

## LINEAR ALGEBRA

## FINAL EXAM

## Q1 1.8/2

$$1) \begin{cases} 2x + y - 3z = \beta \\ x + \alpha z = -2 \\ x + y = 3\beta \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -3 & | & \beta \\ 1 & 0 & \alpha & | & -2 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 3\beta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(a) \alpha = 2 \quad b = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -3 & | & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 & | & -2 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \textcircled{1} = \textcircled{2} \\ \textcircled{2} = \textcircled{1} \end{matrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & | & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & -3 & | & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \textcircled{2} = \textcircled{2} - 2\textcircled{1} \\ \textcircled{3} = \textcircled{3} - \textcircled{1} \end{matrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & | & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & -7 & | & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & | & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \\ \\ \textcircled{3} = \textcircled{3} - \textcircled{2} \end{matrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & | & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & -7 & | & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \\ \\ \textcircled{2} = \textcircled{2} + \frac{1}{5}\textcircled{3} \end{matrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & | & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & -7 & | & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} z = 0 \\ y - 7z = 5 \\ \Rightarrow y = 5 \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} x + 2z = -2 \\ x = -2 \end{matrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} //$$

$$(b) M = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -3 \\ 1 & 0 & \alpha \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \det M = 2 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & \alpha \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} - 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & \alpha \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} - 3 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\det M = 2(-\alpha) + \alpha - 3$$

$$= -2\alpha + \alpha - 3 \Rightarrow -\alpha - 3$$

Det M cannot be 0,

so

$$-\alpha - 3 = 0 \Rightarrow \alpha \neq -3$$

The system has one solution for all values except for -3.

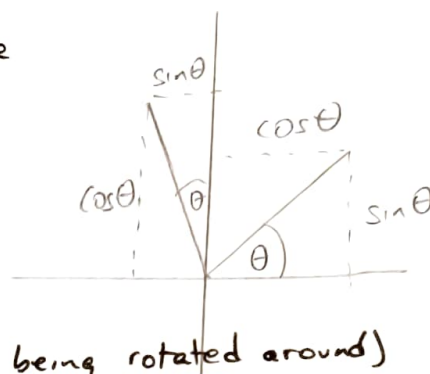
$$(c) \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -3 & | & \beta \\ 1 & 0 & \alpha & | & -2 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 3\beta \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \alpha & | & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 & | & \beta \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & | & 3\beta \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \textcircled{2} = \textcircled{2} - 2\textcircled{1} \\ \textcircled{3} = \textcircled{3} - \textcircled{1} \end{matrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \alpha & | & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3-2\alpha & | & \beta+4 \\ 0 & 1 & -\alpha & | & 3\beta+2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \\ \\ \textcircled{3} = \textcircled{3} - \textcircled{2} \end{matrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \alpha & | & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3-2\alpha & | & \beta+4 \\ 0 & 0 & \alpha-3 & | & 2\beta-2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \alpha-3 = 0 & 2\beta-2 = 0 \\ \alpha = 3 // & \beta = 1 // \end{matrix}$$

at these values, there is <sup>no</sup> one solution

2] (a) Rotated around  $x_3$  axis

An observer on the  $x_3$  axis would see something like the graph on the right.



From this graph, we see that  $e_1$  is mapped into  $(\cos\theta \sin\theta \ 0)^T$ ,  $e_2$  is mapped into  $(-\sin\theta \cos\theta \ 0)^T$  and  $e_3$  is not mapped (since it is being rotated around)

Hence,  $A_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

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(b) This maps it onto the  $x_1, x_2$  plane, which means that  $x_3$  must go to 0.

Hence, the last row and column of the matrix  $A_2$  must be 0.

Since it is just being mapped, there are no scalar multiples involved.

