


Linear Transformations

Defn] Let V, W be vs /F.

The function $T: V \rightarrow W$ is a linear p.t

① T is a grp homomorphism wrt $(V, +)$, $(W, +)$

$$T(v + v') = T(v) + T(v')$$

② $\forall v \in V \quad \forall \alpha \in F$

$$T(\alpha v) = \alpha T(v)$$

Note: immediately $T(0_v) = 0_w$

$$T(-v) = -T(v)$$

Defn] Let V, W be vs /F

$\text{Hom}(V, W) := \{T: V \rightarrow W \mid T \text{ is a lin func}\}$

Cool, $\text{Hom}(V, W)$ is a vs /F of $\dim(V) \cdot \dim(W)$
(i.e. they're both fin dim)

Basic Results

Let $T, T' \in \text{Hom}(V, W)$

① $\forall c \in F \quad (cT): V \rightarrow W \in \text{Hom}(V, W)$
 $v \mapsto c \cdot T(v)$

② $(T + T'): V \rightarrow W \in \text{Hom}(V, W)$

③ $T: V \rightarrow W$ is inj $\iff \ker(T) = \{0_v\}$

④ $\ker(T) \subseteq V$ is a subsp of V

⑤ $\text{im}(T) \subseteq W$ is a subsp of W

⑥ If $T'' \in \text{Hom}(W, V)$, $T \circ T'' \in \text{Hom}(V, W)$

Lemma) Let V, W vs /F.

If $T \in \text{hom}(V, W)$ is injective, it takes lin ind from to lin ind from.

Pf) Let $L = (v_i | i \in I)$ be lin ind in V

Consider $T(L) := (T(v_i) | i \in I) \Rightarrow$ show it is lin ind in W

Spozze $\exists a_i \in F$. Where

$$\sum_{i \in I} a_i T(v_i) = 0_W$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i \in I} T(a_i v_i) = 0_W$$

$$\Rightarrow T\left(\sum_{i \in I} a_i v_i\right) = 0_W$$

By injectivity,

$$\sum_{i \in I} a_i v_i = 0_V \Rightarrow a_i = 0 \quad \forall i \in I$$

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Lemma) Let V, W vs /F

Let $T \in \text{hom}(V, W)$ be surj.

T takes spanning fam in V to spanning fam in W .

Pf) Let $S = (v_i | i \in I)$ span V .

Let $w \in W$ be given. $\exists v \in V$ s.t $T(v) = w$

But, $\exists a_i \in F$ s.t

$$v = \sum_{i \in I} a_i v_i \Rightarrow w = T\left(\sum_{i \in I} a_i v_i\right)$$

$$= \sum_{i \in I} a_i T(v_i)$$

$\therefore T(V)$ is spanning!

does the conu hold?
Probably!

Goal] Suppose V, W are fg /F. Let $T \in \text{hom}(V, W)$

(1) T inj $\Rightarrow \dim(V) \leq \dim(W)$

(2) T surj $\Rightarrow \dim(W) \leq \dim(V)$

Pf] (1) Let B be a basis of V .

We see that $T(B)$ is lin ind in W by lemma

So $|T(B)| \leq \dim(W)$

By injectivity $|T(B)| = |B| = \dim(V)$ D

(2) Let B be a basis of V .

$T(B)$ is spanning in W and

$$|T(B)| \leq |B|$$

But, $|B| = \dim(V)$ $|T(B)| \geq \dim(W)$ D

Lemma] Let V, W be fin gen /F.

If $\dim(V) = \dim(W)$

Let $T \in \text{hom}(V, W)$

T is inj $\Leftrightarrow T$ is surj

(obviously getting $\Leftrightarrow T$ is bij) D

Pf] Let $B = \{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$ be a basis of V .

\Rightarrow

T inj $\Rightarrow T(B)$ is lin ind, but $|T(B)| = |B| = \dim(V)$

$\therefore T(B)$ is a max lin ind fam in $W \Rightarrow T(B)$ is ab

$\Rightarrow T(B)$ is spanning

$\Rightarrow T$ is surj!

\Leftarrow same idea D

Understanding Linear Transformations

→ We only need to what a linear trans does to a basis!

