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Math 404    Advanced Linear Algebra    Spring 2023    Quiz 3    Feingold

**Show all calculations needed to justify your answers.**

Let  $L_A : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  and  $L_B : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be the functions

$$L_A(X) = A \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - x_2 + x_3 \\ 2x_1 + x_2 - x_3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad L_B(Y) = B \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 + y_2 \\ y_1 - y_2 \\ 2y_1 + 3y_2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(1) (1 point) Find the matrices  $A$  and  $B$ .

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(2) (1 point) Use the **formulas** for  $L_A$  and  $L_B$  to get the **formula** for the composition  $(L_A \circ L_B)(Y)$ . **Do not just multiply matrices to get your answer. Show the algebra needed to do the composition of functions.**

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(3) (1 point) Use the formula you got for  $(L_A \circ L_B)(Y)$  in part 2 to find the matrix  $C$  such that  $L_C = L_A \circ L_B$ .

(4) (1 points) Compute the matrix product  $AB$ .

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(5) (1 point) What is the relation between your  $C$  in part (3) and your  $AB$  in part (4)?  
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(1) (1 point) Find the matrices  $A$  and  $B$ .

**Solution:**  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  since

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - x_2 + x_3 \\ 2x_1 + x_2 - x_3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 + y_2 \\ y_1 - y_2 \\ 2y_1 + 3y_2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(2) (1 point) Use the **formulas** for  $L_A$  and  $L_B$  to get the **formula** for the composition  $(L_A \circ L_B)(Y)$ . **Do not just multiply matrices to get your answer. Show the algebra needed to do the composition of functions.**

**Solution:**

$$(L_A \circ L_B) \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = L_A \begin{bmatrix} y_1 + y_2 \\ y_1 - y_2 \\ 2y_1 + 3y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} (y_1 + y_2) - (y_1 - y_2) + (2y_1 + 3y_2) \\ 2(y_1 + y_2) + (y_1 - y_2) - (2y_1 + 3y_2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2y_1 + 5y_2 \\ y_1 - 2y_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

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**Solution:**  $C = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$  since  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2y_1 + 5y_2 \\ y_1 - 2y_2 \end{bmatrix}$ .

(4) (1 point) Compute the matrix product  $AB$ .

**Solution:**

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} (1-1+2) & (1+1+3) \\ (2+1-2) & (2-1-3) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(5) (1 point) What is the relation between your  $C$  in part (3) and your  $AB$  in part (4)? What should be the relation?

**Solution:** The relation between  $C$  in part (3) and  $AB$  in part (4) is that  $C = AB$ , which is what it should be since  $L_A \circ L_B = L_{AB}$ .