

Linear Algebra

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23.

- Every elementary row operation is reversible.
True, because if you do the inverse of the initial operation your answer will be the original row.
- A 5 X 6 matrix has six rows.
False, this matrix has five rows and 6 columns.
- The solution set of a linear system involving variables X_1, \dots, X_n is a list of numbers (S_1, \dots, S_n) that makes each equation in the system a true statement when the values S_1, \dots, S_n are substituted for X_1, \dots, X_n , respectively.
False, this statement only works for one given solution, not all given solutions.
- Two fundamental questions about a linear system involve existence and uniqueness.
True.

25.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 7 & g \\ 0 & 3 & -5 & h \\ -2 & 5 & -9 & k \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X_1 - 4X_2 + 7X_3 = g$$

$$0 + 3X_2 - 5X_3 = h$$

$$-2X_1 + 5X_2 - 9X_3 = k$$

$$2(\text{Row 1}) + (\text{Row 3}) = \text{New Row 3}$$

$$2(X_1 - 4X_2 + 7X_3 = g) \Rightarrow 2X_1 - 8X_2 + 14X_3 = 2g$$

$$2X_1 - 8X_2 + 14X_3 = 2g$$

$$\underline{+-2X_1 + 5X_2 - 9X_3 = k}$$

$$0 - 3X_2 + 5X_3 = k + 2g \Rightarrow \text{New Row 3}$$

$$X_1 - 4X_2 + 7X_3 = g$$

$$0 + 3X_2 - 5X_3 = h$$

$$0 - 3X_2 + 5X_3 = k + 2g$$

Row 2 + Row 3 = New Row 3

$$0 + 3X_2 - 5X_3 = h$$

$$+ 0 - 3X_2 + 5X_3 = k + 2g$$

$$0 + 0 + 0 = h + k + 2g \Rightarrow \text{New Row 3}$$

$$X_1 - 4X_2 + 7X_3 = g$$

$$3X_2 - 5X_3 = h$$

$$0 + 0 + 0 = h + k + 2g$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 7 & g \\ 0 & 3 & -5 & h \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & h + k + 2g \end{bmatrix}$$

27.

$$aX_1 + bX_2 = f$$

$$cX_1 + dX_2 = g$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} f \\ g \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b & f \\ c & d & g \end{bmatrix}$$

Multiply Row 1 by $(-c/a)$ + Row 2

$$-c/a(aX_1 + bX_2 = f)$$

$$(-ca/a)X_1 + (-cb/a)X_2 = (-cf/a)$$

$$+ cX_1 + dX_2 = g$$

$$0 + d - b(c/a) = g - f(c/a)$$

The system is consistent so there are solutions for X_1 and X_2 .

$$d - b(c/a) \neq 0$$

$$29. \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 & 5 \\ 1 & 3 & -5 \\ 3 & -1 & 6 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 6 \\ 1 & 3 & -5 \\ 0 & -2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 1:

Row 1 and Row 3 were Swapped or Interchanged.

$$31. \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & -2 & 8 \\ 4 & -1 & 3 & -6 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & -2 & 8 \\ 0 & 7 & -1 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 2:

Row 3 was added to $(-4)\text{Row}1$ to get a new Row 3

Row 3 + $(-4)\text{Row}1$ = New Row 3

New Row 1: $-4(X_1 - 2X_2 + X_3 = 0) = -4X_1 + 8X_2 - 4X_3 = 0$

$$4X_1 - X_2 + 3X_3 = -6$$

$$+ -4X_1 + 8X_2 - 4X_3 = 0$$

$$\hline -7X_2 - X_3 = -6$$

New Matrix:

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

33.

$$4T_4 - T_3 - 0T_2 - T_1 = 40$$

$$-T_4 + 4T_3 - T_2 - 0T_1 = 70$$

$$-0T_4 - T_3 + 4T_2 - T_1 = 60$$

$$-T_4 - 0T_3 - T_2 + 4T_1 = 30$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 4 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 4 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} T_4 \\ T_3 \\ T_2 \\ T_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 40 \\ 70 \\ 60 \\ 30 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned}x_2 + 5x_3 &= 0 \\4x_1 + 6x_2 - x_3 &= 0 \\-x_1 + 3x_2 - 8x_3 &= 0\end{aligned}$$

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

11.

$$a_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, a_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, a_3 \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -6 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}, b = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix Form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 5 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 & -6 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 8 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 1:

Swap Row 2 and Row 3

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 8 & 6 \\ -2 & 1 & -6 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 2:

Multiply 2(Row 1) then add Row 3.