Claim Let V, W be vs /F. Let $B = (v_i | i \in I) \subseteq V$ be a basis

Let $(\vec{w}_i | i \in I) \subseteq W$ be a family

$\exists! T \in \text{hom}(V, W)$ s.t. $\forall i \in I \quad T(v_i) = w_i$

Pf) Set $T(v_i) = \vec{w}_i \quad \forall i \in I$

Let $\vec{v} \in V$.

\vec{v} is uniquely represented by a lin comb of B

$$\vec{v} = \sum_{i \in I} a_i v_i$$

$$\therefore T(\vec{v}) = \sum_{i \in I} a_i T(v_i) = \sum_{i \in I} a_i w_i$$

(\Rightarrow Linear by construction)

Let $S \in \text{hom}(V, W)$ s.t. $s(v_i) = w_i \quad \forall i \in I$

$$S(\vec{v}) = S\left(\sum_{i \in I} a_i v_i\right) = \sum_{i \in I} a_i w_i$$

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What do we know about 'im'?

If $T \in \text{hom}(V, W)$ and $B = (v_i | i \in I)$ is a basis of V .

Then $\text{im}(T) = \text{span}(\{T(v_i) | i \in I\})$

≡ immediate -> just reverse engineer.

Let $\vec{w} \in \text{Im}(T) \quad \exists v \in V \text{ s.t. } T(v) = \vec{w}$

$$v = \sum_{i \in I} a_i v_i \Rightarrow T(v) = \sum_{i \in I} a_i T(v_i) \in \text{span}(\{T(v_i) | i \in I\})$$

Note: also works if you just have a spanning fam over V .

Say S spans V .

$$\text{im}(T) = \text{span}(\{T(s) |$$

Lemma) "Equal ^{finite} dimensional vs one isomorphic"

Let $V \in \mathbb{N}$. Fix F .

Let V, W be vs over F s.t. $n = \dim(V) = \dim(W)$

V, W are isomorphic!

Pr) Since V, W are finite & \exists basis

$$B = (v_1, \dots, v_n) \subset V$$

$$B' = (w_1, \dots, w_n) \subset W$$

Consider the unique lin trans (by earlier)

$$T: V \rightarrow W \quad \forall i \in N_n \quad T(v_i) = w_i$$

Claim T is bij. As $\dim(V) = \dim(W)$, we only need to check surj or inj.

Surj.

$$\text{Im}(T) = \text{Span}(T(B)) = \text{Span}(B') = W$$

$$\therefore \text{surj} \Rightarrow \text{inj} \Rightarrow \text{bij} \quad D.$$

Corr) Every vs of dim n over F is isomorphic to F^n

Lemma) Let V be a vs of dim n over F .

Then the following is a bijection

(\odot): $\text{Isom}(F^n, V) \rightarrow \{\text{bases of } V\}$

isomorphisms
from F^n to V

$$T \longmapsto (T(e_1), T(e_2), \dots, T(e_n))$$

Pr) Surj. Fix basis B of V , $B = (v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n)$

Consider $T \in \text{Hom}(F^n, V)$, $T(e_i) = v_i \quad \forall i \in N_n$

T is a isomorphism by earlier logic & $(\odot)(T) = B$

$$\therefore \text{im}(\odot) = \{\text{bases of } V\} \Rightarrow \text{Surj}$$

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Inj. Suppose $\text{rank}(T) = \text{rank}(S)$

$T, S \in \text{Isom}(F^n, V)$ so

$$\text{rank}(T) = (T(e_1), \dots, T(e_n))$$

$$= \text{rank}(S) = (S(e_1), \dots, S(e_n))$$

$$\Rightarrow T(e_i) = S(e_i) \quad \forall i \in \mathbb{N}_n$$

So, S & T agree on a basis of F^n .

$$\Rightarrow S = T \Rightarrow \text{inj}$$

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Since we have a bij, consider the inv.

