$\Gamma_1$ 

Show that the three versions of Farkas Lemma presented in class are all equivalent:

$$(\neg \exists x : Ax \le b) \iff (\exists y \ge 0 : y^T A = 0, y^T b < 0) \tag{1}$$

$$(\neg \exists x \ge 0 : Ax \le b) \iff (\exists y \ge 0 : y^T A \ge 0, y^T b < 0) \tag{2}$$

$$(\neg \exists x \ge 0 : Ax = b) \iff (\exists y : y^T A \ge 0, y^T b < 0) \tag{3}$$

Proof. (1) 
$$\Rightarrow$$
 (3):  
Let  $A' = \begin{bmatrix} A \\ -A \\ -I \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $b' = \begin{bmatrix} b \\ -b \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then

$$(\neg \exists x \ge 0 : Ax = b) \iff (\neg \exists x : Ax \le b, -Ax \le -b, -x \le 0)$$

$$\iff (\neg \exists x : A'x \le b')$$

$$\iff (\exists y' > 0 : y'^T A' = 0, y'^T b' < 0)$$
(derived from(1))

$$\iff (\exists y 1, y 2, z \ge 0 : (y_1^T - y_2^T)A - z = 0, (y_1^T - y_2^T)b < 0) \qquad (\text{Let } y' = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ z \end{bmatrix})$$

$$\iff (\exists y, z \ge 0 : y^T A = z, y^T b < 0)$$
  $(y = y_1 - y_2)$ 

$$\iff (\exists y : y^T A \ge 0, y^T b < 0)$$

$$(3) \Rightarrow (2)$$
:  
let  $A' = \begin{bmatrix} A & I \end{bmatrix}$ .

$$(\neg \exists x \ge 0 : Ax \le b) \iff (\neg \exists x, z \ge 0 : Ax + z = b)$$

$$\iff (\neg \exists x' \ge 0 : A'x' = b)$$

$$\iff (\exists y : y^T A' \ge 0, y^T b < 0)$$

$$\iff (\exists y : y^T A \ge 0, y \ge 0, y^T b < 0)$$

$$\iff (\exists y : y^T A \ge 0, y \ge 0, y^T b < 0)$$

$$\iff (\exists y > 0 : y^T A \ge 0, y^T b < 0)$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow (1)$$
:  
Let  $A' = \begin{bmatrix} A & -A \end{bmatrix}$ .

$$(\neg \exists x : Ax \le b) \iff (\neg \exists x_1, x_2 \ge 0 : A(x_1 - x_2) \le b)$$

$$\iff (\neg \exists x' \ge 0 : A'x' \le b) \qquad (\text{let } x' = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix})$$

$$\iff (\exists y \ge 0 : y^T A' \ge 0, y^T b < 0)$$

$$\iff (\exists y \ge 0 : y^T A \ge 0, -y^T A \ge 0, y^T b < 0)$$

$$\iff (\exists y \ge 0 : y^T A = 0, y^T b < 0)$$