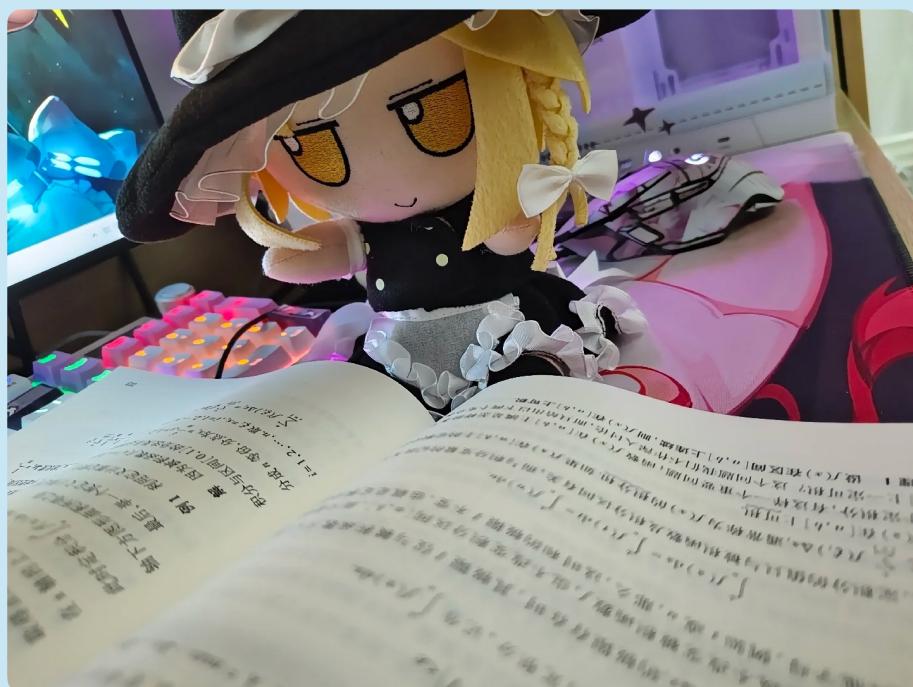
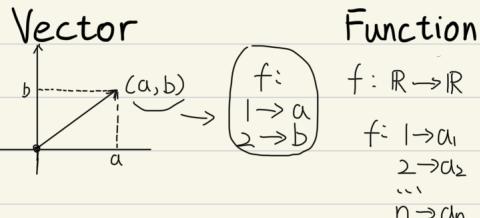


# Linear Algebra

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In the Linear function point of view, a function can be considered as a vector

$$(a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n) + (b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n) = (a_1+b_1, a_2+b_2, \dots, a_n+b_n) \quad \mathbb{R}^n: n \text{ dimension}$$

$$(f_1 + f_2)(x) = f_1(x) + f_2(x)$$

Also we have  $c \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $c: \text{scalar} \in F$

$$c(a, b) = (ca, cb) \text{ and } (cf)(x) = cf(x)$$

$F = \mathbb{R}$  or  $\mathbb{C}$  complex numbers #s

**Def:** A vector space  $V$  over a field  $F$  ( $\mathbb{R}$  or  $\mathbb{C}$ )

consist of a set on which on which two operations, addition, & scalar multiplication

$$+: V \times V \rightarrow V \quad +(x, y) = x + y$$

$$\cdot : F \times V \rightarrow V \quad \cdot (a, x) = ax$$

s.t. the following condition holds

$$(VS1) \quad x+y=y+x \quad \forall x, y \in V$$

$$(VS2) \quad (x+y)+z=x+(y+z) \quad \forall x, y, z \in V$$

$$(VS3) \quad \text{Jan element } 0 \in V, \text{ s.t. } 0+x=x, \forall x \in V$$

$$(VS4) \quad \forall x \in V, \exists y \in V, \text{ s.t. } x+y=0$$

$$(VS5) \quad \forall x \in V, 1 \cdot x = x$$

$$(VS6) \quad \forall x \in V, \forall a, b \in F \quad (ab)x=a(bx)$$

$$(VS7) \quad \forall x, y \in V, a \in F \quad a(x+y)=ax+ay$$

$$(VS8) \quad \forall x \in V \quad \forall a, b \in F, (a+b)x=ax+bx$$

Elements in  $V$ : vectors while  $F$ : scalars

Examples:  $\mathbb{R}^2, \mathbb{R}^n, \mathcal{F}(\mathbb{R})^2, \mathcal{C}(\mathbb{R})^2$

$P_n(\mathbb{R})$ : the set off all polynomials with real coefficient of degree  $\leq n$

## Subspace

**Def:** A Substract  $W \subseteq V$  is a subspace

$W$  is a vector space with the same operation on  $V$

$$\mathbb{R}^2 = (a_1, a_2, 0, 0, \dots, 0)$$

Example:  $V = \mathbb{R}^2$

$$W_1 = \{(x, 0) | x \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

$$W_2 = \{(0, y) | y \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

Prop: (1) Any intusection of subspaces in a subspace

(2) The urim of subspaces may NOT be a subspace

Proof:  $W_1, W_2$  are two subspaces of  $V$

Claim  $W_1 \cap W_2$  is a subspace of  $V$

$$x, y \in W_1 \cap W_2 \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x, y \in W_1 \Rightarrow x+y \in W_1 \\ x, y \in W_2 \Rightarrow x+y \in W_2 \end{cases} \Rightarrow x+y \in W_1 \cap W_2$$

## Matrix

$2 \times 2$  matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$  ( $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R}^4$ )

$m \times n$  matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{pmatrix}$

$\mathbb{R}^k$  The set of all  $2 \times 2$  matrices in a vector space with the "usual" addition and scalar multiplication

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11}+b_{11} & a_{12}+b_{12} \\ a_{21}+b_{21} & a_{22}+b_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$c \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ca_{11} & ca_{12} \\ ca_{21} & ca_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$V$ : a vector space over  $F$  ( $\mathbb{R}$  or  $\mathbb{C}$ )

Def: Let  $v, u_1, u_2, \dots, u_k \in V \quad \exists a_1, a_2, \dots, a_k \in F$ , s.t.  $v = a_1 u_1 + a_2 u_2 + \dots + a_k u_k$

Then we say that  $v$  is a linear combination of  $u_1, u_2, \dots, u_k$

$$A \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix}_{2 \times 3} \quad A = m \times n \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} AB = m \times p \\ B : n \times p \end{array} \right\}$$

$$B \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix}_{3 \times 2}$$

$$AB = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \times 1 + 2 \times 3 + 3 \times 5 & 1 \times 2 + 2 \times 4 + 3 \times 6 \\ 4 \times 1 + 5 \times 3 + 6 \times 5 & 4 \times 2 + 5 \times 4 + 6 \times 6 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 22 & 28 \\ 49 & 64 \end{pmatrix}$$

Only when the column number of the first matrix equals to the row number that the product operation can be conducted

$$BA = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \times 1 + 2 \times 4 & 1 \times 2 + 2 \times 5 \\ 3 \times 1 + 4 \times 2 & 3 \times 4 + 4 \times 5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 12 \\ 11 & 32 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{cases} a_1 - 2a_2 + 2a_4 - 3a_5 = 2 & R_1 \\ 2a_1 - 4a_2 + 2a_3 + 8a_5 = 6 & R_2 \\ a_1 - 2a_2 + 3a_3 - 3a_4 + 16a_5 = 8 & R_3 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -4 & 2 & 0 & 8 \\ 1 & -2 & 3 & -3 & 16 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \\ a_4 \\ a_5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 6 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \cancel{-2R_1 + R_2} \rightarrow a_1 - 2a_2 + 0a_3 + 2a_4 - 3a_5 = 2 \\ \cancel{-R_1 + R_3} \rightarrow 0a_1 + 0a_2 + 2a_3 - 4a_4 + 14a_5 = 2 \\ \qquad\qquad\qquad 0a_1 + 0a_2 + 3a_3 - 5a_4 - 3a_5 = 6 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{2}R_2 \rightarrow \begin{cases} a_1 - 2a_2 + 0a_3 + 2a_4 - 3a_5 = 2 \\ 0a_1 + 0a_2 + a_3 - 2a_4 + 7a_5 = 1 \\ 0a_1 + 0a_2 + 3a_3 - 5a_4 - 3a_5 = 6 \end{cases} \\ -\frac{3}{2}R_2 + R_3 \rightarrow \begin{cases} a_1 - 2a_2 + 0a_3 + 2a_4 - 3a_5 = 2 \\ 0a_1 + 0a_2 + a_3 - 2a_4 + 7a_5 = 1 \\ 0a_1 + 0a_2 + 0a_3 + a_4 - 2a_5 = 3 \end{cases} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} R_1 - 2R_3 \rightarrow \begin{cases} a_1 - 2a_2 + 0a_3 + 0a_4 + a_5 = -4 \\ 0a_1 + 0a_2 + a_3 + 0a_4 + 3a_5 = 7 \\ 0a_1 + 0a_2 + 0a_3 + a_4 - 2a_5 = 3 \end{cases} \\ R_2 + 2R_3 \rightarrow \begin{cases} a_1 - 2a_2 + 0a_3 + 0a_4 + a_5 = -4 \\ 0a_1 + 0a_2 + a_3 + 0a_4 + 3a_5 = 7 \\ 0a_1 + 0a_2 + 0a_3 + a_4 - 2a_5 = 3 \end{cases} \end{array}$$

Elementary row operations "Gaussian elimination"

$$\left| \begin{array}{ccccc|c} 1 & -2 & 0 & 2 & -3 & 2 \\ 2 & -4 & 2 & 0 & 8 & 6 \\ 1 & -2 & 3 & -3 & 16 & 8 \end{array} \right| \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{2}R_2} \left| \begin{array}{ccccc|c} 1 & -2 & 0 & 2 & -3 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 7 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 3 \end{array} \right| \xrightarrow{R_1 - 2R_3} \left| \begin{array}{ccccc|c} 1 & -2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 3 \end{array} \right|$$

Def. Let  $S \subseteq V$ , Then we define

$\text{Span}(S) = \{ \text{all linear combinations of the vectors in } S \}$

( $R_k$ : if  $S = \emptyset$ ,  $\text{sign}(S) = \{0\}$ )

Prop:  $\text{Span}(S)$  is the smallest subspace of  $V$  that contains  $S$

(i) Any subspace  $\supseteq S$  must contain  $\text{span}(S)$

(ii)  $\text{Span}(S)$  is a subspace

Def: If  $\text{Span}(S) = V$ , then we say that  $S$  spans  $V$

Prop:  $\text{span}(S) = \text{the smallest subspace of } V \text{ that contains } S$

$$\begin{array}{c} \vec{w} \\ \vec{w}_1 \\ \vec{w}_2 \end{array} \quad \text{span}\{\vec{w}\} = \{c\vec{w} \mid c \in F\} \quad \text{span}\{\vec{w}_1, \vec{w}_2\}$$

Example:  $\text{Span}\{x^2+3x-2, 2x^2+5x-3, -x^2-4x+4\} = P_2(\mathbb{R})$  ?

Need to find  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \mathbb{R}$ . s.t.  $\alpha(x^2+3x-2) + \beta(2x^2+5x-3) + \gamma(-x^2-4x+4) = b_0 + b_1x + b_2x^2$

$$(b_2, b_1, b_0) = \alpha(1, 3, -2) + \beta(2, 5, -3) + \gamma(-1, -4, 4) = (\alpha+2\beta-\gamma, 3\alpha+5\beta-4\gamma, -2\alpha-3\beta+4\gamma)$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -1 & b_2 \\ 3 & 5 & -4 & b_1 \\ -2 & -3 & 4 & b_0 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow[2R_1+R_3]{-3R_1+R_2} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -1 & b_2 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & -3b_2+b_1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 2b_2+b_0 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow[2R_2+R_1]{R_2+R_3} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -3 & -5b_2+b_1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 3b_2-b_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -b_2+b_1+b_0 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow[3R_3+R_1]{-R_3+R_2} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & -8b_2+5b_1+3b_0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 4b_2-2b_1-b_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -b_2+b_1+b_0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\text{so } \alpha = -8b_2+5b_1$$

$$\beta = 4b_2-2b_1-b_0$$

$$\gamma = -b_2+b_1+b_0$$

Def: A set of (limitedly many) vectors

$\{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n\}$  is called linear dependent if  $\exists a_1, \dots, a_n \in F$ , NOT ALL 0, s.t.

$$a_1u_1 + a_2u_2 + \dots + a_nu_n = 0$$

Otherwise  $\{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n\}$  is linear independent

Prop(I)  $S_1 \subseteq S_2 \subseteq V$ . Then  $S_1 \text{ l.dep} \Rightarrow S_2 \text{ l.dep}$

$$S_2 \text{ l.indep} \Rightarrow S_1 \text{ l.indep}$$

(2) Suppose  $S \subseteq V$  is l.indep. Then

$$S \cup \{\vec{v}\} \text{ is l.dep} \Leftrightarrow \vec{v} \in \text{span}(S)$$

Def: A basis  $\theta$  for a vector space  $V$  is a l.indep subset, s.t.  $\text{span}(\theta) = V$

A set  $S \subseteq V$  is l.dep if it contains a l.dep finite subset

Example:  $P$  = the set of all polynomial

$\{1, x, x^2, \dots, x^n, \dots\}$  and this is a basis for  $P$

$C(\mathbb{R})$  = the set of all continuous function

### Theorem

(1)  $\beta = \{u_1, \dots, u_n\} \subseteq V$  is a basis for  $V$

$\Leftrightarrow$  every  $v \in V$  can be uniquely expressed as a linear combination of vectors in  $\beta$

where  $v = a_1u_1 + \dots + a_nu_n$  for a unique set of scalar  $a_1, \dots, a_n$

