## Part 1:

1. Given that the vector  $\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$  is a solution of the matrix equation  $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$  and that the set of all solutions of the homogenous equation  $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$  is equal to Span  $\{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}\}$ , is it possible to

determine whether  $\mathbf{w} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -4 \\ 7 \\ r \end{bmatrix}$  is also a solution of  $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ ? Explain, and if it is possible to

determine, then is it a solution of the matrix equation or not? \*problem completed in office hours with Jurgen 3/2/2021.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -4 \\ 7 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = a \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + b \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3+a \\ a+2b \\ 4a-1 \\ a-b+6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$a=2$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3+2\\2+2b\\4(2)-1\\2-b+6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5\\-4\\7\\5 \end{bmatrix}, b=-2 \text{ and } 3 \text{ so } \mathbf{w} \text{ is not in the span}$$

Yes, it is possible to determine if it is a solution. Vector w is not in the span because there is not one value for b that satisfies the function.

2. Prove that the columns of matrix A are linearly independent if and only if Ax=0 has only the trivial solution.

Null space of A:  $N(A) = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid Ax = 0\}$ 

A is mxn x is nx1 components

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & \cdots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_1 & \mathbf{v}_2 & \dots & \mathbf{v}_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \dots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \dots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_1v_1 + x_2v_2 + .... + x_nv_n = 0$$

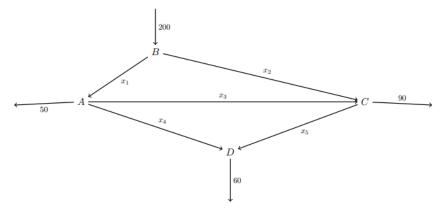
 $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, ... \mathbf{v}_n$  are linearly independent if and only if the weights to these vectors all equal zero. So, the only solution is  $x_1, x_2, ...x_n=0$ . The only way to get the linear combinations of all the

vectors to equal zero is if  $x_1$ ,  $x_2$ , ... $x_n$ =0. This is true if the null space of A contains only the zero vector.

3. Prove that any set of p vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is linearly dependent if p > n.

A matrix with more columns than rows has linearly dependent columns. For example, 3 vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  are automatically linearly dependent because one of the three must be a linear combination of the others.

4. Consider the network shown here with the indicated flow rates.



a. Find the general flow pattern for the network.

Flow in = flow out

A: 
$$x_1 = 50 + x_3 + x_4$$

$$x_1-x_3-x_4=50$$

B: 
$$200 = x_1 + x_2$$

$$x_1+x_2=200$$

C: 
$$x_2+x_3=90+x_5$$

$$x_2+x_3-x_5=90$$

D: 
$$x_4 + x_5 = 60$$

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Augmented matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 50 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 200 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 90 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 60 \end{bmatrix}$$

Row-reduced augmented matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 50 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 200 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 90 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 60 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow E_{21}(-1) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 50 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 150 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 90 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 60 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow E_{32}(-$$

$$\begin{array}{c} 1) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 50 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 150 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 & -60 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 60 \\ \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow E_{43}(1) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 50 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 150 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 60 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow R_{21}(1) \\ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 50 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 150 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 60 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 60 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow R_{13}(1) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 110 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 150 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 60 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \\ R_{23}(-1) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 110 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 90 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 60 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \end{bmatrix} x_3 \text{ and } x_5 \text{ are free variables} \\ x_1 = 110 + x_3 - x_5 \end{array}$$

 $x_2 = 90 - x_3 + x_5$ 

 $x_4 = 60 - x_5$ 

b. If a new road into C with a flow rate of 70 is added to the network, explain why there will be no viable flow pattern.

$$C = 70 + x_2 + x_3 = 90 + x_5$$

$$x_2+x_3=20+x_5$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 50 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 200 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 20 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 60 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow R_{21}(-1) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 50 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 150 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 20 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 60 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow R_{32}(-1)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 50 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 150 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 & -130 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 60 \end{bmatrix}$$
After row-reducing the augmented matrix, we see

that one of the equations in the system is: -x<sub>4</sub>-x<sub>5</sub>=-130. It doesn't make sense to simultaneously have negative flow into a node and negative flow out of a node.

