

- Given a set  $A$ , an  $n$ -tuple over  $A$  is a function  $f: [n] \rightarrow A$
- A vector space is a quadruple  $(V, F, +, \cdot)$ , such that
  - $V$  is a non-empty set, called vectors;
  - $F$  is a numeric field;
  - $+$  is a binary operation that satisfies
    - Commutativity:  $\forall u, v \in V, u+v = v+u$
    - Associativity:  $\forall u, v, w \in V, (u+v)+w = u+(v+w)$
    - Neutral element:  $\forall u \in V, u+0 = u$ , sendo  $0$  o elemento neutro
    - Inverse:  $\forall u, \exists w, u+w = 0$
  - $\cdot$  is an operator that associates  $v \in V$  with a scalar  $\alpha \in F$ , such that it satisfies
    - Associativity:  $\forall \alpha, \beta \in F$  and  $v \in V, (\alpha\beta)v = \alpha(\beta v)$
    - Neutral element:  $\forall v \in V, v \cdot 1 = v$
    - Distributes over addition:  $\forall \alpha \in F$  and  $\forall u, v \in V, \alpha(u+v) = \alpha u + \alpha v$
    - Distributes over scalar addition:  $\forall \alpha, \beta \in F, \forall v \in V, v(\alpha+\beta) = v\alpha + v\beta$

**Proposition:** A vector space has a unique additive identity

**Proposition:** Every element in a vector space has unique additive inverse.

**Proposition:**  $0v = 0$  for every  $v \in V$ .

**Proposition:**  $\alpha 0 = 0$  for every  $\alpha \in F$

**Proposition:**  $(-1)v = -v$  for every  $v \in V$

A subspace  $U$  is a vector space, such that  $U$  is a subset of  $V$ , with  $V$  being another vector space that contains  $U$  and satisfies:

- additive identity  $0 \in U$
- closed under addition  $u, v \in U, u+v \in U$
- closed under scalar multiplication  $\alpha \in F$  and  $v \in U, \alpha \cdot v \in U$
- The sum of  $U_1, \dots, U_m$ , with  $U_i$  being a subspace of  $V$ , is the set of all possible sums of elements of  $U_1, \dots, U_m$ :

$$U_1 + \dots + U_m = \{u_1 + \dots + u_m : u_1 \in U_1, \dots, u_m \in U_m\}$$

• A **direct sum** of subspaces  $U_1, \dots, U_m$ , written  $U = U_1 \oplus \dots \oplus U_m$ , is a sum  $U = U_1 + \dots + U_m$ , such that each element in  $U$  can be written uniquely as a sum  $v_1 + \dots + v_m$ , with  $v_j \in U_j$ .

**Proposition:** Let  $U_1, \dots, U_n$  be subspaces of  $V$ . Then,  $V = U_1 \oplus \dots \oplus U_n$  if and only if:

1.  $V = U_1 + \dots + U_n$
2.  $v_1 + \dots + v_n = 0$ , if  $\forall v_j \in U_j, v_j = 0$

**Proposition** Suppose that  $U$  and  $W$  are subspaces of  $V$ . Then,  $V = U + W$  and  $U \cap W = \{0\}$

• **Linear independent:** Consider a linear combination  $\alpha_1 v_1 + \alpha_2 v_2 + \dots + \alpha_m v_m$ , with  $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_m \in F$  and  $v_1, \dots, v_m \in V$ . We say it is **linear independent** if the only way that  $\alpha_1 v_1 + \dots + \alpha_m v_m = 0$  is that  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \dots = \alpha_m = 0$ .

• **span** is the set of all combinations of a list  $(v_1, \dots, v_m)$  of  $V$ , such that  $\text{span}(v_1, \dots, v_m) = \{ \alpha_1 v_1 + \dots + \alpha_m v_m : \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_m \in F \}$

**Linear Dependence Lemma:** If  $(v_1, \dots, v_m)$  is linearly dependent in  $V$  and  $v_i \neq 0$ , then there exists  $j \in \{2, \dots, m\}$  such that the following hold:

1.  $v_j \in \text{span}(v_1, \dots, v_{j-1})$ ;
2. If the  $j^{\text{th}}$  term is removed from  $(v_1, \dots, v_m)$ , the span of the remaining list equals  $\text{span}(v_1, \dots, v_m)$ .

