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Solve the system of linear equations

5.2 way

$$x + y + z = 6$$

$$2x - 2y - z = -5$$

$$3x + y - z = 2$$

$$-2R1 \quad -2x - 2y - 2z = -12$$

$$R2 \quad 2x - 2y - z = -5$$

$$-4y - 3z = -17$$

$$-3R1 \quad -3x - 3y - 3z = -18$$

$$R2 \quad 3x + y - z = 2$$

$$-2y - 4z = -16$$

$$R1 \quad x + y + z = 6$$

$$-2R1 + R2 \quad -4y - 3z = -17$$

$$-3R1 + R3 \quad -2y - 4z = -16$$

$$R2 \quad -4y - 3z = -17$$

$$-2R3 \quad 4y + 8z = 32$$

$$5z = 15$$

$$R1 \quad x + y + z = 6$$

$$R2 \quad -4y - 3z = -17$$

$$R2 - 2R3 \quad 5z = 15$$

BACK-SUB:

$$5z = 15$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad z = 3$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad -4y - 3(3) = -17$$

$$-4y - 9 = -17$$

$$-4y = -8$$

$$\textcircled{y = 2}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad x + 2 + 3 = 6$$

$$x + 5 = 6$$

$$\textcircled{x = 1}$$

$$(x, y, z) = (1, 2, 3)$$

Soln set $\subseteq (x, y, z) \in \{(1, 2, 3)\}$

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 The unknowns is in this set, containing one point

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$$\begin{aligned} x + y + z &= 6 \\ 2x - 2y - z &= -5 \\ 3x + y - z &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

GAUSSIAN ELIMINATION

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 6 \\ 2 & -2 & -1 & -5 \\ 3 & 1 & -1 & 2 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 6 \\ 0 & -4 & -3 & -17 \\ 0 & -2 & -4 & -16 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 6 \\ 2 & -2 & -1 & -5 \\ 3 & 1 & -1 & 2 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R_1 \\ -2R_1 + R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \\ -3R_1 + R_3 \rightarrow R_3 \end{array}$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right] A$$

z = A!
Back-sub
for x & y.

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 6 \\ 0 & -4 & -3 & -17 \\ 0 & -2 & -4 & -16 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R_1 \\ -\frac{1}{4}R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \\ R_3 \end{array}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 6 \\ 0 & 1 & 3/4 & 17/4 \\ 0 & -2 & -4 & -16 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R_1 \\ R_2 \\ 2R_2 + R_3 \rightarrow R_3 \end{array}$$

$$(2)\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) - 4 = \frac{3}{2} - 4 = \frac{3}{2} - \frac{8}{2} = -\frac{5}{2}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 6 \\ 0 & 1 & 3/4 & 17/4 \\ 0 & 0 & -5/2 & -15/2 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R_1 \\ R_2 \\ -\frac{2}{5}R_3 \rightarrow R_3 \end{array}$$

$$(2)\left(\frac{17}{4}\right) - 16 = -\frac{17}{2} - 16$$

$$= \frac{17}{2} - \frac{32}{2} = -\frac{15}{2}$$

$$\left(-\frac{2}{5}\right)\left(-\frac{15}{2}\right) = 3$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 6 \\ 0 & 1 & 3/4 & 17/4 \\ 0 & 0 & -5/2 & -15/2 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} z = 3 \\ y + \frac{3}{4}(3) = \frac{17}{4} \\ y + \frac{9}{4} = \frac{17}{4} \\ y = \frac{17-9}{4} = \frac{8}{4} = 2 = y \end{array}$$

