

Set  $X$  is called **linear space** over the scalar field  $K$  if there are two binary operations of addition and scalar multiplication defined on  $X$ .

$$a) \forall x, y \in X \rightarrow x+y \in X$$

$$b) \forall x \in X, \forall \alpha \in K \Rightarrow \alpha x \in X$$

satisfying the follow properties:

$$1. x+y = y+x \quad \text{commutativity}$$

$$2. x+(y+z) = (x+y)+z \quad \text{associativity}$$

$$3. \exists 0 \in X : 0+x = x+0 = x \quad \forall x \in X$$

$$4. \forall x \in X \exists (-x) \in X : x+(-x) = 0. \quad ?$$

$$5. 1 \cdot x = x \quad \forall x \in X$$

$$6. (\alpha\beta)x = \alpha(\beta x) \quad \forall x \in X \quad \forall \alpha, \beta \in K$$

$$7. \alpha(x+y) = \alpha x + \alpha y$$

$$8. (\alpha+\beta)x = \alpha x + \beta x \quad \forall x, y \in X, \forall \alpha, \beta \in K$$

$$\mathbb{R}^n = \{x = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) : x_i \in \mathbb{R}, i = 1, 2, \dots, n\}, \subset \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$I_\infty = \{x = (x_1, x_2, \dots) : x_i \in K, i = \overline{1, \infty}, \sup_{i=\overline{1, \infty}} |x_i| < \infty\}$$

$$I_1 = \{x = (x_1, x_2, \dots) : x_i \in K, i = \overline{1, \infty}, \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} |x_i| < \infty\}$$

$$I_p = \{x = (x_1, x_2, \dots) : x_i \in K, i = \overline{1, \infty}, \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} |x_i|^p < \infty\}$$

$$C[a, b] = \text{the set of all continuous functions defined on } [a, b]$$

- elements  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  of a linear space  $X$  over  $K$  are **linearly independent** if equality  $\alpha_1 x_1 + \alpha_2 x_2 + \dots + \alpha_n x_n = 0$ ,  $\alpha_i \in K, i = \overline{1, n}$  implies that  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \dots = \alpha_n = 0$ . If there is at least one  $\alpha_i \neq 0$  then elements  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  linearly dependent.

linearly dependent  $\Leftrightarrow$  those elements can be expressed as a linear combination of others

- Dimension** of a linear space  $X$  is the max number of linearly independent elements in  $X$ ,

If  $\dim X = n$ , a system  $e^1, e^2, \dots, e^n$  of  $n$  linearly independent elements is said to be a basis in  $X$ . provided that  $\forall x \in X$  can be expressed a linear combination

of basis elements  $x = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i e^i$ . Then  $x = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$  in the basis  $\{e^i\}$ ,  $i = \overline{1, n}$   
 $[\dim \mathbb{R}^n = n, \dim([a, b]) = \infty]$

## Distance in Linear Space

1) Metric Space: A space with a metric  $d: X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$1. d(x, y) \geq 0, d(x, y) = 0 \text{ iff } x = y$$

$$2. d(x, y) = d(y, x)$$

$$3. d(x, z) \leq d(x, y) + d(y, z) \quad \forall x, y \in X$$

2) Normed linear spaces: A linear space with a norm

$$\|\cdot\|: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$1. \|x\| \geq 0, \|x\| = 0 \text{ iff } x = 0.$$

$$2. \|\alpha x\| = |\alpha| \|x\| \quad \forall x \in X, \forall \alpha \in \mathbb{K}$$

$$3. \|x + y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\| \quad \forall x, y \in X$$

3) Inner product Spaces: A linear space with an inner product

$$(\cdot, \cdot): X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

$$1. (x, x) \geq 0, (x, x) = 0 \text{ iff } x = 0.$$

$$2. (\alpha x + \beta y, z) = \alpha(x, z) + \beta(y, z)$$

$$3. (y, x) = \overline{(x, y)}$$

## The Wronskian

↗ a continuously differentiable function

• The Wronskian of  $n$  smooth enough functions is defined by

$$W[f_1, f_2, \dots, f_n](t) = \begin{vmatrix} f_1(t) & f_2(t) & \dots & f_n(t) \\ f_1'(t) & f_2'(t) & \dots & f_n'(t) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ f_1^{(n-1)}(t) & f_2^{(n-1)}(t) & \dots & f_n^{(n-1)}(t) \end{vmatrix}$$

if  $W[f_1, \dots, f_n] \neq 0 \Rightarrow$  Functions are linearly independent.

• The Wronskian of  $n$  elements  $x^1(t), x^2(t), \dots, x^n(t)$  of  $n$  components each is

$$W[x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n](t) = \det([x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n]) = \begin{vmatrix} x_{11} & x_{21} & \dots & x_{n1} \\ x_{12} & x_{22} & \dots & x_{n2} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ x_{1n} & x_{2n} & \dots & x_{nn} \end{vmatrix}$$

If  $W[x^1, x^2, \dots, x^n](t_0) \neq 0$  at some  $t_0$ , then system  $x^1(t), x^2(t), \dots, x^n(t)$  is linearly independent.

