

# Homework I

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## Problem 1. Vector spaces and Subspaces

Proof whether the following sets form subspaces (the scalar multiplication and vector addition are defined as usual)

$$\boxed{a} \quad \{(x_1, x_2, x_3)\} \in \mathbb{R}^3 : x_1 = 2x_3$$

Proof:

1) Prove that this set is in the zero vector!

$$x_1 = 2x_3$$

So if  $x_1, x_2, x_3 = 0$ , then  $x_1 = 2x_3 \rightarrow 0 = 2(0) = 0$ .

$$(x_1, x_2, x_3) \in S$$

2) Addition proving -

$$v = (v_1, v_2, v_3) ; w = (w_1, w_2, w_3) \in \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$v + w = (v_1 + w_1, v_2 + w_2, v_3 + w_3) \in S \text{ because}$$

$v_1, v_2, v_3, w_1, w_2, w_3$  is real number. And for  $v_1 = 2v_3$  ;

$w_1 = 2w_3$  is also a real number, then

$$v + w = (2v_3 + 2w_3, v_2 + w_2, v_3 + w_3) \text{ is } \in S$$

3) Scalar multiplication proving

If  $\alpha$  is a nonzero real number, then  $\alpha x = (\alpha x_1, \alpha x_2, \alpha x_3) \in \mathbb{R}^3$

because  $x_1, x_2, x_3 \in \mathbb{R}$ . Also  $x_1 = 2x_3$ . That means

$\alpha x = (2\alpha x_3, \alpha x_2, \alpha x_3)$  and it is  $\in \mathbb{R}^3$ . Any number of  $\alpha$  will result in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  and it is  $\in S$ .

This satisfy all the condition. Thus the set is a subspaces

**b)**  $\{ (x_1, x_2, x_3) \} \in \mathbb{R}^3 : x_1 = 3x_2 + c, c \in \mathbb{R} : \text{any non zero real constant}$

Proof:

1) Prove that this set is in the zero vector!

So if  $x_2 = 0$ , then  $x_1 = 3x_2 + c$  will be  $x_1 = 3(0) + c$ .  $c$  is a nonnegative constant so  $x_1 = c \rightarrow (c, 0, 0) \neq \text{zero vector}$

Now if  $x_1 = 0$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= 3x_2 + c \\ -3x_2 &= c \end{aligned} \quad \rightarrow \quad x_2 = -\frac{c}{3} \quad \rightarrow \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -\frac{c}{3} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \neq \text{zero vector}$$

If  $x_1, x_2 = 0$ , then  $0 = 3(0) + c$  while  $c \neq 0$ .  $\rightarrow$  [

The set cannot be in the zero vector so it's not satisfy

all the condition. Thus, the set is  $\notin S$

c) The set of linear combination of row A

Proof:

1) Prove that this linear combination of row A is in the zero vector!

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & \dots & A_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ A_{m1} & \dots & A_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{if } A_{11}, \dots, A_{mn} \text{ is equal to zero, the}$$

matrix A is in the zero vector and it is in the subspaces.

2) Addition proving!

if we have V and W matrix.  $V + W$  will equal to

$$V + W = \begin{bmatrix} (V_{11} + W_{11}) & \dots & (V_{1n} + W_{1n}) \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ (V_{m1} + W_{m1}) & \dots & (V_{mn} + W_{mn}) \end{bmatrix}. \quad \text{This will result the matrix is } \in \mathbb{R}^{mn}.$$

The addition of the matrix is in the subspaces.

