

## Section 4.2

10.  $W$  is null space of matrix  $A$  where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
12.  $W$  is not a subspace because it does not contain the zero vector. It is impossible for  $d = 0$  and  $d = -.5$  which is necessary for rows 3 and 4 to have zero entries.
18. (a) Nul  $A$  is a 1 dimensional subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

(b)  $\begin{bmatrix} 7 & -2 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & -5 \\ 0 & -5 & 7 \\ -5 & 7 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Col  $A$  is a 3 dimensional subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^4$ .

23.  $\left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} -6 & 12 & 2 \\ -3 & 6 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{rref} \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -2 & \frac{-1}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$ .  $\vec{w}$  is in Col  $A$  because the matrix is consistent.

$$2 \begin{bmatrix} -6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} + 1 \begin{bmatrix} 12 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

24.  $\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} -8 & -2 & -9 & 2 \\ 6 & 4 & 8 & 1 \\ 4 & 0 & 4 & -2 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{rref} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 & \frac{-1}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2} & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$ .  $\vec{w}$  is in Col  $A$  because the matrix is consistent.

$$2 \begin{bmatrix} -8 \\ 6 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} + 1 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - 2 \begin{bmatrix} -9 \\ 8 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}. \vec{w} \text{ is in Nul } A.$$

27. Let  $A_{27}$  be the matrix that solves the system given. If  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$  is one vector in Nul  $A_{27}$ , and

$\begin{bmatrix} 30 \\ 20 \\ -10 \end{bmatrix}$  is another vector also in Null  $A_{27}$ , then  $A_{27}$  must have one pivotless column. This allows Nul  $A_{27}$  to span a line through the origin with both of those solutions on it.

28. Let the systems be represented by  $A\vec{x} = \vec{s}_1$  and  $A\vec{x} = \vec{s}_2$ . If  $A\vec{x}$  is consistent for  $\vec{s}_1$  then  $\vec{s}_1$  is in Col  $A$ . Since  $\vec{s}_2 = 5\vec{s}_1$  it is also in Col  $A$ . Therefore both systems have solutions.

## Section 4.3

1. The set of vectors in problem 1 are a basis for  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

4.  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -7 \\ -2 & -3 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . The set of vectors span all of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . They must be a basis.

7. The set of vectors is linearly dependent because the vectors are not scalar multiples of one another. The two vectors do not span all of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  because there can only be two pivots.

9. First I must identify the pivots. To do this I will row reduce.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -3 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -5 & 4 \\ 3 & -2 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -3 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -5 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}. \quad x_1 = 3x_3 - 2x_4 \text{ and } x_2 = 5x_3 - 4x_4 \text{ and } x_3 = x_3$$

and  $x_4 = x_4$ .

$$\text{Basis} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -4 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

12.  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{1}{5} \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .  $x_1 = \frac{-1}{5}x_2$  and  $x_2 = x_2$ . Basis Nul =  $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

13.  $A \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 6 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{5}{2} & \frac{3}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .  $x_1 = -6x_3 - 5x_4$  and  $x_2 = \frac{-5}{2}x_3 + \frac{-3}{2}x_4$  and  $x_3 = x_3$  and  $x_4 = x_4$

$$\text{Basis Nul } A = \begin{bmatrix} -6 \\ \frac{-5}{2} \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ \frac{-3}{2} \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}. \text{ To find Basis Col } A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -6 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} \text{ remove the columns that}$$

don't have pivots.

14. Basis Col  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 5 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 8 \\ -9 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Basis Nul  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ \frac{7}{5} \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

15. Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -3 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & -3 & 1 \\ -3 & 2 & 1 & -8 & -6 \\ 2 & -3 & 6 & 7 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -3 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & -4 & 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .  $\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \\ x_5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3x_3 - 4x_5 \\ 4x_3 + 5x_5 \\ x_3 \\ 2x_5 \\ x_5 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\text{Basis Col } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ -8 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

20. Since the solution to the homogeneous system isn't the trivial solution I know that there must

be at least one free variable in the system. Therefore the minimal basis must be  $\begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 4 \\ -9 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -7 \\ 2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$

## Section 4.4

$$1. [\vec{x}]_{\mathcal{B}} = 5 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} + 3 \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$3. [\vec{x}]_{\mathcal{B}} = 3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} + 0 - 1 \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -7 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -5 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$6. \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 5 & 4 \\ -2 & -6 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{rref} \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 0 & -6 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right] \cdot [\vec{x}]_{\mathcal{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} -6 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$7. \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & 2 & 8 \\ -1 & 4 & -2 & -9 \\ -3 & 9 & 4 & 6 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{rref} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{array} \right] \cdot [\vec{x}]_{\mathcal{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$