

A system of linear equa.

$$\begin{cases} x+2y+3z=39 \\ x+3y+2z=34 \\ 3x+2y+z=26 \end{cases}$$

To solve for x, y, z , we need to transform the system into the form

$$\begin{cases} x = \dots \\ y = \dots \\ z = \dots \end{cases}$$

(in other words)

IDW, we need to

(Delimitate terms that are off the diagonal)

② make the coefficients of the variables along the diagonal equal to 1

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To do it step by step:

$$\begin{cases} x+2y+3z=39 \\ x+3y+2z=34 \\ 3x+2y+z=26 \end{cases} \xrightarrow{\text{1st equation}} \begin{cases} x+2y+3z=39 \\ y-z=-5 \\ 3x+2y+z=26 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} x+2y+3z=39 \\ y-z=-5 \\ 3x+2y+z=26 \end{cases} \xrightarrow{-3 \times \text{1st equation}} \begin{cases} x+2y+3z=39 \\ y-z=-5 \\ -4y-8z=-91 \end{cases}$$

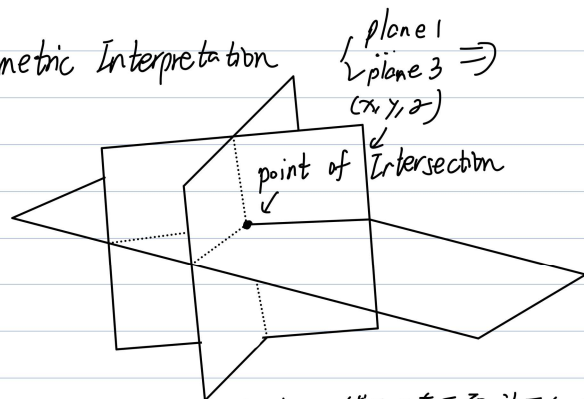
$$\begin{cases} x+2y+3z=39 \\ y-z=-5 \\ -4y-8z=-91 \end{cases} \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} -2 \times \text{2nd equation} \\ +4 \times \text{2nd equation} \end{matrix}} \begin{cases} x+5z=49 \\ y-z=-5 \\ -12z=-11 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} x+5z=49 \\ y-z=-5 \\ -12z=-11 \end{cases} \xrightarrow{\div 12} \begin{cases} x+5z=49 \\ y-z=-5 \\ z=9.25 \end{cases}$$

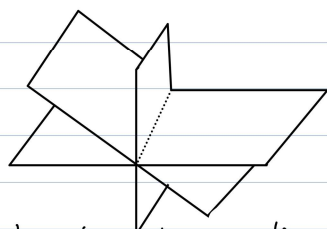
$$\begin{cases} x+5z=49 \\ y-z=-5 \\ z=9.25 \end{cases} \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} -5 \times \text{3rd equation} \\ + \text{3rd equation} \end{matrix}} \begin{cases} x=2.75 \\ y=4.25 \\ z=9.25 \end{cases}$$

Finally we check the sol by substituting x, y, z into the original linear system. Happily in Linear Algebra it is easy to check.

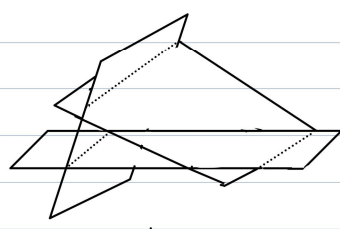
Geometric Interpretation



这是 common situation. 然而还有下面这两个 situation:



(b) 3 planes having a line in common



(c) 3 planes with no common intersection



A system with infinitely many sols.



A system without sols.

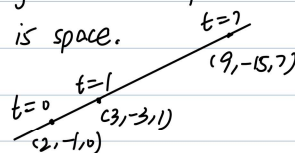
ex $\begin{cases} 2x+4y+6z=0 \\ 4x+5y+6z=3 \\ 7x+8y+9z=6 \end{cases}$

$$\begin{cases} x-z=2 \\ y+2z=-1 \end{cases} \rightarrow \begin{cases} x=z+2 \\ y=-2z-1 \end{cases}$$

generally, choose $z=t$, we get $x=t+2$ and $y=-2t-1$

\Rightarrow The general solution is $(x, y, z) = (t+2, -2t-1, t) = (2, -1, 0) + t(1, -2, 1)$

The general sol represents a line in space.



* Complement (Joy of sets): To say a set is close under some operation Δ , is to mean that $\{a \in S \mid b \in S \Rightarrow a \Delta b \in S\}$

ex $\begin{cases} x+2y+3z=0 \\ 4x+5y+6z=3 \\ 7x+8y+9z=0 \end{cases}$

$$\begin{cases} x-z=2 \\ y+2z=-1 \\ 0=-6 \end{cases}$$

Whatever value we choose, $0=-6$ cannot be satisfied.

\Rightarrow This system is inconsistent

\Rightarrow has no sol.