Hence,  $A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

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(c)  $A = A_2 A_1 \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} //$

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(d)  $A_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad A - \lambda I = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta - \lambda & -\sin\theta & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta - \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 - \lambda \end{bmatrix}$

$\det(A - \lambda I) = -(1 - \lambda) \begin{vmatrix} \cos\theta - \lambda & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = + (1 - \lambda) [(\cos\theta - \lambda)^2 + \sin^2\theta]$

$\lambda + 1 = 0 \quad \lambda^2 - 2\lambda\cos\theta + 1 = 0$

$\lambda_1 = +1 //$  (using quadratic formula)  $= + (1 - \lambda) [\lambda^2 - 2\lambda\cos\theta + 1] = 0$

$\lambda_2 = \cos\theta + i\sin\theta //$   $= (\lambda + 1) [\lambda^2 - 2\lambda\cos\theta + 1] = 0$

$\lambda_3 = \cos\theta - i\sin\theta //$

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2d) cont. d/

for  $\lambda_1 = +1$

$$A - \lambda I = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta + 1 & -\sin\theta & 0 & | & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta + 1 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sin\theta}{\cos\theta - 1} \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\cos\theta - 1)x_1 - (\sin\theta)x_2 = 0$$

$$(\sin\theta)x_1 + (\cos\theta - 1)x_2 = 0$$

$$x_1 = \left( \frac{\sin\theta}{\cos\theta - 1} \right) x_2$$

for  $\lambda_2 = \cos\theta + i\sin\theta$

$$A - \lambda I = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta - (\cos\theta + i\sin\theta) & -\sin\theta & 0 & | & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta - (\cos\theta + i\sin\theta) & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 - (\cos\theta + i\sin\theta) & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -i\sin\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 & | & 0 \\ \sin\theta & -i\sin\theta & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 - (\cos\theta + i\sin\theta) & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \times \frac{i\sin\theta}{\sin\theta} \\ \times \frac{i}{\sin\theta} \end{matrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -i & 0 & | & 0 \\ i & 1 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 - \cos\theta - i\sin\theta & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_2 = 0$$

$$v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} i \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$v_2$  is complex conjugate to

$$v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -i \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 - ix_2 &= 0 \\ ix_1 + x_2 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$x_1 = ix_2$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & 0 \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & 0 \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A - \lambda I = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} - \lambda & a_{12} & 0 \\ a_{21} & a_{22} - \lambda & 0 \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} - \lambda \end{bmatrix} \quad \det(A - \lambda I) = (a_{11} - \lambda)(a_{22} - \lambda)(a_{33} - \lambda) - a_{12}(a_{21}(a_{33} - \lambda)) - (a_{11} - \lambda)(a_{22} - \lambda)(a_{33} - \lambda) - (a_{12}a_{21})(a_{33} - \lambda) = 0$$

$$a_{33} - \lambda_1 = 0$$

$$\lambda_1 = a_{33}$$

$$\lambda^2 - a_{22}\lambda - a_{12}\lambda + a_{22}a_{11} - a_{12}a_{21} = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - \lambda(a_{22} + a_{11}) + (a_{11}a_{22} - a_{12}a_{21}) = 0$$

$$\lambda_{2,3} = \frac{(a_{22} + a_{11}) \pm \sqrt{(a_{22} + a_{11})^2 - 4(a_{11}a_{22} - a_{12}a_{21})}}{2}$$

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$$(b) \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{vmatrix} = 21$$

$$a_{11}a_{22} - a_{12}a_{21} = 21$$

Let us assume

$$\lambda_1 = 6 \Rightarrow a_{33} = 6$$

$$a_{11} + a_{22} + a_{33} = 16$$

$$a_{11} + a_{22} = 16 - 6 = 10$$

$$\lambda_{2,3} = \frac{10 \pm \sqrt{10^2 - 4(21)}}{2} \rightarrow \text{substituting values calculated into answer from (a)}$$

$$\lambda_2 = \frac{10 + \sqrt{16}}{2}$$

$$\lambda_3 = \frac{10 - \sqrt{16}}{2}$$

$$\lambda_2 = 7 //$$

$$\lambda_3 = 3 //$$

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(c) I will now re-order the eigenvalues in order for the corresponding eigenvectors to be easily understood for me.

