

FB1 Find a parametric equation of the line passing through the points $A(1, 2, 4)$ and $B(11, 8, 26)$ and find the point where this line intersects the line $L_1 : x = 1 + s, y = 2s, z = 3s$, by solving a system of linear equations.

I'll be using the $\vec{Q} = \langle 10, -10, 22 \rangle$ notation for vectors.

Parametric equations without any values plugged in. $x = x_0 + at, y = y_0 + bt, z = z_0 + ct$

In the parametric equation "a,b,c" are the direction values, "t" is a scalar and " x_0, y_0, z_0 " are arbitrary starting points.

I calculate direction vector parallel to the line passing through A and B and call it \vec{V}

$$\vec{V} = \vec{B} - \vec{A} = \langle 11 - 1, 8 - 2, 26 - 4 \rangle = \langle 10, -10, 22 \rangle \quad a=10, b=-10, c=22$$

Now I plug in the values in the parametric equations. $x = 1 + 10t, y = 2 - 10t, z = 4 + 22t$

The "a,b,c" values can be divided by two to make the parametric equations consist of smaller numbers, with that the scalar "t" would be different for each case.

$$L_{AB} = \begin{cases} x = 1 + 10t \\ y = 2 - 10t \\ z = 4 + 22t \end{cases} \quad L_1 = \begin{cases} x = 1 + s \\ y = 2 - s \\ z = 3s \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x_{AB} &= x_1 & y_{AB} &= y_1 & z_{AB} &= z_1 \\ 1 + 10t &= 1 + s & 2 - 10t &= 2 - s & 4 + 10t &= 3s \\ 10t - s &= 0 & 10t - s &= 0 & 22t - 3s &= -4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 10 & -1 & 0 \\ 10 & -1 & 0 \\ 22 & -3 & -4 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -0.1 & 0 \\ 10 & -1 & 0 \\ 22 & -3 & -4 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -0.1 & 0 \\ 22 & -3 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -0.1 & 0 \\ 0 & -0.8 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -0.1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 0 & 0.5 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

For the first matrix modification I divide the first row by 10 to get the first value 1.

For next I subtract from the 2nd row (10 · first row).

Next I move the 2nd row with only 0's to bottom, it can be removed/ignored.

Next I subtract (22 · first row) from the 2nd row to get the $Matrix_{21}$ element to be 0

Next I multiply the 2nd row by -1.25 to get rid of negative values and get the first element in 2nd row to be 1.

Next I add (0.1 · 2nd row) to first row to make the matrix an identity matrix.

From the final matrix/ identity matrix scalars for the solution can be easily read. $t = 0.5 \quad s = 5$

$$\begin{aligned} x &= 1 + 10t = 1 + s & y &= 2 - 10t = 2 - s & z &= 4 + 22t = 3s \\ x &= 1 + 10 \cdot 0.5 = 1 + 5 = 6 & y &= 2 - 10 \cdot 0.5 = 2 - 5 = -3 & z &= 4 + 22 \cdot 0.5 = 3 \cdot 5 = 15 \\ x &= 6 & y &= -3 & z &= 15 \end{aligned}$$

The point where L_1 intersects the line that goes through points A and B is (6,-3,15)

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FB2 Consider an arbitrary 2×2 matrix with real entries, A and let B be the matrix

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

a) What restrictions must be placed on the entries of A in order for $\text{tr}(A) = \text{tr}(AB)$

let $A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix}$

Matrix multiplication $c_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n a_{ik} b_{kj}$, where $C = AB$

Trace of an $n \times n$ square matrix A $\text{tr}(A) = \sum_{i=1}^n a_{ii}$

The trace of a matrix is only dependent on the diagonal elements in a square matrix, I calculate the necessary elements of AB .

