

(1.1) + (1.2)

SLE  $\rightarrow$  [ coefficient matrix ; Augmentation ]

\* Elementary row operations

- Add a multiple of a row to another row
- Interchange 2 rows
- multiply a row with a  $\neq 0$  real #.

Defn 2 SLE's are called row-equivalent if there is a finite sequence of elementary row operations which takes one to the other.

Thm: If two SLE's are row equivalent then they have the same solution set.

Ex Solve  $x+y=5$   
 $x-y=3$   
 $2x+y=3$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{-R_1+R_2 \rightarrow R_2} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & -2 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_3-2R_1 \rightarrow R_3} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & -2 & -2 \\ 0 & -1 & -7 \end{array} \right]$$

$$-\frac{1}{2}R_2 \rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & -7 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_3+R_2} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -6 \end{array} \right]$$

$\downarrow R_3$

0  $\cdot x + 0y = -6$   
never true

INCONSISTENT

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Ex Solve  $x+y+z=5$

$$x-y+z=3$$

$$x+y+z=4$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 5 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 4 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow[R_2-R_1]{R_2} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 4 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow[R_3-R_1]{R_3} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow[-\frac{1}{2}R_2]{-R_3} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow[R_3-R_2]{R_3} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow[R_1-R_2]{R_1} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1^* & 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 1^* & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

↑  
leading 1's      ↑  
pivots      ↑  
Free variable

$$x+z=4$$

$$y=1 \quad \rightarrow$$

$$x=4-z$$

$y=1$  parameter

$z = \text{free to choose}$

Only many solutions. For each choice  
of  $z$ , I get a different answer/solution.

$(4, 1, 0), (3, 1, 1), \underbrace{(4-z, 1, z), z \in \mathbb{R}}_{\text{all solutions}}$   
 $\underbrace{\text{some solutions}}$

1.1

Exc #20, 22

Find values of  $h$  which makes system consistent

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$$\left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & h & -3 \\ -2 & 4 & 6 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow{2R_1 + R_2 \rightarrow R_2} \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & h & -3 \\ 0 & 4+2h & 0 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow 0 \cdot x + (4+2h)y = 0$$

if  $h = -2$ 

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -2 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

consistent  
(infinitely many solutions.) $h \neq -2$ 

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & h & -3 \\ 0 & 4+2h & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

consistent  
(unique solution)For all values of  $h$ , this system is consistent

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$$\left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & -3 & h \\ -6 & 9 & 5 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{3R_1 + R_2} \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & -3 & h \\ 0 & 0 & 3h+5 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{matrix} 3R_1 + R_2 \\ \downarrow \\ R_2 \end{matrix}$$

If  $3h+5 = 0$  then system is consistent  
 i.e.,  $h = -\frac{5}{3}$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & -3 & -\frac{5}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

If  $3h+5 \neq 0$ 

$h \neq -\frac{5}{3}$  then system is inconsistent  
 $\star 0 = 0x + 0y = 3h + 5 \neq 0$

1.2

Leading entry of a row:

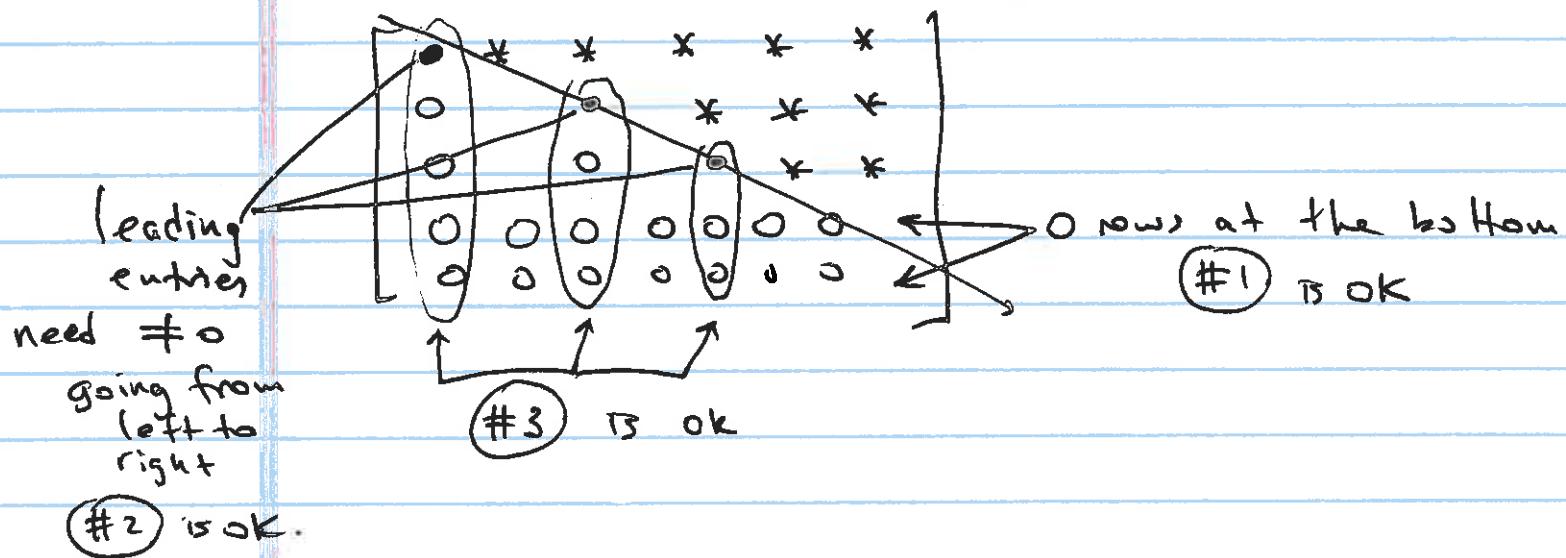
= the leftmost non-zero entry

Echelon form: 3 conditions

#1. All zero rows must appear below all rows with a non-zero entry.

#2. Leading entry of a row is to the left of the leading entry of a row below

#3. For each leading entry of a row the entries below (in the same column) are 0.



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Ex

In Echelon form?

Why?

a)  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  No leading 1's : # 2 fails

b)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  No #1 fails zero row is not at the bottom.

c)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  No leading entry of row 1 #3 fails

d)  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  Yes  $1^{\checkmark}, 2^{\checkmark}, 3^{\checkmark}$   
leading entries  
#2  $\checkmark$  #3  $\checkmark$  0 row at the bottom #1  $\checkmark$

#3 is true as well.