

## Math 110 Lecture 12.

• try doing harder q's & studying proactively.

• last lecture:

• dual map

Setting  $T \in \mathcal{L}(U, W)$ , define  $T^\circ \in \mathcal{L}(W', U')$ :  $\varphi \mapsto \varphi \circ T$

Note that this is a linear operator.

## Annihilator

$S \subseteq V$ , then annihilator of  $S$  turns everything in  $S$  to 0.

ex: annihilator of  $\{1, x\}$  is  $p \mapsto p(1)$   
(over  $\mathbb{P}_2$ )  
 $p \mapsto p''(6969)$

$S^\circ = \text{span}(\delta_1, \delta_x)$  remember:  $\delta_k$  means evaluating  $p(k)$ .

For any subset  $S$ , its annihilator is automatically a subspace of  $V'$ .

• 0 func, always in annihilator.

• for  $\varphi, \psi \in S^\circ$ , note that  $\alpha\varphi + \beta\psi = 0$   $\varphi(\vec{v}) + \beta\psi(\vec{v}) = 0$

$\rightarrow$  must be a subspace.

• Actually,  $S^\circ = (\text{span } S)^\circ$  once again using linearity.

Theorem.  $\dim U^\circ = \dim V - \dim U$ . provided  $U$  is subspace of  $V$ .

Proof: start with an inclusion map:  $i: U \hookrightarrow V$  !!! FAKE!!!

such that  $i: \vec{u} \mapsto \vec{u}$ . Consider its dual  $i'$ , where  $i' \in \mathcal{L}(U', U')$   
then  $i' \in \mathcal{L}(V, U)$ .

• what is  $\text{Null } i'$ ?

$i'(\varphi) = \varphi \circ i$ . So  $\text{Null } i' = \{\varphi \in U' : i'(\varphi) = 0\}$ .

$(\varphi \circ i)(\vec{u}) = 0 \ \forall \vec{u} \in U$ . So  $0 = \varphi(i(\vec{u})) = \varphi(\vec{u}) \ \forall \vec{u} \in U$ .

So  $\varphi$  must be in  $U^\circ$  whenever  $\varphi \in \text{Null } i'$ .

Therefore,  $\text{Null } i' = U^\circ$ .

$\Rightarrow$  what is range of  $i'$ ?

$i': V' \rightarrow U'$ . So the range is a subspace of  $U'$ .

Observation: A linear functional on  $U$  has an extension to  $V$ .

So any functional on  $U$  can be extended to a functional on  $V$ , then  $i'$  will send this "extended" functional back to the original.

That is, any functional  $\varphi \in U'$  can be realized as  $\tilde{\varphi} \circ i$  where  $\tilde{\varphi}$  is ext. of  $\varphi$  to  $V$ .

range  $i' \subseteq U'$

$\text{Null } i' = U^\circ$

domain  $i' = U'$

apply fundamental thm. of lin. alg.

$\dim U^\circ + \dim U' = \dim V'$

$\Rightarrow \dim U^\circ + \dim U = \dim V$

$\Rightarrow \dim U^\circ = \dim V - \dim U$ .