

Solutions

1. Given $\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, compute the following vectors and display them on an xy -plane: \vec{u} , \vec{v} , $\frac{1}{2}\vec{u}$, $-\vec{v}$, $\vec{u} + \vec{v}$, $\vec{u} - \vec{v}$, $\vec{u} - 2\vec{v}$.

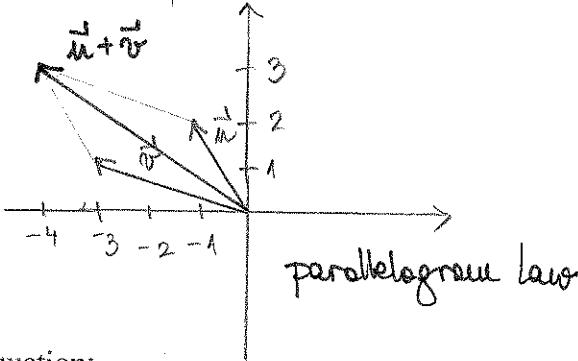
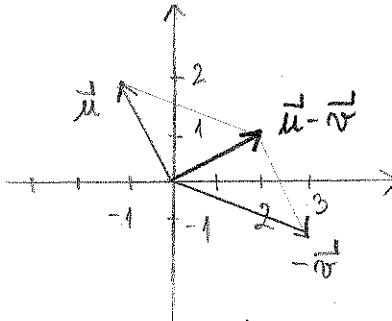
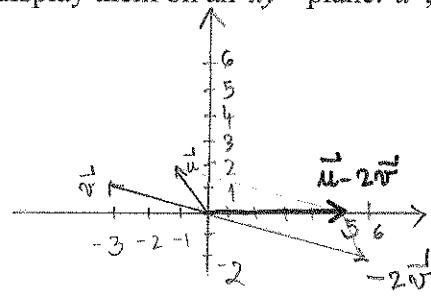
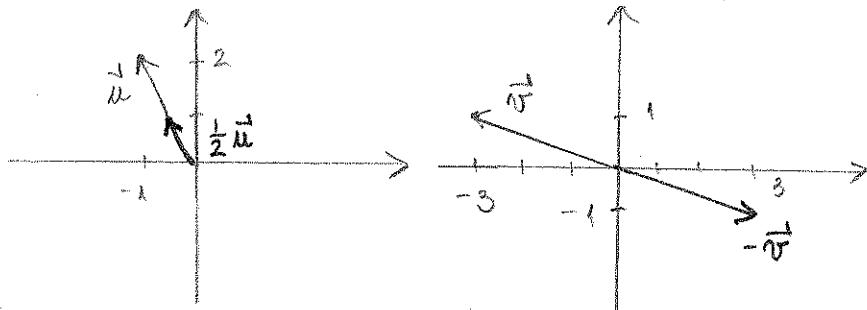
$$\frac{1}{2}\vec{u} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -0.5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-\vec{v} = - \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{u} + \vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{u} - \vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{u} - 2\vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} - 2 \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



2. Write a system of equations that is equivalent to the given vector equation:

i. $x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{cases} 3x_1 + 7x_2 - 2x_3 = 0 \\ -2x_1 + 3x_2 + x_3 = 0 \end{cases}$$

ii. $x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \\ -9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{cases} 3x_1 + 5x_2 = 2 \\ -2x_1 = -3 \\ 8x_1 - 9x_2 = 8 \end{cases}$$

3. Write a vector equation that is equivalent to the given system of equations:

$$\text{i. } \begin{cases} x_2 + 5x_3 = 0 \\ 4x_1 + 6x_2 - x_3 = 0 \\ -x_1 + 3x_2 - 8x_3 = 0 \end{cases} \quad x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 6 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -1 \\ -8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{ii. } \begin{cases} 3x_1 - 2x_2 + 4x_3 = 3 \\ -2x_1 - 7x_2 + 5x_3 = 1 \\ 5x_1 + 4x_2 - 3x_3 = 2 \end{cases} \quad x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -7 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

4. Determine if the vector \vec{b} is a linear combination of the vectors \vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2 , and \vec{a}_3 .

