



Test 1

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[1] Find the general solution to the following system of equations.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w \\ x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{①}-②, \text{③}+②} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

valid in one step
because this matrix
is nonsingular
 $\Rightarrow$ reduces to I

$$\begin{bmatrix} w \\ x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} s \\ t \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} 3 + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} (-1) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} (-1) + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} (-2) + \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

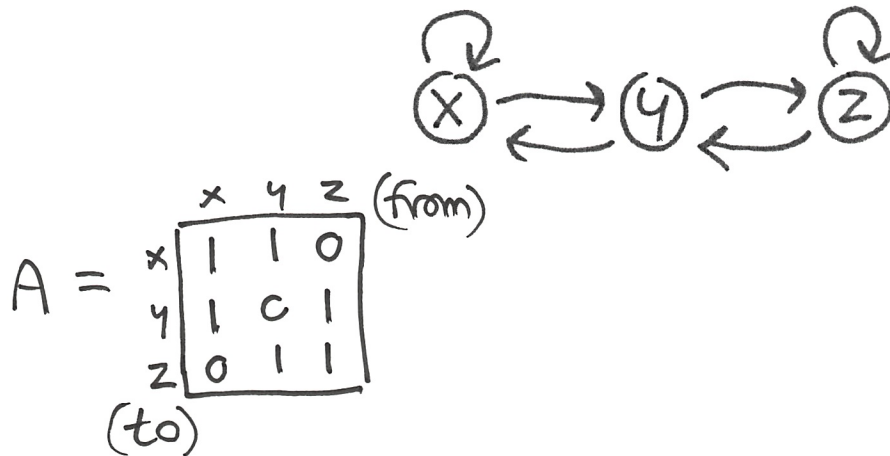
Check: $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} s \\ t \end{bmatrix} \right) \stackrel{?}{=} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} s \\ t \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$



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[2] Using matrix multiplication, count the number of paths of length eight from y to y.



number of paths = 86

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

$$A^4 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 & 5 \\ 5 & 6 & 5 \\ 5 & 6 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^8 = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 & 5 \\ 5 & 6 & 5 \\ 5 & 6 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 & 5 \\ 5 & 6 & 5 \\ 5 & 6 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 86 & 102 & 86 \\ 86 & 102 & 86 \\ 86 & 102 & 86 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$5 \cdot 5 + 6 \cdot 6 + 5 \cdot 5 = 86$$

only compute what we need

check: Make a left or right loop of ≥ 2 steps before returning to y. Then any path of remaining length.

$$\Leftrightarrow f(n) = 2(f(n-2) + f(n-3) + f(n-4) + \dots)$$

n	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
f(n)	1	0	2	2	6	10	22	42	86
Σ	1	1	3	5	11	21	43	85	171



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[3] Find the intersection of the following two affine subspaces of $\mathbb{R}^3$.

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} r \\ s \end{bmatrix}, \quad x - 2y + z = 2$$

plug parametrization into equation.

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} t$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \left(\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} r \\ s \end{bmatrix} \right) = 2$$

$$0 + \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} r \\ s \end{bmatrix} = 2$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} r \\ s \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} t$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} t \right)$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} t = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} t$$

check: In plane $x - 2y + z = 2$?

$$2 + 0t = 2 \quad \checkmark$$

(answer can take many forms)



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[4] By least squares, find the equation of the form $z = ax + by$ that best fits the data

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & z_1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & z_2 \\ x_3 & y_3 & z_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(Note that b is multiplied by y in this equation.)

want $\begin{cases} 1 = a \cdot 1 + b \cdot 0 \\ 1 = a \cdot 0 + b \cdot 1 \\ 1 = a \cdot 1 + b \cdot 1 \end{cases}$

$$z = \frac{2}{3}x + \frac{2}{3}y$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{can't solve exactly}$$

least squares: $Ax = b \Rightarrow A^T Ax = A^T b$ instead

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

recall $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ so $\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} / 3$

check

x	y	z	$\frac{2}{3}x + \frac{2}{3}y$	Δ
1	0	1	$\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{1}{3}$
0	1	1	$\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{1}{3}$
1	1	1	$\frac{4}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$

and $(1, 1, 1) \cdot (1, 0, 1) = 0$
 $(1, 1, 1) \cdot (0, 1, 1) = 0$
 $\checkmark$

$\times 3$
 check that difference is $\perp$ to image of A



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[5] Let V be the vector space $\mathbb{R}^3$, equipped with the inner product

$$\langle (a, b, c), (d, e, f) \rangle = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} d \\ e \\ f \end{bmatrix}$$

Using this inner product to define orthogonality, find the orthogonal projection of the vector $(0, 0, 1)$ onto the plane defined by the equation

$$x - y + z = 0$$

$$\boxed{[-4 \ 3 \ 7]/6}$$

Need to move $\perp$ to plane. What direction is this?

Plane $(1, -1, 1) \cdot (x, y, z) = 0$

Two vectors in plane: $(1, 1, 0), (0, 1, 1)$ basis for plane

Find vector $\perp$ to these:

$(4, -3, -1)$ is $\perp$ to plane

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

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Now $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} t \right) = 0$

$$1 + 6t = 0 \Rightarrow t = -1/6$$

$$\begin{aligned} & (0, 0, 1) - 1/6(4, -3, -1) \\ & = [(0, 0, 6) - (4, -3, -1)]/6 = (-4, 3, 7)/6 \end{aligned}$$