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Vector Spaces (still all about $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$)

The column picture again:

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

We solve $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ for \vec{x} to find out how we combine column vectors of A ($\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$) to create/generate/reach \vec{b} .

We need to understand the places where \vec{a} 's, \vec{x} 's, & \vec{b} 's live (spaces) (where they can be, where they can't be)

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let's start with the real numbers \mathbb{R}

which is the essential vector space we'll focus on.

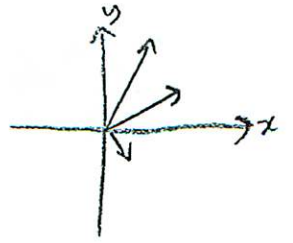
key aspects of \mathbb{R}
if $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$

a plain observation
 $3+5=8$
 $3 \times 7 = 21$

then $x+y \in \mathbb{R}$

if we multiply x by $c \in \mathbb{R}$, cx is still in \mathbb{R}

Let's think about all vectors of length 2: $\mathbb{R}^2 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}; x, y \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$



the idealized plane

(somewhat obvious)

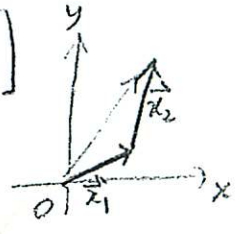
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Two key aspects of a vector space V :

① If we add any two vectors in V , we get another vector that still lives in V

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \in \text{e.g. } \mathbb{R}^2$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 + x_2 \\ y_1 + y_2 \end{bmatrix}$$



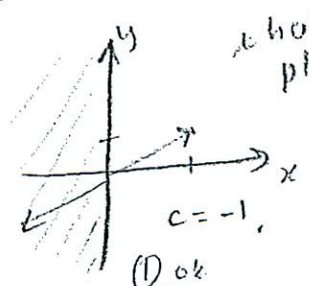
② If we multiply a vector in V by any real number $c \in \mathbb{R}$, then the new vector still lives in V .

$$\text{e.g. } 7 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 21 \\ 28 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$c \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} cx_1 \\ cy_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

make into questions

① & ② \Rightarrow Vector spaces are closed under addition and scalar multiplication



whole plane



examples of non-vector spaces



3 \odot + 2 \odot space

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An interesting vector space

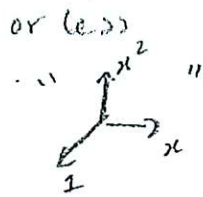
of polynomials of degree n ,

a) e.g. $n=2$

$$f_1(x) = 2 + 3x + 6x^2$$

$$f_2(x) = -1 + 2x - 3x^2$$

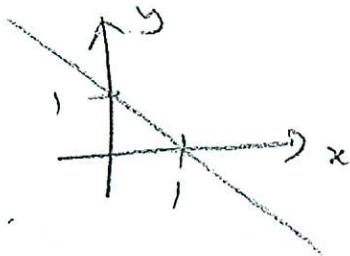
$$f_1(x) + f_2(x) = 1 + 5x + 3x^2 \checkmark$$



b) What about ^{all $m \times n$} matrices?

Yes!

c) What about ^{all points on} the line $x + y = 1$



d) What about the integers?

General Requirements of a vector space

V is a set of "vectors"

\uparrow
some kind of element

such that the following hold

(P1) ^{VS} if $\vec{x}, \vec{y} \in V$ then $\vec{x} + \vec{y} \in V$

(P2) ^{VS} if $\vec{x} \in V$, $c\vec{x} \in V$ for all $c \in \mathbb{R}$

(P3) ^{VS} $\vec{0} \in V$ ($\vec{0} + \vec{x} = \vec{x}$)

\downarrow increasingly boring

properties
e.g. $c(\vec{x} + \vec{y}) = c\vec{x} + c\vec{y}$

* We are most

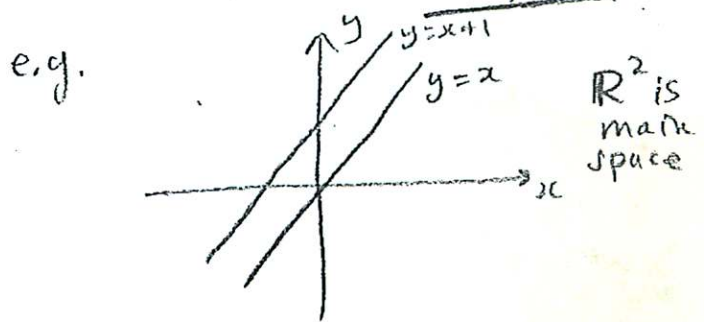
interested in these first three conditions

$\begin{matrix} 0,3 \\ 2 \end{matrix}$

We focus solely on \mathbb{R}^n
 $n=0,1,2,3$

Super crucial observation:
Vector spaces have smaller vector spaces living inside them.

We call these Subspaces



- the vectors in the line $y=x$ form a subspace of \mathbb{R}^2
- those in the line $y=x+1$ do not

Reason: we want subspaces to behave like vector spaces

(PSS1) if $\vec{x} + \vec{y} \in S$

(PSS2) if $\vec{x} \in S$, $c\vec{x} \in S$

(PSS3) $\vec{0} \in S$

so while $y=x+1$ is a nice ∞ line that looks like \mathbb{R} , it does not satisfy any of the properties PSS1 - PSS2

n.b. $\{\vec{0}\}$ & \mathbb{R}^2 are both subspaces of \mathbb{R}^2

Do the integers form a subspace of \mathbb{R} ?
what about the rationals? the...

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For \mathbb{R}^3 , subspaces are \mathbb{R}^3 itself, $\{\vec{0}\}$, any plane passing through the origin, & any line passing through the origin.

We've talked about $\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R}^2, \mathbb{R}^3$

In general we have \mathbb{R}^m
 $n=1, 2, 3, 4, 5, \dots$

and a vector \vec{b} lives in \mathbb{R}^m if it has n entries

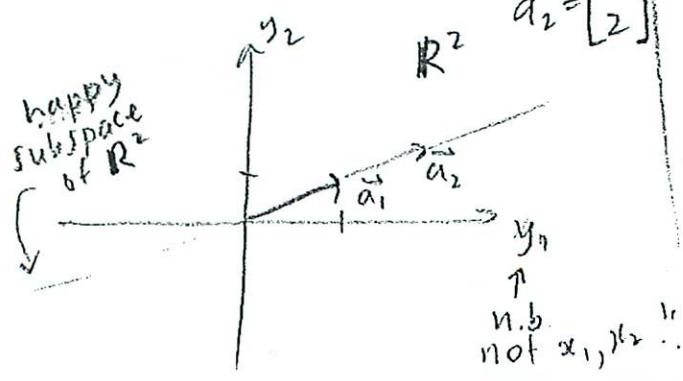
$$\vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ \vdots \\ b_m \end{bmatrix}$$

Our beloved problem $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$
 $m \times n \quad n \times 1 \quad m \times 1$
 column picture:

$$\vec{a}_1 x_1 + \vec{a}_2 x_2 + \dots + \vec{a}_n x_n = \vec{b}$$

columns of A also live in \mathbb{R}^m (not \mathbb{R}^n !!!)

eg. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{a}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{a}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$



$C(A)$

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$$\{y | \vec{y} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} x_1 + \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} x_2, x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

means take all linear combinations of $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ & $\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ← huge!
 $C(A) = \text{span of these vectors}$

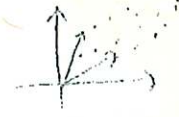
The big deal:

$A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ has a solution (possibly 1 or ~~only~~ many) if & only if \vec{b} lives in A 's column space.

For A above, $\vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 38 \\ 19 \end{bmatrix}$ works

$\vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ fails

eg. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$



now $C(A) = \mathbb{R}^2$

any \vec{b} works!