(2)  $V = \text{span}(S)$  where  $S$  is a limited set  $\Rightarrow$  some subset of  $S$  is a basis of  $V$

proof: Since  $\beta$  spans  $V$   $\Leftrightarrow \text{Span } \beta = V$ ,  $0 \in V \Rightarrow \exists a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$  s.t.  $0 = a_1u_1 + a_2u_2 + \dots + a_nu_n$

for  $\forall v \in V$ ,  $\exists a_1, \dots, a_n \in F$ , s.t.  $v = a_1u_1 + \dots + a_nu_n$

$$0 = a_1u_1 + a_2u_2 + \dots + a_nu_n$$

Suppose  $\exists b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n \in F$ , s.t.  $v = b_1u_1 + \dots + b_nu_n$

$$0 = (a_1 - b_1)u_1 + \dots + (a_n - b_n)u_n, \text{ then } a_1 = b_1, a_2 = b_2, \dots, a_n = b_n$$

(3)  $S = \{u_1, \dots, u_n\}$   $\text{span}(S) = V$

Suppose  $S$  is  $\ell$ . indep. Then we've done

Otherwise  $S$  is  $\ell$ . dep i.e.  $\exists a_1, \dots, a_n$ . NOT all 0, s.t.  $a_1u_1 + \dots + a_nu_n = 0$

Suppose  $a_1 \neq 0$ ,  $u_1 = -\frac{a_2}{a_1}u_2 - \dots - \frac{a_n}{a_1}u_n \Rightarrow u_1 \in \text{span}(\{u_2, \dots, u_n\})$

$$\Rightarrow \text{span}\{u_1, \dots, u_n\} \subseteq \text{span}\{u_2, \dots, u_n\}$$

### The Replacement Theorem

Let  $G \subseteq V$  be a set of  $n$  vectors &  $V = \text{span}(G)$

Suppose  $L \subseteq V$  is a  $\ell$ . indep subset of  $m$  vectors

$m \leq n$  &  $\exists$  a subset  $H \subseteq G$  containing  $(n-m)$  vectors &  $\text{span}(LUH) = V$

proof: Assume  $G \subseteq \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n\}$   $L = \{v_1, \dots, v_m\}$

\* if  $L = \{v_1, \dots, v_m\}$  is  $\ell$ . indep &  $m \leq n$

then  $\exists$  a sub set  $H \subseteq G$  containing  $(n-m)$  vectors s.t.  $V = \text{span}(LUH)$

For (\*), we use induction

$m=1$ ,  $L = \{v_1\}$ .  $L$  is  $\ell$ . indep  $\Rightarrow v_1 \neq 0$

&  $v_1 = a_1u_1 + \dots + a_nu_n$ , so  $a_1, \dots, a_n$  must NOT be all 0

Suppose WLOG  $a_1 \neq 0 \Rightarrow a_1u_1 = v_1 - a_2u_2 - \dots - a_nu_n$

$u_1 = \frac{1}{a_1}v_1 - \frac{a_2}{a_1}u_2 - \dots - \frac{a_n}{a_1}u_n$ ,  $u_1 \in \text{span}(\{v_1, u_2, \dots, u_n\})$ , where  $L = \{v_1\}$ ,  $H = \{u_2, \dots, u_n\}$

Induction hypothesis Suppose (\*) holds  $m=k \leq n-1$

We claim (\*) holds for  $m=k+1$

Let  $L = \{v_1, \dots, v_k, v_{k+1}\}$   $\ell$ . indep  $\Rightarrow L' = \{v_1, \dots, v_k\}$   $\ell$ . indep

Induction hypothesis  $\Rightarrow$  (\*) holds for  $m=k$  i.e.  $\exists (n-k)$  vectors

in  $G = \{u_{k+1}, \dots, u_n\}$ , s.t.  $V = \text{span}(\{v_1, \dots, v_k, u_{k+1}, \dots, u_n\})$

in particular,  $v_{k+1} = b_1v_1 + \dots + b_kv_k + a_{k+1}u_{k+1} + \dots + a_nu_n$

as  $a_{k+1}, \dots, a_n$  cannot be all 0, we may assume  $a_{k+1} \neq 0$

Then  $u_{k+1} = \frac{1}{a_{k+1}}v_{k+1} - \frac{b_1}{a_{k+1}}v_1 - \dots - \frac{b_k}{a_{k+1}}v_k - \frac{a_{k+2}}{a_{k+1}}u_{k+2} - \dots - \frac{a_n}{a_{k+1}}u_n$

so  $u_{k+1} \in \text{span}\{v_1, \dots, v_{k+1}, u_{k+2}, \dots, u_n\}$

$G = \{u_1, \dots, u_n\}$ ,  $\text{span}(G) = V$

$L = \{v_1, \dots, v_m\}$ , Need to show  $m \leq n$

Suppose  $m > n$ ,  $L = \{v_1, \dots, v_n, v_{n+1}, \dots, v_m\}$

$\tilde{L} = \{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$

$(*) \Rightarrow \tilde{L} \text{ spans } V \Rightarrow \{v_{n+1}, \dots, v_m\} \subseteq \text{span } \tilde{L}$

so  $L$  cannot be a  $\ell$ . indep subset of  $V$

Cor. If  $V$  has a finite basis. Then all bases of  $V$  must have exactly the same # of vectors

Def. That # is the dimension of ,  $\dim V = n$

Generating set: if  $\text{span}(\chi) = V$ , then  $\chi$  is a generating set

Corollaries

(i) Suppose  $V$  has a finite basis. Then all bases have exactly same # of vectors

(ii)a. If  $\dim(V) = n$ , then any generating set must contain at least  $n$  vectors  
and any generating set of  $n$  vectors must be a basis of  $V$

b. Any l.indep set contains at most  $n$  vectors and a l.indep set  
contains  $n$  vectors must be a basis

c. Any l.indep set can be extended to a basis

(iii) Let  $V$  be a finite-dim'l. vector space &  $W \subseteq V$  is a subspace, then  $\dim W \leq \dim V$

(a)  $\dim W = \dim V \Rightarrow W = V$  (b) any basis of  $W$  can be extended to a basis of  $V$

Def. Let  $S$  be a subset of a vector space  $V$

A maximal l.indep subset of  $S$  in a subset  $B \subseteq S$

(i)  $B$  is l.indep  $\Leftrightarrow$  The only l.indep subset of  $S$  that contains  $B$  is  $B$

Prop: A max l.indep subset of  $V$  is a basis

Let  $S$  be a  $L$ -indep subset of  $V$  (any vector space), then  $\exists$  max  $L$ -indep subset  $F$  of  $V$  that contains  $S$

(proof) Let  $F =$  the family of all  $L$ -indep subsets of  $V$  that contains  $S$

Def. Let  $F$  be a family of sets. A member  $M \in F$  is called maximal (with respect to set inclusion)

if  $M$  is contained in no other members of  $F$

Example  $F =$  the family of all subsets of the sets  $S \& T$ , where  $S \cap T = \emptyset$   $S, T$

Def. A family of sets  $C$  is called a chain if for each pair of sets  $A, B$  in  $C$ , we have either  $A \subseteq B$  or  $B \subseteq A$

### Zorn's Lemma

Let  $F$  be a family of sets, If for each chain  $C \subseteq F$ ,  $\exists F \subseteq F$ ,

that contain every member in  $C$ , then  $F$  contains a maximal member

Claim  $F$  contains a maximal member. To apply Zorn's Lemma, we let  $C \subseteq F$  be a chain

Let  $U =$  the union of all members in  $C$

need to show that  $U \in F$ ; i.e.  $U$  is a  $L$ -indep set

Suppose  $u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n \in U$   $a_1, \dots, a_n \in \mathbb{R}$

s.t.  $a_1u_1 + a_2u_2 + \dots + a_nu_n = 0$  for each  $u_i$ ,  $\exists C_i \in C$ , s.t.  $u_i \in C_i$ ,  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$

Then  $\exists C_k$ , for some  $k$  in  $1, \dots, n$ , s.t.  $u_i \in C_k$  for  $\forall i$

Some  $C_k$  is  $L$ -indep. we conclude:  $a_i = 0 \quad \forall i$

i.e.  $\{u_1, \dots, u_n\}$   $L$ -indep and thus  $U$  is  $L$ -indep i.e.  $U \in F$

Def:  $T$  is a linear transformation if  $T: V \rightarrow W$  over  $F$

$$T(x+y) = T(x) + T(y)$$

$$T(cx) = cT(x)$$

Def:  $T: V \rightarrow W$  is linear

(i) The kernel of  $T$  is  $N(T) = \{v \in V \mid T(v) = 0\}$   
null space

(ii) The range of  $T$  is  $R(T) = \{T(v) \mid v \in V\}$   
images

Rk Both  $N(T)$  &  $R(T)$  are subspaces (check)

(iii) If both  $N(T)$  &  $R(T)$  are finite dimension

$$\text{then } \text{nullity}(T) = \dim N(T)$$

$$\text{rank}(T) = \dim R(T)$$

Dimension Theorem: If  $V$  is finite dimensional, then  $\dim V = \text{nullity}(T) + \text{rank}(T)$

proof:  $\dim V = n$ , Since  $N(T)$  is a subspace of  $V$ , we have  $n \geq \dim N(T) = k$

Suppose  $N(T)$  has a basis  $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k\}$

Replacement Theorem  $\Rightarrow \exists v_{k+1}, \dots, v_n$  s.t.

$\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k, v_{k+1}, \dots, v_n\}$  spans  $V$ ,  $\dim \{v_1, \dots, v_n\} = n$ , so it's a basis for  $V$

Claim:  $\{T(v_{k+1}), \dots, T(v_n)\}$  is a basis for  $R(T)$ ,  $x \in V$

$$T(x) = T(a_1 v_1 + \dots + a_k v_k + \dots + a_n v_n) = a_1 T(v_1) + a_2 T(v_2) + \dots + a_k T(v_k) + a_{k+1} T(v_{k+1}) + \dots + a_n T(v_n)$$

$$T(v_i) = 0, i=1, 2, \dots, k \quad . \quad \text{so } R(T) = \text{span } \{T(v_{k+1}), \dots, T(v_n)\}$$

$$\text{Suppose } 0 = \sum_{j=k+1}^n b_j T(v_j) = T(\sum_{j=k+1}^n b_j v_j) \Rightarrow \sum_{j=k+1}^n b_j v_j \in N(T)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{j=k+1}^n b_j v_j \in N(T) = \text{span } \{v_1, \dots, v_k\} \Rightarrow b_j = 0, j = k+1, \dots, n$$

### Collary

(i)  $T$  is 1-1  $\Leftrightarrow N(T) = \{0\}$

(ii) If  $\dim V = \dim W$ , then the followings are equivalent

(a)  $T$  is 1-1

(b)  $T$  is onto

(c)  $\text{rank}(T) = \dim V$

Prop. let  $B = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  be a basis for  $V$  and  $\{w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n\}$

be an arbitrary subset of  $n$  vectors in  $W$ . Then there exists

a unique linear transformation  $T: V \rightarrow W$  s.t.

$$T(v_j) = w_j, j = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$$

$$x = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix}, e_j = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow j^{\text{th}} \text{ component.}$$

$$x = x_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \cdots + x_i e_j + \cdots + x_n \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \sum_{j=1}^n x_j e_j$$

$$T(x) = \sum_{j=1}^m x_j T(e_j) = x_1 T(e_1) + \cdots + x_n T(e_n) = \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \cdots & a_{mn} \end{pmatrix}}_{m \times n \text{ matrix}} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \sum_{j=1}^n a_{1j} x_j \\ \sum_{j=1}^n a_{2j} x_j \\ \vdots \\ \sum_{j=1}^n a_{mj} x_j \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} x_1 + a_{12} x_2 + \cdots + a_{1n} x_n \\ a_{21} x_1 + a_{22} x_2 + \cdots + a_{2n} x_n \\ \vdots \\ a_{m1} x_1 + a_{m2} x_2 + \cdots + a_{mn} x_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$T(x) = x_1 \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} \\ a_{21} \\ \vdots \\ a_{m1} \end{pmatrix} + \cdots + x_n \begin{pmatrix} a_{1n} \\ a_{2n} \\ \vdots \\ a_{mn} \end{pmatrix}$$

Def. An ordered basis for a vector space  $V$  is a basis for  $V$  in a specific order  
e.g.  $\{e_1, e_2, e_3\}$  &  $\{e_3, e_2, e_1\}$  are the same bases for  $V$  but different as ordered basis

Def. Let  $\beta = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  be an ordered basis for  $V$

Then for  $v \in V$ ,  $\exists b_1, \dots, b_n \in F$  such that

$v = b_1 v_1 + b_2 v_2 + \cdots + b_n v_n$  & we define the coordinate vector of  $x$  relative to  $\beta$  as

$$[x]_\beta = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ \vdots \\ b_n \end{pmatrix}$$

Let  $\beta = \{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$  be an ordered basis for  $V$  &  $\gamma = \{w_1, \dots, w_m\}$  be an ordered basis for  $W$

&  $T: V \rightarrow W$  is a linear transformation s.t.  $T(v_j) = \sum_{i=1}^m a_{ij} w_i$ ,  $j=1, 2, \dots, n$

$$\text{then } [T(v_j)]_\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} a_{1j} \\ a_{2j} \\ \vdots \\ a_{mj} \end{pmatrix}$$

Def. The  $m \times n$  matrix  $A(a_{ij})_{m \times n}$  is the matrix representation of  $T$  in the ordered basis  $\beta$  &  $\gamma$ , we write  $A = [T]_\beta^\gamma$

when  $V=W$ ,  $\beta=\gamma$ ,  $[T]_\beta^\gamma = [T]_\beta$

Therefore  $[T(x)]_\gamma = [T]_\beta^\gamma [x]_\beta$ ,  $\forall x \in V$

$$[T(x)]_\gamma = [T(b_1 v_1) + T(b_2 v_2) + \cdots + T(b_n v_n)]_\gamma = [b_1 T(v_1)]_\gamma + [b_2 T(v_2)]_\gamma + \cdots + [b_n T(v_n)]_\gamma$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} b_1 a_{11} + b_2 a_{21} + \cdots + b_n a_{n1} \\ b_1 a_{12} + b_2 a_{22} + \cdots + b_n a_{n2} \\ \vdots \\ b_1 a_{1m} + b_2 a_{2m} + \cdots + b_n a_{nm} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1m} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2m} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \cdots & a_{mm} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ \vdots \\ b_n \end{pmatrix} = [T]_\beta^\gamma$$

$$[T]_\beta^\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} | & | & | \\ [T(x_1)]_\gamma & [T(x_2)]_\gamma & \cdots & [T(x_n)]_\gamma \\ | & | & | \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A \cdot B = C \rightarrow c_{ij} = \sum A_{ik} B_{kj}$$

