

Review

Vector spaces (linear spaces) : (10 axioms, for addition scalar multiplication well-defined)

classical examples :

think of. (forgetting other dimensions)

Euclidean n -space \mathbb{R}^n

Linear span of several vectors

Solution sets to homogeneous linear systems

"linear restrictions"

\mathbb{R}^2 straight lines crossing through the origin

\mathbb{R}^3 straight lines / planes crossing through the origin

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\mathbb{R}^n

1 coefficient \rightarrow lines $\leftarrow (n-1)$ restrictions

2 coefficients \rightarrow planes $\leftarrow (n-2)$ restrictions

$\text{Span}\{u_1, \dots, u_k\}$

justify if $v \in \text{Span}\{u_1, \dots, u_k\}$

$\text{rref}(u_1 \ u_2 \ \dots \ u_k \mid v)$

justify if $\mathbb{R}^n = \text{Span}\{u_1, \dots, u_k\}$

① $\text{rref}(u_1 \ u_2 \ \dots \ u_k)$

② if $k < n$ No

③ if $k = n$ $\det(u_1 \ \dots \ u_k) \neq 0$

determine the relation between Spans

$\text{rref}(u_1 \ \dots \ u_k \ v_1 \ \dots \ v_l)$

$\text{rref}(v_1 \ \dots \ v_l \ u_1 \ \dots \ u_k)$

solution sets to non-homogeneous system \rightarrow affine space $= u + V$

$$Ax = b$$

where u is an arbitrary soln to $Ax = b$, and $V = \{x \mid Ax = 0\}$

proof. " \supseteq ": for every vector $z = u + v \in u + V$. $Az = Au + Av = b$

" \subseteq ": if y is a solution to $Ax = b$.

then $A(y - u) = Ay - Au = 0$.

namely $y - u \in V$.

one particular solution u
+ general solution to the corresponding homogeneous linear system

i.e. translation of hyperspaces along u

1. Let $A = \{ (1+t, 1+2t, 1+3t) \mid t \in \mathbb{R} \}$ be a subset in \mathbb{R}^3 .

(a) Describe A geometrically.

(b) Show that $A = \{ (x, y, z) \mid x+y-z=1 \text{ and } x-2y+z=0 \}$.

(c) Write down a matrix equation $\mathbf{M}\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ where \mathbf{M} is a 3×3 matrix and \mathbf{b} is a 3×1 matrix such that its solution set is A .

1. (a) straight line connecting $(1, 1, 1)$, $(2, 3, 4)$

$$s = 1 + 3t$$

(b) [1] solve
$$\begin{cases} x+y-z=1 \\ x-2y+z=0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x = \frac{1}{3}(2+s) \\ y = \frac{1}{3}(1+2s) \\ z = s \end{cases} \quad s \in \mathbb{R}$$

[2] $A \subseteq \text{RHS}$, A & RHS linear spaces, $\dim A = \dim \text{RHS}$

$$\Rightarrow A = \text{RHS}$$

(c)
$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

2. Let $\mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$, $\mathbf{u}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$, and $\mathbf{u}_3 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$.

(a) If possible, express each of the following vectors as a linear combination of $\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3$.

(i) $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ -7 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ (ii) $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ (iii) $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ (iv) $\begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 6 \\ -13 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$

(b) Is it possible to find 2 vectors \mathbf{v}_1 and \mathbf{v}_2 such that they are not a multiple of each other, and both are not a linear combination of $\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3$?