How can the flow rate out of the network at A be changed (from 50) to accommodate this new road into C, and with that adjustment, what will the general flow pattern for the network be?

If we change the flow rate out of the network at A from 50 to 190, this would accommodate the new road into *C*. The general flow pattern for the network would now be:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 190 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 10 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 10 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 60 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_1 = 190 + x_3 - x_5$$

$$x_2 = 10 - x_3 + x_4$$

$$x_4 = 60 - x_5$$

5. Suppose  $A = [\mathbf{v}_1 \ \mathbf{v}_2 \ \mathbf{v}_3 \ \mathbf{v}_4]$  and  $\mathbf{v}_4 = \mathbf{v}_1 - 2\mathbf{v}_2$ . Find a nontrivial solution of the equation  $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$ .

$$A = [\mathbf{v}_1 \ \mathbf{v}_2 \ \mathbf{v}_3 \ (\mathbf{v}_1 - 2\mathbf{v}_2)]$$

A is a 1x4 matrix, x must be 4 x 1 matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_1 & \mathbf{v}_2 & \mathbf{v}_3 & (\mathbf{v}_1 - 2\mathbf{v}_2) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{0}$$

$$v_1x_1 + v_2x_2 + v_3x_3 + (v_12v_2)x_4 = 0$$

Notice that  $\mathbf{v}_4$  is a linear combination of  $\mathbf{v}_1$  and  $\mathbf{v}_2$ , so by the definition of linear independence, the vector equation has a nontrivial solution. Setting  $x_1=1$ ,  $x_2=1$ ,  $x_3=1$ , and  $x_4=1$  yields the nontrivial combination:

$$v_1 + v_2 + v_3 + (v_1 2v_2) = 0$$

6. The fact that the set of vectors  $\{\begin{bmatrix}2\\1\\1\end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix}3\\4\\1\end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix}2\\0\\1\end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix}1\\2\\1\end{bmatrix}\}$  is linearly dependent can be justified with

absolutely no computations whatsoever. Explain how. Then, determine a linear dependence relation among the vectors in the set. Make sure to show work to justify your reasoning and result.

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

These four columns in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  cannot be linearly independent. We do not have a pivot position in every column, which means that the system of equations has nontrivial solutions, which means that the given vectors are linearly dependent.

Augmented matrix:

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

Row reduced matrix=

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow E_{21} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow E_{21} (-2) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -5 & 2 & -3 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow E_{31} (-1) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -5 & 2 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & -5 & 2 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 & 1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow E_{2} (-1/5) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2/5 & 3/5 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 & 1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow E_{32} (3) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2/5 & 3/5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1/5 & 4/5 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow E_{3} (-5) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2/5 & 3/5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 6 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_1+6x_4=0$$

$$x_2-x_4=0$$

$$x_3-4x_4=0$$

x4 is a free variable and can be expressed in terms of the other vectors, therefore vector

## Part 2:

1. Show that the mapping given by T(x,y)=(2x-3y, x+4, 5y) is not a linear transformation.

<u>Definition of a linear transformation:</u> a transformation T is linear if for all  $\mathbf{u}$ ,  $\mathbf{v}$  in the domain of T and all scalars c:

a. 
$$T(\mathbf{u}+\mathbf{v})=T(\mathbf{u})+T(\mathbf{v})$$

b. 
$$T(c\mathbf{u}) = cT(\mathbf{u})$$

Suppose 
$$\mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and  $\mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Therefore, 
$$\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(\mathbf{u}+\mathbf{v})=T(\begin{bmatrix} 5\\7 \end{bmatrix}) = \begin{bmatrix} 2(5) - 3(7)\\5 + 4\\5(7) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -11\\9\\35 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(\mathbf{u}) = T(\begin{bmatrix} 2\\3 \end{bmatrix}) = \begin{bmatrix} 2(2) - 3(3)\\ 2 + 4\\ 5(3) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -5\\ 6\\ 15 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(\mathbf{v}) = T(\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}) = \begin{bmatrix} 2(3) - 3(4) \\ 3 + 4 \\ 5(4) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -6 \\ 7 \\ 20 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(\mathbf{u}) + T(\mathbf{v}) = \begin{bmatrix} -11\\13\\35 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -11\\13\\35 \end{bmatrix} \neq \begin{bmatrix} -11\\9\\35 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore, T is not linear because  $T(u) + T(v) \neq T(u+v)$ 

2. Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^5 \to \mathbb{R}^5$  be the linear transformation with the standard matrix A=

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & -7 & 3 & 7 & 5 \\ 6 & -8 & 5 & 12 & -8 \\ -7 & 10 & -8 & 9 & 14 \\ -5 & -6 & -8 & 9 & 8 \\ 13 & 14 & 15 & 2 & 11 \end{bmatrix}.$$
 Is **Tone-to-one**? Does **T** map **onto**  $\mathbb{R}^5$ ? Explain.

using a matrix row reduction calculator to check for pivots:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & -7 & 3 & 7 & 5 \\ 6 & -8 & 5 & 12 & -8 \\ -7 & 10 & -8 & 9 & 14 \\ -5 & -6 & -8 & 9 & 8 \\ 13 & 14 & 15 & 2 & 11 \end{bmatrix} \text{rref}(T) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Because T contains a pivot in every row, T maps onto  $\mathbb{R}^5$ . Because T contains a pivot in very column, it is one-to-one.

3. Find the inverse of each matrix using the row operations algorithm. Make sure to identify the row operation(s) applied in each step.

a. 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow E_{12}(-2) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -6 & 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow E_{23}(-3) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -6 & 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow E_{13}(6) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 6 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 6 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

b. 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -3 & 1 & 4 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow E_{21} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -3 & 1 & 4 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow E_{21}(3) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow E_{31}(-2) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 & 8 & 0 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow E_{32}(3) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 3 & 7 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow E_{3}(1/2) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3/2 & 7/2 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow E_{23}(2) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 4 & 10 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3/2 & 7/2 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow E_{13}(2) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 3 & 8 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 4 & 10 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3/2 & 7/2 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 8 & 1 \\ 4 & 10 & 1 \\ 3/2 & 7/2 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

4. Prove that if the set of vectors  $\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3\}$  is linearly dependent and T is a linear transformation, then the set of vectors  $\{T(\mathbf{v}_1), T(\mathbf{v}_2), T(\mathbf{v}_3)\}$  is also linearly dependent.

If  $\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3\}$  is linearly dependent, then there exists  $a_1, a_2, a_3 \in \mathbb{R}$  such that  $a_1\mathbf{v}_1 + a_2\mathbf{v}_2 + a_3\mathbf{v}_3 = \mathbf{0}$  where at least one of the values of "a" does not equal zero.

If we apply T, then:  $a_1\mathbf{v}_1+a_2\mathbf{v}_2+a_3\mathbf{v}_3=\mathbf{0}$ 

$$T(a_1\mathbf{v}_1 + a_2\mathbf{v}_2 + a_3\mathbf{v}_3) = T(\mathbf{0})$$

T is linear so T(0)=0. Therefore,

 $a_1T(\mathbf{v}_1) + a_2T(\mathbf{v}_2) + a_2T(\mathbf{v}_2) = \mathbf{0}$  that is a linear combination of vectors  $T(v_1)$ ,  $T(v_2)$  and  $T(v_3)$  such that at least one coefficient does not equal zero. Therefore,  $\{T(\mathbf{v}_1), T(\mathbf{v}_2), T(\mathbf{v}_3)\}$  is linearly dependent.

5. Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \to \mathbb{R}^2$  be a linear transformation such that

$$T\left(\begin{bmatrix}1\\0\\0\end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix}2\\3\end{bmatrix} \qquad T\left(\begin{bmatrix}2\\1\\0\end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix}1\\-1\end{bmatrix} \quad \text{ and } \quad T\left(\begin{bmatrix}0\\3\\1\end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix}5\\0\end{bmatrix}$$

Find the standard matrix for T.

$$T \qquad M = N \\ T \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 5 \\ 3 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ T = M^{-1}N$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 5 \\ 3 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 6 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 14 \\ 3 & -7 & 21 \end{bmatrix}$$
Standard matrix for  $T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 14 \\ 3 & -7 & 21 \end{bmatrix}$ 

6. Let  $\mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$ . Compute these four products:  $\mathbf{u}^T \mathbf{v}$ ,  $\mathbf{u} \mathbf{v}^T$ ,  $\mathbf{v}^T \mathbf{u}$ , and  $\mathbf{v} \mathbf{u}^T$ .

$$\mathbf{u}^{\mathrm{T}} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{v}^{\mathrm{T}} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{u}^{\mathrm{T}} \mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3x_1 - 2x_2 + 4x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{u} \mathbf{v}^{\mathrm{T}} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3x_1 & 3x_2 & 3x_3 \\ -2x_1 & -2x_2 & -2x_3 \\ 4x_1 & 4x_2 & 4x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{v}^{\mathrm{T}} \mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3x_1 - 2x_2 + 4x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{v}\mathbf{u}^{\mathrm{T}} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3x_1 & -2x_1 & 4x_1 \\ 3x_2 & -2x_2 & 4x_2 \\ 3x_3 & -2x_3 & 4x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

7. For each pair of matrices, **compute the determinant** of the two matrices and compare the results. Then, make a guess about a general property of determinants based on your comparison.

a. 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & -6 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -4 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 5 & 1 & -4 \\ -6 & 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & -6 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -4 & 7 \end{bmatrix} = 1 \det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -4 & 7 \end{bmatrix} - 5 \det \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 7 \end{bmatrix} + (-6) \det \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= 1(1 \cdot 7 - 0 \cdot 4) - 5(3 \cdot 7 - 0 \cdot 2) + (-6)((3 \cdot (-4)) - 1 \cdot 2)$$

$$= 7 \cdot 105 + 84 = -14$$

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 5 & 1 & -4 \\ -6 & 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix} = 1 \det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4 \\ 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix} - 3 \det \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -4 \\ -6 & 7 \end{bmatrix} + 2 \det \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ -6 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= 1(1 \cdot 7 - (-4) \cdot 0) - 3(5 \cdot 7 - ((-4) \cdot -6)) + 2(5 \cdot 0 - 1 \cdot -6)$$

$$= 1(7) \cdot 3(11) + 2(6) = -14$$

Property: transposing a matrix that has a determinant does not change the determinant.

b. 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & -6 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -4 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & -6 \\ 2 & -4 & 7 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & -6 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -4 & 7 \end{bmatrix} = -\mathbf{14}$$

$$\det\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & -6 \\ 2 & -4 & 7 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = 1 \det\begin{bmatrix} -4 & 7 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} - 5 \det\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 7 \\ 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + (-6) \det\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= 1(-4 \cdot 0 - (7 \cdot 1)) - 5(2 \cdot 0 - (7 \cdot 3)) + -6(2 \cdot 1 - (-4 \cdot 3))$$
$$= 1 \cdot (-7) \cdot 5(-21) \cdot 6(14) = 14$$

Property: swapping the rows of a matrix that has a determinant changes the sign of the determinant. We see in this case that swapping rows 2 and 3 results changes the determinant from negative to positive.

c. 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & -6 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -4 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & -6 \\ 15 & 5 & 0 \\ 2 & -4 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & -6 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -4 & 7 \end{bmatrix} = -\mathbf{14}$$
$$\det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & -6 \\ 15 & 5 & 0 \\ 2 & -4 & 7 \end{bmatrix} = 1 \det \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ -4 & 7 \end{bmatrix} - 5 \det \begin{bmatrix} 15 & 0 \\ 2 & 7 \end{bmatrix} + (-6) \det \begin{bmatrix} 15 & 5 \\ 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= 1(5 \cdot 7 - (0 \cdot -4)) - 5(15 \cdot 7 - (0 \cdot 2) + -6(15 \cdot -4 - (5 \cdot 2))$$
$$= 35 - 525 + 420 = -70$$

Property: if a row of a matrix with a determinant is scalar multiplied by a number, then the determinate is also multiplied by the same scalar number. We see that row 2 is multiplied by 5 for the second matrix, and the determinant also gets multiplied by a factor of 5.

