

REVIEW :  $T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$   
 IF  $T: V \rightarrow W$  INVERTIBLE,  
 $T^{-1}: W \rightarrow V$  IS AGAIN LINEAR.

DEFINITION: AN INVERTIBLE LINEAR MAP  $T: V \rightarrow W$   
 IS CALLED A LINEAR ISOMORPHISM  
 FROM  $V$  TO  $W$ .

NOTATION:  $T \xrightarrow{\cong} W$  OR  $V \cong W$ .

EXAMPLES : a)  $\mathcal{P}_n(F) \rightarrow F^{n+1}$

SO THAT IF

$$p(x) = a_0 + \sum_{i=1}^n a_i x^i,$$

$$p \mapsto (a_0, \dots, a_n)$$

then, the map  $p \mapsto (b_0, \dots, b_n)$

$$\text{is } p(x) = b_0 + b_1(x+1) + \dots + b_n(x+1)^n$$

IS AN ISOMORPHISM.

b) THE MAP  $\mathcal{P}_n(F) \rightarrow F^{n+1}$

$$p \mapsto (p(c_0), \dots, p(c_n))$$

WHERE  $c_0, \dots, c_n$  DISTINGUISH  
 IS AN ISOMORPHISM

EXAMPLES (CONT.)

(c)

Let  $V \subset F^{\mathbb{N}}$  subspace of finite

SEQUENCES:  $(a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots)$

( $\mathcal{P}$ : ONLY FINITELY MANY  
NONZERO ENTITIES)

$$T: \mathcal{P}(F) \rightarrow V, \quad p(k) = a_0 + a_1 k + \dots + a_n k^n$$

is a linear isomorphism.

What is the linear map  $\mathcal{P}(F) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(F)$ ?

THEOREM

IF  $T: V \rightarrow W$  is a linear isomorphism  
THEN  $\dim(V) = \dim(W)$

PROOF.

IF  $\dim(V) < \infty$ :

$$\dim(N(T)) + \dim(R(T)) = \dim(W)$$

SIMILARLY, IF  $\dim(W) < \infty$

THE SAME ARGUMENT HOLDS FOR  $T^{-1}$ .  $\square$

THEOREM  $[\square]$

IF  $\dim(V) = \dim(W) < \infty$

$\Rightarrow [T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W) \text{ is a linear isomorphism}]$

$\iff N(T) = \{0\} \iff R(T) = W$

PROOF.

$$\dim(N(T)) = 0, \quad R(T) = W \iff \dim(R(T)) = \dim W$$

FROM RNT,

$$\dim(R(T)) + \dim(N(T)) = \dim(V)$$

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

REMARK

IN  $[\square]$  IT IS IMPORTANT  
THAT  $\dim(V) < \infty$

EXAMPLE

$$T: \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow F^\infty \text{ is}$$

① ONTO BUT NOT AN  
ISOMORPHISM.

$$\textcircled{2} S: \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R}) \text{ is}$$

ONTO ISOMORPHISM.

$$\textcircled{3} T: F^\infty \rightarrow F^\infty$$

$$(a_1, \dots, a_n) \mapsto (0, a_1, \dots, a_n)$$

$$\textcircled{4} S: F^\infty \rightarrow F^\infty$$

$$(a_0, a_1, \dots) \mapsto (a_1, a_2, \dots)$$

$T$  IS INJECTIVE, NOT  
SURJECTIVE

$S$  IS SURJECTIVE  
NOT INJECTIVE.

DEFINITION

LET THE SPACE  $\mathcal{L}(V, W)$  OF  
LINEAR MAPS  $T: V \rightarrow W$

BE EQUIPPED WITH THE FOLLOWING OPERATIONS

$$(T_1 + T_2)(v) = T_1(v) + T_2(v)$$

$$(aT)(v) = a T(v)$$

## SPECIAL CASES

$$\mathcal{L}(F, V) \cong V \text{ by the isomorphism:}$$

$$v \mapsto T_v$$

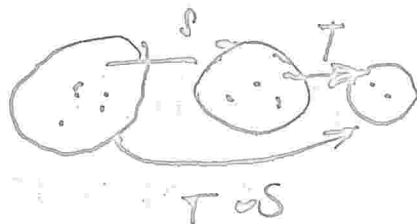
$$V \longrightarrow \mathcal{L}(F, V), v \mapsto T_v : a \mapsto T_v(a) = av$$

$$\mathcal{L}(V, F) = V^* \text{ dual space, each element called linear functions.}$$

## LEMMA

$$\text{If } T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W), S \in \mathcal{L}(U, V)$$

