

Homework 2

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CHAPTER 2.1

5. The first of these equations plus the second equals the third:

$$x + y + z = 2$$

$$x + 2y + z = 3$$

$$2x + 3y + 2z = 5$$

The first two planes meet along a line. The third plane contains the line, because if x, y, z satisfy the first two equations then they also **satisfy the third**. The equations have infinitely many solutions (The whole line L). Find three solutions on L .

$$x = 2 \quad y = 1 \quad z = -1 \quad (1)$$

$$x = 5 \quad y = 1 \quad z = -4 \quad (2)$$

$$x = 10 \quad y = 1 \quad z = -9 \quad (3)$$

6. Move the third plane in problem 5 to a parallel plane $2x + 3y + 2z = 9$. now the three equations have no solution—why not? The first two planes meet along the line L , but the third plane doesn't **contain or intersect** that line.

7. In problem five the columns are $(1, 1, 2)$ and $(1, 2, 3)$ and $(1, 1, 2)$. This is a “singular case” because the third column is identical to the first. Find two combinations of the columns that give $b = (2, 3, 5)$.

$$2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + 1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} - 1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} \quad (1)$$

$$5 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + 1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} - 4 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} \quad (2)$$

This is only possible for $b = (4, 6, c)$ if $c = 10$.

9. Compute each Ax by dot products of the rows with the column vector:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ -2 & 3 & 1 \\ -4 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$2 \times 1 + 2 \times 2 + 3 \times 4 =$$

$$2 + 4 + 12 = 18$$

$$2 \times -2 + 2 \times 3 + 3 \times 1 =$$

$$-4 + 6 + 3 = 5$$

$$2 \times -4 + 2 \times 1 + 3 \times 2 =$$

$$-8 + 2 + 6 = 0$$

$$Ax = \begin{bmatrix} 18 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (1)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
1 \times 2 + 1 \times 1 + 1 \times 0 + 2 \times 0 &= \\
2 + 1 + 0 + 0 &= 3 \\
1 \times 1 + 1 \times 2 + 1 \times 1 + 2 \times 0 &= \\
1 + 2 + 1 + 0 &= 4 \\
1 \times 0 + 1 \times 1 + 1 \times 2 + 2 \times 1 &= \\
0 + 1 + 2 + 2 &= 5 \\
1 \times 0 + 1 \times 0 + 1 \times 1 + 2 \times 2 &= \\
0 + 0 + 1 + 4 &= 5
\end{aligned}$$

$$Ax = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ 5 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

10. Compute each Ax in problem 9 as a combination of the columns:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ -2 & 3 & 1 \\ -4 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} + 2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + 3 \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} &= \\
\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \\ -8 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 6 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 12 \\ 3 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} 18 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

$$Ax = \begin{bmatrix} 18 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (1)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$1 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 1 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + 2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ 5 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Ax = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ 5 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} \quad (2)$$

11. Find the two components of Ax by rows or by columns:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$4 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} + 2 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 8+6 \\ 20+2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 14 \\ 22 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Ax = \begin{bmatrix} 14 \\ 22 \end{bmatrix} \quad (1)$$

and

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 6 \\ 6 & 12 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$2 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} - 1 \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 6-6 \\ 12-12 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Ax = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (2)$$

and

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + 1 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 1 \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3+2+4 \\ 6+0+1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Ax = \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix} \quad (3)$$

CHAPTER 2.2

4. What multiple l of equation 1 should be subtracted from equation 2 to remove c ?

$$ax + by = f \quad (1)$$

$$cx + dy = g \quad (2)$$

Equation 1 should be divided by a and multiplied by c , or, in other words $\frac{c}{a}$.

6. Choose a coefficient b that makes this system singular. Then choose a right side g that makes it solvable.

$$2x + by = 16$$

$$4x + 8y = g$$

If $b = 4$ then this system is singular, as that value of b would make the line describing the first equation parallel to the line describing the second.

If $g = 32$ then this singular system is solvable, as the first and second equations describe the same line, so every point on the line is a solution.
Find two solutions in that singular case.

$$x = 2 \quad y = 3 \quad (1)$$

$$x = 4 \quad y = 2 \quad (2)$$

13. Apply elimination (circle the pivots) and back substitution to solve:

$$2x - 3y = 3$$

$$4x - 5y + z = 7$$

$$2x - y - 3z = 5$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 0 \\ 4 & -5 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 & -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 7 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 0 & | & 3 \\ 4 & -5 & 1 & | & 7 \\ 2 & -1 & -3 & | & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 0 & | & 3 \\ 2 & -1 & -3 & | & 5 \\ 4 & -5 & 1 & | & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 0 & | & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & -3 & | & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 0 & | & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -5 & | & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore,

$$A = \begin{array}{rrcr} 2x & -3y & & = 3 \\ & y & z & = 1 \\ & & -5z & = -4 \end{array}$$

$$z = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$y + z = 1$$

$$y + \frac{4}{5} = 1$$

$$y = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$2x - 3y = 3$$

$$2x - 3 \times \frac{1}{5} = 3$$

$$2x - \frac{3}{5} = 3$$

$$2x = \frac{12}{5} + \frac{3}{5}$$

$$x = 2 \times \frac{15}{10}$$

$$x = \frac{3}{1}$$

List three row operations:

Subtract 1 times row 1 from row 2.

Subtract 2 times row 1 from row 3.

Subtract 2 times row 2 from row 3.

14. Which number b leads later to a row exchange? Which b leads to a missing pivot? In that singular case find a nonzero solution x, y, z .

$$\begin{array}{rrcr} x & +by & & = 0 \\ x & -2y & -z & = 0 \\ & y & +z & = 0 \end{array}$$

$b = -1$ later leads to a row exchange, since row 2 cannot be used to remove the y in row three.

$b = -2$ leads to a missing pivot, as any change to remove x makes y in row 2 zero.

Suppose $b = -2$, the matrix is then

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

Therefore:

$$x - 2y = 0$$

$$-z = 0$$

$$y + z = 0$$

In this case, $(0, 0, 0)$ is the only solution.