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COURSE NAME: LINEAR ALGEBRA AND DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

B.TECH TUTORIAL QUIZ-2 FALL SEMESTER 2018-19

COURSE CODE : EMAT102L

MAX. TIME: 20 min

COURSE CREDIT: 3-1-0

MAX. MARKS: 10

1. Let  $V = \mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$  be a vector space and  $S = \{(1, 1, 0), (0, -1, 1), (1, 0, 1)\}$ . Find the condition on  $a, b, c$  such that  $(a, b, c) \in \text{span}(S)$ . [2]

**Solution:**

2. Let  $V$  be the set of real numbers. Is  $V$  a vector space over the set of complex numbers( $\mathbb{C}$ ). Give explanation to justify your answer. [2]

**Solution:**

3. Let  $V = \{(x_1, \dots, x_{10}) \in \mathbb{R}^{10} \mid x_1 = x_2 = 2x_3, x_7 - x_8 - x_9 - x_{10} = 0\}$ . Then find the  $\dim V$ . [3]

**Solution:**

4. Suppose  $U$  and  $W$  are distinct four-dimensional subspaces of a vector space  $V$ , where  $\dim V = 6$ . Find the possible dimensions of  $U \cap W$ . [3]

**Solution:**

## Solutions - Tutorial Quiz Test 2

Soln 1

$$V = \mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$$

$$S = \{(1, 1, 0), (0, -1, 1), (1, 0, 1)\}$$

$$\therefore (a, b, c) \in L(S)$$

$$\Rightarrow (a, b, c) = \alpha(1, 1, 0) + \beta(0, -1, 1) + \gamma(1, 0, 1)$$

$$(a, b, c) = (\alpha + \gamma, \alpha - \beta, \beta + \gamma)$$

$$a = \alpha + \gamma \quad \text{--- ①}$$

$$b = \alpha - \beta \quad \text{--- ②}$$

$$c = \beta + \gamma \quad \text{--- ③}$$

on adding eqn ② & ③.

$$b + c = \alpha + \gamma$$

from eqn ①.

$$\boxed{b + c = a}$$

Soln 2

$V$  is not a vector space over  $\mathbb{C}$ .

$$\therefore \alpha = i, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\text{but } \alpha x = ix \notin \mathbb{R}.$$

Soln 3

$$V = \{(x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_{10}) \in \mathbb{R}^{10} : x_1 = x_2 = 2x_3, x_7 - x_8 - x_9 - x_{10} = 0\}$$

$$= \{(2x_3, 2x_3, x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6, x_8 + x_9 + x_{10}, x_8, x_9, x_{10}) \in \mathbb{R}^{10} :$$

$$x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6, x_8,$$

$$x_9, x_{10} \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

$$= \{x_3(2, 2, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0) + x_4(0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0)$$

$$+ x_5(0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0) + x_6(0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0)$$

$$+ x_8(0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 0, 0) + x_9(0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0)$$

$$+ x_{10}(0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1) ; x_3, x_4, x_5, x_6, x_8, x_9, x_{10} \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

$$V = \text{Span} \{ a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5, a_6, a_7 \}$$

and  $a_i \neq 0, 1 \leq i \leq 7$  are L.I. vectors.

$$\Rightarrow \dim V = 7.$$

Sol<sup>n</sup> 4 Since  $U, W$  are distinct subspaces of  $V$ .

$$\Rightarrow U \subset U+W$$

$$W \subset U+W$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim(U+W) > 4 \quad [\because \dim U = \dim W = 4]$$

Since  $U+W$  is a subspace of  $V$ .

$$\Rightarrow \dim(U+W) \leq 6 \quad [\because \dim V = 6]$$

So we have two cases.

$$(i) \dim(U+W) = 5$$

$$(ii) \dim(U+W) = 6$$

Now when  $\dim(U+W) = 5$

$$\dim(U \cap W) = 4 + 4 - 5 = 3$$

when  $\dim(U+W) = 6$

$$\dim(U \cap W) = 4 + 4 - 6 = 2$$