

Seminar Wg - 9.4

Compute by applying elementary operations the ranks of the matrices:

1. $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ 2. $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 & 2 \\ -2 & 0 & 3 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ 3. $\begin{pmatrix} \beta & 1 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & \alpha & 3 & 3 \\ 2 & 3\alpha & 4 & 7 \end{pmatrix} \quad (\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}).$

Sol. 1. $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{L_1 \leftrightarrow L_3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 2 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{L_2 \leftarrow L_2 - 2L_1 \\ L_4 \leftarrow L_4 - 2L_1}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \sim$
 $\xrightarrow{L_3 \leftarrow L_3 - L_2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{L_4 \leftarrow L_4 - L_3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$
 This is a row echelon form
 nonzero row
 zero row

$$\Rightarrow \text{rank } M = \text{rank}(\text{row echelon form}) = \# \text{ of nonzero rows}$$

3. $\begin{pmatrix} \beta & 1 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & \alpha & 3 & 3 \\ 2 & 3\alpha & 4 & 7 \end{pmatrix} \quad (\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}).$

Sol. $\begin{pmatrix} \beta & 1 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & \alpha & 3 & 3 \\ 2 & 3\alpha & 4 & 7 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{L_1 \leftrightarrow L_2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \alpha & 3 & 3 \\ 2 & 3\alpha & 4 & 7 \\ \beta & 1 & 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{L_2 \leftrightarrow L_3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \alpha & 3 & 3 \\ \beta & 1 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 3\alpha & 4 & 7 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{L_2 \leftarrow L_2 - \beta L_1 \\ L_3 \leftarrow L_3 - 2L_1}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \alpha & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 - \alpha\beta & 3 - 3\beta & 4 - 3\beta \\ 0 & \alpha & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$\alpha \neq 0$: $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 - 3\beta & 4 - 3\beta \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{L_2 \leftrightarrow L_3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 - 3\beta & 4 - 3\beta \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\Rightarrow \text{rank} = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha \neq 0 \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \alpha & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & \alpha & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1-\alpha\beta & 3-3\beta & 4-3\beta \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{L_1 \leftarrow L_1 - L_2 \\ L_3 \leftarrow L_3 + \beta L_2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & \alpha & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3-5\beta & 4-2\beta \end{pmatrix} \sim$$

$$\xrightarrow{\substack{L_2 \leftrightarrow L_3 \\ \sim}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3-3\beta & 4-2\beta \\ 0 & \alpha & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{L_3 \leftarrow L_3 - \alpha L_2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3-3\beta & 4-2\beta \\ 0 & 0 & -2-3\alpha\beta & 1-4\alpha+2\beta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{rank } M \in \{2, 3\}$$

$$\text{rank } M = 2 \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} -2 - 3\alpha + 3\alpha\beta = 0 \\ 1 - 4\alpha + 2\alpha\beta = 0 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} -4 - 6\alpha + 6\alpha\beta = 0 \\ 3 - 7\alpha + 6\alpha\beta = 0 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} -2 - 3\alpha + 3\alpha\beta = 0 \\ 6\alpha - 7 = 0 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} \alpha = \frac{7}{6} \\ -2 - \frac{7}{2} + \frac{7}{2}\beta = 0 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} \alpha = \frac{7}{6} \\ \beta = \frac{17}{7} \end{cases}$$

Compute by applying elementary operations the inverses of the matrices:

4. $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ 2 & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$

5. $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}.$

Sol.: $\left(A \mid I_n \right) \sim \text{Gauss-Jordan} \sim \left(I_n \mid A^{-1} \right)$