**Theorem:** In a finite-dimensional vector space, the length of every linearly independent list of vectors is less than or equal to the length of every spanning list of vectors.

**Proposition:** Every subspace of a finite-dimensional vector space is finite dimensional

• A **basis** of  $V$ , with  $V$  being a vector space, is a list of vectors in  $V$  that is **linearly independent** and **spans**  $V$ .

**Proposition:** A list  $(v_1, \dots, v_n)$  of vectors in  $V$  is a basis of  $V$  if and only if every  $v \in V$  can be written uniquely in the form

$$v = \alpha_1 v_1 + \dots + \alpha_n v_n,$$

in which  $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n \in F$ .

**Theorem:** Every spanning list in a vector space can be reduced to a basis of the vector space.

**Corollary:** Every finite-dimensional vector space has a basis.

**Theorem:** Every linearly independent list of vectors in a finite-dimensional vector space can be extended to a basis of the vector space.

**Proposition:** Suppose  $V$  is finite dimensional and  $U$  is a subspace of  $V$ . Then there is a subspace  $W$  of  $V$  such that  $V = U \oplus W$ .

**Theorem:** Any two bases of a finite-dimensional vector space have the same length.

**Proposition:** If  $V$  is finite dimensional and  $U$  is a subspace of  $V$ , then  $\dim U \leq \dim V$ .

**Proposition:** If  $V$  is finite dimensional, then every spanning list of vectors in  $V$  with length  $\dim V$  is a basis of  $V$ .

**Proposition:** If  $V$  is finite dimensional, then every linearly independent list of vectors in  $V$  with length  $\dim V$  is a basis of  $V$ .

**Theorem:** If  $U_1$  and  $U_2$  are subspaces of a finite-dimensional vector space, then

$$\dim(U_1 + U_2) = \dim U_1 + \dim U_2 - \dim(U_1 \cap U_2)$$

**Proposition:** Suppose  $V$  is finite dimensional and  $U_1, \dots, U_m$  are subspaces of  $V$  such that

$$V = U_1 + \dots + U_m \quad \text{and} \quad \dim V = \dim U_1 + \dots + \dim U_m$$

Then,  $V = U_1 \oplus \dots \oplus U_m$

• A **linear map** is a function  $T: V \rightarrow W$ , such that

1.  $T(v + w) = T v + T w, \forall v, w \in V;$

2.  $T(\alpha v) = \alpha(T v), \forall \alpha \in F \in V \text{ rev.}$

The set of all linear maps from  $V$  to  $W$  is  $L(V, W)$ .

• The **null space** of  $T$ , for  $T \in L(V, W)$ , is the subset of  $V$  consisting of those vectors that  $T$  maps to 0.

$$\text{null } T = \{v \in V : T v = 0\}.$$

**Proposition:** If  $T \in L(V, W)$ , then  $\text{null } T$  is a subspace of  $V$ .

**Proposition:** Let  $T \in L(V, W)$ . Then  $T$  is injective if and only if  $\text{null } T = \{0\}$ .

**Proposition:** If  $T \in L(V, W)$ , then  $\text{range } T$  is a subspace of  $W$ .

**Theorem:** If  $V$  is finite-dimensional and  $T \in L(V, W)$ , then  $\text{range } T$  is finite-dimensional subspace of  $W$  and

$$\dim V = \dim \text{null } T + \dim \text{range } T.$$

**Corollary:** If  $V$  and  $W$  are finite-dimensional vector spaces such that  $\dim V > \dim W$ , then no linear map from  $V$  to  $W$  is injective.

