

1. Vector Space

§1-3 Subspace.

- 10 Prove that $W_1 = \{ (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n) \in F^n \mid a_1x_1 + \dots + a_nx_n = 0 \}$ is a subspace of F^n , but $W_2 = \{ (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n) \in F^n \mid a_1 + \dots + a_n = 1 \}$ is not.

Solution. Let $x, y \in W_1$, $c \in F$, $x = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$, $y = (y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n)$

Claim : W_1 is a subspace of F^n

(a)

$$\begin{aligned} x + y &= (x_1 + y_1, x_2 + y_2, \dots, x_n + y_n) \\ \therefore x_1 + y_1 + \dots + x_n + y_n &= x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n + y_1 + y_2 + \dots + y_n \\ &= 0 + 0 = 0 \therefore x + y \in W_1 \end{aligned}$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned} cx &= (cx_1 + cx_2 + \dots + cx_n)c \in F \therefore cx_1 + cx_2 + \dots + cx_n \\ &= c(x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n) = c * 0 = 0 \therefore cx \in W_1 \end{aligned}$$

(c)

$$\therefore 0 + 0 + \dots + 0 = 0 \therefore (0, 0, \dots, 0) \in W_1$$

Concluding (a)(b)(c) $\therefore W_1$ is a subspace of F . ■

- 13 Let S be a nonempty set and F a field. Prove that for any $s_0 \in S$, $\{ f \in F(S, F) \mid f(s_0) = 0 \}$, is a subspace of $F(S, F)$.

Solution. **Claim.** $\{ f \in F(S, F) \mid f(s_0) = 0 \}$ is a subspace of $F(S, F)$

(a) let $f_a, f_b \in \{ f \in F(S, F) \mid f(s_0) = 0 \}$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore (f_a + f_b)(s_0) &= f_a(s_0) + f_b(s_0) = 0 \\ \therefore (f_a + f_b)(s_0) &\in \{ f \in F(S, F) \mid f(s_0) = 0 \} \end{aligned}$$

(b) let $f_a \in \{ f \in F(S, F) \mid f(s_0) = 0 \}$, $c \in F$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore cf_a(s_0) &= c * 0 = 0 \\ \therefore cf_a(s_0) &\in \{ f \in F(S, F) \mid f(s_0) = 0 \} \end{aligned}$$

(c) $f(s) = 0 \in \{ f \in F(S, F) \mid f(s_0) = 0 \}$

$\therefore \{ f \in F(S, F) \mid f(s_0) = 0 \}$ is a subspace of $F(S, F)$. ■

- 14 Let S be a nonempty set and F a field. Let $C(S, F)$ denote the set of all functions $f \in F(S, F)$ such that $f(s) = 0$ for all but a finite number of elements of S . Prove that $C(S, F)$ is a subspace of $F(S, F)$

Solution. Claim. $C(S, F)$ is a subspace of $F(S, F)$

- (a) let $f, g \in C(S, F)$
 $f(s) \neq 0$ when $s \in \{s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n\}$ $g(s) \neq 0$ when $s \in \{s_1, s_2, \dots, s_m\}$
 $(f + g)(s)$
 $= f(s) + g(s)$
 $f(s) + g(s) \neq 0$ only if $s \in (\{s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n\} \cup \{s'_1, s'_2, \dots, s'_n\})$
 $\because \#(\{s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n\} \cup \{s'_1, s'_2, \dots, s'_n\}) \leq n + m$ is finite
 $\therefore (f + g)(s) \in C(S, F)$
- (b) let $c \in F$
 $cf(s) \neq 0$ only if $s \in \{s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n\}$
 $\because \#(\{s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n\}) = n$ is finite
 $\therefore cf(s) \in C(S, F)$
- (c) $f' \in F(S, F)$, $f'(s) = 0$ $s \in S$, $f' \in C(S, F)$

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- 20 Prove that if W is a subspace of a vector space V and w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n are in W , then $a_1w_1 + a_2w_2 + \dots + a_nw_n \in W$ for any scalars a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n .

Solution.

$\because W$ is a subspace of V $a_1w_1, a_2w_2, \dots, a_nw_n \in W$ by mathematical induction.

