# MAT 350 - Applied Linear Algebra

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# 1.1 §1 Differential Equations

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} & x_{13} \\ x_{21} & x_{22} & x_{23} \end{bmatrix}$$

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### 2.1 §2.8 Subspaces

### **Definition 1: Subspace**

A subspace of rton is any set H in that has three properties:

- is in H
- For each u, v, in H u+v is also in H (Closure under addition)
- For each u in H and scalar C, cu is in H (Closure under scalar multiplication)

#### Example 1 fdsaf Is H a subspace of rto2?

- is in  $h \checkmark$
- u+v is not in H for all u,v in H
- Not closed under scalar multiplication either (-u not in H).

H is not a subspace

#### Example 2 • $is in H \checkmark$

ullet closed under addition  $\checkmark$ 

ullet closed under scalar multiplication  $\checkmark$ 

H is a subspace of rto2

**Example 3** Which of the following are subspaces of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ ?

- not a subspace o is not in h
- $\mathbb{R}^2$  is a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^2$
- $\mathbb{R}^2$  is a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^2$
- $\diamond$  o is in  $H \checkmark$ 
  - $\diamond$  Closed under scalar multiplication  $\checkmark$
  - $\diamond$  Not closed unfer addition  $x \ u+(-v)$  in in H.

not a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ 

• stuff

So what are do subspaces of  $\mathbb{R}^2$  look like?

• They are copies of  $\mathbb{R}^0$ ,  $\mathbb{R}^1$ ,  $\mathbb{R}^2$ ...  $\mathbb{R}^n$  that contain the zero vector.

**Example 4** In  $\mathbb{R}^3$ , possible subspaces are:

- Zero Subspaces
- Lines
- Planes

**Example 5** If  $H=spanv_1,v_2$  ( $av_1,bv_2$  for any a,b), then H is a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^n$ 

- o is in  $H \checkmark$ 
  - $\diamond$  since  $o *v_1 + o *v_2 = o$
- ullet closed under addition  $\checkmark$ 
  - $\diamond u = a_1 v_1 + b_1 v_2$
  - $\diamond \ w = a_2 v_1 + b_2 v_2$

$$\diamond u + w = a_1v_1 + b_1v_2 + a_2v_1 + b_2v_2$$

$$\diamond u + w = (a_1 + a_2)v_1 + (b_1 + b_2)v_2$$

- $\diamond$  which is  $spanv_1, v_2$
- closed under scalar multiplication

$$\diamond u = av_1 + bv_2$$

$$\diamond c * u = c(av_1 + bv_2) = (c * a)v_1 + (c * b)v_2$$

which is  $spanv_1, v_2$ 

### **Definition 2: Column Space**

The column space of a matrix A, denoted col(A), is the set of all linear combinations of the columns of A. (col(a) is a subspace)

Example 6 Let 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & -4 \\ -4 & 6 & -2 \\ -3 & 7 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and  $b = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 3 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$ 

is b in Col(A)?

if b is a linear combination of the columns of A, the Ax=b has a solution. We are asking whether [A-b] is consistant of not.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & -4 & | & 3 \\ -4 & 6 & -2 & | & 3 \\ -3 & 7 & 6 & | & -4 \end{bmatrix} \ goes \ to \ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & -4 & | & 3 \\ 0 & -6 & -18 & | & 15 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

No pivot in augmented column, so b is in col(A).

Note: b in col(A) for every b in  $\mathbb{R}^m$ 

- Ax=b has a solution for every b in  $\mathbb{R}^m$
- The columns of A span  $\mathbb{R}^m$
- A has a pivot in every row in REF

### Definition 3: Null Space

The null space of matrics A, denoted null(A), is the set of all solutions to  $Ax = \vec{o}$ 

Note 1 Any solution set of  $Ax=\vec{o}$  can be written in parametric form.

$$x = x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = span \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$
so  $null(A)$  is a subspace.

### Definition 4: Basis for a Subspace

A basis for a subspace H is a linearly independent set that spans H.

