Testing

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Chapter 1

VectorSpaces

1.1 ZeroScalarMultiplication

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Definition 1. A *vector space* is a space over a field K with an abelian group V. It has four main properties:

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• smul_add: \forall (a:K)(xy:V), a \bullet (x+y) = a \bullet x + a \bullet y
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• add_smul: $\forall (ab:K)(x:V), (a+b) \bullet x = a \bullet x + b \bullet x$

• mul_smul: $\forall (ab : K)(x : V), (a * b) \bullet x = a \bullet (b \bullet x)$

• one_smul: $\forall (x:V), (1:K) \bullet x = x$

Theorem 2. In any vector space V over K, the scalar 0 multiplied by any vector gives the zero vector: $(0:K) \bullet w = (0:V)$

1.2 MultiplyingByTheZeroVector

Theorem 3. In any vector space V over K, any scalar a multiplied by the zero vector gives the zero vector: $(a:K): a \bullet (0:V) = (0:V)$

1.3 ScalingByNegativeOne

Theorem 4. In any vector space V over K, multiplying a vector by -1 gives its additive inverse: $(v:V):(-1:K) \bullet v = -v$