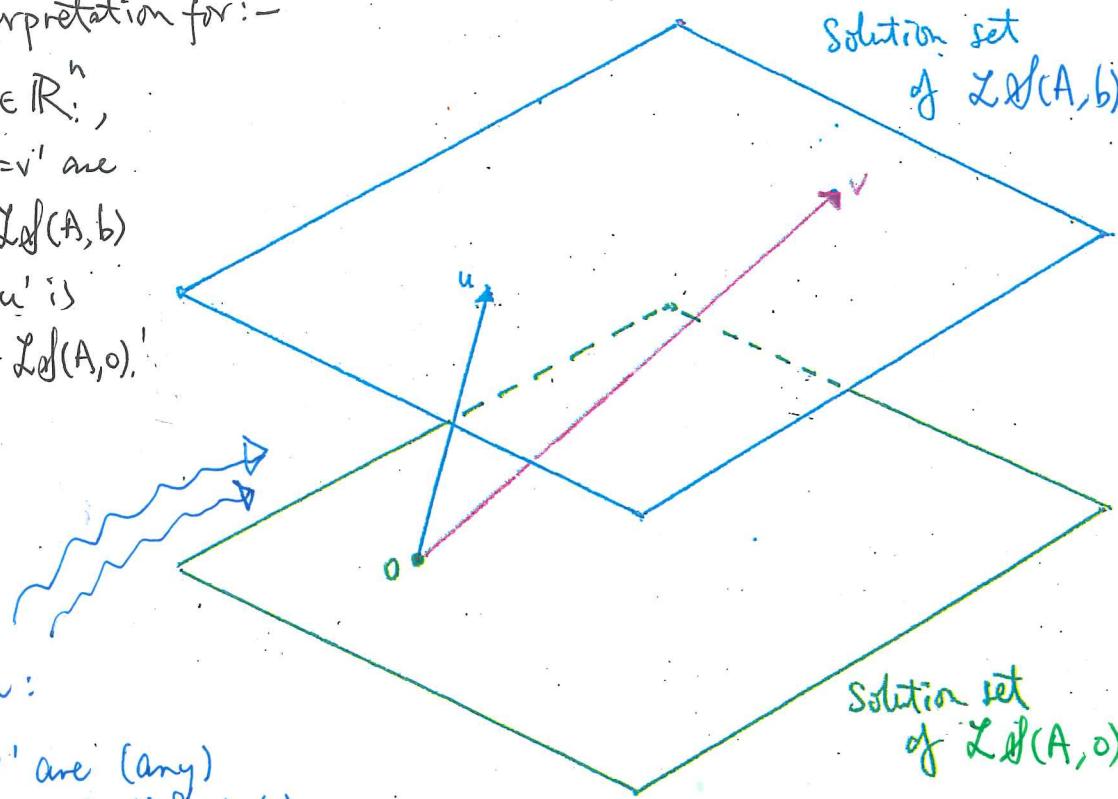


Given :  $A$  is an  $(m \times n)$ -matrix, and  $b$  is a vector in  $\mathbb{R}^m$ .

Geometric interpretation for :-

'For any  $u, v \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , if ' $x=u$ ', ' $x=v$ ' are solutions of  $Lg(A, b)$  then ' $x=v-u$ ' is a solution of  $Lg(A, 0)$ '.

