

Last time: vector spaces are sets V endowed with

- a notion of addition: $v, w \in V \rightsquigarrow v+w \in V$
- a notion of scalar multiplication: $v \in V, \lambda \in \mathbb{R} \rightsquigarrow \lambda v \in V$
- a notion of zero vector: $0_v \in V$
- a notion of opposites: $v \in V \rightsquigarrow -v \in V$
 \parallel
 $(-1)v$

Subspaces are subsets $W \subseteq V$ which inherit a vector space structure from that of V

$$\begin{array}{l} \hookrightarrow \forall w, w' \in W, w+w' \in W \\ \hookrightarrow \forall w \in W, \lambda \in \mathbb{R}, \lambda w \in W \end{array}$$

For any vectors $v_1, \dots, v_k \in V$, the subset $\text{span}\{v_1, \dots, v_k\}$
 $= \{ \text{linear combinations of } v_1, \dots, v_k \}$ is a subspace of V .

(in this case, we say "the subspace $\text{span}\{v_1, \dots, v_k\}$ is spanned/generated by v_1, \dots, v_k ")

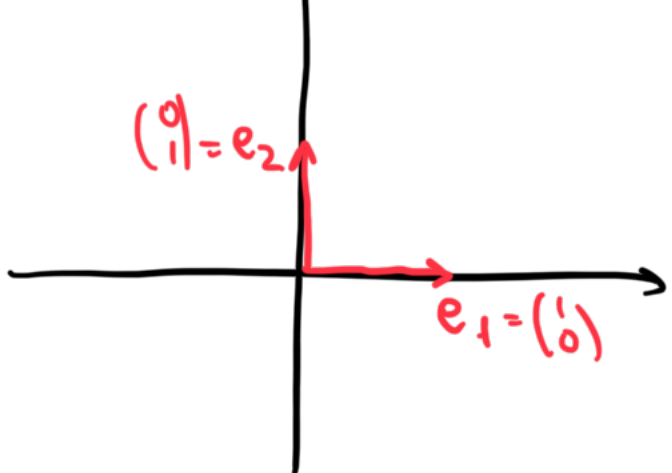
Conversely, any subspace of V is the span of its elements.

Today: $V = \mathbb{R}^2$

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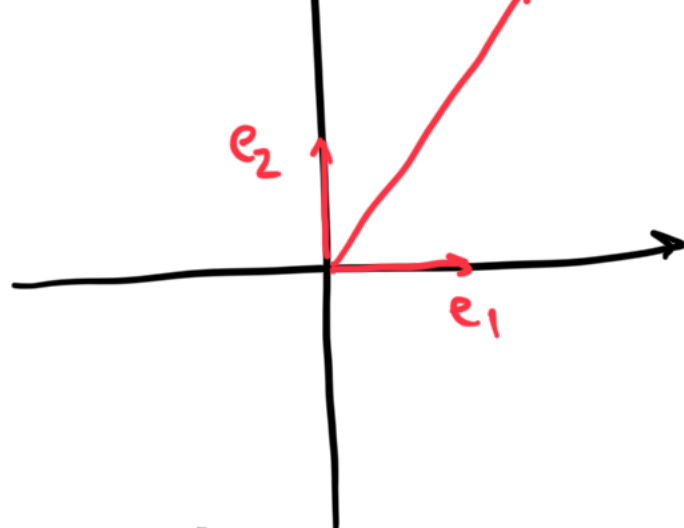
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$v = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$



$$\mathbb{R}^2 = \text{span}\{e_1, e_2\}$$

↙
a basis



$$\mathbb{R}^2 = \text{span}\{e_1, e_2, v\}$$

↙
not a basis

DEF 13.1 : We call vectors $v_1, \dots, v_k \in V$ a

basis of V if

- $\text{span}\{v_1, \dots, v_k\} = V$

- v_1, \dots, v_k are minimal with this property

↙ follows from Thm on Ex Sheet 1.

v_1, \dots, v_k are linearly independent

i.e. $\nexists \lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_k \in \mathbb{R}$ not all 0 s.t. $\lambda_1 v_1 + \dots + \lambda_k v_k = 0_V$

(by the way, v_1, \dots, v_k are called linear dependent if

$\exists \lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_k \in \mathbb{R}$ not all 0 s.t. $\lambda_1 v_1 + \dots + \lambda_k v_k = 0_V$)

