

# MATH 416H HW 3

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1.  $\forall W \subseteq V$  that  $W$  is a subspace containing  $S$ ,  $(\text{span } S) \subseteq W$  as  $W$  is itself a vector space. Thus,  $(\text{span } S) \subseteq \bigcap_i W_i$ . Suppose it exists such  $v \in V$ , that  $v \notin \text{span } S$ , while  $v \in \bigcap_i W_i$ . Consider a subspace  $\text{span } S \subseteq V$  while  $S \subseteq \text{span } S$ . Thus,  $\text{span } S = W_i$  for some  $i$ . Thus, by definition of intersections, such vector does not exist, thus,  $\bigcap_i W_i \subseteq \text{span } S$ . Thus, the span of  $S$  equals the intersection of all the subspaces of  $V$  containing  $S$ .
2. For the 2 vectors to be linear independent, the only solution to  $\begin{cases} \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 0 \\ x\lambda_1 + y\lambda_2 = 0 \end{cases}$  should be  $\begin{cases} \lambda_1 = 0 \\ \lambda_2 = 0 \end{cases}$ . for  $\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 0$ , there could be  $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = 0$  or  $\lambda_1 = -\lambda_2$ . As the vectors should be linear independent, then,  $-\lambda_1 x + \lambda_2 y \neq 0$ , thus  $x \neq y$ .

For vectors with  $x \neq y$ , there is  $\begin{cases} \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 0 \\ x\lambda_1 + y\lambda_2 = 0 \end{cases}$  with only one set of solution of  $\lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = 0$ . Thus they are linearly independent with condition  $x \neq y$ .

3. i:  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  is one of the vectors that can form a basis. suppose they are linear dependent, then exist  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3 \in \mathbb{R}$ , that  $\lambda_1 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda_3 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$  while  $\exists \lambda_i \neq 0$  however  $\begin{cases} \lambda_2 + 2 \times \lambda_3 = 0 \\ \lambda_2 + \lambda_3 = 0 \end{cases}$  Showing that  $\lambda_2 = \lambda_3 = 0$  and thus, as  $\lambda_1 + 0 + 0 = 0$   $\lambda_1 = 0$ . Thus they are linear independent, as there are 3 elements while the dimension of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  is also 3, it is a basis.
- ii:  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  is one of the vectors that can form a basis. suppose they are linear dependent, then exist  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3 \in \mathbb{R}$ ,

$$\text{that } \lambda_1 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda_2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda_3 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

while  $\exists \lambda_i \neq 0$  however  $\begin{cases} \lambda_2 + \lambda_3 = 0 \\ \lambda_2 = 0 \end{cases}$  Showing that  $\lambda_2 = \lambda_3 = 0$  and thus, as  $\lambda_1 + 0 + 0 = 0$   $\lambda_1 = 0$ , Thus they are linear independent, as there are 3 elements while the dimension of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  is also 3, it is a basis.

4. As  $x + y + z = \vec{0}$ , thus,  $z = -x - y$ . In  $\forall v \in \text{span} \{y, z\} \exists \lambda_1, \lambda_2 \in F$  that  $v = \lambda_1 y + \lambda_2 z = \lambda_1 y + \lambda_2(-x - y) = (\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)y - \lambda_2 x$ ,  $(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2 \in F)$ , Thus  $v$  is also in  $\text{span} \{x, y\}$ . Thus,  $\text{span} \{x, y\} = \text{span} \{y, z\}$

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6.  $\forall w \in R(T)$ ,  $\exists \lambda_i \in F$  that  $w = T(\sum_i^n \lambda_i v_i)$ . As the map is linear, there is  $T(\sum_i^n \lambda_i v_i) = \sum_i^n \lambda_i(T(v_i))$ , Thus,  $w \in \text{span } T(v_i)$ , Also, as proved in class,  $T(\vec{0}) = \vec{0}$  for linear transformations, and as  $T(v)$  is , then  $T(\sum_i^n \lambda_i v_i) = \vec{0}$  only when  $\sum_i^n \lambda_i v_i = \vec{0}$  which is that all  $\lambda_i = 0$ . Therefore,  $\sum_i^n \lambda_i(T(v_i)) = \vec{0}$  only when all  $\lambda_i = 0$ . Thus,  $T(v_i)$  is linear independent. Thus it is one of the basis of  $R(T)$ . If the mapping not injective, meaning that  $T(v_i)$  is not necessarily linear independent as there might be some other vectors in the null space of  $T$ , leading to a set of  $\lambda_i$  not all equal to 0 that gives  $\sum_i^n \lambda_i(T(v_i)) = \vec{0}$ .

7. a) these two operations are closed under the set of all maps between  $X$  and  $W$ .

- i.  $(f + g)(x) = f(x) + g(x) = g(x) + f(x) = (g + f)(x)$  addition is commutative.
- ii.  $(f + (g + h))(x) = f(x) + (g(x) + h(x)) = (f(x) + g(x)) + h(x) = ((f + g) + h)(x)$  addition is associative.
- iii. Consider  $f(x) = 0$ ,  $(f + g)(x) = f(x) + g(x) = 0 + g(x) = g(x)$  zero vector do exist.
- iv.  $\forall f \in \text{MAP}(X, W)$ ,  $-f(x) + f(x) = \vec{0}$  for all vector do exist a negative vector.
- v. Consider  $\lambda = 1$   $1f(x) = f(x)$ , multiplicative identity exists.
- vi.  $\lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\lambda(\mu f(x)) = (\mu\lambda)f(x)$
- vii.  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\lambda(f + g)(x) = \lambda(f(x) + g(x)) = \lambda f(x) + \lambda g(x) = (\lambda f + \lambda g)(x)$
- viii.  $\lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $(\lambda + \mu)f(x) = \lambda f(x) + \mu f(x) = (\lambda f + \mu f)(x)$

Thus it is a vector space.

- b)  $\forall$  linear maps  $f(x), g(x)$ ,  $(f + g)(\lambda x) = f(\lambda x) + g(\lambda x) = \lambda f(x) + \lambda g(x) = \lambda(f + g)(x)$ , thus, addition is closed. Consider  $\lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $(\lambda f)(\mu x) = \lambda f(\mu x) = \mu \lambda f(x)$ . Thus scalar multiplication is also closed. The other eight properties were checked in part a), thus, it is subspace.

$$8. \forall f \in \text{Hom}(\mathbb{R}^3, \mathbb{R}),$$