2(Row 1) + Row 3 = New Row 3

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

New Row 1: $2(X_1 + 0X_2 + 5X_3 = 2) \Rightarrow 2X_1 + 0X_2 + 10X_3 = 4$

$$2X_1 + 0X_2 + 10X_3 = 4$$

$$\underline{+ -2X_1 + X_2 - 6X_3 = -1}$$

$$0 + X_2 + 4X_3 = 3$$

New Matrix:

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

Step 3:

Row 2 + (-2)Row 3 = New Row 3

New Row 3: $-2(0 + X_2 + 4X_3 = 3) \Rightarrow 0 - 2X_2 - 8X_3 = -6$

$$0 + 2X_2 + 8X_3 = 6$$

$$\underline{+ 0 - 2X_2 - 8X_3 = -6}$$

$$0 + 0 + 0 = 0$$

No, $b = 0$ so there is no linear combination for a_1 , a_2 , and a_3 .

13.

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

$$X_1 - 4X_2 + 2X_3 = 3$$

$$0 + 3X_2 + 5X_3 = -7$$

$$-2X_1 + 8X_2 - 4X_3 = -3$$

Step 1:

Row 3 + 2(Row 1) = New Row 3

New Row 1: $2(X_1 - 4X_2 + 2X_3 = 3) \Rightarrow 2X_1 - 8X_2 + 4X_3 = 6$

$$-2X_1 + 8X_2 - 4X_3 = -3$$

$$\underline{+ 2X_1 - 8X_2 + 4X_3 = 6}$$

$$0 + 0 + 0 = 3$$

$$0 \neq 3$$

There is no linear combination for b in the vectors formed from the columns of the matrix A .

15.

$$a_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, a_2 \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ -8 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, b = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -5 \\ h \end{bmatrix}$$

For what value(s) of h is b in the plane spanned by a_1 and a_2 ?

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

$$x_1 - 5x_2 = 3$$

$$3x_1 - 8x_2 = 5$$

$$x_1 + 2x_2 = h$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -5 & 3 \\ 3 & -8 & -5 \\ -1 & 2 & h \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 1: $-3(\text{Row 1}) + \text{Row 2}$

$$\text{New Row 1: } -3(x_1 - 5x_2 = 3) \Rightarrow -3x_1 + 15x_2 = -9$$

$$-3x_1 + 15x_2 = -9$$

$$+3x_1 - 8x_2 = 5$$

$$+7x_2 = -14: \text{New Row 2}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -5 & 3 \\ 0 & 7 & -14 \\ -1 & 2 & h \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 2:

Row 1 + Row 3 = New Row 3

$$x_1 - 5x_2 = 3$$

$$+x_1 + 2x_2 = h$$

$$0 - 3x_2 = 3+h$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -5 & 3 \\ 0 & 7 & -14 \\ 0 & -3 & 3+h \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 3:

(1/2)Row 2 = New Row 2

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -5 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & -3 & 3+h \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 4:

3(Row 2) + Row 3 = New Row 3

$$3(X_2 = -2) \Rightarrow 3X_1 + 3X_2 = -6$$

$$3X_2 = -6$$

$$+ -3X_2 = 3+h$$

$$0 = h - 3 \text{ :New Row 3}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -5 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & h-3 \end{bmatrix}$$

The system has a solution to the augmented matrix when $h-3=0$.
 b is in the plane spanned a_1 and a_2 when $h=3$