New topic: change of basis

• Assume a vector space V has two bases $v_1, \dots, v_n \in V$
 $w_1, \dots, w_m \in V$

$$\text{Then } \left\{ w_i = a_{i1}v_1 + \dots + a_{in}v_n \right\}_{1 \leq i \leq m}$$

for various constants a_{ji}, b_{ij}

$$\left\{ v_j = b_{1j}w_1 + \dots + b_{mj}w_m \right\}_{1 \leq j \leq n}$$

Define the **Change of basis matrices**

$A = (a_{ji})_{1 \leq i \leq m, 1 \leq j \leq n} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$ from w basis to v basis

$B = (b_{ij})_{1 \leq i \leq m, 1 \leq j \leq n} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ from v basis to w basis

Let's figure out the relation between these matrices

$$\forall j: v_j = b_{1j} w_1 + \dots + b_{mj} w_m = \begin{matrix} b_{1j} (a_{11} v_1 + \dots + a_{n1} v_n) \\ + \\ \vdots \\ + \\ b_{mj} (a_{1m} v_1 + \dots + a_{nm} v_n) \end{matrix} =$$

$$= v_1 (a_{11} b_{1j} + a_{12} b_{2j} + \dots + a_{1m} b_{mj}) + \dots + v_n (a_{n1} b_{1j} + \dots + a_{nm} b_{mj})$$

$(AB)_{ij}$ $(AB)_{nj}$

Notation: $A = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1m} \\ \hline \hline \hline \hline \hline \end{pmatrix}$, $B = \begin{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} b_{1j} \\ \vdots \\ b_{mj} \end{matrix} \end{pmatrix}$, $(AB)_{ij} = a_{11} b_{1j} + \dots + a_{1m} b_{mj}$

Lemma: if $v_1, \dots, v_k \in V$ are linearly independent, then

$$\lambda_1 v_1 + \dots + \lambda_k v_k = \mu_1 v_1 + \dots + \mu_k v_k \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = \mu_1, \dots, \lambda_k = \mu_k$$

$$(AB)_{ij} = 0 \dots \dots (AB)_{jj} = 1 \dots \dots (AB)_{nj} = 0 \quad \forall 1 \leq j \leq n.$$



$$AB = I_n$$

} $m = n$ (i.e. square)
and $B = A^{-1}$

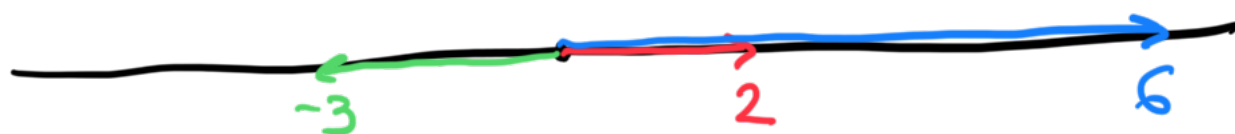
Similarly, one obtains $BA = I_m$

THM 13.2: The change of basis matrices A and B from one basis to another basis and back are **inverses**

COR 13.3: any two bases of a vector space have the same number of vectors

DEF 13.4: the **dimension** of a vector space V is the number of vectors in any basis of V .

Example: $V = \mathbb{R}^1$



$$\leftarrow = -\frac{3}{2} \cdot \rightarrow$$

$$\rightarrow = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \longrightarrow$$

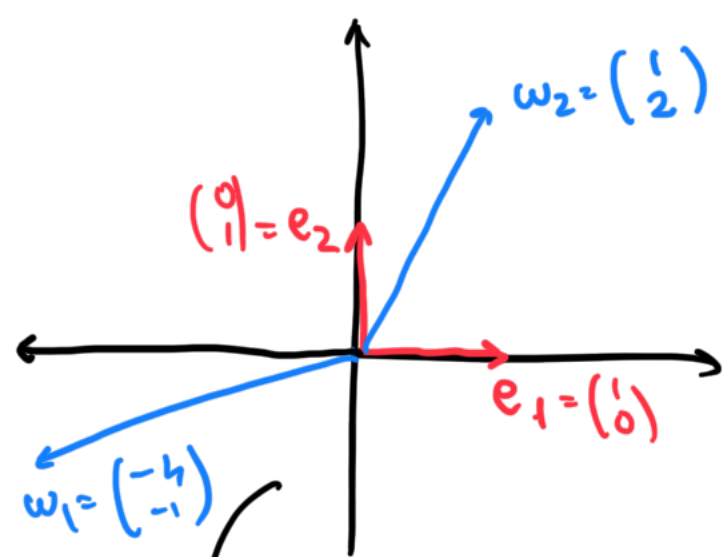
while these three vectors span \mathbb{R}^1 , they do not form a basis
on the other hand, $\{\leftarrow\}$ forms a basis of \mathbb{R}^1

