

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & A_{13} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & A_{23} \\ A_{31} & A_{32} & A_{33} \\ A_{41} & A_{42} & A_{43} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \\ y_4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_{31}x_1 + A_{32}x_2 + A_{33}x_3 = y_3$$

$$A \in \mathbb{R}^{4 \times 3}$$

$$y_i = \sum_{j=1}^n A_{ij} x_j$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} \\ A_{21} \\ A_{31} \\ A_{41} \end{bmatrix} x_1 + \begin{bmatrix} A_{12} \\ A_{22} \\ A_{32} \\ A_{42} \end{bmatrix} x_2 + \begin{bmatrix} A_{13} \\ A_{23} \\ A_{33} \\ A_{43} \end{bmatrix} x_3$$

coordinates x_1, x_2, x_3

Linear system: given A, y , find coordinates x

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$v_1 \quad v_2 \quad v_3$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 4 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Many solutions:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot 2 + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot 4 + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot 0 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 4 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = y$$

x

$$v_1 \cdot 0 + v_2 \cdot 0 + v_3 \cdot 4 = y$$

1, 2, 2, ...

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 4 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \rightsquigarrow \text{no solutions}$$

$\text{Im } A$ (Image): set of vectors y reachable

$\text{Ker } A$ (Kernel): set of x s.t. $Ax = 0$

Exactly one solution if A is invertible:

A needs to be square, and there must exist another matrix A^{-1} s.t.

$$AA^{-1} = A^{-1}A = I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & & \\ \vdots & 0 & 1 & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vdots & & & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

\triangle On a computer, $y = Ax \gg y = \text{mv}(A) * x$

Matlab: $x = A \setminus y$

Python: `scipy.linalg.linsolve(A, y)`

Basis: a tuple of vectors $v_1, \dots, v_n \in \mathbb{R}^m$ s.t. every vector y can be written as linear combinations of them

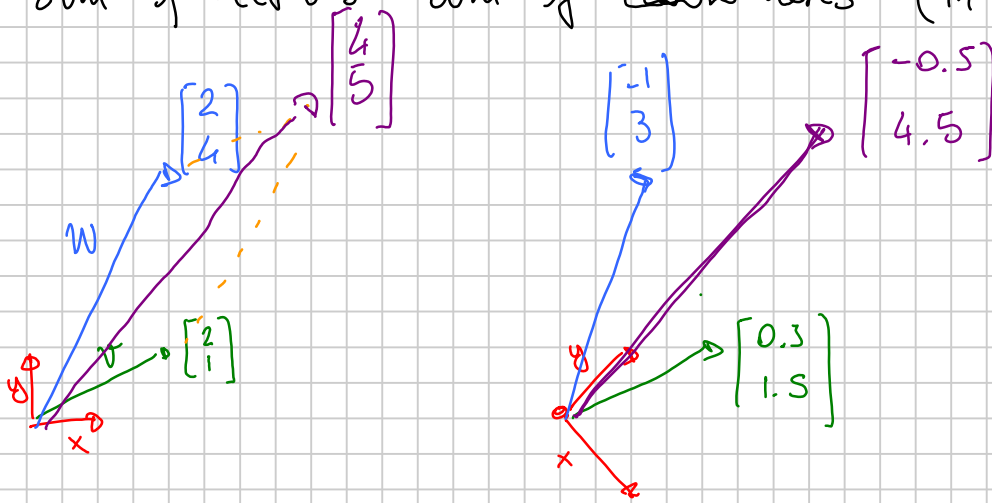
$$\forall y \exists c_1, \dots, c_n \text{ s.t. } y = v_1 \cdot c_1 + \dots + v_n \cdot c_n$$

\uparrow
 $\in \mathbb{R}$

unique if v_1, \dots, v_n is a basis

$$\begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ y \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ v_1 \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} \cdot 0 + \dots + \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ v_n \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} \cdot c_n$$

sum of vectors = sum of coordinates (in every basis!)



