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Lecture 3, Ex. C

1. $A, B \in M_n(F)$, $A = (\alpha_{ij})$, $B = (\beta_{ij})$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{tr}(A+B) &= \sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha_{ii} + \beta_{ii}) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_{ii} + \sum_{i=1}^n \beta_{ii} \\ &= \text{tr}(A) + \text{tr}(B) \quad \checkmark\end{aligned}$$

$\alpha \in F$,

$$\begin{aligned}\text{tr}(\alpha A) &= \sum_{i=1}^n (\alpha \alpha_{ii}) \\ &= \alpha \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_{ii} \\ &= \alpha \text{tr}(A) \quad \checkmark\end{aligned}$$

2a. tr encoded as matrix in $M_{1, n^2}(F)$ because

$$\dim(M_n(F)) = n^2$$

$$\dim(F) = 1$$

$$b. \quad \text{tr}(v_1) = 1, \quad \text{tr}(v_2) = 0, \quad \text{tr}(v_3) = 0, \quad \text{tr}(v_4) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow M_{\mathcal{E}}^F(\text{tr}) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$c. \quad \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_{1,1} & \alpha_{1,2} \\ \alpha_{2,1} & \alpha_{2,2} \end{pmatrix} = \alpha_{1,1} E_{1,1} + \alpha_{1,2} E_{1,2} + \alpha_{2,1} E_{2,1} + \alpha_{2,2} E_{2,2}$$

$$\text{tr}(A) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_{1,1} \\ \alpha_{1,2} \\ \alpha_{2,1} \\ \alpha_{2,2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \alpha_{1,1} + \alpha_{2,2}$$

$$3. \quad \text{tr}(M_B^B(\varphi)) = \text{tr} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = 2$$

$$\text{tr}(M_{B'}^{B'}(\varphi)) = \text{tr} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 = \text{tr}(\varphi)$$

$$\text{tr}(M_{B'}^{B'}(\varphi)) = \text{tr} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = 0 \neq 2$$