

## 591AA 21/22 – COMPITO, LEZIONI 8 E 9

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**Problema 1.** [3.22, pg. 100, pdf pg. 108] Risolvi ciascuno dei seguenti sistemi lineari utilizzando l’eliminazione gaussiana:

(a)

$$\begin{aligned}x + 2y - z &= 3 \\x + 3y + z &= 5 \\3x + 8y + 4z &= 17\end{aligned}$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}x - 2y + 4z &= 2 \\2x - 3y + 5z &= 3 \\3x - 4y + 6z &= 7\end{aligned}$$

(c)

$$\begin{aligned}x + y + 3z &= 1 \\2x + 3y - z &= 3 \\5x + 7y + z &= 7\end{aligned}$$

**Problema 2.** [3.23, pg. 101, pdf pg. 109] Trova la soluzione generale del seguente sistema lineare. Siano  $x_3$  e  $x_5$  le variabili indipendenti

$$\begin{aligned}x_1 + 2x_2 - 3x_3 - 2x_4 + 4x_5 &= 1 \\2x_1 + 5x_2 - 8x_3 - x_4 + 6x_5 &= 4 \\x_1 + 4x_2 - 7x_3 + 5x_4 + 2x_5 &= 8\end{aligned}$$

**Problema 3.** [3.26, pg 103, pdf pg. 111] Trova una base per le soluzioni del seguente sistema lineare: [Metodo: Algoritmo per trovare la base di  $\ker(A)$ , Lezione 9, pg 6].

$$\begin{aligned}2x_1 + 4x_2 - 5x_3 + 3x_4 &= 0 \\3x_1 + 6x_2 - 7x_3 + 4x_4 &= 0 \\5x_1 + 10x_2 - 11x_3 + 6x_4 &= 0\end{aligned}$$

*Nota:* L’autore dice qualcosa di sbagliato nella soluzione della parte (b) di questo problema nel libro. Lo spazio vettoriale zero  $\{0\}$  ha dimensione zero. La base di  $\{0\}$  è l’insieme vuoto.

**Problema 4.** [4.41, pg. 150, pdf pg. 158] Trova una base per lo spazio delle righe di ciascuna delle seguenti matrici.

(a)

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 2 & 6 & -3 & -3 \\ 3 & 10 & -6 & -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

(b)

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & -2 & -3 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 & -1 & -4 \\ 2 & 3 & -4 & -7 & -3 \\ 3 & 8 & 1 & -7 & -8 \end{pmatrix}$$

[Metodo: Algoritmo per trovare una base di  $r(A)$ , pg 5, Lezione 9.]

**Problema 5.** [4.30 & 4.31, pg 147, pdf pg 155] Trova una base per lo span lineare dei seguenti insiemi di vettori

(a)

$$u_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 5 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}, \quad u_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}, \quad u_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 8 \\ -3 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

(b)

$$v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}, \quad v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ -2 \\ 6 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}, \quad v_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}, \quad v_4 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ 5 \\ 1 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}, \quad v_5 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 7 \\ 3 \\ 3 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

[Metodo: Algoritmo per trovare una base di  $\text{Im}(A)$ , pg. 6, Lezione 9]

**Problema 6.** [7.11, pg. 258, pdf 266]: Trova una base per il complemento ortogonale dello span lineare dei seguenti vettori in  $\mathbb{R}^5$ :

$$u = (1, 2, 3, -1, 2), \quad v = (2, 4, 7, 2, -1)$$

Usa il prodotto scalare standard su  $\mathbb{R}^5$ :  $((x_1, \dots, x_5), (y_1, \dots, y_5)) = x_1y_1 + \dots + x_5y_5$ .

