# HW5

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from Section 1.6: exercises 30,33

from Section 2.1: exercises 1,3,6,9,10,11,14,17,20,21,22.

1.6

**30.** Let  $V = M_{2\times 2}(F), W_1 = \{ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \in V : a, b, c \in F \}, \ W_2 = \{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & a \\ -a & b \end{pmatrix} \in V : a, b \in F \}.$  Prove that  $W_1$  and  $W_2$  are subspaces of  $\mathbf{V}$ , and find the dimensions of  $W_1, W_2, W_1 + W_2$  and  $W_1 \cap W_2$ 

**Proof:** 

Base on the expression, we can decompose  $W_1$  into  $a \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + b \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + c \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ 

And,  $W_2$  into  $a \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + b \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ 

As a = b = c = 0, we know that  $W_1$  is linearly independent then we have  $dim(W_1) = 3$ As a = b = 0, we know that  $W_2$  is also linearly independent then we have  $dim(W_2) = 2$ 

If we put  $W_1 + W_2$  we will have  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ , because  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  can generate  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ 

ate by  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ .

Therefore,  $dim(W_1) + dim(W_2) = dim(W_1 \cap W_2) = 4$ 

33.

a) Let W\_1 and W\_2 be subspaces of a vector space V such that  $V = W_1 \oplus W_2$ . If  $\beta_1$  and  $\beta_2$  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

**Proof:** 

If that  $\beta_1$  and  $\beta_2$  are bases of  $W_1$  and  $W_2$ , then they are linear independent to each other. For example,  $\beta_1 = \{1,0\}$  and  $\beta_2 = \{0,1\}$ . Also, as long as both vector space are direct sum of each other, where  $V = W_1 \bigoplus W_2$ . Then  $\beta_1 \cap \beta_2 = \emptyset$  and  $\beta_1 \cup \beta_2$  are basis for V.

b) Conversely, let  $\beta_1$  and  $\beta_2$  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  $V = W_1 \oplus W_2$ .

## **Proof:**

 $\beta_1 \cap \beta_2 = \emptyset$  and  $span(\beta_1) + span(\beta_2) \subset W_1 \cup W_2$ , then we can denote that  $\beta_1$  and  $\beta_2$  generate  $W_1, W_2$ . because  $\beta_1$  and  $\beta_2 \in V$  then  $V = W_1 \bigoplus W_2$ .

# 2.1

- 1. Label the following statements as true or false. In each part, V and W are finite-dimensional vector spaces (over F), and T is a function from V to W.
- a) True
- b) False
- c) False
- d) True
- e) False
- f) False
- $\mathbf{g}$ ) True
- h) False
- 3.  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^3$  defined by  $T(a_1, a_2) = (a_1 + a_2, 0, 2a_1 a_2)$

#### **Proof:**

 $T(c(a_1, a_2, a_3)) = (ca_1(1, 0, 2) + ca_2(1, 0, -1) + ca_3(0, 0, 0)) = c(a_1(1, 0, 2) + a_2(1, 0, -1) + a_3(0, 0, 0)) = cT(a_1, a_2, a_3)$ 

 $T(a_1, a_2, a_3) + T(b_1, b_2, b_3) = T(a_1 + b_1, a_2 + b_2, a_3 + b_3) = (a_1 + b_1)((1, 0, 2) + (1, 0, -1) + (0, 0, 0)) = (a_1(1, 0, 2) + a_2(1, 0, -1) + a_2(0, 0, 0)) + (b_1(1, 0, 2) + b_2(1, 0, -1) + b_3(0, 0, 0)) = T(a_1, a_2, a_3) + T(b_1, b_2, b_3)$ Therefore, T is linear

Then we find that  $a_1 + a_2 = 0$ , 0 = 0,  $2a_1 - a_2 = 0$ , then  $a_1 = -a_2$  and  $a_1 = \frac{a_2}{2}$ . Base on the expression we can have that  $a_1 = a_2 = 0$  and  $(a_1, a_2) = (0, 0)$  Then dim of N(T) = 0

T(1,0) = (1,0,2) and T(0,1) = (1,0,-1) and since the set  $\{T(1,0),T(0,1)\}=\{(1,0,2),(1,0,-1)\}$  is linearly independent. and dim of R(T) = 2

Therefore, since  $rank(T) + nullity(T) = 2 + 0 = 2 = dim(R^2)$  T is one to one but not onto.