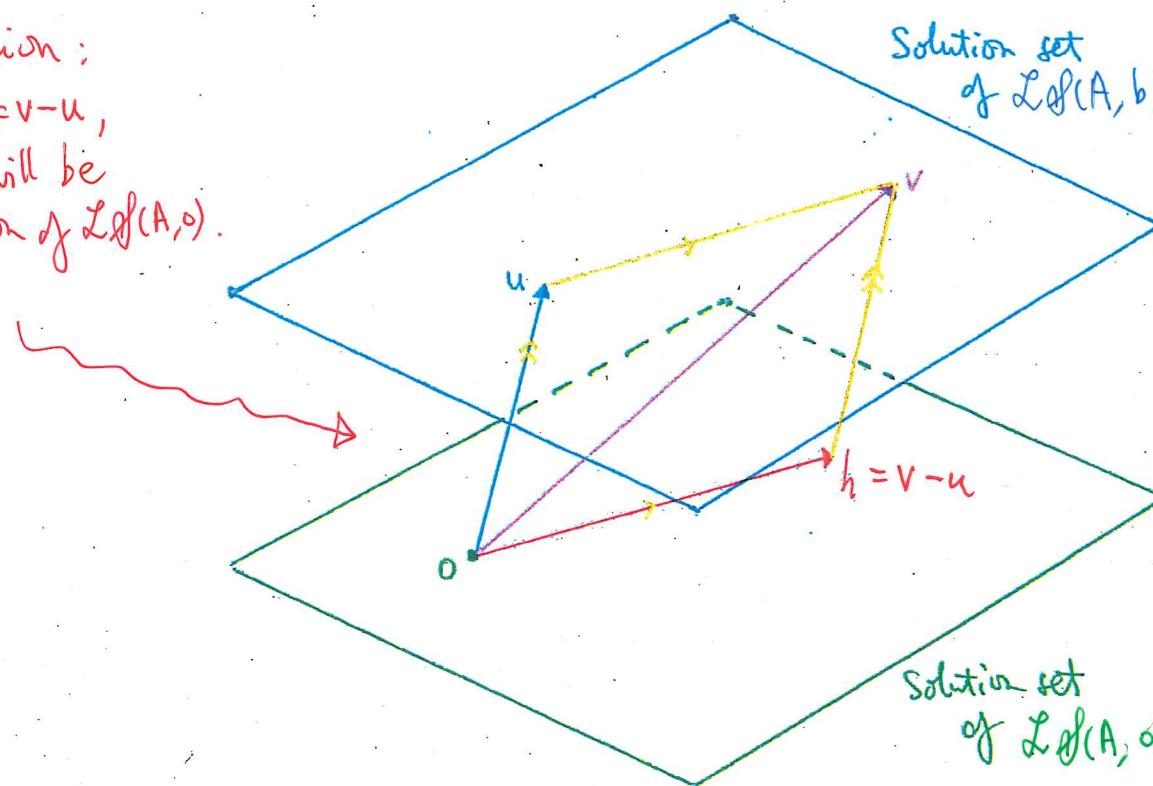


Assumption:

' $x=u$ ', ' $x=v$ ' are (any) two solutions of  $Lg(A, b)$ .

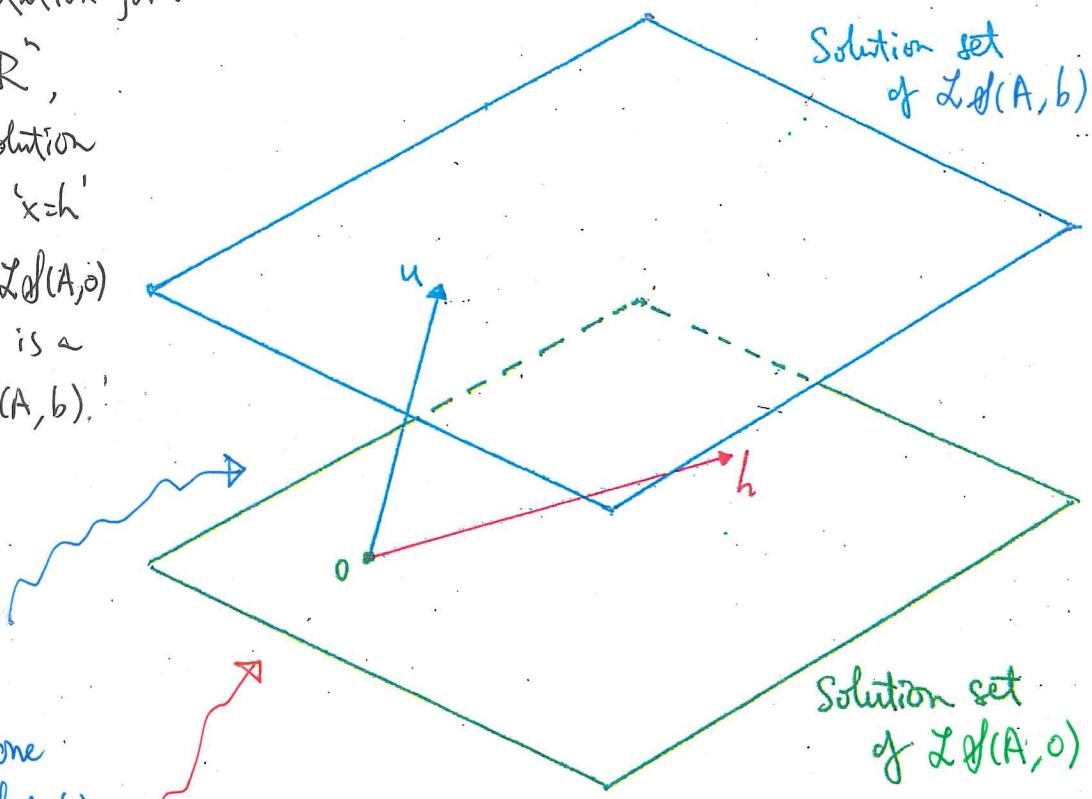
Conclusion:

With  $h=v-u$ , ' $x=h$ ' will be a solution of  $Lg(A, 0)$ .



