

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + x_2 + x_3 - 2x_4 + 4x_5 &= -5 \\ -x_1 - 3x_3 + 4x_4 - 5x_5 &= 5 \\ 2x_1 + 4x_2 - 2x_3 + x_4 + 5x_5 &= -9 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc|c} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 & x_4 & x_5 & \\ \hline 1 & 1 & 1 & -2 & 4 & -5 \\ -1 & 0 & -3 & 4 & -5 & 5 \\ 2 & 4 & -2 & 1 & 5 & -9 \end{array}$$

$R_1 \leftrightarrow -R_2$

$R_1 + R_2$

$R_3 + 2R_1$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc|c} 1 & 0 & 3 & -4 & 5 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & -8 & 9 & -5 & 1 \end{array}$$

$R_3 - 4R_2$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc|c} 1 & 0 & 3 & -4 & 5 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 \end{array}$$

$R_1 + 4R_3$

$R_2 - 2R_3$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc|c} 1 & 0 & 3 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 \end{array}$$

Free var

$x_2 = t$

$x_5 = s$

$$\begin{cases} x_1 + 3x_3 + x_5 = -1 \\ x_2 - 2x_3 + x_5 = -2 \\ x_4 - x_5 = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} x_1 = -1 - 3t - s \\ x_2 = -2 + 2t - s \\ x_3 = t \\ x_4 = 1 + s \\ x_5 = s \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \\ x_5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Check by plugging into equations

(16) 2.1 More on vectors

$\mathbb{R}^n$

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

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

$$x + y = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + y_1 \\ x_2 + y_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n + y_n \end{pmatrix} \quad 0 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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)  $1 \cdot u = u$

$\mathbb{R}^3$

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

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

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

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)  $\overline{2+2}$  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  $b = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ ?

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

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

system as linear combination

Solve

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

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

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

(18) 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  $u^1, u^2, \dots, u^k$

$$\text{Span}\{u^1, u^2, \dots, u^k\} = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} a_1 u^1 + a_2 u^2 + \dots + a_k u^k \\ b_1 u^1 + b_2 u^2 + \dots + b_k u^k \\ (c_1 a_1 + b_1) u^1 + \dots + (c_k a_k + b_k) u^k \end{array} : a_i \in \mathbb{R} \ i=1, \dots, k \right\}$$

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

## (20) Matrix-vector Multiplication

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

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

$Ax = b$	$b \in \mathbb{R}^n$
$A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$	$x \in \mathbb{R}^m$

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

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  $A$   $\text{short + fat} = \begin{matrix} \boxed{\phantom{A}} \\ n < m \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} n \times n \\ n \times m \end{matrix}$   $\begin{matrix} \text{+ tall} \\ \text{+ skinny} \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} \boxed{\phantom{A}} \\ n > m \end{matrix}$   
 $a^1, a^2, \dots, a^m \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $b \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $A = [a^1 \ a^2 \ \dots \ a^m] \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$

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

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

(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  $[a^1 \ a^2 \ \dots \ a^m | b] \rightarrow [A | b]$   
 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  $Ax = 0$

$$\begin{array}{l} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} -1 & 3 & -2 & 0 \\ -2 & 7 & 9 & 0 \\ -3 & 7 & -5 & 0 \\ 4 & -13 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R_2 + 2R_1 \\ R_3 + 3R_1 \\ R_4 + R_1 \end{array} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 13 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 24 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 & 0 \end{array} \right] \end{array}$$
  
$$\begin{array}{l} -R_1 \\ R_2 - 2R_1 \\ R_3 - 3R_1 \\ R_4 + 4R_1 \end{array} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 13 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -7 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{6} R_4 \\ R_3 - 4R_2 \end{array}$$

yes, linear independent

(23) Thm:  $\{u^1, u^2, \dots, u^m\} \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ .

If  $n < m$ , then the set is linearly dependent

Pf:  $A = [u^1 \ u^2 \ \dots \ u^m] = \boxed{\phantom{matrix}}_{n \times m} \quad n < m$

Echelon Form can have at most  $n$  leading terms  $\uparrow$  so there are at least  $m - n > 0$  free variables. Each free variable is associated with a nontrivial solution to the homogeneous equation  $Ax = 0$ . Hence the vectors are linearly dependent.

$\sim$  If there is a nonzero vector  $x$  solving  $Ax = 0$ , then the columns of  $A$  are linearly dependent.

(24) Thm:  $\{u^1, \dots, u^m\} \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  are linearly dependent if and only if one of the vectors in this set is in the linear span of the remaining vectors.

Pf: Lin Dep  $\Rightarrow \exists a_1, \dots, a_m$  with  $a = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ \vdots \\ a_m \end{pmatrix} \neq 0$  s.t.

$$a_1 u^1 + \dots + a_m u^m = 0$$

$$a \neq 0 \Rightarrow \exists i_0 \text{ s.t. } a_{i_0} \neq 0 \Rightarrow u^{i_0} = -\frac{a_1}{a_{i_0}} u^1 - \dots - \frac{a_{i_0-1}}{a_{i_0}} u^{i_0-1} + \frac{a_{i_0+1}}{a_{i_0}} u^{i_0+1} - \dots - \frac{a_m}{a_{i_0}} u^m$$

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$$u^{i_0} = \sum_{i \neq i_0} b_i u^i \Rightarrow 0 = -u^{i_0} + \sum_{i \neq i_0} b_i u^i$$

(25) Give a lin. dep set of vectors

$$u^1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, u^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}, u^3 = u^1 + u^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

Th:  $u^1, \dots, u^m \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $A = [u^1 \ u^2 \ \dots \ u^m] \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$   
 $B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$  is  $A$  transformed to echelon form

Then

(a)  $\text{span}\{u^1, \dots, u^k\} = \mathbb{R}^n$  exactly when  $B$  has  
a pivot position in every row, i.e. every row  
has a nonzero leading term.

(b)  $\{u^1, \dots, u^k\}$  are linearly independent exactly  
when  $B$  has a pivot position in every column.

pf. (a)  $\Leftrightarrow$  we can solve for every possible right hand side

(b)  $\Leftrightarrow$  there are no free variables so the only solution  
to  $Ax = 0$  is  $x = 0$ .

(26)

## Homogeneous linear systems

$$u^1, \dots, u^m \in \mathbb{R}^n \quad A = [u^1 \dots u^m]$$

$$Ax = 0 \quad \text{homogeneous linear system}$$

$$\text{Nul}(A) = \{x : Ax = 0\} \sim \text{the null space of } A$$

$$\text{(also } \ker(A) = \text{the kernel of } A = \text{null space of } A)$$

Thm:  $\{u^1, \dots, u^m\}$  are linearly independent  
if and only if  $\text{Nul}(A) = \{0\}$ .

## Matrix-vector multiplication

$$A = [a^1 \ a^2 \ \dots \ a^m] \quad x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_m \end{pmatrix} \quad y = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_m \end{pmatrix} \quad \alpha \in \mathbb{R}, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$(a) \quad A(x+y) = Ax + Ay$$

$$(b) \quad A(x-y) = Ax - Ay$$

$$(c) \quad A(\alpha x + \beta y) = \alpha Ax + \beta Ay$$