[Metodo: Algoritmo per trovare il complemento ortogonale, pg. 7, Lezione 9]

**Problema 7.** [4.10 & 4.11, pg. 141, pdf pg 149] Verificare che i seguenti sottoinsiemi di funzioni W siano un sottospazio dello spazio vettoriale dato V:

- (a)  $V = \mathbb{R}[x]$ ,  $W = \text{polinomi di grado maggiore o uguale a } 6 \text{ e il polinomio zero}$ . [Il grado del polinomio zero è indefinito perché non ha termini].
- (b)  $V = \{\text{funzioni } f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}\} (= \mathbb{R}^{\mathbb{R}})$ ,  $W = \{f \in V \mid f(1) = f(3)\}$ .
- (c)  $V = \{\text{funzioni } f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}\}$ ,  $W = \{f \in V \mid f(-x) = f(x)\}$ .

operations "Replace  $R_3$  by  $-9R_2 + R_3$ " and "Replace  $R_1$  by  $2R_2 + R_1$ ". These operations yield

$$A \sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc} 1 & -2 & 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & 9 & 3 & -4 & 4 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc} 1 & 0 & \frac{11}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} & \frac{8}{3} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Finally, multiply  $R_3$  by  $\frac{1}{2}$  to make the pivot  $a_{34} = 1$ , and then produce 0's above  $a_{34}$  by applying the operations "Replace  $R_2$  by  $\frac{2}{3}R_3 + R_2$ " and "Replace  $R_1$  by  $\frac{1}{3}R_3 + R_1$ ". These operations yield

$$A \sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc} 1 & 0 & \frac{11}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} & \frac{8}{3} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc} 1 & 0 & \frac{11}{3} & 0 & \frac{17}{6} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{3} & 0 & \frac{2}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right]$$

which is the row canonical form of  $A$ .

### SYSTEMS OF LINEAR EQUATIONS IN MATRIX FORM

- 3.21.** Find the augmented matrix  $M$  and the coefficient matrix  $A$  of the following system:

$$\begin{aligned} x + 2y - 3z &= 4 \\ 3y - 4z + 7x &= 5 \\ 6z + 8x - 9y &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

First align the unknowns in the system, and then use the aligned system to obtain  $M$  and  $A$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned} x + 2y - 3z &= 4 \\ 7x + 3y - 4z &= 5 \\ 8x - 9y + 6z &= 1 \end{aligned} \quad \text{then} \quad M = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 7 & 3 & -4 & 5 \\ 8 & -9 & 6 & 1 \end{array} \right] \quad \text{and} \quad A = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 7 & 3 & -4 \\ 8 & -9 & 6 \end{array} \right]$$

- 3.22.** Solve each of the following systems using its augmented matrix  $M$ :

$$\begin{array}{lll} x + 2y - z = 3 & x - 2y + 4z = 2 & x + y + 3z = 1 \\ x + 3y + z = 5 & 2x - 3y + 5z = 3 & 2x + 3y - z = 3 \\ 3x + 8y + 4z = 17 & 3x - 4y + 6z = 7 & 5x + 7y + z = 7 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} (a) \\ (b) \\ (c) \end{array}$$

- (a) Reduce the augmented matrix  $M$  to echelon form as follows:

- (1) Applicare l'eliminazione gaussiana alla matrice aumentata

$$M = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 & 5 \\ 3 & 8 & 4 & 17 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 7 & 8 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 4 \end{array} \right]$$

Non ci sono variabili indipendenti

Now write down the corresponding triangular system

- (2) Risolvi il sistema di matrici scalina risultante

$$\begin{aligned} x + 2y - z &= 3 \\ y + 2z &= 2 \\ 3z &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

and solve by back-substitution to obtain the unique solution

$$x = \frac{17}{3}, \quad y = -\frac{2}{3}, \quad z = \frac{4}{3} \quad \text{or} \quad u = \left( \frac{17}{3}, -\frac{2}{3}, \frac{4}{3} \right)$$

Alternately, reduce the echelon form of  $M$  to row canonical form, obtaining

$$M \sim \left[ \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{4}{3} \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 2 & 0 & \frac{13}{3} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -\frac{2}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{4}{3} \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{17}{3} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -\frac{2}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{4}{3} \end{array} \right]$$

This also corresponds to the above solution.