$$\vec{a}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{a}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{a}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -6 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -6 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

\vec{b} is a linear combination of $\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2, \vec{a}_3$

equation $x_1 \vec{a}_1 + x_2 \vec{a}_2 + x_3 \vec{a}_3 = \vec{b}$ has a sol.

$$\Rightarrow \text{augmented matrix} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 5 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -6 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 8 & 6 \end{array} \right] \sim$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 2r_1 + r_2 \\ \sim \end{array} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 8 & 6 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} -2r_2 + r_3 \\ \sim \end{array} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x_1 = 2 - 5x_3 \\ x_2 = 3 - 4x_3 \\ x_3 \text{ free} \end{cases}$$

\Rightarrow System has solution, so \vec{b} can be written as a linear combination of $\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2, \vec{a}_3$. For example, when $x_3 = 0, x_1 = 2, x_2 = 3$ so $2\vec{a}_1 + 3\vec{a}_2 + 0\cdot\vec{a}_3 = \vec{b}$. (oo-many choices for scalars x_1, x_2, x_3 are possible)

$$5. \text{ Let } \vec{a}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{a}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ -8 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ and } \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -5 \\ h \end{bmatrix}. \text{ For what values of } h \text{ is } \vec{b} \text{ in the plane spanned by } \vec{a}_1 \text{ & } \vec{a}_2?$$

$\vec{b} \in \text{Span}\{\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2\} \Leftrightarrow \vec{b}$ can be written as a linear combination of $\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2 \Leftrightarrow \exists x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{R}$ so that $x_1 \vec{a}_1 + x_2 \vec{a}_2 = \vec{b} \Leftrightarrow [\vec{a}_1 \ \vec{a}_2 : \vec{b}]$ has a solution

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -5 & 3 \\ 3 & -8 & -5 \\ -1 & 2 & h \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} 3r_1 + r_2 \\ r_1 + r_3 \end{array} \sim \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -5 & 3 \\ 0 & 7 & -14 \\ 0 & -3 & 3+h \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{7}r_2 \\ r_1 + r_3 \end{array} \sim \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -5 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & -3 & 3+h \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} 3r_2 + r_3 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & h-3 \end{array} \sim \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -5 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & h-3 \end{array} \right]$$

if $[0 \ 0 : *]$ with $* \neq 0$ then system has no sol.

$$\Rightarrow h-3 = 0 \Rightarrow h=3$$

Sol. $\vec{b} \in \text{Span}\{\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2\}$ provided $h=3$.

6. List five vectors in the $\text{Span}\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2\}$ and show the weights for \vec{v}_1 and \vec{v}_2 used to generate the vector:

$$\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$\vec{w} \in \text{Span}\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2\}$ iff $\exists x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{R}$ s.t. $\vec{w} = x_1 \vec{v}_1 + x_2 \vec{v}_2$

$$\vec{w}_1 = 1 \cdot \vec{v}_1 + 0 \cdot \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{w}_5 = 5 \cdot \vec{v}_1 + 0 \cdot \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 15 \\ 5 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\vec{w}_2 = 0 \cdot \vec{v}_1 + 1 \cdot \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{w}_3 = 1 \cdot \vec{v}_1 + 1 \cdot \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{w}_4 = 3 \cdot \vec{v}_1 - 2 \cdot \vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ 3 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} -8 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 17 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

7. Let $\vec{a}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$, $\vec{a}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}$, and $\vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} h \\ -5 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$. For what values of h is \vec{b} in the plane spanned by \vec{a}_1 & \vec{a}_2 ?

for what h is ~~\vec{b}~~

$$x_1 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} h \\ -5 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

consistent?

\Leftrightarrow

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & h \\ 0 & 1 & -5 \\ -2 & 8 & -4 \end{array} \right] \text{ is consistent}$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & h \\ 0 & 1 & -5 \\ 0 & 2 & -4+2h \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_3+2R_2} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & h \\ 0 & 1 & -5 \\ 0 & -2 & 10 \end{array} \right] \xleftarrow{-2R_3} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & h \\ 0 & 1 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 6+2h \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & h \\ 0 & 1 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 6+2h \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_3-2R_2} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & h \\ 0 & 1 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \text{ is consistent}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 6+2h=0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow h=-3$$

For each h above (which determines some \vec{b} is in $\text{Span}\{\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2\}$), find the weights for \vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2 used to generate this \vec{b} . Use this information to write a vector equation showing how to obtain \vec{b} from \vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2 .

