

Linear Algebra

BS-CS

Time: 9:00am – 3:00pm

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Instructions:

- Allowed time is 6 hours (9:00am to 3:00pm)
- Mark all the answers sheets with page numbers and ID on every sheet number
- Answers copied will both be marked zero
- Late Submission will not be accepted
- Submit in PDF format

1. Consider the following vectors \mathbb{R}^3 :

$$V_1 = \begin{pmatrix} ID1 \\ ID2 \\ ID3 \end{pmatrix}, V_2 = \begin{pmatrix} ID2 \\ ID3 \\ ID4 \end{pmatrix}, V_3 = \begin{pmatrix} ID3 \\ ID4 \\ ID5 \end{pmatrix}$$

Solve the system and find if these vectors are linearly independent?

Solution

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Example 118 Consider the following vectors in \mathbb{R}^3 :

$$v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad v_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Are they linearly independent?

We need to see whether the system

$$c^1 v_1 + c^2 v_2 + c^3 v_3 = 0$$

has any solutions for c^1, c^2, c^3 . We can rewrite this as a homogeneous system:

$$(v_1 \ v_2 \ v_3) \begin{pmatrix} c^1 \\ c^2 \\ c^3 \end{pmatrix} = 0.$$

This system has solutions if and only if the matrix $M = (v_1 \ v_2 \ v_3)$ is singular, so we should find the determinant of M :

$$\det M = \det \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = 2 \det \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 \end{pmatrix} = 12.$$

Since the matrix M has non-zero determinant, the only solution to the system of equations

$$(v_1 \ v_2 \ v_3) \begin{pmatrix} c^1 \\ c^2 \\ c^3 \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

is $c_1 = c_2 = c_3 = 0$. So the vectors v_1, v_2, v_3 are linearly independent.

2. Suppose that a company produces two products X and Y. For each unit of each product produced, money must be spent on materials, labor and overhead.

Cost per unit	Product X	Product Y
Materials	Rs. 450	Rs. 400
Labor	Rs. 250	Rs. 350
Overhead	Rs. 150	Rs. 150

The production vector $x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$ whereas, x_1 and x_2 are total number of units for product A and B i.e. 1000 and 500 respectively.

- a. Find the total cost.

[Video Link \(Linear Transformation Lecture uploaded on SIC](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xuulVLujY1w&list=PLNr8B4XHL5kGDHOrU4IeI6QNuZHur4F86&index=21)

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Find. AX where A is the 3×2 matrix of product X and Y, you will have cost of each unit i.e.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 450 & 400 \\ 250 & 350 \\ 150 & 150 \end{bmatrix}, X = \begin{bmatrix} 1000 \\ 500 \end{bmatrix}$$

$A.X =$ matrix multiplication

- b. Explain these linear transformation properties with the help of above problem as an example.

$$T(u + v) = T(u) + T(v)$$

The cost of combined product is the sum of costs

(<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xuulVLujY1w&list=PLNr8B4XHL5kGDHOrU4IeI6QNuZHur4F86&index=21>)

$$T(cu) = cT(u)$$

Scaling production scales costs by the same factor

3. What are the four main things we need to define for a vector space? Which of the following is a vector space over \mathbb{R} ? For those that are not vector spaces, modify one part of the definition to make it into a vector space.

- a. $V = \{ 2 \times 2 \text{ matrices with entries in } \mathbb{R} \}$, usual matrix addition, and

$$k \cdot \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ka & b \\ kc & d \end{pmatrix} \text{ for } k \in \mathbb{R}$$

- b. $V = \{ \text{Polynomials with complex coefficients of degrees } \leq 3 \}$, with usual addition and scalar multiplication of polynomials.

8. The four main ingredients are (i) a set V of vectors, (ii) a number field K (usually $K = \mathbb{R}$), (iii) a rule for adding vectors (vector addition) and (iv) a way to multiply vectors by a number to produce a new vector (scalar multiplication). There are, of course, **ten rules** that these four ingredients must obey.

(a) This is not a vector space. Notice that distributivity of scalar multiplication requires $2u = (1 + 1)u = u + u$ for any vector u but

$$2 \cdot \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2a & b \\ 2c & d \end{pmatrix}$$

which does *not* equal

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2a & 2b \\ 2c & 2d \end{pmatrix}.$$

This could be repaired by taking

$$k \cdot \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ka & kb \\ kc & kd \end{pmatrix}.$$

(b) This is a vector space. *Although, the question does not ask you to, it is a useful exercise to verify that all **ten vector space rules** are satisfied.*

4. Determinants: Let $M = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$ is a 2x2 matrix.

- For which values of $\det M$ does M have an inverse?
- Write down all 2x2 bit matrices with determinant 1. (Remember bits are either 0 or 1 and $1+1 = 0$ in bits)
- Write down 2x2 bit matrices with determinant 0
- Compute $\det A$ for below 3x3 matrix.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} ID1 & ID1 & ID1 \\ ID2 & ID3 & ID2 \\ ID4 & ID1 & ID5 \end{pmatrix}$$

1. (a) Whenever $\det M = ad - bc \neq 0$.

(b) Unit determinant bit matrices:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

(c) Bit matrices with vanishing determinant:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

As a check, count that the total number of 2×2 bit matrices is $2^{(\text{number of entries})} = 2^4 = 16$.