Example  $T: P_2 \rightarrow M_{2x2}(\mathbb{R})$

$$\beta = \{1, x, x^2\} \quad \gamma = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

$$T(f(x)) = \begin{pmatrix} f(0) & 2f(1) \\ 0 & f''(0) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$[T]_\beta^\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} | & | & | \\ [1]_\beta & [x]_\beta & [x^2]_\beta \\ | & | & | \end{pmatrix}$$

$$T(1) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad [T(1)]_\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad [T(x)]_\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad T(x^2) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$[T]_\beta^\gamma = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$V \rightarrow W \quad L(V, W)$  = the set of all linear transformation from  $V$  to  $W$

Observations:

①  $L(V, W)$  is a vector space

$$(T_1 + T_2)(v) = T_1(v) + T_2(v) \quad (cT)(v) = cT(v)$$

② If  $\dim V = n \quad \dim W = m \Rightarrow \dim L(V, W) = mn$

$$T \hookrightarrow [T]_\beta^\gamma : m \times n \quad V \xrightarrow{T} W$$

$$\downarrow \beta, n \quad \downarrow \gamma, m$$

$$[v]_\beta \xrightarrow{[T]_\beta^\gamma} [T(v)]_\gamma = [T]_\beta^\gamma [v]_\beta$$

$$L(V, W) \cong M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{R})$$

Composition of linear transformation / matrix multiplication

$$V \xrightarrow{T} W \xrightarrow{U} Z \Rightarrow V \xrightarrow{UT} Z$$

$$\alpha \quad \gamma$$

$$\alpha = \{v_1, \dots, v_n\} \quad \beta = \{w_1, \dots, w_m\} \quad \gamma = \{z_1, \dots, z_p\} \quad [UT]_\alpha^\gamma = [U]_\beta^\gamma [T]_\alpha^\beta$$

$$B = [T]_\alpha^\beta \quad m \times n \quad A = [U]_\beta^\gamma \quad p \times m \quad p \times n \quad m \times n$$

$$(pf) \quad (UT)(v_i) = U(T(v_i)) = U\left(\sum_{j=1}^m b_{ij} w_j\right) = \sum_{j=1}^m b_{ij} U(w_j) = \sum_{j=1}^m b_{ij} \sum_{k=1}^p a_{ki} z_k = \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{k=1}^p b_{ij} a_{ki} z_k = \sum_{k=1}^p \left[ \sum_{j=1}^m (b_{ij} a_{ki}) \right] z_k$$

$$AB = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1m} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2m} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{p1} & a_{p2} & \dots & a_{pm} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & \dots & b_{1n} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & \dots & b_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ b_{m1} & b_{m2} & \dots & b_{mn} \end{pmatrix}$$

Def. Let  $T: V \rightarrow W$  be a linear transformation

- A map  $U: W \rightarrow V$  is an inverse of  $T$  if  $TU = I_W$ ,  $UT = I_V$
- If  $T$  has an inverse, we say  $T$  is invertible & denote its inverse as  $T^{-1}$

Example  $T: P_2 \rightarrow P_3$   $T(f(x)) = \int_0^x f(t)dt$

$$U: P_3 \rightarrow P_2 \quad U(T(f(x))) = f(x)$$

$$TU: P_3 \rightarrow P_3 \quad TU(f(x)) = T(f(x)) = \int_0^x f(t)dt = f(x) - f(0)$$

$$UT: P_2 \rightarrow P_2 \quad UT(f(x)) = U(\int_0^x f(t)dt) = f(x) = I_{P_2}(f(x))$$

$$\text{so } [T]_\alpha^\beta = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix} \quad [U]_\beta^\alpha = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\alpha = \{1, x, x^2\} \quad \beta = \{1, x, x^2, x^3\}$$

$$T(1) = \int_0^x dt = x \quad T(x) = \int_0^x t dt = \frac{1}{2}x^2 \quad T(x^2) = \int_0^x t^2 dt = \frac{1}{3}x^3$$

$$[TU]_\alpha^\beta = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(x) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(x^2) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[UT]_\alpha^\beta = [U]_\beta^\alpha \cdot [T]_\alpha^\beta = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I_{P_2}$$

$$[TU]_\beta^\beta = [T]_\alpha^\beta \cdot [U]_\beta^\alpha = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \neq I_{P_3}$$

Def.  $A: n \times n$ ,  $A$  is invertible if  $\exists B n \times n$  matrix s.t.  $AB = BA = I$

Ex. Only need one

Prop  $T: V \rightarrow W$  a linear transformation

- $T$  is invertible  $\Leftrightarrow T$  is one-to-one and onto
- If  $T$  is invertible,  $T^{-1}$  is also invertible
- If  $T_1: V \rightarrow W$  and  $T_2: W \rightarrow Z$  are both invertible linear transformations.

Then  $T_2 T_1: V \rightarrow Z$  is also invertible and  $(T_2 T_1)^{-1} = T_1^{-1} T_2^{-1}$

$$(4) (T^{-1})^{-1} = T$$

- If  $V$  or  $W$  are finite dimensional and  $T: V \rightarrow W$  is invertible, then  $\dim V = \dim W$


Theorem Suppose  $V$  and  $W$  are finite dimensional and  $T: V \rightarrow W$  is a linear transformation

Then  $T$  is invertible  $\Leftrightarrow [T]_\beta^\gamma$  is invertible where  $\beta$  is an ordered basis for  $V$

and  $\gamma$  is an ordered basis for  $W$ ,  $([T]_\beta^\gamma)^{-1} = [T^{-1}]_\gamma^\beta$

Proof:  $TT^{-1} = I_W$

$$[TT^{-1}]_\gamma = [I_W]_\gamma = [T]_\beta^\gamma [T^{-1}]_\gamma^\beta$$

$$T^{-1}T = I_V \Rightarrow [T^{-1}T]_\beta = [I_V]_\beta = [T^{-1}]_\gamma^\beta [T]_\beta^\gamma = I_n$$

$$\text{so } [T^{-1}]_\gamma^\beta = ([T]_\beta^\gamma)^{-1} \quad (n = \dim V)$$

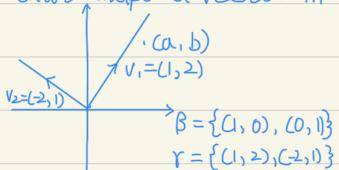
$(\Leftarrow)$   $A = [T]_{\beta}^{\gamma}$  is invertible (as a matrix) for some  $\beta = \{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$ ,  $\gamma = \{w_1, \dots, w_m\}$

i.e.  $\exists B$  a matrix, s.t.  $AB = BA = I_n$   $B = (b_{ij})_{n \times n} = \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & \dots & b_{1n} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & \dots & b_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ b_{m1} & b_{m2} & \dots & b_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$

Define  $U: W \rightarrow V$  as follow,  $U(w_j) = b_{1j}v_1 + \dots + b_{nj}v_n = \sum_{i=1}^n b_{ij}v_i$

$$UT = I: V \rightarrow V, [UT]_{\beta} = [U]_{\gamma}^{\beta} [T]_{\beta}^{\gamma} = BA = I_n$$

Example Let  $T$  be the linear transformation that maps a vector in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  to its reflection



$$\begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} = [v]_{\beta}$$

$$[I(v)]_{\gamma} = [I]_{\beta}^{\gamma} \cdot [v]_{\beta} = [I]_{\beta}^{\gamma} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$[I]_{\beta}^{\gamma} = ([I]_{\gamma}^{\beta})^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{-1}$$

Theorem. Let  $V, W$  be two finite dimensional vector spaces. Then  $\exists$  an one-to-one onto linear transformation  $T: V \rightarrow W \Leftrightarrow \dim V = \dim W$

proof:  $\dim V = \dim N(T) + \dim R(T)$

one-to-one  $\Rightarrow N(T) = \{0\}$  onto  $\Rightarrow R(T) = W$ . so  $\dim V = \dim W$

② let  $\beta = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  be a basis for  $V$ ,  $\gamma = \{w_1, w_2, \dots, w_m\}$  be a basis for  $W$

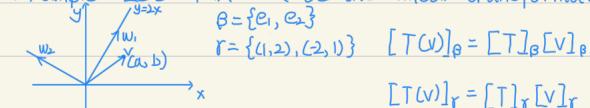
Define  $T: V \rightarrow W$  by  $T(v_j) = w_j$ ,  $j=1, 2, \dots, n$  and  $T$  is linear

Clearly  $T$  is one-to-one and onto

Def: We say that  $V$  and  $W$  are isomorphic if  $\exists$  a linear transformation

$T: V \rightarrow W$  which is one-to-one and onto

Example Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be the linear transformation which maps a vector to its reflection w.r.t. the line  $y=2x$ , find  $T(a, b)$



$$[T(v)]_{\gamma} = [T]_{\beta}^{\gamma} [v]_{\beta}$$

$$[v]_{\beta} = [I(v)]_{\gamma}^{\beta} [v]_{\gamma} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} [v]_{\gamma}$$

$$[T]_{\beta}^{\gamma} = [IT]_{\gamma}^{\beta} = [T]_{\beta}^{\gamma} [I]_{\beta}^{\beta} \Rightarrow [T]_{\beta}^{\gamma} = ([I]_{\beta}^{\beta})^{-1} [T]_{\beta}^{\gamma} [I]_{\beta}^{\beta}$$

$$[T]_{\beta}^{\gamma} = [IT]_{\gamma}^{\beta} = [I]_{\beta}^{\beta} [T]_{\beta}^{\gamma}$$

$$[T]_{\beta}^{\gamma} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} [T]_{\beta}^{\gamma} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$[T]_{\beta}^{\gamma} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$[T]_{\beta}^{\gamma} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{5}$$

the change of coordinate

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ad-bc & 0 \\ 0 & ad-bc \end{bmatrix} = (ad-bc) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \det(A) \cdot I$$

Theorem

- (i) let  $V$  be a finite dimensional vector space with two ordered basis  $\beta, \gamma$ . Then
- (ii)  $[v]_\beta = Q[v]_\gamma = [I]_\gamma^\beta [v]_\gamma = [I]_\gamma^\beta [I]_\beta = [I(v)]_\beta$  (Change of coordinates)

Augmented Matrix

$$\left( \begin{array}{cc|cc} A & & I & \\ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & R_1+2R_2 \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix} & \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ \hline R_2-2R_1 & & \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} & \frac{1}{5}R_1 \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ & & \frac{1}{5}R_2 \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{5} & \frac{2}{5} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{5} \end{pmatrix} & A^{-1} \end{array} \right)$$

Elementary matrix operation for  $A$

Def. Elementary row operations are

1. interchanging two rows of  $A$
2. multiplying any row with a nonzero number
3. adding a scalar multiple of a row of  $A$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{type 1} \\ \text{type 2} \\ \text{type 3} \end{array} \right\} \text{elementary matrices}$$

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{type 1}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$
$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{type 2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & C \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{CR_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7C & 8C & 9C \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & C \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7C & 8C & 9C \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7C & 8C & 9C \end{bmatrix}$
$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{type 3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & C \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2+CR_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4+7C & 5+8C & 6+9C \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & C \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4+7C & 5+8C & 6+9C \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$

As shown, for any invertible matrices, the matrix operation is a multiplication with a elementary matrix so for any invertible matrix  $A$ , it can be transformed into  $I$  by finite matrix multiplication

$$E_1 E_2 \dots E_k A = I \quad E_1 E_2 \dots E_k = A^{-1}$$

$$\text{so } E_1 E_2 \dots E_k [A | I] = [I | A^{-1}]$$

Theorem Let  $A \in M_{m \times n}$ . Suppose that  $B$  is obtained from  $A$  by an elementary row/column operation. Then  $\exists m \times m / n \times n$  elementary matrix  $E$  s.t.  $B = EA / AE$

Def The rank of  $A \in M_{m \times n}(F)$  is the rank of  $L_A: F^n \rightarrow F^m$

$$T: V \xrightarrow{\quad \quad r \quad} W$$

$$\text{rank}(T) = \text{rank}([T]_e)$$

Prop (1)  $A \in M_{m \times n}(F)$ ,  $P, Q$  are invertible, where  $P \in M_{m \times m}$ ,  $Q \in M_{n \times n}$

$$\Rightarrow \text{rank}(PA) = \text{rank}(A) ; \text{rank}(AQ) = \text{rank}(A)$$

(In particular, elementary row/column operations are rank-preserving)

(2)  $\text{rank}(A)$  is the maximal number of linearly independent column vectors

(proof)  $\text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}(L_A) = \dim[L_A(F^n)]$

Let  $\beta$  = the standard ordered basis for  $F^n$

$$R(L_A) = \text{span}\{L_A(e_1), L_A(e_2), \dots, L_A(e_n)\} = \text{span}\{Ae_1, Ae_2, \dots, Ae_n\}$$

Theorem: Let  $A \in M_{m \times n}(F)$  of rank  $r$

Then  $r \leq m$  and  $r \leq n$ . Moreover by a finite number of elementary operations (row/column)

$$A \text{ can be transformed into } D = \left[ \begin{array}{c|c} I_r & O_1 \\ \hline O_2 & O_3 \end{array} \right]_{m \times n}$$

proof: If  $A = 0$ ,  $\sqrt{A \neq 0} \Rightarrow r > 0$

To use induction on  $m$

$$m=1, A = (a_1, \dots, a_n) \rightarrow (1, a_1, \dots, a_n) \rightarrow (1, 0, 0, \dots, 0)$$

