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1. Let $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be defined so that $T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x}$ where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & -2 \\ -1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & -4 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{and} \quad \vec{c} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

(a) Compute $T(\vec{u})$.

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$$T(\vec{u}) = A\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & -2 \\ -1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & -4 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = 1 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + 0 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} + (-1) \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b) Solve the equation $T(\vec{x}) = \vec{b}$

solve $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$

reduce

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

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$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -5 & -4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} r_1 - 3r_2 \\ r_3 - r_2 \end{array}$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -5 & -4 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} x_1 & -5x_3 = -4 \\ x_2 - x_3 = -1 \\ x_3 \text{ free} \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} x_1 = -4 + 5x_3 \\ x_2 = -1 + x_3 \\ x_3 \text{ free} \end{cases}$$

(c) Is \vec{c} in the range of T ? Justify your answer.

is $T(\vec{x}) = \vec{c}$ consistent?

1pt

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

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & -2 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 6 \end{array} \right] \text{ consistent?} \sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & -2 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 5 \end{array} \right]$$

NOT consistent

$\Rightarrow \vec{c}$ NOT in range of T

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2. (No Computation) Define $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be defined so that $T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x}$ where

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

(a) What is the domain of T ? \mathbb{R}^3

$$A\vec{x} \text{ defined} \Leftrightarrow \vec{x} \text{ in } \mathbb{R}^3$$

(b) What is the co-domain of T ? \mathbb{R}^2

$$A\vec{x} \text{ has 2 rows} \Rightarrow A\vec{x} \text{ is in } \mathbb{R}^2$$

(c) Describe the Range of T as the span of a set of vectors.

outputs are obtained
by scaling & adding
columns of A

$$\text{Span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\} = \text{Range}(T)$$

3. (No Computation) How many rows and columns must a matrix A have in order to define a mapping from \mathbb{R}^5 into \mathbb{R}^7 by the rule $T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x}$?

↑
inputs
= n

← outputs = m

A must ~~be~~ be a 7×5 matrix.

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4. Let $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be defined so that $T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x}$ where $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

Using two axes (one for inputs and one for outputs), show how T transforms the vertices

$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$. Describe geometrically what the transformation T is doing (using words).

$$T\left(\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ 2x_1 + x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad T\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad T\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad T\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



5. Find all the vectors \vec{x} that are mapped to $\vec{0}$ by the transformation $T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x}$

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

Solve $T(\vec{x}) = \vec{0} \iff$ Solve $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$

\iff reduce $\left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$

$\sim \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right] r_3 - r_1$

$\iff \begin{cases} x_1 + x_4 = 0 \\ x_2 + x_4 = 0 \\ x_3 - x_4 = 0 \\ x_4 \text{ free} \end{cases}$

$\iff \begin{cases} x_1 = -x_4 \\ x_2 = -x_4 \\ x_3 = x_4 \\ x_4 \end{cases}$

So $\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -x_4 \\ -x_4 \\ x_4 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = x_4 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

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9. What is the definition of a Linear Transformation from \mathbb{R}^n to \mathbb{R}^m ?

a transformation $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$

so that

$$T(\vec{u} + \vec{v}) = T(\vec{u}) + T(\vec{v})$$

$$\text{and } T(c \cdot \vec{u}) = c \cdot T(\vec{u})$$

10. Let $\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$, $\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix}$, and $\vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$, and let $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be a linear transformation that maps \vec{x} to $x_1\vec{v}_1 + x_2\vec{v}_2$. Find a matrix A so that $T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x}$ for every \vec{x} .

$$\begin{aligned} T(\vec{x}) &= x_1\vec{v}_1 + x_2\vec{v}_2 \\ &= x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -5 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

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

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8. Find the standard matrix of the linear transformation $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ that sends \vec{e}_1 to $\vec{e}_1 - 3\vec{e}_2$ and leaves \vec{e}_2 unchanged.

$$T(\vec{e}_1) = \vec{e}_1 - 3\vec{e}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - 3\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(\vec{e}_2) = \vec{e}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