**6.**  $T: M_{n \times n}(F) \to F$  defined by T(A) = tr(A). Recall that  $tr(A) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} A_{ii}$ 

#### **Proof:**

 $T(cA+B) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} (cA_{ii} + B_{ii}) = c\sum_{i=1}^{n} A_{ii} + \sum_{i=1}^{n} B_{ii} = cT(A) + T(B)$  Then T is linear  $N(T) = n \times n - 1 = n^2 - 1$  and  $R(T) = \{1\}$ , then  $nullity(T) + rank(T) = (n^2 - 1) + 1 = n^2 = dim_{n \times n}(F)$ . Therefore, T is not one to one as nullity is greater then one. But T is onto.

- 9. In this exercise,  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^2$  is a function. For each of the following parts, state why T is not linear.
- a)  $cT(a) + dT(b) = (c + d, ca_2 + db_2)T(ca + db) = T(c(a_1, a_2) + d(b_1, b_2)) = (1, ca_2 + db_2) \neq cT(a) + dT(b)$  not linear

- b)  $cT(a) + dT(b) = (ca_1 + db_1, (ca_2 + db_2)^2)T(ca + db) = T(c(a_1, a_2) + d(b_1, b_2)) = (ca_1 + db_1, ca_2^2 + db_2^2) \neq cT(a) + dT(b)$  not linear
- c)  $cT(a) + dT(b) = (sin(ca_1 + db_1), 0)T(ca + db) = T(c(a_1, a_2) + d(b_1, b_2)) = (csin(a_1) + dsin(b_1), 0) \neq cT(a) + dT(b)$  not linear
- **d)**  $cT(a) + dT(b) = (|ca_1 + db_1|, ca_2 + db_2)T(ca + db) = T(c(a_1, a_2) + d(b_1, b_2)) = (c|a_1| + d|b_1|, ca_2 + db_2) \neq cT(a) + dT(b)$  not linear
- e)  $cT(a)+dT(b)=(ca_1+db_1+1,ca_2+db_2)T(ca+db)=T(c(a_1,a_2)+d(b_1,b_2))=(ca_1+db_1+c+d,ca_2+db_2)\neq cT(a)+dT(b)$  not linear
- **10.** Suppose that  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^2$  is linear, T(1,0) = (1,4), and T(1,1) = (2,5). What is T(2,3)? Is T one-to-one?

#### **Proof:**

T(2,3) = aT(1,0) + bT(1,1) = -(1,4) + 3(2,5) = (5,11) and we can have that  $c_1 = -1, c_2 = 3$  T(1,0) = T(1,1) - T(1,0) = (2-1,5-4) = (1,1) and  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  Then det(A) = 3 Therefore, A is invertible and T is one to one and onto.

11. Prove that there exists a linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^3$  such that T(1,1)=(1,0,2) and T(2,3)=(1,-1,4). What is T(8,11)

### **Proof:**

$$T(8,11) = aT(1,1) + bT(2,3) = 5(1,0,2) + 3(1,-1,4) = (8,-3,22)$$

- 14. Let V and W be vector spaces and  $T: V \to W$  be linear
- a) Prove that T is one to one if and only if T carries linearly independent subsets of V onto linearly independent subsets of W

#### **Proof:**

Suppose T is one-to-one, and let S be a linearly independent subset of V. We want to show that T(S) is a linearly independent subset of W. Suppose that T(S) is linearly dependent, i.e., there exist distinct vectors  $w_1, w_2, ..., w_n$  in T(S) and scalars  $c_1, c_2, ..., c_n$  not all zero such that  $c_1w_1 + c_2w_2 + ... + c_nw_n = 0$ . Since each wi is in T(S), we can write wi =  $T(v_i)$  for some  $v_i$  in S. Then we have:  $c_1T(v_1) + c_2T(v_2) + ... + c_nv_n = 0$ , which contradicts the assumption that S is linearly independent. Therefore, T(S) must be linearly independent. Suppose T carries linearly independent subsets of V onto linearly independent subsets of W, and let  $v_1, v_2$  be distinct vectors in V such that  $T(v_1) = T(v_2)$ . We want to show that  $v_1 = v_2$ , i.e., that T is one-to-one. Consider the set  $S = \{v_1, v_2\}$ . Since  $v_1$  and  $v_2$  are distinct, S is linearly independent. By assumption,  $T(S) = \{T(v_1), T(v_2)\}$  is linearly independent. Therefore, we must have  $c_1T(v_1) + c_2T(v_2) = 0$  only if  $c_1 = c_2 = 0$ . But we know that  $T(v_1) = T(v_2)$ , so we have:  $c_1T(v_1) + c_2T(v_2) = T(c_1v_1 + c_2v_2) = 0$  This implies that  $c_1v_1 + c_2v_2 = 0$ , and since S is linearly independent, we must have  $c_1 = c_2 = 0$ . Therefore,  $v_1 = v_2$ , and T is one-to-one. Combining the two implications, we conclude that T is one-to-one if and only if T carries linearly independent subsets of V onto linearly independent subsets of W.

