

Exam 1, Thursday 1.1, 1.3, 1.4

Solving systems of linear equations.

Gauss-Jordan Method

- elementary row operations
- idea: Manipulate system without changing the solutions.

$$\text{e.g. } \begin{cases} \frac{1}{3}(3x - 2y = 1) \\ 2x + y = 10 \end{cases} \leftarrow \frac{1}{3} R_1$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\begin{cases} -2(x - \frac{2}{3}y = \frac{1}{3}) \\ 2x + y = 10 \end{cases} \leftarrow -2R_1 + R_2$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$x - \frac{2}{3}y = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\frac{3}{7}(\frac{7}{3}y = \frac{28}{3}) \leftarrow \frac{3}{7} R_2$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$x - \frac{2}{3}y = \frac{1}{3} \leftarrow \frac{2}{3} R_2 + R_1$$

$$\frac{2}{3}(y = 4)$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\begin{cases} x = 3 \\ y = 4 \end{cases} \text{ solution.}$$

$$\frac{4}{3}y + \frac{2}{3}y = \frac{7}{3}y$$

$$-\frac{2}{3} + 10 = -\frac{2}{3} + \frac{30}{3} = \frac{28}{3}$$

$$\frac{28}{3} \cdot \frac{3}{7} = \frac{28}{1} = 28$$

$$\frac{2}{3} \cdot 4 + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{8}{3} + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{9}{3} = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{e.g. } \frac{1}{2}(2x - 6y = -8) &\leftarrow \frac{1}{2}R_1 \\ -5x + 13y &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\downarrow \\ 5(x - 3y = -4) \\ -5x + 13y &= 1 \leftarrow 5R_1 + R_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\downarrow \\ x - 3y &= -4 \\ -\frac{1}{2}(-2y = -19) &\leftarrow -\frac{1}{2}R_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\downarrow \\ x - 3y &= -4 \leftarrow \underline{3R_2} + R_1 \\ 3(y = \frac{19}{2}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\downarrow \\ x &= \frac{49}{2} \\ y &= \frac{19}{2} \end{aligned} \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} x \\ y \end{aligned}} \right\} \underline{\text{Solution}}$$

$$3 \cdot \frac{19}{2} - 4 = \frac{57}{2} - \frac{8}{2} = \frac{49}{2}$$

e.g. $-\frac{1}{2}(x - 6y = 4)$

$$\frac{1}{2}x + 2y = 1 \leftarrow -\frac{1}{2}R_1 + R_2$$

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$$x - 6y = 4$$

$$-\frac{1}{2}(-6y) + 2y = 3y + 2y = 5y$$

$$\frac{1}{5}(5y = -1) \leftarrow \frac{1}{5}R_2$$

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$$x - 6y = 4 \leftarrow \underline{\underline{6R_2}} + R_1$$

$$6(y = -\frac{1}{5})$$

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$$-\frac{6}{5} + 4 = -\frac{6}{5} + \frac{20}{5} = \frac{14}{5}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x = \frac{14}{5} \\ y = -\frac{1}{5} \end{array} \right\} \text{solution}$$

called "diagonal form"

e.g. $-1(x + 2y + 2z = 11)$

$$x - y - z = -4 \leftarrow (-1)R_1 + R_2$$

$$2x + 5y + 9z = 39$$

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$$-2(x + 2y + 2z = 11)$$

$$-3y - 3z = -15$$

$$2x + 5y + 9z = 39 \leftarrow$$

$$\begin{array}{l} -2R_1 + R_2 \\ -2x - 4y - 4z = -22 \\ x - y - z = -4 \\ \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \\ \textcircled{-x} - 5y - 5z = -26 \end{array}$$

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$$-2R_1 + R_3$$

$$x + 2y + 2z = 11$$

$$-\frac{1}{3}(-3y - 3z = -15) \leftarrow -\frac{1}{3}R_2$$

$$y + 5z = 17$$

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$$x + 2y + 2z = 11$$

$$-1(y + z = 5)$$

$$y + 5z = 17 \leftarrow (-1)R_2 + R_3$$

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$$x + 2y + 2z = 11 \leftarrow -2R_2 + R_1$$

$$-2(y + z = 5)$$

$$4z = 12$$

↓ 4

$$\begin{aligned}
 x &= 1 \\
 y + z &= 5 \\
 \frac{1}{4}(4z = 12) &\leftarrow \frac{1}{4}R_3 \\
 &\downarrow
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 x &= 1 \\
 y + z &= 5 \leftarrow (-1)R_3 + R_2 \\
 -1(z = 3)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\downarrow \\
 \left. \begin{aligned}
 x &= 1 \\
 y &= 2 \\
 z &= 3
 \end{aligned} \right\} \text{ solution}
 \end{aligned}$$

(Diagonal Form).