

VECTOR SPACES

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ABSTRACT. This article contains Z Notation type declarations for vector spaces and some related objects. It has been type checked by *fUZZ*.

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1. REAL VECTOR SPACES

Real vector spaces are multidimensional generalizations of real numbers. They are the objects studied in linear algebra and are foundational to differential geometry.

In the following let t denote a set of elements which we'll refer to as *vectors* and let A denote an Abelian group over the vectors in which the binary operation is

denoted as addition. Let v and w denote vectors and let x and y denote real numbers.

1.1. Notation for Vector Addition, Zero, and Negative: $+$ $\backslash\text{addV}$, $\mathbf{0}$ $\backslash\text{zeroV}$, and $-$ $\backslash\text{negV}$. Let $v + w$ denote vector addition, let $\mathbf{0}$ denote the zero vector, and let $-v$ denote the negative vector.

1.2. Real Scalar Multiplication: $*$ $\backslash\text{mulS}$, \times $\backslash\text{timesS}$, and *RealScalarMultiplication*.

A *real scalar multiplication* operation on the vectors is an operation $smul$ that maps the pair (x, v) to another vector, typically denoted $x * v$ or $x \times v$, such that multiplication by 0 maps all vectors to the group identity element, multiplication by 1 maps each vector to itself, multiplication preserves group addition, and multiplication distributes over both real and group addition.

Let *RealScalarMultiplication* denote this situation.

RealScalarMultiplication[\mathbf{t}]

$A : \text{abgroup } \mathbf{t}$

$smul : \mathbb{R} \times \mathbf{t} \rightarrow \mathbf{t}$

let $(- + -) == A;$

$\mathbf{0} == \text{identity_element } A;$

$(- * -) == smul \bullet$

$\forall x, y : \mathbb{R}; v, w : \mathbf{t} \bullet$

$0 * v = \mathbf{0} \wedge$

$1 * v = v \wedge$

$(x * y) * v = x * (y * v) \wedge$

$(x + y) * v = x * v + y * v \wedge$

$x * (v + w) = x * v + x * w$

- Multiplying by 0 gives the zero vector.
- Multiplying by 1 gives the same vector.
- Scalar multiplication is associative.
- Scalar addition distributes over scalar multiplication.
- Vector addition distributes over scalar multiplication.

1.3. The Set of All Real Vector Spaces: $\text{vec}_{\mathbb{R}} \backslash \text{vecR}$. A *real vector space* is a pair $(A, smul)$ where A is an Abelian group and $smul$ is a real scalar multiplication on the elements of A . The elements of A are referred to as *vectors*.

Let $\text{vec}_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbf{t}$ denote the set of all real vector spaces over \mathbf{t} ,

$\text{vec}_{\mathbb{R}} \mathbf{t} == \{ \text{RealScalarMultiplication}[\mathbf{t}] \bullet (A, smul) \}$

1.4. Real Linear Transformations: *RealLinearTransformation*. Let V_1 and V_2 be real vector spaces and let f be a homomorphism of the underlying Abelian groups. The map f is said to be a *linear transformation* if f maps scalar multiples of vectors to the scalar multiple of the mapped vectors.

Let *RealLinearTransformation* denote this situation.

$RealLinearTransformation[t, u]$
$f : t \rightarrow u$ $V_1 : \text{vec}_{\mathbb{R}} t$ $V_2 : \text{vec}_{\mathbb{R}} u$
$\text{let } A_1 == \text{first } V_1; (- * -) == \text{second } V_1;$ $A_2 == \text{first } V_2; (- \times -) == \text{second } V_2 \bullet$ $f \in \text{hom}_{\text{grp}}(A_1, A_2) \wedge$ $(\forall x : \mathbb{R}; v : t \bullet$ $f(x * v) = x \times (f v))$

- The vector space V_1 has Abelian group A_1 and scalar multiplication $(- * -)$.
- The vector space V_2 has Abelian group A_2 and scalar multiplication $(- \times -)$.
- The map f is a homomorphism of the underlying Abelian groups.
- The map f maps scalar multiples of vectors in t to scalar multiples of the mapped vectors in u .

