Seminar 7

1. Determine a basis and the dimension of the following subspaces of the real vector space $\mathbb{R}^3$:

$$A = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid z = 0\}$$
$$B = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x + y + z = 0\}$$
$$C = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x = y = z\}.$$

2. Let K be a field and $S = \{(x_1, \dots, x_n) \in K^n \mid x_1 + \cdots + x_n = 0\}$.
(i) Prove that S is a subspace of the canonical vector space K^n over K.
(ii) Determine a basis and the dimension of S.

3. Determine a basis and the dimensions of the vector spaces $\mathbb{C}$ over $\mathbb{C}$ and $\mathbb{C}$ over $\mathbb{R}$. Prove that the set $\{1, i\}$ is linearly dependent in the vector space $\mathbb{C}$ over $\mathbb{C}$ and linearly independent in the vector space $\mathbb{C}$ over $\mathbb{R}$.

4. Let $f : \mathbb{R}^3 \to \mathbb{R}^2$ be defined by $f(x, y, z) = (y, -x)$. Prove that f is an $\mathbb{R}$-linear map and determine a basis and the dimension of $Ker\, f$ and $Im\, f$.

5. Let $f \in End_{\mathbb{R}}(\mathbb{R}^3)$ be defined by $f(x, y, z) = (-y + 5z, x, y - 5z)$. Determine a basis and the dimension of $Ker\, f$ and $Im\, f$.

6. Complete the bases of the subspaces from Exercise **1.** to some bases of the real vector space $\mathbb{R}^3$ over $\mathbb{R}$.

7. Determine a complement for the following subspaces:
(i) $A = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x + 2y + 3z = 0\}$ in the real vector space $\mathbb{R}^3$;
(ii) $B = \{aX + bX^3 \mid a, b \in \mathbb{R}\}$ in the real vector space $\mathbb{R}_3[X]$.

8. Let V be a vector space over K and let S, T and U be subspaces of V such that $dim(S \cap U) = dim(T \cap U)$ and $dim(S + U) = dim(T + U)$. Prove that if $S \subseteq T$, then $S = T$.

9. Consider the subspaces

$$S = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x = 0\},$$

$$T = < (0, 1, 1), (1, 1, 0) >$$

of the real vector space $\mathbb{R}^3$. Determine $S \cap T$ and show that $S + T = \mathbb{R}^3$.

10. Determine the dimensions of the subspaces S, T, $S + T$ and $S \cap T$ of the real vector space $M_2(\mathbb{R})$, where

$$S = \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle, \qquad T = \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle.$$