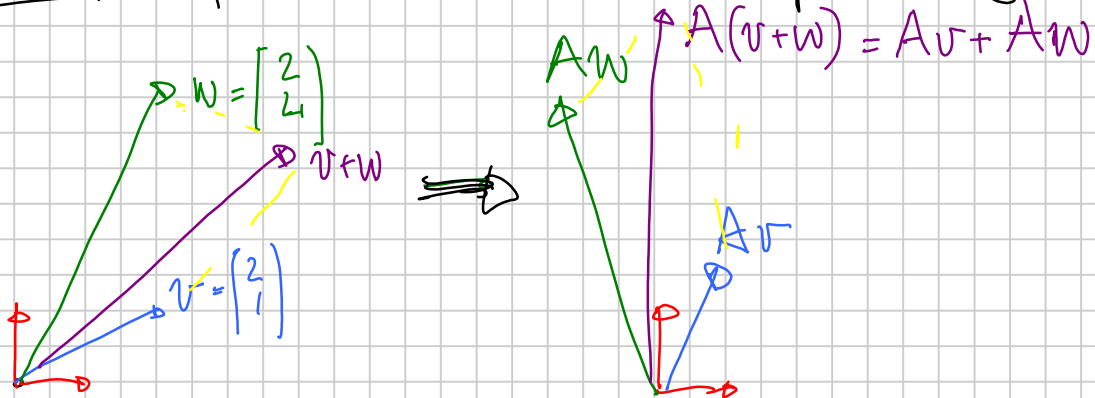
Simplest basis: canonical basis

e.g. in dimension $n=4$:

$$e_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad e_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad e_4 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \\ y_4 \end{pmatrix} = e_1 y_1 + e_2 y_2 + e_3 y_3 + e_4 y_4$$

Matrices represent linear transformations



e.g. rotation, scaling (in one or more directions), reflection, flattening/projection, ...

$I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ identity matrix = identity function

AB product of matrices = composition of functions

$$A(Bv) = (AB)v$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & A_{13} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ A_{41} & A_{42} & A_{43} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} B_{11} & B_{12} \\ B_{21} & B_{22} \\ B_{31} & B_{32} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} C_{11} & C_{12} \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ C_{41} & C_{42} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A \in \mathbb{R}^{4 \times 3}$$

$$B \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 2}$$

$$\rightarrow C \in \mathbb{R}^{4 \times 2}$$

$$C_{ik} = \sum_{j=1}^n A_{ij} B_{jk}$$

inner dim

$$C_{12} = A_{11}B_{12} + A_{12}B_{22} + A_{13}B_{32} \quad n=3$$

Consistent with the def. of matrix-vector product,
if vector \equiv matrix with 1 column

If $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$, $B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$, to compute AB you
need mp entries, to compute each of which you need
 $2n-1$ operations

$$\Rightarrow mp(2n-1) = \mathcal{O}(mnp) \quad \text{operations}$$

flops (floating-point ops)

Usual algebraic properties work: $A(B+C) = AB+AC$

$$(AB)C = A(BC)$$

$$A, B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \quad v \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times 1}$$

$$\begin{array}{c|c} \underbrace{(AB)v}_{\substack{O(n^3) \\ \underbrace{}_{O(n^2)}}} & \underbrace{A(Bv)}_{\substack{O(n^2) \\ \underbrace{}_{O(n^1)}}} \end{array}$$

⚠ Matlab does not rearrange parentheses to help you

$$(A+B)^2 = (A+B)(A+B) = A^2 + B^2 + AB + BA$$

⚠ $AB \neq BA$
 $4 \times 3 \quad 3 \times 2 \quad 3 \times 2 \quad 4 \times 3$

⚠ $AC = BC \not\Rightarrow A = B \quad \neq C \neq 0$

If C is invertible, $AC = BC \Rightarrow A(CC^{-1}) = B(CC^{-1})$
 $\Rightarrow A \cdot I = B \cdot I$
 $\Rightarrow A = B$

row and column vectors:

$$c = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad 3 \times 1$$

$$r = [1 \ 2 \ 3] \quad 1 \times 3$$

$Ac \quad \checkmark \quad \text{⚠ } Ar \text{ does not exist if } A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

Usually, variables = column vectors:

$$v = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$w = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$w^T = [4 \ 5 \ 6]$$