~~then~~ continue reducing

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & h-15 \\ 0 & 1 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 6+2h \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_1+3R_2} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & h-15 \\ 0 & 1 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 6+2h \end{array} \right]$$

$$\text{then } \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} x_1 = h-15 \\ x_2 = -5 \\ 0 = 6+2h \end{cases}$$

when $h = -3$

$$\therefore x_1 = -18$$

$$x_2 = -5$$

$$0 = 0$$

therefore

$$-18 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} + (-5) \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ -5 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \vec{a}_1 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \vec{a}_2 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \vec{b} \end{array}$$

Double check:

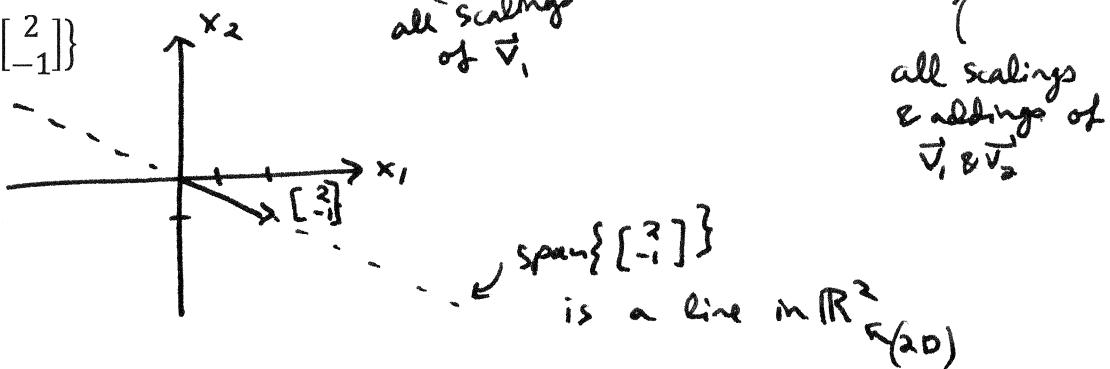
$$\begin{bmatrix} -18 \\ 0 \\ 36 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 15 \\ -5 \\ -40 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ -5 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$$



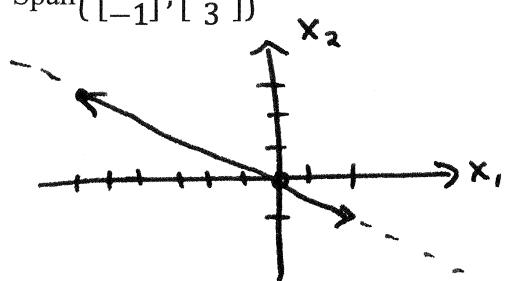
Remember: $\text{Span}\{\vec{v}_1\} = \{t \cdot \vec{v}_1 : t \in \mathbb{R}\}$ & $\text{Span}\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2\} = \left\{ t \cdot \vec{v}_1 + s \cdot \vec{v}_2 : t, s \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$

8. For each of the following, sketch *both* the generating vectors and their span on the same axes.

i. $\text{Span}\left\{\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}\right\}$



ii. $\text{Span}\left\{\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -6 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}\right\}$

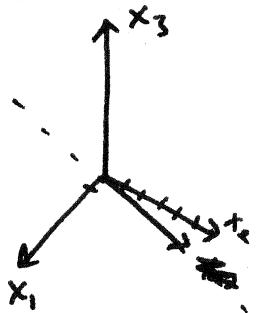


Notice: $\begin{bmatrix} -6 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = -3 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

\Rightarrow their span
is still a line

(same line as above)

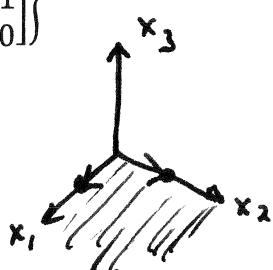
iii. $\text{Span}\left\{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\right\}$



$\text{span}\left\{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\right\}$ is a line in \mathbb{R}^3 (3D)

iv. $\text{Span}\left\{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\right\}$

Span = whole x-y plane



9. Let $\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$. Show that $\begin{bmatrix} h \\ k \end{bmatrix}$ is in $\text{Span}\{\vec{u}, \vec{v}\}$ for all h and k .