$$x + 2 + 3 = 6$$

$$x + 5 = 6$$

$$x = 1$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$4x - 2y + z = 13$$

$$3x - y + 2z = 13$$

$$x + 3y - 3z = -10$$

$$R3 \quad x + 3y - 3z = -10$$

$$R2 \quad 3x - y + 2z = 13$$

$$R1 \quad 4x - 2y + z = 13$$

$$-3R1 \quad -3x - 9y + 9z = -30$$

$$R2 \quad 3x - y + 2z = 13$$

$$-10y + 11z = 43$$

$$-4R1 \quad -4x - 12y + 12z = 40$$

$$R3 \quad 4x - 2y + z = 13$$

$$-14y + 13z = 53$$

$$R1 \quad x + 3y - 3z = -10$$

$$-3R1 + R2 \quad -10y + 11z = 43$$

$$-4R1 + R3 \quad -14y + 13z = 53$$

$$R1 \quad x + 3y - 3z = -10$$

$$R2 \quad -10y + 11z = 43$$

$$-14R2 + 10R3$$

$$-24z = -172$$

$$-14R2 \quad 140y - 154z = -602$$

$$10R3 \quad -140y + 130z = 530$$

$$-24z = -72$$

$$z = \frac{-72}{-24} = 3$$

← $z = 3$

$$x + 3(-1) - 3(3) = -10$$

$$x - 3 - 9 = -10$$

$$x - 12 = -10$$

$$x = 2$$

$$-10y + 11(3) = 43$$

$$-10y + 33 = 43$$

$$-10y = 10$$

$$y = -1$$

$$\{(2, -1, 3)\}$$

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Same deal, with a matrix

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$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 4 & -2 & 1 & 13 \\ 3 & -1 & 2 & 13 \\ 1 & 3 & -3 & -10 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & -3 & -10 \\ 3 & -1 & 2 & 13 \\ 4 & -2 & 1 & -10 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & -3 & -10 \\ 0 & -10 & 11 & 43 \\ 0 & -14 & 13 & 53 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & -3 & -10 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{11}{10} & -\frac{43}{10} \\ 0 & -14 & 13 & 53 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & -3 & -10 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{11}{10} & -\frac{43}{10} \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{5}{12} & -\frac{36}{5} \end{array} \right]$$

$$(14) \left(-\frac{11}{10}\right) + 13$$

$$= -\frac{77}{5} + \frac{65}{5} = -\frac{12}{5}$$

$$(14) \left(-\frac{43}{10}\right) + 53 =$$

$$= -\frac{301}{5} + \frac{265}{5} = -\frac{36}{5}$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & -3 & -10 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{11}{10} & -\frac{43}{10} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{array} \right]$$

$z = 3$

$$y - \frac{11}{10}(3) = -\frac{43}{10}$$

$$y - \frac{33}{10} = -\frac{43}{10}$$

$$y = \frac{33-43}{10} = -\frac{10}{10} = -1 = y$$

$$x + 3(-1) - 3(3) = -10$$

$$x - 3 - 9 = -10$$

$$x - 12 = -10$$

$x = 2$

$$(x, y, z) \in \{(2, -1, 3)\}$$

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$$(3) \quad x + 3y + 7z = 11$$

$$2x + 7y + 17z = 24$$

$$-x - 4y - 10z = -13$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & 7 & 11 \\ 2 & 7 & 17 & 24 \\ -1 & -4 & -10 & -13 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R1 \\ -2R1 + R2 \\ R1 + R3 \end{array}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & 7 & 11 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & -3 & -2 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R1 \\ R2 \\ R2 + R3 \end{array}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & 7 & 11 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$x + 3y + z = 11 \rightarrow \boxed{y = -3z + 2} \text{ so}$$

$$y + 3z = 2$$

$$x + 3y + z = 11 \text{ means } x + 3(-3z + 2) + 2 = 11, \text{ etc.}$$

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for the big finish.

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$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{3} \quad & x + 3y + 7z = 11 \\ & 2x + 7y + 17z = 24 \\ & -x - 4y - 10z = -13 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -2R1 \quad -2x - 6y - 14z = -22 \\ R2 \quad 2x + 7y + 17z = 24 \\ \hline \qquad \qquad y + 3z = 2 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} R1 \quad x + 3y + 7z = 11 \\ -2R1 + R2 \quad \qquad y + 3z = 2 \\ R1 + R3 \quad \qquad -y - 3z = -2 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} R1 \quad x + 3y + 7z = 11 \\ R3 \quad -x - 4y - 10z = -13 \\ \hline \qquad \qquad -y - 3z = -2 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} R1 \quad x + 3y + 7z = 11 \\ R2 \quad \qquad y + 3z = 2 \\ R2 + R3 \quad \qquad 0 = 0 \end{array}$$

$$y + 3z = 2$$

$$y = -3z + 2$$

$$x + 3y + 7z = 11$$

$$x + 3(-3z + 2) + 7z = 11$$

$$x - 9z + 6 + 7z = 11$$

$$x + 6 - 2z = 11$$

$$x = 2z + 5$$

Solution set: $\left\{ (2z + 5, -3z + 2, z) \mid z \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$

ONE FREE VARIABLE, z . This describes a straight line in space.

