

Math 33A — Week 2

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1. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$, $B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -3 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, $C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$. Compute the following if defined. If not defined, state why.

(a) $B + C$

undefined, B and C are not the same size

(b) $A - 2B$

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

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -6 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \boxed{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 11 & 1 \\ -2 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}}$$

2. Give examples of a matrix A with rank 2 and appropriate sized vector b so that the system $Ax = b$ has

* Answers will vary

(a) No solution

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 5 \end{array} \right) \quad \begin{matrix} A \\ b \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} 0 \neq 5 \\ \text{no solution} \end{matrix}$$

(b) One solution

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \quad \text{unique sol is } \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

(c) Infinitely many solutions

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \quad \begin{matrix} \uparrow \\ \text{missing pivot} \end{matrix} \quad \text{solution is } \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ t \end{pmatrix}, t \in \mathbb{R}$$

3. Let $x = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$, $y = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$. Compute $x \cdot y$. $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} = 1 \cdot 4 + 2(-5) + 3 \cdot 6 = 4 - 10 + 18 = 12$

4. Is $x = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ a linear combination of $y = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $z = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$?

i.e. Is there a, b s.t. $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = a \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + b \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$? $\left(\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{R_2 - R_1 \rightarrow R_2} \left(\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{R_3 - R_2 \rightarrow R_3} \left(\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{array} \right) \leftarrow \text{no solution}$

(No)

5. Determine which of the following transformations are linear. If the transformation is linear, find the matrix A so that $T(x) = Ax$.

(a) $T(x_1) = x_1^2$

(b) $T\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + x_2 \\ x_1 - x_2 \end{pmatrix}$

(a) $T(x) + T(y) = x^2 + y^2$
 $T(x+y) = (x+y)^2$ \rightarrow not the same
 Also $T(ax) = (ax)^2$ \rightarrow not always the same
 $aT(x) = ax^2$

Not Linear

(b) continued
 $aT\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = a\begin{pmatrix} x_1 + x_2 \\ x_1 - x_2 \end{pmatrix}$
 $T\begin{pmatrix} ax_1 \\ ax_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ax_1 + ax_2 \\ ax_1 - ax_2 \end{pmatrix}$
 T is linear, $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$
 $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$

i.e. $T(\vec{x}) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x}$

(c) $T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 + 1, 5x_2 - x_3)$

(d) $T(x_1, x_2) = (x_1, 5x_2, x_1 - 3x_2, 3x_2 - x_1)$

(c) $T\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} + T\begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1+1 \\ 5x_2-x_3 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} y_1+1 \\ 5y_2-y_3 \end{pmatrix}$ \rightarrow not the same

$T\begin{pmatrix} x_1+y_1 \\ x_2+y_2 \\ x_3+y_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} (x_1+y_1)+1 \\ 5(x_2+y_2)-(x_3+y_3) \end{pmatrix}$

Also $aT\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = a\begin{pmatrix} x_1+1 \\ 5x_2-x_3 \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow$ not the same $\rightarrow T\begin{pmatrix} ax_1 \\ ax_2 \\ ax_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ax_1+1 \\ 5(ax_2)-ax_3 \end{pmatrix}$

Not Linear

(d) $T\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} + T\begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_1-3x_2 \\ 3x_2-x_1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_1-3y_2 \\ 3y_2-y_1 \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow$ same $\rightarrow T\begin{pmatrix} x_1+y_1 \\ x_2+y_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1+y_1 \\ 5(x_2+y_2)-(x_1+y_1) \\ 3(x_2+y_1)-(x_1+y_1) \end{pmatrix}$

$T\begin{pmatrix} ax_1 \\ ax_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ax_1 \\ 5(ax_2) \\ 3ax_2-ax_1 \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow$ same $\rightarrow T\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = a\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ 5x_2 \\ x_1-3x_2 \end{pmatrix}$ T is linear

$A = (T\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, T\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$

6. (a) Let $x = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$. Find a, b, c so that

$x = a \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + b \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + c \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$ $R_2 - R_1 \rightarrow R_2$
 $R_3 - R_1 \rightarrow R_3$

$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$ $R_3 - R_2 \rightarrow R_3$

$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$

$\begin{cases} a=1 \\ b=-3 \\ c=7 \end{cases}$

Check: $1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - 3 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + 7 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1-0+0 \\ 1-3+0 \\ 1-3+7 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \checkmark$

(b) Suppose we know T is a linear transformation with $T\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$, $T\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -7 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$, $T\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} =$

$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$. What is $T(x)$?

From (a), $x = a\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + b\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + c\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$T(x) = T\left(a\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + b\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + c\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}\right)$
 $= aT\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + bT\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + cT\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$= a\begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + b\begin{pmatrix} -7 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} + c\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$

* T linear means $T(a\vec{x} + b\vec{y}) = aT(\vec{x}) + bT(\vec{y})$

But from (a) we also know $a=1, b=-3, c=7$

$\Rightarrow T(x) = 1\begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - 3\begin{pmatrix} -7 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} + 7\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$
 $= \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 21 \\ -12 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 28 \end{pmatrix}$
 $= \begin{pmatrix} 15 \\ 34 \end{pmatrix}$