

### Ch3: Systems of linear equations

#### → Linear equation:

An equation is called linear if the powers of all variables in the equation are 1, and it does not involve any product of variables.

Examples:

$$\sqrt{2}x + 3y - 2z = 3$$

$$x - 2y + 3z = 7$$

↳ General form for linear equation

$$a_1x_1 + a_2x_2 + \dots + a_nx_n = b$$

→ Where  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  called variables (unknowns)  
 $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$  and  $b$  called coefficients

↳ Special parts

$2x + 3y = 0$  is called homogeneous linear equation

↳ ذلك لأن قيمة المتغيرات  
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#### → Linear equation system:

A finite set of linear equations

$$\begin{cases} a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + a_{1n}x_n = b_1 \\ a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + a_{2n}x_n = b_2 \\ \dots \\ a_{m1}x_1 + a_{m2}x_2 + a_{mn}x_n = b_m \end{cases}$$

Example:

$$\begin{cases} 2x + 3y - z = 1 \\ x - 2y + 3z = 2 \\ x + 2y = 5 \end{cases}$$

## Systeme of linear equation

one solution

no solution

infinitely many solutions

\* if there is at least one solution of the systeme it is called consistent

\* if the system has no solution it is called inconsistent

$$\begin{cases} x - 2y = 0 \\ 2x + y = 0 \\ x + y = 0 \end{cases}$$

$\Rightarrow$  homogenous linear system  
(always consistent)

$\rightarrow$  Elementary row operations

1. Multiply a row by a skalar (nonzero constant)
2. Switch rows
3. Add a mutiple of one equation to another

→ Augmented matrix of systeme

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|c} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} & b_1 \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} & b_2 \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & \dots & a_{3n} & b_3 \end{array} \right]$$

يمكننا حل linear system باستخدام matrix اذا تمكنا من

تحويل ال augmented matrix الى الشكل التالي عن طريق ال row operations

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & a_{12} & a_{13} & b_1 \\ 0 & 1 & a_{23} & b_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & b_3 \end{array} \right]$$

Triangular form

diagonal

حتى لو لم تنال 1 لا توجد مشكلة ولكن اذا كانت اربعة  
الكل اسرع

Ext:

Solve the following systeme of linear equation

$$\begin{cases} x + 3y + 6z = 25 \\ 2x + 7y + 14z = 58 \\ 2y + 5z = 19 \end{cases}$$

Step 1

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & 6 & 25 \\ 2 & 7 & 14 & 58 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 & 19 \end{array} \right]$$

Augmented matrix

Step 2:

$$R_2 - 2R_1 \rightarrow R_2$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & 6 & 25 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 8 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 & 19 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_3 - 2R_2 \rightarrow R_3$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & 6 & 25 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 8 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{array} \right] \text{ Triangular Form}$$

Step 3:  $x + 3y + 6z = 25$

$$y + 2z = 8$$

$$z = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow y + 2z = 8$$

$$y = 8 - 2(3) = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 3y + 6z = 25$$

$$x = 25 - 3(2) - 6(3)$$

$$x = 1$$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Remarks !!

1.  $\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$

في حال  $\rightarrow$  جربنا هذا الشكل

انشاء معادلة العزول الى

ال triangular form معنا يعني

$\Rightarrow$  (linear systeme has infinitely many sol)

$$x + 3y + 2z = 4$$

$$y - 3z = 2$$

$$\text{let } z = t \rightarrow y = 2 + 3t \rightarrow x = -2 - 11t$$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 - 11t \\ 2 + 3t \\ t \end{bmatrix}$$

2. أما هذا الشكل فهو يعني:  $\Rightarrow$  (linear system has no solutions)

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

Ex2:

For which values of "a" will the following system have no solution? exactly one solution? infinitely many sol?

$$\begin{cases} x + 2y - 3z = 4 \\ 3x - y + 5z = 2 \\ 4x + y + (a^2 - 14)z = a + 2 \end{cases} \quad \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 3 & -1 & 5 & 2 \\ 4 & 1 & a^2 - 14 & a + 2 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\begin{array}{l} R_2 - 3R_1 \rightarrow R_2 \\ R_3 - 4R_1 \rightarrow R_3 \end{array} \quad \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -7 & 14 & -10 \\ 0 & -7 & a^2 - 2 & a - 14 \end{array} \right)$$

$$R_3 - R_2 \rightarrow R_3 \quad \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -7 & 14 & -10 \\ 0 & 0 & a^2 - 16 & a - 4 \end{array} \right)$$

For  $a^2 - 16 = 0$  and  $a - 4 = 0 \Rightarrow$  many solutions

$$\begin{cases} a^2 - 16 = 0 \\ a - 4 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} a^2 = 16 \\ a = 4 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} a = \pm 4 \\ a = 4 \end{cases} \Rightarrow a = 4$$