$$\lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < \lambda_3 \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} \lambda_1 &= 7 \\ \lambda_2 &= 6 \\ \lambda_3 &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

$$P = [v_1 \mid v_2 \mid v_3] \Rightarrow P = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 1 \\ -3 & 0 & 1 \\ 7 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$K = PDP^{-1}$$

so, I will first find  $P^{-1}$

3c)

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 3 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -3 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 7 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} \textcircled{1} = \textcircled{1}/2 \\ \textcircled{2} = \textcircled{2} + \textcircled{1} \\ \textcircled{3} = \textcircled{3} - 7\textcircled{1} \end{array} \Rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 1/3 & 1/3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 7 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \textcircled{3} = \textcircled{3} - 7\textcircled{1} \end{array} = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 1/3 & 1/3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -4/3 & -2/3 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$= \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 1/3 & 1/3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -4/3 & -7/3 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \textcircled{3}/2 \end{array} = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 1/3 & 1/3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -4/3 & -7/3 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1/2 & 1/2 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} \textcircled{1} = \textcircled{1} - \frac{1}{3}\textcircled{3} \\ \\ \end{array}$$

$$= \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1/6 & -1/6 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -4/3 & -7/3 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1/2 & 1/2 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} \\ \textcircled{2} = \textcircled{2} + \frac{4}{3}\textcircled{3} \\ \end{array} = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1/6 & -1/6 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -5/3 & 2/3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1/2 & 1/2 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{6} & \frac{1}{6} & 0 \\ -\frac{5}{3} & \frac{2}{3} & 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \checkmark$$

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$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 1 \\ -3 & 0 & 1 \\ 7 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{6} & \frac{1}{6} & 0 \\ -\frac{5}{3} & \frac{2}{3} & 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow A = \begin{bmatrix} 21 & 0 & 3 \\ -21 & 0 & 3 \\ 49 & 6 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1/6 & -1/6 & 0 \\ -5/3 & 2/3 & 1 \\ 1/2 & 1/2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -2 & 0 \\ -2 & 5 & 0 \\ -1/3 & -8/3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} //$$



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1.6 pts

$$4) \begin{cases} x_1'(t) = 2x_1(t) + 3x_2(t) \\ x_2'(t) = -2x_1(t) + 6x_2(t) \end{cases} \quad \begin{cases} x_1(0) = 4 \\ x_2(0) = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$(a) \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -2 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad A - \lambda I = \begin{bmatrix} 2 - \lambda & 3 \\ -2 & 6 - \lambda \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = 0$$

$$(2 - \lambda)(6 - \lambda) + 6 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 + 12 - 8\lambda + 6 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda^2 - 8\lambda + 18 = 0$$

$$\lambda_{1,2} = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{(-8)^2 - 4(18)}}{2} \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = \frac{8 + \sqrt{-8}}{2} \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = \frac{8 + (2\sqrt{2})i}{2} \#$$

$$\lambda_1 = 4 + \sqrt{2}i \quad \text{and} \quad \lambda_2 = 4 - \sqrt{2}i //$$

for  $\lambda_1$

$$A - \lambda_1 I = \begin{bmatrix} 2 - (4 + \sqrt{2}i) & 3 \\ -2 & 6 - (4 + \sqrt{2}i) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 + \sqrt{2}i & 3 & | & 0 \\ -2 & 2 + \sqrt{2}i & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \textcircled{1} = \textcircled{1} \times (-2 - \sqrt{2}i) \\ \textcircled{2} = \textcircled{2} \times (2 - \sqrt{2}i) \end{matrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -6 + 3\sqrt{2}i & | & 0 \\ -2 & 2 + \sqrt{2}i & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \textcircled{1} = \textcircled{1} / 3 \\ \textcircled{2} = \textcircled{2} \times \frac{1}{3} \end{matrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 + \sqrt{2}i & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$2x_1 + (-2 + \sqrt{2}i)x_2 = 0$$

$$2x_1 = (2 - \sqrt{2}i)x_2$$

$$x_1 = \left(\frac{2 - \sqrt{2}i}{2}\right)x_2$$

$$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 - \sqrt{2}i \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad (\text{choosing } x_2 = 2) //$$

$$\lambda_2 \text{ is a complex conjugate, so } v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 + \sqrt{2}i \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} //$$