Example 7 Find a basis for 
$$null(A)$$
, if  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 6 & -1 & 1 & -7 \\ 1 & -2 & 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & -4 & 5 & 8 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$ 

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

$$x_{1} - 2x_{2} - x_{4} + 3x_{5} = 0$$

$$x_{2} = x_{2}$$

$$x_{3} + 2x_{4} - 2x_{5} = 0$$

$$x_{4} = x_{4}$$

$$x_{5} = x_{5}$$

### **Test 01 Corrections**

Problem 1 10pts

Sub-Problem A Correct

Sub-Problem B Correct

**Problem 2** 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ -3 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 5 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 5 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & | & 0 \\ -3 & -1 & 2 & | & 5 \\ 0 & 5 & 3 & | & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$r_2 \to r_2 + 3r_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 5 & | & 5 \\ 0 & 5 & 3 & | & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$r_2 \to r_2/5 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 1 \\ 0 & 5 & 3 & | & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$r_3 \to r_3 - 5r_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & | & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$r_3 \to r_3/-2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$r_{1} \rightarrow r_{1} - 2r_{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & | & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

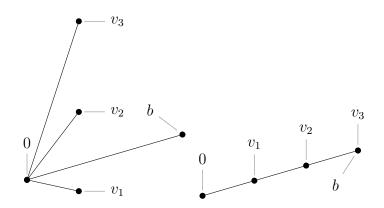
$$r_{1} \rightarrow r_{1} + r_{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$r_{2} \rightarrow r_{2} - r_{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Yes, B is in the subset spanned by the columns of A.

$$0 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 5 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} - 1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Problem 3** Yes, the figure does have a solution; if you express the vectors as a linear combination  $x_1v_1 + x_2v_2 + x_3v_3 = b$  you can change the values of the scalars  $(x_1, x_2, x_3)$  to any value which, when multiplied by the vectors will give us any b; which causes the answer to b to be non-unique.



Problem 4 10pts

#### Sub-Problem A

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

$$r_{1} \rightarrow r_{1} - r_{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 3 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$r_{2} \rightarrow r_{2}/3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$1x_{1} - 5x_{3} = 0$$

$$1x_{2} + 2x_{3} = 0$$

$$x_{1} = 5x_{3}$$

$$x_{2} = -2x_{3}$$

$$x_{3} = x_{3}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_{1} \\ x_{2} \\ x_{3} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5x_{3} \\ -2x_{3} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5x_{3} \\ -2x_{3} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = x_{3} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Sub-Problem B

$$0 \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Sub-Problem C** Yes,  $x_3$  is a free variable, any value will have a solution.

Problem 5 30pts

Sub-Problem A Correct

**Sub-Problem B** Yes, because there is no way to reduce the matrices to be in the other matrix.

**Sub-Problem** C No, it is linearly dependent because  $v_1$ ,  $v_2$  are dependent.

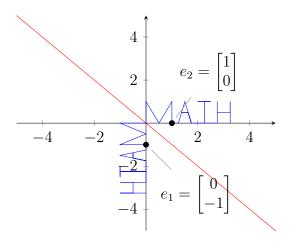
**Sub-Problem D** No, because the vectors are not necessarily related.

Sub-Problem E Yes, because the columns are related and a part of the same system.

**Sub-Problem F** Yes, there are pivots in each column and there is no free variable therefore the sets are independent of each other.

**Problem 6** 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - 3 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -7 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Problem 7 10pts



 $e_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $e_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  because we want a transformation instead of a rotation, we need to switch the signs in the first row because that will effect the x values.

Problem 8 15pts

Sub-Problem A Sub-Sub-Problem A.1 Yes, there is one possible solution to the matrix.

**Sub-Sub-Problem A.2** Yes, all of the columns span  $\mathbb{R}^m$ 

Sub-Problem B Sub-Sub-Problem B.1 Correct

**Sub-Sub-Problem B.2** Yes, all of the columns span  $\mathbb{R}^m$ 

Sub-Problem C Sub-Sub-Problem C.1 Yes, the equation only has the trivial solution.

**Sub-Sub-Problem C.2** No, not all of the columns span  $\mathbb{R}^m$ 

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### **4.1** §**2.8** Subspaces

**Example 8** Find a basis for Col(A) and Nul(A):

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 & 9 & -2 \\ 6 & 5 & 1 & 12 \\ 3 & 4 & 8 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 6 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 & -6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -4 & 7 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 & -6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_1 - 4x_3 + 7x_4 = 0$$

$$x_2 + 5x_3 - 6x_4 = 0$$

$$x_3 = x_3$$

$$x_4 = x_4$$

### Example 9

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### 5.1 §2.9 Unknown

#### **Definition 5: Dimension**

The dimension of a non-zero subspace H, denoted  $\dim(H)$ , is the number of vectors in any basis for H. The dimension of o is defined to be zero.