- (b) First reduce the augmented matrix  $M$  to echelon form as follows:

$$M = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -2 & 4 & 2 \\ 2 & -3 & 5 & 3 \\ 3 & -4 & 6 & 7 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -2 & 4 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & -6 & 1 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -2 & 4 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{array} \right]$$

Questo sistema non ha soluzione

The third row corresponds to the degenerate equation  $0x + 0y + 0z = 3$ , which has no solution. Thus "DO NOT CONTINUE". The original system also has no solution. (Note that the echelon form indicates whether or not the system has a solution.)

- (c) Reduce the augmented matrix  $M$  to echelon form and then to row canonical form:

$$M = \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & -1 & 3 \\ 5 & 7 & 1 & 7 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -7 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & -14 & 2 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 10 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -7 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$z$  è una variabile indipendente

Questo autore  
elimina zero  
righe

(The third row of the second matrix is deleted, since it is a multiple of the second row and will result in a zero row.) Write down the system corresponding to the row canonical form of  $M$  and then transfer the free variables to the other side to obtain the free-variable form of the solution:

$$\begin{aligned} x + 10z &= 0 \\ y - 7z &= 1 \end{aligned} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{aligned} x &= -10z \\ y &= 1 + 7z \end{aligned}$$

Here  $z$  is the only free variable. The parametric solution, using  $z = a$ , is as follows:

$$x = -10a, \quad y = 1 + 7a, \quad z = a \quad \text{or} \quad u = (-10a, 1 + 7a, a) \quad a = \text{qualsiasi scalare}$$

3.23.

- Solve the following system using its augmented matrix  $M$ :

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + 2x_2 - 3x_3 - 2x_4 + 4x_5 &= 1 \\ 2x_1 + 5x_2 - 8x_3 - x_4 + 6x_5 &= 4 \\ x_1 + 4x_2 - 7x_3 + 5x_4 + 2x_5 &= 8 \end{aligned}$$

Reduce the augmented matrix  $M$  to echelon form and then to row canonical form:

$$M = \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc|c} 1 & 2 & -3 & -2 & 4 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 & -8 & -1 & 6 & 4 \\ 1 & 4 & -7 & 5 & 2 & 8 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc|c} 1 & 2 & -3 & -2 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 3 & -2 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & -4 & 7 & -2 & 7 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc|c} 1 & 2 & -3 & -2 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 3 & -2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc|c} 1 & 2 & -3 & 0 & 8 & 7 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & -8 & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 24 & 21 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & -8 & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \end{array} \right]$$

Le variabili dipendenti sono  
 $x_1, x_2$  e  $x_4$

Lo stesso metodo  
dell'ultimo problema

Write down the system corresponding to the row canonical form of  $M$  and then transfer the free variables to the other side to obtain the free-variable form of the solution:

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + x_3 + 24x_5 &= 21 \\ x_2 - 2x_3 - 8x_5 &= -7 \quad \text{and} \\ x_4 + 2x_5 &= 3 \end{aligned} \quad \begin{aligned} x_1 &= 21 - x_3 - 24x_5 \\ x_2 &= -7 + 2x_3 + 8x_5 \\ x_4 &= 3 - 2x_5 \end{aligned}$$

Risvoli lavorando  
a ritroso dall'ultima  
equazione

Here  $x_1, x_2, x_4$  are the pivot variables and  $x_3$  and  $x_5$  are the free variables. Recall that the parametric form of the solution can be obtained from the free-variable form of the solution by simply setting the free variables equal to parameters, say  $x_3 = a, x_5 = b$ . This process yields

$$x_1 = 21 - a - 24b, \quad x_2 = -7 + 2a + 8b, \quad x_3 = a, \quad x_4 = 3 - 2b, \quad x_5 = b$$

$$\text{or} \quad u = (21 - a - 24b, -7 + 2a + 8b, a, 3 - 2b, b)$$

which is another form of the solution.

- 3.25. Let  $u_1 = (1, 2, 4)$ ,  $u_2 = (2, -3, 1)$ ,  $u_3 = (2, 1, -1)$  in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Show that  $u_1, u_2, u_3$  are orthogonal, and write  $v$  as a linear combination of  $u_1, u_2, u_3$ , where: (a)  $v = (7, 16, 6)$ , (b)  $v = (3, 5, 2)$ .

