

$$SB = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4/3 & 1/3 & 1/3 \\ 7/6 & 2/3 & -1/3 \\ 1/2 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 3 & 1 \\ 5 & 2 & 0 \\ 4 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow SB = AS \Rightarrow B = S^{-1}AS.$$

$$AS = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 3 & 1 \\ 5 & 2 & 0 \\ 4 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$