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$$2x - 6y + 4z = 8 \quad \frac{1}{2}R_1$$

$$3x - 9y + 6z = 12 \quad R_2$$

$$5x - 15y + 10z = 20 \quad R_3$$

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$$x - 3y + 2z = 4 \quad R_1$$

$$3x - 9y + 6z = 12$$

$$5x - 15y + 10z = 20$$

$$R_1 \quad 1x - 3y + 2z = 4$$

$$-3R_1 + R_2$$

$$0 = 0$$

$$-5R_1 + R_3$$

$$0 = 0$$

So, $x = 3y - 2z + 4$, and y & z are free!
2 degrees of freedom. 2-dimensional object.
The solution is a plane!

$$\left\{ (3y - 2z + 4, y, z) \mid y, z \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

All points on the first plane.

$$-3R_1 \quad -3x + 9y - 6z = -12$$

$$R_2 \quad 3x - 9y + 6z = 12$$

$$0 = 0$$

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$$-5R_1 \quad -5x + 15y - 10z = -20$$

$$R_3 \quad 5x - 15y + 10z = 20$$

$$0 = 0!$$

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$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & 2 & 4 \\ 3 & -9 & 6 & 12 \\ 5 & -15 & 10 & 20 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R1 \\ -3R1 + R2 \\ -5R1 + R3 \end{array}$$

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

$x - 3y + 2z = 4$, etc. See previous page.

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$$x - 3y + 2z = 4$$

$$3x - 9y + 6z = 12$$

$$5x - 15y + 10z = 21$$

R1

$$x - 3y + 2z = 4$$

-3R1 + R2

$$0 = 0 \rightarrow \text{No restriction}$$

-5R1 + R3

$$0 = 1 \rightarrow \text{FALSE!}$$

We arrive at the conclusion that $0 = 1$ when we try to find points common to all three planes. Conclusion? There is no

solution. The assumption that there WAS lead to something false/ridiculous.

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$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & 2 & 4 \\ 3 & -9 & 6 & 12 \\ 5 & -15 & 10 & 21 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R_1 \\ -3R_1 + R_2 \\ -5R_1 + R_3 \end{array}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} \rightarrow \text{No restriction} \\ \rightarrow \text{No Way!} \end{array}$$

$\hookrightarrow 0 = 1$! D ! False. $\circ \circ$ No Solution.

Fact: 1st two planes were same plane.
3rd plane was parallel to the 1st two.

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⑥ Find the coefficients a, b, c of a parabola $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$ if you know that $(1, 5)$, $(3, 19)$ and $(-2, 29)$ are all points on the parabola.

$$f(1) = 5$$

$$a(1)^2 + b(1) + c = 5$$

$$a + b + c = 5$$

$$9a + 3b + c = 19$$

$$4a - 2b + c = 29$$

$$f(3) = 19$$

$$a(3)^2 + b(3) + c = 19$$

$$9a + 3b + c = 19$$

$$f(-2) = 29$$

$$a(-2)^2 + b(-2) + c = 29$$

$$4a - 2b + c = 29$$

$$\begin{array}{l} R1 \quad a + b + c = 5 \\ -9R1 + R2 \quad -6b - 8c = -26 \\ -4R1 + R3 \quad -6b - 3c = 9 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} -9R1 \quad -9a - 9b - 9c = -45 \\ R2 \quad 9a + 3b + c = 19 \\ \hline -6b - 8c = -26 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} R1 \quad a + b + c = 5 \\ R2 \quad -6b - 3c = 9 \\ \quad \quad 5c = 35 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} -4R1 \quad -4a - 4b - 4c = -20 \\ \quad \quad 4a - 2b + c = 29 \\ \hline -6b - 3c = 9 \end{array}$$

$$-R2 + R3$$

$$c = 7$$

$$-R2 \quad 6b + 8c = 26$$

$$R3 \quad -6b - 3c = 9$$

$$5c = 35$$

$$c = 7$$

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$$c = 7$$

$$-6b - 3c = 9$$

$$-6b - 3(7) = 9$$

$$-6b - 21 = 9$$

$$-6b = 30$$

$$b = -5$$

$$a + b + c = 5$$

$$a - 5 + 7 = 5$$

$$a + 2 = 5$$

$$a = 3$$

$$P(x) = 3x^2 - 5x + 7$$

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$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 9 & 3 & 1 & 19 \\ 4 & -2 & 1 & 29 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R1 \\ -9R1 + R2 \\ -4R1 + R3 \end{array}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & -6 & -8 & -26 \\ 0 & -6 & -3 & 9 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R1 \\ -R2 \\ -R2 + R3 \end{array}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 6 & 8 & 26 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 & 35 \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R1 \\ R2 \\ R3 \end{array}$$

$$5c = 35$$

$$c = 7$$

$$6b + 8c = 26$$

$$6b + 8(7) = 26$$

$$6b + 56 = 26$$

$$6b = -30$$

$$b = -5$$

$$a + b + c = 5$$

$$a - 5 + 7 = 5$$

$$a + 2 = 5$$

$$a = 3$$

$(a, b, c) \in \{(3, -5, 7)\}$ and

$$f(x) = 3x^2 - 5x + 7$$