**Corollary:** If  $V$  and  $W$  are finite-dimensional vector spaces such that  $\dim V < \dim W$ , then no linear map from  $V$  to  $W$  is surjective.

**Theorem:** The set of all linear transformations on a vector space is itself a vector space.

• An **m-by-n matrix** is a rectangular array with  $m$  rows and  $n$  columns, such like

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{1,1} & \dots & a_{1,n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m,1} & \dots & a_{m,n} \end{bmatrix}$$

• A **matrix of  $T$**  is represented by

$$M(T, (v_1, \dots, v_n), (w_1, \dots, w_m))$$

in which  $T \in L(V, W)$ ,  $(v_1, \dots, v_n)$  is a basis of  $V$  and  $(w_1, \dots, w_m)$  is a basis of  $W$ . We have that, for each  $k=1, \dots, n$ ,

$$T v_k = a_{1,k} w_1 + \dots + a_{m,k} w_m,$$

such that  $a_{j,k} \in F$  for  $j=1, \dots, m$ . However, we prefer to use the compact notation, such that  $M(T)$  is Matrix of Linear Map.

- A linear map  $T \in L(V, W)$  is called **invertible** if there exists a linear map  $S \in L(W, V)$  such that  $ST = I$  and  $TS = I$ . Then,  $S$  is the **inverse** of  $T$ .

**Proposition:** A linear map is invertible if and only if it is injective and surjective.

- Two vector spaces are called **isomorphic** if there is an invertible linear map from one vector space onto the other one.

**Theorem:** If  $A, B, C$  are linear transformations such that  $AB = CA = I$ ,  $A$  is invertible and  $A^{-1} = B = C$ .

**Theorem:** A linear transformation  $A$  on a finite-dimensional vector space  $V$  is invertible if and only if  $Ax = 0$  implies that  $x = 0$ , or, alternatively, if and only if  $V$  can be written in the form  $y = Ax$ .

**Theorem:** If  $A$  and  $B$  are invertible, then  $AB$  is invertible and  $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$ . If  $A$  is invertible and  $\alpha \neq 0$ , then  $\alpha A$  is invertible and  $(\alpha A)^{-1} = \frac{1}{\alpha} A^{-1}$ . If  $A$  is invertible, then  $A^{-1}$  is invertible and  $(A^{-1})^{-1} = A$ .

A **matrix of a linear map** is an array  $m$  by  $n$ , such that each column represents the linear combination of  $Tv_k$ , in which  $k=1, \dots, n$ . Therefore, let  $T \in L(V, W)$ ,  $(v_1, \dots, v_n)$  is a basis of  $V$  and  $(w_1, \dots, w_m)$ , a basis of  $W$ . We have  $\alpha_{j,k} \in F$ , for  $j=1, \dots, m$  in

$$Tv_k = \alpha_{1,k} w_1 + \dots + \alpha_{m,k} w_m,$$

which determines a **matrix of  $T$**  with respect to the bases  $(v_1, \dots, v_n)$  and  $(w_1, \dots, w_m)$  denoted by

$$M(T, (v_1, \dots, v_n), (w_1, \dots, w_m)) \text{ or (for short) } M(T)$$

It means that each column represents a linear combination for  $Tv_k$  vector in  $W$ . Notice that  $Tv_k$  spans  $W$ .

**Theorem:** Among the set of all matrices  $(\alpha_{ij}), (\beta_{ij}), \dots, i, j = 1, \dots, n$ , we define sum, scalar multiplication, product,  $\delta_{ij}$ , and  $e_{ij}$  by

1.  $(\alpha_{ij}) + (\beta_{ij}) = (\alpha_{ij} + \beta_{ij})$
2.  $c(\alpha_{ij}) = (c\alpha_{ij})$
3.  $(\alpha_{ij})(\beta_{ij}) = (\sum_k \alpha_{ik} \beta_{kj})$
4.  $\delta_{ij} = 0$
5.  $e_{ij} = \delta_{ij}$  (Kronecker delta)