1.5. The Set of All Real Linear Transformations: $L_{\mathbb{R}} \setminus \text{homVecR}$. Let V_1 and V_2 be real vector spaces. Let $L_{\mathbb{R}}(V_1, V_2)$ denote the set of all linear transformations from V_1 to V_2 . A linear transformation is also referred to as a *homomorphism* of vector spaces.

$$L_{\mathbb{R}}[t, u] == (\lambda V_1 : \text{vec}_{\mathbb{R}} t; V_2 : \text{vec}_{\mathbb{R}} u \bullet \{ f : t \rightarrow u \mid RealLinearTransformation[t, u] \})$$

2. REAL n -TUPLES

The preceding section described real vector spaces abstractly. In this section we define a family of finite-dimensional real vector spaces whose elements are finite sequences of real numbers, also referred to as *real tuples*.

2.1. The Set of All Finite Sequences of Real Numbers: $\mathbb{R}^{\infty} \setminus \text{Rinf}$. Let n be a natural number. A finite sequence of n real numbers is called a *real n -tuple*. Let \mathbb{R}^{∞} denote the set of all real n -tuples for any n .

$$\mathbb{R}^{\infty} == \text{seq } \mathbb{R}$$

2.2. The Component Projection Function: $\pi \setminus \text{piRinf}$. The real numbers that comprise an n -tuple are called its *components*. Let v be a real n -tuple and let i be an integer where $1 \leq i \leq n$. The real number $v(i)$ is the i -th component of v . Let $\pi(i)$ be the projection function that maps an n -tuple v to its i -th component $v(i)$.

$\pi : \mathbb{N}_1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{\infty} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
$\forall i : \mathbb{N}_1 \bullet$ $\pi(i) = (\lambda v : \mathbb{R}^{\infty} \mid i \in \text{dom } v \bullet v(i))$

2.3. The Set of All Well-Dimensioned Subsets of \mathbb{R}^∞ : $\Delta_{\mathbb{R}} \setminus \text{DeltaRinf}$. A non-empty subset of \mathbb{R}^∞ is said to be *well-dimensioned* if each of its elements has the same number of components. Let $\Delta_{\mathbb{R}}$ denote the family of all well-dimensioned subsets of \mathbb{R}^∞ .

$$\begin{array}{|l} \Delta_{\mathbb{R}} : \mathcal{F}\mathbb{R}^\infty \\ \hline \Delta_{\mathbb{R}} = \{ S : \mathbb{P}_1 \mathbb{R}^\infty \mid \forall v, w : S \bullet \#v = \#w \} \end{array}$$

2.4. The Dimension of a Well-Dimensioned Set of Tuples: $\text{dim} \setminus \text{dimRinf}$. Let $S \in \Delta_{\mathbb{R}}$ be a well-dimensioned set of tuples. The number of components of each tuple in S is called its *dimension*. Let $\text{dim}(S)$ denote the dimension of S .

$$\begin{array}{|l} \text{dim} : \Delta_{\mathbb{R}} \rightarrow \mathbb{N} \\ \hline \forall S : \Delta_{\mathbb{R}} \bullet \\ \text{dim } S = (\mu v : S \bullet \#v) \end{array}$$

2.5. The Set of All Compatible Pairs of Tuples: $\mathbb{R}^\Delta \setminus \text{RinfDelta}$. The pair of real tuples (v, w) is said to be *compatible* if each member has the same number of components. Let \mathbb{R}^Δ denote the set of all compatible pairs of real tuples. If the pair (v, w) is compatible then v and w are said to be compatible with each other.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \mathbb{R}^\Delta : \mathbb{R}^\infty \leftrightarrow \mathbb{R}^\infty \\ \hline \mathbb{R}^\Delta = \{ v, w : \mathbb{R}^\infty \mid \#v = \#w \} \end{array}$$

2.6. Addition of Compatible Tuples: $+ \setminus \text{addRinf}$. Let v and w be n -tuples. Vector addition of v and w is the n -tuple $v + w$ defined by component-wise addition.

$$\begin{array}{|l} _ + _ : \mathbb{R}^\Delta \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^\infty \\ \hline \langle \rangle + \langle \rangle = \langle \rangle \\ \forall n : \mathbb{N}_1; v, w : \mathbb{R}^\infty \mid n = \#v = \#w \bullet \\ v + w = (\lambda i : 1 .. n \bullet v\ i + w\ i) \end{array}$$