Example 10 
$$\left\{\begin{bmatrix}1\\0\end{bmatrix},\begin{bmatrix}0\\1\end{bmatrix}\right\}$$

Example 11 How do we know?

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ is in REF, there is a picot in every row and column, so } \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \text{ is a basis for } \mathbb{R}^2$$

Note 2 It can be shown that any basis of a subspace H must have the same number of vectors.

#### **Definition 6: Rank**

The rank of A is  $\dim(\operatorname{Col}(A))$ .

Why do we care about rank?

Col(A) = span of all columns of A

= set of all linear combinations of the columns of A

$$= x_1 a_1 + \dots + x_n a_n$$

= Ax for any x in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ 

= All b that we can solve Ax=b for

rank(A) = dimension of above space

**Example 12** Determine the rank(A), dim(null(A)), for

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 & -3 & -4 & 8 \\ 4 & 7 & -4 & -3 & 9 \\ 6 & 9 & -5 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & -9 & 6 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 & -3 & -4 & 8 \\ 0 & -3 & 2 & 5 & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Rank(A) = number of pivot=3 columnsdim(nul(A)) = number of free = 2 variables

#### Theorem 1: The Rank Theorem

If Matrix A has n columns, then Rank (A) + Dim(Nul(A)) = n

- 1. Rank(A) = Number of pivot columns
- 2. Dim(Nul(A)) = Number of free variables
- 3. N= Total number of columns

**Problem 9** Suppose that a basis for 
$$Col(A)$$
 is  $\left\{\begin{bmatrix}1\\2\\4\end{bmatrix},\begin{bmatrix}0\\1\\1\end{bmatrix}\begin{bmatrix}2\\7\\14\end{bmatrix}\right\}$  and  $Nul(A)=x_4\begin{bmatrix}2\\-3\\0\\1\end{bmatrix}$ 

**Sub-Problem A** What is dim(Col(A))? 3

**Sub-Problem B** What is dim(Nul(A))? 1

Sub-Problem C What is the rank of A? 3

Sub-Problem D What size matrix should A be? 3x4

**Sub-Problem E** What is the reduced row echelon form of A?

$$x_{1} = 2x_{4}$$

$$x_{2} = -3x_{4}$$

$$x_{3} = 0$$

$$x_{4} = x_{4}$$

$$=$$

$$x_{1} - 2x_{4} = 0$$

$$x_{2} + 3x_{4} = 0$$

$$x_{3} = 0$$

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

Sub-Problem F Find a matrix A by row reducing the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & a_1 \\ 2 & 1 & 7 & a_2 \\ 4 & 1 & 14 & a_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

to reduced row echelon form, and then choosing the constants  $a_1, a_2, a_3$  such that the reduced row echelon matches the form from the previous problem. How were the first three columns chosen?

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & a_1 \\ 2 & 4 & 7 & a_2 \\ 4 & 1 & 14 & a_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & a_1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & -2a_1 + a_2 \\ 0 & 1 & 6 & -4a_1 + a_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & a_1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & -2a_1 + a_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{-2a_1 - a_2 + a_3}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & a_1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & -2a_1 + a_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$a_{1} = -2$$

$$-2a_{1} + a_{2} = 3$$

$$-2(-2) + a_{2} = 3$$

$$4 + a_{2} = 3$$

$$a_{2} = -1$$

$$=$$

$$-2a_{1} - a_{2} + a_{3} = 0$$

$$-2(-2) - (-1) + a_{3} = 0$$

$$5 + a_{3} = 0$$

$$a_{3} = 5$$

#### Theorem 2: The Basis Theorem

Let H be a p-dimensional subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . Any linearly independent set of p vectors in H is automatically a basis for H. Also, any set of p vectors in H that spans H is automatically a basis for H.

**Example 13** Could  $\mathbb{R}^3$  possible contain a 4-dimensional subspace? 4-dimensional = 4 pivots in REF. But we only have 3 rows, so we can only have up to 3 pivots, so NO.

**Example 14** What is the rank of a 3x4 matrix whose null space is three dimensional? Rank is 1.