### 3) Scalar multiplication proving!

Let's say  $C$  is a nonnegative constant, then,  $C \cdot A$  will be

$$C \cdot A = \begin{bmatrix} cA_{11} & \dots & cA_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ cA_{m1} & \dots & cA_{mn} \end{bmatrix}. \quad cA_{11}, \dots, cA_{mn} \in \mathbb{R}. \text{ Thus the matrix is in the subspace.}$$

### 4) Linear combination of row A

$$V = \begin{bmatrix} v_{11} & \dots & v_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ v_{m1} & \dots & v_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$

if  $C$  is a vector in  $\mathbb{R}^{1 \times m}$  then

$$C \cdot V = \begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & \dots & c_{1m} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v_{11} & \dots & v_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ v_{m1} & \dots & v_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} (v_{11}, \dots, v_{1m}) c_{11} \\ \vdots \\ (v_{m1}, \dots, v_{mn}) c_{1m} \end{bmatrix}$$

Now if  $cV + dW$  it will be

$$\begin{bmatrix} (v_{11} \dots v_{1n}) c_{11} \\ \vdots \\ (v_{m1} \dots v_{mn}) c_{1m} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} (w_{11} \dots w_{1n}) d_{11} \\ \vdots \\ (w_{m1} \dots w_{mn}) d_{1m} \end{bmatrix} \\ = \begin{bmatrix} (c_{11} v_{11} + d_{11} w_{11}) \dots (c_{11} v_{1n} + d_{11} w_{1n}) \\ \vdots \\ (c_{1m} v_{m1} + d_{1m} w_{m1}) \dots (c_{1m} v_{mn} + d_{1m} w_{mn}) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\in \mathbb{R}^{mn}$$

The result linear combination of  $cV + dW$  is still in the subspace.

Thus it satisfies all the condition. The linear combination of rows  $A$  is  $\in S$  //

### [d] The set all solution to $AX = b$

1) Prove that this set is in the zero vector!

$AX = b$  can be represent as the Linear combination of column  $A$ .

If  $X = \begin{bmatrix} x_p + x_n \\ y_p + y_n \end{bmatrix}$ , then if  $x_p = x_n = y_p = y_n = 0$ , then if  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $AX = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ c \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} b \\ d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .

$AX = \begin{bmatrix} 0 + 0 \\ 0 + 0 \end{bmatrix}$  is a zero vector and  $\in S$

## 2) Addition proving!

if  $Vx = b_1$  and  $Wy = b_2$  then  $Vx + Wy = b_1 + b_2$ .

$x = \begin{bmatrix} x_{p1} + x_{n1} \\ x_{p2} + x_{n2} \end{bmatrix}$  and  $y = \begin{bmatrix} y_{p1} + y_{n1} \\ y_{p2} + y_{n2} \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v = [v_1, v_2]$  and  $w = [w_1, w_2]$ , then  $Vx + Wy$

is equal to

$$Vx + Wy = (x_{p1} + x_{n1})v_1 + (x_{p2} + x_{n2})v_2 + [(y_{p1} + y_{n1})w_1 + (y_{p2} + y_{n2})w_2] = [x_{p1}v_1 + x_{n1}v_1 + x_{p2}v_2 + x_{n2}v_2 + y_{p1}w_1 + y_{n1}w_1 + y_{p2}w_2 + y_{n2}w_2]$$

The  $x_1, x_2, y_1, y_2, v_1, v_2, w_1, w_2$  is  $\in$  Real number so the  $Vx + Wy \in S$

## 3) Scalar multiplication proving!

If  $pAx = pb$  and  $p$  is nonnegative real number, then

the expression can be proof as:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}, x = \begin{bmatrix} x_p + x_n \\ y_p + y_n \end{bmatrix}, pAx = px \begin{bmatrix} a \\ c \end{bmatrix} + py \begin{bmatrix} b \\ d \end{bmatrix} = pb$$

$(px_p + px_n) \begin{bmatrix} a \\ c \end{bmatrix} + (py_p + py_n) \begin{bmatrix} b \\ d \end{bmatrix}$  is still part of the subspaces.