Geometric interpretation for :-

'For any  $u, h \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , if ' $x=u$ ' is a solution of  $Lg(A, b)$  and ' $x=h$ ' is a solution of  $Lg(A, 0)$  then ' $x=u+h$ ' is a solution of  $Lg(A, b)$ '.



Assumption:

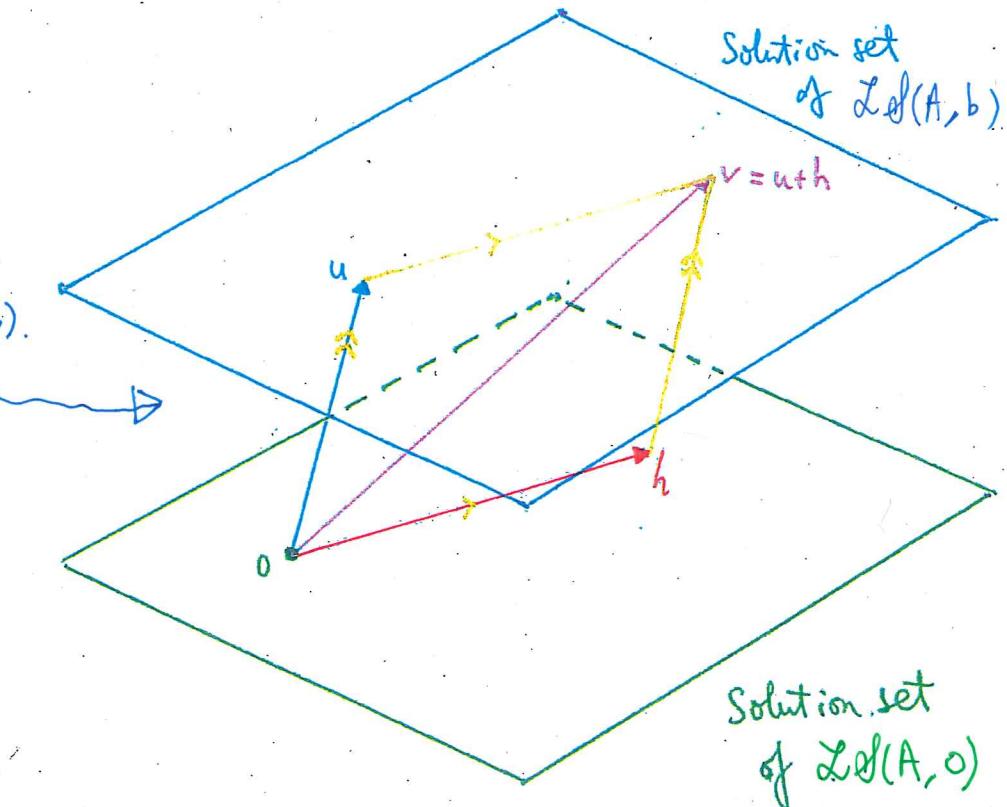
' $x=u$ ' is (any) one solution of  $Lg(A, b)$ .

Further assumption:

' $x=h$ ' is (any) one solution of  $Lg(A, 0)$ .

Conclusion:

With  $v=u+h$ , ' $x=v$ ' will be a solution of  $Lg(A, b)$ .

