

Review

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$$\begin{array}{c} \text{Echelon form} \\ \downarrow \\ \left[\begin{array}{ccccc} 2 & 4 & -2 & 2 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 6 & 1 & 2 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow[\substack{R_2 \leftrightarrow R_1 \\ R_3 \rightarrow 2R_1 + R_3}]{R_2 - R_1} \left[\begin{array}{ccccc} 2 & 4 & -2 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & -3 & 6 & 0 & -3 \\ 0 & -2 & 5 & -2 & -7 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_3 \rightarrow -\frac{2}{3}R_2 + R_3} \left[\begin{array}{ccccc} 2 & 4 & -2 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & -3 & 6 & 0 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & -5 \end{array} \right] \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} 2R_3 + R_1 \rightarrow R_1 \\ -6R_3 + R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \\ R_2 - 6R_3 \end{array} \left[\begin{array}{ccccc} 2 & 4 & 0 & -2 & -6 \\ 0 & -3 & 0 & 12 & 27 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & -5 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{-\frac{1}{3}R_2} \left[\begin{array}{ccccc} 2 & 4 & 0 & -2 & -6 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -4 & -9 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & -5 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{array}{c} R_1 - 4R_2 \\ \rightarrow \end{array} \left[\begin{array}{ccccc} 2 & 0 & 0 & 14 & 30 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -4 & -9 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & -5 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_1/2} \left[\begin{array}{ccccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 7 & 15 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -4 & -9 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & -5 \end{array} \right]$$

x_4 is free

$$x_1 = 15 - 7x_4$$

$$x_2 = -9 + 4x_4$$

$$x_3 = -5 + 2x_4$$

$$x_1 + 7x_4 = 15$$

$$x_2 - 4x_4 = -9$$

$$x_3 - 2x_4 = -5$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 15 \\ -9 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + x_4 \begin{pmatrix} -7 \\ 4 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & -2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 4 & 6 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Geometrically, what does solution set look like? Line in \mathbb{R}^4