$$\text{rank}^{-1}: \{\text{basis of } V\} \rightarrow \text{Isom}(F^n, V)$$

$$\Downarrow \quad \mapsto i_W : F^n \rightarrow V$$

where if $w = (v_1, \dots, v_n)$

$$i_W(e_i) = v_i \quad \forall i \in \mathbb{N}$$

$i_W: F^n \rightarrow V$ give us "coordinates" in V

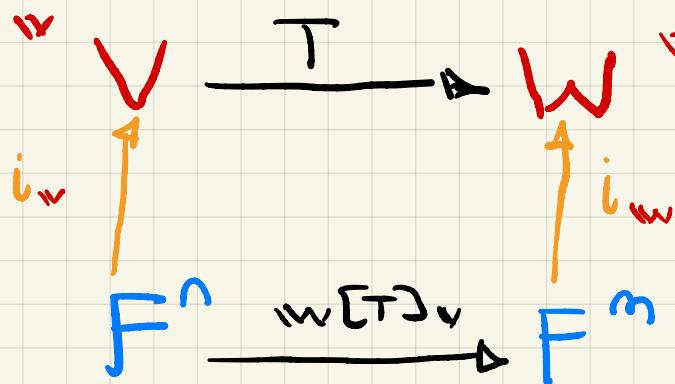
Visualizing Linear Transformations

let V, W be fgs /F where $\dim(V) = n$, $\dim(W) = m$.

* Choose a basis $w = (w_1, \dots, w_m) \subseteq W$

* Choose a basis $v = (v_1, \dots, v_n) \subseteq V$

We have the following commutative diagram



for the diagram to com

$$m[T]_W = i_W^{-1} \circ T \circ i_V$$

so $m[T]_W \in \text{hom}(F^n, F^m)$

lets understand $\llbracket T \rrbracket_N$

for each $v_i \in \mathbb{W}$, $T(v_i) = \sum_{j=1}^m T_{ji} \vec{w_j}$, $T_{ji} \in F$

If $v = a_1 v_1 + \dots + a_n v_n$

$$T(v) = T\left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i v_i\right)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n a_i T(v_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n \left[a_i \sum_{j=1}^m T_{ji} \vec{w}_j \right]$$

upon expansion,

$$= (a_1 T_{11} + a_2 T_{12} \dots) \vec{w}_1 +$$

$$(a_1 T_{21} + a_2 T_{22} \dots) \vec{w}_2 +$$

:

$$(a_1 T_{n1} + a_2 T_{n2} \dots) \vec{w}_n$$

$$\text{so, } \llbracket T \rrbracket_N \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ \vdots \\ a_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 T_{11} + a_2 T_{12} \dots + a_n T_{1n} \\ a_1 T_{21} + a_2 T_{22} \dots + a_n T_{2n} \\ \vdots \\ a_1 T_{n1} + a_2 T_{n2} \dots + a_n T_{nn} \end{pmatrix}$$

↳ matrix mult on left

$\llbracket T \rrbracket_N$ is rep by

\downarrow \downarrow
 $m \times n$ matrix \rightarrow

$$\begin{bmatrix} T_{11} & T_{12} & \dots & T_{1n} \\ \vdots & & & \\ T_{m1} & T_{m2} & \dots & T_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$

Pause... matrices popped up!

Defn) Matrix mult.

Let $A \in \text{Mat}_{m \times n}(F)$ $C \in \text{Mat}_{n \times p}(F)$

Then AC is defined by, $j \in \mathbb{N}_n$, $k \in \mathbb{N}_p$

$$(AC)_{jk} = \sum_{r=1}^n A_{jr} C_{r \cdot k}$$

$AC \in \text{Mat}_{m \times p}(F)$

This allows composition.

Suppose $A \in \text{Mat}_{m \times n}(F)$, $C \in \text{Mat}_{n \times p}(F)$

We will show the following are true

$$\begin{aligned} L_A : F^n &\rightarrow F^m & L_C : F^m &\rightarrow F^p \\ x &\mapsto Ax & y &\mapsto Cy \end{aligned}$$

$$1) \underbrace{L_C \circ L_A = L_{CA}}_{\text{if } x \mapsto Ax \mapsto CAx}$$

Lemma) Let $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$ be given. Let F be a field.

Let $A \in \text{Mat}_{m \times n}$. Define,

$$\begin{aligned} L_A : F^n &\rightarrow F^m \\ \bar{v} &\mapsto A\bar{v} \end{aligned}$$

$L_A \in \text{hom}(F^n, F^m)$

Pf) Comes from formula of matrix mult!