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11. Prove that $T(\vec{x}) = 3\vec{x}$ is a linear transformation.Recall T is linear
 \Leftrightarrow $P \Leftrightarrow Q$

$$T(c\vec{u} + d\vec{v}) = c \cdot T(\vec{u}) + d \cdot T(\vec{v}) \quad \text{for all } \vec{u}, \vec{v} \in V, c, d \in \mathbb{R}$$

Proof by computation

$$T(c\vec{u} + d\vec{v}) = 3 \cdot (c\vec{u} + d\vec{v})$$

$$= c \cdot 3\vec{u} + d \cdot 3\vec{v} \quad Q$$

$$= c \cdot T(\vec{u}) + d \cdot T(\vec{v}) \quad \checkmark$$

 P 12. Prove that $T(\vec{x}) = 3\vec{x} + 1$ is not linear transformation.Recall: T is linear
 \Leftrightarrow $P \Leftrightarrow Q$

$$T(c\vec{u} + d\vec{v}) = c \cdot T(\vec{u}) + d \cdot T(\vec{v})$$

proof by computation

$$T(c\vec{u} + d\vec{v}) = 3(c\vec{u} + d\vec{v}) + 1$$

$$= c \cdot 3\vec{u} + d \cdot 3\vec{v} + 1$$

 $\neq Q$

$$\neq c \cdot T(\vec{u}) + d \cdot T(\vec{v})$$

cannot "find"
 $c \cdot T(\vec{u})$ or $d \cdot T(\vec{v})$ here

So T is not linear. P

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13. Suppose that $\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_n$ span \mathbb{R}^n and that T is a linear transformation with $T(\vec{v}_1) = \vec{0}, \dots, T(\vec{v}_n) = \vec{0}$. Prove that $T(\vec{b}) = \vec{0}$ for every $\vec{b} \in \mathbb{R}^n$.

3 assumptions

← cannot use this in your proof

proof by computation.

introduce suitable notation

let \vec{b} be any vector in \mathbb{R}^n
 by definition of $\text{Span}\{\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_n\} = \mathbb{R}^n$
 $\vec{b} = c_1 \vec{v}_1 + \dots + c_n \vec{v}_n$

Compute

$$T(\vec{b}) = T(c_1 \vec{v}_1 + \dots + c_n \vec{v}_n)$$

$$= c_1 \cdot T(\vec{v}_1) + \dots + c_n \cdot T(\vec{v}_n)$$

$$= c_1 \cdot \vec{0} + \dots + c_n \cdot \vec{0}$$

$$T(\vec{b}) = \vec{0}$$

↑ as desired.

} by linearity
 because $T(\vec{v}_1) = \dots = T(\vec{v}_n) = \vec{0}$

1 Bonus point if complete & correct

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1. Let transformation $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be a linear transformation with

$$T(\vec{e}_1) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, T(\vec{e}_2) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } T(\vec{e}_3) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(a) Find the standard matrix A of T .

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

(b) Determine if the transformation T is one-to-one.

T is one-to-one \Leftrightarrow columns of A are indep
 $\Leftrightarrow A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$ has unique solution

$$\text{reduce } \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 3 & 4 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 & -2 & 0 \end{array} \right] r_2 - 3r_1$$

reduced matrix A \leftarrow ∞ -many solutions \Rightarrow nontrivial soln
 \Rightarrow cols NOT indep.
 $\Rightarrow T$ is NOT one-to-one

(c) Determine if the transformation T is onto.

T is onto \Leftrightarrow columns of A span \mathbb{R}^2

Notice pivot in every row of reduced echelon form of A
 \Rightarrow columns of A span \mathbb{R}^2

$\Rightarrow T$ is onto

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Let transformation $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be a linear transformation with

$$T(\vec{e}_1) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, T(\vec{e}_2) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } T(\vec{e}_3) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(a) Find the standard matrix A of T .

(1 pt)
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b) Determine if the transformation T is one-to-one.

$P \Leftrightarrow Q$ T is one-to-one \Leftrightarrow col's of A are independent
 $\Leftrightarrow A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$ has unique solution

(1 pt)
$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

↑ already in echelon form

note: pivot in each column of A
 $Q \Rightarrow$ unique solution
 \Rightarrow no nontrivial solutions

\Rightarrow col's of A are indep

$P \Rightarrow T$ is one-to-one

(c) Determine if the transformation T is onto.