4b) continued

~~$x_1 = e^{4t} v_1$~~

~~$x_2 = e^{4t} v_2$~~

Using formula from book

$$x_1 = e^{4t} \left\{ (\cos \sqrt{2}t) \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} - (\sin \sqrt{2}t) \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2}i \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \quad x_2 = e^{4t} \left\{ (\cos \sqrt{2}t) \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2}i \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + (\sin \sqrt{2}t) \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$x_1 = e^{4t} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \cos(\sqrt{2}t) \\ 2 \cos(\sqrt{2}t) \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} i\sqrt{2} \sin(\sqrt{2}t) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$x_2 = e^{4t} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} i\sqrt{2} \cos \sqrt{2}t \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 \sin \sqrt{2}t \\ 2 \sin \sqrt{2}t \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$x_1 = e^{4t} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \cos \sqrt{2}t - i\sqrt{2} \sin \sqrt{2}t \\ 2 \cos \sqrt{2}t \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_2 = e^{4t} \begin{bmatrix} i\sqrt{2} \cos \sqrt{2}t + 2 \sin \sqrt{2}t \\ 2 \sin \sqrt{2}t \end{bmatrix}$$

Real solution only, so

$$\text{Re}(x) = e^{4t} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \cos \sqrt{2}t \\ 2 \cos \sqrt{2}t \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Re}(x_2) = e^{4t} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \sin \sqrt{2}t \\ 2 \sin \sqrt{2}t \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Re}(x) = c_1 x_1 + c_2 x_2$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & 0 & 4 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1/2 \end{array} \right]$$

$$c_2 = 0$$

$$c_1 = 2$$

$$\text{Re}(x) = c_1 x_1$$

$$\text{Re}(x) = 2e^{4t} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \cos \sqrt{2}t \\ 2 \cos \sqrt{2}t \end{bmatrix} //$$

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5] (a)  $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ a \\ b \end{bmatrix}$

$$\hat{v}_1 = \frac{v_1}{|v_1|}$$

$$\hat{v}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4+a^2+b^2}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ a \\ b \end{bmatrix} //$$

$$|v_1| = \sqrt{2^2+a^2+b^2} = \sqrt{4+a^2+b^2}$$

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(b)  $a=1$   $b=2$

$\Rightarrow v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\hat{v}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4+1+4}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \hat{v}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4+1+4}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \hat{v}_1 //$$

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(c) Let  $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$

when it is orthogonal,

$$v_1 \cdot v_2 = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow 2x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 = 0$$

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~~$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2d \\ e \\ 2f \end{bmatrix}$~~   
where d, e, f are scalars following the general rule

solve eq for one of the variables in terms of the others

(d) For this, I will choose a vector that satisfies the general form above, so,

let  $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\hat{v}_2 = \frac{v_2}{|v_2|} \quad |v_2| = \sqrt{1^2+(-2)^2+0^2} = \sqrt{1+4} = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\hat{v}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} //$$

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(e) Any scalar multiplied with the unit vector would give a vector in the direction.

Hence,

$$v_3 = \sqrt{5} \times \hat{v}_2$$

$$v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ is in the direction of } v_2.$$

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f) The cross product of  $v_1$  and  $v_2$  would result in another vector which is orthogonal to both  $v_1$  and  $v_2$ .

I will call this new vector  $v_4$

$$v_4 = v_1 \times v_2$$

$$v_1 \times v_2 = \begin{vmatrix} x & y & z \\ 2 & a & b \\ 2d & e & 2f \end{vmatrix} = x(2af - be) - y(4f - 2bd) + z(2e - 2ad)$$

into vector form  
column vector form

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2af - be \\ 2bd - 4f \\ 2e - 2ad \end{bmatrix}$$

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where  $a, b, c, d, e, f$  are variables as defined in previous solutions.