Take the dot product of pairs of vectors to get

$$u_1 \cdot u_2 = 2 - 6 + 4 = 0, \quad u_1 \cdot u_3 = 2 + 2 - 4 = 0, \quad u_2 \cdot u_3 = 4 - 3 - 1 = 0$$

Thus the three vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  are orthogonal, and hence Fourier coefficients can be used. That is,  $v = xu_1 + yu_2 + zu_3$ , where

$$x = \frac{v \cdot u_1}{u_1 \cdot u_1}, \quad y = \frac{v \cdot u_2}{u_2 \cdot u_2}, \quad z = \frac{v \cdot u_3}{u_3 \cdot u_3}$$

(a) We have

$$x = \frac{7 + 32 + 24}{1 + 4 + 16} = \frac{63}{21} = 3, \quad y = \frac{14 - 48 + 6}{4 + 9 + 1} = \frac{-28}{14} = -2, \quad z = \frac{14 + 16 - 6}{4 + 1 + 1} = \frac{24}{6} = 4$$

Thus  $v = 3u_1 - 2u_2 + 4u_3$ .

(b) We have

$$x = \frac{3 + 10 + 8}{1 + 4 + 16} = \frac{21}{21} = 1, \quad y = \frac{6 - 15 + 2}{4 + 9 + 1} = \frac{-7}{14} = -\frac{1}{2}, \quad z = \frac{6 + 5 - 2}{4 + 1 + 1} = \frac{9}{6} = \frac{3}{2}$$

Thus  $v = u_1 - \frac{1}{2}u_2 + \frac{3}{2}u_3$ .

- 3.26. Find the dimension and a basis for the general solution  $W$  of each of the following homogeneous systems:

$$\begin{array}{ll} 2x_1 + 4x_2 - 5x_3 + 3x_4 = 0 & x - 2y - 3z = 0 \\ 3x_1 + 6x_2 - 7x_3 + 4x_4 = 0 & 2x + y + 3z = 0 \\ 5x_1 + 10x_2 - 11x_3 + 6x_4 = 0 & 3x - 4y - 2z = 0 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} (a) \\ (b) \end{array}$$

Applicare  
l'eliminazione  
gaussiana

- (a) Reduce the system to echelon form using the operations "Replace  $L_2$  by  $-3L_1 + 2L_2$ ", "Replace  $L_3$  by  $-5L_1 + 2L_3$ ", and then "Replace  $L_3$  by  $-2L_2 + L_3$ ". These operations yield:

$$\begin{array}{l} 2x_1 + 4x_2 - 5x_3 + 3x_4 = 0 \\ x_3 - x_4 = 0 \\ 3x_3 - 3x_4 = 0 \end{array} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{array}{l} 2x_1 + 4x_2 - 5x_3 + 3x_4 = 0 \\ x_3 - x_4 = 0 \end{array}$$

The system in echelon form has two free variables,  $x_2$  and  $x_4$ , so  $\dim W = 2$ . A basis  $[u_1, u_2]$  for  $W$  may be obtained as follows:

- (1) Set  $x_2 = 1, x_4 = 0$ . Back-substitution yields  $x_3 = 0$ , and then  $x_1 = -2$ . Thus  $u_1 = (-2, 1, 0, 0)$ .  
(2) Set  $x_2 = 0, x_4 = 1$ . Back-substitution yields  $x_3 = 1$ , and then  $x_1 = 1$ . Thus  $u_2 = (1, 0, 1, 1)$ .

- (b) Reduce the system to echelon form, obtaining

$$\begin{array}{ll} x - 2y - 3z = 0 & x - 2y - 3z = 0 \\ 5y + 9z = 0 & 5y + 9z = 0 \\ 2y + 7z = 0 & 17z = 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} (1) \quad -2 \quad -3 \\ (2) \quad 5 \quad 9 \\ (3) \quad 0 \quad 17 \end{array}$$

There are no free variables (the system is in triangular form). Hence  $\dim W = 0$ , and  $W$  has no basis.