# b) Suppose that T is one-to-one and that S is a subset of V. Prove that S is linearly independent if and only if T(S) is linearly independent.

#### **Proof:**

Suppose T is one-to-one and S is a linearly independent subset of V. We want to show that T(S) is linearly independent. Suppose that T(S) is linearly dependent, i.e., there exist distinct vectors  $w_1, w_2, ..., w_n$  in T(S) and scalars  $c_1, c_2, ..., c_n$  not all zero such that  $c_1w_1 + c_2w_2 + ... + c_nw_n = 0$ . Since each wi is in T(S), we can write  $w_i = T(v_i)$  for some  $v_i$  in S. Then we have:  $c_1T(v_1) + c_2T(v_2) + ... + c_nT(v_n) = T(c_1v_1 + c_2v_2 + ... + c_nv_n) = 0$ . Since T is one-to-one, this implies that  $c_1v_1 + c_2v_2 + ... + c_nv_n = 0$ , which contradicts the assumption that S is linearly independent. Therefore, T(S) must be linearly independent.

Suppose T is one-to-one and T(S) is linearly independent. We want to show that S is linearly independent. Suppose that S is linearly dependent, i.e., there exist distinct vectors  $v_1, v_2, ..., v_n$  in S and scalars  $c_1, c_2, ..., c_n$  not all zero such that  $c_1v_1+c_2v_2+...+c_nv_n=0$ . Then we have:  $T(c_1v_1+c_2v_2+...+c_nv_n)=c_1T(v_1)+c_2T(v_2)+...+c_nT(v_n)=0$ . Since T is one-to-one and the vi are distinct, we must have  $c_1T(v_1)+c_2T(v_2)+...+c_nT(v_n)=0$  only if  $c_1=c_2=...=c_n=0$ . But we know that T(S) is linearly independent, so this implies that  $c_1v_1+c_2v_2+...+c_nv_n=0$  only if  $c_1=c_2=...=c_n=0$ . Therefore, S is linearly independent. Combining the two implications, we conclude that S is linearly independent if and only if T(S) is linearly independent, when T is a one-to-one linear transformation.

c) Suppose  $\beta = \{v_1, v_2, ..., v_n\}$  is a basis for V and T is one-to-one and onto. Prove that  $T(\beta) = \{T(v_1), T(v_2), ..., T(v_n)\}$  is a basis for W.

#### **Proof:**

If T is a one-to-one and onto linear transformation from V to W, and  $\beta = v1, v2, ..., vn$  is a basis for V, then  $T(\beta) = \{T(v1), T(v2), ..., T(vn)\}$  is a basis for W.

# 17. Let V and W be finite-dimensional vector spaces and $T: V \to W$ be linear

# a) Prove that if dim(V) < dim(W), then T cannot be onto

**Proof:** Suppose that T is a linear transformation from V to W and dim(V) < dim(W). We will prove that T cannot be onto. Assume, for the sake of contradiction, that T is onto. Then for any w in W, there exists v in V such that T(v) = w. In particular, for any basis  $\{w_1, w_2, ..., w_d\}$  of W, there exist vectors  $v_1, v_2, ..., v_d$  in V such that  $T(v_i) = w_i$  for i = 1, 2, ..., d. Now consider the set  $\{v_1, v_2, ..., v_d\}$ . Since dim(V) < dim(W), we have d > dim(V), so this set contains more vectors than the dimension of V. Therefore, this set must be linearly dependent. That is, there exist scalars  $c_1, c_2, ..., c_d$ , not all zero, such that  $c_1v_1 + c_2v_2 + ... + c_dv_d = 0$ . Applying T to both sides, we get:  $c_1T(v_1) + c_2T(v_2) + ... + c_dT(v_d) = T(c_1v_1 + c_2v_2 + ... + c_dv_d) = T(0) = 0$  But since  $T(v_i) = w_i$  for i = 1, 2, ..., d, we have  $c_1w_1 + c_2w_2 + ... + c_dw_d = 0$ , which contradicts the linear independence of the basis  $\{w_1, w_2, ..., w_d\}$  of W. Therefore, our assumption that T is onto must be false, and we conclude that if dim(V) < dim(W), then T cannot be onto.

