

## Section 2.3

E4.)

The matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} -7 & 0 & 4 \\ 3 & 0 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$  is not invertible.

✓ One of its columns is the zero vector which makes the set of its columns linearly dependent by Theorem 9 (Chapter 1). Therefore the matrix is not invertible by the Invertible Matrix Theorem (statement c).

E8.)

The matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 7 & 4 \\ 0 & 5 & 9 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 8 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$  is invertible.

✓ The matrix is in echelon form with a pivot in each row and each column. It is therefore row equivalent to  $I_4$  and thus is invertible by the Invertible Matrix Theorem (statement b).

E10.)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 & 1 & 7 & 9 \\ 6 & 4 & 2 & 8 & -8 \\ 7 & 5 & 3 & 10 & 9 \\ 9 & 6 & 4 & -9 & -5 \\ 8 & 5 & 2 & 11 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{Method?}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{2}{3} & \frac{4}{9} & -1 & -\frac{5}{9} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{11}{3} & -36 & -\frac{106}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{87}{4} & -\frac{37}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 33.999 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

✓ The matrix is invertible. When it is reduced to echelon form, we can tell that it is row equivalent to  $I_5$ . Therefore the matrix is invertible by the Invertible Matrix Theorem (statement b).

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- E12.) a.) This statement is true by the IMT (statements j and k).
- b.) This statement is true by the IMT (statements e and h).
- c.) This statement is true. In an  $n \times n$  matrix,  $A$ , if the equation  $A\bar{x} = \bar{b}$  has at least one solution for each  $\bar{b}$  in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  then  $A$  is an invertible matrix. This is verified by the IMT (statements g and a). Since  $A$  is an invertible  $n \times n$  matrix then for each  $\bar{b}$  in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , the equation  $A\bar{x} = \bar{b}$  has a unique solution by Theorem 5.
- d.) This statement is true by the IMT (statements i and c). Must be ONTO.
- e.) This statement is true by the IMT (statements g and f).

E14.) A square lower triangular matrix is invertible iff its diagonal entries are all non-zero. Elementary row operations can reduce all entries below the diagonal to zero while keeping all diagonal entries non-zero. Therefore the matrix has  $n$  pivot positions and is thus invertible by the IMT (statements c and a).

E22.) If the equation  $H\bar{x} = \bar{c}$  is inconsistent for some  $\bar{c}$  in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  then  $H$  does not have a pivot position in every row by Theorem 4 (Chapter 1). Therefore  $H$  has at least one free variable. Therefore the equation  $H\bar{x} = \bar{0}$  has at least one nontrivial solution by the blue-highlighted statement on page 50.

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E32.) If  $A$  is an  $n \times n$  matrix and the equation  $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$  has only the trivial solution then the equation  $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$  has no free variables. Therefore the matrix has  $n$  pivot positions, one in every row and every column. Therefore the equation  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  has a solution for each  $\vec{b}$  in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  by Theorem 4 (Chapter 1).

E34.)  $T(x_1, x_2) = (6x_1 - 8x_2, -5x_1 + 7x_2)$

The standard matrix for  $T = A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -8 \\ -5 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$ .  
 $A$  is invertible by Theorem 4 because...

$$ad - bc = 6 \cdot 7 - (-8)(-5) = 42 - 40 = 2 \neq 0.$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 8 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7/2 & 4 \\ 5/2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$T^{-1}(x_1, x_2) = \left( \frac{7}{2}x_1 + 4x_2, \frac{5}{2}x_1 + 3x_2 \right)$

E36.) If  $T$  is a linear transformation that maps  $\mathbb{R}^n$  onto  $\mathbb{R}^n$  then the columns of its standard matrix  $A$  span  $\mathbb{R}^n$  by Theorem 12. Therefore  $A$  has a pivot position in every row by Theorem 4 (Chapter 2). Since  $T$  maps  $\mathbb{R}^n$  onto  $\mathbb{R}^n$  then  $A$  is an  $n \times n$  matrix. Since  $A$  is an  $n \times n$  matrix with a pivot position in every row then it has  $n$  pivot positions. Therefore  $A$  is invertible by the IMT (statements c and a). Therefore  $T^{-1}$  exists by Theorem 9. Since  $A$  is invertible then  $A^{-1}$  is invertible by Theorem 6. Therefore the linear transformation  $\vec{x} \mapsto A^{-1}\vec{x}$  (a.k.a.  $T^{-1}\vec{x}$ ) is one-to-one by the IMT (statements a and f).

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Picture?

E2.) The vectors  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  are in  $H$ . However  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$  is not in  $H$ . Therefore  $H$  violates the definition of a subspace and is not a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

E8.) 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 3 & 3 & -9 \\ -6 & -4 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & -6 & 14 \\ 0 & -2 & 6 & -14 \end{bmatrix}$$

The system  $A\vec{x} = \vec{p}$  is consistent.  
Therefore  $\vec{p} \in \text{Col } A$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} -3 & -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & -6 & 14 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 & -7 \\ -3 & -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

E10.) 
$$\begin{bmatrix} -3 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -6 \\ 6 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 + (-6) + 0 \\ 0 + 6 + (-6) \\ -12 + 9 + 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

The product  $A\vec{u} = \vec{0}$ . Therefore  $\vec{u} \in \text{Nul } A$ .