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$$a_{ij} \in \mathbb{F}$$

$$(*) \begin{cases} a_{11}x_1 + \dots + a_{1n}x_n = 0 \\ \vdots \\ x_{m1}x_1 + \dots + a_{mn}x_n = 0 \end{cases}$$

\mathcal{N} = subspace of solutions $\subseteq \mathbb{F}^n$

$(*)_{nh} = (*)$ but replace 0 by β_i .

$$x = (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in \mathbb{F}^n$$

$$y = (y_1, \dots, y_n) \in \mathbb{F}^n$$

Solns of $(*)_{nh}$ but $x+y$ not.

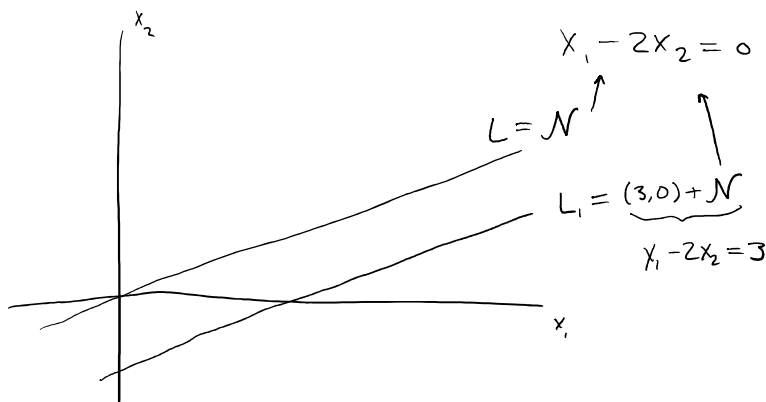
so set of solns of $(*)_{nh}$ not a subspace

Let $v = (v_1, \dots, v_n)$ solve $(*)_{nh}$.

then any other soln w of $(*)_{nh}$ is $v + u$ where u solves $(*)_{nh}$

since $w - v$ is soln of $(*)$.

$v + \mathcal{N} = \{v + x : x \in \mathcal{N}\}$ is a linear manifold in \mathbb{F}^n .



If W is a lin mfd in \mathbb{F}^n .

Take $w, a \in W$. then $w - a \in S$.

$$W = V + S \quad S = ?$$

$$S = W - a \quad \text{for any } a \in W.$$

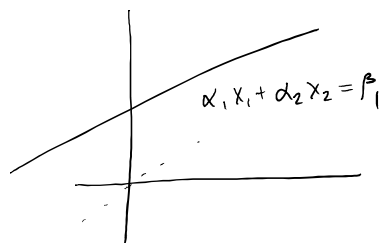
$$= \{w - a : w \in W\}$$

S is the Directing subspace of W .

$$\dim W = \dim S$$

Now go backwards from lin mfd to system of eqns:

Q: given W lin mfd s.t. $\dim W = d$. Find a system of non-hom lin. eqns s.t. W is its set of solutions.



First lets assume W is a subspace $S \subseteq \mathbb{F}^n$.

Let $\{b_1, \dots, b_d\}$ be a basis for W .

$\Rightarrow b_1, \dots, b_d$ are solns of the system.

$$b_1 = (\beta_{11}, \beta_{12}, \dots, \beta_{1n}), \dots, b_d = (\beta_{d1}, \dots, \beta_{dn})$$

$r_1 = (\alpha_{11}, \dots, \alpha_{1n}), \dots, r_m = (\alpha_{m1}, \dots, \alpha_{mn})$ are rows of eqn system.

$r_i \cdot b_j = 0 \quad \forall i, j$ gives system of equations.

Now we can solve for r_i to obtain system of eqns.

solve system $\begin{cases} b_1 \cdot x = 0 \\ b_2 \cdot x = 0 \\ \vdots \\ b_s \cdot x = 0 \end{cases}$

to get system whose solution
is $S(\underbrace{b_1, \dots, b_s}_{\text{basis}})$.

We get $n-d$ equations.