4) This also mean that the linear combination of  $pAx + qBy$  is also in the subspaces with the expression:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}, x = \begin{bmatrix} x_{p1} + x_{n1} \\ x_{p2} + x_{n2} \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} e & f \\ g & h \end{bmatrix}, y = \begin{bmatrix} y_{p1} + y_{n1} \\ y_{p2} + y_{n2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$pAx + qBy = px_{p1} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ c \end{bmatrix} + px_{n1} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ c \end{bmatrix} + px_{p2} \begin{bmatrix} b \\ d \end{bmatrix} + px_{n2} \begin{bmatrix} b \\ d \end{bmatrix} + qy_{p1} \begin{bmatrix} e \\ g \end{bmatrix} + qy_{n1} \begin{bmatrix} e \\ g \end{bmatrix} + qy_{p2} \begin{bmatrix} f \\ h \end{bmatrix} + qy_{n2} \begin{bmatrix} f \\ h \end{bmatrix} \in S \text{ because } x_{p1} + x_{n1}, x_{p2} + x_{n2}, y_{p1} + y_{n1}, y_{p2} + y_{n2}, p, \text{ and } q \text{ is real numbers.}$$

The linear combination is resulting in real number. Thus the solution of  $x_1, x_2, y_1, y_2$  is also a real number and it is  $\in S$

Thus it satisfy all the condition, that means solution  $Ax = b$  is in the subspaces.

## [e] The set of differentiable functions

1) Prove that the set of differentiable function is in the zero vector!

Let's say  $v = \begin{bmatrix} f(x) \\ g(x) \end{bmatrix}$ . A differentiable function is a function that has derivative in every point in its domain. But not all function have solutions for zero. For example

$$f(x) = x^2 + 1 = 0 \\ x^2 = -1$$

there is no solution for that equation. Hence the set of differentiable function is not in the subspaces  $\notin S$ , and it fails to satisfy the conditions!

## Problem 2: Nullspace and The Complete Solution to $Ax = b$

Consider the set of linear equations  $Ax = b$  with

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

a) Find the null space of  $A$  ( $N(A)$ )

$$Ax = b$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 2 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 2 & 3 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{row 2} = \text{row 2} - \text{row 1} \\ \text{row 3} = \text{row 3} - 2(\text{row 1}) \end{array} \longrightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 2 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & -3 & -2 & -2 & -3 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\text{row 3} = \text{row 3} - 3(\text{row 2}) \longrightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 2 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\text{row 1} = \text{row 1} + 2(\text{row 2}) \longrightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\text{row 1} = \text{row 1} + \frac{1}{2}(\text{row 3}) \longrightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1/2 & 1/2 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{its a full row rank} \\ \text{with } r=3 \end{array}$$

$\downarrow$   
free  
variable

To find Null spaces, find the solution for  $Ax = 0$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1/2 & 1/2 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \begin{array}{l} x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_4 = 0 \\ -x_2 - x_4 = 0 \\ -2x_3 + x_4 = 0 \end{array}$$

free		pivot			
$x_4$	$x_1$	$x_2$	$x_3$		
1	$-1/2$	$-1$	$1/2$	$\rightarrow s_1$	
0	0	0	0	$\rightarrow s_2$	

$$N(A) = c_1 s_1 + c_2 s_2$$

$$= c_1 \begin{bmatrix} -1/2 \\ -1 \\ 1/2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= c_1 \begin{bmatrix} -1/2 \\ -1 \\ 1/2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{this is the nullspaces for all } c_1 \in \mathbb{R}$$

b) Find the particular solution  $Ax=b$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1/2 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_1 + 1/2 x_4 = 1$$

$$-x_2 - x_4 = -1$$

$$-2x_3 + x_4 = 0$$

$$x_1 = 1 - 1/2 x_4$$

$$x_2 = 1 - x_4$$

$$x_3 = \frac{1}{2} x_4$$

$x_4$	$x_1$	$x_2$	$x_3$
1	1/2	0	1/2
0	1	1	0

→ linear combination  $N(A)$

→  $x_p$

$$x_p = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

c) The complete solution using a) and b)

$$Ax=b$$

$$A(x_p + x_n) = b \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_1 \begin{bmatrix} -1/2 \\ -1 \\ 1/2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$