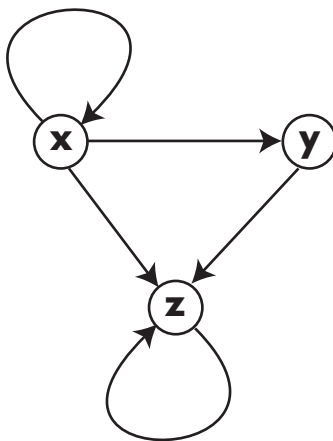


**F14 11:40 Exam 1**

Linear Algebra, Dave Bayer

[1] Solve the following system of equations.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w \\ x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

[2] Using matrix multiplication, count the number of paths of length eight from  $x$  to  $z$ .[3] Express  $A$  as a product of elementary matrices, where

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

[4] Find the matrix  $A$  such that

$$A \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

[5] Find the intersection of the following two affine subspaces of  $\mathbb{R}^4$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w \\ x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} w \\ x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} r \\ s \end{bmatrix}$$