Induction Hypothesis. The statement holds for any matrix  $A$  with  $(m-1)$  vectors

$$\text{Now, let } A \in M_{m \times n}(F) \neq 0, A \rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ \hline 0 & B \end{array} \right] \quad B \in M_{(m-1) \times n}(F)$$

$$\text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}(B) + 1 \Rightarrow \text{rank } B = r-1$$

$$\text{so } B = \left[ \begin{array}{c|c} I_{r-1} & O \\ \hline O & O \end{array} \right]$$

Corollary 1. let  $A \in M_{m \times n}(F)$  of rank  $r$

Then  $\exists$  an invertible matrix  $B \in M_{m \times m}(F)$  and an invertible matrix  $C \in M_{n \times n}(F)$  s.t.  $BAC = D$

$$2. \text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}(A^t)$$

$$\text{proof: } D = BAC \Rightarrow D^t = (BAC)^t = C^t A^t B^t$$

$B, C$  invertible  $\Rightarrow B^t, C^t$  invertible

$$D^t = \left[ \begin{array}{c|c} I_r & O \\ \hline O & O \end{array} \right], \text{ so } \text{rank}(D^t) = \text{rank}(C^t A^t B^t) = \text{rank}(A^t) = \text{rank}(A)$$

3.  $\text{rank}(A) =$  the maximal number of linearly independent row vectors

4. Every invertible matrix is a product of elementary matrices

$$I = D = E_1 \cdots E_r A F_1 F_2 \cdots F_q, (E_1 \cdots E_r)^{-1} = E_1^{-1} E_2^{-1} \cdots E_r^{-1}$$

$$(E_1 \cdots E_r)^{-1} I (F_1 \cdots F_q)^{-1} = A$$

Theorem  $\cup: V \xrightarrow{T} W \xrightarrow{U} Z$

$V, W, Z$  are all finite-dimensional vector spaces,  $T, U$  are linear transformations  
then  $\text{rank}(UT) \leq \min\{\text{rank}(U), \text{rank}(T)\}$

( $\Leftarrow$ )  $A, B$  two matrices s.t.  $AB$  is defined

Then  $\text{rank}(AB) \leq \min\{\text{rank}(A), \text{rank}(B)\}$

proof:  $\text{rank}(UT) = \dim R(UT) = \dim UT(V)$ , where  $TV \subseteq W$ .

so  $\text{rank}(UT) \leq \dim U(W) = \dim(U)$

$\text{rank}(AB) = \text{rank}(L_{AB}) = \text{rank}(L_A L_B) \leq \text{rank}(L_A) = \text{rank}(A)$

$\text{rank}(AB) = \text{rank}(AB)^t = \text{rank}(B^t A^t) \leq \text{rank}(B^t) = \text{rank}(B)$

Rigorous to show that  $\text{rank}(UT) \leq \text{rank}(T)$ :  $\xrightarrow{\alpha} V \xrightarrow{\theta} W \xrightarrow{U} Z$

$$A' = [U]_b^r, \quad B' = [T]_a^s$$

$$A'B' = [UT]_a^r, \quad \text{rank}(UT) = \text{rank}(A'B') \leq \text{rank}(B') = \text{rank}(T)$$

Example: Prove directly that  $\text{rank}(UT) \leq \text{rank}(T)$

$$\text{rank}(UT) = \dim R(UT) = \dim R(U(R(T))) + \dim R(U(N(T)))$$

Theorem  $A \in M_{m,n}(F)$  is invertible

$$A^{-1}[A | I] \quad [I | B]$$

$$[A'A | A^{-1}I] = [I | A^{-1}]$$

Systems of linear equations

Def  $Ax=b$ , magnation in  $n$  unknowns

(1) the system is homogeneous if  $b=0$

(2) nonhomogeneous otherwise

Prop. The set of all sets of  $Ax=0$ ,  $K_h = N(L_A)$ ,  $\dim K_h = n - \text{rank}(A)$

$L_A: F^n \rightarrow F^m$ . by dimention theorem,  $\dim(F^n) = \dim N(L_A) + \dim R(L_A)$

Cov.  $m \times n \Rightarrow Ax=0$  has a nonzero set

let  $K = \{\text{the set of all sets to } Ax=b\}$ . Then  $K = K_h + \{s\}$ , where  $s \in K$  is any set to  $Ax=b$

Def A matrix  $A$  is said to be in "reduced row echelon form" if the following holds

(1) Any row containing a nonzero entry precedes any row in which all entries are 0

(2) The first nonzero entry in each row is the only nonzero entry in its column

(3) The first nonzero entry in each row is 1 and it occurs in a column to the right of the first nonzero entry in the preceding row.

Gaussian elimination

The procedure of reducing an augmented matrix to its reduced row echelon form.

Theorem Let  $A$  be a  $m \times n$  matrix of rank  $r$  and  $B$  be a RREF of  $A$

(1) The number of nonzero rows in  $B$  is  $r$

(2) For each  $i=1, \dots, r$ ,  $\exists$  a column  $b_i$  of  $B$  s.t.  $b_{ji} = e_i$

(3) Let  $a_{ji}$  be the corresponding column of  $A \Rightarrow \{a_{j1}, \dots, a_{jr}\}$  is linearly independent

(4) If the column of  $B$ ,  $b_k = d_1e_1 + \dots + d_re_r$ , then the corresponding column  $k$  of  $A$ ,  $a_k = d_1a_{j1} + \dots + d_ra_{jr}$

(5)  $B$  is unique (Picks up the first  $r$  linearly independent column vectors of  $A$ )

Key:  $\exists$  an invertible matrix  $C$  s.t.  $CA=B$  ( $\Rightarrow C\underline{a_i} = \underline{b_i}$ )  
 $\forall i=1, 2, \dots, n$

(Pf.) (1)  $CA=B$  &  $C$  is invertible

$$\Rightarrow \text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}(CA) = \text{rank}(B) = r$$

(2) By the definition

$$(3), (4) C(d_1a_{j1} + d_2a_{j2} + \dots + d_ra_{jr}) = d_1Ca_{j1} + \dots + drCa_{jr} = d_1b_{j1} + \dots + drb_{jr}$$

Example Let  $V = \text{span}(S)$ .  $S = \{2+x+2x^2+3x^3, 4+2x+4x^2+6x^3, 6+3x+8x^2+7x^3, 2+x+5x^3, 4+x+9x^3\}$

Find a basis for  $V$  which is a subset of  $S$

$P_3(\mathbb{R}) \quad \{1, x, x^2, x^3\}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 6 & 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 8 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 6 & 7 & 5 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

Example Let  $V = \{(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5) \in \mathbb{R}^5 \mid x_1 + 7x_2 + 5x_3 - 4x_4 + 2x_5 = 0\}$

(1) Verify:  $V$  is a vector space

(2) Show:  $S = \{(2, 0, 0, 1, 1), (1, 1, -2, -1, -1), (-5, 1, 0, 1, 1)\} \subseteq V$  and linearly independent

(3) Extend  $S$  to a basis for  $V$

$$x_1 = -7x_2 - 5x_3 + 4x_4 - 2x_5$$

$$\begin{array}{l} (-7, 1, 0, 0, 0) \\ (-5, 0, 1, 0, 0) \\ (4, 0, 0, 1, 0) \\ (2, 0, 0, 0, 1) \end{array} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & -7 & 5 & 4 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -7 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Determinant

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix} = ad - bc$$

Determinant of  $A \in M_{n \times n}$

$$A = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{vmatrix} \quad |A| = \det(A) = \sum_{j=1}^n (-1)^{j+1} a_{1j} \det(A_{1j})$$

(Eliminate the  $i$ -th row and the  $j$ -th column, then you get  $A_{ij}$ )

Prop (1)  $\det(A)$  is a linear function of each row when the remaining rows are held fixed

(2) If  $A$  has a row consisting entirely of zeros  $\Rightarrow \det(A)=0$

(3)  $\det(A)$  can be evaluated by cofactor expansion along any row

(4)  $\det(A)=0$  if  $A$  has two identical rows

(5) If  $B$  is obtained from  $A$  by any interchange of two rows, then  $\det(B)=-\det(A)$

(6) If  $B$  is adding a multiple of one row of  $A$  to another, then  $\det(B)=\det(A)$

(7)  $\text{rank}(A) < n \Rightarrow \det(A)=0$

(8)  $\det(AB)=\det(A) \cdot \det(B)$

(9)  $\det(A^{-1}) = \frac{1}{\det(A)}$

(10)  $\det(A) = \det(A^t)$

(11)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -a_1- \\ -a_2- \\ \vdots \\ -a_k- \\ \hline -a_1- \\ -a_2- \\ \vdots \\ -a_n- \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} -a_1- \\ -a_2- \\ \vdots \\ -a_n- \end{bmatrix} \quad C = \begin{bmatrix} -a_1- \\ -a_2- \\ \vdots \\ -v- \\ -a_n- \end{bmatrix}$

$$\det(A) = \det(B) + k\det(C)$$

proof:  $i=1$ , obviously true

$$\begin{aligned} i > 1: |A| &= \sum_{j=1}^n (-1)^{1+j} a_{1j} |A_{1j}| = \sum_{j=1}^n (-1)^{1+j} |A_{1j}| (b_{1j} + k c_{1j}) \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^n (-1)^{1+j} b_{1j} |B_{1j}| + k \sum_{j=1}^n (-1)^{1+j} c_{1j} |C_{1j}| = |B| + k|C| \end{aligned}$$

(2)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -a_1- \\ \vdots \\ -0- \\ \vdots \\ -a_n- \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -a_1- \\ \vdots \\ -0+0- \\ \vdots \\ -a_n- \end{bmatrix}$

so  $|A| = \begin{vmatrix} -a_1- \\ \vdots \\ -0- \\ \vdots \\ -a_n- \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} -a_1- \\ \vdots \\ -0- \\ \vdots \\ -a_n- \end{vmatrix} = |A| + |A|$ , so  $|A|=0$

(4) when  $n=2$ , true

when  $n>2$ ,  $\exists 1 \leq i \leq n$ ,  $a_{ij}=0$ ,

then the determinant is zero from  $i$ -th row

(7)  $\text{rank}(A) < n \Rightarrow c_1 a_1 + \cdots + c_n a_n = 0$  Not All  $c_j$ 's are 0

WLOG.  $c_n \neq 0$ ,  $a_n = -\frac{c_1}{c_n} a_1 - \frac{c_2}{c_n} a_2 - \cdots - \frac{c_{n-1}}{c_n} a_{n-1}$   
so  $|A| = \begin{vmatrix} -a_1- \\ \vdots \\ -a_{n-1}- \\ -\frac{c_1}{c_n} a_1 - \cdots - \frac{c_{n-1}}{c_n} a_{n-1} \end{vmatrix} = 0$

(8)  $\text{rank}(A) < n \Rightarrow \text{rank}(AB) < n \Rightarrow |AB| = |A| \cdot |B| = 0$

$\text{rank}(A)=n \Rightarrow A = E_m E_{m-1} \cdots E_1$

$\det(EB) = \det(E) \cdot \det(B)$ , true

so  $|AB| = |E_m \cdots E_1 B| = |E_m| |E_{m-1}| \cdots |E_1| |B| = |A| |B|$

(9)  $A \cdot A^{-1} = I$ , so  $\det(AA^{-1}) = 1 = \det(A) \cdot \det(A^{-1})$

(10)  $\text{rank}(A)=n \Rightarrow A = E_m \cdots E_1 \Rightarrow A^t = (E_m \cdots E_1)^t$

$A^t = E_1^t E_2^t \cdots E_m^t$ ,  $\det(A^t) = |E_1^t| |E_2^t| \cdots |E_m^t|$

$= |E_1| |E_2| \cdots |E_m| = |E_m \cdots E_1 E_1| = |A|$ , so  $|A^t|=|A|$

so  $|A|=0+0+\cdots+0=0$

(5)  $A = \begin{vmatrix} -a_1- \\ -a_2- \\ \vdots \\ -a_s- \\ \hline -a_1- \\ -a_2- \\ \vdots \\ -a_t- \\ \hline -a_1- \\ -a_2- \\ \vdots \\ -a_n- \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} -a_1- \\ -a_2- \\ \vdots \\ -a_s- \\ \hline -a_1- \\ -a_2- \\ \vdots \\ -a_t- \\ \hline -a_1- \\ -a_2- \\ \vdots \\ -a_n- \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} -a_1- \\ -a_2- \\ \vdots \\ -a_r+a_s- \\ \vdots \\ -a_n- \end{vmatrix} = 0$

so  $|A| = -|B|$

(6)  $\begin{vmatrix} -a_1- \\ \vdots \\ -a_{i+j}- \\ \vdots \\ -a_n- \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} -a_1- \\ \vdots \\ -a_i- \\ \vdots \\ -a_n- \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} -a_1- \\ \vdots \\ -a_j- \\ \vdots \\ -a_n- \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} -a_1- \\ \vdots \\ -a_i- \\ \vdots \\ -a_n- \end{vmatrix}$

so  $|A|=|B|$

Cofactor expansion along row  $i > 1$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} + a_{2n} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{vmatrix} = a_{11} \begin{vmatrix} -a_{12} & \cdots & -a_{1n} \\ -a_{22} & \cdots & -a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ -a_{n2} & \cdots & -a_{nn} \end{vmatrix} + \cdots + a_{1n} \begin{vmatrix} -a_{11} & \cdots & -a_{1n} \\ -a_{21} & \cdots & -a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ -a_{n1} & \cdots & -a_{nn} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} -a_{11} & -a_{12} & \cdots & -a_{1n} \\ -a_{21} & -a_{22} & \cdots & -a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ -a_{n1} & -a_{n2} & \cdots & -a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}_{(n-1) \times (n-1)}$$