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

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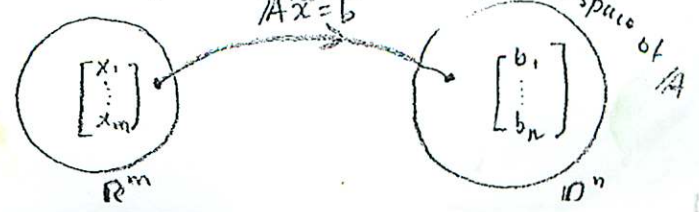
$C(A)$ is a plane (2-d) living in \mathbb{R}^3

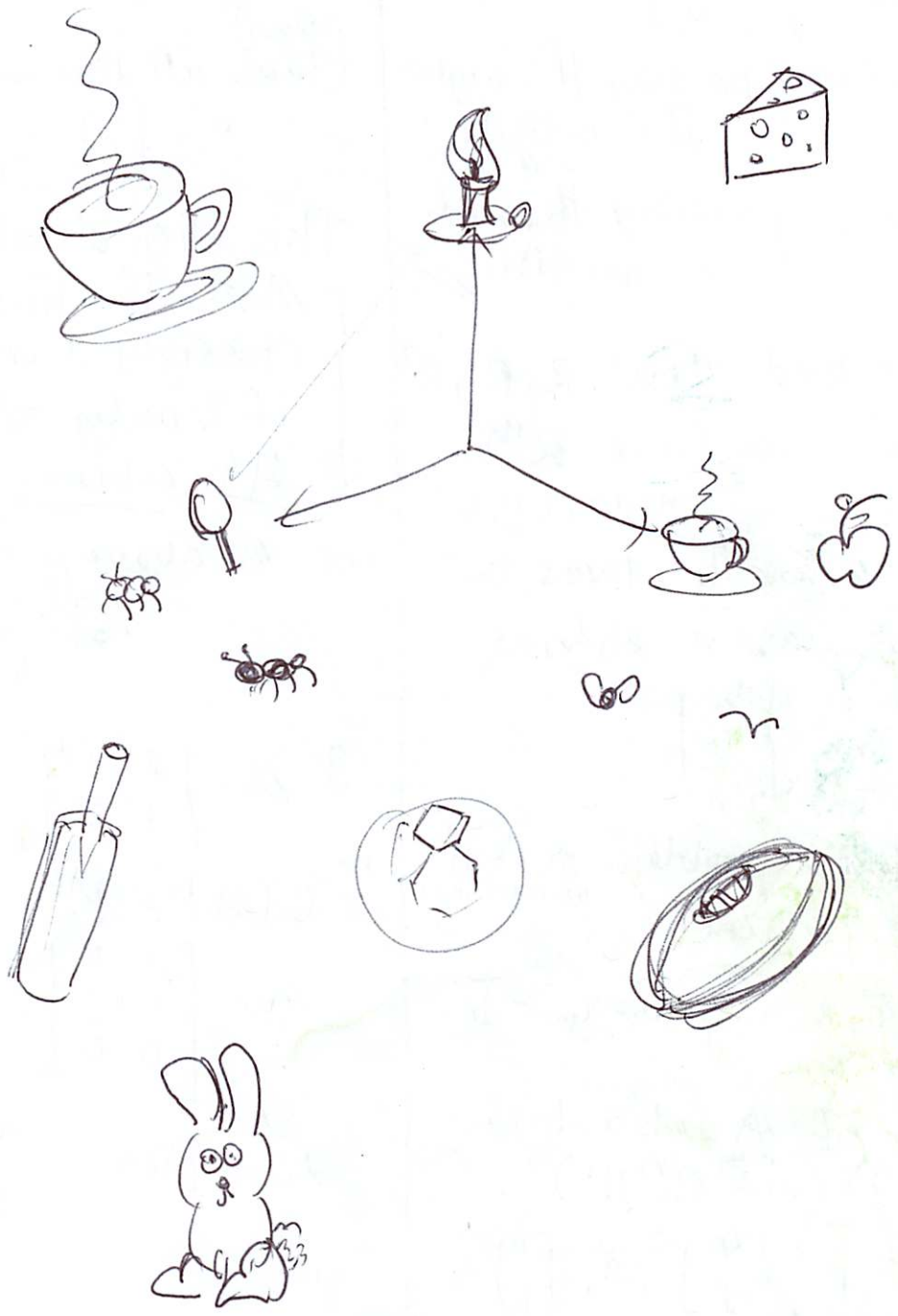
What about

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} ?$$

example of finding column space

Our emerging picture: $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$





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Section 3.2

The Nullspace of A

some kind of vector space...

Consider $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$ (special \vec{b})
(we call this a homogeneous equation)

→ How can we combine the columns of A to obtain $\vec{0}$?

$\vec{x} = \vec{0}$ always works!

but consider

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

$$\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

in fact, any multiple of this works

So $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$ for all $\vec{x}_h = c \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ homogeneous CER subspace of \mathbb{R}^3

Now what about $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ if

$$\vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} ? \quad \vec{x}_p = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ works}$$

Are there other solutions?

Yes!! because we can have

$$\vec{x} = \vec{x}_h + \vec{x}_p$$

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$$A(\vec{x}_h + \vec{x}_p) = \underbrace{A\vec{x}_h}_{\vec{0}} + \underbrace{A\vec{x}_p}_{\vec{b}}$$

(do example as well)

The big deal

We call the subspace of \mathbb{R}^n which is made up of all \vec{x}_h that satisfy $A\vec{x}_h = \vec{0}$ the Nullspace of A

Notation $N(A)$ or $\mathcal{N}(A)$

If the $N(A) = \{ \vec{0} \}$ and $\vec{b} \in C(A)$, we have a unique solution

If the $N(A)$ has dimension 1 or more & $\vec{b} \in C(A)$, we have ∞ many solutions

How to find your nullspace

example:

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

Solve $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$

$$IE_{21} = II, \quad IE_{31} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} l_{21} = 0 \\ l_{31} = 1 \end{matrix}$$

$$IE_{31} IE_{21} A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 + b_1 \end{matrix}$$

3rd pivot is 0
this is okay!

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How to find the column space and null space of a matrix A .

Recap: $\mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ $\vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n \xrightarrow{A\vec{x}} \vec{b} \in \mathbb{R}^m$

$C(A)$ = A 's column space
 = a subspace of \mathbb{R}^m
 = all \vec{b} that $A\vec{x}$ can reach

$N(A)$ = A 's nullspace
 = a subspace of \mathbb{R}^n
 = all \vec{x} for which $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$

The method Find $C(A)$ & $N(A)$:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 & 10 \\ 6 & 12 & 12 & 18 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$m=3, n=4$

Proceed as if solving for $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ arbitrary \vec{b} .

$$[A|\vec{b}] = \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 2 & 4 & 3 & 4 & b_1 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 & 10 & b_2 \\ 6 & 12 & 12 & 18 & b_3 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_2' = R_2 - \frac{1}{2}R_1 \quad E_{21} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3' = R_3 - \frac{3}{2}R_1 \quad E_{31} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 2 & 4 & 3 & 4 & b_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 6 & b_2 - b_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 6 & b_3 - 3b_1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_3' = R_3 - \frac{1}{3}R_2 \quad E_{32} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 2 & 4 & 3 & 4 & b_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 6 & b_2 - b_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & b_3 - 3b_1 - (b_2 - b_1) \end{array} \right]$$

x_1, x_2, x_3 are pivot variables

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keep going to obtain reduced row echelon form (as we did for inverses)

$$R_1' = R_1 - \frac{2}{3}R_2 \quad E_{12} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 2 & 4 & 0 & -2 & b_1 - (b_2 - b_1) \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 6 & b_2 - b_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & b_3 - b_2 - 2b_1 \end{array} \right]$$

Finally divide through by pivots

$$R_1' = \frac{1}{2}R_1 \quad R_2 = \frac{1}{3}R_2$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 2 & 0 & -1 & \frac{1}{2}(2b_1 - b_2) \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & \frac{1}{3}(b_2 - b_1) \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & b_3 - b_2 - 2b_1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$= [IR | \vec{d}]$$

pivot columns

"free" columns

NOTES

- We can't reduce any further
- IR is unique for a given A
- row swaps are still possible
- now: pivots may appear irregularly.

$$\left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & & & \\ & 1 & & \\ & & 1 & \\ & & & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

- in building IR , always introduce zeros above and below pivots.
- always divide through to change pivots into 1's.

* Definition #pivot columns = rank of a matrix
 We always write rank as r .

(Looking ahead: every matrix has an invertible square $r \times r$ matrix hiding inside it)
 ← ridiculously important!!!

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All right, so how do we find $C(A)$ & $N(A)$

$\rightarrow C(A)$: all \vec{b} 's for which $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ has a solution

3 ways at least

Our example: $\vec{d} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2}(2b_1 - b_2) \\ \frac{1}{3}(b_2 - b_1) \\ b_3 - b_2 - 2b_1 \end{bmatrix}$

$A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ is solvable as long as bottom row is all 0's in $[A | \vec{d}]$

$\Rightarrow b_3 - b_2 - 2b_1 = 0$

Req of a plane in 3d.

