

Math 416: HW 4 due Friday, February 26, 2016.

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Office hours: My Monday office hours this week are moved to Wednesday, so the complete list is: Wed 11–12, 3:30–4:30, Thur 3:30–4:30, and by appointment. My office is 378 Altgeld Hall.

Textbooks: In the assignment, the main text is abbreviated as follows:

[FIS] Freidberg, Insel, Spence, *Linear Algebra*, 4th edition, 2002.

Problems:

1. Section 2.1 of [FIS], Problem 1.
2. Section 2.1 of [FIS], Problems 2 and 3.
3. Section 2.1 of [FIS], Problem 9 (a, b, c).
4. Section 2.1 of [FIS], Problem 10.
5. Section 2.1 of [FIS], Problems 18.
6. Let V, W be vector spaces, with $\dim(V) = n$, $\dim(W) = m$, and $n > m$.
 - (a) Show that there is no one-to-one linear transformation $T: V \rightarrow W$.
 - (b) Show that there is no onto linear transformation $T: W \rightarrow V$ (notice that V, W have flipped in this expression!)
 - (c) Show that a linear map $T: V \rightarrow W$ need not be onto by giving an example where it is not.

Hint: See Appendix B of [FIS] for the definitions of “onto” and “one-to-one” and consult Theorems 2.4 and 2.5 in §2.1 of [FIS].

7. We define the linear transformation $T_\theta: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ to be rotation counter-clockwise about the origin through angle θ . Let T_x be the transformation that reflects in the x -axis.
 - (a) Write down the matrices of T_θ and T_x with the respect to the standard basis $\beta = \{e_1, e_2\}$ for \mathbb{R}^2 .
 - (b) Show that for $\theta \in (0, \pi) \cup (\pi, 2\pi)$ one has

$$T_x \circ T_\theta \neq T_\theta \circ T_x.$$

- (c) Next, show that there is some angle ψ such that

$$T_x \circ T_\psi = T_\psi \circ T_x.$$

What is the relationship between θ and ψ ? Discuss the geometric meaning of this computation.

8. Section 2.2 of [FIS], Problem 2 (a, b, c).
9. Section 2.2 of [FIS], Problem 3.
10. Section 2.2 of [FIS], Problem 5.