Step-1

Consider the matrix;

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

The column space of A is the linear combination of all columns of A.

Let,

$$\begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \end{bmatrix} = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$b_1 = c_1 + 2c_2$$
$$b_2 = 0$$
$$b_3 = 0$$

$$\begin{cases}
(b_1, b_2, b_3) \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ is linear combinations of } \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}
\end{cases}$$
Therefore

Column space of A is
$$\boxed{\mathbf{C}(A) = \{(c_1 + 2c_2, 0, 0) / c_1, c_2 \in \mathbf{R}\}}$$

Therefore, column space of A is x – axis.

Step-2

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

Given that

Column space of *B* is linear combinations of vectors
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
,

$$c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ 2c_2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
Now,

Therefore, the column space of *B* is;

$$C(B) = \{(c_1, 2c_2, 0)/c_1, c_2 \in \mathbf{R}\}$$

Therefore the column space of *B* is x - y plane;

= all vectors (x, y, 0)

Step-3

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

The column space of C is linear combinations of columns

Let

$$\begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \end{bmatrix} = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ 2c_1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore the column space of c is;

$$\mathbf{C}(C) = \{(c_1, 2c_1, 0) / c_1 \in \mathbf{R}\}\$$
$$= \{c(1, 2, 0) / c \in \mathbf{R}\}\$$

Therefore the column space of *C* is the line of vectors containing (1,2,0).