We could stop here, but there is a better way:

write $b_3 = b_2 + 2b_1$, $b_2, b_1 \in \mathbb{R}$

columns

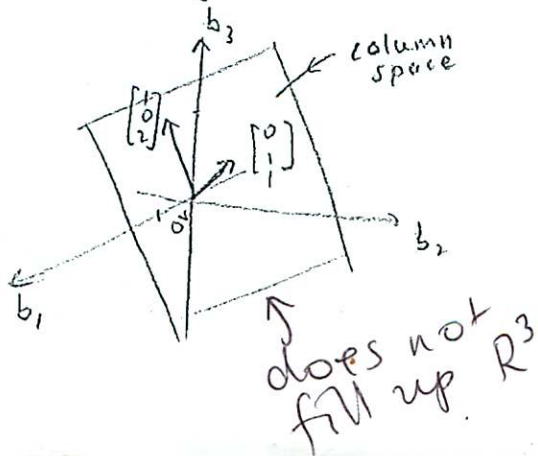
then $\vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_2 + 2b_1 \end{bmatrix} = b_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + b_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

+ formal def

$C(A) = \{ \vec{b} \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid \vec{b} = \dots \}$ always write this out $b_1, b_2 \in \mathbb{R}$

So we see $C(A)$ is a 2-d subspace of $\mathbb{R}^m = \mathbb{R}^3$

[Big deal $r = 2 = \text{dimension of } C(A)$ (more later)]



n.b. Nothing special about $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

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$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ & $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ would work too

also, we could have written

$b_3 - b_2 - 2b_1 = 0$

as $b_2 = b_3 - 2b_1$

then $\vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_3 - 2b_1 \\ b_3 \end{bmatrix} = b_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + b_3 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

[There are other ways to find $C(A)$ + Move next week when we talk about bases (sec 3.5)]

So $N(A)$: Solve $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$

so $b_1 = b_2 = b_3 = 0$ Id matrix

\Rightarrow our problem $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ n.b.

Here, we have a well defined procedure: express pivot variables in terms of free variables

$x_1 + 2x_2 - x_4 = 0$
 $x_3 + 2x_4 = 0$
pivot variable free variables

$\Rightarrow x_1 = -2x_2 + x_4$

$x_3 = -2x_4$ ← replace pivot variables

$\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2x_2 + x_4 \\ x_2 \\ -2x_4 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_4 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
 $x_2, x_4 \in \mathbb{R}$

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special solutions

Formally:

$$N(A) = \left\{ \vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^4 \mid \vec{x} = x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_4 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

a 2-d subspace in 4-d.

Note: $n-r = 4-2 =$ dimension of Nullspace (move later)

n.b. For the A above, if $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ has a solution, there are always ∞ many solutions. Reason: $N(A)$ is not $\{\vec{0}\}$, it's a plane of vectors.

Let's finish this example with a $\vec{b} \in C(A)$. e.g. $\vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$

$$[A \mid \vec{b}] \sim \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 2 & 0 & -1 & \frac{1}{2}(2b_1 - b_2) \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & \frac{1}{3}(b_2 - b_1) \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & b_3 - b_2 - 2b_1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$= \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 2 & 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

Do the same thing we did to find the null space

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + 2x_2 - x_4 &= 1 \\ x_3 + 2x_4 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

(circled) pivots

$$x_1 = 1 - 2x_2 + x_4, \quad x_3 = -2x_4$$

$$\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 - 2x_2 + x_4 \\ x_2 \\ -2x_4 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_4 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$x_2, x_4 \in \mathbb{R}$ special solutions

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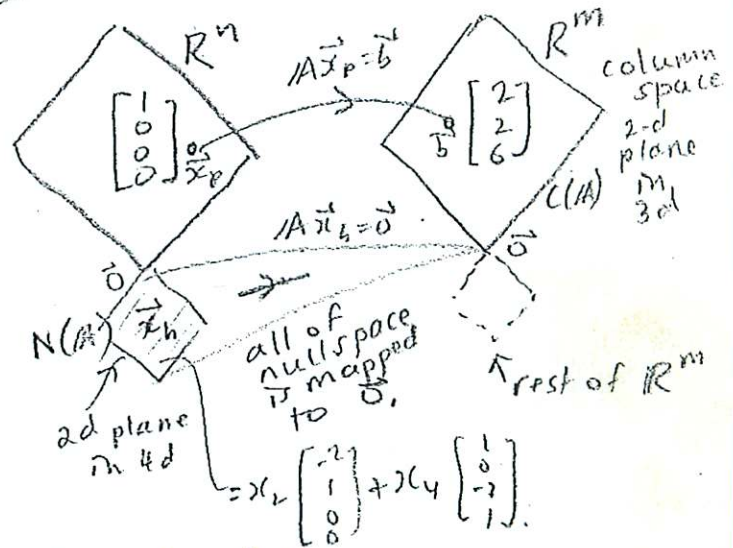
$$\vec{x} = \vec{x}_p + \vec{x}_h$$

$$A\vec{x} = A\vec{x}_p + A\vec{x}_h = \vec{b} + \vec{0}$$

lines in null space

Notice: we can find \vec{x}_p if we set $x_2, x_4 = 0$ and solve for x_1, x_3 .

So \vec{b} is reached using non-zero pivot variables & zero'd free variables.



Connection between Form of R and special solutions

$$\left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 2 & 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \quad \text{IF} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ for free vars}$$

$$\text{II for pivot cols} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{III for free row variables} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{IF} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

permutate x_i 's

most general form: Special solution matrix

$$IR = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} \text{II} & \text{IF} \\ \hline 0 & 00000 \end{array} \right] \quad \text{IN} = \begin{bmatrix} -\text{IF} \\ \text{II} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$IRIN = \text{I}$$

$$\text{I}(-\text{IF}) + \text{IF} \text{II}$$

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[LIF]
m, n, r.

We get much information from R:

- ① Null space
- ② rank r (dimension of column space)
- ③ and more (later)
- ④ free set of tofu knives

What can we say about $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ for following reduced row echelon forms of A?

a) $R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & c_5 & c_5 & 0 & c_5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & c_5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ n.b. c_5 's are different

\uparrow pivot \uparrow free \uparrow pivot \uparrow free \uparrow pivot

$m=3, n=6, r=3 = \#$ pivot columns

So: we immediately know that $C(A) = R^3 = R^m$ since $m=r=3$
 ↳ subspace of R^m

Null space is a 3-d subspace of $R^n = R^6$
 " " " " $n-r$

$\Rightarrow A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ always has a solution and there are always only many.

b) $R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ $m=n=r=3$
 $C(A) = R^3 = R^m$
 Null space is $\{\vec{0}\}$ (no free variables)

$\Rightarrow A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ always has a unique solution

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 If A is $n \times n$ & invertible
 A's IR must be the identity matrix

c) $R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $m=4, n=r=3$

again null space is $\{\vec{0}\}$ (no free variables)
 (solution to $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$ is $\vec{x} = \vec{0}$)

but $C(A)$ is a 3-d subspace of $R^4 = R^m$

$\Rightarrow A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ may or may not have a solution. If it does, it is unique.

Summary [] invertible sub matrix

(i) $m=r, n=r$
 $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ has 1 solution always
 ↳ square & invertible

(ii) $m=r, n>r$ (wide [])
 $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ has only many solutions always

(iii) $m>r, n=r$ tall []
 $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ has 0 or 1 solution (no Null space)

(iv) $m>r, n>r$
 $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ has 0 or only many solutions
 (Add qualities of $N(A)$ & $C(A)$ Make a chart!)

$\Leftrightarrow A$ is invertible.

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Section 3.5

+ finding column space on A^T + row space.

Today:

[Bases and spanning sets & dimensions of subspaces]

+ Let's explore $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ when $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

First; find the column space & null space of A , $C(A)$ & $N(A)$

Solve $\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 1 & b_1 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 & b_2 \end{array} \right]$ by row reduction $(A|\vec{b})$

$$R_2' = R_2 - 2R_1$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 1 & b_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & b_2 - 2b_1 \end{array} \right]$$

pivot col free cols

Column space: $b_2 - 2b_1 = 0 \Rightarrow b_2 = 2b_1$

n.b. obvious from A !

$$\vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ 2b_1 \end{bmatrix} = b_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, b_1 \in \mathbb{R}$$

Null space: $\vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2x_2 - x_3 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, x_2, x_3 \in \mathbb{R}$$

↑ ↑ free variable

Observe: column space and nullspace are subspaces of \mathbb{R}^m & \mathbb{R}^n

$$C(A) \subset \mathbb{R}^m \quad N(A) \subset \mathbb{R}^n$$

Take $N(A)$:

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$N(A)$ comprises all linear combinations of $\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ & $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Check subspace properties

① if $\vec{x}, \vec{y} \in N(A)$, $\vec{x} + \vec{y} \in N(A)$
 $\vec{x} = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{y} = c_3 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_4 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{x} + \vec{y} = (c_1 + c_3) \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + (c_2 + c_4) \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \in N(A)$$

② $\vec{x} \in N(A) \Rightarrow c\vec{x} \in N(A)$ clear

③ $\vec{0} \in N(A)$? Sure: $\vec{0} = 0 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 0 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

In general, sets made up of all linear combinations of a collection of vectors are subspaces.

