Math 3160 - Test 1 Review

1 Systems of Linear Equations

1. Solve the following systems of linear equations using row reduction.

(a)
$$\begin{cases} x_1 -2x_2 & -6x_5 = 0\\ x_2 +x_3 +6x_4 & = 5\\ 2x_2 & +6x_4 +x_5 = 4\\ x_2 -x_3 & +x_5 = -1 \end{cases}$$

(b)
$$\begin{cases} 2x_1 -2x_2 +4x_3 = 2\\ x_3 = 0\\ x_1 +x_2 +2x_3 = 0\\ x_1 +x_2 +2x_3 = 0 \end{cases}$$

(c)
$$\begin{cases} 2x_1 -2x_2 +4x_3 = 2\\ -x_1 -x_2 +3x_3 = 2\\ x_1 -3x_2 +7x_3 = 2 \end{cases}$$

2. Solve the following systems of linear equations by setting up problem as a matrix problem and by finding an inverse matrix.

(a)
$$\begin{cases} 2x_1 & -2x_2 & +4x_3 & = 2\\ & -x_2 & +3x_3 & = 2\\ & -3x_2 & +7x_3 & = 2 \end{cases}$$

(b)
$$\begin{cases} 2x_1 & -2y & = 2\\ -x_1 & -3y & = 2 \end{cases}$$

2 Matrices, Determinants and Cramer's Rule

3. Let
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & 0 \\ -1 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
, $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & -2 & 5 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$, and $C = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

- (a) Find the determinant of the matices A, B, C and D
- (b) Compute D^3 and D^{-1} .
- (c) Compute $C^T C$. What kind of matrix is $C^T C$?
- 4. Solve the following equations for X assuming any matrix has an inverse. Let A, B, C, X be $n \times n$ matrices and let **u** be an $n \times 1$ vector.

- (a) AX = BX A
 (b) AX = 2X A
 (c) Au = 2u + B
- 5. Solve the following using Cramer's rule.

(a)
$$\begin{cases} 2x_1 & -2x_2 & +4x_3 & = 2\\ & -x_2 & +3x_3 & = 2\\ & -3x_2 & +7x_3 & = 2 \end{cases}$$

(b)
$$\begin{cases} 2x_1 & -2y & = 2\\ -x_1 & -3y & = 2 \end{cases}$$

6. Solve the following systems of linear equation using $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ and the inverse of A.

(a)
$$\begin{cases} x_1 & -2x_2 &= 0\\ x_1 & x_2 &= 5 \end{cases}$$

(b)
$$\begin{cases} x_1 & -2x_2 &= 0\\ x_2 & +x_3 &= 5\\ 2x_2 &= 4 \end{cases}$$

3 Basic Transformations

- 7. Write the matrix for the following transformations described below.
 - (a) $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^2$ where the plane is rotated by 45° counter-clockwise.
 - (b) $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^2$ where the plane is reflected about the x-axis.
 - (c) $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^2$ where the x-axis is contracted by half and the y-axis is dilated by 2.
 - (d) $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^2$ where the plane is rotated by 30° counter-clockwise and then reflected about the x-axis.
 - (e) $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^2$ where the plane is reflected about the x-axis and then rotated by 30° counter-clockwise.
 - (f) $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \to \mathbb{R}^3$ where the x-axis is contracted by half and the z-axis is dilated by 2.

4 Vectors

- 8. Let $\mathbf{v} = (1,3,4)$ and $\mathbf{w} = (1,-1,0)$ be vectors in \mathbb{R}^3 . and let P(1,1,1) and Q(0,-4,0) be two points in \mathbb{R}^3 .
 - (a) Find the vector \overrightarrow{PQ} and a unit vector in the same direction as \overrightarrow{PQ} .
 - (b) Find a vector that is parallel to ${\bf v}$ and unit.
 - (c) Compute $||2\mathbf{v} \mathbf{w}||$.