Let  $C_{ij}$  be the  $(n-2) \times (n-2)$  matrix obtained from  $B$  by eliminating rows  $1 \& i$ , column  $j \& k$

$$C_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}_{(n-2) \times (n-2)}$$

$$|B| = \sum_{j=1}^n (-1)^{1+j} a_{1j} |B_{1j}| \quad (i-1)\text{-th row in } B_{1j} \text{ is } \begin{cases} e_{k+1}, j < k \\ 0, j = k \\ e_k, j > k \end{cases}$$

$$\text{By induction hypothesis } |B_{1j}| = \begin{cases} (-1)^{(i-1)+j+k-1} |C_{ij}|, j < k \\ 0, j = k \\ (-1)^{i-1+k} |C_{ij}|, j > k \end{cases}$$

Prop. The determinant of an uppertriangular matrix is the product of diagonal entries

proof:  $n=2 \quad \begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & c \end{vmatrix} = ac \quad \checkmark$

Induction Hypothesis. let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ 0 & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}, \det(A) = \prod_{i=1}^n a_{ii}$

let  $B = \left[ A \begin{array}{c|c} b_1 \\ \hline \vdots \\ b_n \\ \hline 0 & b_{n+1} \end{array} \right], \text{ so } \det(B) = (-1)^{2n+2} b_{n+1} \det(A) = a_{11} a_{22} \cdots a_{nn} b_{n+1}$

Def. A linear transformation  $T: V \rightarrow V$  where  $V$  is a finite dimensional vector space, is diagonalizable if  $\exists$  ordered basis  $B$  for  $V$  s.t.  $T$  is a diagonal matrix

$$\underset{n \times n}{A} \in L_A: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \quad A = Q^{-1} D Q$$

Def. If  $T(v) = \lambda v$  (i.e.  $Av = \lambda v$ ), then we say that  $v$  is an eigenvector and  $\lambda$  an eigenvalue  
 (proper vector) (proper value)

If  $T$  (or  $A$ ) is diagonalizable, then  $V$  has an ordered basis  $B$  which consists of  $n$  eigenvectors of  $T$  (or  $A$ )

$$B = \{v_1, \dots, v_n\}, \quad T(v_1) = \lambda_1 v_1, \dots, T(v_n) = \lambda_n v_n, \text{ so } [T]_B = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Theorem.  $\lambda \in F$  is an eigenvalue of  $T \Leftrightarrow \det(A - \lambda I) = 0$ , where  $A = [T]_B$

proof:  $\lambda \in F$  is an eigenvalue of  $T \Leftrightarrow \exists v \neq 0$ , s.t.  $T(v) = \lambda v$

i.e.  $(T - \lambda I)(v) = 0$ , which means  $N(T - \lambda I) \neq \{0\}$

$\Leftrightarrow R(T - \lambda I)$  has a dimension less than  $n$ , so  $\text{rank}(A - \lambda I) < n$

so  $\det(A - \lambda I) = 0$

Def.  $|A - \lambda I| = 0$  is called the characteristic polynomial of  $A$  ( $|[T]_B - \lambda I| = 0$  is called the m of  $T$ )

$$0 = |A - \lambda I| = |Q^{-1} B Q - \lambda I| = |Q^{-1} B Q - Q^{-1} \lambda I Q| = |Q^{-1} (B - \lambda I) Q| = |Q| |B - \lambda I| |Q| = |B - \lambda I|$$

Example.  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$0 = |A - \lambda I| = \begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & 1 \\ 0 & 2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (2-\lambda)^2, \quad \lambda = 2$$

$$0 = (A - \lambda I) \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

so  $b = 0$ ,  $\begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} = a \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ .  $A$  has only one eigenvector  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

so  $A$  is not diagonalizable

Theorem. Let  $A \in M_{n \times n}$ . If  $A$  has  $n$  distinct eigenvalues, then  $A$  is diagonalizable.

proof: If  $\lambda_1$  is an eigenvalue of  $A \Rightarrow \exists$  at least one linearly independent eigenvectors of  $A$  corresponding to  $\lambda_1$ ,  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n$  all distinct  $\Rightarrow v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$  are linearly independent

$T: V \rightarrow V$ ,  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}$  is an eigenvalue if  $\exists v \neq 0 \in V$  s.t.  $T(v) = \lambda v$

If  $\exists$  ordered basis  $B = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  all eigenvectors for  $T$ , then  $T$  is diagonalizable,  $[T]_B$  is a diagonal matrix

Prop. If  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_k$  are eigenvalues for  $T$  with  $v_1, \dots, v_k$  being the corresponding eigenvectors then  $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k\}$  is linearly independent

pf. Suppose  $a_1v_1 + \dots + a_kv_k = 0$

Induction, when  $k=1$ ,  $a_1v_1 = 0$ , so  $a_1=0$

Hypothesis: Assume the conclusion holds for  $k=m$

$$a_1v_1 + \dots + a_mv_m + a_{m+1}v_{m+1} = 0, T(a_1v_1 + \dots + a_mv_m + a_{m+1}v_{m+1}) = 0$$

$$\text{so } a_1\lambda_1v_1 + a_2\lambda_2v_2 + \dots + a_m\lambda_mv_m + a_{m+1}\lambda_{m+1}v_{m+1} = 0$$

$$a_1\lambda_{m+1}v_1 + \dots + a_m\lambda_{m+1}v_m + a_{m+1}\lambda_{m+1}v_{m+1} = 0$$

$$a_1(\lambda_1 - \lambda_{m+1})v_1 + \dots + a_m(\lambda_m - \lambda_{m+1})v_m = 0$$

Since  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_{m+1}$  are distinct, then  $a_1 = a_2 = \dots = a_m = 0$ , also  $a_{m+1} = 0$

so  $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  is linearly independent for any  $n \in \mathbb{N}^+$

If  $A$  is diagonalizable i.e.  $\exists$  ordered basis of eigenvectors

thus  $\exists Q$  s.t.  $A = Q^{-1}DQ$ , where  $D$  is a diagonal matrix

$$|A - \lambda I| = |Q^{-1}DQ - \lambda I| = |Q^{-1}| |D - \lambda I| |Q| = |D - \lambda I|$$

$$0 = |A - \lambda I| = |D - \lambda I| = \begin{vmatrix} d_1 - \lambda & & \\ & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & \ddots & d_n - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = (d_1 - \lambda)(d_2 - \lambda) \dots (d_n - \lambda)$$

the eigen-polynomial of  $A$  can be factored into a product of linear factors

i.e.  $|A - \lambda I|$  splits, So this is a necessary condition

Def. The ( ) multiplicity of an eigenvalue  $\lambda$  of  $T$  (or  $A$ ) is the

largest positive integer  $k$  s.t.  $(t - \lambda)^k$  is a factor of the characteristic polynomial  $|A - \lambda I| = 0$

Def. If  $\lambda$  is an eigenvalue of  $T$  (or  $A$ ), then  $E_\lambda = \{v \in V \mid T(v) = \lambda v\}$  is called the eigenspace corresponding to  $\lambda$   
( $= N(T - \lambda I)$ )

Prop.  $\dim E_\lambda \leq m =$  the multiplicity of  $\lambda$

(proof) Let  $p = \dim E_\lambda$ . Let  $\{v_1, \dots, v_p\}$  be an ordered basis for  $E_\lambda$

Then the replacement theorem allows us to extend it to a basis for  $V$

$$\text{Then } A = [T]_{\beta} = \begin{vmatrix} \lambda & 0 & * \\ 0 & \lambda & * \\ 0 & 0 & C \end{vmatrix}, \det(A - tI) = \begin{vmatrix} \lambda-t & 0 & * \\ 0 & \lambda-t & * \\ 0 & 0 & C-tI \end{vmatrix} = (\lambda-t)^p \begin{vmatrix} I & * \\ 0 & C-tI \end{vmatrix} = (\lambda-t)^p |C-tI|$$

A necessary and sufficient condition for diagonalizability

Theorem  $T$  is diagonalizable  $\Leftrightarrow$

(i)  $|T-\lambda I|$  splits

(ii) For every eigenvalue  $\lambda$  of  $T$ , then we have multiplicity of  $\lambda = \dim E_\lambda = n - \text{rank}(T-\lambda I)$

(proof)  $\dim E_\lambda + \text{rank}(T-\lambda I) = n$

$T$  is diagonalizable  $\Rightarrow |T-\lambda I|$  splits, we say with roots  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_k$  with  $m_1, \dots, m_k$  as the corresponding

Let  $\beta_i$  be a ordered basis for  $E_{\lambda_i}$ .  $T$  is diagonalizable

$\Leftrightarrow \dim E_{\lambda_i} = m_i, \forall i=1,2,\dots,k, \beta_1 \cup \beta_2 \cup \dots \cup \beta_k = \beta$  is an ordered basis for  $V$

## Cayley-Hamilton Theorem

Let  $T: V \rightarrow V$  is a linear transformation and  $V$  is a finite-dimensional vector space  
 If  $f(x)$  is the characteristic polynomial of  $T$ , then  $f(T) = 0$

Def. Let  $T: V \rightarrow V$  be a linear operation

A subspace  $W \subseteq V$  is called  $T$ -invariant if  $T(W) \subseteq W$

Def. Let  $v \neq 0$  in  $V$  and  $T: V \rightarrow V$  be a linear operation

Then  $W = \text{span}\{v, T(v), T^2(v), \dots, T^k(v), \dots\}$  is called the  $T$ -cyclic subspace of  $V$  generated by  $v$

Prop. Let  $T: V \rightarrow V$  be a linear operation and  $V$  is finite-dimensional

Suppose  $W$  is a  $T$ -invariant subspace of  $V$ . Then the characteristic polynomial of  $T$  restricted to  $W$ , denoted as  $T_W$ , divides that of  $T$

(proof) Let  $\beta = \{v_1, \dots, v_k\}$  be a ordered basis for  $W$

$$[T(v)]_r = [T_w(v)]_r$$

Extend it to a basis  $r = \{v_1, \dots, v_k, \dots, v_n\}$  for  $V$

$$[T]_r = \begin{bmatrix} [T_w]_{\beta} & * \\ 0 & C \end{bmatrix} \quad |[T]_r - \lambda I| = |[T_w]_{\beta} - \lambda I| \cdot |C - \lambda I|, \text{ where } |[T_w]_{\beta} - \lambda I| \text{ is the characteristic polynomial}$$

Prop. Let  $T: V \rightarrow V$  be a linear transformation and  $V$  is finite-dimensional and  $W$  be a  $T$ -cyclic subspace of  $V$  generated by  $v \neq 0$  in  $V$

Suppose  $\dim W = k$ , then  $\exists v \in V$ , s.t.

(1)  $\{v, T(v), \dots, T^{k-1}(v)\}$  is a basis for  $W$

(2) If  $a_0 v + a_1 T(v) + \dots + a_{k-1} T^{k-1}(v) + T^k(v) = 0$ , then

the characteristic polynomial for  $T_W$  is  $g(\lambda) = (-1)^k (a_0 + a_1 \lambda + \dots + a_{k-1} \lambda^{k-1} + \lambda^k)$

(proof) Let  $j$  be the largest integer that

$\beta = \{v, T(v), \dots, T^{j-1}(v)\}$  is linearly independent

for  $j \geq 1$ . let  $Z = \text{span}(\beta)$  (i.e.  $\dim Z = j$ )

$$T^j(v) \in Z, \quad T(a_0 v + a_1 T(v) + \dots + a_{j-1} T^{j-1}(v)) = a_0 T(v) + \dots + a_{j-1} T^j(v) \in Z$$

so  $Z = W$ ,  $j = k$

$\exists a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{k-1}$  NOT ALL zero, s.t.  $a_0 v + \dots + a_{k-1} T^{k-1}(v) + T^k(v) = 0$

$$[T_w]_{\beta} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & -a_0 \\ 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & -a_1 \\ 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 & -a_2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & -a_{k-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$g(\lambda) = |[T_w]_{\beta} - \lambda I| = (-1)^k (a_0 + a_1 \lambda + \dots + a_{k-1} \lambda^{k-1} + \lambda^k)$$

## Proof of Cayley-Hamilton Theorem

$v \neq 0$ , let  $W$  be the  $T$ -cyclic subspace generated by  $V$

Suppose  $\dim W = k$ , then  $\exists a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{k-1}$  s.t.

$$a_0v + a_1T(v) + \dots + a_{k-1}T^{k-1}(v) + a_kT^k(v) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad g(\lambda) = (-1)^k(a_0 + a_1\lambda + \dots + a_{k-1}\lambda^{k-1} + \lambda^k) = 0$$

$$g(T)(v) = 0 \quad f(\lambda) = P(\lambda)g(\lambda) = P(T)g(T) \Rightarrow f(T)(v) = P(T)g(T)(v) = 0$$

Def. A sequence  $A_k = (a_{ij}^{(k)})_{m \times n} \in M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{C})$ ,  $k=1, 2, \dots$ , is said to converge to  $L = (l_{ij})$  in  $M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{C})$  (denoted as  $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} A_k = L$ )

Prop. (1)  $A_k \rightarrow L \Rightarrow PA_k \rightarrow PL$  as  $k \rightarrow \infty$  and  $A_k Q \rightarrow LQ$

(2)  $A^m \rightarrow L \Rightarrow (QAQ^{-1})^m \rightarrow QLQ^{-1}$

(Another proof which is easier to comprehend)

Since  $T$  is diagonalizable, we assume the characteristic polynomial is

$$f(t) = (-1)^n(t - \lambda_1)^{m_1}(t - \lambda_2)^{m_2} \cdots (t - \lambda_k)^{m_k}, \text{ where } \sum_{i=1}^k m_i = n$$

We choose eigenvectors from  $E\lambda_1, E\lambda_2, \dots, E\lambda_k$ , and denote them as  $v_1, \dots, v_k$

$$f(T)(v) = f(T)(a_1v_1 + \dots + a_kv_k) = a_1f(T)(v_1) + a_2f(T)(v_2) + \dots + a_kf(T)(v_k) = a_1f(\lambda_1)v_1 + a_2f(\lambda_2)v_2 + \dots + a_kf(\lambda_k)v_k = 0$$