8. In a fixed housing market, where there is a mix of single-family homes and multi-unit apartment buildings, a recent demographic study shows that each year about 22% of apartment dwellers move to single-family homes with the remaining 78% remaining in apartments, whereas 10% of single-family home dwellers move to apartments with the remaining 90% staying in a single-family home. If  $s_k$  is the proportion of the population living in single-family homes in year k and  $a_k$  is the proportion living in multi-unit apartment buildings in year k, the proportion of the population in each dwelling type in year k+1 can be represented by the system of equations:

Single-family homes: 
$$s_{k+1}$$
= 0.90 $s_k$ +0.22 $a_k$   
Apartment homes:  $a_{k+1}$ =0.10 $s_k$  + 0.78 $a_k$ 

a. If we let  $x_k = \begin{bmatrix} s_k \\ a_k \end{bmatrix}$  be that "state" of the system in the kth year, then write a matrix equation of the form  $\mathbf{x}_{k+1} = M\mathbf{x}_k$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{x}_{k+1} &= M \begin{bmatrix} s_k \\ a_k \end{bmatrix} \\ \mathbf{x}_{k+1} &= \begin{bmatrix} 0.90s_k + 0.22a_k \\ 0.10s_k + 0.78a_k \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.90 & 0.22 \\ 0.10 & 0.78 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} s_k \\ a_k \end{bmatrix}$$

b. Suppose the initial state of the system is  $s_0$ = 40% and  $a_0$ =60%. What is the state of the system (that is, what proportion of the population will be living in single-family homes versus apartments) one year later? Two years later?

$$\begin{bmatrix} s_0 \\ a_0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.4 \\ 0.6 \end{bmatrix}$$

One year later:

Single-family homes:  $s_1 = 0.90(0.40) + 0.22(0.6) = 0.492 = 49.2\%$ 

Apartment homes:  $a_1 = 0.10(0.40) + 0.78(0.6) = 0.508 = 50.8\%$ 

Two years later:

Single-family homes: 
$$s_2=0.90(0.492)+0.22(0.508)=0.5546=55.46\%$$

Apartment homes: 
$$a_2 = 0.10(0.492) + 0.78(0.508) = 0.4454 = 44.54\%$$

c. Assuming that this pattern does not change from year to year, what will happen as time passes? Is there a point at which the system will reach a steady state so that the market planners can predict how many of each housing type they will ultimately need? To answer this equation, solve the equation  $M\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{x}$  or equivalently  $(M-I)\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$  (this element of the problem completed with Jurgen during office hours 3/2/2021).

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s_k = 0.90 s_k + 0.22 a_k
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$$a_k = 0.10s_k + 0.78a_k$$

$$a_k = -0.78a_k = 0.15 s_k$$

$$s_k = (a_k - 0.78a_k)10$$

$$10(a_k-0.78a_k) = 0.90(a_k-0.78a_k)10) + 0.22a_k$$

$$10a_k$$
-7.8 $a_k$ =9 $a_k$ -7.02 $a_k$ +0.22 $a_k$ 

$$2.2a_k=1.98a_k+0.22a_k$$

 $2.2a_k=2.2a_k$ , so a steady state does exist.

$$a_k = a_k$$

$$s_0=0.4$$
,  $a_0=0.6$ 

$$s_1=0.492$$
,  $a_1=0.508$ 

$$s_2=0.5546$$
,  $a_2=0.4454$ 

$$X=MX$$

$$(M-I)X=0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.90 - 1 & 0.22 - 0 \\ 0.10 - 0 & 0.78 - 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} s_k \\ a_k \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$-0.10s + 0.22a = 0$$
 s= 2.2a

$$0.10s - 0.22a = 0$$
  $a = \frac{0.1}{0.2}s = 0.45s$ 

Since s+a=1:

$$2.2a + a = 1$$

$$3.2a = 1$$

## a=0.3125

s+0.3125=1, **s=0.6875** 

steady state for s = 0.90(0.6875) + 0.22(0.3125)= 0.61875 + 0.06875 = 0.6875

steady state for a = 0.1(0.6875) + 0.78(0.3125)

=0.3125