

**Math 630-102**  
**Homework #6**  
**Due date: February 29, 2007**

**Group work on h/w assignments is not allowed. No credit is given for results without a solution or an explanation. Late homework is not accepted.**

**Section 2.6**

**Problem I (not in book)** Show that integration of 3<sup>rd</sup> degree polynomials (implemented as a  $5 \times 4$  matrix,  $S$ ) applied **after** the differentiation of 4<sup>th</sup> degree polynomials ( $4 \times 5$  matrix,  $D$ ) is **not** an identity transformation ( $SD$  does **not** equal  $I$ ). Therefore,  $S$  is not a left inverse of  $D$ , and  $D$  is not a right inverse of  $S$ . Is it possible that  $D$  has a left inverse at all? Is it possible that  $S$  has a right inverse? Answer these questions in terms of the rank of these matrices (consult the summary on p. 108 if in doubt).

**Problem 7.** On the space  $P_3$  of cubic polynomials, what matrix represents  $d^2/dt^2$ ? [second derivative]? Construct the 4-by-4 matrix...

**Problem 8.** From the cubics [cubic polynomials]  $P_3$  to the fourth-degree polynomials  $P_4$ , what matrix represents multiplication by  $2+3t$ ?

**Section 3.2**

**Problem 21.** Compute the projection matrices  $aa^T/a^T a$  onto the lines through  $a_1=(-1,2,2)$  and  $a_2=(2,2,-1)$ . Multiply those projections and explain why their product  $P_1P_2$  is what it is.

**Problem 22.** Project  $b=(1,0,0)$  onto the lines through  $a_1$  and  $a_2$  in Problem 21 and also onto  $a_3=(2,-1,2)$ . Add the three projections  $p_1+p_2+p_3$ .

**Problem 23.** Continuing Problems 21-22, find the projection matrix  $P_3$  onto  $a_3=(2,-1,2)$ . Verify that  $P_1+P_2+P_3=I$ .

**Section 3.4**

**Repeat Exercise 5 (Gram-Schmidt) on page 180** ("Suppose the independent vectors are  $a, b, c \dots$ ") for the following set of three vectors:

$$a = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad c = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Check that the final vectors are orthonormal: place them into columns of some matrix  $Q$ , and verify that  $Q^T Q = I$

**Note:** the vectors  $a, b, c$  are the three vectors that I called  $c_1, c_2, c_3$  in class (columns of some matrix  $A$ ). Vectors  $q_1, q_2$  and  $q_3$  were called  $b_1, b_2$  and  $b_3$  in class.