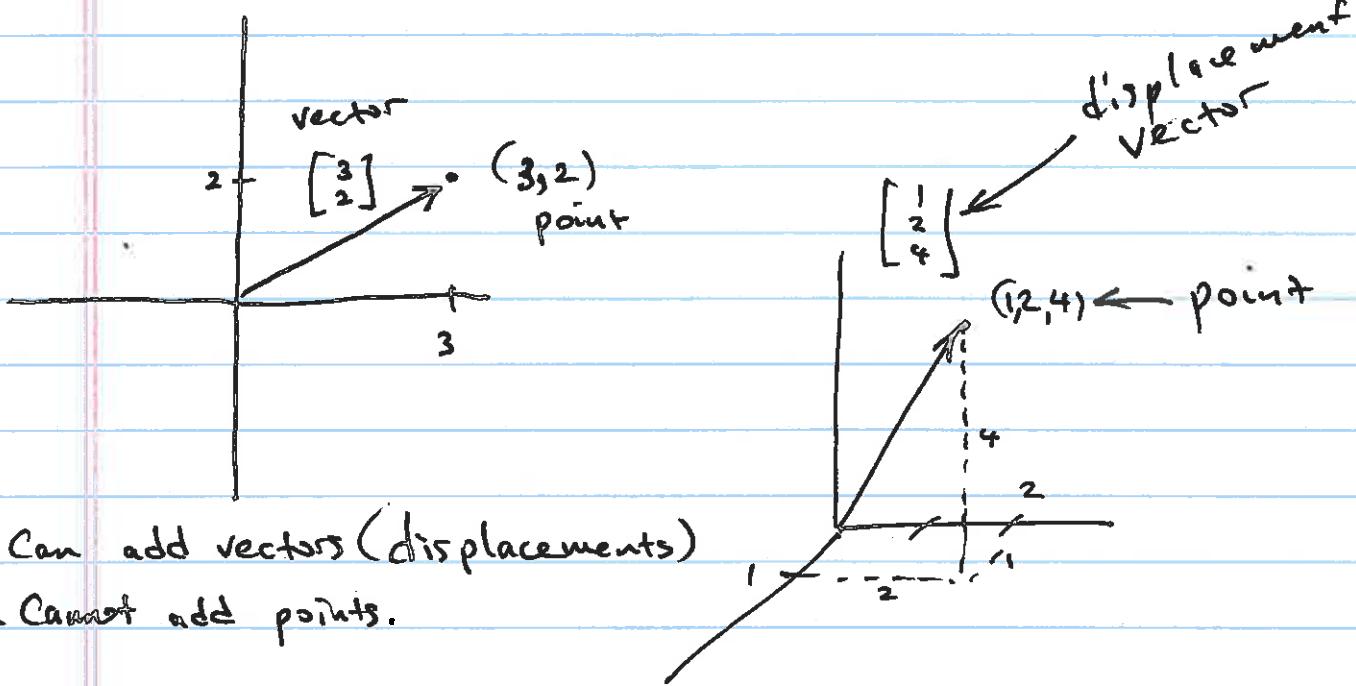
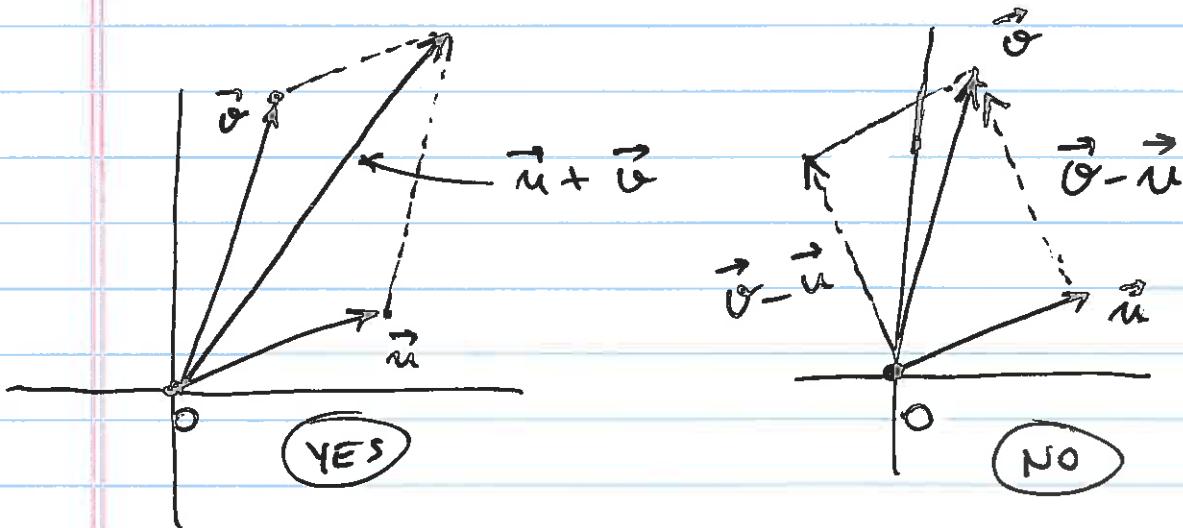