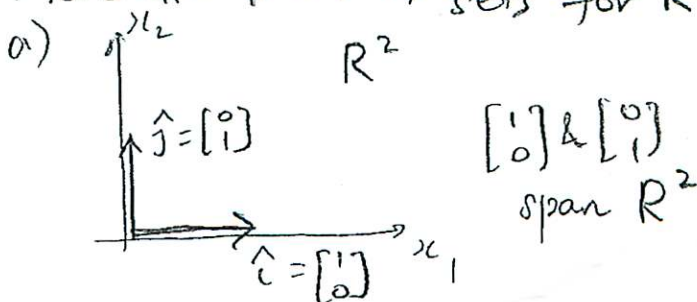
Words: we say $\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ & $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

"span" the nullspace of A .
 and that $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$
 is a spanning set of $N(A)$

Note well: other sets could span $N(A)$... (in fact infinitely many)

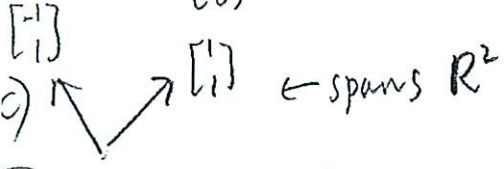
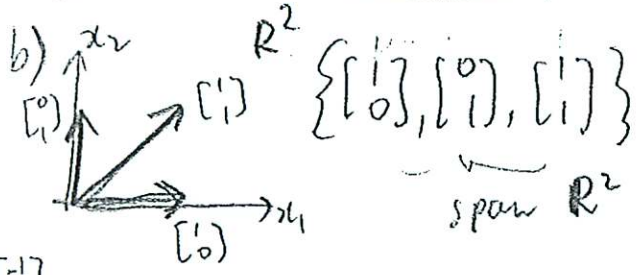
$$\left\{ 2 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, 3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}, \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

More examples - Spanning sets for \mathbb{R}^2 :



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Defn A spanning set that is linearly independent is called a basis (or a minimal spanning set)

plural: bases
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Note Bases are not unique but some are better than others...
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move later.

Observe a) & c) examples are special because we need both vectors for b) we could take any one vector away, and the set of vecs would span R^2 still. (overkill redundancy)

It's good to have a basis: because then we have a unique representation of each point in our subspace.

Words: a) & c) examples are a linearly independent set
b) example is a linearly dependent set

o.g. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$: $\begin{bmatrix} 33 \\ 72 \end{bmatrix} = 33 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 72 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
weird: everything is in terms of \hat{e}_i *only way*

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$: $\begin{bmatrix} 33 \\ 72 \end{bmatrix} = 33 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 72 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + 0 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
 $= 0 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 39 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + 33 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
not unique

Defn: a set of vectors $\{\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2, \dots, \vec{a}_n\}$ is linearly independent if $x_1 \vec{a}_1 + x_2 \vec{a}_2 + \dots + x_n \vec{a}_n = \vec{0}$ is solved only by $x_1 = x_2 = \dots = x_n = 0$

(n.b. only many ways to represent a point \Leftrightarrow exactly the same as $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ having only many solutions $\Leftrightarrow N(A) \neq \{\vec{0}\}$.)

Why?
If some of the $x_i \neq 0$, we expand can express one vector in terms of the others

Back to $N(A)$ & $C(A)$

~~$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$~~ is a basis for $N(A)$

$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ is a basis for $C(A)$ *next page*

eg. b) above $x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \vec{0}$
 is solved by $x_1 = 1$
 $x_2 = 1$
 $x_3 = -1$

and clearly $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Defn: \checkmark big deal!!!
The dimension of a space is the # vectors in any basis for that space

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So for $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 3}$

$\dim C(A) = 1$
 $\dim N(A) = 2$

$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

Now we are getting somewhere...

In general, $\dim C(A) = r =$ the rank of A
 $=$ # pivots
 $\dim N(A) = n - r$
v. important!!

Why?

First $N(A)$:

recall for our example $\vec{x}_h = x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
 basis vectors
 our free variables are x_2 & x_3
 why indep

- \Rightarrow Number of basis vectors
- \equiv # of free variables
- $\equiv n - r$
- total # of variables
- # of pivot variables

$C(A)$: key point ^{(#1) (concentrate!)} — when we do row operations, the relationships between columns do not change

e.g. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ clearly $\text{col } 1 = \text{col } 2 + \text{col } 3$
 now do some row ops: $R_2' = R_2 - 2R_1$
 $R_3' = R_3 - 3R_1$
 $\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 2 \\ 0 & -3 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ still have $\text{col } 1 = \text{col } 2 + \text{col } 3$

key point 2:

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In \mathbb{R} , the reduced row echelon form of A , we can see that free cols can easily be made by combinations of pivot cols.

e.g. (from prev lec)

$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 & 10 \\ 6 & 12 & 12 & 18 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
 A pivot \mathbb{R}

$\text{col } 2 = 2 \times \text{col } 1$
 $\text{col } 4 = -1 \times \text{col } 1 + 2 \times \text{col } 3$
 see from \mathbb{R}

Observe same relations hold for A !!

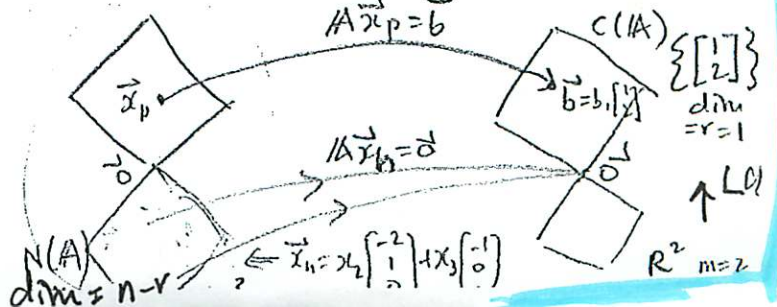
Be careful; relationships between columns are not changed ^{by row reduction} but cols in \mathbb{R} are not in column space !!

Row reduction alters columns, ^{but} $N(\mathbb{R}) = N(A)$
 $C(A) \neq C(\mathbb{R})$
 What this means: we see the pivot columns in A form a basis for $C(A)$ (as found in \mathbb{R}) & there are exactly r of them. ^{by defn of r .}

Our small example of the day

$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ $\mathbb{R} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
 basis vector \leftarrow pivot col

$\dim C(A) = r = 1$
 The LHS pic so far for $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$:



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Two more subspaces to go:

First: row space

= Subspace of \mathbb{R}^n
 spanned by row vectors of A .
 where \vec{x} lives

cf. the right stuff
 Brauerhead
 this lecture
 has nothing
 to do with
 them

Recall: Column space is where \vec{b} lives if $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ is solvable
 $C(A) \subset \mathbb{R}^m$ whereas row space of $A \subset \mathbb{R}^n$

Seems like a fine space but is it useful like column space?
 Yes!

Big deals about Row Space:
 can be expressed as a combination of row vectors

BD1 If $\vec{x} \in A$'s row space
 $A\vec{x} \neq \vec{0}$ unless $\vec{x} = \vec{0}$.

our example
 $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ Take $\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ← clearly in row space
 $A\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix} = 6 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ← our basis vector for col space

what is row space for A ?
 by inspection
 row space = $\left\{ \vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid \vec{x} = c \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, c \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$

So \vec{x}_p must live in row space !!
 (\vec{x}_h lives in nullspace)

$\vec{x} = \vec{x}_p + \vec{x}_h$
 $A\vec{x} = A\vec{x}_p + A\vec{x}_h$
 \vec{b} ← our particular solution is some combination of A 's rows

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 BD2 Any \vec{x} in A 's row space is orthogonal to any \vec{x} in A 's null space.
 (OR) Row space & null space are at "right angles" to each other

Reason: By definition, if $\vec{x} \in N(A)$ then $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$ so the dot products of all the rows of A with \vec{x} must be 0.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \left(c_1 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \checkmark$$

BD3 The row space of A is the same as the row space of \mathbb{R} !

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{A} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\mathbb{R}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 & 10 \\ 6 & 12 & 12 & 18 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\mathbb{R}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

using row reductions we find a basis for A ! (2,3) (2,6) (6,12)

non-zero rows in $\mathbb{R} = r$, the rank
 $\Rightarrow \dim(A\text{'s row space}) = r$ same as $C(A)$
 = # basis vectors for A 's row space

Dimensions of A 's null space ($= n-r$) & A 's row space ($= r$) add up to n .



(BD's) $A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

We see (A^T) 's column space is A 's row space!! huge!

Plus A 's column space is (A^T) 's row space!!

So we'll write the row space of A as $C(A^T)$

Bonus big deal:

A^T has a null space too!! Its dimension must be $m-r$!

We'll call $N(A^T)$ the **left** null space of A .

Reason: if $\vec{y} \in N(A^T) \subset \mathbb{R}^m$ then by defn $A^T \vec{y} = \vec{0}$

Take transpose of each side;

$(A^T \vec{y})^T = \vec{0}^T$

$\vec{y}^T (A^T)^T = \vec{0}^T$

$\vec{y}^T A = \vec{0}^T$ ← row vec

so \vec{y}^T is a 'left' null vector for A b/c it multiplies on the left

+ Nullspace
Right Null space.

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What is $N(A^T)$?

