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We seek  $\bar{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$  such that

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 3 & -4 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ -3 & 5 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \\ 3 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix}. \quad \checkmark$$

We solve the linear system with augmented matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 & 7 \\ 3 & -4 & 5 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 3 \\ -3 & 5 & -4 & -6 \end{bmatrix}. \quad \checkmark$

Reducing that matrix to rref we obtain

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 & 7 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

Since the rref for the linear system has no pivot in the last column, the system is consistent, but there will be a free variable,  $x_3$ , so the solution is not unique.

In parametric vector form, the pre-images of

$$\begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \\ 3 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix} \text{ look like } \bar{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + t \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ for } t \in \mathbb{R}.$$

One such preimage is  $\begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .

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$\bar{b}$  will be in the range  $\bar{x} \rightarrow A\bar{x}$  provided we can find  $\bar{x} \in \mathbb{R}^4$  such that  $A\bar{x} = \bar{b}$ . We consider the augmented matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 9 & 2 & -1 \\ 4 & 0 & 3 & -4 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & -1 \\ -2 & 3 & 0 & 5 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{rref}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

Since the rref of  $[A|\bar{b}]$  has a pivot in the last column, no solution exists for  $A\bar{x} = \bar{b}$ . Thus,  $\bar{b}$  is not in the range of  $\bar{x} \rightarrow A\bar{x}$

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Our author informs us that for any vectors  $\bar{x}$  and  $\bar{y}$  in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  the set of vectors in the parallelogram determined by  $\bar{x}$  and  $\bar{y}$  has the form  $a\bar{x} + b\bar{y}$  for  $0 \leq a \leq 1$  and  $0 \leq b \leq 1$ .

Suppose  $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  is a linear transformation and  $P$  is a point in  $P$ .

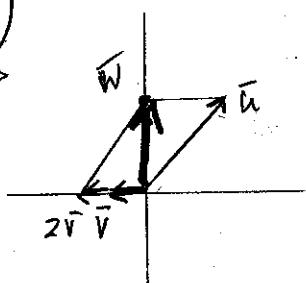
$$\bar{z} = a\bar{u} + b\bar{v} \text{ for some } 0 \leq a \leq 1 \text{ and } 0 \leq b \leq 1.$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(\bar{z}) &= T(a\bar{u} + b\bar{v}) \\ &= T(a\bar{u}) + T(b\bar{v}) \\ &= aT(\bar{u}) + bT(\bar{v}) \end{aligned}$$

So,  $T(\bar{z})$  lies in the parallelogram determined by  $T(\bar{u})$  and  $T(\bar{v})$ .

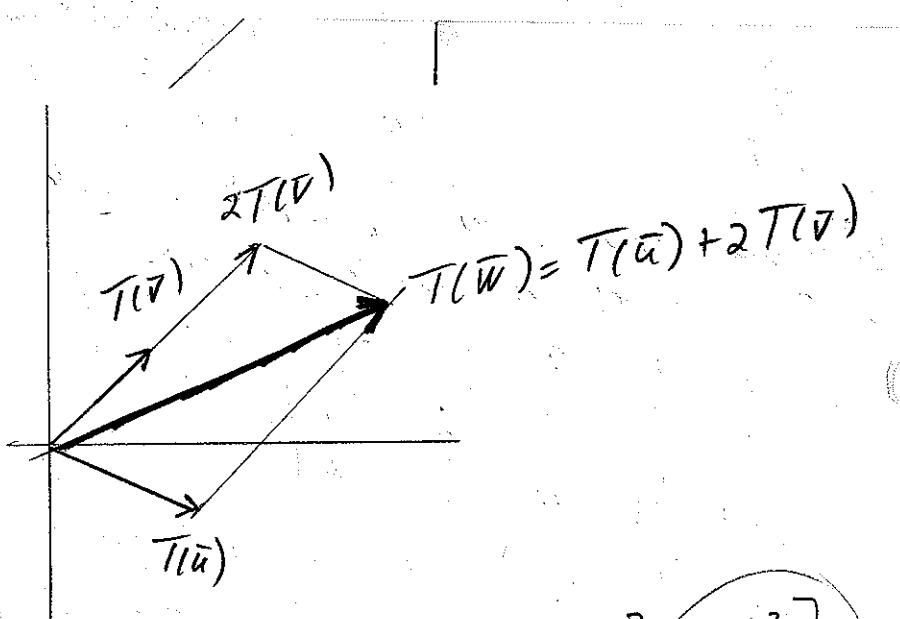
Hence, the image of any point in  $P$  under the linear transformation  $T$  is in the parallelogram determined by  $T(\bar{u})$  and  $T(\bar{v})$ .

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$$\bar{w} = \bar{u} + 2\bar{v}$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(\bar{w}) &= T(\bar{u} + 2\bar{v}) \\ &= T(\bar{u}) + 2T(\bar{v}) \end{aligned}$$



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Here we consider the linear transformation

$T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by  $T(\bar{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & -5 \\ 3 & -7 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \bar{x}$ .

Take  $\bar{b} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix}$  can we find  $\bar{x} \in \mathbb{R}^3$  such that  $T(\bar{x}) = \bar{b}$ ?

Consider the augmented matrix

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 4 & -5 & b_1 \\ 3 & -7 & 4 & b_2 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|cc} 1 & 4 & -5 & b_1 \\ 0 & -19 & 19 & -3b_1 + b_2 \end{array} \right]$$

There is a pivot in each row of the matrix of coefficients, so  $T$  is onto  $\mathbb{R}^2$ . However, there is no pivot in column three, so  $T$  is not 1-1.

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Here we have  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by

$T(\bar{x}) = [\bar{a}_1 \ \bar{a}_2] \bar{x}$  where the columns are linearly independent. So, by Theorem 12,  $T$  is 1-1 and onto. We get the onto part because  $\{\bar{a}_1, \bar{a}_2\}$  spans  $\mathbb{R}^2$ .

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where  $A$  is  $n \times n$  and  $\bar{b} \in \mathbb{R}^m$  and  $\bar{b} \neq \bar{0}$ .

Consider  $\bar{x}, \bar{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ .

$$T(\bar{x}) = A\bar{x} + \bar{b}$$

$$T(\bar{y}) = A\bar{y} + \bar{b}$$

$$\text{So, } T(\bar{x}) + T(\bar{y}) = A(\bar{x} + \bar{y}) + 2\bar{b}$$

$$\text{But, } T(\bar{x} + \bar{y}) = A(\bar{x} + \bar{y}) + \bar{b}$$

and since  $\bar{b} \neq \bar{0}$   $2\bar{b} \neq \bar{b}$ .

$$\text{So, } T(\bar{x}) + T(\bar{y}) \neq T(\bar{x} + \bar{y})$$

Hence,  $T$  is not a linear transformation.

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Consider  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by  $T(x_1, x_2) = (4x_1 - 2x_2, 3x_2)$

Is  $T$  linear?

$$\text{Let } \bar{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, c = -2$$

$$T(-2\bar{x}) = T\left(\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-2T(\bar{x}) = -2T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\right) = -2\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{So, } T(-2\bar{x}) \neq -2T(\bar{x})$$

T is not linear because scalar multiplication is not preserved.