2.7. Subtraction of Compatible Tuples: $- \setminus \text{subRinf}$. Vector subtraction is defined similarly.

$$\begin{array}{|l} _ - _ : \mathbb{R}^\Delta \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^\infty \\ \hline \langle \rangle - \langle \rangle = \langle \rangle \\ \forall n : \mathbb{N}_1; v, w : \mathbb{R}^\infty \mid n = \#v = \#w \bullet \\ v - w = (\lambda i : 1 .. n \bullet v\ i - w\ i) \end{array}$$

2.8. The Negative of a Tuple: $- \setminus \text{negRinf}$. Let $-v$ denote the negative of v .

$$\begin{array}{|l} - : \mathbb{R}^\infty \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^\infty \\ \hline -\langle \rangle = \langle \rangle \\ \forall n : \mathbb{N}_1; v : \mathbb{R}^\infty \mid n = \#v \bullet \\ -v = (\lambda i : 1 .. n \bullet -(v\ i)) \end{array}$$

2.9. Scalar Multiplication of a Tuple: $\ast \backslash \text{smulRinf}$. Let v be an n -tuple and let c be a real number. Scalar multiplication of v by c is the n -tuple $c \ast v$ defined by component-wise multiplication.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \hline _ \ast _ : \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}^\infty \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^\infty \\ \hline \forall c : \mathbb{R} \bullet \\ \quad c \ast \langle \rangle = \langle \rangle \\ \hline \forall c : \mathbb{R}; n : \mathbb{N}_1; v : \mathbb{R}^\infty \mid n = \#v \bullet \\ \quad c \ast v = (\lambda i : 1..n \bullet c \ast (v\ i)) \end{array}$$

Remark. *Scalar multiplication is associative in the sense that $(a \ast b) \ast v = a \ast (b \ast v)$*

$$\begin{array}{l} \forall a, b : \mathbb{R}; v : \mathbb{R}^\infty \bullet \\ \quad (a \ast b) \ast v = a \ast (b \ast v) \end{array}$$

2.10. The Set of All Real n -tuples: $\mathbb{R} \backslash \text{Rtup}$. Let $\mathbb{R}(n)$ denote \mathbb{R}^n , the set of all n -tuples for some given n .

$$\begin{array}{|l} \hline \mathbb{R} : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathcal{P} \mathbb{R}^\infty \\ \hline \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \quad \mathbb{R}(n) = \{ v : \mathbb{R}^\infty \mid \#v = n \} \end{array}$$

Remark.

$$\mathbb{R}^\infty = \bigcup \{ n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \mathbb{R}(n) \}$$

Remark. *The subset $\mathbb{R}(n)$ is well-dimensional.*

$$\begin{array}{l} \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \quad \mathbb{R}(n) \in \Delta_{\mathbb{R}} \end{array}$$

Remark. *The dimension of $\mathbb{R}(n)$ is n .*

$$\begin{array}{l} \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \quad \dim(\mathbb{R}(n)) = n \end{array}$$

2.11. Addition of n -tuples: addRtup . Let $\text{addRtup}(n)$ denote the restriction of addition to $\mathbb{R}(n)$.

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{addRtup} == \\ \quad (\lambda n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \quad \quad (\lambda v, w : \mathbb{R}(n) \bullet v + w)) \end{array}$$

Example. *The binary operation $\text{addRtup}(n)$ defines an Abelian group over $\mathbb{R}(n)$.*

$$\begin{array}{l} \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \quad \text{addRtup}(n) \in \text{abgroup}(\mathbb{R}(n)) \end{array}$$

2.12. Subtraction of n -tuples: subRtup . Let $\text{subRtup}(n)$ denote the restriction of subtraction to $\mathbb{R}(n)$.

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{subRtup} == \\ \quad (\lambda n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \quad \quad (\lambda v, w : \mathbb{R}(n) \bullet v - w)) \end{array}$$

2.13. The Negative of an n -tuple: $negRtup$. Let $negRtup(n)$ denote the restriction of the negative operation to $\mathbb{R}(n)$.

$$\begin{aligned} negRtup == \\ (\lambda n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ (\lambda v : \mathbb{R}(n) \bullet -v)) \end{aligned}$$

Remark. The operation $negRtup(n)$ is the inverse operation of the Abelian group $addRtup(n)$.

$$\begin{aligned} \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ negRtup(n) = inverse_operation(addRtup(n)) \end{aligned}$$