Specifically,  $W$  consists only of the zero solution, that is,  $W = \{0\}$ .

Non ci sono variabili indipendenti,  
quindi 0 è l'unica soluzione

La base di  $W$  è l'insieme vuoto

- 3.27. Find the dimension and a basis for the general solution  $W$  of the following homogeneous system using matrix notation:

Stiamo risolvendo  $Ax=0$ ,  
quindi  $x$  deve essere un  
vettore colonna, non un  
vettore riga.

$$\begin{array}{l} x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 - 2x_4 + 4x_5 = 0 \\ 2x_1 + 4x_2 + 8x_3 + x_4 + 9x_5 = 0 \\ 3x_1 + 6x_2 + 13x_3 + 4x_4 + 14x_5 = 0 \end{array}$$

Base delle soluzioni  
per la parte (a)

Show how the basis gives the parametric form of the general solution of the system.

$$B = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

By (a),  $W$  is nonempty, and, by (b), the operations of vector addition and scalar multiplication are well defined for  $W$ . Axioms  $[A_1]$ ,  $[A_4]$ ,  $[M_1]$ ,  $[M_2]$ ,  $[M_3]$ ,  $[M_4]$  hold in  $W$  since the vectors in  $W$  belong to  $V$ . Thus we need only show that  $[A_2]$  and  $[A_3]$  also hold in  $W$ . Now  $[A_2]$  holds since the zero vector in  $V$  belongs to  $W$  by (a). Finally, if  $v \in W$ , then  $(-1)v = -v \in W$ , and  $v + (-v) = 0$ . Thus  $[A_3]$  holds.

- 4.9.** Let  $V = \mathbf{R}^3$ . Show that  $W$  is not a subspace of  $V$ , where:

(a)  $W = \{(a, b, c) : a \geq 0\}$ , (b)  $W = \{(a, b, c) : a^2 + b^2 + c^2 \leq 1\}$ .

In each case, show that Theorem 4.2 does not hold.

- (a)  $W$  consists of those vectors whose first entry is nonnegative. Thus  $v = (1, 2, 3)$  belongs to  $W$ . Let  $k = -3$ . Then  $kv = (-3, -6, -9)$  does not belong to  $W$ , since  $-3$  is negative. Thus  $W$  is not a subspace of  $V$ .
- (b)  $W$  consists of vectors whose length does not exceed 1. Hence  $u = (1, 0, 0)$  and  $v = (0, 1, 0)$  belong to  $W$ , but  $u + v = (1, 1, 0)$  does not belong to  $W$ , since  $1^2 + 1^2 + 0^2 = 2 > 1$ . Thus  $W$  is not a subspace of  $V$ .

**4.10.**

- Let  $V = \mathbf{P}(t)$ , the vector space of real polynomials. Determine whether or not  $W$  is a subspace of  $V$ , where:

- (a)  $W$  consists of all polynomials with integral coefficients.

- (b)  $W$  consists of all polynomials with degree  $\geq 6$  and the zero polynomial.

- (c)  $W$  consists of all polynomials with only even powers of  $t$ .

- (d) No, since scalar multiples of polynomials in  $W$  do not always belong to  $W$ . For example,

$$f(t) = 3 + 6t + 7t^2 \in W \quad \text{but} \quad \frac{1}{2}f(t) = \frac{3}{2} + 3t + \frac{7}{2}t^2 \notin W$$

- (e) and (f). Yes. Since, in each case,  $W$  contains the zero polynomial, and sums and scalar multiples of polynomials in  $W$  belong to  $W$ .

**4.11.**

- Let  $V$  be the vector space of functions  $f : \mathbf{R} \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$ . Show that  $W$  is a subspace of  $V$ , where:

- (a)  $W = \{f(x) : f(1) = 0\}$ , all functions whose value at 1 is 0.

- (b)  $W = \{f(x) : f(3) = f(1)\}$ , all functions assigning the same value to 3 and 1.

- (c)  $W = \{f(x) : f(-x) = -f(x)\}$ , all odd functions.

Let  $\hat{0}$  denote the zero polynomial, so  $\hat{0}(x) = 0$  for every value of  $x$ .

