

## Lecture 3

### Announcements

- Geogebra
- HW1 due Friday
- HW2 edited

### Readings

- Strang I.3, I.4, I.5
- Murphy Ch 7.

### Outline

- $A = CR$
- matrix rank
- four fundamental subspaces
- Elimination and  $A = LU$
- $Ax = b$ .

$$\underline{A = CR}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 8 \\ 1 & 2 & 6 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{What is } \dim(C(A))? \quad 2$$

•  $C$  is a matrix whose columns form a basis for  $C(A)$

How to build  $C$

- If column 1 of  $A$  is not all zero, put it in  $C$
- If column 2 is not a multiple of col 1, put it into  $C$
- If col 3 is not a lin. comb. of col 1 and col 2, put it into  $C$
- continue...

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 2} \quad \begin{array}{l} \swarrow \text{m} \times \text{r where } r = \text{rank of } A \\ A = CR \\ 3 \times 3 \quad 3 \times 2 \quad 2 \times 3 \end{array}$$

def The rank( $A$ ) is the dimension of  $C(A)$ .

$$A = CR$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 8 \\ 1 & 2 & 6 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$R$  = row-reduced echelon form of  $A$

$$\text{If } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

What is  $CR$ ?

$$\begin{array}{cc} \nearrow & \nwarrow \\ 3 \times 1 & 1 \times 3 \end{array}$$

## Four fundamental subspaces

def A nonempty subset  $\mathcal{W}$  is a linear subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^n$  if  
for all  $\vec{w}_1, \vec{w}_2 \in \mathcal{W}$  and  $c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}$

$$c_1 \vec{w}_1 + c_2 \vec{w}_2 \in \mathcal{W}$$

ex.  $C(A)$

$$\cdot \{\vec{0}\}$$

$$\cdot \mathbb{R}^n$$

Any  $m \times n$  matrix  $A$  is associated with four fundamental subspaces

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad m=2 \quad n=2$$

$$A = CR$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \swarrow \\ R \end{matrix}$$

$$\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad A = \vec{u} \vec{v}^T$$

- ① The column space  $C(A)$  contains all lin. comb. of columns of  $A$
- ② The row space  $C(A^T)$  contains all lin. comb. of rows of  $A$
- ③ The nullspace  $N(A)$  contains all solutions  $\vec{x}$  to  $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$
- ④ The left nullspace  $N(A^T)$  contains all solutions to  $A^T \vec{y} = \vec{0}$

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

$$\textcircled{1} \quad C(A) \text{ is the line through } \vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad C(A^T) \text{ is the line through } \vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad N(A) \text{ contains } \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad N(A^T) \text{ contains } \vec{y} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

If  $A$  is an  $m \times n$  matrix, we can think of  $A$  as a map

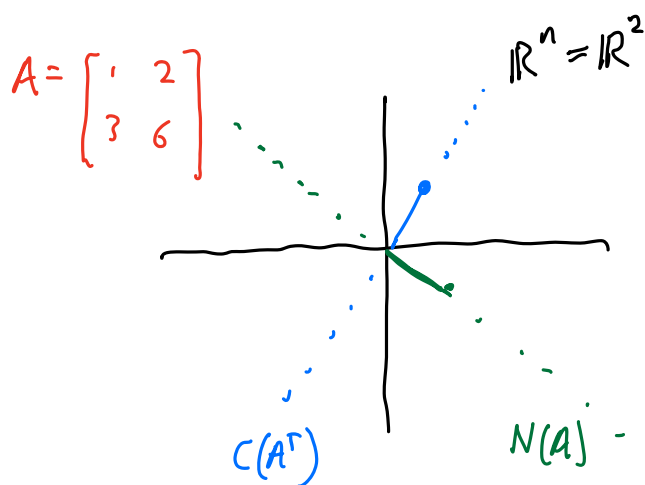
from  $\mathbb{R}^n$  into  $\mathbb{R}^m$ ,