2. (a) i.e. solve for $u_1x_1 + u_2x_2 + u_3x_3 = v$ $(u_1 \ u_2 \ u_3 \mid v) \xrightarrow{\text{rref}}$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 2 & 3 & -1 & 2 & 0 & -4 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 & 3 & 0 & 6 \\ 0 & 5 & 2 & -7 & 0 & -13 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 & 3 & 0 & 4 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & -1 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 3 \\ & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & -3 \\ & & 1 & -1 & 0 & 1 \\ & & & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

alternatively
$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 3 & -1 & a_1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 & a_2 \\ 0 & 5 & 2 & a_3 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 & a_4 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 0 & a_2 \\ 0 & 5 & -1 & a_1 - 2a_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & -a_1 + 2a_2 + a_3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a_1 + 7a_2 + 2a_3 - 3a_4 \end{array} \right)$$

(b) Yes
$$\mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{v}_1 + \mathbf{u}_1$$

3. Let $V = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} \mid x - y - z = 0 \right\}$ be a subset of \mathbb{R}^3 .

(a) Let $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$. Show that $\text{span}(S) = V$.

(b) Let $T = S \cup \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$. Show that $\text{span}(T) = \mathbb{R}^3$.

3. (a) $\text{Span}(S) \subseteq V$, V linear space. $\dim(V) = 2 \Rightarrow V = \text{Span } S$

(b) sufficient to prove $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ linearly independent

$\Leftrightarrow a_1x_1 + a_2x_2 + a_3x_3 = 0$ only has the trivial solution

$\Leftrightarrow \text{rref} \Leftrightarrow \det(a_1, a_2, a_3) \neq 0$

necessity & sufficiency

necessary & sufficient conditions

4. Which of the following sets S spans \mathbb{R}^4 ?

(i) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$.

(ii) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$.

(iii) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 4 \\ -2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$.

(iv) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$.

4. (ii) No. $\dim S \leq 3 < 4$

(i)

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \neq 0 \quad \checkmark$$

(iii) $\text{rref}(a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

a row of zeros in RREF \Rightarrow No

(iv) $\text{rref}(a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & & 3 \\ & 1 & & & 0 \\ & & 1 & & 5 \\ & & & 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ Yes

5. Determine whether $\text{span}\{\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3\} \subseteq \text{span}\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2\}$ and/or $\text{span}\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2\} \subseteq \text{span}\{\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3\}$ if

$$(a) \mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{u}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{u}_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$(b) \mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 6 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{u}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{u}_3 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 8 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}.$$

5. (a) $\det(\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3) = 0$

$$\text{rref}(\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3, \mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2) = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|cc} 1 & 0 & -\frac{9}{2} & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -9 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\text{rref}(\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3) = \left(\begin{array}{cc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{5} & -\frac{9}{5} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{3}{5} & \frac{9}{10} \end{array} \right)$$

$$\text{So } \text{Span}\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2\} \not\subseteq \text{Span}\{\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3\}$$

$$\& \text{Span}\{\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3\} \not\subseteq \text{Span}\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2\}$$

(b) $\det(\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3) = 0$

$$\text{rref}(\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3, \mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2) =$$

$$\text{rref}(\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3) =$$

$$\text{So } \text{Span}\{\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3\} = \text{Span}\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2\}$$

6. Determine which of the following sets are subspaces. For those sets that are subspaces, express the set as a linear span. For those sets that are not, explain why.

$$(a) S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} p \\ q \\ p \\ q \end{pmatrix} \mid p, q \in \mathbb{R} \right\}.$$

$$(b) S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} \mid a \geq b \text{ or } b \geq c \right\}.$$

$$(c) S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ w \end{pmatrix} \mid 4x = 3y \text{ and } 2x = -3w \right\}.$$

$$(d) S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{pmatrix} \mid \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ a & b & c & d \end{vmatrix} = 0 \right\}.$$

$$(e) S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} w \\ x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} \mid w + x = y + z \right\}.$$

$$(f) S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{pmatrix} \mid ab = cd \right\}.$$

$$(g) S \text{ is the solution set of } \mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{0} \text{ where } \mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 & -1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 & 2 & -3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$6. (a) S = \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \quad \checkmark$$

$$(b) \text{ No. } \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot (-1) = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(c) S = \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \quad \checkmark$$

$$(d) \det = a - c - d = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$(e) \quad \checkmark$$

$$(f) \text{ No. } \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \notin S$$

$$(g) \quad \checkmark$$