2.14. The Zero Real n -tuple: $\mathbf{0} \setminus zeroRtup$. Let $\mathbf{0}(n)$ denote the n -tuple consisting of all zeroes.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \mathbf{0} : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^\infty \\ \hline \mathbf{0}(0) = \langle \rangle \\ \forall n : \mathbb{N}_1 \bullet \\ \mathbf{0}(n) = (\lambda i : 1 \dots n \bullet 0) \end{array}$$

Remark. Every component of $\mathbf{0}(n)$ is 0.

$$\begin{aligned} \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \forall i : 1 \dots n \bullet \\ (\pi i)(\mathbf{0} n) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Remark. The tuple $\mathbf{0}(n)$ is in $\mathbb{R}(n)$.

$$\begin{aligned} \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \mathbf{0}(n) \in \mathbb{R}(n) \end{aligned}$$

Remark. The tuple $\mathbf{0}(n)$ is the identity element of the Abelian group $addRtup(n)$.

$$\begin{aligned} \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \mathbf{0}(n) = identity_element(addRtup(n)) \end{aligned}$$

2.15. Scalar Multiplication of an n -tuple: $smulRtup$. Let $smulRtup(n)$ denote scalar multiplication restricted to $\mathbb{R}(n)$.

$$\begin{aligned} smulRtup == \\ (\lambda n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ (\lambda c : \mathbb{R}; v : \mathbb{R}(n) \bullet c * v)) \end{aligned}$$

2.16. The Real Vector Space of n -tuples: $vecRtup$. Let $vecRtup(n)$ denote the real vector space of n -tuples.

$$\begin{aligned} vecRtup == \\ (\lambda n : \mathbb{N} \bullet (addRtup(n), smulRtup(n))) \end{aligned}$$

Remark. The pair $vecRtup(n)$ defines a vector space over $\mathbb{R}(n)$.

$$\begin{aligned} \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ vecRtup(n) \in vec_{\mathbb{R}}(\mathbb{R}(n)) \end{aligned}$$

2.17. Linear Transformations of n -tuples: $L_{\mathbb{R}} \setminus \text{linRtup}$. Define $L_{\mathbb{R}}(n, m)$ to be the set of all linear transformations from \mathbb{R}^n to \mathbb{R}^m .

$$\begin{array}{|l} L_{\mathbb{R}} : \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} \longrightarrow \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R}^{\infty} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{\infty}) \\ \hline \forall n, m : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ L_{\mathbb{R}}(n, m) = L_{\mathbb{R}}(\text{vecRtup}(n), \text{vecRtup}(m)) \end{array}$$

2.18. The Identity Transformation of n -tuples: $I \setminus \text{idRtup}$. Let $I(n)$ denote the identity function on $\mathbb{R}(n)$.

$$\begin{array}{|l} I : \mathbb{N} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^{\infty} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^{\infty} \\ \hline \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ I(n) = \text{id}(\mathbb{R}(n)) \end{array}$$

Remark. *The function $I(n)$ is a linear transformation.*

$$\begin{array}{|l} \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ I(n) \in L_{\mathbb{R}}(n, n) \end{array}$$

3. THE METRIC TOPOLOGY ON REAL n -TUPLES

3.1. The Dot Product of Tuples: $\cdot \setminus \text{dotRinf}$. The *inner* or *dot* product of n -tuples v and w is the real number $v \cdot w$ defined by the sum of the component-wise products.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \cdot : \mathbb{R}^{\Delta} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R} \\ \hline \langle \rangle \cdot \langle \rangle = 0 \\ \forall x, y : \mathbb{R}; v, w : \mathbb{R}^{\infty} \mid \#v = \#w \bullet \\ (\langle x \rangle \frown v) \cdot (\langle y \rangle \frown w) = x * y + v \cdot w \end{array}$$

Each $\mathbb{R}(n)$ is a real inner product space under the operation of dot product defined above.

3.2. The Norm of a Tuple: $\text{norm} \setminus \text{normRinf}$. The norm $\|v\|$ of the n -tuple v is the positive square root of its dot product with itself.

$$\|v\| = \sqrt{v \cdot v}$$

Define $\text{norm}(v)$ to be $\|v\|$.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \text{norm} : \mathbb{R}^{\infty} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R} \\ \hline \forall v : \mathbb{R}^{\infty} \bullet \\ \text{norm}(v) = \text{sqrt}(v \cdot v) \end{array}$$

The concepts of continuity, limits, and differentiability extend to functions between normed vector spaces such as \mathbb{R}^n .

