

(16) 2.1 More on vectors

$$\mathbb{R}^n \quad x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix}, \quad y = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix}, \quad \alpha \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\alpha x = \alpha \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha x_1 \\ \alpha x_2 \\ \vdots \\ \alpha x_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x + y = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + y_1 \\ x_2 + y_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n + y_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$0 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Basic Properties of vectors

(a) $u + v = v + u$

(b) $a(u + v) = au + av$

(c) $(a+b)u = au + bu$

(d) $u + 0 = u$

(e) $u + 0 = u$

(f) $1 \cdot u = u$

$$\mathbb{R}^3 \quad x = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}, \quad y = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -5 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \alpha = 2$$

$$2x = 2 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x + y = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -5 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -6 \\ 11 \end{pmatrix}$$

Linear combination

$$u^1, u^2, \dots, u^k \in \mathbb{R}^n, \quad c_1, c_2, \dots, c_k \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$c_1 u^1 + c_2 u^2 + \dots + c_k u^k$$

is a linear combination
of $u^1, u^2, \dots, u^k$

ex: $2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - 3 \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

(17) [2, 2] Does there exist a linear combination of $u^1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$, $u^2 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $u^3 = \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ -5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

that equals the vector $b = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$?

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = b = x_1 u^1 + x_2 u^2 + x_3 u^3 = x_1 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + x_2 \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + x_3 \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ -5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2x_1 + x_2 - 5x_3 \\ -x_1 + 4x_2 - 5x_3 \\ 3x_1 + 2x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

system as linear combination

Solve

$$\begin{cases} 2x_1 + x_2 - 5x_3 = 1 \\ -x_1 + 4x_2 - 5x_3 = 1 \\ 3x_1 + 2x_3 = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \xrightarrow{R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2} \begin{array}{ccc|c} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 & \\ \hline -1 & 4 & -5 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -5 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & 2 & 1 \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{l} R_2 + 2R_1 \\ R_3 + 3R_1 \end{array} \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -4 & 5 & -1 \\ 0 & 9 & -13 & 3 \\ 0 & 12 & -13 & 4 \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{l} R_2 - R_2 \\ R_1 + R_3 \\ R_2 - 3R_3 \\ \frac{1}{2} R_3 \end{array} \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -4 & 5 & -1 \\ 0 & 9 & -13 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -13 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \frac{1}{3} \end{array} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \begin{array}{l} R_1 + R_2 \\ R_3 \\ -\frac{1}{13} R_2 \\ R_1 - 5R_3 \end{array} \begin{array}{ccc|c} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 & \\ \hline 1 & 0 & 5 & \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \end{array}$$

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Linear Span

Given vectors $u^1, u^2, \dots, u^k \in \mathbb{R}^n$, the linear span of $u^1, u^2, \dots, u^k$ is the set of all vectors that can be represented as a linear combination of $u^1, u^2, \dots, u^k$.

$$\text{Span}\{u^1, u^2, \dots, u^k\} = \left\{ \begin{array}{c} a_1 u^1 + a_2 u^2 + \dots + a_k u^k \\ \hline b_1 u^1 + b_2 u^2 + \dots + b_k u^k \\ \hline (a_1 - b_1) u^1 + \dots + (a_k - b_k) u^k \end{array} : a_i \in \mathbb{R} \ i=1, \dots, k \right\}$$

Properties: (i) $0 \in \text{Span}\{u^1, \dots, u^k\}$

$$(ii) \alpha \in \mathbb{R}, v \in \text{Span}\{u^1, \dots, u^k\} \Rightarrow \alpha v \in \text{Span}\{u^1, \dots, u^k\}$$

$$(iii) v^1, v^2 \in \text{Span}\{u^1, \dots, u^k\} \Rightarrow v^1 + v^2 \in \text{Span}\{u^1, \dots, u^k\}$$

$$(iv) v \in \text{Span}\{u^1, \dots, u^k\} \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\boxed{[u^1 \ u^2 \ \dots \ u^k \mid v]} \text{ is consistent}$$

ex: $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 6 \\ -1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \in \text{Span}\left[\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \\ -8 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}\right] \Leftrightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 6 \\ 1 & 0 & -8 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -5 & 4 \end{array} \right] \text{ is consistent}$

(False)

(19) Given $u^1, u^2, \dots, u^k \in \mathbb{R}^n$ we can form an associated $n \times k$ matrix

$$A = [u^1 \ u^2 \ \dots \ u^k] \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times k}$$

ex: $u^1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$ $u^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$ $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 \\ 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$ — $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times k}$
 $n = 3, k = 2$

Fact: Suppose B is the $n \times k$ matrix obtained by transforming A to echelon form.

