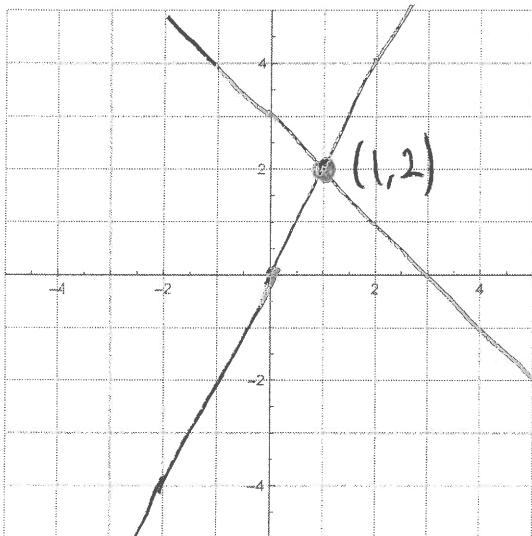


Finite Math - Spring 2017  
 Lecture Notes - 3/20/2017

**Problem 1.** Solve the system of equations using the graphing method

$$x + y = 3$$

$$2x - y = 0$$



$$\begin{aligned} \underline{x+y=3} \\ x=0 \rightarrow y=3 \quad (0,3) \\ y=0 \rightarrow x=3 \quad (3,0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{2x-y=0} \\ x=0 \rightarrow y=0 \quad (0,0) \\ x=1 \rightarrow y=2 \quad (1,2) \end{aligned}$$

Check (1, 2)

$$1+2=3 \checkmark$$

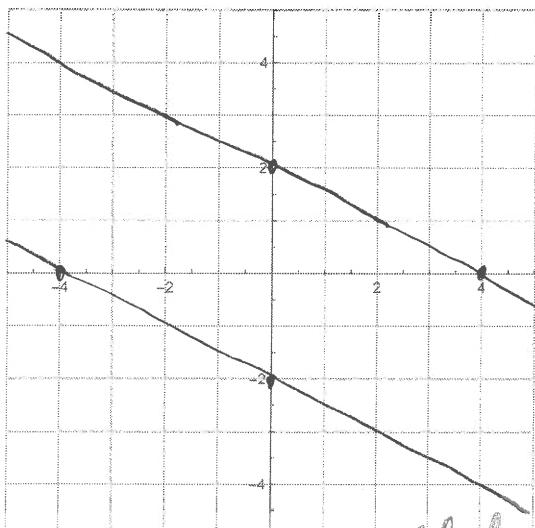
$$2(1)-2=2-2=0 \checkmark$$

Sol'n: (1, 2)

**Problem 2.** Solve the system of equations using the graphing method

$$x + 2y = 4$$

$$2x + 4y = -8$$



$$\begin{aligned} \underline{x+2y=4} \\ x=0 \rightarrow y=2 \quad (0,2) \\ y=0 \rightarrow x=4 \quad (4,0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{2x+4y=-8} \\ x=0 \rightarrow y=-2 \quad (0,-2) \\ y=0 \rightarrow x=-4 \quad (-4,0) \end{aligned}$$

parallel  $\Rightarrow$  no solution

**Problem 3.** Solve the system of equations

$$\begin{aligned} 3x - 2y &= 12 & \textcircled{1} \\ 7x + 2y &= 8 & \textcircled{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\textcircled{1} + \textcircled{2}: 10x = 20 \Rightarrow x = 2$$

$$\text{Plug into } \textcircled{1}: 3(2) - 2y = 12$$

$$6 - 2y = 12$$

$$-2y = 6$$

$$y = -3$$

$$\boxed{\text{Sol: } (2, -3)}$$

**Problem 4.** Solve the system of equations

$$\begin{aligned} -6x + 10y &= -30 & \textcircled{1} \\ 3x - 5y &= 15 & \textcircled{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \textcircled{1} -6x + 10y = -30 \\ + 2\textcircled{2} \quad 6x - 10y = 30 \\ \hline 0 + 0 = 0 \end{array} \quad \text{inf. sol.}$$

$$\textcircled{2}: 3x - 5y = 15 \quad \text{Let } y = t, \text{ then}$$

$$3x = 5y + 15$$

$$x = \frac{1}{3}(5t + 15)$$

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} x &= \frac{1}{3}(5t + 15) \\ y &= t \end{aligned}}$$

**Problem 5.** Animals in an experiment are to be kept under a strict diet. Each animal should receive 20 grams of protein and 6 grams of fat. The laboratory technician is able to purchase two food mixes: Mix A has 10% protein and 6% fat; mix B has 20% protein and 2% fat. How many grams of each mix should be used to obtain the right diet for one animal?

	Mix A	Mix B	Total
protein	.1	.2	20
fat	.06	.02	6

$$.1x + .2y = 20 \quad (1)$$

$$.06x + .02y = 6 \quad (2)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} (1) \\ -10(2) \\ \hline -.5x = -40 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 80$$

Let  $x = \# \text{ grams mix A}$

$y = \# \text{ grams mix B}$

Plug into (1):

$$.1(80) + .2y = 20$$

$$8 + .2y = 20$$

$$.2y = 12$$

$$y = 60$$

Use 80g of mix A and 60g of mix B.