**Proposition:** Suppose  $T \in L(V, W)$  and  $(v_1, \dots, v_n)$  is a basis of  $V$  and  $(w_1, \dots, w_m)$  is a basis of  $W$ . Then

$$M(Tv) = M(T)M(v)$$

- $M(T+S) = M(T) + M(S)$
- $M(cT) = cM(T)$
- $M(m, n, F)$  is a vector space and defined as the set of all  $m$ -by- $n$  matrices with entries in  $F$ .
- $M(TS) = M(T)M(S)$ , in which  $S: U \rightarrow V$  and  $T: V \rightarrow W$ . Notice that  $TS$  is a composition of linear maps and  $M(T)M(S)$  is a multiplication of matrices.
- A **matrix multiplication** is an operation defined as

$$\begin{aligned} TSv_k &= T\left(\sum_{r=1}^n b_{rk} v_r\right) \\ &= \sum_{r=1}^n b_{rk} T v_r \\ &= \sum_{r=1}^n b_{rk} \sum_{j=1}^m a_{jir} w_j \\ &= \sum_{j=1}^m \left( \sum_{r=1}^n a_{jir} b_{rk} \right) w_j, \text{ with } S: U \rightarrow V \text{ and } T: V \rightarrow W \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $M(TS)$  is the  $m$ -by- $p$  matrix where entry in row  $j$ , column  $k$  equals  $\sum_{r=1}^n a_{jir} b_{rk}$

! This operation is defined only when the number of columns of the first matrix equals the number of rows of the second matrix.

. The **matrix of  $v$**  is a matrix of the unique scalars  $b_1, \dots, b_n$  that spans  $v$ . Then, let  $(v_1, \dots, v_n)$  a basis of  $V$ ,

$$v = b_1 v_1 + \dots + b_n v_n,$$

such that  $M(v)$  or

$$M(v, (v_1, \dots, v_n)) = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ \vdots \\ b_n \end{bmatrix}$$

- A **norm** of  $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$  is defined as  $\|x\| = \sqrt{\langle x, x \rangle}$
- A **dot product** of  $x$  and  $y$  is defined as  $x \cdot y = x_1 y_1 + \dots + x_n y_n$   
An inner product is a generalization of the dot product.
- An **inner product** on  $V$  is a function that takes each ordered pair  $(v, w)$  of elements of  $V$  to a number  $\langle v, w \rangle \in F$  and follows the properties

1. **Positivity**  $\langle v, v \rangle \geq 0, \forall v \in V$

2. **Definiteness**  $\langle v, v \rangle = 0 \Leftrightarrow v = 0$

3. **Additivity in first slot**  $\langle v + w, \omega \rangle = \langle v, \omega \rangle + \langle w, \omega \rangle$

4. **Homogeneity in first slot**  $\langle \alpha v, \omega \rangle = \alpha \langle v, \omega \rangle, \forall \alpha \in F$   
 $\forall v, \omega \in V$

5. **Conjugate symmetry**  $\langle v, \omega \rangle = \overline{\langle \omega, v \rangle}, \forall v, \omega \in V$

- An **Euclidean inner product** is defined as an inner-product space is  $F^n$ , such that

$$\langle (w_1, \dots, w_n), (z_1, \dots, z_n) \rangle = w_1 \bar{z}_1 + \dots + w_n \bar{z}_n$$

• **Cauchy-Schwarz Inequality:** If  $v, w \in V$ , then

$$|\langle v, w \rangle| \leq \|v\| \|w\|$$

This inequality is an equality if and only if one of  $v, w$  is a scalar multiple of the other.

• **Triangle Inequality:** If  $v, w \in V$ , then

$$\|v + w\| \leq \|v\| + \|w\|$$

This inequality is an equality if and only if one of  $v, w$  is a scalar multiple of the other.

