

Vector Space

Defⁿ: Let V be a non-empty set and F be a field.
 Let, the binary operation '+' be defined on V .
 and, let scalar multiplication (\cdot) be defined such
 that for every $\alpha \in F$, if the following axioms hold:

$$A_1: u + v \in V \quad \text{for all, } u, v \in V.$$

$$A_2: (u + v) + w = u + (v + w) \quad \text{for all } u, v, w \in V.$$

$$A_3: u + v = v + u. \quad \text{for all, } u, v \in V.$$

$$A_4: \text{There is a zero vector } 0_V \text{ in } V \text{ such} \\ \text{that } u + 0_V = u. \quad \forall u \in V.$$

$$A_5: \text{For each } u \in V, \text{ there exists } v \in V \text{ such} \\ \text{that } u + v = 0_V. \quad \checkmark$$

$V \rightarrow$ additive inverse

$$\boxed{1 - 1 = 0}$$

$$M_1: \alpha u \in V, \text{ for all } \alpha \in F, u \in V$$

$$M_2: \alpha(u + v) = \alpha u + \alpha v, \text{ for all } \alpha \in F, u, v \in V$$

$$\boxed{x(y + z) = xy + xz}$$

$$\underbrace{(x \mid 1 \mid y)}_e$$

$$M_3: (\alpha + \beta)u = \alpha u + \beta u, \quad \alpha, \beta \in F, \quad u \in V.$$

$$M_4: (\alpha\beta)(u) = \alpha(\beta u).$$

$$M_5: 1 \cdot u = u, \quad u \in V.$$

$$M_6: 0 \cdot v = 0, \quad v \in V, \quad 0 \in F.$$

Verify that \mathbb{R}^2 is a vector space w.r.t. operation component wise addition and scalar multiplication.

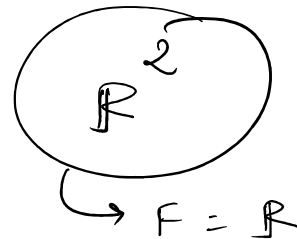
Proof: let $v_1, v_2 \in \mathbb{R}^2$

$$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix} \quad v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$v_1 + v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 + x_2 \\ y_1 + y_2 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2.$$

$$\mathbb{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{let } v \in \mathbb{R}^2, \quad v = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}.$$



$$cv = \begin{bmatrix} cx \\ cy \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2$$

$$u, v \in V. \quad \text{multiplication} \quad =$$

$$u + v \in V, \quad u \cdot v \in V$$

They are closed under addition

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So, \mathbb{R}^2 is closed w.r.t operation of vector addition and scalar multiplication.

1. $u, v, w \in \mathbb{R}^2$.

$$u = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix} \quad v = \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad w = \begin{bmatrix} x_3 \\ y_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(u+v)+w = u+(v+w)$$

2. $e = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad v = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \in V.$

$$e+v = v = v+e$$

3. For, every $v = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2 \quad \exists \quad (-v) = \begin{bmatrix} -x \\ -y \end{bmatrix}.$

$$v + (-v) = 0_v.$$

4. $u, v \in \mathbb{R}^2$

$$u+v = v+u.$$

5. $\alpha(u+v) = \alpha u + \alpha v.$

$$\alpha \left(\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \alpha \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix} + \alpha \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

6. $\forall a, b \in \mathbb{R}, \quad v = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2.$

$$0 \cdot v = 0, \quad 1 \cdot v = v$$

$$(a+b)v = av + bv$$

$$7. \quad \forall a, b \in \mathbb{R}, \quad v = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2.$$

$$(ab)v = a(bv)$$

$$(ab) \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} abx \\ aby \end{bmatrix}$$

$$a \begin{bmatrix} bx \\ by \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} abx \\ aby \end{bmatrix}$$

$$8. \quad u = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \in V.$$

$$11. \quad u = u.$$

\mathbb{R}^2 is a vector space over \mathbb{R}

Note: $\mathbb{R}^3, \mathbb{R}^4, \dots, \mathbb{R}^n$ all those are vector spaces over \mathbb{R} .

Consider $V = \mathbb{R}^3$ define:

$$(x_1, x_2, x_3) + (y_1, y_2, y_3) = (x_1 + y_1, x_2 + y_2, x_3 + y_3)$$

$$\alpha(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (\alpha x_1, \alpha x_2, \alpha x_3)$$

$$\forall \alpha \in \mathbb{R}$$

Is V a vector space?

$$\dots, 1 \in \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$0 \cdot v = 0$$

Solⁿ: let $(1, 1, 1) \in \mathbb{R}^3$

$$0 \cdot (1, 1, 1) = (1, 0, 1) \quad \text{---} \quad \boxed{0 \cdot v = 0}$$

$\boxed{0 \cdot v = 0}$

\mathbb{R}^3

$\boxed{1 \cdot u = u}$

let, $V = \mathbb{R}^2$ Define addition and scalar multiplication in V as follows:

For, $x, y \in \mathbb{R}^2$, $c \in \mathbb{R}$, $x = (x_1, x_2)$
 $y = (y_1, y_2)$

$$x + y = (0, x_2 + y_2)$$

$$cx = (cx_1, cx_2)$$

Is V a vector space over \mathbb{R} ?

Solⁿ: let $e = (e_1, e_2)$ be the zero vector of V .

Then for any $(x_1, x_2) \in V$

$$(x_1, x_2) + (e_1, e_2) = \underline{\underline{(x_1, x_2)}}$$

$$(0, x_2 + e_2) = (x_1, x_2)$$

which is not possible $x_1 \neq 0$?