$\{\rightarrow\}$ forms a basis of \mathbb{R}^1

$\{\longrightarrow\}$ forms a basis of \mathbb{R}^1

$\dim(\mathbb{R}^1) = 1$

Example: $V = \mathbb{R}^2$



$\{e_1, e_2\}$ form a basis

$$\Downarrow \dim(\mathbb{R}^2) = 2$$

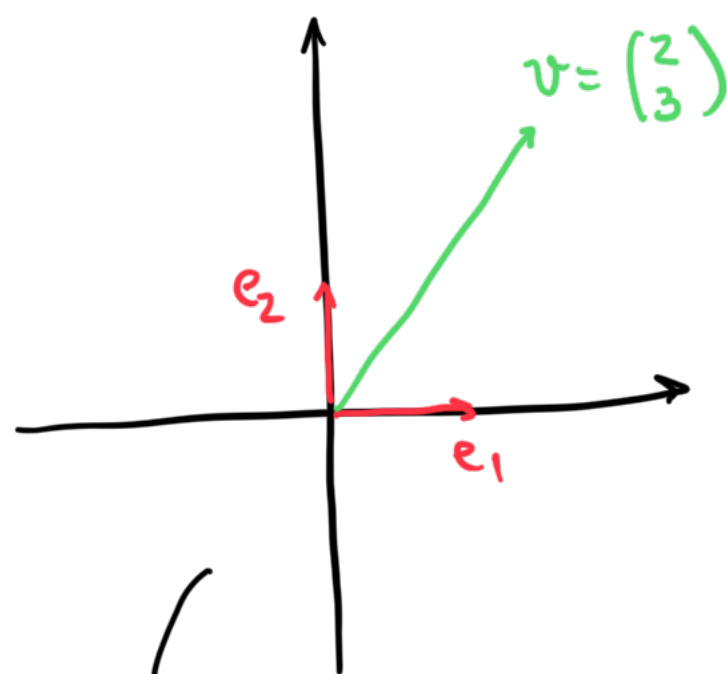
$\{w_1, w_2\}$ form another basis

$$w_1 = -4e_1 - 1e_2$$

$$w_2 = 1e_1 + 2e_2$$

$$e_1 = -\frac{2}{7}w_1 - \frac{1}{7}w_2$$

$$e_2 = \frac{1}{7}w_1 + \frac{4}{7}w_2$$



not a basis: $v = 2e_1 + 3e_2$

Change of basis matrix from w to e is

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -4 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Change of basis matrix from e to w is

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{7} \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ -1 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

In general, $\dim(\mathbb{R}^n) = n$

standard basis $e_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \dots, e_n = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

- Question: if $w_1, \dots, w_m \in \mathbb{R}^n$, when do they form a basis?
- need $m = n$, but not always enough

$$\bullet w_1 = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} \\ \vdots \\ a_{n1} \end{pmatrix} = a_{11}e_1 + a_{21}e_2 + \dots + a_{n1}e_n$$

$$w_n = \begin{pmatrix} a_{1n} \\ \vdots \\ a_{nn} \end{pmatrix} = a_{1n}e_1 + a_{2n}e_2 + \dots + a_{nn}e_n$$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & \dots & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix} \text{ is the change of basis matrix from } w\text{-basis to the } e\text{-basis}$$

$\underbrace{\quad}_{w_1} \quad \underbrace{\quad}_{w_n}$

w_1, \dots, w_n form a basis of $\mathbb{R}^n \iff A$ is invertible $\iff \det(A) \neq 0$

Ex: do $\begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ -16 \end{pmatrix}$ form a basis of \mathbb{R}^2 ?