$$\begin{bmatrix} A \end{bmatrix}_{m \times n} \begin{bmatrix} x \end{bmatrix}_{n \times 1}^{\text{input}} = \begin{bmatrix} b \end{bmatrix}_{m \times 1} \quad \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$$

$$\mathbb{R}^n \xrightarrow{\quad} \mathbb{R}^m$$

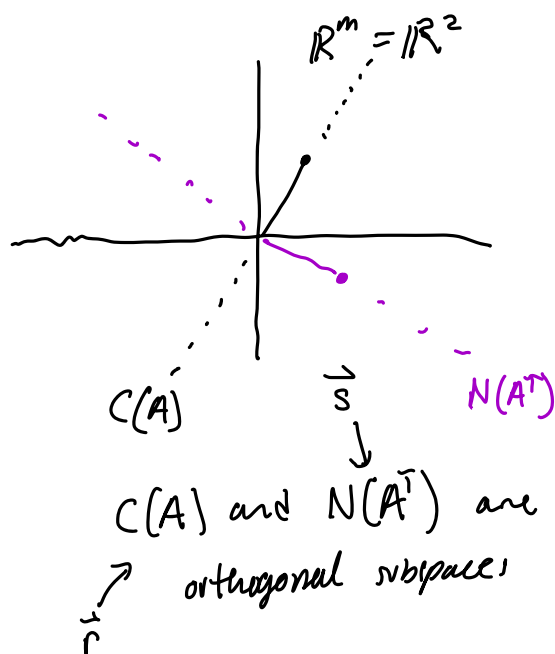
contains  $C(A^T)$  and  $N(A)$       contains  $C(A)$  and  $N(A^T)$

$$\begin{bmatrix} A^T \end{bmatrix}_{n \times m} \begin{bmatrix} \vec{y} \end{bmatrix}_{m \times 1} = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{c} \end{bmatrix}_{n \times 1}$$