So, V does not contain zero element.

Hence V is not a vector space over \mathbb{R} .

Hence V is not a vector space over \mathbb{R} under given operation.

SUBSPACE

Let V be a vector space over a field F and W , a subset of V . Then W is said to be a subspace of V if and only if :

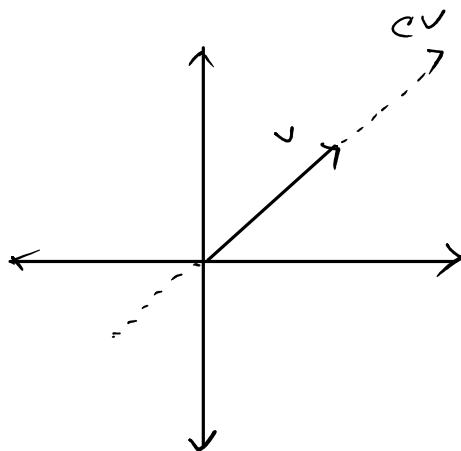
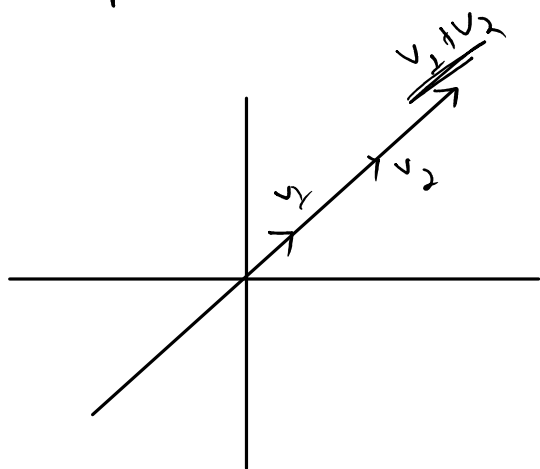
- i) $0 \in W$
- ii) $w_1 + w_2 \in W, \forall w_1, w_2 \in W$.
- iii) $\alpha w \in W, \forall \alpha \in F, w \in W$.

Eg: The subspaces in \mathbb{R} is $\{0\}, \mathbb{R}$

Subspaces in \mathbb{R}^2 .

$$W: \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}, \mathbb{R}^2$$

* Any line passing through an origin is also a subspace of \mathbb{R}^2



Solve the question 8:

7. Prove that diagonal matrices are symmetric matrices.

8. Determine whether the following sets are subspaces of \mathbb{R}^3 under the operations of addition and scalar multiplication defined on \mathbb{R}^3 . Justify your answers.

(a) $W_1 = \{(a_1, a_2, a_3) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : a_1 = 3a_2 \text{ and } a_3 = -a_2\}$

(b) $W_2 = \{(a_1, a_2, a_3) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : a_1 = a_3 + 2\}$

(c) $W_3 = \{(a_1, a_2, a_3) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : 2a_1 - 7a_2 + a_3 = 0\}$

(d) $W_4 = \{(a_1, a_2, a_3) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : a_1 - 4a_2 - a_3 = 0\}$

(e) $W_5 = \{(a_1, a_2, a_3) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : a_1 + 2a_2 - 3a_3 = 1\}$

(f) $W_6 = \{(a_1, a_2, a_3) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : 5a_1^2 - 3a_2^2 + 6a_3^2 = 0\}$

9. Let W_1, W_3 , and W_4 be as in Exercise 8. Describe $W_1 \cap W_3$, $W_1 \cap W_4$, and $W_3 \cap W_4$, and observe that each is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^3 .

$$8a) W_1 = \{(a_1, a_2, a_3) \in \mathbb{R}^3, a_1 = 3a_2 \text{ and } a_3 = -a_2\}.$$

W_1 is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^3 ?

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} 0 = 3 \cdot 0 \\ 0 = -0 \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow 0 \in W_1.$$

$0 \in W_1$. — (i).

$$w_1 = (a_1, a_2, a_3)$$

$$w_2 = (a'_1, a'_2, a'_3)$$

$$w_1 + w_2 = (a_1 + a'_1, a_2 + a'_2, a_3 + a'_3)$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} a_1 = 3a_2 \\ a_3 = -a_2 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} a'_1 = 3a'_2 \\ a'_3 = -a'_2 \end{array} \right\}$$

$w_1 + w_2 \in W$. — (ii).

$$a_1 + a'_1 = 3(a_2 + a'_2) \quad | \quad a_3 + a'_3 = -(a_2 + a'_2).$$

$$\begin{aligned} a_1 + a_1' &= 3(a_2 + a_2') \\ &= 3a_2 + 3a_2' \\ &= a_1 + a_1' \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a_3 + a_3' &= -(a_2 + a_2') \\ &= -a_2 - a_2' \\ &= a_3 + a_3' \end{aligned}$$

$\alpha w \in W$. $\textcircled{\begin{smallmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{smallmatrix}}$.

~~$w \in W$~~ $w = (a_1, a_2, a_3)$

$$\alpha(a_1, a_2, a_3) = (\alpha a_1, \alpha a_2, \alpha a_3)$$

$$\begin{array}{l|l} a_1 = 3a_2 & \alpha a_1 = 3(\alpha a_2) \\ \Rightarrow \alpha a_1 = 3\alpha a_2 & \alpha a_3 = -\alpha a_2 \end{array}$$

From \textcircled{i} , \textcircled{ii} , and \textcircled{iii} ,

W_1 is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^3

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