Show $\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & 2 & h \\ -1 & 1 & k \end{array} \right]$ is consistent for all h, k

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 1 & k \\ 2 & 2 & h \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 1 & k \\ 0 & 0 & h+2k \end{array} \right] R_2 + R_1$$

Note ↑ this cannot contain $[0 \ 0 | \star]$
regardless of h, k ,
because it does not even contain $[0 \ 0 | \star]$

10. Mark each statement as *True* or *False* and justify your answer.

- i. Another notation for the vector $\begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ is $\begin{bmatrix} -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

False $\begin{bmatrix} -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ $\xrightarrow{2 \times 1 \text{ matrix}}$ $\nwarrow 1 \times 2 \text{ matrix}$

- ii. The solution set of the linear system with augmented matrix $\begin{bmatrix} \vec{a}_1 & \vec{a}_2 & \vec{a}_3 & | & \vec{b} \end{bmatrix}$ is the same as the solution of the system $x_1 \cdot \vec{a}_1 + x_2 \cdot \vec{a}_2 + x_3 \cdot \vec{a}_3 = \vec{b}$

True!

- iii. Asking whether the linear system corresponding to the linear system with augmented matrix $\begin{bmatrix} \vec{a}_1 & \vec{a}_2 & \vec{a}_3 & | & \vec{b} \end{bmatrix}$ is consistent amounts to asking whether \vec{b} is in $\text{Span}\{\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2, \vec{a}_3\}$.
True. Each are equivalent to asking if there are weights x_1, \dots, x_n s.t. $x_1 \vec{a}_1 + \dots + x_n \vec{a}_n = \vec{b}$.

- iv. Solving a system the linear system with augmented matrix $\begin{bmatrix} \vec{a}_1 & \vec{a}_2 & \vec{a}_3 & | & \vec{b} \end{bmatrix}$ is the same as finding the weights (if any exist) that yield \vec{b} as a linear combination of $\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2, \vec{a}_3$.

True

- v. If $\vec{u}, \vec{v} \neq \vec{0}$, then the set $\text{Span}\{\vec{u}, \vec{v}\}$ is always visualized as a plane through the origin.

False. If $\vec{u} = 2\vec{v}$, then $\text{Span}\{\vec{u}, \vec{v}\}$ is still a line.

7. Rewrite each of the following as a linear system, an augmented matrix, a vector equation and a matrix equation:

i.
$$\begin{cases} 4x_1 - x_2 = 8 \\ 5x_1 + 3x_2 = 2 \\ 3x_1 - x_2 = 1 \end{cases}$$

linear system

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 4 & -1 & 8 \\ 5 & 3 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

augmented matrix

$$x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

matrix equation

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 5 & 3 \\ 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 2} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times 1} = \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 1}$$

matrix equation

ii.

$x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \\ 7 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 3 \\ -5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ -8 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -8 \\ 0 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{cases} 4x_1 - 5x_2 + 7x_3 = 6 \\ -x_1 + 3x_2 - 8x_3 = -8 \\ 7x_1 - 5x_2 = 0 \\ -4x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 = -7 \end{cases}$
vector equation	linear system