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

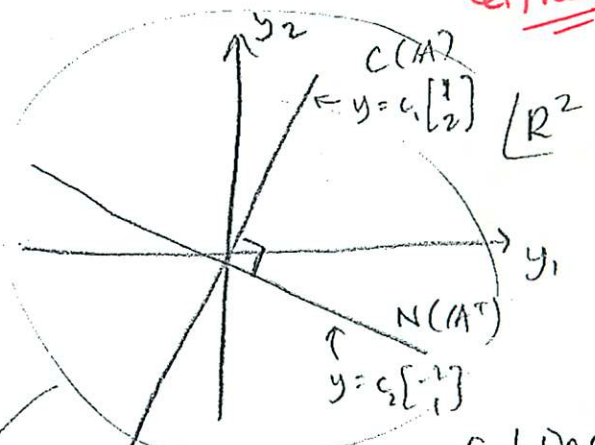
do row ops

$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$

$\Rightarrow y_1 + 2y_2 = 0 \Rightarrow y_1 = -2y_2$

$\vec{y} = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2y_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = y_2 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ $y_2 \in \mathbb{R}$

check $C(A)$ vecs are \perp to $N(A^T)$ vecs
 $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ + show leftness



Fundamental Theorem of Linear Algebra part 1
 $\dim C(A) = r$
 $\dim N(A^T) = m - r$

$\dim C(A) + \dim N(A^T) = r + (m - r) = m$

Similarly

$\dim C(A^T) + \dim N(A) = r + (n - r) = n$

discuss direct sums of subspaces

All vectors in \mathbb{R}^2 can be expressed as a linear combination of vectors in $N(A^T)$ & $C(A)$

Similarly for $N(A)$ & $C(A^T)$

Write: $\mathbb{R}^m = N(A^T) \oplus C(A)$

$\mathbb{R}^n = N(A) \oplus C(A^T)$

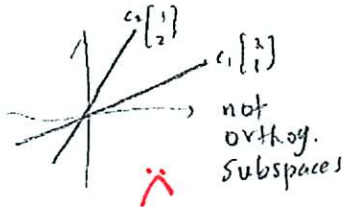
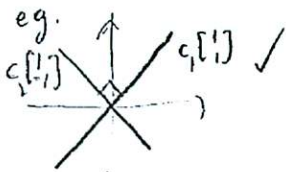
We need

Some definitions to go further

1) If $\vec{x} \cdot \vec{y} = 0$ we say \vec{x} & \vec{y} are orthogonal

in a sense \vec{x} contains none of \vec{y} and vice versa

2) We say two subspaces V & W are orthogonal if all vectors in V are orthogonal to all vectors in W



Now we showed that all vectors in $C(A)$ are \perp all vectors in $N(A^T)$

Similarly $C(A^T) \perp N(A)$ (use words)

But wait, there's more!

Because their dimensions add up to the dimensions of their spaces, we say these subspaces are orthogonal complements of each other

$S^\perp, S \perp = perp.$

complements of each other

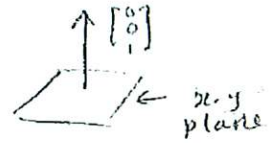
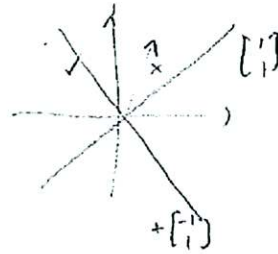
Fundamental Theorem part 2:

Null space $N(A)$ is the orthogonal complement of row space $C(A^T)$

Left Nullspace $N(A^T)$ is the orthogonal complement of column space $C(A)$

defn.

orthogonal complement of $S \subset V$
 $S^\perp = \{ \vec{x} \in V \mid \vec{x} \cdot \vec{s} = 0 \forall \vec{s} \in S \}$



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Last

The bases of $C(A^T)$ & $N(A)$ combine to give a basis of R^n

The bases of $C(A)$ & $N(A^T)$ combine to give a basis of R^m .

write out full theorem

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Big picture for the 4 kinds of A

$m=n=r$



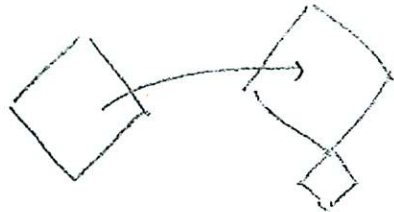
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$m=r$
 $n>r$



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$m>r$
 $n=r$

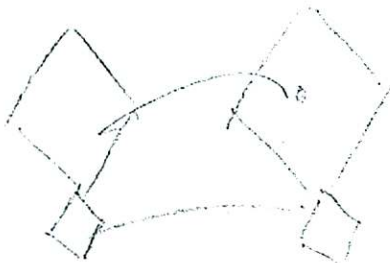


1 or ∞

$m>r$
 $n>r$



shape unknown



0 or ∞

non trivial null space $\Rightarrow \infty$ possibility

non trivial left null space $\Rightarrow 0$ possibility

row	col	row null $N(A)$	left null $N(A^T)$	col $C(A)$
\mathbb{R}^n	\mathbb{R}^m	$\left\{ \begin{matrix} \vec{0} \\ 0 \end{matrix} \right\}$	$\left\{ \vec{0} \right\}$	\mathbb{R}^m
			$\left\{ \vec{0} \right\}$	
		$\left\{ \vec{0} \right\}$		
				etc.

\mathbb{R}

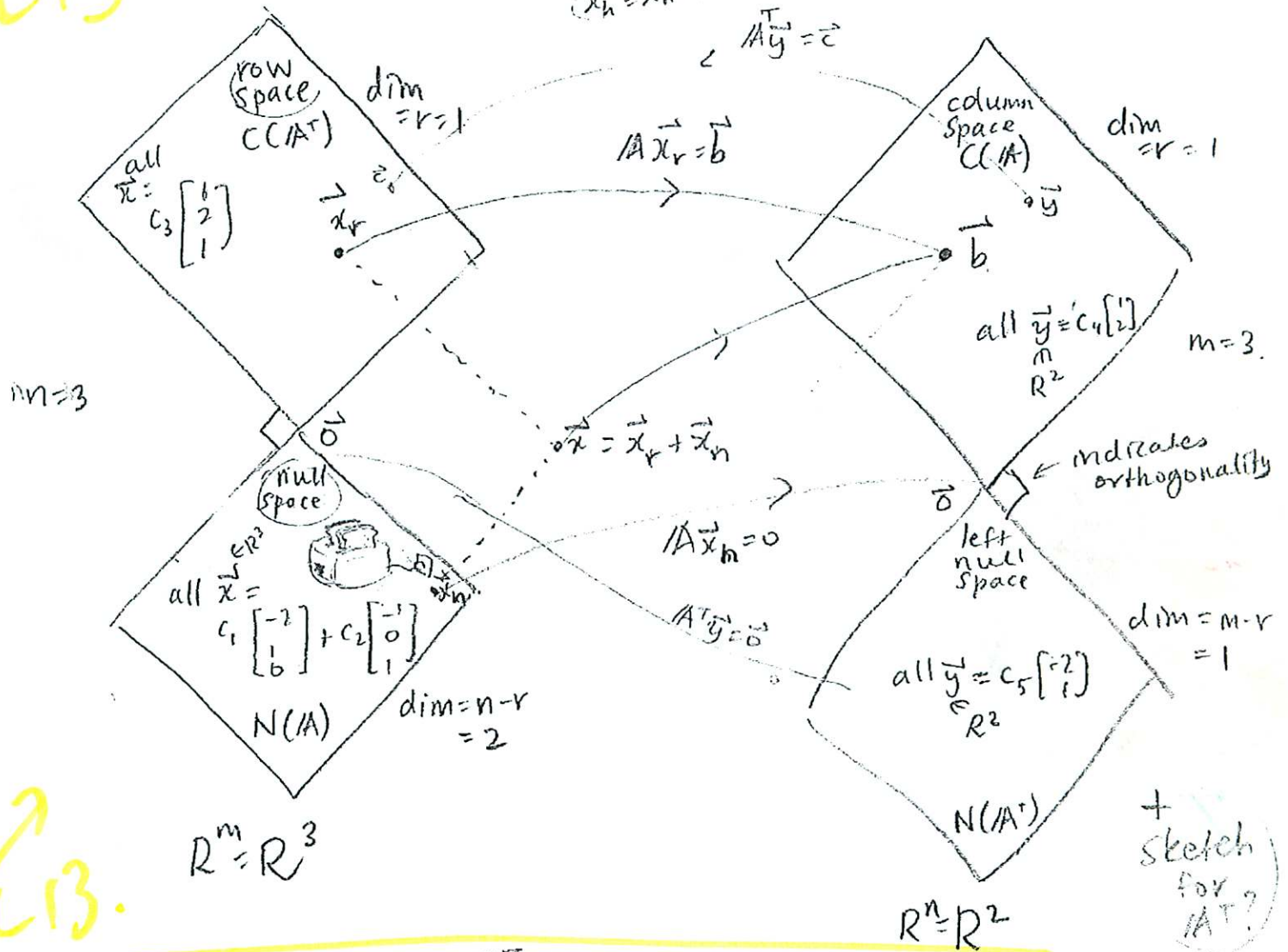
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The Big Picture for $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ when $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