### Systems of linear Algebraic Equations

$Ax = b$ . where  $A = (a_{ij})$  is the  $n \times n$  matrix.  $x = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$  is unknown,

$b = (b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n)$  is given.

• if  $\det A \neq 0$ , exists  $A^{-1}$   $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} A^*$ ,  $A^*$  伴随矩阵: 第  $k$  列元素是  $A$  第  $k$  行元素的代数余子式

•  $\det A \neq 0, b = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0$ . (trivial sol)

•  $\det A = 0, b = 0 \Rightarrow$  infinitely many nonzero solutions

•  $\det A = 0, b \neq 0 \Rightarrow$  no sol, but if  $b$  satisfies condition  $\sum b_i y_i = 0$  for all

$y = (y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n)$  st.  $\bar{A}^T y = 0$ .

1) Cramer's rule,

$$x_j = \frac{D_j}{D}$$

2) Gaussian elimination

对方程进行三种变换:

(1) 乘一个非零系数

(2) 将一个方程若干倍加到另一个方程上

(3) 交换两方程位置

## • Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors

$y = \lambda x$  where  $\lambda \in \mathbb{K}$  and obtain  $Ax = \lambda x$

The value of  $\lambda$  for which there are nonzero vectors  $x$  satisfying the eq. is called the eigenvalue of  $A$ , those nonzero vectors  $x$  are called the eigenvectors of  $A$  associated with  $\lambda$ .

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & -4 \\ 8 & -7 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} 5-\lambda & -4 \\ 8 & -7-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 + 2\lambda - 3$$

$$\lambda_1 = 1 \text{ and } \lambda_2 = -3$$

$$1^\circ \lambda = 1: (A - I)x = 0 \text{ and}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 4 & -4 \\ 8 & -8 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x_1 - x_2 = 0. \Rightarrow x = a \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, a \neq 0.$$

$$2^\circ \lambda = -3: (A + 3I)x = 0.$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x_1 - x_2 = 0.$$

$$x = b \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, b \neq 0.$$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 1-\lambda & -1 \\ 2 & 0 & 3-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = -\lambda^3 + 4\lambda^2 - 5\lambda + 2$$

$$\lambda_1 = 2, \lambda_2 = \lambda_3 = 1$$

$$\text{when } \lambda = 2 \quad x = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ a \\ -2a \end{pmatrix}, a \neq 0.$$

$$\text{when } \lambda = 1 \quad x = b \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + c \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, b, c \neq 0$$

性质: 1. A real matrix  $A$  has a complex eigenvalue  $\lambda$  and  $x$  is a corresponding eigenvector, then the complex conjugate  $\bar{\lambda}$  is also an eigenvalue with  $y$ , the conjugate vector of  $x$ , as a corresponding eigenvector.

2. A matrix has an inverse matrix  $A^{-1}$  if and only if it does not have zero as an eigenvalue. If  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n \neq 0$  are the eigenvalues of  $A$ , then the eigenvalues of  $A^{-1}$  are  $1/\lambda_1, \dots, 1/\lambda_n$ .

3. The eigenvalues of  $A$  are the same as the eigenvalues of  $A^T$ .

4. If  $\lambda$  is an eigenvalue of  $A$  with an eigenvector  $x$ , then  $\lambda^k$  is an

eigenvalue of  $A^k$  with a corresponding eigenvector  $x$ ,  $c\lambda$  is an eigenvalue of  $CA$  with a corresponding eigenvector  $x$ . and  $C_m\lambda^m + C_{m-1}\lambda^{m-1} + \dots + C_1\lambda + C_0$  is an eigenvalue of  $C_mA^m + C_{m-1}A^{m-1} + \dots + C_1A + C_0I$  with a corresponding eigenvector of  $x$ .

Theorem: Eigenvectors associated with distinct eigenvalues are linearly independent.

### Diagonalizable matrices

$n \times n$  matrices  $A$  and  $B$  are said to be similar if exist matrix  $T$ , st.  
 $B = T^{-1}AT$ . in this case  $\det(B - \lambda I) = \det(A - \lambda I)$

if  $\lambda$  is an eigenvalue of  $B$  with corresponding eigenvector  $x$ ,  
 then  $A(Tx) = \lambda(Tx)$

Def: A matrix  $A$  is said to be diagonalizable if it is similar to a diagonal matrix  $B$ .

Theo: 1.  $n \times n$  matrix  $A$  is diagonalizable if and only if it has  $n$  linearly independent eigenvectors.

2. If  $A$  has  $n$  linearly independent eigenvector  $x^1, x^2, x^3, \dots, x^n$   
 $Ax^i = \lambda_i x^i$ . Denote by  $T$  the matrix whose columns are the  
 vectors  $x^1, \dots, x^n$ . Then the rank of  $T$  is  $n$ , and  $T^{-1}$  exists.

$$(x^1, \dots, x^n) \text{diag}(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n) = AT \Rightarrow \text{diag}(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n) = T^{-1}AT$$