3.3. The Open Ball at a Tuple: $\text{ball} \setminus \text{ballRinf}$. Let $\text{ball}(v, r)$ denote the *open ball* in $\mathbb{R}(n)$ of radius $r \in \mathbb{R}_+$ centred at $v \in \mathbb{R}(n)$.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \text{ball} : \mathbb{R}^\infty \times \mathbb{R}_+ \rightarrow \mathcal{P} \mathbb{R}^\infty \\ \hline \forall v : \mathbb{R}^\infty; r : \mathbb{R}_+ \bullet \\ \quad \text{let } n == \#v \bullet \\ \quad \text{ball}(v, r) = \{ w : \mathbb{R}(n) \mid \text{norm}(v - w) < r \} \end{array}$$

3.4. The Set of All Open Balls at an n -tuple: $\text{balls} \setminus \text{ballsRtup}$. Let $\text{balls}(n)$ denote the family of all open balls in $\mathbb{R}(n)$.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \text{balls} : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathcal{F} \mathbb{R}^\infty \\ \hline \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \quad \text{balls}(n) = \{ v : \mathbb{R}(n); r : \mathbb{R}_+ \bullet \text{ball}(v, r) \} \end{array}$$

Remark. The set of all open balls in $\mathbb{R}(n)$ is a family of sets in $\mathbb{R}(n)$.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \quad \text{balls}(n) \in \mathcal{F}(\mathbb{R}(n)) \end{array}$$

3.5. The Usual Topology on n -tuples: $\tau_{\mathbb{R}} \setminus \text{tauRtup}$. The *usual topology* on $\mathbb{R}(n)$ is the topology generated by the open balls in $\mathbb{R}(n)$. Let $\tau_{\mathbb{R}}(n)$ denote the usual topology on $\mathbb{R}(n)$.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \tau_{\mathbb{R}} : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathcal{F} \mathbb{R}^\infty \\ \hline \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \quad \tau_{\mathbb{R}}(n) = \text{topGen}[\mathbb{R}(n)](\text{balls}(n)) \end{array}$$

Remark. If $n \in \mathbb{N}$ then $\tau_{\mathbb{R}}(n)$ is a topology on $\mathbb{R}(n)$.

$$\forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \tau_{\mathbb{R}}(n) \in \text{top}[\mathbb{R}(n)]$$

3.6. The Set of All Neighbourhoods of a Tuple: $\text{neigh} \setminus \text{neighRinf}$. Let $v \in \mathbb{R}(n)$. An open set U in the usual topology $\tau_{\mathbb{R}}(n)$ that contains v is called a *neighbourhood* of v . Let $\text{neigh}(v)$ denote the set of all neighbourhoods of v .

$$\begin{array}{|l} \text{neigh} : \mathbb{R}^\infty \rightarrow \mathcal{F} \mathbb{R}^\infty \\ \hline \forall n : \mathbb{N}; v : \mathbb{R}^\infty \mid n = \#v \bullet \\ \quad \text{neigh}(v) = \{ U : \tau_{\mathbb{R}}(n) \mid v \in U \} \end{array}$$

Remark. The set of all neighbourhoods of $v \in \mathbb{R}(n)$ is a family of sets in $\mathbb{R}(n)$.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \forall n : \mathbb{N}; v : \mathbb{R}^\infty \mid n = \#v \bullet \\ \quad \text{neigh}(v) \in \mathcal{F}(\mathbb{R}(n)) \end{array}$$

3.7. The Topological Space of n -tuples: $\mathbb{R}_\tau \setminus \text{tsRtup}$. Let $\mathbb{R}_\tau(n)$ denote the topological space defined by the usual topology on $\mathbb{R}(n)$.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \mathbb{R}_\tau : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \text{topSpaces}[\mathbb{R}^\infty] \\ \hline \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \quad \mathbb{R}_\tau(n) = (\mathbb{R}(n), \tau_{\mathbb{R}}(n)) \end{array}$$

4. CONTINUITY

4.1. Real-Valued Functions That Are Continuous on the Set of All n -tuples: $C^0 \setminus \text{CzeroRtup}$. A function $f \in \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is said to be *continuous* if it is continuous with respect to the usual topologies on \mathbb{R}^n and \mathbb{R} . Let $C^0(n)$ denote the set of these continuous functions.

