# Lesson Plan SI Session #3 August 11, 2017

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Topics Covered: Linear Dependence and Row Echelon Forms



### **Opener Activity:**

#### 5:05pm - 5:10pm

- Spend 5 minutes to note storm, then proceed with a vocabulary quiz.

#### **Activity 1**

## 5:10pm - 5:30pm

A system of linear equations is said to be **homogeneous** if it can be written in form Ax=0.

A set of vector is **linearly independent** if the vector equation has only the trivial solution Practice Problem 1a:

Determine if  $\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3\}$  is linearly independent. If possible, find a linear dependence relation among  $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3$ .

Let 
$$\mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$
,  $\mathbf{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\mathbf{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 9 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ .

Practice Problem 1a Solutions:

$$x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 9 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Augmented matrix:

 $x_3$  is a free variable  $\Rightarrow$  there are nontrivial solutions.

 $\{\mathbf{v}_1,\mathbf{v}_2,\mathbf{v}_3\}$  is a linearly dependent set

### **Activity 2**

## 5:30pm - 5:45pm

Practice Problem 2a:

1. Let 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & -2 \\ -5 & 7 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (a) Find the RREF (reduced row echelon form) of A. Sol.
- (b) Describe the solution set of the homogeneous equation  $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$ .

Solution to Practice Problem 2a:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & -2 \\ -5 & 7 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \sim_{\text{pivot at (1,1)}}^{r_2 \to r_2 + r_1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sim_{\text{pivot at (2,2)}}^{r_3 \to r_3 + 2 r_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sim_{\text{pivot at (2,2)}}^{r_3 \to r_3 + 2 r_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sim^{r_2 \to -r_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sim_{\text{pivot at (2,2)}}^{r_1 \to r_1 + r_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

The corresponding linear system is 
$$\begin{cases} x_1 = -2x_3 \\ x_2 = -x_3 \\ x_3 = x_3, \quad \text{(free)} \end{cases}$$
 So the general solution is given by: 
$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = x_3 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ where } x_3 \text{ is arbitrary.}$$

#### Closure- Survey/ Feedback

### 5:45pm- 5:50pm

- Wrap-up:
- Please share with the group one thing you gained understanding of through the session today.
- Make a note to yourself/ write down anything you need to review/ do more practice problems on.
- Survey/ Feedback:
  - 1. How fun was the session? (1-10)
  - 2. How useful was the session? (1-10)
  - 3. Would you come back? (yes or no)
  - 4. Optional: Comments (pace of the activity), questions, concerns, suggestions, feedback on the back or wherever

Please recommend SI to your friends/ peers if you found the session useful! Thanks for coming and have a great day:)

# PLANNING THE SI SESSION

Session Date of Course:	& Day of Week:		
Course:			
Course Instructor:			
Warm-up/	Content to cover:	Collaborative Learning Technique	Strategy to be used:
Opening: (2-4 min.)			
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Cool-	Content to cover:	Collaborative Learning	Strategy to be used:
down/		Technique	
Closing: <b>(2-4 min.)</b>			
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Workout:	Content to cover:	Collaborative Learning	Strategy(ies) to be
(44-46		Technique(s)	used:
min.)			
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