# b) Prove that if dim(V) > dim(W), then T cannot be one-to-one

#### Proof:

Suppose that T is a linear transformation from V to W and dim(V) > dim(W). We will prove that T cannot be one-to-one. Assume, for the sake of contradiction, that T is one-to-one. Then for any two distinct vectors u, v in V, we have  $T(u) \neq T(v)$ . In particular, for any basis  $\{v_1, v_2, ..., v_w\}$  of W, we can extend it to a basis  $\{v_1, v_2, ..., v_w, ..., v_n\}$  of V, where n > w. Now consider the set  $\{v_1, v_2, ..., v_n\}$ . Since n > w, this set contains more vectors than the dimension of W. Therefore, this set must be linearly dependent. That is, there exist scalars  $c_1, c_2, ..., c_n$ , not all zero, such that  $c_1v_1 + c_2v_2 + ... + c_nv_n = 0$ . Without loss of generality, assume that  $c_1 \neq 0$ . Then we can solve for v1 in terms of the other vectors:  $v_1 = (-c_2/c_1)v_2 + (-c_3/c_1)v_3 + ... + (-c_n/c_1)v_n$ . Now let u be the vector  $u = (-c_2/c_1)v_2 + (-c_3/c_1)v_3 + ... + (-c_n/c_1)v_n$ . Then u is a non-zero vector in V, and we have T(u) = T(v1) = 0, since  $v_1$  can be expressed as a linear combination of the other vectors. This contradicts the assumption that T is one-to-one, since  $u \neq 0$  but T(u) = 0. Therefore, our assumption that T is one-to-one must be false, and we conclude that if dim(V) > dim(W), then T cannot be one-to-one.

**20.** Let V and W be vector spaces with subspaces  $V_1$  and  $W_2$  respectively. If  $T: V \to W$  is linear, prove that  $T(V_1)$  is a subspace of W and that  $\{x \in V: T(x) \in W_1\}$  is a subspace of V.

#### **Proof:**

To show that  $T(V_1)$  is a subspace of W, we need to verify that it satisfies the following three conditions:

It contains the zero vector: Since T is linear, T(0) = 0, so  $0 \in T(V_1)$ . It is closed under addition: Suppose  $y_1, y_2 \in T(V_1)$ . Then, there exist  $x_1, x_2 \in V_1$  such that  $T(x_1) = y_1$  and  $T(x_2) = y_2$ . Since  $V_1$  is a subspace of V, we have  $x_1 + x_2 \in V_1$ . Therefore,  $T(x_1 + x_2) = T(x_1) + T(x_2) = y_1 + y_2$ . Thus,  $y_1 + y_2 \in T(V_1)$ . It is closed under scalar multiplication: Suppose  $y \in T(V_1)$  and c is a scalar. Then, there exists  $x \in V_1$  such that T(x) = y. Since  $V_1$  is a subspace of V, we have  $cx \in V_1$ . Therefore, T(cx) = cT(x) = cy. Thus,  $cy \in T(V_1)$ . Therefore,  $T(V_1)$  is a subspace of V.

To show that  $x \in V : T(x) \in W_1$  is a subspace of V, we need to verify the following three conditions:

It contains the zero vector: Since  $T(0)=0\in W_1$ , we have  $0\in x\in V:T(x)\in W_1$ . It is closed under addition: Suppose  $x_1,x_2\in x\in V:T(x)\in W_1$ . Then,  $T(x_1),T(x_2)\in W_1$ , so  $T(x_1+x_2)=T(x_1)+T(x_2)\in W_1$ . Thus,  $x_1+x_2\in x\in V:T(x)\in W_1$ . It is closed under scalar multiplication: Suppose  $x\in x\in V:T(x)\in W_1$  and c is a scalar. Then,  $T(x)\in W_1$ , so  $cT(x)\in W_1$ . Thus,  $T(cx)=cT(x)\in W_1$ . Therefore,  $cx\in x\in V:T(x)\in W_1$ . Therefore,  $cx\in x\in V:T(x)\in W_1$ . Therefore,  $cx\in x\in V:T(x)\in W_1$ .