Def. Let  $V$  be a vector space over  $F$  ( $\mathbb{R}$  or  $\mathbb{C}$ )

An inner product is a function  $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle : V \times V \rightarrow F$

s.t.  $\forall x, y, z \in V, c \in F$ , we have

(1)  $\langle x+z, y \rangle = \langle x, y \rangle + \langle z, y \rangle$

(2)  $\langle cx, y \rangle = c \langle x, y \rangle$

(3)  $\langle y, x \rangle = \overline{\langle x, y \rangle}$  (for real  $x, y$ ,  $\langle x, y \rangle = \langle y, x \rangle$ )

(4)  $\langle x, x \rangle \geq 0$ , only when  $x=0$ ,  $\langle x, x \rangle = 0$

Example: (1)  $\mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $x=(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$   $y=(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n)$ ,  $\langle x, y \rangle = x_1y_1 + \dots + x_n y_n$

(2)  $C([0, 1])$  = the set of all complex-valued continuous functions on  $[0, 1]$

$\langle f, g \rangle = \int_0^1 f(t) \overline{g(t)} dt$

Def. A vector space equipped with an inner product is called inner-product space

Prop. Let  $V$  be an inner-product space. Then  $\forall x, y, z \in V, c \in F$

(1)  $\langle x, y+z \rangle = \langle x, y \rangle + \langle x, z \rangle$

(2)  $\langle x, cy \rangle = \bar{c} \langle x, y \rangle$

(3)  $\langle x, 0 \rangle = 0 = \langle 0, x \rangle$

(4)  $\langle x, y \rangle = \langle x, z \rangle$  for  $\forall v \in V \Rightarrow y=z$

(proof):  $\langle x, y+z \rangle = \overline{\langle y+z, x \rangle} = \overline{\langle y, x \rangle + \langle z, x \rangle} = \overline{\langle y, x \rangle} + \overline{\langle z, x \rangle} = \langle x, y \rangle + \langle x, z \rangle$

$\langle x, cy \rangle = \overline{\langle cy, x \rangle} = \bar{c} \overline{\langle y, x \rangle} = \bar{c} \langle x, y \rangle$

Def. Let  $V$  be an inner-product space over  $F$  and  $v \in V$

Then  $\|x\| = \sqrt{\langle x, x \rangle}$  is called the norm of  $x$  (or the length of  $x$ )

Example. In  $\mathbb{R}^n / \mathbb{C}^n$ ,  $x=(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$ ,  $\|x\| = \sqrt{x_1^2 + \dots + x_n^2}$

On  $C([0, 1])$ ,  $\|f\| = \left( \int_0^1 |f(t)|^2 dt \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

Prop. (1)  $\|cx\| = |c| \|x\|$

(2)  $\|x\| \geq 0$

(3)  $|\langle x, y \rangle| \leq \|x\| \|y\|$  (Cauchy-Schwarz inequality)

(4)  $\|x+y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|$  (Triangular inequality)

(Equality holds when  $x, y$  are collinear)

proof: (3) when  $y=0$ , it holds

Otherwise, set  $c = \frac{\langle x, y \rangle}{\|y\|^2}$ ,  $0 \leq \|x-cy\|^2 = \langle x-cy, x-cy \rangle$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \langle x, x \rangle - \langle cy, x \rangle - \langle x, cy \rangle + \langle cy, cy \rangle = \|x\|^2 - \bar{c} \overline{\langle x, y \rangle} - c \langle x, y \rangle + c \bar{c} \|y\|^2 \\ &= \|x\|^2 - \frac{\langle x, y \rangle^2}{\|y\|^2} - \frac{\langle x, y \rangle^2}{\|y\|^2} \end{aligned}$$

Def. Let  $x, y \in V$ : inner product space

(1) We say that  $x \perp y$  ( $x, y$  are orthogonal) if  $\langle x, y \rangle = 0$

(2) A subset  $S \subseteq V$  is orthogonal if any two distinct vectors in  $S$  are orthogonal

(3) A subset  $S \subseteq V$  is orthonormal if  $S$  is orthogonal and consists of entirely unit vectors (i.e. vectors of norm 1)

Example.

1.  $\mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $S = \{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n\}$  is orthonormal

2.  $\mathbb{C}^n$ ,  $S = \sim$

3.  $H = \text{complex valued continuous function on } [0, 2\pi]$

with  $\langle f, g \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} f(t) \overline{g(t)} dt$

$S = \{\cos nt + i \sin nt \mid t \in [0, 2\pi], n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ , a orthonormal

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} (\cos nt + i \sin nt)(\cos mt + i \sin mt) dt = \begin{cases} 0, & m \neq n \\ 1, & m = n \end{cases}$$

Def. An orthonormal basis for an inner product space is an ordered basis that is orthonormal

Prop. Let  $S = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\} \subseteq V$ . where  $V$  is an inner product space

(1) If  $S$  is orthogonal and  $y \in \text{span}(S)$ , then  $y = \sum_{j=1}^n \langle y, v_j \rangle \frac{v_j}{\|v_j\|}$

(2) If  $S$  is orthonormal and  $y \in \text{span}(S)$ , then  $y = \sum_{j=1}^n \langle y, v_j \rangle v_j$  (Since  $\|v_j\|=1$ )

(3) If  $S$  is orthogonal and  $v_j \neq 0$ , then  $S$  is linearly independent

(proof) Let  $y \in \text{span}(S) \Rightarrow y = a_1 v_1 + a_2 v_2 + \dots + a_n v_n$

$$\langle y, v_i \rangle = a_1 \langle v_1, v_i \rangle + a_2 \langle v_2, v_i \rangle + \dots + a_n \langle v_n, v_i \rangle = a_i \|v_i\|^2, \text{ so } a_i = \frac{\langle y, v_i \rangle}{\|v_i\|^2}$$

(4)  $a_1 v_1 + \dots + a_n v_n = 0$ ,  $\langle 0, v_i \rangle = a_i \|v_i\|^2 = 0$ , Since  $\|v_i\| \neq 0$ , then  $a_i = 0$

Theorem (Gram-Schmidt Orthogonalization)

Let  $S = \{w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n\}$  be a linearly independent subset in an inner product space  $V$

Then  $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  is an orthogonal set where

$$v_1 = w_1, \dots, v_k = w_k - \sum_{j=1}^{k-1} \frac{\langle w_k, v_j \rangle}{\|v_j\|^2} v_j, \forall k=1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$(\text{Proof}) v_2 = w_2 - \frac{\langle w_2, v_1 \rangle}{\|v_1\|^2} v_1, \langle v_2, v_1 \rangle = \langle w_2 - \frac{\langle w_2, v_1 \rangle}{\|v_1\|^2} v_1, w_1 \rangle = \langle w_2, w_1 \rangle - \frac{\langle w_2, v_1 \rangle}{\|v_1\|^2} \langle v_1, w_1 \rangle = 0$$

$$\langle v_3, v_2 \rangle = \langle w_3 - \frac{\langle w_3, v_1 \rangle}{\|v_1\|^2} v_1 - \frac{\langle w_3, v_2 \rangle}{\|v_2\|^2} v_2, v_2 \rangle = \langle w_3, w_2 \rangle - \langle w_3, v_2 \rangle - \frac{\langle w_3, v_2 \rangle}{\|v_2\|^2} \langle v_2, v_2 \rangle = 0$$

by induction,  $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  is orthogonal

Corollary.

1. Any finite dimensional inner product space  $V$  has an orthonormal basis for  $V$

2. Let  $\Phi = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  be an orthonormal basis for  $V$  and  $T: V \rightarrow V$  be a linear transformation on  $V$

Then  $[T]_\Phi = (a_{ij})_{n \times n}$ , where  $a_{ij} = \langle T(v_i), v_j \rangle$

Def. Let  $S \neq \emptyset$  in  $V$ . Define the orthogonal complement of  $S$  as:

$$S^\perp = \{x \in V \mid \langle x, y \rangle = 0, \forall y \in S\}$$

Theorem. Let  $W$  be a finite dimensional subspace of an inner product space  $V$

For any  $y \in V$ ,  $\exists! u \in W$  and  $z \in W^\perp$ , s.t.  $y = u + z$

Moreover, if  $B = \{w_1, w_2, \dots, w_k\}$  is an orthonormal basis for  $W$ , then  $u = \sum_{j=1}^k \langle y, w_j \rangle w_j$  and  $\|y\|^2 = \|u\|^2 + \|z\|^2$

(proof) Set  $u = \sum_{j=1}^k \langle y, w_j \rangle w_j$  and  $z = y - u$

$$\langle z, w_i \rangle = \langle y - u, w_i \rangle = \langle y, w_i \rangle - \langle u, w_i \rangle = \langle y, w_i \rangle - \|w_i\|^2 \langle y, w_i \rangle = 0$$

$u \in W$  s.t.  $y = u + z$ ,  $z \in W^\perp$

$u_2 \in W$  s.t.  $y = u_2 + z_2$ ,  $z_2 \in W^\perp$

$$0 = (u_1 - u_2) + (z_1 - z_2), \text{ where } (u_1 - u_2) \in W, (z_1 - z_2) \in W^\perp$$

$$\|y\|^2 = \langle y, y \rangle = \langle u + z, u + z \rangle = \langle u, u \rangle + \langle u, z \rangle + \langle z, u \rangle + \langle z, z \rangle = \|u\|^2 + \|z\|^2$$

Corollary.  $\forall x \in W$ , we have  $\|y - u\| \leq \|y - x\|$

(i.e.  $u$  is the vector in  $W$  that is "closest" to  $y$ )

$$\|y - x\|^2 = \langle u + z - x, u + z - x \rangle = \langle u - x, u - x \rangle + \langle u - x, z \rangle + \langle z, u - x \rangle + \langle z, z \rangle$$

$$= \|u - x\|^2 + \|z\|^2 = \|u - x\|^2 + \|y - u\|^2 \geq \|y - u\|^2$$

The Adjoint of a linear operation

$T: V \rightarrow F$ ,  $V$  a finite dimensional inner product space

For a fixed  $y \in V$ ,  $f(x) = \langle x, y \rangle$ ,  $\forall x \in V$

Easy to see that  $f(x)$  is a linear function

Theorem. Given a linear functional  $g: V \rightarrow F$  where  $V$  is finite dimensional inner product space

$\exists! y \in V$ , s.t.  $g(x) = \langle x, y \rangle$

Theorem. Let  $T: V \rightarrow V$  be a linear operation and  $V$  is a finite dimensional product space

Then  $\exists!$  linear operation  $T^*: V \rightarrow V$  s.t.  $\langle T(x), y \rangle = \langle x, T^*(y) \rangle \quad \forall x, y \in V$

(proof) For every  $y \in V$ , define  $g_y: V \rightarrow F$  by  $g_y(x) = \langle T(x), y \rangle$

$\forall x \in V$ , we see that  $g_y: V \rightarrow F$  is linear, then the previous theorem  $\Rightarrow \exists! y^* \in V$ , s.t.  $g_y(x) = \langle x, y^* \rangle = \langle x, T^*(y) \rangle$

Define  $T^*: V \rightarrow V$  by  $T^*(y) = y^*$ ,  $\langle T(x), y \rangle = g_y(x) = \langle x, y^* \rangle = \langle x, T^*(y) \rangle$ , where  $T^*$  is linear

Rk \*  $V$  being finite dimensional is necessary for the existence of  $T^*$

Rk For an  $n \times n$  matrix  $A = (a_{ij})_{n \times n}$  the adjoint matrix of  $A$ ,  $A^* = (a_{ij}^*)_{n \times n}$

where  $a_{ij}^* = \bar{a}_{ji}$

Prop.  $T, U: V \rightarrow V$  linear operator, where  $V$  is a finite dimensional inner product space

$$(1) (T+U)^* = T^* + U^*$$

$$(2) (\bar{c}T)^* = \bar{c}T^*, c \in F$$

$$(3) (TU)^* = U^*T^*$$

$$\langle x, (cT)^*(y) \rangle = \langle cT(x), y \rangle = c\langle x, T^*(y) \rangle = \langle x, \bar{c}T^*(y) \rangle$$

$$(4) T^{**} = (T^*)^* = T$$

$$\langle x, (TU)^*(y) \rangle = \langle TU(x), y \rangle = \langle U(x), T^*(y) \rangle = \langle x, U^*T^*(y) \rangle$$

$$(5) I^* = I$$

Let  $T: V \rightarrow V$  be a linear operation and  $V$  is a finite dimensional inner product space

Lemma. If  $\lambda$  is an eigenvalue of  $T$ , then  $\bar{\lambda}$  is an eigenvalue of  $T^*$

(proof):  $T(v) = \lambda v$ ,  $0 = \langle (T - \lambda I)v, y \rangle = \langle v, (T - \lambda I)^*y \rangle = \langle v, (T^* - \bar{\lambda} I)y \rangle$ , so  $v \perp R(T^* - \bar{\lambda} I)$

Schur's Lemma Suppose the characteristic polynomial of  $T$  splits, then  $\exists$  an orthonormal basis  $\beta$  s.t.  $[T]_\beta$  is upper triangular

(proof) By induction,  $n=1$ , it holds. Now suppose the conclusion holds for  $\forall$  inner product space with  $\dim V = n-1$

Suppose  $\dim V = n$

Since the characteristic polynomial of  $T$  splits, we have one eigenvalue  $\lambda$

By the previous lemma,  $\bar{\lambda}$  is an eigenvalue of  $T^*$

Suppose  $z$  is a corresponding eigenvector

Let  $W = \text{span}\{z\}$ . Claim:  $\forall x \in W^\perp, T(x) \in W^\perp$

Suppose  $y \in W^\perp, \langle T(y), z \rangle = \langle y, T^*(z) \rangle = \langle y, \bar{\lambda} z \rangle = 0$

Since the characteristic polynomial of  $T|_{W^\perp}$  divides that of  $T$  and thus the characteristic polynomial of  $T|_{W^\perp}$  also splits. As  $\dim W^\perp = n-1$ , induction hypothesis

implies that  $\exists$  an orthonormal basis  $\beta'$  of  $W^\perp$  s.t.  $[T|_{W^\perp}]_{\beta'}$  is upper triangular

