

1. For any matrix  $\mathbf{A}$ , prove that  $\mathcal{R}(\mathbf{A}'\mathbf{A}) = \mathcal{R}(\mathbf{A})$ .

2. Define the matrix

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- (a) Find  $\mathcal{C}(\mathbf{A})$  and a basis for this space.  
 (b) Find  $\mathcal{N}(\mathbf{A}')$  and a basis for this space.

3. In discussing the problem of calculating frequencies for different relatives, of pairs of genotypes at a single two-allele locus, one uses two matrices of conditional probabilities. They are

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} p^2 & 2pq & q^2 \\ p^2 & 2pq & q^2 \\ p^2 & 2pq & q^2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{T} = \begin{bmatrix} p & q & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2}p & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2}q \\ 0 & p & q \end{bmatrix},$$

$\mathbf{P}$  for when the relatives have no genes identical by descent and  $\mathbf{T}$  for when they have one gene identical by descent. With  $p + q = 1$ ,  $\mathbf{j}' = (1, 1, 1)$ , and  $\mathbf{S} = \frac{1}{4}\mathbf{I}_3 + \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{T} + \frac{1}{4}\mathbf{P}$ , show that

- (a)  $\mathbf{P}\mathbf{j} = \mathbf{j}$   
 (b)  $\mathbf{T}^2 = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{P} + \mathbf{T})$   
 (c)  $\mathbf{P}^2 = \mathbf{P}$   
 (d)  $\mathbf{T}^n = \mathbf{P} + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1}(\mathbf{T} - \mathbf{P})$ , for all  $n \geq 1$   
 (e)  $\mathbf{S}^2 = \frac{1}{16}(\mathbf{I}_3 + 6\mathbf{T} + 9\mathbf{P})$ .

4. Let  $\mathbf{I}_n$  denote the  $n \times n$  identity matrix and  $\mathbf{J}_n$  denote the  $n \times n$  matrix, each of whose entries is 1. For  $p \neq 0$  and  $p + nq \neq 0$ , show that

$$(p\mathbf{I}_n + q\mathbf{J}_n)^{-1} = p^{-1} \left( \mathbf{I}_n - \frac{q}{p + nq} \mathbf{J}_n \right).$$

5. Let  $\mathbf{X}$  be an  $n \times p$  matrix. Assuming that  $(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}$  exists, define  $\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{X}(\mathbf{X}'\mathbf{X})^{-1}\mathbf{X}'$ . Show that  $\mathbf{M}$  is a symmetric and that  $\mathbf{M}^2 = \mathbf{M}$ . In addition, show that  $\mathbf{M}\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{X}$  and that  $\mathcal{C}(\mathbf{M}) = \mathcal{C}(\mathbf{X})$ .

6. Suppose that  $\mathcal{V}$  is vector space, and that  $\mathcal{S}_1$  and  $\mathcal{S}_2$  are both subspaces of  $\mathcal{V}$ . Define

$$\mathcal{S}_1 \cap \mathcal{S}_2 = \{\mathbf{v} \in \mathcal{V} : \mathbf{v} \in \mathcal{S}_1 \text{ and } \mathbf{v} \in \mathcal{S}_2\}.$$

Show that  $\mathcal{S}_1 \cap \mathcal{S}_2$  is also a subspace of  $\mathcal{V}$ .

7. Define the matrix

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- Give a matrix whose column space contains  $\mathcal{C}(\mathbf{A})$ .
- Does  $\mathbf{A}$  have linearly independent columns? Explain.
- Give a basis for the space spanned by the columns of  $\mathbf{A}$ .
- Find  $\text{rank}(\mathbf{A})$ .
- Are the columns of  $\mathbf{A}$  mutually orthogonal? Explain.
- Find  $\mathcal{N}(\mathbf{A}')$  and a basis for this space.

8. Prove that  $\mathcal{C}(\mathbf{B}) \subseteq \mathcal{C}(\mathbf{A})$  if and only if  $\mathbf{AC} = \mathbf{B}$  for some matrix  $\mathbf{C}$ .

9. Suppose that  $\mathcal{V}$  is a vector space and that  $\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \dots, \mathbf{x}_m \in \mathcal{V}$ .

- Prove that the set of all linear combinations of  $\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \dots, \mathbf{x}_m$ ; i.e.,

$$\mathcal{S} = \left\{ \mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{V} : \mathbf{x} = \sum_{i=1}^m c_i \mathbf{x}_i \right\}$$

is a subspace of  $\mathcal{V}$ .

- Does  $\{\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \dots, \mathbf{x}_m\}$  form a basis for  $\mathcal{S}$ ? If so, prove it. If not, provide a counterexample.

10. Define the matrix  $\mathbf{A}$  by

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- Find a basis for  $\mathcal{C}(\mathbf{A})$ .
- Find a vector  $\mathbf{c} \neq \mathbf{0}$  such that  $\mathbf{Ac} = \mathbf{0}$ .
- Find a matrix  $\mathbf{B}$  whose column space contains  $\mathcal{C}(\mathbf{A})$ .
- Find the orthogonal complement of  $\mathcal{C}(\mathbf{A})$ .

11. Let  $\mathcal{S}_1$  and  $\mathcal{S}_2$  be orthogonal complements in  $\mathcal{R}^m$ . Is it true that every vector in  $\mathcal{R}^m$  is either in  $\mathcal{S}_1$  or  $\mathcal{S}_2$ ? If so, prove it. If not, give a counterexample.