T is onto \Leftrightarrow columns of A span \mathbb{R}^3

Notice: in reduced form of A , pivot in every row

(1 pt) \Rightarrow columns of A span \mathbb{R}^3
 $\Rightarrow T$ is onto.

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14. Suppose that $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ is a linear transformation with standard form matrix A .

\checkmark A is 3×2

Prove that T is not onto. (Cite all relevant definitions and theorems by number).

proof by rephrasing

T is onto

$P \Leftrightarrow Q$

\Leftrightarrow

columns of A span \mathbb{R}^3

Theorem 12a

$Q \Leftrightarrow R$

\Leftrightarrow

pivot in each row of A

Theorem 4

But

$\neg R$

you cannot have 3 pivots in only 2 columns

(1 pt)

$\neg P$

so T is not onto

15. Suppose that $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is a linear transformation with standard form matrix A .

Given this info ^{do you know if} ~~cannot prove that~~ T is onto? Justify your answer.

Hint: answer is "no, you cannot know if T is onto or not onto"

why?

a 2×3 A might have a pivot in each row (eg. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$)

but also

A might not have a pivot in each row (eg. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$).

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Definitions

1. Define $\text{Span}\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3\}$.

$$= \left\{ \vec{b} \quad \text{s.t.} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \vec{b} = c_1 \vec{v}_1 + c_2 \vec{v}_2 + c_3 \vec{v}_3 \\ \text{for } c_1, c_2, c_3 \text{ in } \mathbb{R} \end{array} \right\}$$

2. Define linear Independence of vectors $\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \vec{v}_3\}$.

the set is independent \Leftrightarrow

$$x_1 \vec{v}_1 + x_2 \vec{v}_2 + x_3 \vec{v}_3 = \vec{0} \quad \text{has ONLY the trivial solution}$$

3. Define "T is a linear transformation"

\Leftrightarrow

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{it satisfies } T(\vec{u} + \vec{v}) = T(\vec{u}) + T(\vec{v}) \\ T(c \cdot \vec{u}) = c \cdot T(\vec{u}) \end{array} \right\} \text{ for all } \vec{u}, \vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n \text{ and } c$$

4. Define "T is one-to-one"

\Leftrightarrow

$$T(\vec{x}) = \vec{b} \quad \text{has at most one solution for each } \vec{b}$$

5. Define "T is onto"

\Leftrightarrow

$$T(\vec{x}) = \vec{b} \quad \text{has at least one solution for each } \vec{b}$$

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Theorems

Theorem 2 The reduced echelon form of a linear system has three possible cases

1. The system has 0 solutions if it contains $[0 \dots 0 | \square]$
2. The system has 1 solutions if it has pivot in each variable column
3. The system has ∞ -many solutions if it has variable column w/o pivot

Theorem 4: The columns of an $m \times n$ matrix A span \mathbb{R}^m

if and only if there is a pivot in each row

Theorem 5 If A is an $m \times n$ matrix, $\vec{u}, \vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ and $c \in \mathbb{R}$, Then

- $A(\vec{u} + \vec{v}) = \underline{A\vec{u} + A\vec{v}}$ i.e. $T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x}$
is linear.
- $A(c \cdot \vec{u}) = \underline{c \cdot A\vec{u}}$

Properties of Linear Transformations

- If T is linear, then $T(\vec{0}) = \underline{\vec{0}}$
- T is linear $\iff T(c \cdot \vec{u} + d \cdot \vec{v}) = \underline{c \cdot T(\vec{u}) + d \cdot T(\vec{v})}$

Theorem 10 Let $T : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ be linear.

Then there is a unique $m \times n$ matrix A s.t. $T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x}$.

In Fact, $A = \underline{[T(\vec{e}_1) \dots T(\vec{e}_n)]}$ where $\vec{e}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \dots, \vec{e}_n = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Theorem 12 Let $T : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ be linear with standard matrix A . T

- (a) T is onto \iff columns of A span \mathbb{R}^m
- (b) T is one-to-one \iff columns of A are independent linearly.