Q) We have 2 vee sp storing as in the tree
 $\text{Mat}_{m \times n}(F)$ & $\text{hom}(F^n, F^m)$

They should be iso right? Consider

$$X : \text{Mat}_{m \times n}(F) \rightarrow \text{hom}(F^n, F^m)$$

$$A \mapsto L_A : F^n \rightarrow F^m$$

The fact that $\beta \in \text{hom}(\text{Mat}_{m \times n}(F), \text{hom}(F^n, F^m))$
comes from the formula for matrix mult.
 $\therefore \beta$ is linear!

Claim $\dim(\text{Mat}_{m \times n}(F)) = mn$

Pf) Consider a basis for $i \in \mathbb{N}_m, j \in \mathbb{N}_n$

$$E_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \cdots & \cdots & \cdots \\ 0 & \ddots & & \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & 1 \\ \vdots & & & \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

This family is of size $m \cdot n$.

So, to show bijectivity, injectivity is sufficient.

let $M \in \ker(\beta)$

$\lambda(M)$ is the lin trans $L_m : F^n \xrightarrow{v \mapsto Mv} F^n \equiv 0$

So, in particular

$$\begin{pmatrix} M_{11} & \cdots & M_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ M_{m1} & \cdots & M_{mn} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \vec{0} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} M_{11} \\ \vdots \\ M_{m1} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

so, $\forall 1 \leq j \leq n$, $M \vec{e_j}$ extracts the j^{th} col which is 0!

$\therefore \forall j \in \mathbb{N}_n, \forall i \in \mathbb{N}_m \quad M_{ij} = 0$

$\therefore \ker(\beta)$ is trivial. D

We can also get surj. fix $T \in \text{hom}(F^n, F^m)$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} | & | & | & | \\ T(e_1) & T(e_2) & \dots & T(e_n) \\ | & | & & | \end{pmatrix}$$

does the trick! D

To construct matrix $[T]_{\mathbb{N}_m \times \mathbb{N}_n}$, simply make with
standard basis in F^n , simply make with
standard basis in F^m . Check p 18 week 8 if needed
↳ gives cols!

Change of Basis!

We will work with an ex.

$$V = \mathbb{R}[x]_{\leq 2} \quad W = \mathbb{R}[x]_{\leq 2}$$

$$T : V \rightarrow W$$

$$P \mapsto \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} P + 3x \frac{\partial}{\partial x} P + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (2x P)$$

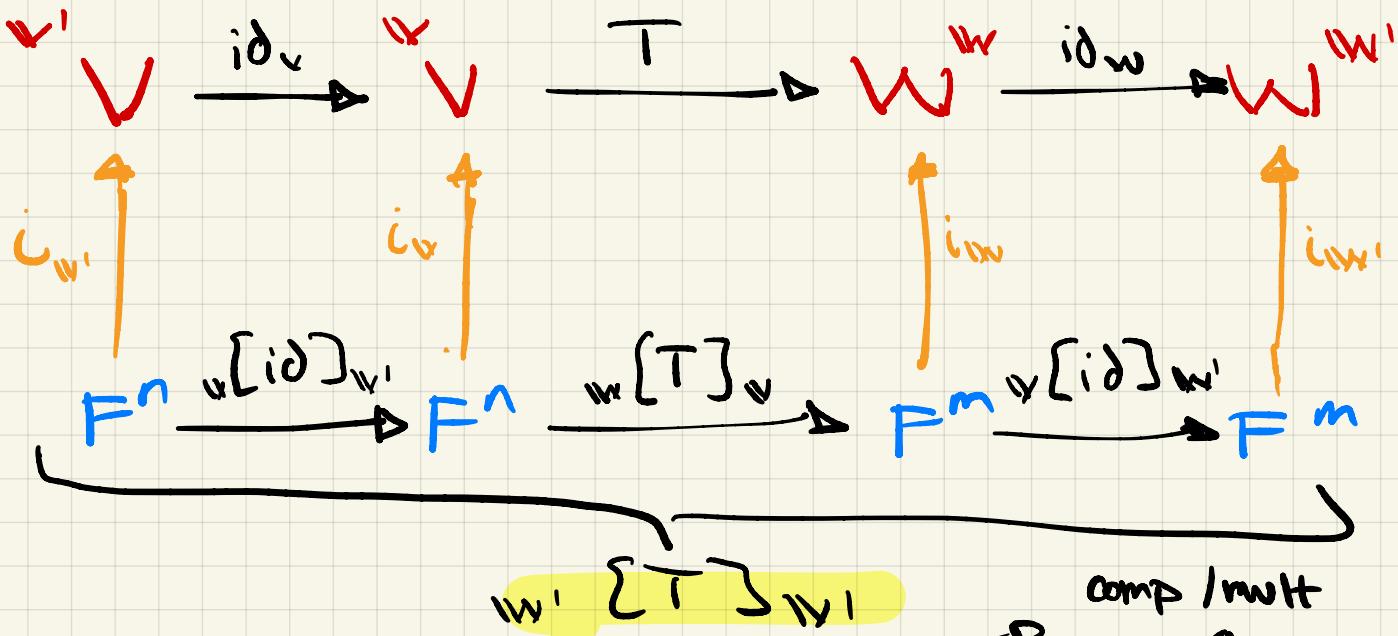
$$\text{if } \mathcal{B} = \mathcal{B}_W = (1, x, x^2)$$