$C(A^T)$  and  $N(A)$  are  
orthogonal

$$C(A^T) \perp N(A)$$

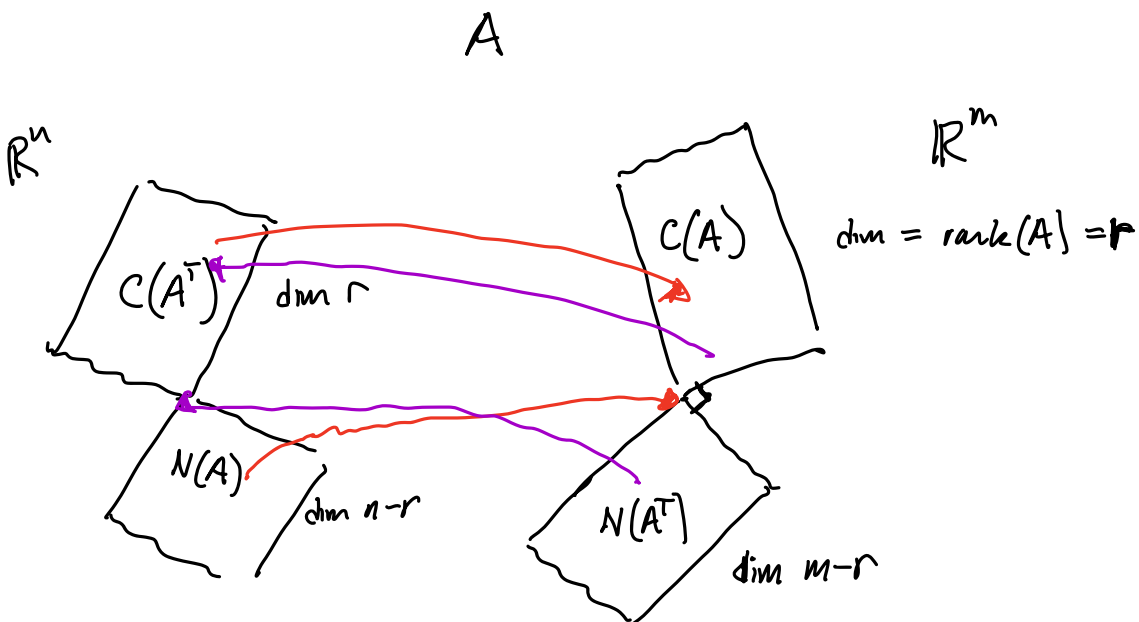


Perpendicular/orthogonal

$$\vec{r}^T \vec{s} = \vec{r} \cdot \vec{s} = 0$$

note this example is simple since  $m=n=2$  and  $A$  is rank 1.

$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -2 \\ 3 & -6 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$  Identify 4 fundamental subspaces.



### Rank facts

- ① Rank of  $AB \leq$  Rank of  $A$        $\text{rank}(AB) \leq \text{rank}(B)$   
 $C(AB) \subset C(A)$
- ② Rank of  $A+B \leq \text{rank}(A) + \text{rank}(B)$
- ③ Rank of  $A^T A = \text{rank of } A = \text{rank of } A^T = \text{rank of } A A^T$   
note  $A$  and  $A^T A$  have the same nullspace.

### Elimination

Solving systems of linear equations

$$x + 2y + z = 4$$

$$y - z = -1$$

$$z = 2$$

$$X\vec{b} + \vec{e} = \vec{y}$$

$$X\vec{b} = \vec{y}$$

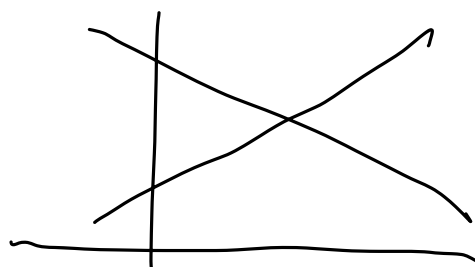
$$A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$$

- If  $A$  is invertible, there is only one solution to  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ .

In this case, we can use the LU decomposition to solve  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  problems.

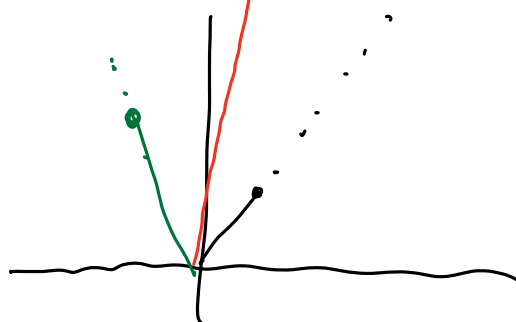
$$\text{ex } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} x - 2y = 1 \leftarrow \\ 2x + 3y = 9 \leftarrow \end{array}$$

$A \quad \vec{x} \quad \vec{b}$



$$\vec{x} = A^{-1}\vec{b}$$

$$x \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix}$$



$$\text{ex } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 & 7 \\ 2 & 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

Goal: write  $A = LU$

where  $L$  is a lower triangular matrix with 1's on the main diagonal

$U$  is upper triangular

$$[A] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \diagup \\ \diagdown \end{bmatrix}$$

Note  $A = LU$  is not always possible.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 & 7 \\ 2 & 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ l_{21} & 1 & 0 \\ l_{31} & l_{32} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_{11} & u_{12} & u_{13} \\ 0 & u_{22} & u_{23} \\ 0 & 0 & u_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \times \text{row 1} \\ l_{21} \times \text{row 1} \\ l_{31} \times \text{row 1} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \boxed{A_2} \\ 0 & \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

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

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

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

$$A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$$

$$LU\vec{x} = \vec{b}$$

$$L\vec{y} = \vec{b} \quad \text{where} \quad \vec{y} = U\vec{x}$$

$$U\vec{x} = \vec{y}$$