If the leading coefficient in every row of B is non zero, then $\text{Span}[u^1, u^2, \dots, u^k] = \mathbb{R}^n$

Defn: $A = [a_{ij}]_{\substack{i=1, \dots, m \\ j=1, \dots, n}} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & a_{m3} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$

$a_{i_0 j_0}$ is a pivot position for A if $a_{i_0 j_0} \neq 0$ $a_{ij} = 0$ $\left. \begin{matrix} i < i_0 \\ j \geq j_0 \end{matrix} \right\}$ echelon form

(20) Matrix-vector Multiplication

$$\mathbb{R}^{n \times m} \leftarrow A = [a^1 \ a^2 \ \dots \ a^m] \quad a^i \in \mathbb{R}^n \quad i = 1 \dots m$$

$$x \in \mathbb{R}^m, \quad x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_m \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\boxed{\begin{array}{l} Ax = b \quad b \in \mathbb{R}^n \\ \hline A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m} \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^m \end{array}}$$

$$Ax = x_1 a^1 + x_2 a^2 + x_3 a^3 + \dots + x_m a^m$$

ex: $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 7 & 0 \\ -1 & -2 & -1 & 8 \\ 4 & 3 & -5 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad x = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$

$$Ax = - \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} - 2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + 2 \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ -1 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix} + 4 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 8 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 35 \\ -21 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{rclcl} 2x_1 & + & x_2 & + & 7x_3 & & = & 10 \\ -x_1 & - & 2x_2 & - & x_3 & + & 8x_4 & = & 35 \\ 4x_1 & + & 3x_2 & - & 5x_3 & - & x_4 & = & -21 \end{array}$$

$x = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$ solves
are there other solutions?

(21) Theorem:

Square $\square$ $\text{short + fat} = \begin{bmatrix} & & & \end{bmatrix}_{n \times n}$ tall $\text{skinny} = \begin{bmatrix} & & & \end{bmatrix}_{n \times m}$ $n > m$

$$a^1, a^2, \dots, a^m \in \mathbb{R}^n, b \in \mathbb{R}^n, A = [a^1 a^2 \dots a^m] \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$$

The following statements are equivalent, i.e., if any one of them is true, then all of them are true.

(a) $b \in \text{Span}\{a^1, a^2, \dots, a^m\}$

(b) the vector equation
$$x_1 a^1 + x_2 a^2 + \dots + x_m a^m = b$$
has at least one solution.

(c) The linear system $[a^1 a^2 \dots a^m | b]$ has at least one solution

(d) The matrix equation $Ax = b$ has at least one solution.

Defn: The range of $A = \text{Span}\{a^1 a^2 \dots a^m\} = \text{Range}[A]$.

(also $\text{Im}(A)$)

(22) 2.3 Linear Independence

$$\{u^1, u^2, \dots, u^m\} \neq \{0\}$$

Defn: Let $\{u^1, u^2, \dots, u^m\} \subset \mathbb{R}^n$.

If the only solution to the vector equation

$$x_1 u^1 + x_2 u^2 + \dots + x_m u^m = 0$$

(Homogeneous System)

is given by $x_1 = x_2 = x_3 = \dots = x_m = 0$, then

we say that the set of vectors $\{u^1, u^2, \dots, u^m\}$ are linearly independent.

Checking Linear Independence: solve $Ax = 0$

$$\begin{array}{l} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} -1 & 3 & -2 & 0 \\ -2 & 7 & 9 & 0 \\ -3 & 7 & -5 & 0 \\ 4 & -13 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R_3 + 2R_2 \\ R_4 + R_2 \end{array} \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 13 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -7 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} -R_1 \\ R_2 - 2R_1 \\ R_3 - 3R_1 \\ R_4 + 4R_1 \end{array} \end{array}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 13 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 24 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R_3 + 2R_2 \\ R_4 + R_2 \end{array} \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 13 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{6} R_4 \\ R_3 - 4R_2 \end{array}$$

yes, linear independent