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 9 \\ 5 & -16 \end{pmatrix}, \det(A) = -157 \neq 0 \implies \text{basis} \checkmark$$

New topic: coordinate systems (of \mathbb{R}^n or in any vector space V)

Start with a basis v_1, \dots, v_n of any vector space V .



any $w \in V$ can be written **uniquely** as

where $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathbb{R}$

$$w = x_1 v_1 + \dots + x_n v_n, \text{ where } x_1, \dots, x_n$$

x_1, \dots, x_n are called the **coordinates** of w relative to the basis v_1, \dots, v_n

$x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is also the "coordinate vector" of w rel. to basis v_1, \dots, v_n

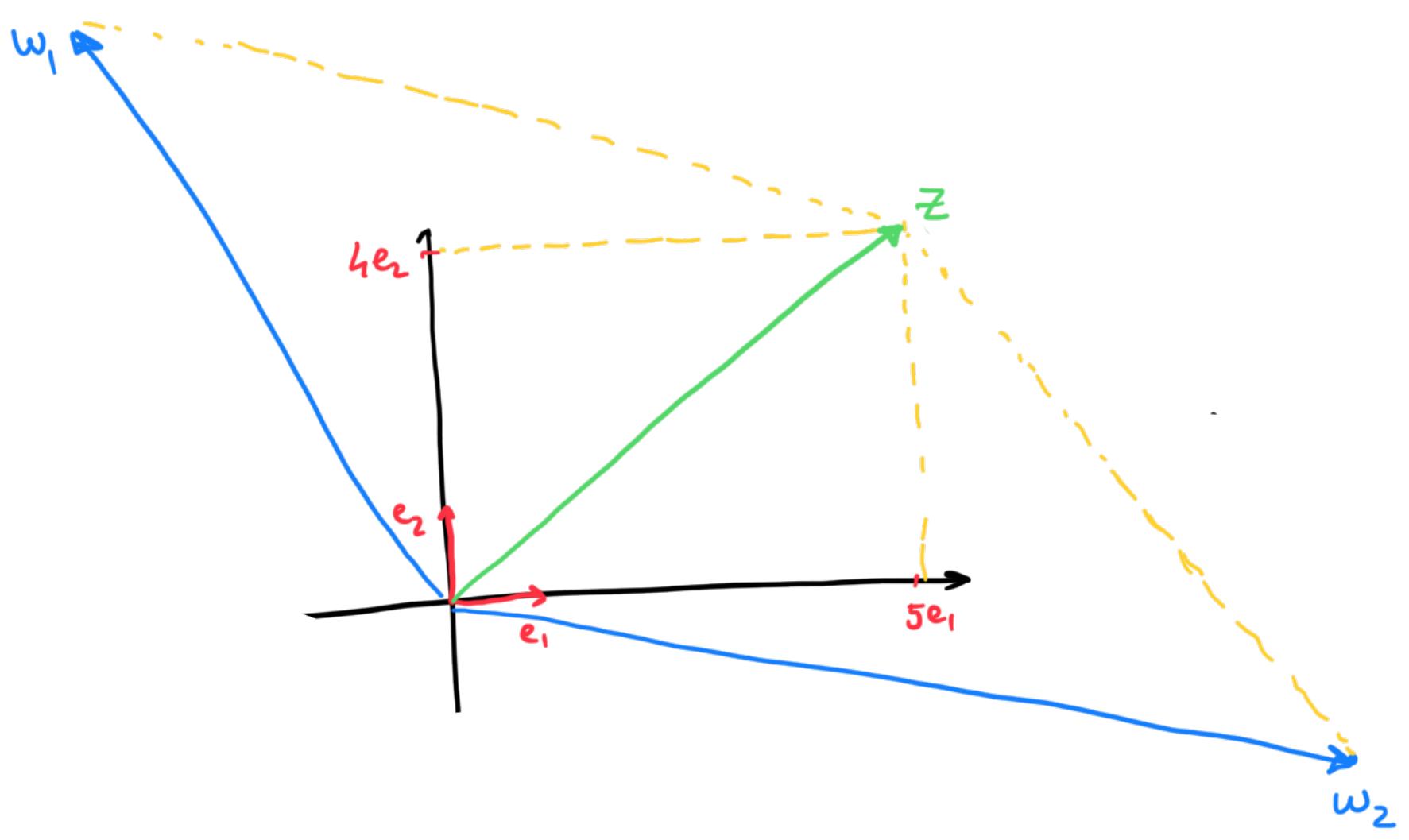
Example:
($V = \mathbb{R}^2$)

$$v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, z = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = 5v_1 + 4v_2$$

coordinates rel v basis

$$w_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -7 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}, w_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 12 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}, z = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = 1w_1 + 1w_2$$

coordinates rel w basis



How to change coordinates?