Now let  $\beta = \beta' \cup \left\{ \frac{z}{\|z\|} \right\}$ . Clearly  $\beta$  is orthonormal and

$$[T]_\beta = \begin{pmatrix} [T|_{W^\perp}]_{\beta'} & 0 \\ 0 & \cdots \\ 0 & [T(z)]_\beta \end{pmatrix}$$

Def.  $T: V \rightarrow V$  be a linear transformation where  $V$  is a finite dimensional inner product space. Then we say that

(1)  $T$  is normal if  $TT^* = T^*T$

(2)  $T$  is self-adjoint if  $T = T^*$

Def.  $A \in M_{n \times n}(F)$ , ( $F = \mathbb{R}/\mathbb{C}$ )

(3)  $A$  is normal if  $AA^* = A^*A$

(4)  $A$  is self-adjoint if  $A = A^*$

Prop. (1)  $T$  is normal  $\Leftrightarrow [T]_B$  is normal  
 $T$  is self-adjoint  $\Leftrightarrow [T]_B$  is self adjoint }  $B$  is orthonormal

Prop. Let  $T$  be a normal operator, then

(1)  $\|T(x)\| = \|T^*(x)\| \quad \forall x \in V$

(2)  $T - \lambda I$  is normal,  $\forall \lambda \in F$

(3)  $T(x) = \lambda x \Rightarrow T^*(x) = \bar{\lambda} x$

(4) If  $\lambda_1 \neq \lambda_2$  are two eigenvalues of  $T$

where  $x_1, x_2$  are the corresponding eigenvectors, then  $x_1 \perp x_2$

$$(\text{proof}) (1) \|T(x)\|^2 = \langle T(x), T(x) \rangle = \langle x, T^*T(x) \rangle = \langle x, TT^*x \rangle = \langle x, (T^*)^*T^*x \rangle = \langle T^*(x), T^*x \rangle = \|T^*(x)\|^2$$

$$(2) (T - \lambda I)(T - \lambda I)^* = (T - \lambda I)(T^* - \bar{\lambda} I) = TT^* - \bar{\lambda} TI - \lambda T^*I + \lambda^2 I$$

$$(T - \lambda I)^*(T - \lambda I) = (T^* - \bar{\lambda} I)(T - \lambda I) = T^*T - \bar{\lambda} T I - \lambda T^*I + \lambda^2 I$$

so  $(T - \lambda I)$  is normal

$$(3) (T - \lambda I)(x) = (T^* - \bar{\lambda} I)(x) = 0$$

$$(4) \lambda_1 \langle x_1, x_2 \rangle = \langle \lambda_1 x_1, x_2 \rangle = \langle T(x_1), x_2 \rangle = \langle x_1, T^*(x_2) \rangle = \langle x_1, \bar{\lambda}_2 x_2 \rangle = \bar{\lambda}_2 \langle x_1, x_2 \rangle$$

Since  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 \neq 0$ ,  $\lambda_1 \neq \lambda_2$ , then  $\langle x_1, x_2 \rangle = 0$

Theorem. Let  $T$  be a linear operator on a finite-dimensional inner product space  $V$ . Then  $T$  is normal  $\Leftrightarrow \exists$  an orthonormal basis for  $V$  consisting of eigenvectors of  $T$ .

(proof)  $[T]_\theta$  is diagonal  $\Rightarrow [T]^*_\theta$  also diagonal

$$[TT^*]_\theta = [T]_\theta ([T]_\theta)^* = ([T]_\theta)^*[T]_\theta = [T^*T]_\theta, \text{ so } TT^* = T^*T$$

By the fundamental theorem of algebra, every polynomial splits over  $\mathbb{C}$

Then Schur's Lemma guarantees that  $\exists$  an orthonormal basis  $\beta$  for  $V$  s.t.  $[T]_\beta$  is upper triangular

Let  $\beta = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$ , Claim that  $[T]_\beta$  is upper triangular

Since  $[T]_\theta$  is upper-triangular, then  $T(v_i) = a_{ii}v_i$

$$[T]_\beta = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ 0 & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix}$$

By induction, assume  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{k-1}$  are eigenvectors for  $V$

Need to show that  $v_k$  is an eigenvector for  $T$

$$T(v_k) = a_{1k}v_1 + a_{2k}v_2 + \cdots + a_{kk}v_k \quad (\text{Since } [T]_\theta \text{ is upper-triangular})$$

$$\text{For } j=1, 2, \dots, k-1, \langle T(v_k), v_j \rangle = \langle v_k, T^*(v_j) \rangle$$

Since  $T$  is normal, then  $T^*(v_j) = \bar{\lambda}_j v_j$

Therefore  $a_{1k} \|v_1\| = \dots = a_{k-1, k-1} \|v_{k-1}\| = 0$ , since  $\|v_j\| = 1$ , then  $a_{j,j} = 0$

so  $T(v_k) = a_{kk} \lambda_k v_k$ , and we see that  $v_k$  is also an eigenvector

Examples.  $H = \text{Complex valued continuous functions on } [0, 2\pi]$

$$S = \{f_n = \cos(nt) + i\sin(nt) \mid n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

$$\langle f, g \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} f(t) \overline{g(t)} dt$$

$$V = \text{span}(S) \quad T, U: V \rightarrow V$$

$$T(f_n) = f_{n+1}$$

$$U(f_n) = f_{n-1}$$

$$\langle T(f_n), f_l \rangle = \langle e^{iknt}, e^{iln} \rangle = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } k+l=l \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Lemma. Let  $T: V \rightarrow V$  be a self-adjoint linear operation and  $V$  a inner product space

Then (i) every eigenvalue of  $T$  is real

(2) Suppose  $V$  is real, then the characteristic polynomial of  $T$  splits over  $\mathbb{R}$

(proof) (i),  $T(v) = \lambda v$ ,  $T^*(v) = \bar{\lambda} v$ , since  $T$  is self-adjoint, then  $T(v) = T^*(v)$ ,  $\lambda = \bar{\lambda} \Leftrightarrow \lambda$  is real

(2) Suppose  $\dim V = n$ , let  $\beta$  be an orthonormal basis for  $V$  and  $A = [T]_{\beta}$  and  $A$  is self-adjoint

Let  $\gamma$  be the standard ordered basis, then  $[L_A]_{\gamma} = A$

by the fundamental theorem of algebra, the characteristic polynomial of  $A$  splits

since  $A$  is self-adjoint, then it splits over  $\mathbb{R}$

Theorem 5 Let  $T$  be a linear operation on a real inner product space, then  $T$  is self-adjoint  
 $\Leftrightarrow \exists$  orthonormal basis for  $V$  consisting of eigenvalues of  $T$

(proof) Lemma (2)  $\Rightarrow$  the characteristic polynomial of  $T$  splits

Then Schur's Lemma  $\Rightarrow \exists$  an orthonormal basis  $\beta$  for  $V$  s.t.  $[T]_{\beta}$  is upper-triangular

$A = Q^T D Q$ . If columns of  $Q$  forms an orthonormal basis, then  $Q^T Q = I$   
diagonal

Def. A matrix  $A \in M_{n \times n}(F)$  is called

(i) an orthogonal matrix if  $A^T A = A A^T = I$  ( $F = \mathbb{R}$ )

(ii) a unitary matrix if  $A^* A = A A^* = I$  ( $F = \mathbb{C}$ )

R: A matrix is orthogonal/unitary  $\Leftrightarrow$  its row/columns forms an orthonormal basis

Theorem. ( $F = \mathbb{C}$ ) A matrix  $A$  is normal  $\Leftrightarrow A$  is unitarily equivalent to a diagonal matrix

( $F = \mathbb{R}$ ) A matrix  $A$  is self-adjoint  $\Leftrightarrow A$  is orthogonally equivalent to a diagonal matrix

Def. Let  $V$  be a linear operation on a finite-dimensional inner product space  $V$  over  $\mathbb{F}$

( $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{C}$ ) if  $\|T(x)\| = \|x\|$  for  $\forall x \in V$ , then  $T$  is unitary

( $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{R}$ ) if  $\|T(x)\| = \|x\|$  for  $\forall x \in V$ , then  $T$  is orthogonal

Prop. Let  $T: V \rightarrow V$  be a linear operation on a finite-dimensional inner product space  $V$  then the following statements are equivalent

- (1)  $T^* T = T^* T = I$
- (2)  $\langle T(x), T(y) \rangle = \langle x, y \rangle, \forall x, y \in V$
- (3) If  $\theta$  is an orthonormal basis for  $V$ , then  $AT$  is  $T(\theta)$
- (4)  $\exists$  an orthonormal basis  $\beta$  s.t.  $T(\beta)$  is also orthonormal
- (5)  $\|T(x)\| = \|x\|$  for  $\forall x \in V$

$$(1) \Rightarrow (2): \langle T(x), T(y) \rangle = \langle x, T^* T(y) \rangle = \langle x, y \rangle$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow (3): \theta = \{v_1, \dots, v_n\}, T(\theta) = \{T(v_1), T(v_2), \dots, T(v_n)\}$$

$$\langle T(v_i), T(v_j) \rangle = \langle v_i, v_j \rangle$$

$$(3) \Rightarrow (4): \checkmark$$

$$(4) \Rightarrow (5)$$

Corollary  $T: V \rightarrow V$  linear operator and  $V$  is a finite-dim'l inner product sp. over  $\mathbb{F}$

(1) ( $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{R}$ )  $T$  is self-adjoint and orthogonal  $\Leftrightarrow \exists$  an orthonormal basis  $\beta$  of eigenvectors

of with all corresponding eigenvalues having absolute value 1  $\|T(v_i)\| = \|2v_i\| = \|v_i\|, |\lambda_i| = 1$

(2) ( $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{C}$ )  $T$  is unitary  $\Leftrightarrow \exists$  an orthonormal basis  $\beta$  of eigenvectors with corresponding eigenvalues having absolute value 1

Example (1) Rotation by angle  $\theta$

$$[T]_{\theta} = \begin{pmatrix} [T(e_1)]_{\theta} & [T(e_2)]_{\theta} \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{pmatrix}$$

(2) Reflection

$$[T]_{\theta} = \begin{pmatrix} [T(e_1)]_{\theta} & [T(e_2)]_{\theta} \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$[I]_{\theta} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$[T]_{\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{pmatrix}^{-1}$$

Theorem. Let  $T$  be an orthogonal op. on  $\mathbb{R}^2$

&  $A = [T]_{\beta}$  where  $\beta = \{e_1, e_2\}$  is the standard ordered basis, then

(i)  $T$  is a rotation if  $|A|=1$

(ii)  $T$  is a reflection if  $|A|=-1$

(proof)

$$(i) A = [T]_{\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} T(e_1)_{\beta} & T(e_2)_{\beta} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & T(e_1)_{\beta} \\ \sin \theta & T(e_2)_{\beta} \end{pmatrix}$$

$T(e_2) \perp [T(e_1)]_{\beta}$ , then  $T(e_2) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta \\ \sin \theta \end{pmatrix}$  or  $\begin{pmatrix} -\sin \theta \\ \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$

$A = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} \Leftrightarrow |A|=1$  rotation by  $\theta$

or  $\begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & -\cos \theta \end{pmatrix} \Leftrightarrow |A|=-1$  reflection w.r.t. line  $\frac{\theta}{2}$

Def. Let  $W_1, W_2$  be two subspaces of a vector space  $V$  with  $W_1 \oplus W_2 = V$

(i.e.  $V = W_1 + W_2$  and  $W_1 \cap W_2 = \{0\}$ )

A function  $T: V \rightarrow V$  is called a projection on  $W_1$  along  $W_2$  if  $T(x) = x_1$  where  $x = x_1 + x_2$ ,  $x_1 \in W_1$ ,  $x_2 \in W_2$

Prop.  $T$  is a projection  $\Leftrightarrow T = T^2$

(proof) ( $\Rightarrow$ )  $x = x_1 + x_2$ , then  $T(x) = T^2(x) = x_1$

( $\Leftarrow$ ) Set  $W_1 = R(T)$ ,  $W_2 = N(T)$

Claim  $x = T(x) + (x - T(x))$ , let  $x \in R(T) \cap N(T)$

then  $\exists y \in V$  s.t.  $T(y) = x$ ,  $T^2(y) = T(x) = 0$

$V = N(T) \oplus R(T)$

Def. Let  $V$  be a projection on an inner product space  $V$

Then we say that  $T$  is an orthogonal projection if  $R(T)^{\perp} = N(T)$  and  $R(T) = N(T)^{\perp}$

Remark. ① If  $V$  is finite dimensional, then we need only one of the above

② If  $W$  is a finite-dimensional subspace of  $V \Rightarrow \exists 1$  orthogonal projection on  $W$

$\beta = \{w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n\}$  orthonormal basis for  $W$

$$x = \sum_{j=1}^n \langle x, w_j \rangle w_j$$

Prop. Let  $T$  be a linear operator on an inner product space  $V$

Then  $T$  is an orthogonal projection  $\Leftrightarrow T^* \text{ exists and } T^2 = T = T^*$

Theorem Let  $T: V \rightarrow V$  be a linear operation and  $V$  be an inner product space

Then  $T$  is an orthogonal projection  $\Leftrightarrow T^2 = T = T^*$

(proof) Since  $T$  is a projection, then  $T = T^2$ ,  $V = N(T) \oplus R(T)$

$$\langle x, T(y) \rangle = \langle x_1 + x_2, T(y_1 + y_2) \rangle = \langle x_1 + x_2, y_1 \rangle = \langle x_1, y_1 \rangle$$

$$\text{Similarly } \langle T(x), y \rangle = \langle x_1, y_1 + y_2 \rangle = \langle x_1, y_1 \rangle, \text{ so } \langle x, T(y) \rangle = \langle T(x), y \rangle, T = T^*$$