5. $\left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 4 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{\substack{L_2 \leftarrow L_2 - 2L_1 \\ L_3 \leftarrow L_3 - 3L_1}} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 4 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -5 & -3 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -12 & -7 & -3 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \sim$

$$\xrightarrow{\substack{L_2 \leftarrow \frac{1}{-5} L_2 \\ \sim}} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 4 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{3}{5} & \frac{2}{5} & -\frac{1}{5} & 0 \\ 0 & -12 & -7 & -3 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{L_3 \leftarrow L_3 + 12L_2} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 4 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{3}{5} & \frac{2}{5} & -\frac{1}{5} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{5} & \frac{9}{5} & -\frac{12}{5} & 1 \end{array} \right) \sim$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \sim \\ L_3 \leftarrow 5L_3 \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 4 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{3}{5} & \frac{2}{5} & \frac{1}{5} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \textcircled{7} & 9 & -12 & 5 \end{array} \right) \begin{array}{l} L_2 \leftarrow L_2 - \frac{2}{5}L_3 \\ \sim \\ L_1 \leftarrow L_1 - 2L_3 \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 4 & 0 & -17 & 24 & -10 \\ 0 & \textcircled{1} & 0 & -5 & 7 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 9 & -12 & 5 \end{array} \right) \sim$$

$$\begin{array}{l} L_1 \leftarrow L_1 - 4L_2 \\ \sim \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 3 & -4 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -5 & 7 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 9 & -12 & 5 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 4 & 2 & -1 & & \\ 2 & 3 & 1 & & & \\ 3 & 0 & -1 & & & \end{array} \right)^{-1} = \left(\begin{array}{ccc} 3 & -4 & 2 \\ -5 & 7 & -3 \\ 9 & -12 & 5 \end{array} \right)$$

Verification: $\left(\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & -1 \end{array} \right) \left(\begin{array}{ccc} 3 & -4 & 2 \\ -5 & 7 & -3 \\ 9 & -12 & 5 \end{array} \right) = \left(\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right)$

Remark: If the matrix is not invertible, then at some point in the algorithm above we will get a zero row on the left side (thereby halting our Gauss-Jordan elimination)

$$\underline{A}_{X_1} = \left(\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 6 & 7 \\ 5 & 10 & 5 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 6 & 7 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 5 & 10 & 5 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \begin{array}{l} L_2 \leftarrow L_2 - 3L_1 \\ \sim \\ L_3 \leftarrow L_3 - 5L_1 \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 10 & -3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 10 & -5 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \sim$$

$$\begin{array}{l} L_3 \leftarrow L_3 - L_2 \\ \sim \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 10 & -3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -2 & -1 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

This row doesn't
let us continue the argument

\Rightarrow the initial matrix was not invertible.

4. $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ 2 & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$.

Sol: $\left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \begin{array}{l} L_2 \leftarrow L_2 - 2L_1 \\ \sim \\ L_3 \leftarrow L_3 - 2L_1 \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 & -6 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -6 & -3 & -2 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right)$

$L_2 \leftarrow -\frac{1}{3}L_2$
 $\sim \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & \frac{2}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & -6 & -3 & -2 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \begin{array}{l} L_3 \leftarrow L_3 + 6L_2 \\ \sim \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & \frac{2}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 9 & 2 & -2 & 1 \end{array} \right)$

$L_3 \leftarrow \frac{1}{9}L_3$
 $\sim \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & \frac{2}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{2}{9} & -\frac{2}{9} & \frac{1}{9} \end{array} \right) \begin{array}{l} L_1 \leftarrow L_1 - 2L_3 \\ \sim \\ L_2 \leftarrow L_2 - 2L_3 \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & 0 & \frac{5}{9} & \frac{4}{9} & -\frac{2}{9} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \frac{2}{9} & \frac{1}{9} & -\frac{2}{9} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{2}{9} & -\frac{2}{9} & \frac{1}{9} \end{array} \right) \sim$

$L_1 \leftarrow L_1 - 2L_2$
 $\sim \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{9} & \frac{2}{9} & \frac{2}{9} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \frac{2}{9} & \frac{1}{9} & -\frac{2}{9} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{2}{9} & -\frac{2}{9} & \frac{1}{9} \end{array} \right)$

$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right)^{-1} = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} \frac{1}{9} & \frac{2}{9} & \frac{2}{9} & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{2}{9} & \frac{1}{9} & -\frac{2}{9} & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{2}{9} & -\frac{2}{9} & \frac{1}{9} & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) = \frac{1}{9} \cdot \left(\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ 2 & -2 & 1 \end{array} \right)$





7. In the real vector space \mathbb{R}^3 consider the list $X = (v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4)$, where $v_1 = (1, 0, 4)$, $v_2 = (2, 1, 0)$, $v_3 = (1, 5, -36)$ and $v_4 = (2, 10, -72)$. Determine $\dim \langle X \rangle$ and a basis of $\langle X \rangle$.

