

MATH2140-Homework3

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1 Ex.1

1 We can find that $X^2 + X + 1 + 2X = X^2 + 3X + 1$. But the set of $\{X^2 + 3X + 1, 2X, X^3 + 3\}$ including three elements of different degree cannot be expressed as the linear combination of others. Thus $\text{rank} = \text{card}\{\mathcal{B}\} = 3$

3 Suggest that $a(x+z) + b(-x+2y) + d(y+t) + c(x+y-z+t) = 0$, then we have

$$\begin{cases} a - b + c = 0 \\ 2b + d + c = 0 \\ a - c = 0 \\ d + c = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 2a - b = 0 \\ 2b + d + a = 0 \\ d + c = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} d + 5c = 0 \\ d + c = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow a, b, c, d = 0$$

Thus it is linearly independent and $\text{rank} = 4$.

2 Ex.2

As $(2, 1, 0, 2)$ and $(-1, -2, 3, 1)$ are in the kernel of two linear forms suggested as

$$(x, y, z, w). \text{ We have } \begin{cases} 2x + y + 2w = 0 \\ -x - 2y + 3z + w = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} -3y + 6z + 4w = 0 (\text{annihilate } x) \\ 3x + 3z + 5w = 0 (\text{annihilate } y) \end{cases} \Rightarrow.$$

Then take $\begin{cases} z = 1 \\ w = 0 \end{cases}$ and $\begin{cases} z = 0 \\ w = 3 \end{cases}$, we get $u = (-1, 2, 1, 0)$ and $v = (-5, 4, 0, 3)$.

$(2, 1, 0, 2), (-1, -2, 3, 1) \in \ker u \cap \ker v$. Thus $\forall a \in$ the subspace, as $(2, 1, 0, 2)$ and $(-1, -2, 3, 1)$ are linearly independent, we have $a = \alpha(2, 1, 0, 2) + \beta(-1, -2, 3, 1) \in \ker u \cap \ker v$.

3 Ex.3

im u : It is a space spanned by $(1, -1, 0), (1, 2, 3), (1, -2, -1)$. However, as $(1, 2, 3) + 3(1, -2, -1) = 4(1, -2, 0)$, it is not linearly independent, and $\{(1, 2, 3), (1, -2, -1)\}$ is linearly independent. So $\mathcal{B}_{\text{imu}} = \{(1, 2, 3), (1, -2, -1)\}$.

ker u : $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & -2 \\ 0 & 3 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$. Then $\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$, and the $\mathcal{B}_{ker u} = \{(-4, 1, 3)\}$

4 Ex.4

1 \Rightarrow : $(ld_V - p)^2 = ld_V - p - p \circ (ld_V - p) = ld_V - 2p + p^2 = ld_V - p$.
 \Leftarrow : Let's define $q = ld_V - p$, $((ld_V - p)^2 = ld_V - p \Rightarrow p^2 = p) \Leftrightarrow (q^2 = q \Rightarrow (ld_V - q)^2 = ld_V - q)$, which is correct. Thus it is proved.

2 To prove $im(ld_V - p) = ker p$, we need to prove $\forall x \in V, p(x - p(x)) = 0$. Firstly endomorphism implies linearity. So $p(x - p(x)) = p(x) - p^2(x) = 0$, and $im(ld_V - p) \subset ker p$. If we plug in $ld_V - p$ to substitute p , $im p \subset ker(ld_V - p)$. Then let's prove $ker(ld_V - p) \subset im p$. $\forall x \in V$ s.t. $x - p(x) = 0$, we have $x \in ker(ld_V - p)$, then $x = p(x)$, so $x \in im p$. So $ker(ld_V - p) \subset im p$, and we have $ker(ld_V - p) = im p$, and similarly, $im(ld_V - p) = ker p$,

3 Firstly let's prove $im p \cap ker p = 0$, we have $\forall p(v) \in im p \cap ker p, p(p(v)) = 0 = p(v)$. Then $\forall v \in V$, we have $v - p(v) = (ld_V - p)v = w \in ker p$. Thus $\exists p(v) \in im p$ and $w \in ker p$, and we have $im p + ker p = V$. Thus $im p \oplus ker p = V$.

