

Section 3.2, #18

$$\begin{matrix} \vec{v}_1 & \vec{v}_2 & \vec{v}_3 & \vec{v}_4 & \vec{v}_5 & \vec{v}_6 & \vec{v}_7 \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, & \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, & \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, & \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, & \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, & \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 7 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, & \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

$\vec{v}_1 = 0$, redundant (zero vector is always redundant)

$\vec{v}_3 = 3\vec{v}_2$, $\vec{v}_3$ is redundant

$\vec{v}_5 = 4\vec{v}_2 + 5\vec{v}_4$, $\vec{v}_5$ is redundant

$\vec{v}_6 = 6\vec{v}_2 + 7\vec{v}_4$, $\vec{v}_6$ is redundant

$\vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_4, \vec{v}_7$ are clearly not redundant

Redundant vectors: $\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_3, \vec{v}_5, \vec{v}_6$.

#38 a) If the vectors $\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_m$ do not span V ,
choose a vector $\vec{v}_{m+1} \in V$ but not in the span of $\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_m$.

Then $\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_m, \vec{v}_{m+1}$ are linearly independent.

This contradicts the assumption that m is the largest number
of linearly independent vectors we can find in V . Therefore,
 $\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_m$ is a basis of V .

b) By part (a) subspace V admits a basis $\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_m$.

Each vector $\vec{v}_j$ can be represented via its column of coordinates

$$\vec{v}_j = \begin{pmatrix} a_{1j} \\ a_{2j} \\ \vdots \\ a_{nj} \end{pmatrix}$$

Put these columns together into a matrix

$$A = (a_{ij}) = \begin{pmatrix} | & | & | \\ \vec{v}_1 & \vec{v}_2 & \dots & \vec{v}_m \\ | & | & | \end{pmatrix}$$

Necessarily, $V = \text{im}(A)$.

Section 3.3 #16.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Matrix A is in RREF form. In an RREF matrix, redundant columns are exactly non-pivot columns.

In this example, columns 2 and 4 are redundant.

You can also see it directly, denoting columns $\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \dots, \vec{v}_5$.

$$\vec{v}_2 = -2\vec{v}_1$$

$$\vec{v}_4 = -\vec{v}_1 + 5\vec{v}_3$$

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$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 8 \\ 4 & 5 & 1 \\ 7 & 9 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \times \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 4 & 5 & 1 \\ 7 & 9 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} \\ -4(I) \\ -7(I) \end{matrix} \rightarrow$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & -3 & -15 \\ 0 & -5 & -25 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} \\ \times (-\frac{1}{3}) \\ \times (-\frac{1}{5}) \end{matrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} \\ \\ -(II) \end{matrix} \rightarrow$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} -2(II) \\ \\ \end{matrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -6 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \text{rref}(A)$$

$\ker A = \ker(\text{rref}(A))$. $\dim(\ker(A))$ is the # of free variables

There is one free variable x_3 , and for $\vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} \in \ker A$ we have

$x_1 = 6x_3$, $x_2 = -5x_3$. Set $x_3 = 1 \Rightarrow x_1 = 6$, $x_2 = -5$ and the

vector $\begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ is a basis of $\ker A$.

Basis of $\text{im } A$ is given by columns of A that correspond to leading columns of $\text{rref}(A)$. In our example, these are columns 1 and 2.

Hence, basis of image of A is given by columns 1 and 2 of A ,

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}.$$

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$$C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

By inspection, we see that columns 2 and 3 are equal, and that's the only relation on columns of C . This means $\ker C$ is one-dimensional, with basis vector $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$.

In matrices H, T, X, Y last two columns are not equal.

This means $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ is not in kernel subspaces for these matrices.

Excluding H, T, X, Y , we are left with L .

In L , last 2 columns are equal, and that's the only relation on columns of L . Therefore $\ker L = \ker C$, with basis

$$\text{vector } \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$