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- (1) $\sum_{i=1}^1 a_iw_i \in W$
(2) assume $\sum_{i=1}^k a_iw_i \in W$
(3) $\sum_{i=1}^{k+1} a_iw_i = \sum_{i=1}^k a_iw_i + a_{k+1}w_{k+1}$
 $\because \sum_{i=1}^k a_iw_i, a_{k+1}w_{k+1} \in W$
 $\therefore \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} a_iw_i \in W$

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- 23 Let W_1 and W_2 be subspaces of a vector space V .

- (a) Prove that $W_1 + W_2$ is a subspace of V that contains both W_1 and W_2 .
(b) Prove that any subspace of V that contains both W_1 and W_2 must also contain $W_1 + W_2$.

Solution.

(a) **Claim** $W_1 + W_2$ is a subspace of V

(1) let $x_1, x_2 \in W_1, y_1, y_2 \in W_2$

$$(x_1 + y_1) + (x_2 + y_2) = x_1 + x_2 + y_1 + y_2 = (x_1 + x_2) + (y_1 + y_2)$$

$\because W_1, W_2$ is a subspace of V

$$\therefore (x_1 + x_2) \in W_1, (y_1 + y_2) \in W_2 \implies (x_1 + x_2) + (y_1 + y_2) \in W_1 + W_2$$

(2) let $x_1 \in W_1, y_1 \in W_2, c \in F$

$$c(x_1 + y_1) = cx_1 + cy_1$$

$\because W_1, W_2$ is a subspace of $V, cx_1 \in W_1, cy_1 \in W_2$

$$\therefore cx_1 + cy_1 \in W_1 + W_2$$

(3) $\because W_1, W_2$ is a subspace of $V, \therefore 0 \in W_1, 0 \in W_2,$

$$0 + 0 = 0 \in W_1 + W_2 \therefore W_1 + W_2 \text{ is a subspace of } V$$

$$W_1 = \{x + 0 \mid x \in W_1\} \subseteq \{x + y \mid x \in W_1, y \in W_2\}$$

$$W_2 = \{0 + y \mid y \in W_2\} \subseteq \{x + y \mid x \in W_1, y \in W_2\}$$

$\therefore W_1 + W_2$ contains both W_1 and W_2

(b) let W_3 is a subspace of $V, W_3 \subseteq W_1, W_3 \subseteq W_2$

$$\text{let } x \in W_1, y \in W_2, \because W_3 \text{ is a subspace.} \therefore x + y \in W_3 \implies W_1 + W_2 \subseteq W_3 \quad \blacksquare$$

- 30 Let W_1 and W_2 be subspaces of a vector space V Prove that V is the direct sum of W_1 and W_2 if and only if each vector in V can be uniquely written as $x_1 + x_2$, where $x_1 \in W_1$ and $x_2 \in W_2$.

Solution.

$$(\Rightarrow) W_1 \cap W_2 = \{0\}, W_1 + W_2 = V$$

Claim. each vector in V can not be only one written as $x + y$
where $x \in W_1, y \in W_2$

$$\text{let } u \in V, u = x_1 + y_1 = x_2 + y_2,$$

$$x_1, x_2 \in W_1, y_1, y_2 \in W_2, x_1 \neq x_2, y_1 \neq y_2$$

$$x_1 + y_1 = x_2 + y_2 \implies x_1 - x_2 = y_2 - y_1$$

$\therefore W_1$ is a subspace, $(x_1 - x_2) \in W_1$, W_2 is a subspace, $(y_2 - y_1) \in W_2$

$$W_1 \cap W_2 = \{0\} \therefore (x_1 - x_2) = (y_2 - y_1) = 0 \implies x_1 = x_2, y_1 = y_2 \rightarrow \leftarrow$$

\therefore each vector in V can be uniquely written as $x_1 + x_2$, where $x_1 \in W_1$ and $x_2 \in W_2$

$$(\Leftarrow) V = \{x + y \mid x \in W_1, y \in W_2\} = W$$

Claim. $W_1 \cap W_2$ not only 0

$$\exists u \in W_1 \cap W_2, u = 0 + u = u + 0 \rightarrow \leftarrow$$

$$\therefore W_1 \oplus W_2 = V$$

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§1-4 Linear Combination.