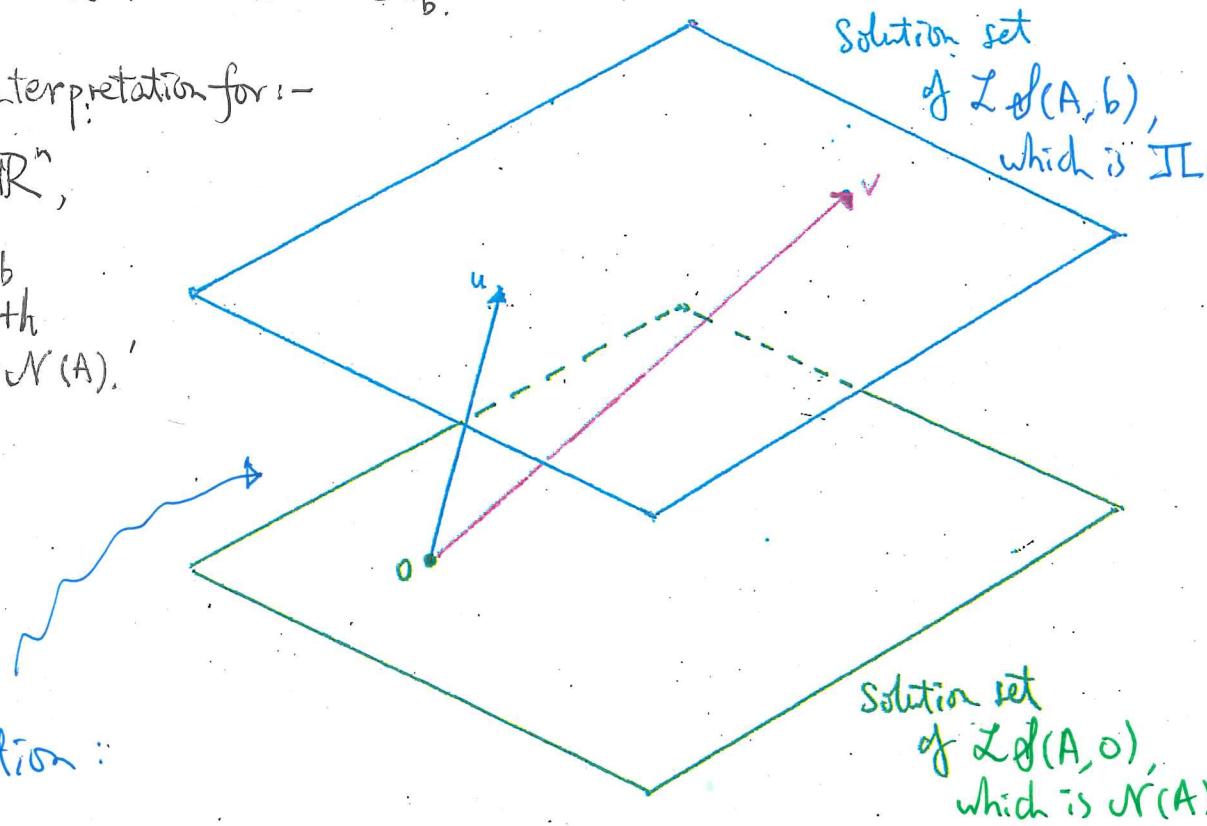


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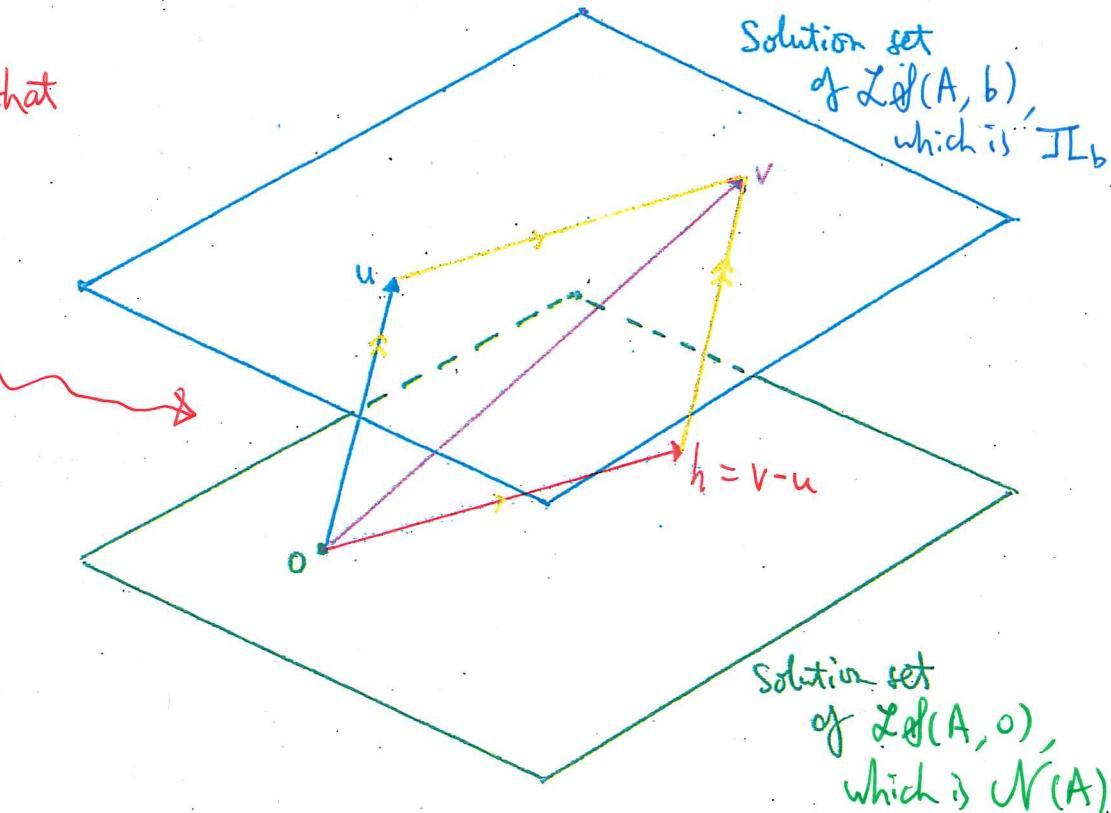
Geometric interpretation for:-