$$[\mathcal{B} T]_{WW} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 7 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 12 \end{pmatrix} \quad \rightarrow \text{can check}$$

$$\text{if } \mathcal{B}' = (1, 1+x, x^2) \quad \mathcal{B}' = (2, 1+3x, x^2+1)$$

$$[\mathcal{B}' T]_{W'} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1/6 & -5 \\ 0 & 2/3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 12 \end{pmatrix}$$

How are these matrices related? Commutative diag!



$$\text{So, } [\mathcal{B}' T]_{W'} = [\mathcal{B} T]_{WW} \cdot [\mathcal{B}]_{WW}^{-1} \cdot [\mathcal{B} id_V]_{VV}$$

↓
change of basis matrix!

In the example

$$[\text{id}]_{\mathbb{W}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$[\text{id}]_{\mathbb{W}'} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.5 & -1/6 & -1/2 \\ 0 & 1/3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

And things work out

Defn) Let \mathbb{W} and \mathbb{W}' be two bases of fin gen V .
The change of co-ordinate matrix from \mathbb{W} to \mathbb{W}' is

$$[\text{id}]_{\mathbb{W}' \rightarrow \mathbb{W}}$$

Obs) $[\text{id}]_{\mathbb{W} \rightarrow \mathbb{W}} = \text{id}_{n \times n} \quad (n = \dim(V))$

$$[\text{id}]_{\mathbb{W}' \rightarrow \mathbb{W}} = \underbrace{[\text{id}]_{\mathbb{W}' \rightarrow \mathbb{W}'}}_A \cdot [\text{id}]_{\mathbb{W} \rightarrow \mathbb{W}'} = \underbrace{\text{id}_{n \times n}}_B$$

$$B \cdot A = [\text{id}]_{\mathbb{W}' \rightarrow \mathbb{W}'} = \text{id}_{n \times n}$$

$\therefore A \text{ & } B \text{ are invertible!}$

Defn) The sq mat $A \in \text{Mat}_{n \times n}(F)$ is irr if
 $\exists B \in \text{Mat}_{n \times n} \text{ s.t. }$
 $A \cdot B = B \cdot A = \text{id}_{n \times n}$



Lemmas) The matrix $A \in \text{Mat}_{n,n}(F)$ is inv iff

- ① $L_A : F^n \rightarrow F^n$ is inv
- ② L_A is lin isom
- ③ L_A is inj
- ④ L_A is surj
- ⑤ cols of A span F^n

PP) we already have ① \Leftrightarrow ②③④

we also have ④ \Leftrightarrow ⑤ as

$$\begin{aligned} \text{im}(L_A) &= \text{span}(L_A(\text{basis of } F^n)) \\ &\quad (\text{if take } \mathbf{e} = (e_1, \dots, e_n)) \\ &= \text{span}(\text{first col}, \text{sec col}, \dots, n \text{ col}) \end{aligned}$$

\Leftrightarrow follows from prev!

Row Reduction

if we want to determine if a matrix $A \in \text{Mat}(n,n)$ is inv, we must check if cols are spanning

\Leftrightarrow cols basis (as we have n cols)

\Leftrightarrow cols are lin ind

To check the latter, we use row reduction!

Defn) A matrix is said to be in echelon form pt

- ① in every row, the first non-zero entry is 1
(called a pivot)