

# Solutions-Problem set 1(section 1.2)

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$$\left| \begin{array}{l} x_2 + 2x_4 + 3x_5 = 0 \\ 4x_4 + 8x_5 = 0 \end{array} \right| \xrightarrow[\text{matrix}]{\text{Aug.}} \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc|c} 0 & 1 & 0 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ & 0 & 0 & 4 & 8 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow{\frac{1}{4} \textcircled{2}} \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc|c} 0 & 1 & 0 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\textcircled{1} - 2\textcircled{2}} \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc|c} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

→  $x_1, x_3$  and  $x_5$  are free variables and  $x_2 = x_5$  &  $x_4 = -2x_5$

$$\rightarrow \begin{cases} x_1 = t \\ x_2 = s \\ x_3 = r \\ x_4 = -2s \\ x_5 = s \end{cases}$$

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$$\left| \begin{array}{l} 2x_1 \quad -3x_3 \quad +7x_5 + 7x_6 = 0 \\ -2x_1 + x_2 + 6x_3 \quad -6x_5 - 12x_6 = 0 \\ \quad x_2 - 3x_3 \quad +x_5 + 5x_6 = 0 \\ \quad -2x_2 \quad +x_4 + x_5 + x_6 = 0 \\ 2x_1 + x_2 - 3x_3 \quad +8x_5 + 7x_6 = 0 \end{array} \right|$$

↓ Augm. matrix

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccccc|c} 2 & 0 & -3 & 0 & 7 & 7 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 6 & 0 & -6 & -12 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & 0 & 1 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & -3 & 0 & 8 & 7 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\textcircled{5} - \textcircled{1} \downarrow \textcircled{2} + \textcircled{1}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccccc|c} 2 & 0 & -3 & 0 & 7 & 7 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 0 & 1 & -5 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & 0 & 1 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\downarrow \frac{1}{2} \textcircled{1}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccccc|c} \textcircled{1} & 0 & -\frac{3}{2} & 0 & \frac{7}{2} & \frac{7}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 0 & 1 & -5 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & 0 & 1 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\textcircled{4} + 2 \textcircled{2} \quad \textcircled{3} - \textcircled{2}$$

$$\downarrow \textcircled{5} - \textcircled{2}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccccc|c} \textcircled{1} & 0 & -\frac{3}{2} & 0 & \frac{7}{2} & \frac{7}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & \textcircled{1} & 3 & 0 & 1 & -5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -6 & 0 & 0 & 10 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 & 1 & 3 & -9 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 & 0 & 0 & 5 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\downarrow -\frac{1}{6} \textcircled{3}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccccc|c} \textcircled{1} & 0 & -\frac{3}{2} & 0 & \frac{7}{2} & \frac{7}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & \textcircled{1} & 3 & 0 & 1 & -5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{5}{3} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 & 1 & 3 & -9 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 & 0 & 0 & 5 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\textcircled{1} + \frac{3}{2} \textcircled{3} \quad \textcircled{4} - 6 \textcircled{3}$$

$$\textcircled{2} - 3 \textcircled{3} \quad \textcircled{5} + 3 \textcircled{3}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 7/2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -5/3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{cases} x_1 = -7/2 t - r \\ x_2 = -t \\ x_3 = 5/3 r \\ x_4 = -3t - r \\ x_5 = t \\ x_6 = r \end{cases}$$

18 (a)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  This is a leading 1, but there is a nonzero entry in its column.

$\Rightarrow$  It's not in reduced row echelon form.

(b)  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  ✓ It's in rref.

(c)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  : Not ordered!  
(The zero row should be in the bottom)  
 $\rightarrow$  Not in rref.

(d)  $[0 \ 1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 4]$  ✓ It's in rref

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- 1st row should have a leading 1.
- $\rightsquigarrow$   $a=1$
- Since 4th column, has 1 in its first row  $\rightsquigarrow$  c can't be a leading 1  $\rightsquigarrow$   $c=0$
- Similarly,  $e=0$
- (it also should be zero, because of order on the leading 1s)
- If  $b=0$ , then  $d=0$  or 1.

• If  $b \neq 0$ , then  $d=0$

$\Rightarrow$  Therefore,  $a=1, b=0, c=0, e=0, d=0$

$a=1, b=0, c=0, e=0, d=1$

$a=1, b=t \neq 0, c=0, e=0, d=0$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \rightsquigarrow x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \rightsquigarrow x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 + 4x_4 = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 9 \\ 9 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \rightsquigarrow x_1 + 9x_2 + 9x_3 + 7x_4 = 0$$

$$\rightsquigarrow \begin{cases} x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4 = 0 \\ x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 + 4x_4 = 0 \\ x_1 + 9x_2 + 9x_3 + 7x_4 = 0 \end{cases} \xrightarrow[\text{matrix}]{\text{Aug}} \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 0 \\ 1 & 9 & 9 & 7 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{matrix} \textcircled{2} - \textcircled{1} \\ \textcircled{3} - \textcircled{1} \end{matrix} \rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 8 & 8 & 6 & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{matrix} \textcircled{1} - \textcircled{2} \\ \textcircled{3} - 8\textcircled{2} \end{matrix} \rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -8 & -18 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow{-\frac{1}{8}\textcircled{3}} \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{9}{4} & 0 \end{array} \right] \begin{matrix} \textcircled{1} + \textcircled{3} \\ \textcircled{2} - 2\textcircled{3} \end{matrix} \rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{4} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -\frac{3}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{9}{4} & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{cases} x_1 = -\frac{1}{4}t \\ x_2 = \frac{3}{2}t \\ x_3 = -\frac{9}{4}t \\ x_4 = t \end{cases}$$

$$\boxed{48} \quad \begin{cases} y + 2kz = 0 \\ x + 2y + 6z = 2 \\ kx + 2z = 1 \end{cases} \rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 1 & 2k & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 6 & 2 \\ k & 0 & 2 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow{\textcircled{2} - 2\textcircled{1}} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 1 & 2k & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 6-4k & 2 \\ k & 0 & 2 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\textcircled{3} - k\textcircled{2}} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 1 & 2k & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 6-4k & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2-6k+4k^2 & 1-2k \end{array} \right]$$

$$2-6k+4k^2 = (2k-1)(2k-2)$$

$\Rightarrow$  If  $k=1$ , then  $2-6k+4k^2=0$  but  $1-2k \neq 0$ , therefore No solution.

If  $k=\frac{1}{2}$ , then both  $2-6k+4k^2$  and  $1-2k$  vanish, thus  $x_3$  is a free variable and system has infinitely many solutions.

If  $k \neq 1, \frac{1}{2}$ , then  $2-6k+4k^2 \neq 0$ , thus

$$\xrightarrow{\frac{1}{2-6k+4k^2} \times \textcircled{3}} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 1 & 2k & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 6-4k & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2-2k} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \textcircled{1} - 2k\textcircled{3} \\ \textcircled{2} - (6-4k)\textcircled{3} \end{array} \rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 2 - \frac{6-4k}{2-2k} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2-2k} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{2-2k} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2-2k} \end{array} \right] \rightarrow$$

One solution

$$x_1 = \frac{1}{k-1}$$

$$x_2 = 0$$

$$x_3 = \frac{1}{2-2k}$$