- (a)  $\hat{0} \in W$ , since  $\hat{0}(1) = 0$ . Suppose  $f, g \in W$ . Then  $f(1) = 0$  and  $g(1) = 0$ . Also, for scalars  $a$  and  $b$ , we have

$$(af + bg)(1) = af(1) + bg(1) = a0 + b0 = 0$$

Thus  $af + bg \in W$ , and hence  $W$  is a subspace.

- (b)  $\hat{0} \in W$ , since  $\hat{0}(3) = 0 = \hat{0}(1)$ . Suppose  $f, g \in W$ . Then  $f(3) = f(1)$  and  $g(3) = g(1)$ . Thus, for any scalars  $a$  and  $b$ , we have

$$(af + bg)(3) = af(3) + bg(3) = af(1) + bg(1) = (af + bg)(1)$$

Thus  $af + bg \in W$ , and hence  $W$  is a subspace.

- (c)  $0 \in W$ , since  $\hat{0}(-x) = 0 = -0 = -\hat{0}(x)$ . Suppose  $f, g \in W$ . Then  $f(-x) = -f(x)$  and  $g(-x) = -g(x)$ . Also, for scalars  $a$  and  $b$ ,

$$(af + bg)(-x) = af(-x) + bg(-x) = -af(x) - bg(x) = -(af + bg)(x)$$

Thus  $ab + gf \in W$ , and hence  $W$  is a subspace of  $V$ .

Sì. Se sommi  
polinomi di grado  
 $\geq 6$ , il risultato è  
o un polinomio di  
grado  $\geq 6$ . Lo  
stesso per la  
moltiplicazione  
scalare.

Sì. (b) è chiuso  
rispetto a  
combinazioni  
lineari finite.

Lo stesso modo

4.30. Let  $W$  be the subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^4$  spanned by the vectors

$$u_1 = (1, -2, 5, -3), \quad u_2 = (2, 3, 1, -4), \quad u_3 = (3, 8, -3, -5)$$

L'autore pensa a  $\mathbb{R}^4$  come vettori di riga e trova una base per lo spazio delle righe.

Otteniamo solo due pivot, quindi aggiungiamo altri due vettori di riga per ottenere 4 pivot

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 5 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- (a) Find a basis and dimension of  $W$ . (b) Extend the basis of  $W$  to a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^4$ .
- (a) Apply Algorithm 4.1, the row space algorithm. Form the matrix whose rows are the given vectors, and reduce it to echelon form:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 5 & -3 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 & -4 \\ 3 & 8 & -3 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 5 & -3 \\ 0 & 7 & -9 & 2 \\ 0 & 14 & -18 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 5 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{9}{7} & \frac{2}{7} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Base} \\ \Rightarrow \dim = 2 \end{array} \right.$$

The nonzero rows  $(1, -2, 5, -3)$  and  $(0, 7, -9, 2)$  of the echelon matrix form a basis of the row space of  $A$  and hence of  $W$ . Thus, in particular,  $\dim W = 2$ .

- (b) We seek four linearly independent vectors, which include the above two vectors. The four vectors  $(1, -2, 5, -3)$ ,  $(0, 7, -9, 2)$ ,  $(0, 0, 1, 0)$ , and  $(0, 0, 0, 1)$  are linearly independent (since they form an echelon matrix), and so they form a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^4$ , which is an extension of the basis of  $W$ .

4.31. Let  $W$  be the subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^5$  spanned by  $u_1 = (1, 2, -1, 3, 4)$ ,  $u_2 = (2, 4, -2, 6, 8)$ ,  $u_3 = (1, 3, 2, 2, 6)$ ,  $u_4 = (1, 4, 5, 1, 8)$ ,  $u_5 = (2, 7, 3, 3, 9)$ . Find a subset of the vectors that form a basis of  $W$ .

Qui usiamo vettori

di colonna, non vettori di riga.