• **Parallelogram Equality:** If  $v, w \in V$ , then

$$\|v + w\|^2 + \|v - w\|^2 = 2(\|v\|^2 + \|w\|^2)$$

• An **Orthonormal bases** is a list of vectors, in which they are pair-wise orthogonal and each vector has norm 1. This means that for a list  $(e_1, \dots, e_m)$  is orthonormal if  $\langle e_j, e_k \rangle$  equals 0 when  $j \neq k$  and equals 1 when  $j = k$ , for  $j, k \in \{1, \dots, m\}$ .

**Proposition:** If  $(e_1, \dots, e_m)$  is orthonormal list of vectors in  $V$ , then

$$\|\alpha_1 e_1 + \dots + \alpha_m e_m\|^2 = |\alpha_1|^2 + \dots + |\alpha_m|^2$$

for all  $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_m \in F$ .

## Polyomials

- A function  $p: F \rightarrow F$  is called a polynomial if there exists  $a_0, \dots, a_m \in F$  such that

$$p(z) = a_0 + a_1 z + a_2 z^2 + \dots + a_m z^m$$

- A polynomial  $p$  has **degree**  $m$  if

$$p(z) = a_0 + a_1 z + \dots + a_m z^m$$

and  $a_m \neq 0$ .

\* If  $a_0 = 0, \dots, a_m = 0$ , then  $p$  has degree  $-\infty$ .

$\mathbb{P}(F)$  is the vector space of all polynomials with coefficients in  $F$ .

$\mathbb{P}_m(F)$  is the subspace of  $\mathbb{P}(F)$  consisting of the polynomials with coefficients in  $F$  and degree at most  $m$ .

$\lambda \in F$  is called a **root** of a polynomial  $p \in \mathbb{P}(F)$  if  $p(\lambda) = 0$ .

**Proposition:** Suppose  $p \in \mathbb{P}(F)$  is a polynomial with degree  $m \geq 1$ . Let  $\lambda \in F$ . Then  $\lambda$  is a root of  $p$  if and only if there is a polynomial  $q \in \mathbb{P}(F)$  with degree  $m-1$  such that

$$p(z) = (z - \lambda)q(z)$$

for all  $z \in F$ .

**Corollary:** Suppose  $p \in \mathbb{P}(F)$  is a polynomial with degree  $m \geq 0$ . Then  $p$  has at most  $m$  distinct roots in  $F$ .

**Corollary:** Suppose  $a_0, \dots, a_m \in F$ . If

$$a_0 + a_1 z + a_2 z^2 + \dots + a_m z^m = 0$$

for all  $z \in F$ , then  $a_0 = \dots = a_m = 0$ .

**Division Algorithm:** Suppose  $p, q \in \mathbb{P}(F)$ , with  $p \neq 0$ . Then, there exist polynomials  $s, r \in \mathbb{P}(F)$  such that

$$q = sp + r$$

and  $\deg r < \deg p$

**Fundamental Theorem of Algebra:** Every nonconstant polynomial with complex coefficients has a root.

**Corollary:** If  $p \in \mathbb{P}(\mathbb{C})$  is a nonconstant polynomial, then  $p$  has a unique factorization (except for the order of factors) of the form

$$p(z) = c(z - \lambda_1) \cdots (z - \lambda_m)$$

where  $c, \lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_m \in \mathbb{C}$ .

**Proposition:** Suppose  $p$  is a polynomial with real coefficients. If  $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$  is a root of  $p$ , then so is  $\bar{\lambda}$ .

**Proposition:** Let  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$ . Then there is a polynomial factorization of the form

$$x^2 + \alpha x + \beta = (x - \lambda_1)(x - \lambda_2)$$

with  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 \in \mathbb{R}$ , if and only if  $\alpha^2 \geq 4\beta$ .

**Theorem:** If  $p \in \mathbb{P}(\mathbb{R})$  is a nonconstant polynomial, then  $p$  has a unique factorization (except for the order of factors) of the form

$$p(x) = c(x - \lambda_1) \cdots (x - \lambda_m) (x^2 + \alpha_1 x + \beta_1) \cdots (x^2 + \alpha_m x + \beta_m)$$