4 The meaning of the question is: $u \circ p = p \circ u \Leftrightarrow u(ker p) \subset ker p \vee u(im p) \subset im p$.

\Rightarrow : $\forall p(m) \in im p, u(p(m)) = p(u(m)) \in im p. \forall v \in ker p, p(v) = 0, u(p(v)) = 0 = p(u(v))$, Thus $u(v) \in ker p$.

\Leftarrow : We need to prove $u(ker p) \subsetneq ker p$, if it is not commutative. $p \circ u \neq u \circ p$, $\exists a \in ker p, u(p(a)) = 0$ but $p(u(a)) \neq 0. u(a) \notin ker p$.

Thus $u \circ p = p \circ u \Leftrightarrow u(ker p) \subset ker p \vee u(im p) \subset im p$.

5 Ex.5

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(iii) \rightarrow (i) $\forall v \in ker u^2, u(u(v)) = 0, u(v) \in ker u$, and obviously $u(v) \in im u$. As $ker u \oplus im u = V, u(v) = 0, v \in ker u$. Also, obviously $ker u \subset ker u^2$. Then $ker u = ker u^2$.

(iii) \rightarrow (ii) It is obvious that $im u^2 \subset im u$, so we just need to prove $im u \subset im u^2$. If $\exists u(p) \in im u, u(p) \notin im u^2$, then $p \notin im u$. Let $p = y + z$ s.t. $y \in im u, z \in ker u$. Then $u(p) = u(y) + u(z) = u(y)$. However, $u(y) \in im u^2$. So it is contradictive. So we have $im u = im u^2$.

(ii) \rightarrow (iii) Firstly I shall prove if $V \neq \ker u + \operatorname{im} u$, $\operatorname{im} u = \operatorname{im} u^2$ will be wrong. If $V = (\ker u + \operatorname{im} u) \oplus S$, $\forall m \in V$, $m = x + y + z$ s.t. $x \in \ker u$; $y \in \operatorname{im} u$; $z \in S$; $z \neq 0$. $u(m) = u(y) + u(z)$ s.t. $u(y) \in \operatorname{im} u^2$ and $u(z) \in \operatorname{im} u$, but $u(z) \notin \operatorname{im} u^2$. Thus $u(m) \in \operatorname{im} u$, but $u(m) \notin \operatorname{im} u^2$. So it is contradictive.

Then I shall prove $\operatorname{im} u \cap \ker u = 0$. Let's suggest $v = x_1 + y_1 = x_2 + y_2$, where $(x_1, y_1) \neq (x_2, y_2)$ and $x_{1,2} \in S$ and $y_{1,2} \in \ker u$ s.t. $\ker u \oplus S = V$. $x_1 - x_2 + y_1 - y_2 = 0$, and $u(x_1 - x_2) + u(y_1 - y_2) = u(x_1 - x_2) = 0$. $x_1 - x_2 \in \ker u$ and $x_1 - x_2 \in S$, so $x_1 = x_2$, and such x and y are unique. So $\ker u \cap \operatorname{im} u = 0$. $\ker u \oplus \operatorname{im} u = V$.

(i) \rightarrow (iii) $\forall u(w) \in \ker u \cap \operatorname{im} u$, $w \in \ker u^2$, $w \in \ker u$, $u(w) = 0$, $\ker u \cap \operatorname{im} u = 0$. Then I shall prove if $V \neq \ker u + \operatorname{im} u$, $\ker u = \ker u^2$ will be wrong. If $V = (\ker u + \operatorname{im} u) \oplus S$, as $\ker u \cap \operatorname{im} u = 0$, $\forall m \in \ker u$, $m = x + z$ s.t. $x \in \ker u$; $z \in S$; $z \neq 0$. $u(m) = u(x) + u(z) = 0$ s.t. $x \in \ker u^2$ and $z \in \ker u$, but $z \notin \ker u^2$. Thus $m \in \ker u$, but $u(m) \notin \ker u^2$. So it is contradictive, and $\ker u \oplus \operatorname{im} u = V$.

2 $(x, y) \rightarrow (x, 0)$

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