

Step-1

The objective is to reduce $Ux = c$ and then $Rx = d$ by using Gaussian Elimination method:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 4 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= b$$

And also find a particular solution x_p and all null space solutions x_n .

Step-2

Given system $Ax = B$ is in the form;

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 4 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= b$$

$$\begin{array}{l} R_2 - R_1, \\ R_3 - 2R_1 \end{array} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}R_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore 1 and 2 are pivot columns, x_1, x_2 are pivot variables and x_3, x_4 are free variables.

$$x_1 + 2x_3 + 3x_4 = 2$$

$$x_2 - x_4 = 1$$

$$3x_4 = 6$$

$$x_4 = 2$$

$$x_2 = 1 + x_4$$

$$= 1 + 2$$

$$= 3$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 x_1 &= 2 - 2x_3 - 3x_4 \\
 &= 2 - 2x_3 - 6 \\
 &= -3 - 2x_3
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 - 2x_3 \\ 3 \\ x_3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 3 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

The particular solution of given system,

Step-3

The null space by $Rx = 0$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_2 - x_4 = 0$$

$$x_2 = x_4$$

$$x_4 + 2x_3 + 3x_4 = 0$$

$$x_1 = -2x_3$$

Therefore ,

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

$$= x_3 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_n = \left\{ x_3 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} : x_3 \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

Hence the null space