

Problem 1

Let V be a vector space, and let $\vec{u}, \vec{v}, \vec{w} \in V$. Prove that if $\vec{u} \oplus \vec{w} = \vec{v} \oplus \vec{w}$ then $\vec{u} = \vec{v}$.

Proof. Consider $\vec{v}, \vec{u}, \vec{w} \in V$, and assume $\vec{u} \oplus \vec{w} = \vec{v} \oplus \vec{w}$.

$\vec{u} \oplus \vec{w} = \vec{v} \oplus \vec{w}$	Assertion
$-\vec{u} \oplus \vec{u} \oplus \vec{w} = -\vec{u} \oplus \vec{v} \oplus \vec{w}$	Axiom 3
$\mathbf{id} \oplus \vec{w} = -\vec{u} \oplus \vec{v} \oplus \vec{w}$	Axiom 5
$\vec{w} = (-\vec{u} \oplus \vec{v}) \oplus \vec{w}$	Axiom 4
$\mathbf{id} = -\vec{u} \oplus \vec{v}$	Axiom 4
$\vec{v} = -(-\vec{u})$	Axiom 5
$\therefore \vec{v} = \vec{u}$	Axiom 5

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Problem 2

Prove Theorem B.

Proof.

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Problem 3

Prove Theorem D.

Proof.

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Problem 4

Prove that there does not exist a real vector space of size 2.

Proof.

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