For  $a^2 - 16 = 0$  and  $a - 4 \neq 0 \Rightarrow$  no solution

$$a = -4$$

For  $a^2 - 16 \neq 0$  and  $a - 4 \neq 0 \Rightarrow$  one solution  $a \neq \pm 4$

## → Row echelon Form (REF)

Augmented matrix is REF if:

1. Any rows with all zeros are placed at the bottom of the matrix.
2. The first nonzero nb in the row is a 1, and we call it leader 1
3. Every leading 1 is to the right of the one above it

Example:

$$\left( \begin{array}{cccc|c} \boxed{1} & 0 & 6 & 5 & 8 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & \boxed{1} & 2 & 7 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \boxed{1} & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

entry: first nb in the row after 0

## → Reduced Row echelon form (RREF)

1. All entries in a column above and below a leading 1 are zeros

Ex:

$$\left( \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

N.B !!

zero matrices  $\left( \begin{array}{ccc} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$  are RREF

→ Pivot position

$$\text{Ex: } \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 & 6 \\ 4 & 4 & 4 & 10 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{\text{R.E.F.}} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3/2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

Pivot columns: 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> columns

$$\text{Ex1: } A = \left( \begin{array}{ccc} 0 & -5 & -4 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 5 & 10 & 7 \end{array} \right)$$

Find the RREF of A

$$R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2 \left( \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 0 & -5 & -4 \\ 5 & 10 & 7 \end{array} \right)$$

$$R_3 - 5R_1 \rightarrow R_3 \left( \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 0 & -5 & -4 \\ 0 & -10 & -8 \end{array} \right)$$

$$R_3 - 2R_2 \rightarrow R_3 \left( \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 0 & -5 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\frac{R_2}{-5} \left( \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -4/5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$R_1 - 4R_2 \rightarrow R_1 \left( \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 0 & -1/5 \\ 0 & 1 & -4/5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

Ex 2:

$$\begin{cases} 2x + 4y - 3z = -1 \\ 5x + 10y - 7z = -2 \\ 3x + 6y + 5z = 9 \end{cases}$$

Solve the system

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 4 & -3 & -1 \\ 5 & 10 & -7 & -2 \\ 3 & 6 & 5 & 9 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\begin{array}{l} R_2 - \frac{5}{2}R_1 \rightarrow R_2 \\ R_3 - \frac{3}{2}R_1 \rightarrow R_3 \end{array}$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 4 & -3 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{19}{2} & \frac{21}{2} \end{array} \right)$$

$$2R_2 \rightarrow R_2$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 4 & -3 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{19}{2} & \frac{21}{2} \end{array} \right)$$

$$R_3 - \frac{19}{2}R_2 \rightarrow R_3$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 4 & -3 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

$0 \neq 1$   
doesn't have a solution

Ex 3:

$$\begin{cases} 3x - y - 5z = 9 \\ y - 10z = 0 \\ -2x + y = -6 \end{cases}$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 3 & -1 & -5 & 9 \\ 0 & 1 & -10 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 & -6 \end{array} \right)$$

$$R_3 + \frac{2}{3}R_1 \rightarrow R_3$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 3 & -1 & -5 & 9 \\ 0 & 1 & -10 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{10}{3} & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$R_3 - \frac{1}{3}R_2 \rightarrow R_3$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 & -5 & 9 \\ 0 & 1 & -10 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R_1 \cdot \frac{1}{3} \rightarrow R_1$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{3} & -\frac{5}{3} & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -10 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R_1 + \frac{1}{3}R_2 \rightarrow R_1$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -5 & 13 \\ 0 & 1 & -10 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$z = t$$

$$y - 10t = 0 \Rightarrow y = 10t$$

$$x - 5t = 3 \Rightarrow x = 3 + 5t$$

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 + 5t \\ 10t \\ t \end{pmatrix}$$

Ex 4:

$$\begin{cases} x + 2y + z + w = 3 \\ x + y - z + w = 1 \\ x + 3y - z + w = 5 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 1 & | & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 & | & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & -1 & 1 & | & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R_2 - R_1 \rightarrow R_2$$

$$R_3 - R_1 \rightarrow R_3$$

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

$$-R_2 \rightarrow R_2$$

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

$$R_3 - R_2 \rightarrow R_3 \quad \left( \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 2 & -1 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$R_1 - 2R_2 \rightarrow R_1 \quad \left( \begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$w = t$$

$$z = s$$

$$y = 2$$

$$x - z + w = -1 \Rightarrow x - s + t = -1 \Rightarrow x = -1 + s - t$$

→ Rank of matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 & 9 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{RREF}} \begin{pmatrix} \boxed{1} & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & \boxed{1} & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad r=2$$

The rank is the nb of leading 1

Theoreme:

Let  $A$  be the  $m \times (n+1)$  augmented matrix corresponding to a consistent system of equations in  $n$  variables and suppose  $A$  has rank  $r$ .

1.  $r = n \Rightarrow$  unique solution

2.  $r < n \Rightarrow$  infinitely many solutions