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Parallelogram Law



If one places a parallelogram whose 3 vertices are the terminal points of the vectors $\vec{u}, \vec{v}, \vec{w}$ s.t. the terminal pts of \vec{u} and \vec{v} are not adjacent on the parallelogram then the 4th vertex is the terminal pt of $\vec{u} + \vec{v}$

(2)

Linear Combinations.

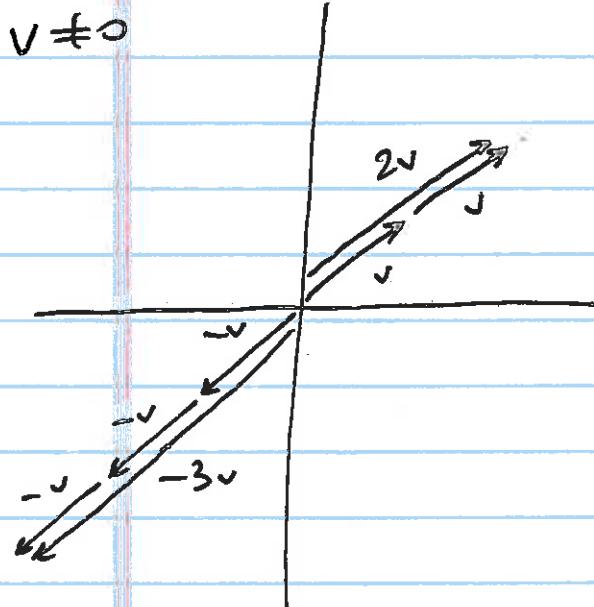
Defn Given vectors $\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \dots, \vec{v}_n$ in \mathbb{R}^n & real numbers c_1, c_2, \dots, c_n one defines

$c_1\vec{v}_1 + c_2\vec{v}_2 + c_3\vec{v}_3 + \dots + c_n\vec{v}_n$ to be the linear combination of vectors $\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_n$ w/ weights c_1, c_2, \dots, c_n .