If  $T = T^2$ , then  $T$  is a projection, so  $V = N(T) \oplus R(T)$

Let  $x \in R(T)$ ,  $y \in N(T)$ .  $\langle x, y \rangle = \langle T(x), y \rangle = \langle x, T^*(y) \rangle = \langle x, T(y) \rangle = 0$ , so  $R(T) \subseteq N(T)^\perp$

Reversely.  $N(T)^\perp \subseteq R(T)$ , so  $N(T)^\perp = R(T)$

### The Spectral Theorem

Let  $T: V \rightarrow V$  be a linear operation and  $V$  is a finite dimensional inner product space over  $F$

Suppose (i)  $T$  is normal if  $F = \mathbb{C}$  (ii)  $T$  is self-adjoint if  $F = \mathbb{R}$

Let  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_k$  be the distinct eigenvalues of  $T$  and  $E_\lambda$  be the corresponding eigenspaces and  $T_i$  be the projection from  $V$  to  $E_{\lambda_i}$ . then

(1)  $V = E_{\lambda_1} \oplus \dots \oplus E_{\lambda_k}$

(2)  $E_i^\perp = E_{\lambda_1} \oplus \dots \oplus E_{i-1} \oplus E_{i+1} \oplus \dots \oplus E_{\lambda_k}$

(3)  $T_i T_j = \delta_{ij} T_i$ ,  $\forall 1 \leq i, j \leq k$ ,  $\delta_{ij} = \begin{cases} 0, & i \neq j \\ 1, & i = j \end{cases}$

(4)  $I = T_1 + T_2 + \dots + T_k$

(5)  $T = \lambda_1 T_1 + \lambda_2 T_2 + \dots + \lambda_k T_k$

### Corollary

(1)  $T$  is normal  $\Leftrightarrow T^* = P(T)$  for some polynomial  $P$

(2)  $T$  is unitary  $\Leftrightarrow T$  is normal and  $|T| = 1$   $\forall$  eigenvalues  $\lambda$  of  $T$

(3)  $T$  is normal, then  $T$  is self-adjoint  $\Leftrightarrow$  all eigenvalues are real

Corollary Each  $T_j$  is a polynomial of  $T$ ,  $\forall j$ ,  $T = \lambda_1 T_1 + \lambda_2 T_2 + \dots + \lambda_k T_k$

Choose  $g_i$  s.t.  $g_i(\lambda_i) = \begin{cases} 0, & i \neq j \\ 1, & i = j \end{cases}$

$T: V \rightarrow V$  is a linear operation and  $V$  is a finite-dimensional vector space with characteristic polynomial splits, i.e. it takes form  $(t-\lambda_1)^{m_1}(t-\lambda_2)^{m_2} \cdots (t-\lambda_k)^{m_k}$ ,  $m_1+m_2+\cdots+m_k=n=\dim(V)$ .  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_k$  are all distinct.

Say  $\lambda$  is an eigenvalue with multiplicity  $m$

$$E_\lambda = \text{the eigenspace } \{v \in V \mid T(v) = \lambda v\} = \{v \in V \mid (T - \lambda I)(v) = 0\}$$

Def.  $K_\lambda = \{v \in V \mid (T - \lambda I)^p(v) = 0 \text{ for some integer } p\}$  is called the generalized eigenspace corresponding to  $\lambda$  and  $v \in K_\lambda$  is called a generalized eigenvector

Prop (1)  $K_\lambda$  is  $T$ -invariant

(2)  $(T - \lambda I)|_{K_\lambda}$  is one-to-one,  $\forall \lambda \neq \lambda$

Theorem (1) Suppose  $\lambda$  is an eigenvalue with multiplicity  $m$  then  $\dim(K_\lambda) = m$  and  $K_\lambda = \ker(T - \lambda I)^m$

(2) Suppose  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_k$  are distinct eigenvalues of  $T$ , then

$$V = K_{\lambda_1} \oplus K_{\lambda_2} \oplus \cdots \oplus K_{\lambda_k}$$

(proof) (a) Set  $W = K_\lambda$  and  $h(t)$  is the characteristic polynomial of  $T|_W$

Then  $h(t)$  divides the characteristic polynomial of  $T$

Suppose  $\dim(W) = d \Rightarrow h(t) = (-1)^d(t - \lambda)^d$  (Since  $T|_W$  has only one eigenvalue  $\lambda$ ) and  $d \leq m$

Hamilton-Cayley theorem says that  $h(T|_W) = 0 \cdot (T - \lambda I)^d(x) = 0$  for  $\forall x \in W$

Since  $d \leq m$ , then  $(T - \lambda I)^m(x) = 0$  for  $\forall x \in W$  (which means  $x \in K_\lambda \Rightarrow x \in N((T - \lambda I)^m)$ )

Also if  $x \in N((T - \lambda I)^m)$ , then  $x \in K_\lambda$ , so  $K_\lambda = N((T - \lambda I)^m)$ ,  $\dim(K_\lambda) = m$

(2) Notice that  $E_{\lambda_i} \cap E_{\lambda_j} = \{0\}$  ( $E_\lambda$  is  $T$ -invariant)

When  $k=1$ , it holds by the Hamilton-Cayley theorem (\*)

Induction Hypothesis (\*) holds for any  $T$  with eigenvalues fewer than  $k$

Now  $T$  has  $k$  distinct eigenvalues. Set  $W = \text{Im}((T - \lambda_k I)^{m_k})$  where  $m_k = \text{multiplicity of } \lambda_k$

$(T - \lambda_k I): K_{\lambda_j} \rightarrow K_{\lambda_j}$ , which is one-to-one and onto  $\forall j < k$

$\Rightarrow (T - \lambda_k I)^{m_k}: K_{\lambda_j} \rightarrow K_{\lambda_j}$  is one-to-one and onto  $((T - \lambda_k I)^{m_k}(v_j) \neq 0 \text{ for } \forall m_k, v_j \in K_{\lambda_j})$

i.e.  $K_{\lambda_j} \subseteq W$ , i.e.  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_{k-1}$  are distinct eigenvalues

Induction hypothesis to  $T|_W$ , then  $W = E_{\lambda_1} \oplus \cdots \oplus E_{\lambda_{k-1}}$

$\forall x \in V$ ,  $(T - \lambda_k I)^{m_k}(x) = x_1 + x_2 + \cdots + x_{k-1}$  for some  $x_i \in E_{\lambda_i}$

Since  $(T - \lambda_k I)^{m_k}$  is one-to-one onto

$\Rightarrow \exists y_i \in K_{\lambda_i} \text{ s.t. } x_i = (T - \lambda_k I)^{m_k}(y_i)$

so  $(T - \lambda_k I)^{m_k}(x) = (T - \lambda_k I)^{m_k}(y_1 + y_2 + \cdots + y_{k-1})$

so  $(T - \lambda_k I)^{m_k}(x - (y_1 + y_2 + \cdots + y_{k-1})) = 0$ , since  $E_{\lambda_k} = \ker(T - \lambda_k I)^{m_k}$

then  $\exists y_k \in E_{\lambda_k}$ ,  $x - (y_1 + y_2 + \cdots + y_{k-1}) = y_k$ ,  $x = y_1 + y_2 + \cdots + y_k$

so  $V = K_{\lambda_1} \oplus K_{\lambda_2} \oplus \cdots \oplus K_{\lambda_k}$

Theorem  $\dim V = m_1 + m_2 + \dots + m_k$

$$V = K_{\lambda_1} \oplus K_{\lambda_2} \oplus \dots \oplus K_{\lambda_k}$$

$$\beta = \beta_1 \cup \beta_2 \cup \dots \cup \beta_k$$

$K_{\lambda_j}$  is  $T$ -invariant  $T: K_{\lambda_j} \rightarrow K_{\lambda_j}$

$$[T]_{\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} [T]_{\beta_1} & & & \\ & [T]_{\beta_2} & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & [T]_{\beta_k} \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\quad} K_{\lambda} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & \lambda_1 & \\ & & & \ddots & \lambda_1 \\ & & & & 0 \\ & & & & 0 \\ & & & & \ddots \end{pmatrix} = [T]_{\beta}$$

Def. Let  $x \neq 0 \in K_{\lambda}$ , let  $p \in \mathbb{N}$  be the smallest integer that  $(T - \lambda I)^p(x) = 0$

In other word  $\{(T - \lambda I)^{p-1}(x), \dots, (T - \lambda I)(x), x\}$  contains no zero vector

and we call it a cycle of generated eigenvectors

Let  $\{(T - \lambda I)(v_p) = v_{p-1} \text{ (we allow this since } K_{\lambda} \text{ is } (T - \lambda I)\text{-invariant)}$

$$\begin{cases} (T - \lambda I)(v_{p-1}) = v_{p-2} \\ \dots \\ (T - \lambda I)(v_1) = 0 \end{cases}$$

so  $T(v_1) = \lambda v_1, T(v_2) = v_2 + \lambda v_1, \dots, T(v_k) = v_k + \lambda T v_{k-1}$

let  $\gamma = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_p\}$

then  $[T]_{\gamma} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda & 1 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & \lambda & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , which is the Jordan Block

Remark  $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_p\}$  is linearly independent

if  $x = (T - \lambda I)(v)$ ,  $v \in K_\lambda$ , then  $x \in K_\lambda$  ✓

Theorem:  $K_\lambda$  has an ordered basis consisting of distinct cycles of generated eigenvectors corresponding to  $\lambda$

(proof) Induction on  $\dim(K_\lambda) = n$ . When  $n=1$ , it holds

Suppose the Theorem holds when  $\dim(K_\lambda) \leq n-1$ . Let  $U = (T - \lambda I)|_{K_\lambda}$

Observe that  $\text{im}(U) \subseteq K_\lambda$ ,  $\dim K_\lambda = \text{rank}(U) + \text{null}(U)$

so  $\dim(R(U)) \leq n-1$  and therefore the induction hypothesis applies to  $R(U)$

i.e.  $R(U)$  has a basis consisting of distinct cycles  $\tilde{\gamma}_1, \tilde{\gamma}_2, \dots, \tilde{\gamma}_q$

$\gamma_i$ : let  $x_i$  be its end vector and  $U(v_i) = x_i$   $(T - \lambda I)^p v_i = w_i$

Let  $\tilde{\gamma}_i = r_i \cup \{v_i\}$  be a cycle in  $K_\lambda$  (and  $v_i$  is a generator)

Let  $w_i$  be the initial vector of  $\tilde{\gamma}_i$  (Here  $w_i$  is an eigenvector)

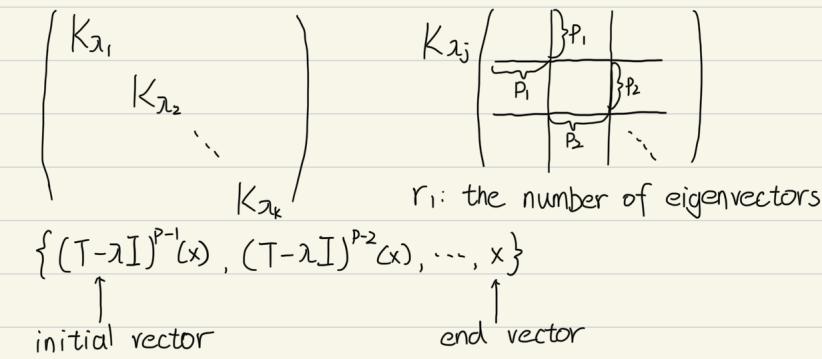
$\{w_1, \dots, w_q\}$  is linearly independent and we can extend it to a basis for  $E_\lambda: \{w_1, \dots, w_q, u_1, \dots, u_s\}$

Claim:  $\tilde{\gamma} = \tilde{\gamma}_1 \cup \dots \cup \tilde{\gamma}_q \cup \{u_1, \dots, u_s\}$  is a basis for  $K_\lambda$

(pf)  $\tilde{\gamma}$  is linearly independent. Let  $W = \text{span}(\tilde{\gamma})$  and  $k = \#\tilde{\gamma}$

$$k \geq \dim W = \dim(R(U)) + \dim(N(U)) = \#(\tilde{\gamma}_1 \cup \tilde{\gamma}_2 \cup \dots \cup \tilde{\gamma}_q) + q + s = \#(\tilde{\gamma}_1 \cup \tilde{\gamma}_2 \cup \dots \cup \tilde{\gamma}_q) + s = k$$

so  $\tilde{\gamma}$  is linearly independent



$$r_1 = \dim K_\lambda - \text{rank}(T|_{K_\lambda} - \lambda I)$$

$$r_2 = \text{rank}(T|_{K_\lambda} - \lambda I) - \text{rank}(T|_{K_\lambda} - \lambda I)^2$$

...

$$r_j = \text{rank}(T|_{K_\lambda} - \lambda I)^{j-1} - \text{rank}(T|_{K_\lambda} - \lambda I)^j$$

$$r_1 \geq r_2 \geq r_3$$

$$\begin{matrix} p_1 & p_2 & \dots & p_m & p_n \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ & & & \ddots & \vdots \end{matrix}$$

Example  $V$  = the space of all polynomial in  $x, y$  of power  $\leq 2$ ,  $T(f(x,y)) = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}$

$$\beta = \{1, x, y, x^2, xy, y^2\}$$

$$[T]_{\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|A - \lambda I| = \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\lambda & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\lambda & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -\lambda & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -\lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^6 = 0$$

$$\lambda = 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0$$

$$V = K_2$$

$$r_1 = 6 - \text{rank } A = 3$$

$$r_2 = \text{rank } A - \text{rank } A^2 = 2$$

$$J = \left( \begin{array}{c|cc|cc} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$0 = (A - \lambda I) \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \\ x_5 \\ x_6 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ 2x_4 \\ x_5 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow x_2 = x_4 = x_5 = 0$$

$$V_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, V_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, V_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$Aw_1 = v_1 \Rightarrow w_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, Au_1 = w_1 \Rightarrow u_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$Y = \{v_1, w_1, u_1, v_2, w_2, u_2, v_3, w_3, u_3\}$$