

(1) Find a basis for the four subspaces of A .

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 & -2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 & 1 & -4 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 & -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

rank $A = 3$

$$A^T \rightarrow R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A \begin{matrix} \uparrow \\ \vec{x} \end{matrix} = \begin{matrix} \uparrow \\ \vec{b} \end{matrix}$$

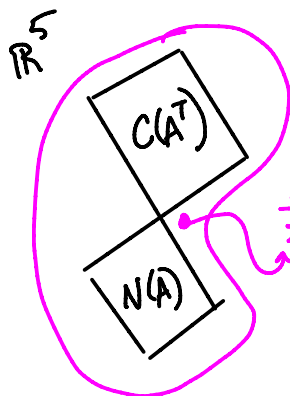
5-vector 4-vector

$$N(A) = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$C(A) = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

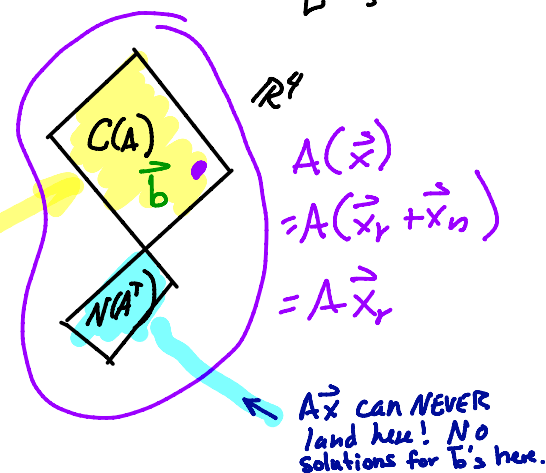
row space of $A = C(A^T) = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

$$N(A^T) = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 0 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$



$$\vec{x} = \vec{x}_r + \vec{x}_n$$

The $\vec{b}$'s for which $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ has a soln



(2) Why are the principles below true?

(a) If $\mathbf{v}$ and $\mathbf{w}$ are orthogonal, then $\|\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w}\|^2 = \|\mathbf{v}\|^2 + \|\mathbf{w}\|^2$.

• Pyth. Thm. or

$$\|\vec{v} + \vec{w}\|^2 = (\vec{v} + \vec{w}) \cdot (\vec{v} + \vec{w}) = \vec{v} \cdot \vec{v} + \underbrace{2\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w}}_{=0} + \vec{w} \cdot \vec{w} = \|\vec{v}\|^2 + \|\vec{w}\|^2$$

(b) If $\mathbf{v}$ and $\mathbf{w}$ are orthogonal, then $\mathbf{v}$ and $\mathbf{w}$ are linearly independent.

$$\text{if } \vec{v} = k\vec{w}, \text{ then } \vec{v} \cdot \vec{w} = (k\vec{w}) \cdot \vec{w} = k\|\vec{w}\|^2 > 0$$

NONZERO
and

(c) For any matrix A , $C(A^T) \perp N(A)$.

• Observation: If $\vec{v} = \text{row}_i(A)$ and $\vec{w} \in N(A)$, then $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w} = 0$ b/c

$$A\vec{w} = \begin{bmatrix} \text{row}_1 \cdot \vec{w} \\ \text{row}_2 \cdot \vec{w} \\ \vdots \\ \text{row}_k \cdot \vec{w} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- It follows that $\vec{w}$ is orthog to every linear combo of rows of A .
(b/c $(c_1\vec{v}_1 + c_2\vec{v}_2 + \dots + c_k\vec{v}_k) \cdot \vec{w} = c_1(\underbrace{\vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{w}}_0) + c_2(\underbrace{\vec{v}_2 \cdot \vec{w}}_0) + \dots + c_k(\underbrace{\vec{v}_k \cdot \vec{w}}_0) = 0$)
- It follows that every linear combo of rows is orthog to every linear combo of vectors in $N(A)$. (Same argument.)

(d) For any matrix A , $C(A) \perp N(A^T)$.

Call $B = A^T$ and apply (c) to $C(B) \perp N(B^T)$.

(e) If vector space V has two bases $B_1 = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m\}$ and $B_2 = \{w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n\}$, then $m = n$. (That is, the notion of the dimension of a vector space is well-defined.) ~~(suppose $m < n$)~~

Since B_1 is a basis $c_1v_1 + c_2v_2 + \dots + c_mv_m = w_1$. (Same for $w_2, w_3, \dots, w_n$)

Let $C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ \vec{c}_1 & \vec{c}_2 & \dots & \vec{c}_n \\ 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ where $\vec{c}_i = (c_1, c_2, \dots, c_m)$. Since $m < n$, C is $m \times n$

wide. So $\text{rref}(C)$ has a free variable. So $N(C)$ has nonzero vectors. So w_i 's are NOT linearly independent. That is a solution $\vec{x}$ to $C\vec{x} = \vec{0}$, gives a nontrivial linear combo of $\vec{w}$'s that equal zero.

(f) If the dimension of a vector space, V , is d , then you can tell that a set of d vectors is a basis of V by checking whether it is...

① linearly indep OR ② spans V

(In general, you have to check both)