

§1.6

2. Let $L = \{[x, x+1] \mid x \in L\}$ which is a nonempty subset of \mathbb{R}^2 . Clearly $[0, 0]$ is not in L . Thus L is not a subspace.

The only lines in \mathbb{R}^2 that are subspaces are those that contain the origin.

8. Let $P = \{[2x, x+y, y] \mid x, y \in \mathbb{R}\}$ which is a nonempty subset of \mathbb{R}^3 . Let $v = [2a, a+b, a]$ and $w = [2c, c+d, d]$ be in P . Then

$$v+w = [2a+2c, a+b+c+d, b+d] = [2(a+c), (a+c) + (b+d), b+d]$$

which has the form $[2x, x+y, y]$ and is in P . Also

$$r[2a, a+b, b] = [2ra, ra+rb, rb]$$

which is in P . Thus P is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^3 .

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18.
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -5 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 3/5 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -5 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

(4)
$$x = \begin{bmatrix} -3r/5 \\ -4r/5 \\ 4r/5 \\ r \end{bmatrix} = \frac{r}{5} \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ -4 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$
, so $\{(-3, -4, 4, 5)\}$ is a basis for the solution space.

24.
$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 5 & 13 \\ 4 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 8 & 16 \\ 0 & 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
. The matrix is not invertible so by Theorem 1.16, the given set is not a basis for \mathbb{R}^3 .

26. (4)
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

The matrix is invertible so the set is a basis for \mathbb{R}^4 by Theorem 1.16.

32. (5)
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 & 7 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 & 7 \\ 3 & 6 & 4 & 7 \\ 4 & 8 & 2 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 & 7 \\ 0 & -6 & -6 & -12 \\ 0 & -7 & -7 & -14 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
. The

span space is given by
$$\begin{bmatrix} -2s & -r \\ -s & -2r \\ s & r \end{bmatrix}$$
 for all scalars r and s .

A basis is
$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$
. 34.
$$x = \begin{bmatrix} 7+2t-r-5s \\ t \\ r \\ s \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2t-r-5s \\ t \\ r \\ s \end{bmatrix}$$

Solutions

37. (4)
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 & 0 & 5 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & -1 & 7 & 2 & 5 \\ -1 & -2 & -1 & 1 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & -1 & -2 & 5 \\ 0 & 3 & -1 & -2 & 5 \\ 0 & -3 & 1 & 2 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & -1 & -2 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} 5/3 \\ 5/3 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -(5r+s)/3 \\ (r+2s)/3 \\ r \\ s \end{bmatrix}$$

41. Clearly $W_1 \cap W_2$ is nonempty; it contains 0. Let $v, w \in (W_1 \cap W_2)$. Then $v, w \in W_1$ and $v, w \in W_2$ so $v+w \in W_1$ and $v+w \in W_2$ since W_1 and W_2 are subspaces. Thus $v+w \in (W_1 \cap W_2)$. Similarly, $rv \in W_1$ and $rv \in W_2$ since W_1 and W_2 are subspaces, so $rv \in (W_1 \cap W_2)$. Thus $W_1 \cap W_2$ is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^7 .

§2.4
10. (3)
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 3 & -1 & 2 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & -7 & -7 & -7 \\ 0 & 7 & 7 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
. The pivots in columns 1 and 2 show that $\{(-2, 3, 1), [3, -1, 2]\}$ is a basis.

24. (3)
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 4 & 5 & 13 \\ -1 & 6 & 4 \\ 3 & 2 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 9 & 9 \\ 0 & 5 & 5 \\ 0 & 5 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Each column has a pivot so the set of vectors is independent.

32. Suppose that $r_1[1, 0, 1] + r_2[2, s, 3] + r_3[2, 3, 1] = [0, 0, 0]$ so that $[r_1 + 2r_2 + 2r_3, sr_2 + 2r_3, r_1 + 3r_2 + r_3] = [0, 0, 0]$. We solve the system

$$\begin{aligned} r_1 + 2r_2 + 2r_3 &= 0, \\ sr_2 + 3r_3 &= 0, \\ r_1 + 3r_2 + r_3 &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & s & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & s & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3+s & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
. We see that

we have a dependence relation if and only if $s = -3$. Thus the given vectors are independent for all $s \neq -3$.

37. Suppose that $r_1(Cv_1) + r_2(Cv_2) + \dots + r_k(Cv_k) = 0$. Then $(0)C(r_1v_1 + r_2v_2 + \dots + r_kv_k) = 0$. Multiplying on the left

by C^{-1} , we have $r_1v_1 + r_2v_2 + \dots + r_kv_k = 0$, so $r_1 = r_2 = \dots = r_k = 0$ by the independence of the v_i . Hence the vectors Cv_1, Cv_2, \dots, Cv_k are independent.

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