$$\{v_1, \dots, v_n\} \quad \parallel \quad x_1 v_1 + \dots + x_n v_n$$

$$\{w_1, \dots, w_n\} \text{ bases of } V \ni Z = y_1 w_1 + \dots + y_n w_n$$

Use Change of basis matrix: $w_j = a_{1j} v_1 + \dots + a_{nj} v_n$

$$A = (a_{ij})_{1 \leq i, j \leq n}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Z = y_1 w_1 + \dots + y_n w_n &= y_1 (a_{11} v_1 + \dots + a_{n1} v_n) + \dots + y_n (a_{1n} v_1 + \dots + a_{nn} v_n) \\ &= v_1 (a_{11} y_1 + a_{12} y_2 + \dots + a_{1n} y_n) + \dots + v_n (a_{n1} y_1 + \dots + a_{nn} y_n) \end{aligned}$$

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} y_1 + \dots + a_{1n} y_n \\ \vdots \\ a_{n1} y_1 + \dots + a_{nn} y_n \end{pmatrix} = A \cdot Y = A \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix}$$



THM 13.5 (coordinate change formula)

$$X = AY$$

coordinates w.r.t. v basis

coordinates w.r.t. w basis

change of basis matrix from
 w basis to v basis

Example: $v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, z = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = 5v_1 + 4v_2$

$$(V = \mathbb{R}^2)$$

$$w_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -7 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}, w_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 12 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}, z = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = 1w_1 + 1w_2$$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -7 & 12 \\ 6 & -2 \end{pmatrix}, x = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}, \gamma = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ checks out } x = A\gamma$$

New topic: Changing between multiple bases

$$v_1, \dots, v_n$$

$$w_1, \dots, w_n$$

$$z_1, \dots, z_n$$

bases of V

$$w_j = a_{1j}v_1 + \dots + a_{nj}v_n \quad \leadsto \quad A = (a_{ij}) \text{ changes from basis } w \text{ to } v$$

$$z_k = b_{1k}w_1 + \dots + b_{nk}w_n \quad \leadsto \quad B = (b_{ij}) \text{ changes from basis } z \text{ to } w$$

THM 13.6 : the matrix $C = AB$ changes from the basis z directly to the basis v

Proof:

$$z_k = b_{1k}w_1 + \dots + b_{nk}w_n =$$

$$b_{1k}(a_{11}v_1 + \dots + a_{n1}v_n)$$

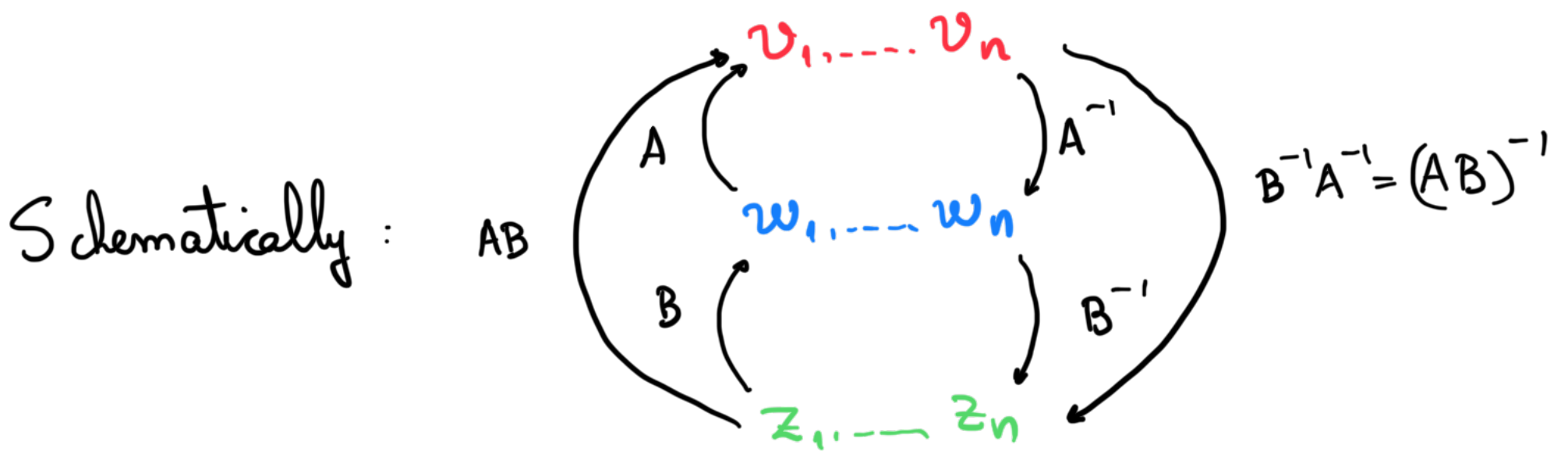
$$+ \dots +$$

$$b_{nk}(a_{1n}v_1 + \dots + a_{nn}v_n)$$

$$= v_1 \underbrace{(a_{11}b_{1k} + \dots + a_{1n}b_{nk})}_{(AB)_{1k}} + \dots + v_n \underbrace{(a_{n1}b_{1k} + \dots + a_{nn}b_{nk})}_{(AB)_{nk}}$$