- 13 Show that if S_1 and S_2 are subsets of a vector space V such that $S_1 \subseteq S_2$, then $\text{span}(S_1) \subseteq \text{span}(S_2)$. In particular, if $S_1 \subseteq S_2$ and $\text{span}(S_1) = V$, deduce that $\text{span}(S_2) = V$

Solution. **Claim** $\text{span}(S_1) \subseteq \text{span}(S_2)$

$$\text{let } S_1 = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}, S_2 = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n, u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m\}, x \in \text{span}(S_1)$$

$$x = a_1 v_1 + \dots + a_n v_n, a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \in F$$

$$= a_1 v_1 + \dots + a_n v_n + 0u_1 + 0u_2 + \dots + 0u_m \in \text{Span}(S_2)$$

$$\therefore \text{span}(S_1) \subseteq \text{span}(S_2)$$

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- 14 Show that if S_1 and S_2 are arbitrary subsets of a vector space V , then $\text{span}(S_1 \cup S_2) = \text{span}(S_1) + \text{span}(S_2)$.

Solution. Let $S_1 \cap S_2 = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$,

$S_1 = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m, v_1, \dots, v_n\}$, $S_2 = \{r_1, \dots, r_k, v_1, \dots, v_n\}$

Claim. $\text{span}(S_1) + \text{span}(S_2) \subseteq \text{span}(S_1 \cup S_2)$

let $x \in \text{span}(S_1) + \text{span}(S_2)$

$x = (a_1u_1 + \dots + a_mu_m + a_{m+1}v_1 + \dots + a_{m+n}v_n) +$

$(b_1r_1 + \dots + kr_k + b_{k+1}v_1 + \dots + b_{k+n}v_n)$

$= (c_1u_1 + \dots + c_mu_m) + (c_{m+1}r_1 + \dots + c_{m+k}) + (c_{m+k+1}v_1 + \dots + c_{m+k+n})$

$\Rightarrow x \in \text{span}(S_1 \cup S_2)$

$\therefore \text{span}(S_1) + \text{span}(S_2) \subseteq \text{span}(S_1 \cup S_2)$

Claim. $\text{span}(S_1 \cup S_2) \subseteq \text{span}(S_1) + \text{span}(S_2)$

let $y \in \text{span}(S_1 \cup S_2)$

$y = (c_1u_1 + \dots + c_mu_m) + (c_{m+1}r_1 + \dots + c_{m+k}) + (c_{m+k+1}v_1 + \dots + c_{m+k+n})$

$= (a_1u_1 + \dots + a_mu_m + a_{m+1}v_1 + \dots + a_{m+n}v_n) + (b_1r_1 + \dots + kr_k + b_{k+1}v_1 + \dots + b_{k+n}v_n)$

$\therefore y \in \text{span}(S_1) + \text{span}(S_2)$

$\therefore \text{span}(S_1) + \text{span}(S_2) = \text{span}(S_1 \cup S_2)$

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§1-5 Linear Independent.

13 Let V be a vector space over a field of characteristic not equal to two.

Let u and v be distinct vectors in V . Prove that $\{u, v\}$ is linearly independent if and only if $\{u + v, u - v\}$ is linearly independent.

Solution.

(\Rightarrow) **Claim.** $\{u + v, u - v\}$ is linearly independent

$$a_1(u + v) + a_2(u - v) = 0, a_1, a_2 \in F$$

$$\Rightarrow (a_1 + a_2)u + (a_1 - a_2)v = 0$$

$\because \{u, v\}$ is linearly independent

$$\therefore \begin{cases} a_1 + a_2 = 0 \\ a_1 - a_2 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow a_1 = a_2 = 0$$

$\therefore \{u + v, u - v\}$ is linearly independent

(\Leftarrow) **Claim.** $\{u, v\}$ is linearly independent

$$\Rightarrow b_1u + b_2v = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{b_1+b_2}{2}(u + v) + \frac{b_1-b_2}{2}(u - v) = 0$$

$\because \{u + v, u - v\}$ is linearly independent

$$\therefore \begin{cases} \frac{b_1+b_2}{2} = 0 \\ \frac{b_1-b_2}{2} = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow b_1 = b_2 = 0$$

$\therefore \{u, v\}$ is linearly independent

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- 16 Prove that a set S of vectors is linearly independent if and only if each finite subset of S is linearly independent.