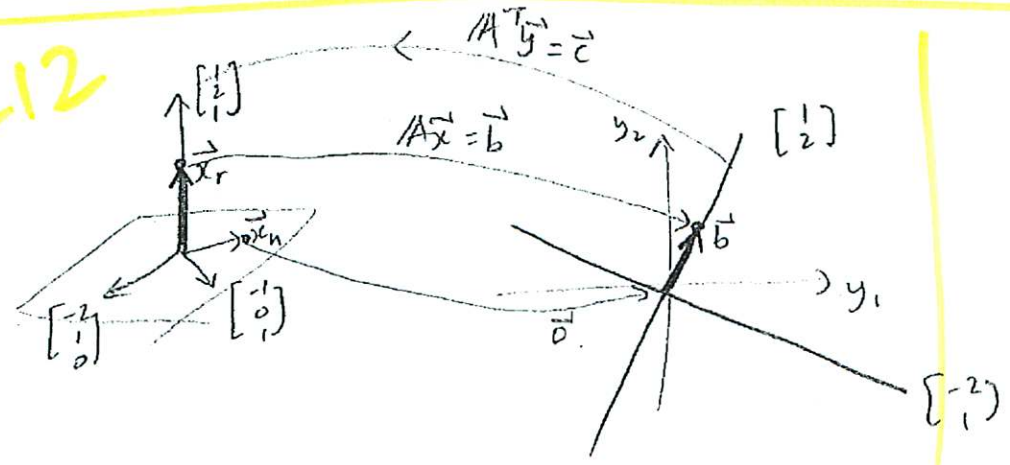
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$(\vec{x}_r = \vec{x}_1)$
 $(\vec{x}_h = \vec{x}_n)$
 r for row
 n for null
 $A^T \vec{y} = \vec{c}$



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A & A^T
map between
 $r=1$ dim subspaces
of R^n & R^m

* One more thing about bases for our four subspaces:

We found $C(A)$ by solving $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ for a general \vec{b} and the finding which \vec{b} 's were reachable. (1st way)

A nicer plan: (2nd way)
The row space of A^T is the same as $C(A)$
 \Rightarrow Find the RREF of A^T and read off the basis vectors.

(Easy & gives a unique basis) since \mathbb{R} is unique

e.g. ① $\bar{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$
 $A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{reduce}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
 $\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ is the basis vector

② $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 & 10 \\ 6 & 12 & 12 & 18 \end{bmatrix}$

$A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 6 \\ 4 & 4 & 12 \\ 3 & 6 & 12 \\ 4 & 10 & 18 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & 6 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$

$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

basis: $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$
for $C(A)$
excellent...

Projections
(moving towards handling $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ when $\vec{b} \notin C(A)$)

(3rd way) (really doing this for understanding)

Recall $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 & 10 \\ 6 & 12 & 12 & 18 \end{bmatrix}$
 $\Rightarrow R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

① We observed that row reduction does not change relationships between columns

② R shows us that the free columns can be formed by the pivot columns

$R \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \& \quad \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = - \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$
 $A \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 4 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix} = 2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad \& \quad \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 10 \\ 18 \end{bmatrix} = - \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} + 2 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix}$

Pivot columns in A (not R !) form a basis for $C(A)$

but need R to find them!

Basis: $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

[Alert: $C(A)$ & $C(R)$ are different! but A 's & R 's column relationships are the same

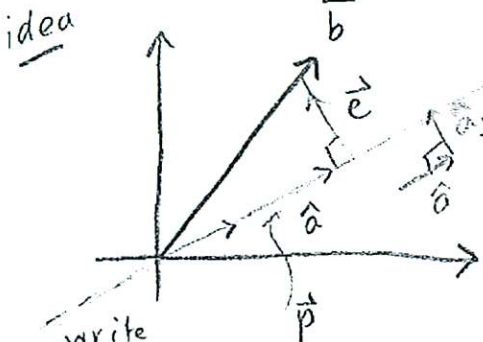
[Note: bases obtained may well be different using different methods!

We expect this... there are many bases for a given space



Projections

we are moving towards handling $Ax=b$ when there are no solutions



given \vec{b} , break it into components in direction of \vec{a} & $\perp \vec{a}$

write $\vec{b} = \vec{p} + \vec{e}$
 projected component

Reason: In solving $Ax=b$, if $b \notin C(A)$ we can still solve $Ax=p$ to obtain our best approximation (left nullspace will matter here!)

To find \vec{p} & \vec{e} :

We want $\vec{p} \parallel \vec{a}$ & $\vec{e} \perp \vec{a}$

Mathematically: $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{e} = 0$ or $\vec{a}^T \vec{e} = 0$

$\vec{a}^T \vec{b} = \vec{a}^T (\vec{p} + \vec{e})$ & $\vec{p} = \gamma \vec{a}$

$\Rightarrow \vec{a}^T \vec{b} = \vec{a}^T \gamma \vec{a} + \vec{a}^T \vec{e}$

$\Rightarrow \gamma = \frac{\vec{a}^T \vec{b}}{\vec{a}^T \vec{a}} \Rightarrow \vec{p} = \frac{\vec{a}^T \vec{b}}{\vec{a}^T \vec{a}} \vec{a}$

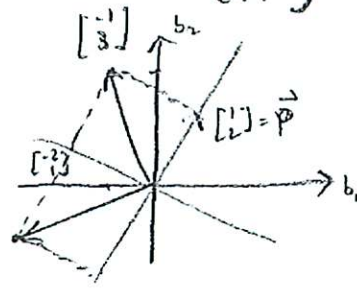
Example: project

$\vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ onto $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \vec{a}$

$\gamma = \frac{-5}{5} = -1 \Rightarrow \vec{p} = -1 \cdot \vec{a} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$

$\vec{e} = \vec{b} - \vec{p} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

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show $\vec{e} \perp \vec{p}$

Something sneaky:

$\vec{p} = \begin{pmatrix} \vec{a}^T \vec{b} \\ \vec{a}^T \vec{a} \end{pmatrix} \vec{a} = \vec{a} \begin{pmatrix} \vec{a}^T \vec{b} \\ \vec{a}^T \vec{a} \end{pmatrix}$
 Switcharoo

projection matrix $n \times n$ = IP

$\vec{a} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = A_{proj}$
 note $A_{proj} = A A^T$

$A_{proj} \vec{b} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ -10 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$

$\vec{b} - \vec{p}$ as before.

$\vec{e} = (\mathbb{I} - A_{proj}) \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Next: project onto column space (or any subspace)

show $\vec{p} = \hat{a} \hat{a}^T \vec{b}$

Collect assignment #5.

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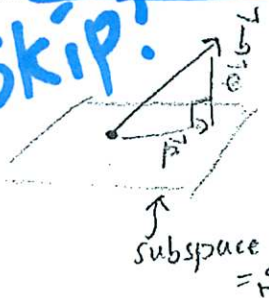
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Projecting a vector \vec{b} onto a subspace $S \subset \mathbb{R}^m$

- How to do
- Example
- Main use (solving $AX = \vec{b}$ when we can't solve $AX = \vec{b}$)

skip!



break \vec{b} into two pieces
 \vec{p} = projection which lives in S
 \vec{e} = error which lives in S^\perp

We must have a description of S , in particular a basis: $\{\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2, \dots, \vec{a}_r\}$ $r \leq m$

We want these two things to be true:

(a) $\vec{p} = \vec{a}_1 x_1^* + \vec{a}_2 x_2^* + \dots + \vec{a}_r x_r^*$ \vec{p} lives in S

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \vec{a}_1 & \vec{a}_2 & \dots & \vec{a}_r \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1^* \\ x_2^* \\ \vdots \\ x_r^* \end{bmatrix} = \underset{m \times r}{A} \underset{r \times 1}{\vec{x}^*}$$

(b) \vec{e} must be \perp all \vec{a}_i

$$\begin{bmatrix} -\vec{a}_1 & | & \vec{e} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ -\vec{a}_2 & | & \vec{e} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} \vec{a}_1^T \vec{e} = 0 \\ \vec{a}_2^T \vec{e} = 0 \\ \vdots \\ A^T \vec{e} = \vec{0} \end{matrix}$$

combine (a) & (b)

$$\underset{r \times m}{A^T} \vec{b} = \underset{r \times m}{A^T} \underset{m \times 1}{A} \underset{r \times 1}{\vec{x}^*}$$

called the normal equation
 very important!