**Problem 6.** Solve the system of equations using Gauss-Jordan elimination

$$\begin{array}{r} x + 3y = 1 \\ 3x - 2y = 14 \end{array}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & -2 & 14 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_2 - 3R_1} \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & -11 & 11 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{11}R_2} \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{array} \right]$$

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

$$\boxed{x = 4} \\ \boxed{y = -1}$$

**Problem 7.** Solve the system of equations using Gauss-Jordan elimination

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 2x - 4y & = & -2 \\ -3x + 6y & = & 3 \end{array}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & -4 & -2 \\ -3 & 6 & 3 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{2}R_1 \rightarrow R_1} \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -2 & -1 \\ -3 & 6 & 3 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_2 + 3R_1 \rightarrow R_2} \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned} x - 2y &= -1 \\ \Rightarrow x &= 2y - 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} x &= 2t - 1 \\ y &= t \end{aligned}}$$

**Problem 8.** Solve the system of equations using Gauss-Jordan elimination

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 3x + 8y - z & = & -18 \\ 2x + y + 5z & = & 8 \\ 2x + 4y + 2z & = & -4 \end{array}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 3 & 8 & -1 & -18 \\ 2 & 1 & 5 & 8 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 & -4 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_1 - R_2 \rightarrow R_1} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 7 & -6 & -26 \\ 2 & 1 & 5 & 8 \\ 0 & 3 & -3 & -12 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_2 - 2R_1 \rightarrow R_2} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 7 & -6 & -26 \\ 0 & -13 & 17 & 60 \\ 0 & 3 & -3 & -12 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned} -R_2 - 4R_3 \rightarrow R_2 & \quad \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 7 & -6 & -26 \\ 0 & 1 & -5 & -12 \\ 0 & 3 & -3 & -12 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_1 - 7R_2 \rightarrow R_1} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 29 & 58 \\ 0 & 1 & -5 & -12 \\ 0 & 0 & 12 & 24 \end{array} \right] \\ 0 & 13 & -17 & -60 \\ 0 & -12 & 12 & 48 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{12}R_3 \rightarrow R_3 & \quad \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 29 & 58 \\ 0 & 1 & -5 & -12 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_1 - 29R_3 \rightarrow R_1} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right] \\ R_2 + 5R_3 \rightarrow R_2 & \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{x = 0, y = -2, z = 2}$$

**Problem 9.** Solve the system of equations using Gauss-Jordan elimination

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 2x - y - 3z & = & 8 \\ x - 2y & = & 7 \end{array}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & -1 & -3 & 8 \\ 1 & -2 & 0 & 7 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_1-R_2 \rightarrow R_1} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & -3 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 0 & 7 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_2-R_1 \rightarrow R_2} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & -3 & 1 \\ 0 & -3 & 3 & 6 \end{array} \right]$$

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

$$x - 2z = 3$$

$$\text{Let } z = t$$

$$y - z = -2$$

$$\boxed{\begin{array}{l} x = 2t + 3 \\ y = t - 2 \\ z = t \end{array}}$$

**Problem 10.** Solve the system of equations using Gauss-Jordan elimination

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 4x - y + 2z & = & 3 \\ -4x + y - 3z & = & -10 \\ 8x - 2y + 9z & = & -1 \end{array}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 4 & -1 & 2 & 3 \\ -4 & 1 & -3 & -10 \\ 8 & -2 & 9 & -1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{4}R_1 \rightarrow R_1} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -\frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{4} \\ -4 & 1 & -3 & -10 \\ 8 & -2 & 9 & -1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{array}{l} R_2 + 4R_1 \rightarrow R_2 \\ R_3 - 8R_1 \rightarrow R_3 \end{array} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -\frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{4} \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 & 5 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_2 \rightarrow R_2} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -\frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{4} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 & 5 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow{R_3 - 5R_2 \rightarrow R_3} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -\frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{4} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -30 \end{array} \right]$$

no solution

**Problem 11.** A chemical manufacturer wants to lease a fleet of 24 railroad tank cars with a combined carry capacity of 520,000 gallons. Tank cars with three different carrying capacities are available: 8,000 gallons, 16,000 gallons, and 24,000 gallons. How many of each type of tank car should be leased?

$$x = \# \text{ of } 8000\text{gal cars}$$

$$y = \# \text{ of } 16000\text{gal cars}$$

$$z = \# \text{ of } 24000\text{gal cars}$$

$$\text{Total # of cars: } x + y + z = 24$$

$$\text{Total capacity: } 8000x + 16000y + 24000z = 520000$$

$$\begin{matrix} & & \\ \div 8000 & \rightarrow & x + 2y + 3z = 65 \end{matrix}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 24 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 65 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_2 - R_1 \rightarrow R_2} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 24 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 41 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_1 - R_2 \rightarrow R_1} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & -17 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 41 \end{array} \right]$$

$$x - 2 = -17 \rightarrow x = z - 17 \quad \text{Let } z = t$$

$$y + 2z = 41 \rightarrow y = 41 - 2z$$

$$x = t - 17, y = 41 - 2t, z = t$$

$$t \geq 17 \quad t \leq 20 \quad t \geq 0 \quad t = 17, 18, 19, 20$$

The company should rent  $(t-17)$  8,000gal cars,  $(41-2t)$  16,000 gal cars, and  $t$  24,000 gal cars where  $t=17, 18, 19, 20$