Lets say $AB = C$, take in mind that all elements of B are 1, and the b_{kj} part of matrix multiplication formula is redundant; therefore I exclude it.

$$c_{11} = \sum_{k=1}^n a_{1k} = a_{11} + a_{12} \quad c_{22} = \sum_{k=1}^n a_{2k} = a_{21} + a_{22}$$

Substitute in the matrix parts in the trace formula for A and AB

$$\text{tr}(A) = a_{11} + a_{12} \quad \text{and} \quad \text{tr}(AB) = \text{tr}(C) = a_{11} + a_{12} + a_{21} + a_{22}$$

$$\text{tr}(A) = \text{tr}(AB)$$

$$a_{11} + a_{12} = a_{11} + a_{12} + a_{21} + a_{22}$$

$$a_{21} + a_{22} = 0$$

The condition required for $\text{tr}(A) = \text{tr}(AB)$ to be true is that matrices A elements a_{12} and a_{21} have to satisfy the expression $a_{21} + a_{22} = 0$, both must be equal to zero or one must be the other multiplied by -1. Note: This is true specifically for the given matrix B .

b) Show that if $\det(A) = \det(AB)$, then A is not invertible.

I continue from where I calculated a_{11} and a_{22} in part "a" of the task and calculate the 2 other values in matrix C .

$$c_{21} = \sum_{k=1}^n a_{2k} = a_{21} + a_{22} \quad c_{12} = \sum_{k=1}^n a_{1k} = a_{11} + a_{12}$$

$$C=AB = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} + a_{12} & a_{21} + a_{22} \\ a_{11} + a_{12} & a_{21} + a_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det(A) = \det(AB)$$

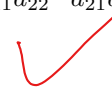
$$a_{11}a_{22} - a_{21}a_{12} = (a_{11} + a_{12})(a_{21} + a_{22}) - (a_{21} + a_{22})(a_{11} + a_{12})$$

$$a_{11}a_{22} - a_{21}a_{12} = 0$$

$$\det(A) = 0$$

By theorem 3.8 matrix A isn't invertible if $\det(A) = \det(AB)$, because if it's true then $\det(A) = a_{11}a_{22} - a_{21}a_{12} = 0$

$$\det A = 0$$



FB3

a) Write down and simplify the expansion of $(a + \frac{b}{a})^6$, for $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$.

Binomial theorem $(a + b)^n = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} a^{n-k} b^k$

I'll expand it for the special case when $n=6$

$$(a + b)^6 = \sum_{k=0}^6 \binom{6}{k} a^{6-k} b^k = a^6 + 6a^5b + 15a^4b^2 + 20a^3b^3 + 15a^2b^4 + 6ab^5 + b^6$$

I substitute $\frac{b}{a}$ in $(a + b)^6$ for b .

$$(a + \frac{b}{a})^6 = a^6 + 6a^5 \frac{b}{a} + 15a^4 (\frac{b}{a})^2 + 20a^3 (\frac{b}{a})^3 + 15a^2 (\frac{b}{a})^4 + 6a (\frac{b}{a})^5 + (\frac{b}{a})^6$$

I multiply a^i and $(\frac{b}{a})^i$ together where i is the i_{th} element in the sum.

$$a^6 + 6a^5 \frac{b}{a} + 15a^4 (\frac{b}{a})^2 + 20a^3 (\frac{b}{a})^3 + 15a^2 (\frac{b}{a})^4 + 6a (\frac{b}{a})^5 + (\frac{b}{a})^6 = a^6 + 6a^4b + 15a^2b^2 + 20b^3 + 15a^{-2}b^4 + 6a^{-4}b^5 + b^6$$

Simplified version $(a + \frac{b}{a})^6 = a^6 + 6a^4b + 15a^2b^2 + 20b^3 + 15a^{-2}b^4 + 6a^{-4}b^5 + b^6$

b) What is the coefficient of the b^3 term?

The coefficient of the b^3 term can be easily read from the simplified version of $(a + \frac{b}{a})^6$ which I've found in part "a" of the task and it is 20.

c) Let $b = 1$. What is the simplified form of the expression now?

I simply replace all b 's in the simplified version of $(a + \frac{b}{a})^6$ with ones. Note: $1^x = 1 \forall x, x \in \mathbb{R}$ and as a multiplier a 1 does nothing and can be excluded.

$$(a + \frac{b}{a})^6 = a^6 + 6a^4b + 15a^2b^2 + 20b^3 + 15a^{-2}b^4 + 6a^{-4}b^5 + b^6 = a^6 + 6a^4 + 15a^2 + 20 + 15a^{-2} + 6a^{-4} + 1$$

Simplified version $(a + \frac{1}{a})^6 = a^6 + 6a^4 + 15a^2 + 20 + 15a^{-2} + 6a^{-4} + 1$

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Can be written much more concisely