$\Rightarrow \vec{x}^* = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T \vec{b}$

$\Rightarrow \vec{p} = A (A^T A)^{-1} A^T \vec{b}$
 since $\vec{p} = A \vec{x}^*$

And last, we can identify a matrix that does the projection for us:

$\vec{p} = P \vec{b}$ where $P = A (A^T A)^{-1} A^T$

Warning! later L15 $(A^T A)^{-1} \neq A^{-1} (A^T)^{-1}$ (not nec)

A may not be square!
 A^{-1} may not exist if A is square!
 but $A^T A$ is always square ($r \times r$)

$A^T A$ is invertible if A 's columns are linearly independent
 $\Leftrightarrow A \vec{x} = \vec{0}$ only has $\vec{x} = \vec{0}$ as a solution
 $\Leftrightarrow A$'s nullspace is $\{\vec{0}\}$

Show $A^T A$ & A have the same nullspace
 (if $\vec{x} \in N(A)$ then $\vec{x} \in N(A^T A)$ and vice versa)

\Rightarrow if $A \vec{x} = \vec{0}$ then $A^T (A \vec{x}) = A^T \vec{0} = \vec{0}$

\Leftarrow if $(A^T A) \vec{x} = \vec{0}$ then $\vec{x}^T A^T A \vec{x} = \vec{x}^T \vec{0} = 0$
 $= (A \vec{x})^T A \vec{x} = \|A \vec{x}\|^2 = 0$
 So $A \vec{x}$ must be $\vec{0}$

Next: see that $A^T A$ is square and invertible
 reason later

fold into $A \vec{x} = \vec{b}$

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$$\begin{array}{r} 1 \quad 1 \quad -1 \quad 2 \\ 2 \quad 1 \quad 0 \quad 11 \quad 3 \\ 7 \quad -1 \quad 0 \quad 1 \end{array}$$

Example:

Project $\vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ onto subspace of \mathbb{R}^3 with basis

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

plane $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 0$.

?)

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

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

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

guaranteed symmetric & invertible

$$(A^T A)^{-1} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P = A (A^T A)^{-1} A^T$$

n.b. $IP = IP^T$

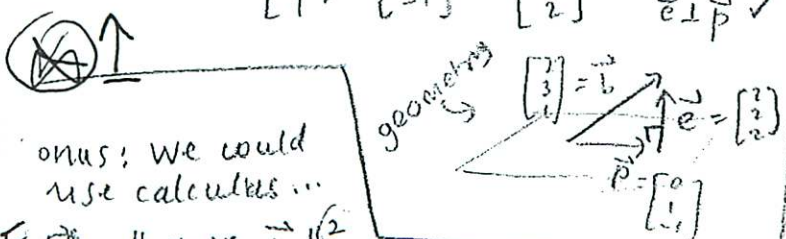
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ -7 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{p} = P \vec{b} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \left(= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

$$\vec{e} = \vec{b} - \vec{p} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

check $\vec{e} \perp \vec{p}$ ✓



onus: we could use calculus...

$$f(\vec{x}) = \|A\vec{x} - \vec{b}\|^2$$

minimize f w.r.t. \vec{x} could use any power (even)

Differentiate, set to 0 etc.

equivalent

linear algebra is more fun, a better story origin of "least squares solution"

And why are we doing all this?

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For the love of $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$...

I ♥ A ≠ b

An excellent use of projection: dealing with $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ when there is no solution.

Aim: if $\nexists \vec{x}$ s.t. $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$, we find \vec{x}^* such that $A\vec{x}^*$ is as close to \vec{b} as possible.

The Linear Algebra way:

Take \vec{b} and break it into pieces: $\vec{p} \in C(A)$ (column space) and $\vec{e} \in N(A^T)$ (left null space)

all good! We know we can reach \vec{p} and that we cannot reach \vec{e}

Proceed as before - project \vec{b} onto column space.

One crucial difference: before we had a basis for our subspace and we formed A using this basis.

Now: we have A and its column vectors span $C(A)$ BUT may not be a basis.

We could find a basis for $C(A)$ but let's see what being lazy gets us.

Okay, so $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ won't work.

We solve $A\vec{x}^* = \vec{p}$ instead

To find \vec{p} & \vec{e} :

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$\vec{e} \perp$ to all columns in \mathbb{R}^n

$A^T \vec{e} = \vec{0}$ ($\vec{e} \in N(A^T)$)

$\Rightarrow A^T(\vec{b} - \vec{p}) = \vec{0}$

$\Rightarrow A^T(\vec{b} - A\vec{x}^*) = \vec{0}$

$\Rightarrow A^T \vec{b} - A^T A \vec{x}^* = \vec{0}$

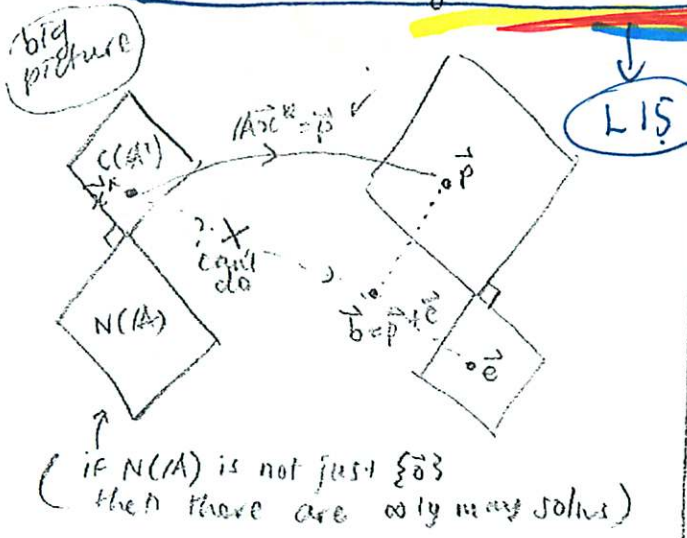
$\Rightarrow \underbrace{A^T A}_{\text{new } A} \vec{x}^* = \underbrace{A^T \vec{b}}_{\text{new } \vec{b}}$

burst into flows
Same story
Normal Equation

$A' \vec{x}^* = \vec{b}'$

BUT
This is as far as we go because $A^T A$ may not be invertible (it is square but A 's columns may be dependent)

And $A' \vec{x}^* = \vec{b}'$ is easy to solve using LU decomp.



V. Important Example:
fit a straight line to a set of data points
fundamental scientific exercise

want to get this far... →

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Q1 4.3
 $b = 0, 8, 8, 20$
at times $t = 0, 1, 3, 4$

what is best straight line (line fit)?
 $P_t = C + Dt$ ($C + D \cdot 0 = 0, C + D \cdot 1 = 8, C + D \cdot 3 = 8, C + D \cdot 4 = 20$)

matrix form

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} C \\ D \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 8 \\ 8 \\ 20 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

clear \vec{b} is not in A 's column space.

Solve $A^T A \vec{x}^* = A^T \vec{b}$

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} C \\ D \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 8 \\ 8 \\ 20 \end{bmatrix}$

$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 8 \\ 8 & 26 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x}^* = \begin{bmatrix} 36 \\ 112 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \vec{x}^* = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$
Symmetric? ✓ $C=1, D=4$

$P_t = 1 + 4t$. $p_0=1, p_1=5, p_3=13, p_4=17$.

error:
 $\vec{b} - \vec{p} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 8 \\ 8 \\ 20 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ 13 \\ 17 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ -5 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$



$\|\vec{e}\|^2 = 44$

So to repeat: if $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ cannot be solved (not a big enough column space) we can always solve $A^T A \vec{x}^* = A^T \vec{b}$ to find the "least squares solution" or best approximation...

Extra notes: if A is $m \times n$ then normal equation will be $n \times n$ (in above example $4 \times 2 \rightarrow 2 \times 2$ problem)

can fit any polynomial
eg. $P_t = C + Dt + Et^2 + Ft^3$
 $m = \#$ data points
 $n = \text{order of polynomial} + 1$

$\sim C \otimes + D \odot + E \beta + F \zeta$

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Section 4.4 ← Today
 [Creating happy bases (base-eez)]

- 1) orthonormal & orthogonal bases
 - 2) the Gram-Schmidt process
 - 3) what this all means for $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$
- [next up: eigenvectors, eigenvalues, & determinants]

1) We've been finding bases for our four fundamental spaces. They just pop out and exact nature depends on method used.

There is a better way... Orthogonality make a basis a happy basis

Why? aside

ex 1

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

story orthog of subspaces

basis for a plane in \mathbb{R}^3

$$\vec{a}_1^T \vec{a}_2 = [-2 \ 0 \ 1] \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = -2 + 0 + 2 = 0$$

dot product (say basis is orthogonal)

ex 2

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \quad \text{No!}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + 3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

\vec{a}_1 has a piece of \vec{a}_2

(can you see projections may be useful here?)

Important!
 if we could remove this piece of \vec{a}_2 (the $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$) from \vec{a}_1 , then we could create an orthogonal basis

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All right, why do we want an orthogonal basis?

Main reason: Representation of vectors is very clean. Information contained in each basis vector is unique.

