

Lecture 8: 07/10/20

- We've solved systems of equations of the form $Ax = b$,

$$\text{where } A \in \mathcal{M}_{m \times n}, x \in \mathcal{M}_{n \times 1}$$

$$b \in \mathcal{M}_{m \times 1}$$

→ look at v.s. interpretation

$$Ax = b, \quad x = x_p + x_N$$

↙
particular
solution

↖ solution from
nullspace

$$Ax_p = b, \quad \underline{Ax_N = 0}$$

$$A(x_p + x_N) = Ax_p + Ax_N = b + 0 = b$$

- Given a matrix $A \in \mathcal{M}_{m \times n}$ the rank of A , denoted $\text{Rank } A$, is the number of pivots in RREF.

Ex: $\begin{pmatrix} \textcircled{1} & 0 \\ 0 & \textcircled{1} \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \text{rank } 2$

↖ 2 pivots

$\begin{pmatrix} \textcircled{1} & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \textcircled{1} \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \text{rank } 2$

$\begin{pmatrix} \textcircled{1} & 0 & \textcircled{1} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \text{rank } 1$

↖ not a pivot

$\begin{pmatrix} \textcircled{1} & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & \textcircled{1} & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \textcircled{1} \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \text{rank } 3$

- The column space: subset of \mathbb{R}^m which is spanned by the columns of A .

Def: Given $A \in M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{R})$, $A = (a_1 \ a_2 \ \dots \ a_n)$

where each $a_j \in M_{m \times 1}(\mathbb{R})$, the column space of A , denoted $C(A)$ is the span of the columns; i.e.

$$C(A) = \langle \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n\} \rangle$$

$C(A)$ contains all vectors Ax for any $x \in M_{n \times 1}(\mathbb{R})$. This means $Ax = b$ is solvable when $b \in C(A)$.

Ex: $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ $Ax = b$ is solvable for any $b = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x = b_1 \\ y = b_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad b_1, b_2 \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\langle \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \rangle = \mathbb{R}^2$$

$$\langle \left\{ (1, 0), (0, 1) \right\} \rangle = \mathbb{R}^2$$

Ex: $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, $x \in M_{3 \times 1}(\mathbb{R})$
 what $b \in M_{2 \times 1}(\mathbb{R})$ has a solution

$$\langle \left\{ (1, 0), (0, 1), (1, 1) \right\} \rangle = \mathbb{R}^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall b \in M_{2 \times 1}(\mathbb{R}) \exists \text{ a solution}$$

$$M_{3 \times 1} \cong M_{1 \times 3} \cong \mathbb{R}^3$$

Ex $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = A$ $x \in M_{2 \times 1}(\mathbb{R})$
 $b \in M_{3 \times 1}$

$$\langle \{ (1, 0, 1), (0, 1, 1) \} \rangle \neq \mathbb{R}^3$$

l.i.

dimension is
at most 2

\uparrow
 $\dim \mathbb{R}^3 = 3$

b is a solution to $Ax = b$ if
and only if

$$b = \alpha \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \beta \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$b = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \alpha=1, \beta=1 \quad \text{has a solution}$$

$$\text{but } b = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{doesn't}$$

- Nullspace :

Denoted $N(A)$

Given $A \in M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{R})$, the subspace of \mathbb{R}^n of solutions to

$$\underline{Ax = 0}$$

So $\vec{0}$ always in $N(A)$, the trivial nullspace is only $\vec{0}$, the trivial nullspace has dimension 0.

- If $m < n$, then the dimension of the nullspace is non-zero

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{matrix} \quad m=2 < n=3$$

$$\begin{matrix} \text{RREF} \\ \sim \end{matrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & \alpha_1 \\ 0 & 1 & \alpha_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} x = -\alpha_1 z \\ y = -\alpha_2 z \end{matrix}$$

$$\boxed{(-\alpha_1, -\alpha_2, 1)}$$

Free variable

Thm (Rank - Nullity Theorem): Given $A \in M_{m \times n}$

$$\dim N(A) + \text{Rank } A = n$$

\uparrow number of columns
 \uparrow # of unknowns
 \uparrow # of free variables
 \uparrow # fixed by A