21. Let V be the vector space of sequences described in Example 5 of Section 1.2. Define the functions T,  $U: V \to V$  by  $T(a_1, a_2, ...) = (a_2, a_3, ...)$  and  $U(a_1, a_2, ...) = (0, a_1, a_2, ...)$ . T and U are called the left shift and right shift operators on v, respectively.

## Prove That T and U are linear

Let a,b be sequences in V, and let c be a scalar in the underlying field. Then we have:  $T(c\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}) = T(ca_1 + b_1, ca_2 + b_2, ...) = (ca_2 + b_2, ca_3 + b_3, ...) = c(a_2, a_3, ...) + (b_2, b_3, ...) = cT(\mathbf{a}) + T(\mathbf{b})$  Therefore, T satisfies the additivity and homogeneity properties required for a function to be linear.

Let a,b be sequences in V, and let c be a scalar in the underlying field. Then we have:

$$U(c\mathbf{a}+\mathbf{b}) = U(ca_1+b_1, ca_2+b_2, ...) = (0, ca_1+b_1, ca_2+b_2, ...) = c(0, a_1, a_2, ...) + (0, b_1, b_2, ...) = cU(\mathbf{a}) + U(\mathbf{b})$$

Therefore, U satisfies the additivity and homogeneity properties required for a function to be linear.

## Prove That T is onto, but not one-to-one.

Let b be an arbitrary sequence in V, and let  $a = (0, b_1, b_2, ...)$ . Then  $T(a) = (b_1, b_2, ...) = b$ . Therefore, T is onto.

Consider the sequences a=(1,0,0,...) and b=(0,1,0,...). Then T(a)=T(b)=(0,0,...), so T is not one-to-one.

## Prove That U is one to one, but not onto.

Suppose U(a) = U(b) for some sequences a,b in V. Then we have  $(0, a_1, a_2, ...) = (0, b_1, b_2, ...)$ , which implies  $a_1 = b_1, a_2 = b_2$ , and so on. Therefore, a = b, and U is one-to-one.

Let b be the sequence (1,0,0,...), and suppose there exists a sequence a in V such that U(a) = b. Then we have  $(0,a_1,a_2,...) = (1,0,0,...)$ , which implies  $a_1 = 0$ . But then  $(0,a_1,a_2,...) = (0,0,a_2,...)$ , so U(a) is not equal to b. Therefore, U is not onto.

22. Let  $T: R^3 \to R$  be linear. Show that there exist scalars a,b and c such that T(x,y,z) = ax + by + cz for all  $(x,y,z) \in R^3$ . can you generalize this result for  $T: F \to F$ ? State and prove an analogous result for  $T: F^n \to F^m$ 

#### **Proof**s

Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \to \mathbb{R}$  be a linear transformation. We want to show that there exist scalars a, b, and c such that T(x, y, z) = ax + by + cz for all  $(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3$ .

Since T is linear, we know that T can be represented by a matrix A such that  $T(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x}$  for all  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^3$ . Let  $A = [a_1, a_2, a_3]$ , where  $a_1, a_2$ , and  $a_3$  are the columns of A. Then we have:

$$T(x,y,z) = A \begin{bmatrix} x \ y \ z \end{bmatrix} = x \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \ a_2 \ a_3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \ a_2 \ a_3 \end{bmatrix} + z \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \ a_2 \ a_3 \end{bmatrix} = (xa_1 + ya_2 + za_3) = (ax + by + cz)$$

where  $a = a_{1,1}$ ,  $b = a_{2,1}$ , and  $c = a_{3,1}$ .

Therefore, we have shown that there exist scalars a, b, and c such that T(x, y, z) = ax + by + cz for all  $(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3$ .

Let  $T: F^n \to F^m$  be a linear transformation. We want to show that there exist matrices  $A \in F^{m \times n}$  such that  $T(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x}$  for all  $\mathbf{x} \in F^n$ .

Since T is linear, we know that T can be represented by a matrix A such that  $T(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x}$  for all  $\mathbf{x} \in F^n$ . Let  $A = [a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n]$ , where  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$  are the columns of A. Then we have:

$$T(\mathbf{x}) = A \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & \vdots & x_n \end{bmatrix} = x_1 \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & \vdots & a_m \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & \vdots & a_m \end{bmatrix} + \dots + x_n \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & \vdots & a_m \end{bmatrix} = (x_1 a_1 + x_2 a_2 + \dots + x_n a_n)$$