Solution. let $S = \{s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n\}$

(\Rightarrow) **Claim.** \exists subset $S_i = \{s'_1, s'_2, \dots, s'_r\}, r \leq n, b_1s'_1 + b_2s'_2 + \dots + b_ns'_r = 0$

let $S - S_i = \{s'_{r+1}, s'_{r+2}, \dots, s'_n\}$

$b_1s'_1 + b_2s'_2 + \dots + b_ns'_n = 0$ not only $b_1 = b_2 = \dots = b_n = 0 \rightarrow \leftarrow$

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 let $S - S_i = \{s'_{r+1}, s'_{r+2}, \dots, s'_n\}$
 $b_1 s'_1 + b_2 s'_2 + \dots + b_n s'_n = 0$ not only $b_1 = b_2 = \dots = b_n = 0 \rightarrow \leftarrow$

(\Leftarrow) by definition of linear independent, each finite subset of S is linearly independent, S is linear independent. ■

- 20 Let $f, g \in F(R, R)$ be the functions defined by $f(t) = e^{rt}$ and $g(t) = e^{st}$, where $r \neq s$. Prove that f and g are linearly independent in $F(R, R)$.

Solution. **Claim.** f, g are linearly independent in $F(R, R)$
 $a_1 f(t) + a_2 g(t) = 0 \Rightarrow a_1 e^{rt} + a_2 e^{st} = 0 \Rightarrow e^{rt}(a_1 + a_2 e^{t(s-r)}) = 0$
 $\Rightarrow e^{rt} = 0$ (impossible) or $(a_1 + a_2 e^{t(s-r)}) = 0 \Rightarrow a_1 = a_2 = 0$
 $\therefore f, g$ are linearly independent in $F(R, R)$. ■

§1-6 Bases and Dimension.

- 14 Find bases for the following subspaces of F^5 :

$$W_1 = \{(a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5) \in F^5 \mid a_1 - a_3 - a_4 = 0\}$$

and

$$W_2 = \{(a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5) \in F^5 \mid a_2 = a_3 = a_4, a_1 + a_5 = 0\}.$$

What are the dimensions of W_1 and W_2 ?

Solution. set $p, q, t, r \in F$,
 $W_1 = \{(q + t, p, q, t, r) = q(1, 0, 1, 0, 0) + p(0, 1, 0, 0, 0) + t(1, 0, 0, 1, 0) + r(0, 0, 0, 0, 1)\}$
Claim. $\{(1, 0, 1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0, 0, 0), (1, 0, 0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 0, 0, 1)\}$ is linearly independent
 $c_1 \cdot (1, 0, 1, 0, 0) + c_2(0, 1, 0, 0, 0) + c_3(1, 0, 0, 1, 0) + c_4(0, 0, 0, 0, 1)$
 $\Rightarrow c_1 + c_3 = 0, c_2 = 0, c_1 = 0, c_3 = 0, c_4 = 0 \Rightarrow c_1 = c_2 = c_3 = c_4 = 0$
 $\therefore \{(1, 0, 1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0, 0, 0), (1, 0, 0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 0, 0, 1)\}$ is linearly independent
 $\therefore \{(1, 0, 1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0, 0, 0), (1, 0, 0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 0, 0, 1)\}$ is a basis of W_1 , the dimension of W_1 is 4. ■

- 20 Let V be a vector space having dimension n , and let S be a subset of V that generates V .

- (a) Prove that there is a subset of S that is a basis for V . (Be careful not to assume that S is finite)
- (b) Prove that S contains at least n vectors.

