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Lecture #3

- Get computer accent. or octane
- wednesday 10/04 is a computer session, bring laptop
- puzzle?
↳ hint: $\begin{array}{c} \sqrt{2} \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{array}$
- $\det \mathbb{Z}_2$ is a great trick... if matrix is large
calculate det. over "bits" (mod 2)

Last time:

$$S \longrightarrow T$$

S linear
 $K \xleftarrow{\text{map}} K^T \xrightarrow{\text{numbers}}$ A map from vectors to vectors

$$\mathbb{R}^{\{1,2\}} = \mathbb{R}^2 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} \mid a, b \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

Matrices

Example: Suppose $L: \mathbb{R}^2 \xrightarrow{\text{linear}} \mathbb{R}^3$ obeys

$$L \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } L \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Q: What is $L \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$?

$$\begin{aligned} L \left(1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + 1 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right) &= 1L \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + 1L \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= 1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + 1 \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 4 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

10/02 Because $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ give us full information of L , we encode these in a matrix

$$L = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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and the above computation is your old friend

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 4 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \text{ Matrix-vector}$$

$L \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$, $L \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ known bases (this is like using different coordinates)

→ change of base:

call this $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Systems of equations & the Dantzig algorithm

Given finite dimensional vectorspaces U and V we can represent elements $x \in U$ by

$$x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix}$$

where $n = \dim U$ and $E_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \dots, E_n = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

correspond to some basis $\{e_1, \dots, e_n\} = U$

* For square & symmetric matrices look for eigenvectors for basis

10/02 Review: Basis - span the vectorspace & are linearly independent

Note: $\{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$ a basis for U means that span $\{e_1, \dots, e_n\} = \{x_1e_1 + \dots + x_n e_n \mid x_i \in \mathbb{R}\} = U$ (linear combo)

and e_1, \dots, e_n are linearly independent, i.e. the only solution to $y_1e_1 + \dots + y_n e_n = 0$ is $y_1 = y_2 = \dots = y_n = 0$

This means $U \rightarrow x = x_1e_1 + \dots + x_n e_n$
unique

so long as we \Rightarrow all agree on a basis

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix}$$

Similarly, we can choose a basis $\{f_1, \dots, f_m\} = \dim V$ represented as $f_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $f_m = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

can express uniquely

$$V \ni v = \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ \vdots \\ v_m \end{pmatrix}$$

Having chosen input and output bases for U and V we can represent linear

$$L: U \rightarrow V$$

as a matrix.

10/02 For example if $L(e_1) = 2f_2 + 3f_5$ the first column of the matrix of L would be

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{m} \\ \text{columns} \end{array} \right.$$

do this n times over to form an $m \times n$ matrix.

Mnemonic:

$$\text{Rows } (m \times n) \quad \text{Matrix} \quad \overset{\text{Columns}}{\text{Column vector}} \quad \overset{\text{Column vector}}{\text{Column vector}} \quad \text{labels vectors in } V,$$

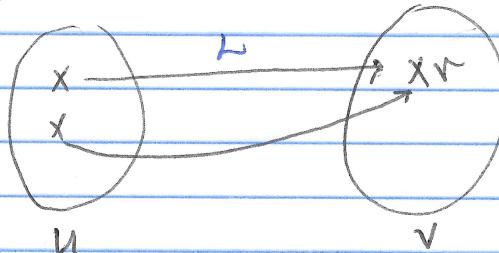
Key Question:

Given $L: U \rightarrow V$ and $r \in V$. Find x such that $L(x) = r$ or writing (using bases) M for L , X for x and V for r , solve $MX = V$.

This is a linear system of m equations for the n unknowns.

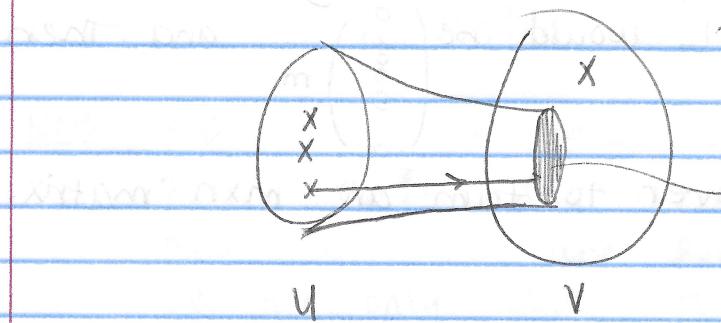
$$X = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} \dots \text{Gaussian Elimination}$$

Blob Diagram of Stuff that can happen:



Might be a unique solution for x .

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$v \notin L(u)$

(image of L / Range)

$L(u) = \text{Im } L$

No Solution \rightarrow Least squares Method: Find Closest soln.