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- 可用中文或英文作答

1. [1pt] Write down an example of a system of **linear** equations in variables  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$ .

$$\begin{cases} x + y + z = 0 \\ x + y + z = 1 \end{cases}$$

2. [1pt] Write down an example of a system of equations in variables  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$  that is **not a linear system**.

$$\begin{cases} x^2 = 1 \\ y + z = 5 \end{cases}$$

3. [1pt] Write down an example of a system of **two linear equations** in its **echelon form** that contains **three free variables**.

$$\begin{cases} x + z + u + v = 0 \\ y + z + u + v = 0 \end{cases}$$

4. [1pt] Write down an example of a  $4 \times 4$  **singular** matrix.

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

5. [1pt] Write down an example of a  $4 \times 4$  **nonsingular** matrix.

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

6. Let

$$\mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ \sqrt{5} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(a) [1pt] Find the length  $|\mathbf{u}|$ .

$$\begin{aligned} |\mathbf{u}| &= \sqrt{2^2 + (-3)^2 + (\sqrt{5})^2 + 0^2} \\ &= \sqrt{4 + 9 + 5 + 0} = \underline{\underline{\sqrt{18}}} \end{aligned}$$

(b) [1pt] Find the length  $|\mathbf{v}|$ .

$$\begin{aligned} |\mathbf{v}| &= \sqrt{0^2 + 1^2 + 0^2 + 1^2} \\ &= \underline{\underline{\sqrt{2}}} \end{aligned}$$

(c) [1pt] Find the angle between  $\mathbf{u}$  and  $\mathbf{v}$ .

$$\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v} = 2 \cdot 0 + (-3) \cdot 1 + \sqrt{5} \cdot 0 + 0 \cdot 1 = -3.$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}}{|\mathbf{u}| |\mathbf{v}|} = \frac{-3}{\sqrt{18} \cdot \sqrt{2}} = \frac{-3}{6} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = \underline{\underline{\frac{2}{3}\pi}}$$

(d) [2pt] Find a vector  $\mathbf{w}$  such that the angle between  $\mathbf{w}$  and  $\mathbf{v}$  is  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ . [The answer is not unique. You only need to find one.]

for example,  $\mathbf{w} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{v} &= 2 & \Rightarrow \cos \theta &= \frac{2}{2\sqrt{2}} \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{4} \\ |\mathbf{w}| |\mathbf{v}| &= 2 \cdot \sqrt{2} \end{aligned}$$

7. [5pt] Find the general solution of the following linear system.

$$\begin{cases} w + x - 2y & = -2 \\ 5w + 5x - 10y + z & = -15 \\ 9w + 9x - 18y + 2z & = -28 \end{cases}$$

That is, find  $\mathbf{p}$  and  $\beta_1, \dots, \beta_k$  such that

$$\{\mathbf{p} + c_1\beta_1 + \dots + c_k\beta_k : c_1, \dots, c_k \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

is the set of all solutions.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 & 0 & | & -2 \\ 5 & 5 & -10 & 1 & | & -15 \\ 9 & 9 & -18 & 2 & | & -28 \end{pmatrix} \rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 & 0 & | & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & | & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & | & -10 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$  free  
 $\rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 & 0 & | & -2 \\ & & & 1 & | & -5 \end{pmatrix}$   
 $\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_R \quad \underbrace{\hspace{2em}}_{\vec{r}}$

• Solve  $R\vec{v} = \vec{r}$  for  $\vec{p}$  by setting  $x = y = 0$ .

$$\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 & 0 & | & -2 \\ & & & 1 & | & -5 \\ & \uparrow & \uparrow & & & \\ & 0 & 0 & & & \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \vec{p} = \begin{pmatrix} w \\ x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

• Solve  $R\vec{v} = \vec{0}$  for  $\vec{\beta}_1, \vec{\beta}_2$ .

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 & 0 & | & 0 \\ & \uparrow & \uparrow & & & \\ & 1 & 0 & & & \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \vec{\beta}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 & 0 & | & 0 \\ & \uparrow & \uparrow & & & \\ & 0 & 1 & & & \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \vec{\beta}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

8. [5pt] Let

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & -5 & 4 \\ -1 & -4 & 6 & -1 \\ 3 & 12 & -13 & 19 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \mathbf{R} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

It is known that  $\mathbf{R}$  is the reduced echelon form of  $\mathbf{A}$ . Write the row  $[1 \ 4 \ 0 \ 0]$  as a linear combination of rows of  $\mathbf{A}$ .

$$A \begin{matrix} \xrightarrow{\rho_1 + \rho_2} \\ \xrightarrow{-3\rho_1 + \rho_3} \end{matrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & -5 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 7 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{-2\rho_2 + \rho_3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & -5 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} \xrightarrow{-3\rho_3 + \rho_2} \\ \xrightarrow{-4\rho_3 + \rho_1} \end{matrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & -5 & 0 \\ & & 1 & 0 \\ & & & 1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\rho_2 + \rho_1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} A = R.$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5 & -19 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -5 & -2 \end{pmatrix} A = R.$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 101 & 43 & -19 \\ 16 & 7 & -3 \\ -5 & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} A = R.$$

$$\Rightarrow 101 (1 \ 4 \ -5 \ 4) + 43 (-1 \ -4 \ 6 \ -1)$$

$$+ (-19) (3 \ 12 \ -13 \ 19) = (1 \ 4 \ 0 \ 0)$$


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9. [5pt] Let

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 9 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 10 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Is it possible to obtain  $\mathbf{B}$  from  $\mathbf{A}$  by some row operations? [This is a yes-or-no question, but you have to provide your ~~answer.~~  
reason.]

$$\mathbf{A} \rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 3 & 3 \\ 6 & 7 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ \cancel{3} & \cancel{3} & \cancel{3} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 3 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & -6 \\ 1 & & \end{pmatrix} \rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & \\ & 1 & \\ & & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{B} \rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 3 & 3 \\ 6 & 6 & 7 \end{pmatrix} \rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 3 & 3 & 0 & \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \end{pmatrix}$$

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

Same reduced echelon form  $\Rightarrow$  Yes.

10. [extra 2pt] It is known that the following row operations are correct.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 13 \\ 23 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-\rho_1 + \rho_2} \begin{bmatrix} 13 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-\rho_2 + \rho_1} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{-3\rho_1 + \rho_2} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find two integers  $a$  and  $b$  such that  $a \cdot 13 + b \cdot 23 = 1$ .

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 13 \\ 23 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 13 \\ 23 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -7 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 13 \\ 23 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{matrix} (-7) \cdot 13 + (4) \cdot 23 = 1 \\ \uparrow \qquad \qquad \uparrow \\ a \qquad \qquad \qquad b \end{matrix}$$

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