Ex: $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = A$ Rank $A = 2$

$$n = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim N(A) = 1$$

\uparrow one free variable

$$\dim \langle \{ (0, 0, 0, \dots, 0) \} \rangle = 0$$

$$\langle \dots \rangle = \{ (0, 0, \dots, 0) \} \rightarrow \text{single point}$$

$$S = \{ (x_1, x_2, x_3) \mid x_1 + 3x_2 - 5x_3 = 0 \}$$

a_1, a_2, a_3

$$(0, 1, \frac{2}{5}), (5, 0, 1)$$

$$(3, -1, 0)$$

0

1

$\frac{3}{5}$

\sim RREF gives

rank

$x \quad 4$

3×4 matrix

$$3 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Rank 2, $\Rightarrow N(A) = 2$

2 free parameters

$$\text{Rank } A = r$$



Def: Full column rank means $r = n$
 $\Rightarrow \dim N(A) = 0$

Full row rank $r = m \Rightarrow Ax = b$
always solvable i.e. $C(A) = \mathbb{R}^m$.

- Four possibilities depending on rank

$$A \in M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{R})$$

→ $r = m$ and $r = n$ square and
 $\forall b \in M_{m \times 1}$ there is
a unique solution

$r = m$ and $r < n$ $Ax = b$ has ∞
many solutions for
each b

→ $r < m$ and $r = n$ $Ax = b$ has either
1 or 0 solutions
for each b

→ $r < m$ and $r < n$ $Ax = b$ has either
0 or ∞ solutions

$$r < m \text{ \& \; } r < n$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

rank 2

spanned
by columns

b asks has a
unique sol

\Rightarrow if $Ax=b$ has a solution
it is not unique

$$\langle \{ (1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0) \} \rangle.$$

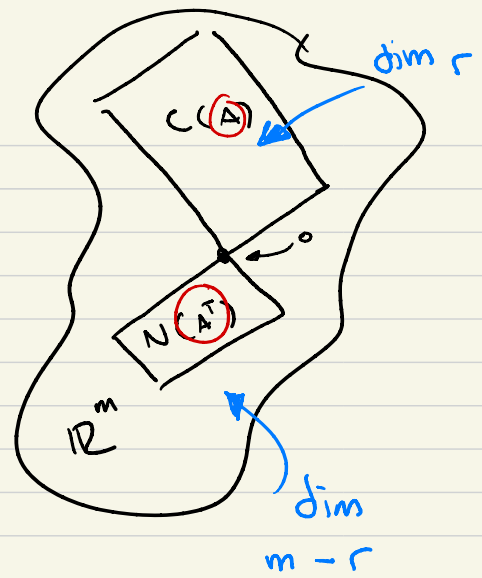
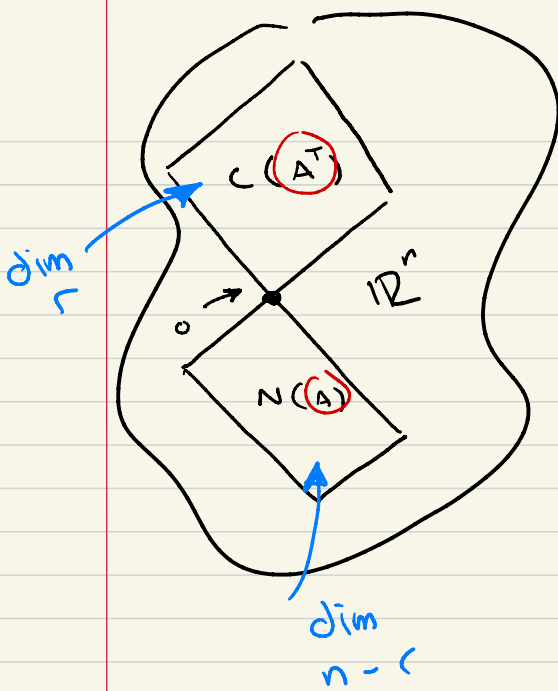
- Row space $C(A^T) \subset \mathbb{R}^n$
- Left nullspace $N(A^T) \subset \mathbb{R}^m$

$$\dim C(A^T) = r$$

$$\dim N(A) = n - r$$

$$\dim C(A) = r$$

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



- Fundamental theorem of linear algebra
 - $\dim C(A^T) = \dim C(A) = r = \text{Rank } A$
 - $\dim N(A) = n - r$
 - $\dim N(A^T) = m - r$

$$S = \left\{ (x_1, x_2, x_3) \mid \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = b \right\}$$

