

Find the dimensions of the vector space spanned by vectors:

$$(1, 1, -2, 0, -1)$$

$$(1, 2, 0, -4, 1)$$

$$(0, 1, 3, -3, 2)$$

$$(2, 3, 0, -2, 0)$$

and find a basis for that space. ①

Basis for the vector space:

→ Need to check if vectors are linearly independent!

① Add vectors to matrix form

② Perform elimination

③ Columns with pivots → independent!

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

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \boxed{1} & 1 & -2 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & \boxed{1} & 2 & -4 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & -3 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & -4 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccccc} 1 & 2 & -2 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & -4 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \left. \begin{array}{l} \leftarrow \\ \leftarrow \\ \leftarrow \end{array} \right\} \text{basis}$$

\therefore basis: $(1, 1, -2, 0, -1)$

$$(0, 1, 2, -4, 2)$$

$(0, 0, 1, 1, 0)$

- dimension: 3

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

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basis

\rightarrow
0 0 0

$$\begin{bmatrix} \textcircled{1} & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & \textcircled{1} & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & \textcircled{1} & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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* But, can no longer use \uparrow cleverly

of the basis:

because, when we did elimination we changed the column space of the original matrix