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & -5 & 7 & | & 6 \\ -1 & 3 & -8 & | & -8 \\ 7 & -5 & 0 & | & 0 \\ -4 & 1 & 2 & | & -7 \end{bmatrix}$$

augmented matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & -5 & 7 \\ -1 & 3 & -8 \\ 7 & -5 & 0 \\ -4 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}_{4 \times 3} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 1} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -8 \\ 0 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}_{4 \times 1}$$

matrix equation

iii.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ 3 & 2 \\ 8 & -5 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -21 \\ 1 \\ -49 \\ 11 \end{bmatrix}$$

matrix equation

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & -3 & -21 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 8 & -5 & -49 \\ -2 & 1 & 11 \end{array} \right]$$

augmented matrix

$$\begin{cases} 2x_1 - 3x_2 = -21 \\ 3x_1 + 2x_2 = 1 \\ 8x_1 - 5x_2 = -49 \\ -2x_1 + x_2 = 11 \end{cases}$$

linear system

$$x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 8 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 2 \\ -5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -21 \\ 1 \\ -49 \\ 11 \end{bmatrix}$$

vector equation

8. Note that $\begin{bmatrix} 4 & -3 & 1 \\ 5 & -2 & 5 \\ -6 & 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -7 \\ -3 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix}$. Use this fact (and no row operations) to find scalars c_1, c_2 and c_3 so that

$$\begin{bmatrix} -7 \\ -3 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix} = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + c_3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

→ write vector form of equation (*): $-3 \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix} + (-1) \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -7 \\ -3 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} c_1 = -3 \\ c_2 = -1 \\ c_3 = 2 \end{cases}$$

9. Determine if \vec{b} is a linear combination of the columns of A :

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 5 \\ -2 & 8 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -7 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

\vec{b} is a linear combination of $\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2, \vec{a}_3 \Leftrightarrow$
 $\Leftrightarrow [\vec{a}_1 \vec{a}_2 \vec{a}_3 | \vec{b}]$ has a solution

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -4 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 5 & -7 \\ -2 & 8 & -4 & -3 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{2R_1 + R_3} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -4 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 5 & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{array} \right]$$

system has no sol.

\vec{b} is NOT a linear combination of $\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2, \vec{a}_3$.

10. Compute the following products; if a product is undefined explain why.

i. $\begin{bmatrix} -4 & 2 \\ 1 & 6 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix} = \text{undefined}$

ii. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \text{undefined}$

iii. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -3 & 1 \\ 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 9 \\ 16 \end{bmatrix}$

$$1 \cdot (-2) + 2 \cdot 3 = -2 + 6 = 4$$

$$(-3) \cdot (-2) + 1 \cdot 3 = 6 + 3 = 9$$

$$1 \cdot (-2) + 6 \cdot 3 = -2 + 18 = 16$$

iv. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -4 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}$

$$1 \cdot 1 + 3 \cdot 2 - 4 \cdot 1 = 1 + 6 - 4 = 3$$

$$3 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 2 + 1 \cdot 1 = 3 + 4 + 1 = 8$$

11. Let $\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$, $\vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -3 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix}$, $\vec{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix}$. Does $\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3\}$ span \mathbb{R}^3 ? Why or why not?

Theorem 4 / p.37 $\text{Span}\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3\} = \mathbb{R}^3 \Leftrightarrow A = [\vec{v}_1 \vec{v}_2 \vec{v}_3]$ has a pivot position in every row.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & -3 & -2 \\ -3 & 9 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{r_1 \leftrightarrow r_3} \sim \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 9 & -6 \\ 0 & -3 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-\frac{1}{3}r_1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{3}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

The matrix $A = [\vec{v}_1 \vec{v}_2 \vec{v}_3]$ has a pivot position in every row
 $\Rightarrow \text{Span}\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3\} = \mathbb{R}^3$.

12. Can any vector in \mathbb{R}^4 be written as a linear combination of the columns of the matrix

equivalently, if $B = [\vec{v}_1 \vec{v}_2 \vec{v}_3 \vec{v}_4]$ does

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & -4 \\ 0 & 2 & 6 & 7 \\ 2 & 9 & 5 & -7 \end{bmatrix} ?$$

$\text{Span}\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3, \vec{v}_4\} = \mathbb{R}^4$?

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & -4 \\ 0 & 2 & 6 & 7 \\ 2 & 9 & 5 & -7 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-2r_1+r_2} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & -4 \\ 0 & 2 & 6 & 7 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & -11 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-2r_2+r_3} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 15 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -7 \end{bmatrix} \sim$$

$$\xrightarrow{\frac{1}{15}r_3} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -7 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{r_3+r_4} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

The matrix $B = [\vec{v}_1 \vec{v}_2 \vec{v}_3 \vec{v}_4]$ does not have a pivot position in every row
 \Rightarrow not every vector in \mathbb{R}^4 is a linear combination of $\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3, \vec{v}_4$

17. Let $\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ and $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ -2 & 6 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. Is \vec{u} in the plane of \mathbb{R}^3 spanned by the columns of A?