- (+) 'For any  $v \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , if  $v \in \mathbb{I}_b$  then  $v = u + h$  for some  $h \in \mathcal{N}(A)$ '.



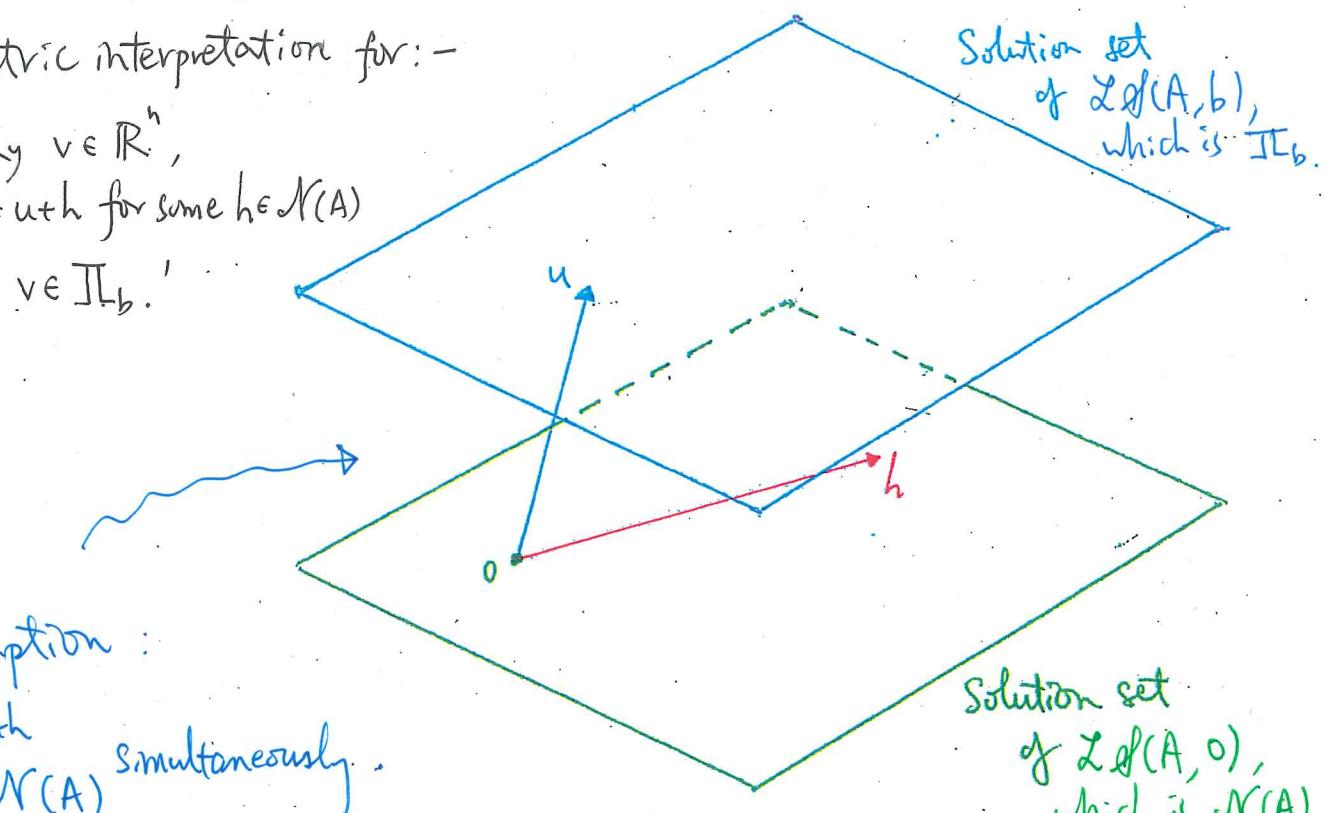
Conclusion:-

With  $h = v - u$ , it will happen that  
 $\begin{cases} v = u + h \\ h \in N(A) \end{cases}$  simultaneously.



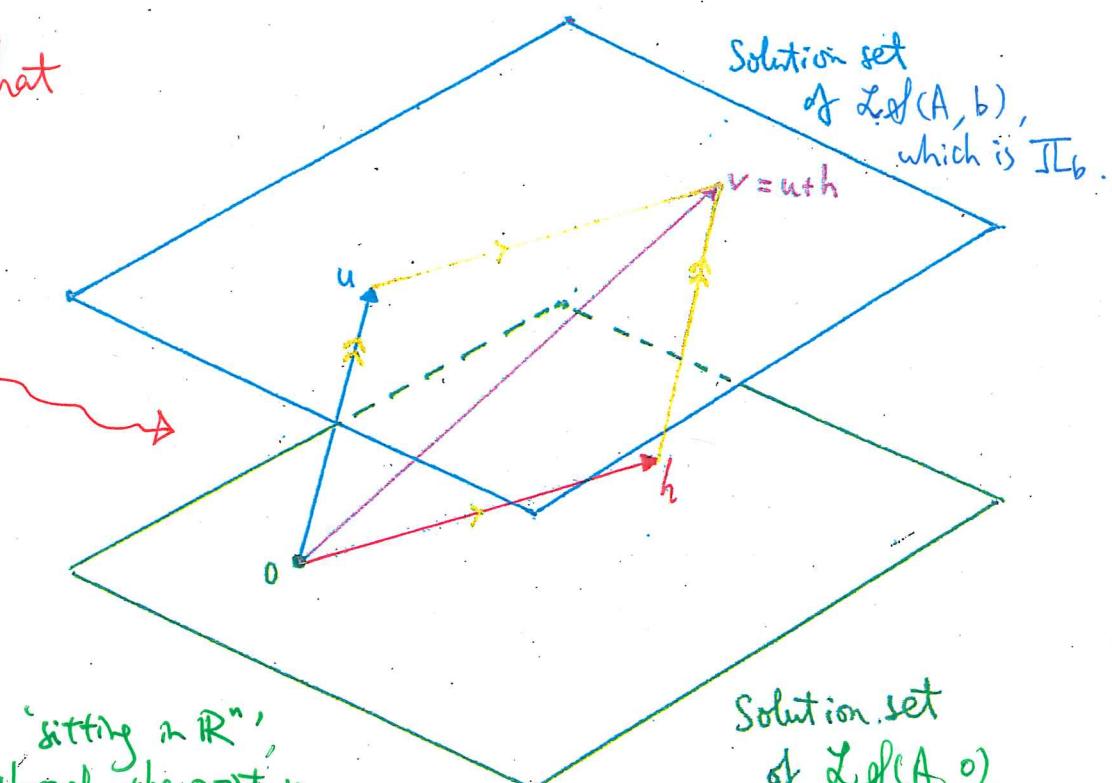
Geometric interpretation for:-

- (#) 'For any  $v \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , if  $v = u + h$  for some  $h \in \mathcal{N}(A)$  then  $v \in I_b$ '.



Conclusion:

It will happen that  
 $v \in I_b$ .



Consequence of (+), (#) combined:

$I_b$  and  $N(A)$  are two parallel objects 'sitting in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ ', the former passing through the point  $u$ , the latter passing through the point  $0$ .

$I_b$  can be obtained from  $N(A)$  by applying to every point of  $N(A)$  a 'translation' by the vector  $u$ .