(Bonus: An orthogonal set of vectors is automatically linearly independent (and \therefore must form a basis for the subspace they span))

Reason given $\{ \vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \dots, \vec{v}_k \}$

$$\vec{v}_i \perp \vec{v}_j \quad \forall i, j \quad i \neq j$$

Assume linear dep.

$$c_1 \vec{v}_1 + \dots + c_k \vec{v}_k = \vec{0}$$

some $c_i \neq 0$. one at a time

What is the length of each side?

RHS $\vec{0}^T \vec{0} = 0$

LHS $()^T () = c_1^2 \|\vec{v}_1\|^2 + \dots + c_k^2 \|\vec{v}_k\|^2$

only way LHS = 0 is if all $c_i = 0$. Contradict...

Extra happy Bases: [Orthonormal basis]

Orthogonal + all vectors are of unit length (of length 1)

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ex. In \mathbb{R}^3 $\{\vec{e}_1, \vec{e}_2, \vec{e}_3\}$ = natural basis
orthonormal.

Observe: Easy to create an orthonormal basis if you have an orthogonal basis:

Just divide each vector by its length

ex. $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \rightarrow \left\{ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

* ~~frisk!!!~~

But what if our basis is not orthogonal? ;)

Creating an orthogonal basis is the harder step for a subspace

(aside) We will see we sometimes get them for free
V. important for $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ & SVD

Naturally, we use the "Gram-Schmidt" process:

See * on L12 ch4

Consider $\left\{ \vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2, \vec{a}_3 \right\}$ basis for \mathbb{R}^3

$\vec{a}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{a}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{a}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$

Clearly $\vec{a}_1^T \vec{a}_2 = 2$ so $\vec{a}_1 \nperp \vec{a}_2$. We have work to do!

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Next if we have a matrix A whose columns form an orthonormal basis for column space ($m \in \mathbb{R}^m$)

then $A^T A = I$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \vec{a}_1^T \\ \vec{a}_2^T \\ \vdots \\ \vec{a}_m^T \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \vec{a}_1 \\ \vec{a}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \vec{a}_m \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & 1 & \dots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots \\ 0 & \dots & \dots & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

We get so excited we call A a different letter: Q

if Q is square, then we say Q is an orthogonal

- in that case $Q^T = Q^{-1}$ (matrix)
- if A 's columns are not orthonormal, then we make them so using sneaky methods (actually brute force)

make $\vec{c}_1, \vec{c}_2, \vec{c}_3$ using these \vec{a}_i 's. so the \vec{c}_i 's are all orthogonal

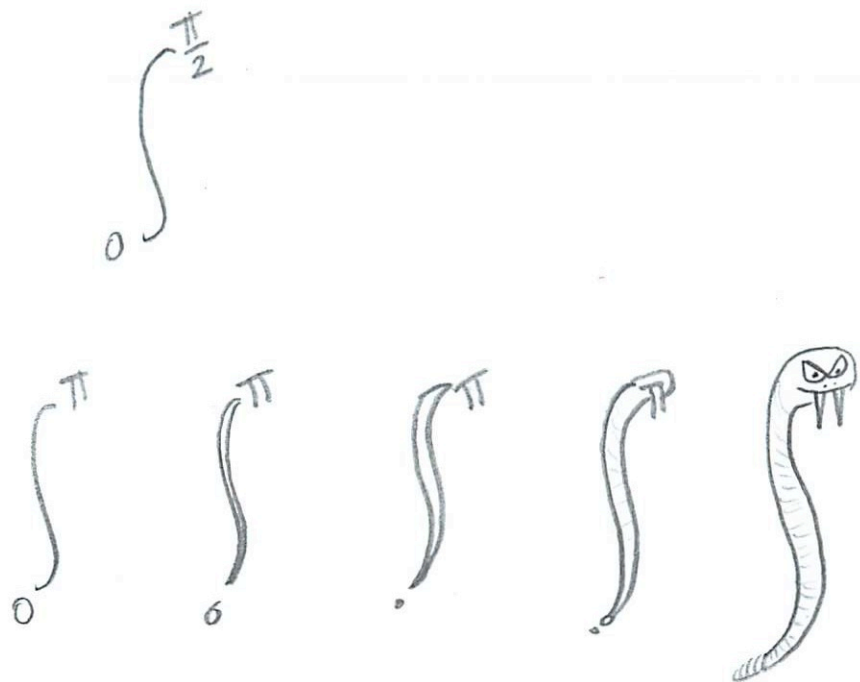
- 1) $\vec{c}_1 = \vec{a}_1$
- 2) $\vec{c}_2 = \vec{a}_2 - \frac{\vec{c}_1^T \vec{a}_2}{\vec{c}_1^T \vec{c}_1} \vec{c}_1$ (projection of \vec{a}_2 onto \vec{c}_1)
- 3) $\vec{c}_3 = \vec{a}_3 - \frac{\vec{c}_1^T \vec{a}_3}{\vec{c}_1^T \vec{c}_1} \vec{c}_1 - \frac{\vec{c}_2^T \vec{a}_3}{\vec{c}_2^T \vec{c}_2} \vec{c}_2$ (proj of \vec{a}_3 onto \vec{c}_1 and \vec{c}_2)

explain

$$\vec{c}_1 = \vec{a}_1$$

$$\vec{c}_2 = \vec{a}_2 - \begin{pmatrix} \vec{c}_1^T \vec{a}_2 \\ \vec{c}_1^T \vec{c}_1 \end{pmatrix} \vec{c}_1 \Rightarrow \vec{a}_2 = \underbrace{(\hat{q}_1^T \vec{a}_2)}_{c_2} \hat{q}_1 + \underbrace{(\hat{q}_2^T \vec{a}_2)}_{c_2} \hat{q}_2$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} \vec{a}_3 = x_1 \hat{q}_1 + x_2 \hat{q}_2 + x_3 \hat{q}_3 \\ x_i = \hat{q}_i^T \vec{a}_3 \end{array} \right] \quad \leftarrow \text{do this!}$$



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see * on L12 ch4

$$\vec{c}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\frac{2}{1}$

$$\vec{c}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{[1 \ 0 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}}{[1 \ 0 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

makes sense!

$$\vec{c}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{[1 \ 0 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}}{[1 \ 0 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{[0 \ 0 \ 3] \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}}{[0 \ 0 \ 3] \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Normalize

$$\hat{q}_i = \frac{\vec{c}_i}{\|\vec{c}_i\|} \quad \hat{q}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \hat{q}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \hat{q}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now

We like to use matrices to represent our manipulations
 $A = LU$ = elimination.

What's the factorization here?

Go back to Gram Schmidt process & express \vec{a} 's in terms of the \hat{q} 's

* know

\vec{a}_1 is in direction of \hat{q}_1

\vec{a}_2 has components in direction \hat{q}_1 & \hat{q}_2

\vec{a}_3 " " " " $\hat{q}_1, \hat{q}_2, \hat{q}_3$

Break into pieces by projection & sum up

$$\vec{a}_i = \hat{q}_1 \hat{q}_1^T \vec{a}_i$$

projection matrix for a 1 d subspace

$$P = A(A^T A)^{-1} A^T \quad A = \hat{q}_i$$

improve this section!!!!!!

$$\vec{a}_2 = \hat{q}_1 \hat{q}_1^T \vec{a}_2 + \hat{q}_2 \hat{q}_2^T \vec{a}_2$$

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$$\vec{a}_3 = \hat{q}_1 \hat{q}_1^T \vec{a}_3 + \hat{q}_2 \hat{q}_2^T \vec{a}_3 + \hat{q}_3 \hat{q}_3^T \vec{a}_3$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \vec{a}_1 & \vec{a}_2 & \vec{a}_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{q}_1 & \hat{q}_2 & \hat{q}_3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \hat{q}_1^T \vec{a}_1 & \hat{q}_1^T \vec{a}_2 & \hat{q}_1^T \vec{a}_3 \\ 0 & \hat{q}_2^T \vec{a}_2 & \hat{q}_2^T \vec{a}_3 \\ 0 & 0 & \hat{q}_3^T \vec{a}_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

A better way to do? \mathbb{R}

The 'QR' factorization of A's

n.b. only okay if A's columns are independent. (no nullspace: $n=r$)

ex.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \\ 0 & 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 3 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\hat{q}_1, \hat{q}_2, \hat{q}_3$ actually a permutation matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ -1 & 0 & -3 \\ 0 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2} & \sqrt{2} & \sqrt{6} \\ 0 & \sqrt{6} & -\sqrt{6} \\ 0 & 0 & \sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

\mathbb{R} is always upper triangular

BTG help with solving $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$

Normal eq: $A^T A \vec{x} = A^T \vec{b}$

if $A = QR$,

$$A^T A = (QR)^T (QR) = R^T Q^T Q R = R^T R$$

$$R^T R \vec{x} = R^T Q^T \vec{b}$$

invertible!!! upper triangular, cols indep

$$\Rightarrow R \vec{x} = Q^T \vec{b}$$

solve by back substitution

Fast!!