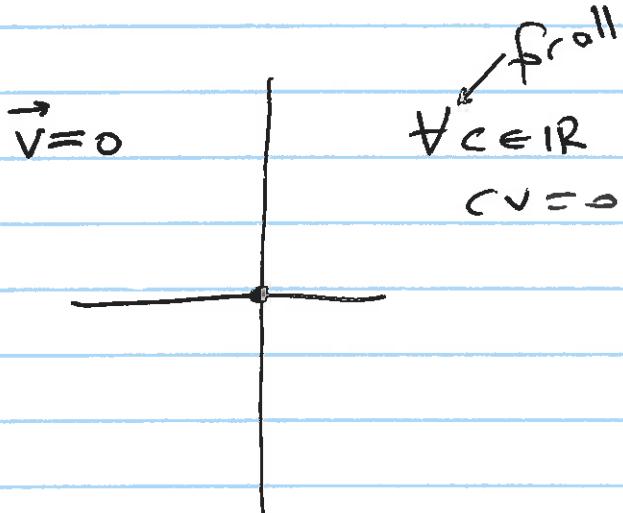
Geometrically

Fix $v \in \mathbb{R}^n$ } $\{c\vec{v} \mid c \in \mathbb{R}\}$

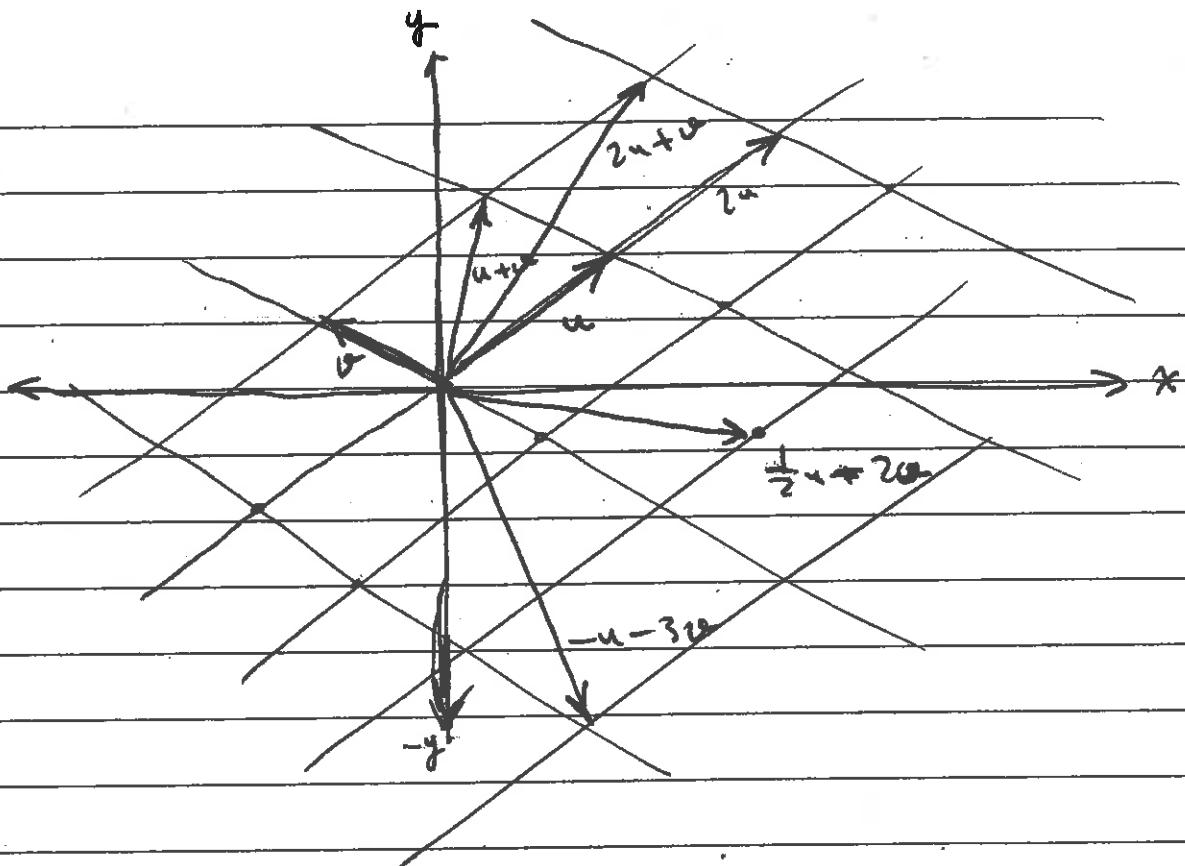
The collection of all $c\vec{v}$ (all possible linear combinations using v , as c runs thru \mathbb{R})



The tips of the vectors $c\vec{v}$, are on a line passing thru origin, & parallel to v .



(3)



The linear combinations of the form

$c_1\vec{u} + c_2\vec{v}$ (where $c_1 \neq 0, c_2 \neq 0$,
 \vec{u} is not parallel to \vec{v})

with some chosen values of c_1 and c_2 .

(4)

Exs Linear Combinations

$$2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} + 4 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} + (-2) \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -8 \\ 24 \end{bmatrix}$$

linear combination

Question: Is $\begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ a linear combination of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$?

Which is asking:

Does there exist $x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{R}$ s.t.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} ?$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - x_2 \\ x_1 + x_2 \\ 2x_1 + 0x_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 - x_2 &= 5 \\ x_1 + x_2 &= -1 \\ 2x_1 &= 4 \end{aligned} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{SLE} \\ \text{Is it consistent?} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -1 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 & 4 \end{array} \right]$$

The original question becomes
"Is it consistent?"

(5)

Reduce

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2 - R_1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 5 \\ 0 & 2 & -6 \\ 2 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{2}R_2 \\ \frac{1}{2}R_3 \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1 \leftrightarrow R_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 1 & -1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} R_3 - R_1 \\ \downarrow R_3 \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow[R_3]{R_2 + R_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$x_1 = 2$
 $x_2 = -3$

Put back
into theeqⁿ (**):

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} - 3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

So consistency of (**) tells us that

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$
 is a linear combination of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$.

(6)

Ex. #14 (similar)

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 5 \\ -2 & 1 & -6 \\ 0 & 2 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Is b a linear combination of the column vectors of A ? YES Why?

Asking: Are there any x_1, x_2, x_3 s.t.

$$x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -6 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

SLE $\left. \begin{array}{l} x_1 + 0x_2 + 5x_3 = 2 \\ -2x_1 + x_2 - 6x_3 = -1 \\ 0x_1 + 2x_2 + 8x_3 = 6 \end{array} \right\} (*)$

Compare to
 A, b above

Matrix of SLE

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 5 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 & -6 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 8 & 6 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\begin{array}{l} 2R_1 + R_2 \\ \downarrow R_2 \end{array}} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 5 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 8 & 6 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow{R_3 - 2R_2}$$

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

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Free

$$x_1 = 2 - 5x_3$$

$$x_2 = 3 - 4x_3$$

$$x_3 = \text{free}$$

we can find infinitely many different x_1, x_2, x_3 s.t. $(*)$ holds.

1.3
END