

Vv285 Recitation Class 2

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- ③ Theorem that uniquely defines a homomorphism (linear map): define what the basis in the original vector space is mapped into.
- ④ The space of linear map $\mathcal{L}(U, V)$ is a vector space. (what is the dimension of this space?)
 - The space of *linear functional*: $\mathcal{L}(V, \mathbb{F})$ is called the *dual space* of V , denoted by V^* or V' (notation in Axler)
- ⑤ Important: **range and kernel** of $L \in \mathcal{L}(U, V)$
 - In which space lies $\text{ran } L$ ($\ker L$) ?

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Hint

For 1, consider $f(x, y) = \sqrt{xy}$; for 2, consider $g(z) = \operatorname{Re} z$

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- ③ Quick proof: Suppose $T \in \mathcal{L}(\mathbb{F}^4, \mathbb{F}^2)$ such that $\ker T = \{(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) : x_1 = 5x_2, x_3 = 7x_4\}$. Show that T is surjective

Exercise - range and kernel

Suppose V is a vector space and $S, T \in \mathcal{L}(V, V)$ are such that

$$\text{ran } S \subseteq \ker T$$

Prove that $T \circ S = 0$, where 0 denotes the 0 map.

Exercise - Injectiveness and surjectiveness

Suppose v_1, \dots, v_m are distinct vectors in V . Define $T \in \mathcal{L}(\mathbb{F}^m, V)$ by

$$T(z_1, \dots, z_m) = z_1 v_1 + \dots + z_m v_m$$

- (a) What property of T makes v_1, \dots, v_m span V ?
- (b) What property of T ensures the linear independence of v_1, \dots, v_m ?

Exercise - Injectiveness and surjectiveness

(a) T is surjective. This is because for any $w \in V$, we must find some $\{\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_m\} \subseteq \mathbb{F}$ such that

$$w = T(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_m) = \lambda_1 v_1 + \dots + \lambda_m v_m$$

Therefore, the list $\{v_1, \dots, v_m\}$ spans V .

(b) T is injective. In this case, $T(z_1, \dots, z_n) = 0$ implies that $z_1 = \dots = z_n = 0$. Equivalently $\sum_{i=1}^n z_i v_i = 0$ implies that $z_1 = \dots = z_n = 0$. Therefore, v_1, \dots, v_n are linearly independent.

Exercise - Riesz representation

Prove that suppose V is finite-dimensional inner product space and φ is a linear functional on V . Then there is a unique vector $u \in V$ such that

$$\varphi(v) = \langle u, v \rangle$$

for every v .

Exercise - Riesz representation

➤ Existence:

let $\{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$ be an orthonormal basis for V , then we have

$$\begin{aligned}\varphi(v) &= \varphi\left(\sum_i \langle e_i, v \rangle e_i\right) = \sum_i \langle e_i, v \rangle \varphi(e_i) \\ &= \left\langle \overline{\varphi(e_i)} e_i, v \right\rangle \Rightarrow u := \sum_i \overline{\varphi(e_i)} e_i\end{aligned}$$

➤ Uniqueness:

Suppose $w \neq u$, and $\langle v, w \rangle = \varphi(v) = \langle v, u \rangle$, then $\langle v, u - w \rangle = 0$ for all v , which implies that $u - w = 0$, i.e, $u = w$.

Operator Norm

Properties (you need to remember this!), suppose $T \in \mathcal{L}(U, V)$

① $\|Tu\| \leq \|T\| \|u\|$ for $u \in U$

② $\|L_2 \circ L_1\| \leq \|L_2\| \cdot \|L_1\|$

$L \in \mathcal{L}(U, V)$ is bounded when $\dim U < \infty$

Theorem (1.1)

Suppose U and V are normed vector space, $\dim U < \infty$ and $L \in \mathcal{L}(U, V)$. Define $\|L\| = \sup\{\|Le\| : \|e\| = 1\}$ for $e \in U$, then L is **continuous** and $\|L\|$ is **bounded**.

Theorem (1.2)

Suppose U and V are normed vector space and $L \in \mathcal{L}(U, V)$, if L is continuous, then $\|L\|$ is bounded. (we do not require either U or V is finite dimensional)

Reminder

You're encouraged to learn the proof of these two, but it's not **necessary**. As long as you remember this conclusion, it'll be helpful to your exams and understandings of behavior of linear maps.

Proof for Theorem (1.1)

Proof.

First, we select a norm for U . Suppose $\{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$ is a basis for U and $u = \sum_i \lambda_i e_i$, then $\|u\|_1 := \sum_i |\lambda_i|$. Using the same u , we have:

$$\|Lu\|_V = \left\| L\left(\sum_i \lambda_i e_i\right) \right\|_V = \sum_i |\lambda_i| \|Le_i\|_V \leq \sum_i |\lambda_i| \cdot C = C \|u\|_1$$

$$C := \max\{\|Le_1\|_V, \dots, \|Le_n\|_V\}$$

which proves L is bounded when U is endowed with $\|\cdot\|_1$. However, since $\dim U < \infty$, by the **equivalence of norms** (will be taught in chapter 2), there exist $D > 0$ such that $\|u\|_1 \leq D \|u\|_U$. Therefore, $\|Lu\|_V \leq C \cdot D \|u\|_U$, showing L is bounded. □

Some Preliminaries

Lemma (2.1)

Suppose $T \in \mathcal{L}(X, Y)$, then T is continuous at 0 implies continuity everywhere on X .

2.1.

T continuous at 0 $\Leftrightarrow \forall \epsilon, \exists \delta$ such that $\|(x - y) - 0\| = \|x - y\| \leq \delta$ implies $\|T(x - y) - T(0)\| = \|Tx - Ty\| \leq \epsilon$, which reads off the continuity at any $x \in X$. □

Proof for Theorem (1.2)

Theorem (1.2)

Suppose $T \in \mathcal{L}(X, Y)$, then T is continuous if and only if T is bounded.

1.2.

(\Rightarrow) First, suppose T is continuous, then at the origin

$$\|Tx\| = \|T(x) - T(0)\| \leq \epsilon \quad \text{for} \quad \|x\| = \|x - 0\| \leq \delta$$

We simply re-scale x so that $\|Tx\| \leq \frac{\epsilon}{\delta}$ for $\|x\| \leq 1$, then T is bounded.

(\Leftarrow) Then, suppose T is bounded, then $\|Tx\| \leq \|T\| \|x\| \rightarrow 0$ as $\|x\| \rightarrow 0$, this shows T 's continuity at origin. By lemma (2.1), we know T is continuous. □

Don't let your hands get cold !

$$\int \sqrt{x^2 + a^2} dx \quad \text{where } a \in \mathbb{R}$$

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