Solution. (a) if $S = \emptyset$ or $S = \{0\}$
 $V = \{0\} \therefore$ there is a subset of S be a basis.
 else pick $s_1 \neq 0$ from S
 pick $s_{k+1} \notin \text{span}(\{s_1, s_2, \dots, s_k\})$, by replacement theorem, when a linearly independent set's element number equal $\dim(V)$, the set can generate V .
 \therefore there is a subset of S be a basis.

(b) by the definition dimension, the element number of basis is n
 by replacement theory's, $\text{span}(S')=V, \#(S') \geq n, S' \subseteq S, \#(S) \geq n$. ■

- 25 Let V, W , and Z be as in Exercise 21 if Section 1.2. If V and W are vector spaces over F of dimensions m and n , determine the dimension of Z .

Solution. let $Z = \{(v, w) \mid v \in V, w \in W\}$, $\dim(V) = m, \dim(W) = n$
 $Z_1 = \{(v, 0) \mid v \in V\}, Z_2 = \{(0, w) \mid w \in W\}$
 $\therefore Z = Z_1 + Z_2, Z_1 \cap Z_2 = \{(0, 0)\}$
 $\therefore Z = Z_1 \oplus Z_2$
 by Exercise 1.6.29(b), if W_1 and W_2 are finite-dimensional subspace of a vector space V , and let $V = W_1 \oplus W_2$. $\dim(W_1 + W_2) = \dim(W_1) + \dim(W_2) = m + n$ ■

- 29 (a) Prove that if W_1 and W_2 are finite-dimensional subspaces of a vector space V , then the subspace $W_1 + W_2$ is finite-dimensional, and $\dim(W_1 + W_2) = \dim(W_1) + \dim(W_2) - \dim(W_1 \cap W_2)$.
- (b) Let W_1 and W_2 be finite-dimensional subspaces of a vector space V , and let $V = W_1 + W_2$. Deduce that V is the direct sum of W_1 and W_2 if and only if $\dim(V) = \dim(W_1) + \dim(W_2)$.

Solution. (a) let β is a basis of $W_1 \cap W_2$ $\dim(W_1) = k + m$, $\dim(W_2) = k + n$,
 $\dim(W_1 \cap W_2) = k$, $k, m, n \in \mathbb{Z}^{\geq 0}$
 $\beta \in \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_k\}$, $u_1, \dots, u_k \in W_1 \cap W_2$
 $\therefore \beta \in W_1, \beta \in W_2$
 by Replacement Theorem, Every linearly independent subset of V can be extended to a basis for V .
 $\exists \beta_1$ is a basis of W_1
 $\beta_1 = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_k, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m\}$ $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m \in W_1$
 $\exists \beta_2$ is a basis of W_2
 $\beta_2 = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_k, w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n\}$ $w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n \in W_2$
 let $x \in W_1 + W_2$
 $x = (a_1u_1 + a_2u_2 + \dots + a_{k+1}v_1 + a_{k+2}v_2 + \dots + a_{k+m}v_m) + (b_1u_1 + b_2u_2 + \dots + b_ku_k + b_{k+1}w_1 + b_{k+2}w_2 + \dots + b_{k+n}w_n)$, $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_{k+m}, b_1, b_2, \dots, b_{k+n} \in F$
 $= c_1u_1 + c_2u_2 + \dots + c_ku_k + a_{k+1}v_1 + a_{k+2}v_2 + \dots + a_{k+m}v_m + b_{k+1}w_1 + b_{k+2}w_2 + \dots + b_{k+n}w_n$, $c_1, c_2, \dots, c_k \in F$
 $\therefore v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m \notin W_2, w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n \notin W_1$
 $\therefore \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_k, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m, w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n\}$ is linearly independent
 $\therefore \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_k, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m, w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n\}$ is a basis of $W_1 + W_2$
 $\therefore \dim(W_1 + W_2) = k + m + n$
 $\dim(W_1 + W_2) = \dim(W_1) + \dim(W_2) - \dim(W_1 \cap W_2)$

(b) $W_1 \cap W_2 = \{0\}$
 by Exercise 1.16.29(a), if W_1 and W_2 are finite-dimensional subspace of a vector space V , $\dim(V) = \dim(W_1) + \dim(W_2) - \dim(W_1 \cap W_2) = \dim(W_1) + \dim(W_2) - \dim(\{0\}) = \dim(W_1) + \dim(W_2)$

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31 Let W_1 and W_2 be subspaces of a vector space V having dimensions m and n , respectively, where $m \geq n$.