$$\begin{array}{|l} C^0 : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}(\mathbb{R}^\infty \rightarrow \mathbb{R}) \\ \hline \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ C^0(n) = C^0(\mathbb{R}_\tau(n), \mathbb{R}_\tau) \end{array}$$

4.2. Real-Valued Functions That Are Continuous on a Subset of n -tuples: $C^0 \setminus \text{CzeroSubsetRtup}$. Let U be a subset of \mathbb{R}^n . A function $f \in U \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is said to be *continuous on U* if it is continuous with respect to the topology induced on U . Let $C^0(U)$ denote the set of these continuous functions.

$$\begin{array}{|l} C^0 : \Delta_{\mathbb{R}} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}(\mathbb{R}^\infty \rightarrow \mathbb{R}) \\ \hline \forall U : \Delta_{\mathbb{R}} \bullet \\ \text{let } n == \dim U \bullet \\ C^0(U) = C^0(\mathbb{R}_\tau(n) \upharpoonright_{\text{top } U}, \mathbb{R}_\tau) \end{array}$$

4.3. Real-Valued Functions That Are Continuous at an n -tuple: $C^0 \setminus \text{CzeroPointRtup}$.

A partial function f from \mathbb{R}^n to \mathbb{R} is said to be *continuous at $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$* if its domain contains a neighbourhood U of x such that its restriction to U is continuous on U . Let $C^0(x)$ denote the set of such functions.

$$\begin{array}{|l} C^0 : \mathbb{R}^\infty \rightarrow \mathbb{P}(\mathbb{R}^\infty \rightarrow \mathbb{R}) \\ \hline \forall x : \mathbb{R}^\infty \bullet \\ \text{let } n == \#x \bullet \\ C^0(x) = \{ f : \mathbb{R}(n) \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid \exists U : \text{neigh}(x) \mid U \subseteq \text{dom } f \bullet U \triangleleft f \in C^0(U) \} \end{array}$$

4.4. m -tuple-Valued Functions That Are Continuous on the Set of All n -tuples: $C^0 \setminus \text{CzeroRtupRtup}$. A mapping f from $\mathbb{R}(n)$ to $\mathbb{R}(m)$ is said to be *continuous* if it is continuous with respect to the usual topologies. Let $C^0(n, m)$ denote the set of these continuous mappings.

$$\begin{array}{|l} C^0 : \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}(\mathbb{R}^\infty \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^\infty) \\ \hline \forall n, m : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ C^0(n, m) = C^0(\mathbb{R}_\tau(n), \mathbb{R}_\tau(m)) \end{array}$$

Example. The function $I(n)$ is continuous.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ I(n) \in C^0(n, n) \end{array}$$

Theorem 1. Linear functions are continuous.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \forall n, m : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ L_{\mathbb{R}}(n, m) \subseteq C^0(n, m) \end{array}$$

4.5. m -tuple-Valued Functions That Are Continuous on a Subset of n -tuples: $C^0 \setminus \text{CzeroSubsetRtupRtup}$. Let U be any subset of $\mathbb{R}(n)$. Let $C^0(U, m)$ denote the set of continuous mappings from the topology induced by $\mathbb{R}_\tau(n)$ on U to $\mathbb{R}_\tau(m)$.

$$\begin{array}{|l} C^0 : \Delta_{\mathbb{R}} \times \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}(\mathbb{R}^\infty \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^\infty) \\ \hline \forall n, m : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \quad \forall U : \Delta_{\mathbb{R}} \mid \dim(U) = n \bullet \\ \quad \quad C^0(U, m) = C^0(\mathbb{R}_\tau(n) \upharpoonright_{\text{top}} U, \mathbb{R}_\tau(m)) \end{array}$$

Remark.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \forall n, m : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \quad C^0(\mathbb{R}(n), m) = C^0(n, m) \end{array}$$

4.6. m -tuple-Valued Functions That Are Continuous at an n -tuple: *VectorContinuous*, $C^0 \setminus \text{CzeroPointRtupRtup}$. Let $x \in \mathbb{R}(n)$ and let f be a partial function from $\mathbb{R}(n)$ to $\mathbb{R}(m)$ whose domain includes some neighbourhood U of x such that f restricted to U is continuous. In this case f is said to be *continuous at x* .

