

See example in lecture (1/30/01) for $\lambda = \lambda_1 = 5$

Starting with $\begin{bmatrix} -7 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -4 & -6 \\ -1 & -2 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \underline{x}^{(1)} = \underline{0}$

Simplify by Gauss Elimination:

$$\begin{bmatrix} -7 & 2 & -3 & | & 0 \\ 2 & -4 & -6 & | & 0 \\ -1 & -2 & -5 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Not that this matters.
Column of zeros
will not change.

$$\frac{1}{2} \text{ row 2} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 & -5 & | & 0 \\ 1 & -2 & -3 & | & 0 \\ -7 & 2 & -3 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{row 2} + \text{row 1} \\ \text{row 3} - 7(\text{row 1}) \end{array} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 & -5 & | & 0 \\ 0 & -4 & -8 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 16 & -32 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 & -5 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} -1 \text{ row 1} \\ \text{row 3} - \text{row 2} \end{array} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 5 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

\Leftarrow You can stop here
to find $\underline{x}^{(1)}$
or

$$\text{row 1} - 2 \text{ row 2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

\Leftarrow go one step
further to simplify