

1. Find all solutions to the following system of equations:

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

Write your answer in parametric vector form, that is,

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{v}_0 + c_1\mathbf{v}_1 + c_2\mathbf{v}_2 + \cdots + c_k\mathbf{v}_k,$$

where the vectors  $\mathbf{v}_0, \dots, \mathbf{v}_k$  are specific numerical vectors in  $\mathbf{R}^4$  that you must find and any choice of values for the real numbers  $c_1, \dots, c_k$  yields a solution to the system.

2. Let  $A$  be the  $3 \times 3$  matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 4 & -3 & 7 \end{bmatrix}.$$

If  $A$  is invertible find  $A^{-1}$ . If  $A$  is not invertible explain why.

3. Let  $A$  be the matrix

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

and  $\mathbf{u}$  the vector in  $\mathbf{R}^3$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ h \end{bmatrix}.$$

For which values of  $h$  is  $\mathbf{u}$  not in the span of the columns of  $A$ ?

4. T/F. Determine whether each statement below is true or false. If true give a brief explanation as to why it is true. If false, give an example to show that it is false.
- (a) A homogeneous system of linear equations has a nontrivial solution if and only if there is at least one free variable.
  - (b) If  $A$  is a  $4 \times 3$  matrix then there is a  $b$  in  $\mathbf{R}^4$  such that  $Ax = b$  is inconsistent.
  - (c) There is a matrix  $A$  such that  $A \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 8 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .
  - (d) If  $\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3\}$  is a linearly independent set of vectors, then  $\mathbf{v}_3$  is not in the span of  $\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2\}$ .
  - (e) If  $\mathbf{v}_3$  is not in the span of  $\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2\}$ , then  $\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3\}$  are linearly independent.

- (f) If  $A$  is a  $3 \times 5$  matrix, then  $A\mathbf{x}$  is in the span of the columns of  $A$ .
- (g) If  $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3$  are linearly dependent, then  $2\mathbf{v}_1, -3\mathbf{v}_2, 8\mathbf{v}_3$  are linearly dependent.

5.  $A$  is a  $3 \times 2$  matrix such that

$$A \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 5 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } A \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- (a) Find  $A \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .
  - (b) Is  $T(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x}$  a 1-1 linear transformation? Explain.
  - (c) Is  $T(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x}$  an onto linear transformation? Explain.
6. Prove *using the definition of linear transformation* that if  $T : \mathbf{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^n$  and  $S : \mathbf{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^n$  are linear transformations, then the function  $\mathbf{x} \rightarrow T(S(\mathbf{x}))$  is a linear transformation.