$$\begin{array}{|l} \text{VectorContinuous} \\ \hline n, m : \mathbb{N} \\ f : \mathbb{R}^\infty \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^\infty \\ x : \mathbb{R}^\infty \\ \hline f \in \mathbb{R}(n) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}(m) \\ \exists U : \text{neigh}(x) \mid \\ \quad U \subseteq \text{dom } f \bullet \\ \quad \quad U \triangleleft f \in C^0(U, m) \end{array}$$

Let $C^0(x, m)$ denote the set of all partial functions f from $\mathbb{R}(n)$ to $\mathbb{R}(m)$ that are continuous at x .

$$\begin{array}{|l} C^0 : \mathbb{R}^\infty \times \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{P}(\mathbb{R}^\infty \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^\infty) \\ \hline \forall n, m : \mathbb{N} \bullet \forall x : \mathbb{R}(n) \bullet \\ \quad C^0(x, m) = \\ \quad \quad \{ f : \mathbb{R}(n) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}(m) \mid \text{VectorContinuous} \} \end{array}$$

Example. The function $I(n)$ is continuous at every point $x \in \mathbb{R}(n)$.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \forall n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \forall x : \mathbb{R}(n) \bullet \\ \quad I(n) \in C^0(x, n) \end{array}$$

Theorem 2. Linear functions are continuous everywhere.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \forall n, m : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \quad \forall x : \mathbb{R}(n); L : L_{\mathbb{R}}(n, m) \bullet \\ \quad \quad L \in C^0(x, m) \end{array}$$

5. DIFFERENTIABILITY

Let $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ and let $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ be continuous at x . Then f is said to be *differentiable at x* if there exists a linear transformation $L : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ such that $f(x+h) - f(x)$ is approximately linear in h for very small h .

$$f(x+h) - f(x) \approx L(h) + O(h^2) \quad \text{when} \quad \|h\| \approx 0$$

This condition can be written as a limit.

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\|f(x+h) - f(x) - L(h)\|}{\|h\|} = 0$$

5.1. The Difference Quotient: *DifferenceQuotient* and *diffQuot*. The limit exists when the following difference quotient function $q : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is continuous at 0.

$$q(h) = \begin{cases} \frac{\|f(x+h) - f(x) - L(h)\|}{\|h\|} & \text{if } h \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Given a function f that is continuous at x , and a linear transformation L , we can define the difference quotient q . Clearly q is uniquely determined by f , x , and L . Let *DifferenceQuotient* denote this situation.

<i>DifferenceQuotient</i>
<i>VectorContinuous</i>
$L : \mathbb{R}^\infty \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^\infty$
$q : \mathbb{R}^\infty \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
$L \in \mathbb{L}_{\mathbb{R}}(n, m)$
$\text{dom } q = \{ h : \mathbb{R}(n) \mid x+h \in \text{dom } f \}$
$\forall h : \text{dom } q \mid h \neq \mathbf{0}(n) \bullet$
$q(h) = \text{norm}(f(x+h) - f(x) - L(h)) / \text{norm}(h)$
$q(\mathbf{0}(n)) = 0$

- L is a linear transformation from $\mathbb{R}(n)$ to $\mathbb{R}(m)$.
- The difference quotient q is defined on a subset of $\mathbb{R}(n)$ that contains $\mathbf{0}(n)$.
- $q(h)$ is defined as the quotient when h is non-zero.
- $q(0)$ is defined as zero.

Let *diffQuot*(f, x, L) denote the difference quotient q .

$$\text{diffQuot} == \{ \text{DifferenceQuotient} \bullet (f, x, L) \mapsto q \}$$

5.2. The Derivative of a Continuous m -tuple-Valued Function: *VectorDifferentiable*.

The continuous function f is *differentiable at x* when there exists a linear transformation L such that the difference quotient q is continuous at 0. In this case L is unique and is referred to as the *derivative at x* .

VectorDifferentiable

VectorContinuous

$L : \mathbb{R}^\infty \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^\infty$

let $q == \text{diffQuot}(f, x, L)$ •
 $q \in C^0(\mathbf{0}(n))$

- The continuous function f is differentiable at x with derivative L if the resulting difference quotient q is continuous at $\mathbf{0}(n)$.

Remark. *If L exists then it is unique.*

Let $C^\infty(x, m)$ denote the set of all functions $f \in \mathbb{R}(n) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}(m)$ that are smooth at $x \in \mathbb{R}(n)$.

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