

18. In the vector space P_3 of all $p(x) = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3$, let S be the subset of polynomials with $\int_0^1 p(x) dx = 0$. Verify that S is a subspace and find a basis.

$$\int_0^1 p(x) dx = 0 \Rightarrow a_0t + \frac{a_1t^2}{2} + \frac{a_2t^3}{3} + \frac{a_3t^4}{4} \Big|_0^1$$

$$= a_0 + \frac{1}{2}a_1 + \frac{1}{3}a_2 + \frac{1}{4}a_3 = 0$$

i.e. $(1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{4}) \begin{pmatrix} a_0 \\ a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \end{pmatrix} = 0$

i.e. P_3 is the null space of the rank 1 matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{4} \end{bmatrix}$$

Consider $A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{4} \end{bmatrix}$ to perform LU factorization: $\star$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{3} & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{4} & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{4} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{i.e. left null vectors are}$$

$$N(A) = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{3} \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{4} \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

(* i.e. null vectors of A)

47. The 4 by 4 Hadamard matrix is entirely +1 and -1:

$$H = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find H^{-1} and write $v = (7, 5, 3, 1)$ as a combination of the columns of H .

Since $HH = I$, we have that

$$H\vec{x} = v \Rightarrow x = Hv = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 5 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 16 \\ 4 \\ 8 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

i.e. $v = 7H_1 + 5H_2 + 3H_3 + 1H_4$