Why or why not?

Is ~~$A\vec{x} = \vec{u}$~~ $A\vec{x} = \vec{u}$ consistent?

Is $\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 3 & 5 & 0 \\ -2 & 6 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 & 4 \end{array} \right]$ consistent?

i.e. is there x_1, x_2 s.t.
 $x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 6 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$

$$r_1 \leftrightarrow r_3 \sim \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 1 & 4 \\ -2 & 6 & 4 \\ 3 & 5 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 4 & 4 \\ 0 & 8 & 12 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -12 & 4 \\ \hline 0 & -2 & -2 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} r_2 + 2r_1 \\ r_3 - 3r_1 \\ \hline -r_4 - r_2 \end{array}$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 4 & 4 \\ 0 & 8 & 12 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -15 & 4 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} r_3 - \frac{1}{4}r_2 \\ \hline r_3 - \frac{1}{4}r_2 \end{array}$$

the matrix is inconsistent
by theorem 2

\Rightarrow no weights x_1, x_2
exist that get you \vec{u}

$\Rightarrow \vec{u}$ is NOT in span of columns of A

18. Let $\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ and $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 8 & 7 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$. Is \vec{u} in the plane of \mathbb{R}^3 spanned by the columns of A?

Why or why not?

Is there x_1, x_2, x_3 so that

$$x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

\vec{u} is NOT in
columnspace of A



No weights exist
that get \vec{u} from A



The system has no
sln

~~$r_1 \leftrightarrow r_3$~~ $\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -3 \\ 5 & 8 & 7 & 2 \end{array} \right]$
 $\left(-5 \begin{array}{c} r_1 \\ r_3 \end{array} \right) \leftarrow -5r_1$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -3 \\ 0 & -7 & 7 & -12 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} r_3 + (-5)r_1 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -33 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} r_3 + 7r_1 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} -21 \\ -12 \end{array}$$

19. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -6 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix}$. Show that the equation $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ does not have a solution for all possible \vec{b} , and describe the set of all \vec{b} for which $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ does have a solution.

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & -1 & b_1 \\ -6 & 3 & b_2 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 0 & -1 & b_1 \\ 0 & 0 & b_2 + 3b_1 \end{array} \right] \text{ r}_2 + 3\text{r}_1$$

the system is consistent



$$b_2 + 3b_1 = 0$$



$$b_2 = -3b_1$$

the system has a solution $\Leftrightarrow \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ -3b_1 \end{bmatrix} = b_1 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$

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for any real #.

20. Mark each statement as *True* or *False* and justify your answer.

- i. The equation $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ is referred to as a *vector equation*.

False. it is a matrix equation

- ii. A vector \vec{b} is a linear combination of the columns of a matrix A if and only if the equation $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ has at least one solution.

True. By definition, $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ means $x_1\vec{a}_1 + \dots + x_n\vec{a}_n = \vec{b}$ when $A = [\vec{a}_1 \dots \vec{a}_n]$

- iii. If the columns of an $m \times n$ matrix A span \mathbb{R}^m then the equation $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ is consistent for each \vec{b} in \mathbb{R}^m

True. $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ has a solution

$\Leftrightarrow \vec{b}$ is ~~a~~ a linear comb of columns of A

- iv. If A is an $m \times n$ matrix, and if the equation $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ is inconsistent for some \vec{b} in \mathbb{R}^m then A cannot have a pivot position in every row.

True. By theorem 4, $\text{Span}\{\vec{a}_1 \dots \vec{a}_n\}$ is all of \mathbb{R}^m

$\Leftrightarrow A$ has a pivot in every row.

- v. If the equation $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ is inconsistent, then \vec{b} is not in the set spanned by the columns of A .

these both \vec{b} mean

" \vec{b} is not a linear comb of columns of A ".