

### TEST III (TOETS III) 3B

1. (a)

$$\text{tr}(AA^T) = \text{tr} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 3 & 3 \\ 3 & 3 & 3 \\ 3 & 3 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = 9.$$

Thus  $\|A\| = 3$ .

(b) Using the method of the Lagrange multiplier we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} F(x_1, x_2, x_3) &= 3(x_1 + x_2 + x_3)^2 + \lambda(x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2) \\ \frac{\partial F}{\partial x_1} &= 0 = 6(x_1 + x_2 + x_3) + 2\lambda x_1 \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial x_2} = 0 = 6(x_1 + x_2 + x_3) + 2\lambda x_2 \quad (2)$$

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial x_3} = 0 = 6(x_1 + x_2 + x_3) + 2\lambda x_3 \quad (3)$$

If  $\lambda = 0$  equations (1)–(3) give  $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 0$ , i.e.  $\|A\mathbf{x}\| = 0$ . Suppose  $\lambda \neq 0$ , then (1)–(3) gives  $x_1 = x_2 = x_3$ . Two more solutions are then given by

$$x_1 = x_2 = x_3 = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}.$$

Evaluating  $F$  for these solutions gives 9. The maximum is 9. Thus  $\|A\| = 3$ .

(c) The eigenvalues of  $A$  are 0, 0 and 3.

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(a)  $\|A\|$  is the square root of the sum of the eigenvalues of  $AA^T$ .

(b)  $\|A\|$  is the sum of the eigenvalues of  $A$ .

2. Let  $f(x) = ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d$ . We obtain the equations

$$\frac{a}{5} + \frac{b}{4} + \frac{c}{3} + \frac{d}{2} = 0$$

$$\frac{a}{6} + \frac{b}{5} + \frac{c}{4} + \frac{d}{3} = 0$$

$$\frac{a}{7} + \frac{b}{6} + \frac{c}{5} + \frac{d}{4} = 0$$

Solving for  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  in terms of  $d$  yields

$$a = -\frac{35}{4}d, \quad b = 15d, \quad c = -\frac{15}{2}d.$$

Selecting  $d$  (for example  $d = 1$ ) gives a solution.

3.

$$\begin{aligned} \langle f(x), \phi_0 \rangle &= \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} x dx + \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 (1-x) dx = \frac{x^2}{2} \Big|_0^{\frac{1}{2}} + \left(x - \frac{x^2}{2}\right) \Big|_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 = \frac{1}{4} \\ \text{for } n \in \mathbf{N} \langle f(x), \phi_n \rangle &= \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \sqrt{2}x \cos(\pi nx) dx \\ &\quad + \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 (\sqrt{2} \cos(\pi nx) - \sqrt{2}x \cos(\pi nx)) dx \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi n} x \sin(\pi nx) \Big|_0^{\frac{1}{2}} - \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi n} \sin(\pi nx) dx \\ &\quad + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi n} \sin(\pi nx) \Big|_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi n} x \sin(\pi nx) \Big|_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 \\ &\quad + \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi n} \sin(\pi nx) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}\pi n} \sin\left(\frac{\pi n}{2}\right) + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi^2 n^2} \cos(\pi nx) \Big|_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &\quad + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi n} \sin(\pi n) - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi n} \sin\left(\frac{\pi n}{2}\right) \\ &\quad - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi n} \sin(\pi n) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}\pi n} \sin\left(\frac{\pi n}{2}\right) - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi^2 n^2} \cos(\pi nx) \Big|_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi^2 n^2} (2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi n}{2}\right) - 1 - (-1)^n) \end{aligned}$$

Thus for  $n$  odd  $\langle f(x), \phi_n \rangle = 0$ . For  $n = 2j$  even ( $j \in \mathbf{N}$ )

$$\langle f(x), \phi_{2j} \rangle = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4\pi^2 j^2} (2 \cos(\pi j) - 2).$$

For  $j$  even  $\langle f(x), \phi_{2j} \rangle = 0$ . For  $j = 2k + 1$  odd ( $k \in \mathbf{N}_0$ )

$$\langle f(x), \phi_{4k+2} \rangle = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\pi^2 (2k+1)^2}.$$

Thus

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{4} - \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{2}{\pi^2(2k+1)^2} \cos(2\pi(2k+1)x).$$

We have  $f(0) = 0$ ,

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from which follows

$$\frac{\pi^2}{8} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2k+1)^2}.$$

4. To calculate the entries of the matrix  $\tilde{A}$  we calculate the scalar products  $\mathbf{a}^T A \mathbf{b}$  where  $\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b} \in \{\Phi^+, \Phi^-, \Psi^+, \Psi^-\}$ . We use the indexing scheme  $\Phi^+ \rightarrow 1$ ,  $\Phi^- \rightarrow 2$ ,  $\Psi^+ \rightarrow 3$  and  $\Psi^- \rightarrow 4$  to identify entries in the matrix  $\tilde{A}$ . Since  $A$  is symmetric and real, and the Bell basis is real we have

$$\mathbf{a}^T A \mathbf{b} = \mathbf{b}^T A \mathbf{a}$$

for  $\mathbf{a}$  and  $\mathbf{b}$  in the Bell basis, i.e.  $\tilde{A}$  is symmetric. Let

$$A := \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 & a_4 \\ a_2 & a_5 & a_6 & a_7 \\ a_3 & a_6 & a_8 & a_9 \\ a_4 & a_7 & a_9 & a_{10} \end{pmatrix}.$$

Since  $\tilde{A}$  must be diagonal, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi^{+T} A \Phi^- &= \frac{1}{2}(a_1 - a_{10}) = 0 \\ \Phi^{+T} A \Psi^+ &= \frac{1}{2}(a_2 + a_3 + a_7 + a_9) = 0 \\ \Phi^{+T} A \Psi^- &= \frac{1}{2}(a_2 - a_3 + a_7 - a_9) = 0 \\ \Phi^{-T} A \Psi^+ &= \frac{1}{2}(a_2 + a_3 - a_7 - a_9) = 0 \\ \Phi^{-T} A \Psi^- &= \frac{1}{2}(a_2 - a_3 - a_7 + a_9) = 0 \\ \Psi^{+T} A \Psi^- &= \frac{1}{2}(a_5 - a_8) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

from which we conclude that

$$a_1 = a_{10}, \quad a_5 = a_8, \quad a_2 = a_3 = a_7 = a_9 = 0.$$

Thus  $A$  has the form

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & 0 & 0 & a_4 \\ 0 & a_5 & a_6 & 0 \\ 0 & a_6 & a_5 & 0 \\ a_4 & 0 & 0 & a_1 \end{pmatrix}.$$