

Homework

1. Let $V = \text{Span}\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \dots, \vec{v}_m\}$. Find the coordinates of \vec{x} with respect to the basis $\mathcal{B} = \{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \dots, \vec{v}_m\}$ of V and write the coordinate vector $[\vec{x}]_{\mathcal{B}}$.

$$(a) \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}; \vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} \quad (b) \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}; \vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

2. Consider the basis \mathfrak{B} of \mathbb{R}^2 consisting of the vectors

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}. \text{ We are told that } [\vec{x}]_{\mathfrak{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 11 \end{bmatrix} \text{ for a certain vector } \vec{x} \text{ in } \mathbb{R}^2. \text{ Find } \vec{x}.$$

3. Find a basis \mathfrak{B} of \mathbb{R}^2 such that

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}_{\mathfrak{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}_{\mathfrak{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

4. Consider the plane $2x_1 - 3x_2 + 4x_3 = 0$ with basis

$$\mathfrak{B} \text{ consisting of vectors } \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}. \text{ If } [\vec{x}]_{\mathfrak{B}} =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ find } \vec{x}.$$

5. Consider the plane $2x_1 - 3x_2 + 4x_3 = 0$. Find a basis

$$\mathfrak{B} \text{ of this plane such that } [\vec{x}]_{\mathfrak{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ for } \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

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6. Let $\mathcal{A} = \{\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2, \mathbf{a}_3\}$ and $\mathcal{B} = \{\mathbf{b}_1, \mathbf{b}_2, \mathbf{b}_3\}$ be bases for a vector space V , and suppose $\mathbf{a}_1 = 4\mathbf{b}_1 - \mathbf{b}_2$, $\mathbf{a}_2 = -\mathbf{b}_1 + \mathbf{b}_2 + \mathbf{b}_3$, and $\mathbf{a}_3 = \mathbf{b}_2 - 2\mathbf{b}_3$.
- Find the change-of-coordinates matrix from \mathcal{A} to \mathcal{B} .
 - Find $[\mathbf{x}]_{\mathcal{B}}$ for $\mathbf{x} = 3\mathbf{a}_1 + 4\mathbf{a}_2 + \mathbf{a}_3$.
7. Let $\vec{b}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$, $\vec{b}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$, $\vec{c}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$, $\vec{c}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$, and consider two bases $\mathcal{B} = \{\vec{b}_1, \vec{b}_2\}$ and $\mathcal{C} = \{\vec{c}_1, \vec{c}_2\}$ of R^2 . Find the change-of-coordinates matrix from \mathcal{B} to \mathcal{C} and the change-of-coordinates matrix from \mathcal{C} to \mathcal{B} .
8. Find the bases and dimensions for the four subspaces associated with A and B .
 (Hint: You can use the factorization to skip some elimination steps)

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 13 & 20 & 27 \\ 9 & 26 & 44 & 62 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 1 & 0 \\ 9 & 8 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$