$$1 \quad S = \left\{ (x_1, x_2, x_3) \mid x_1 + 3x_2 - 5x_3 = 0 \right\}$$

Note that $\{(1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 1)\}$

doesn't work

$$1 = 0 \quad 3 = 0 \quad -5 = 0$$

not true

\mathbb{R}^3 CS
 \downarrow
 $S \subset \mathbb{R}^3$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 x_1 & + & 3x_2 & - & 5x_3 & = & 0 \\
 0 & & 1 & & 3/5 & & \\
 5 & & 0 & & 1 & & 10 \quad 0 \quad 2 \\
 -3 & & 1 & & 0 & &
 \end{array}$$

$$M = \left\{ (0, 1, 3/5), (5, 0, 1), (-3, 1, 0) \right\}$$

$\langle M \rangle \subset S$ because linear combos
are still solutions

$$\alpha(0, 1, 3/5) + \beta(5, 0, 1) + \gamma(-3, 1, 0)$$

$$= 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle M \rangle \subset S$$

$$\langle M \rangle = S, \quad \langle M \rangle \subset S \quad \text{and} \quad S \subset \langle M \rangle$$

$$J = \{(-3, 1, 0)\}$$

$$\langle J \rangle \subset S, \quad \langle J \rangle \neq S$$

Given $a + 3b - 5c = 0$

$(a, b, c) \in S$, want to show

$$(a, b, c) \in \langle M \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow S \subset \langle M \rangle$$

unknown
is (α, β, γ)

$$0\alpha + 5\beta - 3\gamma = a$$

$$\alpha + 0\beta + \gamma = b$$

$$\frac{3}{5}\alpha + \beta + 0\gamma = c$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 & a \\ 0 & 5 & -3 & b \\ \frac{3}{5} & 1 & 0 & c \end{array} \right)$$

$$R_2 = \frac{1}{5} R_2$$

$$R_3 = R_3 - \frac{3}{5} R_1$$

$$\sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & | & b \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{3}{5} & | & \frac{a}{5} \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{3}{5} & | & c - \frac{3}{5}b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R_3 = R_3 - R_2$$

$$\sim \begin{pmatrix} \textcircled{1} & 0 & 1 & | & a \\ 0 & \textcircled{1} & -\frac{3}{5} & | & \frac{b}{5} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & c - \frac{3}{5}b - \frac{a}{5} \end{pmatrix}$$

2 pivots

$$c - \frac{3}{5}a - \frac{1}{5}b = 0 \quad n=3$$

\Rightarrow 1 free variable

$$a + 3b - 5c = 0$$

this has one free variable

$$\alpha + \gamma = a$$

$$\beta - \frac{3}{5}\gamma = \frac{b}{5}$$

\Rightarrow we get a solution

$\gamma = 1$, fixes choice of α, β

So $\alpha = a - \gamma$
 $\beta = \frac{b}{5} + \frac{3}{5}\gamma$

↙ Infinitely many ways to form (a, b, c)

$\Rightarrow \underline{\langle S \rangle} \subset \langle M \rangle$

$S = \langle M \rangle$, M a spanning set of S

$A \subset B \quad B \subset A \quad \Rightarrow \quad A = B$

$a \leq b \quad b \leq a \quad \Rightarrow \quad a = b$

Def: M a spanning set ^{of S} if and only if

$\langle M \rangle = S$ ↗

$\langle M \rangle = S$ if and only if

$\langle M \rangle \subset S \quad \& \quad S \subset \langle M \rangle$



we proved

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a & -b \\ b & a \end{pmatrix}$$

Sd

in \mathbb{R} there is only one zero

$$\text{and } \forall d \in \mathbb{R} \quad d + 0 = d$$

$$d + 0_d = d$$

$$\downarrow$$
$$d + (-d) = 0$$

$$A \oplus (-A) = 0 \quad \swarrow \text{no zero}$$

$$D \in \mathbb{Z}, \quad \forall M \in M_{m \times m}(\mathbb{R})$$

$$DM = MD$$

$$D = (A+B)$$

$$(A+B)C$$


$$= AC + BC \quad \leftarrow$$

bc $A, B \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$= cA + cB \leftarrow$$

$$= c(A+B)$$

$$\Rightarrow (A+B) \in \mathbb{Z}$$

2a $\sin x \neq d \cos x$ for any d 

if $d \neq 0$, choose $x = 0$

$$\sin 0 = 0 \neq d = \cos 0$$

$$d = 0, \text{ choose } x = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$1 = \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \neq 0 = d \cos \left(\frac{\pi}{2} \right)$$

$(V, \mathbb{F}, \oplus, \otimes)$

scalar mult



this operation is matrix mult.