

Name Solutions

Math 309 Quiz 9

- The matrix A on the left row reduces to the matrix on the right (believe me):

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & -2 & 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

- a. Find a basis for the orthogonal compliment of $\text{null}(A)$

$$(\text{null}(A))^\perp = \text{row } A \rightarrow \text{basis of row space is } \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- b. Find a basis for the orthogonal compliment of $\text{null}(A^T)$

$$(\text{null}(A^T))^\perp = \text{col } A \rightarrow \text{basis of column space is } \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Find a basis for the orthogonal compliment of the subspace of \mathbb{R}^3 spanned by the given vectors.

$$S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -9 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$\text{If } \vec{v} \in \text{span } S \text{ then } \vec{v} = k_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + k_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} + k_3 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + k_4 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -9 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & 2 \\ -5 & 5 & 1 & -9 \\ 2 & -2 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} k_1 \\ k_2 \\ k_3 \\ k_4 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \vec{v} \in \text{col}(A)$$

Since $(\text{col}(A))^\perp = \text{null}(A^T)$ we need to find basis for $\text{null}(A^T)$:

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -5 & 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 5 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -9 & 4 & 0 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -5 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{array}{l} x_2 = 0 \\ x_1 + 2x_3 = 0 \quad x_1 = -2x_3 \\ \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} -2t \\ 0 \\ t \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} t \end{array}$$

basis is $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$