Scalar product:

$$\langle v, w \rangle = v^T w = [1 \ 2 \ 3] \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = 1 \cdot 4 + 2 \cdot 5 + 3 \cdot 6 = 32$$

outer product

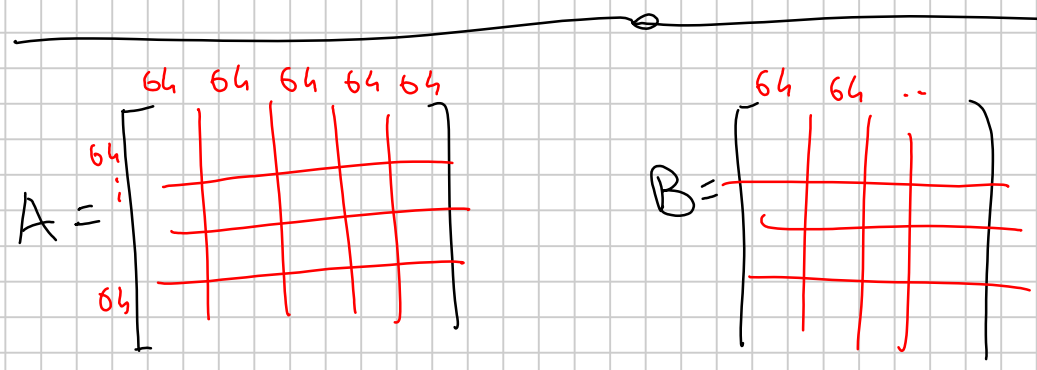
$$v w^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} [4 \ 5 \ 6] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \cdot 4 & 1 \cdot 5 & 1 \cdot 6 \\ 2 \cdot 4 & 2 \cdot 5 & 2 \cdot 6 \\ 3 \cdot 4 & 3 \cdot 5 & 3 \cdot 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Note: this is a rank-1 matrix

Def: A matrix has rank r iff its columns can be written as linear combinations of r distinct vectors (and I can't do it with $r-1$).

e.g. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ has rank 2

Theorem: column rank = row rank: if I replace "column" with "row" in the definition, I get the same number r



Numerical libraries often divide matrices into blocks for performance reasons when computing products (faster than vanilla for loops)

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & 0 & 0 \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & 0 \\ A_{31} & A_{32} & A_{33} \end{pmatrix}$$

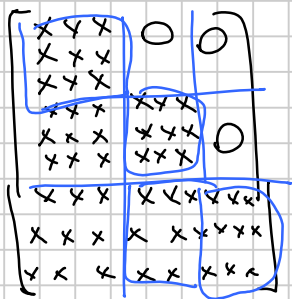
$$\begin{pmatrix} x & x & x \\ 0 & x & x \\ 0 & 0 & x \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & 0 & 0 \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & 0 \\ A_{31} & A_{32} & A_{33} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A_{11}x_1 &= y_1 & x_1 &= \frac{y_1}{A_{11}} \\ A_{21}x_1 + A_{22}x_2 &= y_2 \\ & \vdots \end{aligned}$$

$O(n^2)$ operations ("forward substitution")

If you have a large matrix $3n \times 3n$ divided into 3 blocks, you can work in the same fashion:



$$\begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & 0 & 0 \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & 0 \\ A_{31} & A_{32} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

now each
 A_{ij} x_i y_j
 is a block

$$\begin{bmatrix} x & x & x \\ 0 & x & x \\ 0 & 0 & x \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} n & n & n \\ \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & 0 & 0 \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & 0 \\ A_{31} & A_{32} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} 1 \\ \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix} = \begin{matrix} 1 \\ \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

$$A_{11}x_1 = y_1$$

$$x_1 = \frac{y_1}{A_{11}}$$

$$A_{21}x_1 + A_{22}x_2 = y_2$$

$$\vdots$$

! One cannot write
 A is a matrix

$\frac{x}{A}$ if x is a vector and

$$A_{11}x_1 = y_1 \Rightarrow$$

$$x_1 = A_{11}^{-1} y_1$$

$$A_{21}x_1 + A_{22}x_2 = y_2 \Rightarrow$$

$$x_2 = A_{22}^{-1} (y_2 - A_{21}x_1)$$

\vdots

\vdots