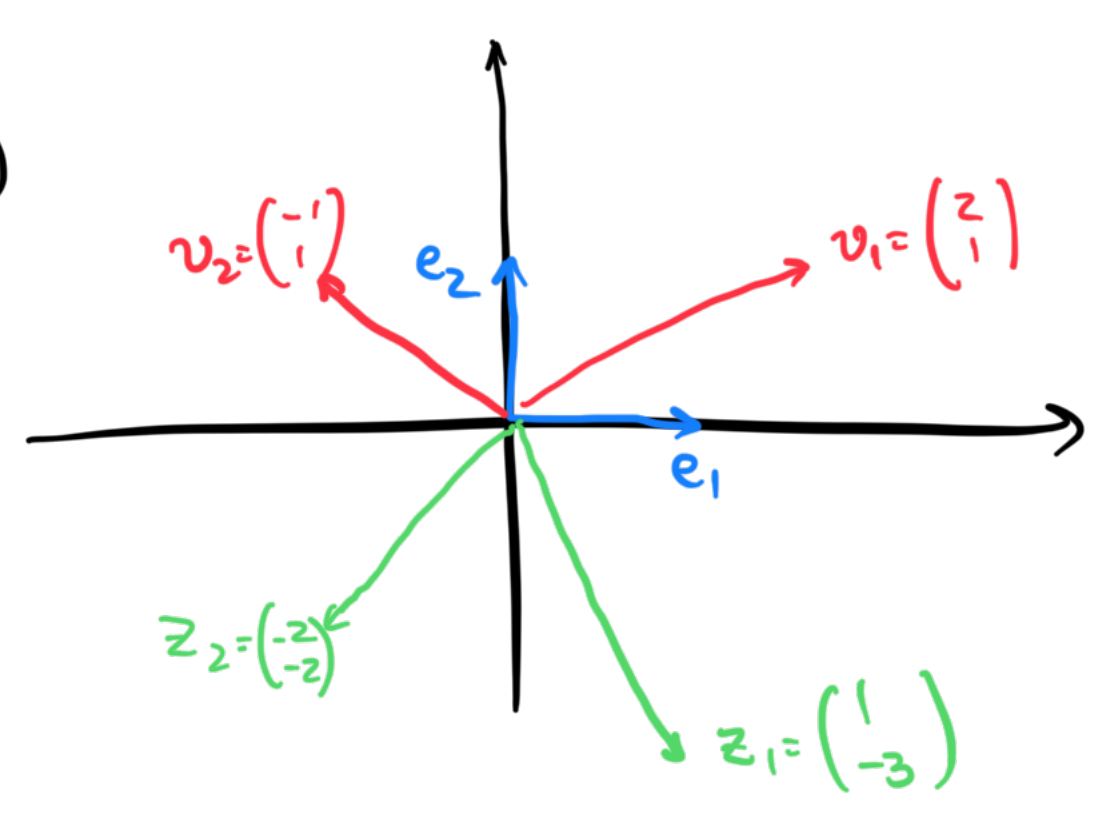
Let $C = AB = (c_{ij})_{1 \leq i, j \leq n}$; therefore, we have

$$z_k = c_{1k}v_1 + \dots + c_{nk}v_k \quad \square$$



Application: how to change basis between arbitrary bases of \mathbb{R}^n

(say $n=2$)



$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ changes from red basis to blue basis

$B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$ changes from blue basis to green basis

$B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -3 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$ changes from green basis to blue



$$A^{-1}B = \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ -3 & -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{2}{3} & -\frac{4}{3} \\ -\frac{7}{3} & -\frac{2}{3} \end{pmatrix} \text{ changes from green to red}$$

i.e. $\bar{z}_1 = c_{11} v_1 + c_{21} v_2 = -\frac{2}{3} v_1 - \frac{4}{3} v_2$

$$\bar{z}_2 = c_{12} v_1 + c_{22} v_2 = -\frac{7}{3} v_1 - \frac{2}{3} v_2$$



Sanity check: $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = -\frac{2}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{7}{3} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = -\frac{4}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{2}{3} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$