Here we use Algorithm 4.2, the Casting-out algorithm. Form the matrix  $M$  whose columns (not rows) are the given vectors, and reduce it to echelon form:

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 & 4 & 7 \\ -1 & -2 & 2 & 5 & 3 \\ 3 & 6 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 4 & 8 & 6 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 6 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -2 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

L'algoritmo per trovare una base consiste nell'applicare l'eliminazione gaussiana, quindi selezionare i vettori colonna nella matrice

originale che corrispondono ai pivot nella matrice ridotta.

The pivot positions are in columns  $C_1, C_3, C_5$ . Hence the corresponding vectors  $u_1, u_3, u_5$  form a basis of  $W$ , and  $\dim W = 3$ .

4.30 usando i vettori colonna:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ -2 & 3 & 8 \\ 5 & 1 & -3 \\ -3 & -4 & -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

Collezione originale di vettori

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Unire una base di vettori per fare la parte (b)

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccccc|cc} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{4}{17} & \frac{1}{17} \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{3}{17} & -\frac{5}{17} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & \frac{2}{17} & \frac{9}{17} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

Scrivo qui la forma canonica di riga per avere una risposta univoca. È sufficiente applicare l'eliminazione gaussiana per ottenere una matrice scalina.

$$\text{Base } \text{span} \left( \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 5 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 8 \\ -3 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix} \right) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 5 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

$$\text{Base } \mathbb{R}^4: \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

By Theorem 4.15, we can delete from  $S \cup B$  each vector that is a linear combination of preceding vectors to obtain a basis  $B'$  for  $V$ . Since  $S$  is linearly independent, no  $u_k$  is a linear combination of preceding vectors. Thus  $B'$  contains every vector in  $S$ , and  $S$  is part of the basis  $B'$  for  $V$ .

- 4.40.** Prove Theorem 4.17: Let  $W$  be a subspace of an  $n$ -dimensional vector space  $V$ . Then  $\dim W \leq n$ . In particular, if  $\dim W = n$ , then  $W = V$ .

Since  $V$  is of dimension  $n$ , any  $n+1$  or more vectors are linearly dependent. Furthermore, since a basis of  $W$  consists of linearly independent vectors, it cannot contain more than  $n$  elements. Accordingly,  $\dim W \leq n$ .

In particular, if  $\{w_1, \dots, w_n\}$  is a basis of  $W$ , then, since it is an independent set with  $n$  elements, it is also a basis of  $V$ . Thus  $W = V$  when  $\dim W = n$ .

### RANK OF A MATRIX, ROW AND COLUMN SPACES

- 4.41.** Find the rank and basis of the row space of each of the following matrices:

$$(a) \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 2 & 6 & -3 & -3 \\ 3 & 10 & -6 & -5 \end{bmatrix}, \quad (b) \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & -2 & -3 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 & -1 & -4 \\ 2 & 3 & -4 & -7 & -3 \\ 3 & 8 & 1 & -7 & -8 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(a) Row reduce  $A$  to echelon form:

- (1) Applicare l'eliminazione gaussiana
- (2) Le righe diverse da zero sono una base dello spazio delle righe
- (3) Rango = dimensione dello spazio riga = 2

$$A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & -3 & -1 \\ 0 & 4 & -6 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & -3 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & -3 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

The two nonzero rows  $(1, 2, 0, -1)$  and  $(0, 2, -3, -1)$  of the echelon form of  $A$  form a basis for  $\text{rowsp}(A)$ . In particular,  $\text{rank}(A) = 2$ .

(b) Row reduce  $B$  to echelon form:

Lo stesso metodo. Il rango è 2

$$B \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & -2 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -3 & -6 & -3 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & -2 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & -2 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & -2 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

The two nonzero rows  $(1, 3, 1, -2, -3)$  and  $(0, 1, 2, 1, -1)$  of the echelon form of  $B$  form a basis for  $\text{rowsp}(B)$ . In particular,  $\text{rank}(B) = 2$ .