Sol. :

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 5 & -36 \\ 2 & 10 & -72 \end{pmatrix} \begin{array}{l} L_2 \leftarrow L_2 - 2L_1 \\ \sim \\ L_3 \leftarrow L_3 - L_1 \\ L_4 \leftarrow L_4 - 2L_1 \end{array} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & -8 \\ 0 & 5 & -40 \\ 0 & 10 & -80 \end{pmatrix} \begin{array}{l} L_3 \leftarrow L_3 - 5L_2 \\ \sim \\ L_4 \leftarrow L_4 - 10L_2 \end{array}$$

$$\sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & -8 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow ((1, 0, 4), (0, 1, -8)) \text{ basis for } \langle X \rangle$$

and $\dim \langle X \rangle = 2$

9. Determine the dimension of the subspaces S , T , $S + T$ and $S \cap T$ of the real vector space \mathbb{R}^3 and a basis for the first three of them, where

$$S = \langle (1, 0, 4), (2, 1, 0), (1, 1, -4) \rangle,$$

$$T = \langle (-3, -2, 4), (5, 2, 4), (-2, 0, -8) \rangle.$$

$$S + T = \langle S \cup T \rangle$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{array}{l} L_2 \leftarrow L_2 - 2L_1 \\ \sim \\ L_3 \leftarrow L_3 - L_1 \end{array} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & -8 \\ 0 & 1 & -8 \end{pmatrix} \begin{array}{l} L_3 \leftarrow L_3 - L_2 \\ \sim \end{array} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & -8 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{basis for } S : ((1, 0, 4), (0, 1, -8)), \dim S = 2$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -3 & -2 & 4 \\ 5 & 2 & 4 \\ -2 & 0 & -8 \end{pmatrix} \begin{array}{l} L_1 \leftarrow -\frac{1}{3}L_1 \\ \sim \end{array} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \frac{2}{3} & -\frac{4}{3} \\ 5 & 2 & 4 \\ -2 & 0 & -8 \end{pmatrix} \sim$$

$$\begin{array}{l} L_2 \leftarrow L_2 - 5L_1 \\ \sim \\ L_3 \leftarrow L_3 + 2L_1 \end{array} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \frac{2}{3} & -\frac{4}{3} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{3} & \frac{32}{3} \\ 0 & \frac{10}{3} & -\frac{28}{3} \end{pmatrix} \begin{array}{l} L_3 \leftarrow L_3 + L_2 \\ \sim \end{array} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \frac{2}{3} & -\frac{4}{3} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{3} & \frac{32}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{basis for } T: \left(\left(1, \frac{4}{3}, -\frac{4}{3} \right), \left(0, -\frac{4}{3}, \frac{32}{3} \right) \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim T = 2$$

For $S+T$:

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 4 & \\ 0 & 1 & -8 & \\ 3 & 2 & -4 & \\ 0 & -4 & 32 & \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{L_3 \leftarrow L_3 - 3L_1} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 4 & \\ 0 & 1 & -8 & \\ 0 & 0 & -16 & \\ 0 & -4 & 32 & \end{array} \right) \sim$$

$$\xrightarrow{L_4 \leftarrow L_4 + L_2} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 4 & \\ 0 & 1 & -8 & \\ 0 & 0 & -16 & \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \end{array} \right) \Rightarrow \text{basis for } S+T: \left((1, 94), (0, 1, -8), (0, 0, -16) \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim(S+T) = 3$$

(calculations are probably wrong)

$$\dim(S \cap T) = \dim(S) + \dim(T) - \dim(S+T) = 2 + 2 - 3 = 1$$