

Lesson 3 7.4

HWK 1 : Lessons 1, 2, 3 due Wed. 9/2, 11:59 pm Blackboard

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$$\underline{EX}: A\vec{x} = \vec{b} \quad \underbrace{[A \mid \vec{b}]}_{A^\#} \rightsquigarrow \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 5 & -2 & 1 & -3 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 4 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 8 \end{array} \right]_{\mathbb{E}}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Rank}(A) = 2 \\ \text{Rank}(A^\#) = 3 \end{array} \right\} \text{ouch!}$$

No solutions

Replace 8 by 0: x_1, x_3 bound vars.

x_2, x_4 free vars. $\leftarrow \infty$ many solⁿs.

Defⁿ: $\text{Null}(A) = \text{"null space of } A" = \{ \vec{x} : A\vec{x} = \vec{0} \}$

$\text{Rank}(A) = \# \text{ bound vars} = \# \text{ non-zero rows in } \mathbb{E}.$

$\text{Nullity}(A) = \# \text{ free vars} = \text{"Dimension of the null space"}$

Fact: $(\# \text{ bound}) + (\# \text{ free}) = \# \text{ vars}$

$$\text{Rank}(A) + \text{Nullity}(A) = \# \text{ columns of } A$$

$\mathbb{R}^n$ is the original "vector space."

$\text{Null}(A)$ is a vect. sp. too.

Subspace Test: If $\bar{V}$ is a vector space, we want to know when $\bar{W} \subset \bar{V}$ also satisfies vect. sp. laws.

Fact: Only need to check:

1) If $\vec{w}_1$ and $\vec{w}_2$ are in $\bar{W}$, so is $\vec{w}_1 + \vec{w}_2$.
(closed under addition.)

2) If $\vec{w}$ is in $\bar{W}$, then so is $c\vec{w}$ for all c .
(closed under scalar mult.)

Check: $\bar{W} = \text{Null}(A)$. 1) $\vec{x}_1, \vec{x}_2$ in $\text{Null}(A)$: $A\vec{x}_1 = \vec{0}$
 $A\vec{x}_2 = \vec{0}$

$$\text{Hmmm: } A(\vec{x}_1 + \vec{x}_2) = A\vec{x}_1 + A\vec{x}_2 = \vec{0} + \vec{0} = \vec{0} \quad \checkmark$$

2) $\vec{x}$ in $\text{Null}(A)$. $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$

$A(c\vec{x}) = cA\vec{x} = c\vec{0} = \vec{0}$ ✓

$\underline{EX} = \vec{w} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3, a, b \text{ any } \mathbb{R} \right\}$ 1. easy
2. easy ✓

$\underline{EX} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3 \right\}$. 1. $\begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ b_1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} a_2 \\ b_2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1+a_2 \\ b_1+b_2 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$ ouch!
or 2. $\exists \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ ouch!

Basis and Dimension: $\mathbb{R}^3 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = x \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}}_{\vec{e}_1} + y \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}}_{\vec{e}_2} + z \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}}_{\vec{e}_3} \right\}$

$\vec{e}_1, \vec{e}_2, \vec{e}_3$ "span" $\mathbb{R}^3$. They are independent. They form a basis for $\mathbb{R}^3$.
 $\mathbb{R}^3$ is 3-dim^l.

Defⁿ: $\text{Span}(\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \dots, \vec{v}_m) = \left\{ \underbrace{c_1\vec{v}_1 + \dots + c_m\vec{v}_m}_{\text{linear combo}} : c\text{'s real} \right\}$

Fact: The span is a vector subspace of the $\mathbb{R}^n$ we live in.
(Subspace Test. ✓)

Defⁿ: $\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_n$ are linearly independent if:
Whenever $c_1\vec{v}_1 + \dots + c_n\vec{v}_n = \vec{0}$,
all the c 's must be zero.

Question: Are $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 8 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$ lin. indep.?

Suppose $c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} + c_3 \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 8 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 7 \\ 2 & 5 & 8 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \\ c_3 \end{pmatrix} = \vec{0}$
A

$A \rightsquigarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

↑ c_3 free var.
∞ many solⁿs. Can have non-zero c 's.

They are not indep. They are dependent.

$$\text{Let } c_3 = 1. \quad c_1 \vec{v}_1 + c_2 \vec{v}_2 + 1 \vec{v}_3 = \vec{0}$$
$$\vec{v}_3 = -c_1 \vec{v}_1 - c_2 \vec{v}_2.$$

$\vec{v}_3$ is a lin combo of others.

Better way: How to decide if $\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_n$ are indep and find a basis for the span.

Step 1: Put $\vec{v}$'s in as the rows of a matrix A .

Step 2: Row reduce A to row echelon E .

Step 3: If the bottom row is not all zeroes, they are indep. (If it is all 0s, they are dep.)

Bonus: The non-zero rows of E form a basis for the span (after you turn them back into column vects.)

(Basis = Lin. indep. set of spanning vectors.)

EX: Are $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$ indep?

1. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 7 \\ 2 & 5 & 8 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = A$

2. $A \rightsquigarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ darn!

Not indep. They are dep.

Bonus: $\text{Span} \left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix} \right) = \text{Span} \left(\underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}}_{\text{Basis!}} \right)$

The span is 2-dim^l.

Why it works: Row operations do not change the span of the row vectors.

Great fact: $\text{Rank}(A) = \text{Rank}(A^T)$

Consequently, can stick $\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_n$ in as columns of a matrix B . If $\text{Rank}(B) = n$, then they are indep.. If $\text{Rank}(B) < n$, they are dep.

And $\{ \vec{v}_j : x_j \text{ is a bound var in } B\vec{x} = 0 \}$

is a basis for span .

$$[\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_n] \rightsquigarrow \begin{bmatrix} \textcircled{1} & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & \textcircled{4} & 5 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \textcircled{7} & 8 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_3, \vec{v}_4$ basis.