

### Exercise-set 7. Solutions

1. a)  $x_1 = -42 + 11x_3, x_2 = 7 - 2x_3, x_3 \in \mathbf{R}, x_4 = 4$ .  
 b) If  $p = 21$ , then same as in a), otherwise no solutions.
2.  $x_1 = 2 + 2x_5 + x_3, x_2 = 2 - x_5 - 2x_3, x_3 \in \mathbf{R}, x_4 = 2, x_5 \in \mathbf{R}$ .
3. If  $c = 7$ , then  $x_1 = 20 + 11x_3 + 3x_5, x_2 = -8 - 3x_3 - 2x_5, x_3 \in \mathbf{R}, x_4 = 3 + 2x_5, x_5 \in \mathbf{R}$ .  
 If  $c \neq 7$ , then  $x_1 = 17 + 11x_3, x_2 = -6 - 3x_3, x_3 \in \mathbf{R}, x_4 = 1, x_5 = -1$ .
4. If  $p = 0, q \neq 0$ , then no solutions.  
 If  $p = 0, q = 0$ , then  $x_1 = 4 + 5x_3, x_2 = 7 - 3x_3, x_3 \in \mathbf{R}, x_4 \in \mathbf{R}$ .  
 If  $p \neq 0$ , then  $x_1 = 4 + 5x_3, x_2 = 7 - 3x_3, x_3 \in \mathbf{R}, x_4 = q/p$ .
5. a) If  $p = -1$ , then no solutions.  
 If  $p = 0$ , then  $x_1 = -3 - 6x_4, x_2 = -1 - 2x_4, x_3 = 1, x_4 \in \mathbf{R}$ .  
 If  $p \neq 0, -1$ , then  $x_1 = -3 + 6/(p+1), x_2 = -1 + 2/(p+1), x_3 = 1, x_4 = -1/(p+1)$ .  
 b) If  $p = 13$ , then no solutions.  
 If  $p \neq 13$ , then  $x_1 = 1 - 1/(p-13) + 3x_2, x_3 = 1 - 2/(p-13), x_4 = 1/(p-13)$ .  
 c) If  $p \neq 16$ , then no solutions.  
 If  $p = 16$ , then  $x_1 = -32 + 16x_3, x_2 = 6 - 3x_3, x_3 \in \mathbf{R}, x_4 = 1$ .
6. a)  $\frac{x-18}{-5} = \frac{y+12}{4} = z$ .  
 b) no intersection.
7. a) lin. dependent, not a basis.  
 b) lin. independent, basis.  $[\underline{v}]_B = (7, -7, -1, 4)^T$
8. Only for  $p = 6$ .
9. Only for  $p = 0$ , then  $[\underline{v}]_B = (-2, -1, 1, 3)^T$ .
10. a) Yes, e.g.  $x_1 = 0, x_1 = 0$ .  
 b) No (no free parameters).
11. At least 5.
12. There are no free parameters. If there are no solutions, it holds. If there is a unique solution, then at most 4 values can be used in it.
13. By contradiction: 3 nonzero rows  $\implies$  2 free parameters, but then their values can be equal. So TRUE.
14. If  $p \neq 2$ , then  $x_1 = 4, x_2 = -1, x_3 = 1$ .  
 If  $p = 2$ , then  $x_1 = 2 + 2x_3, x_2 = 1 - 2x_3, x_3 \in \mathbf{R}$ .
15. If  $p \neq 0$ , then  $x_1 = 2 + \frac{4p+3}{p}x_4, x_2 = 1 + \frac{1}{p}x_4, x_3 = -\frac{p+1}{p}x_4, x_4 \in \mathbf{R}$ .  
 If  $p = 0$ , then  $x_4 = 0, x_3 \in \mathbf{R}, x_1 = 2 - 3x_3, x_2 = 1 - x_3$ .
16. If  $p = 0$ , then  $x_1 = -1 - 19x_3, x_2 = 1 + 6x_3, x_3 \in \mathbf{R}$ .  
 If  $p \neq 0$ , then  $x_1 = -22/3, x_2 = -1, x_3 = -1/3$ .