- (a) Prove that $\dim(W_1 \cap W_2) \leq n$.
- (b) Prove that $\dim(W_1 + W_2) \leq m + n$.

Solution. (a) let β_1 is a basis of W_2

β is a basis of $W_1 \cap W_2$

$$\#(\beta_1) = n$$

by Replacement Theorem, V be a vector space is generated by a set G ,

$$\#(G) = n$$

a linearly independent set $L \in V, \#(L) = m$

$$\because W_1 \cap W_2 \subseteq W_2$$

$\therefore \beta$ is a linearly independent set of W_2 , β_1 can generated W_2

$$\Rightarrow \#(\beta) \leq \#(\beta_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim(W_1 \cap W_2) \leq n$$

(b) by Exercise 29, W_1, W_2 are finite-dimensional subspaces of a vector space

V , then $\dim(W_1 + W_2) = \dim(W_1) + \dim(W_2) - \dim(W_1 \cap W_2)$

$$\dim(W_1 + W_2) = \dim(W_1) + \dim(W_2) - \dim(W_1 \cap W_2) = m + n - \dim(W_1 \cap W_2)$$

$$\leq m + n$$

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- 33 (a) Let W_1 and W_2 be subspaces of a vector space V such that $V = W_1 \oplus W_2$. If β_1 and β_2 are bases for W_1 and W_2 , respectively, show that $\beta_1 \cap \beta_2 = \emptyset$ and $\beta_1 \cup \beta_2$ is a basis for V .
- (b) Conversely, let β_1 and β_2 be disjoint bases for subspaces W_1 and W_2 , respectively, of a vector space V . Prove that if $\beta_1 \cup \beta_2$ is a basis for V , then $V = W_1 \oplus W_2$.

Solution. let $\beta_1 = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n \in W_1$,

$\beta_2 = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m\}, u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m \in W_2$

$$W_1 + W_2 = \{a_1v_1 + a_2v_2 + \dots + a_nv_n + b_1u_1 + b_2u_2 + \dots + b_mu_m \mid$$

$$a_1, \dots, a_n, b_1, \dots, b_m \in F\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{span}(\beta_1 \cup \beta_2) = W_1 + W_2$$

Claim $\beta_1 \cup \beta_2$ is linearly dependent

$\exists a_i v_i$ or $b_i u_i$ can be express by

$$-a_i v_i = (a_1 v_1 + \dots + a_n v_n) + (b_1 u_1 + \dots + b_m u_m)$$

$$\because v_i \notin \text{span}(\beta_1 - \{v_i\}), v_i \notin \text{span}(\beta_2)$$

$$-b_i u_i = (a_1 v_1 + \dots + a_n v_n) + (b_1 u_1 + \dots + b_m u_m)$$

$$u_i \notin \text{span}(\beta_2 - \{u_i\}), u_i \notin \text{span}(\beta_1)$$

$$\therefore \rightarrow \leftarrow$$

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- 34 Prove that if W_1 is any subspace of a finite-dimensional vector space V , then there exists a subspace W_2 of V such that $V = W_1 \oplus W_2$

Solution. let $\beta_1 = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m\}$, $\dim(V) = n$

by Corollary of Replacement Theorem, Every linearly independent subset of V can be extended to a basis for V

$\Rightarrow \exists \beta = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m, u_1, u_2, \dots, u_{n-m}\}$ is a basis of V

Claim. $\text{span}(\{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_{n-m}\}) \oplus W_1 = V$ let $v' \in W_1, u' \in \text{span}(\{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_{n-m}\})$

$\because \beta$ is a linearly independent set $\therefore v' \notin \text{span}(\{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_{n-m}\}), u' \notin W_1$

$\Rightarrow W_1 \cap W_2 = \{0\} \therefore \text{span}(\{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_{n-m}\}) \oplus W_1 = V$ ■