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① Linear Combination of Vectors

If one vector is equal to the sum of scalar multiples of other vectors, it is said to be a linear combination of the other vectors. For example, suppose $a = 2b + 3c$, thus, a is a linear combination of b and c .

ii Linear dependence of vectors

In the theory of vector spaces, a set of vectors is said to be linearly combination of ~~the~~ ^{the} other's.

② $\langle u + \beta v + \gamma w = (a, b, c) \rangle$

$$\alpha \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + \beta \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} + \gamma \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\alpha + 2\beta + \gamma = a \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$0 + \beta + \gamma = b \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$-\alpha + 3\beta - 4\gamma = c \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\beta + \gamma = b$$

$$\beta = b - \gamma \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

$$\alpha + 2(b - \gamma) + \gamma = a$$

$$\alpha + 2b - 2\gamma + \gamma = a$$

$$\alpha + 2b - \gamma = a$$

$$x - 3y = a - 2b \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

$$-x + 3(b - y) - 4x = c$$

$$-x + 3b - 7y = c$$

$$-x - 7y = c - 3b \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

- 3) State 4 axioms of a vector space.
- additive axioms
 - multiplicative axioms
 - distributive axioms