- 4.42.** Show that  $U = W$ , where  $U$  and  $W$  are the following subspaces of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ :

$$U = \text{span}(u_1, u_2, u_3) = \text{span}(1, 1, -1), (2, 3, -1), (3, 1, -5)$$

$$W = \text{span}(w_1, w_2, w_3) = \text{span}(1, -1, -3), (3, -2, -8), (2, 1, -3)$$

Form the matrix  $A$  whose rows are the  $u_i$ , and row reduce  $A$  to row canonical form:

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

## ORTHOGONALITY, ORTHONORMAL COMPLEMENTS, ORTHOGONAL SETS

- 7.10. Find  $k$  so that  $u = (1, 2, k, 3)$  and  $v = (3, k, 7, -5)$  in  $\mathbf{R}^4$  are orthogonal.

First find

$$\langle u, v \rangle = (1, 2, k, 3) \cdot (3, k, 7, -5) = 3 + 2k + 7k - 15 = 9k - 12$$

Then set  $\langle u, v \rangle = 9k - 12 = 0$  to obtain  $k = \frac{4}{3}$ .

- 7.11. Let  $W$  be the subspace of  $\mathbf{R}^5$  spanned by  $u = (1, 2, 3, -1, 2)$  and  $v = (2, 4, 7, 2, -1)$ . Find a basis of the orthogonal complement  $W^\perp$  of  $W$ .

We seek all vectors  $w = (x, y, z, s, t)$  such that

$$\begin{aligned}\langle w, u \rangle &= x + 2y + 3z - s + 2t = 0 \\ \langle w, v \rangle &= 2x + 4y + 7z + 2s - t = 0\end{aligned}$$

Eliminating  $x$  from the second equation, we find the equivalent system

$$\begin{aligned}x + 2y + 3z - s + 2t &= 0 \\ z + 4s - 5t &= 0\end{aligned}$$

The free variables are  $y, s$ , and  $t$ . Therefore

- (1) Set  $y = -1, s = 0, t = 0$  to obtain the solution  $w_1 = (2, -1, 0, 0, 0)$ .
- (2) Set  $y = 0, s = 1, t = 0$  to find the solution  $w_2 = (13, 0, -4, 1, 0)$ .
- (3) Set  $y = 0, s = 0, t = 1$  to obtain the solution  $w_3 = (-17, 0, 5, 0, 1)$ .

The set  $\{w_1, w_2, w_3\}$  is a basis of  $W^\perp$ .

$W$  è l'insieme dei vettori  $w = (w_1, w_2, w_3, w_4, w_5)$  tali che

$$(w, (1, 2, 3, -1, 2)) = w_1 + 2w_2 + 3w_3 - w_4 + 2w_5 = 0$$

$$(w, (2, 4, 7, 2, -1)) = 2w_1 + 4w_2 + 7w_3 + 2w_4 - w_5 = 0$$

Quindi, dobbiamo trovare il kernel (spazio nullo) della matrice  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 & 7 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$

- 7.13. Let  $S$  consist of the following vectors in  $\mathbf{R}^4$ :

$$u_1 = (1, 1, 0, -1), \quad u_2 = (1, 2, 1, 3), \quad u_3 = (1, 1, -9, 2), \quad u_4 = (16, -13, 1, 3)$$

- (a) Show that  $S$  is orthogonal and a basis of  $\mathbf{R}^4$ .
- (b) Find the coordinates of an arbitrary vector  $v = (a, b, c, d)$  in  $\mathbf{R}^4$  relative to the basis  $S$ .
- (c) Compute

$$\begin{aligned}u_1 \cdot u_2 &= 1 + 2 + 0 - 3 = 0, & u_1 \cdot u_3 &= 1 + 1 + 0 - 2 = 0, & u_1 \cdot u_4 &= 16 - 13 + 0 - 3 = 0 \\ u_2 \cdot u_3 &= 1 + 2 - 9 + 6 = 0, & u_2 \cdot u_4 &= 16 - 26 + 1 + 9 = 0, & u_3 \cdot u_4 &= 16 - 13 - 9 + 6 = 0\end{aligned}$$

Thus  $S$  is orthogonal, and hence  $S$  is linearly independent. Accordingly,  $S$  is a basis for  $\mathbf{R}^4$  since any four linearly independent vectors form a basis of  $\mathbf{R}^4$ .