THEN  $T \circ S$  IS A LINEAR MAP



## PROOF

$$\begin{aligned} T \circ S(x+y) &= T(S(x+y)) \\ &= T(S(x) + S(y)) \\ &= T \circ S(x) + T \circ S(y) \end{aligned} \quad \begin{aligned} T \circ S(cx) &= T(S(cx)) \\ &= T(cS(x)) \\ &= cT(S(x)) \\ &= cT \circ S(x) \end{aligned}$$

CONSIDER A MAP:

$$\mathcal{L}(V, W) \times \mathcal{L}(U, V) \rightarrow \mathcal{L}(U, W)$$

$$(T, S) \mapsto T \circ S$$

LINEAR IN  $T$ :

$$(T_1 + T_2) \circ S = T_1 \circ S + T_2 \circ S$$

THEOREM

$$(aS) \circ S = a(T \circ S)$$

LINEAR IN  $S$ :

$$T \circ (S_1 + S_2) = T \circ S_1 + T \circ S_2$$

$$T \circ (aS) = a(T \circ S)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} U & \longrightarrow & V & \longrightarrow & W \\ & \searrow & & \nearrow & \\ & T \circ S & & & \end{array}$$

$$U \xrightarrow{\quad} S(u) \xrightarrow{\quad} T(S(u))$$

IN GENERAL,  $T \circ S$  IS NOT DEFINED

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{IF } S: U \rightarrow V \\ T: V \rightarrow W. \end{array}$$

$$\text{IF } U = V = W, \text{ denote } \mathcal{L}(V, W) = \mathcal{L}(V).$$

THEN FOR  $S, T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$ , SO

$T, T \circ S$  BOTH DEFINED.

$$b) \quad V = \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R})$$

$$T \in \mathcal{L}(V), \quad p(x) \mapsto x p(x)$$

$$S \in \mathcal{L}(V), \quad p(x) \mapsto p'(x)$$

$$S \circ T - T \circ S = I_V$$

$$p(x) \mapsto \frac{d}{dx} (x p(x)) - x \frac{d}{dx} p(x) = p(x)$$

$$a) \quad T: F^\infty \longrightarrow F^\infty$$

$$T: (a_0, a_1, \dots) \mapsto (0, a_0, a_1, \dots)$$

$$S: F^\infty \longrightarrow F^\infty$$

$$S: (a_0, a_1, \dots) \mapsto (a_1, a_2, \dots)$$

$$S \circ T = I_V \text{ (IDENTITY)}$$

$$T \circ S: (a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots) \mapsto (0, a_1, a_2, \dots)$$

THEOREM: A linear map  $T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$   
is an isomorphism

$$\Leftrightarrow \exists S \in \mathcal{L}(W, V) \text{ with} \\ T \circ S = I_W \text{ and } S \circ T = I_V.$$

Proof:

$$(\Rightarrow): \text{ If } T \text{ is an isomorphism,} \\ \text{then } S := T^{-1} \text{ satisfies} \\ T \circ S = I_W, S \circ T = I_V.$$

$$(\Leftarrow): \text{ Suppose } T \circ S = I_W, S \circ T = I_V.$$

$$N(T) = \{0\} \quad \text{because } T(v) = 0 \\ \text{implies } S \circ T(v) = S(0) = 0 = v.$$

$$R(T) = W \quad \text{because}$$

$$\forall w \in W \text{ is } w = T(v) \text{ with} \\ v = S(w), \text{ since}$$

$$T \circ S(w) = I_W(w) = w$$

REMARK

WOULD BE ENOUGH  
TO HAVE  $S_1, S_2 \in \mathcal{L}(W, V)$ .

$$T \circ S_1 = I_W, S_2 \circ T = I_V$$

AND EED,  $S_1 = S_2$  BECAUSE

$$\begin{aligned} S_1 &= I_V \circ S_1 = (S_2 \circ T) \circ S_1 \\ &= S_2 \circ (T \circ S_1) \\ &= S_2 \end{aligned}$$

REMARK

IF  $\dim V = \dim W < \infty$

THEN  $T \circ S = I_W \Leftrightarrow S \circ T = I_V$

BECAUSE  $S \circ T = I_V \Rightarrow$

$$N(T) = \{0\} \quad \text{AND}$$

$$\dim C(T) = W \text{ BY}$$

EARLIER THEOREM.

IF  $\dim V = \dim W = \infty$

THEN  $T \circ S = I_W \not\Leftrightarrow S \circ T = I_V$

COUNTEREXAMPLE: SHIFT OPERATIONS



c) If  $\dim W \neq \dim V < \infty$ ,  
then  $T \circ S = I_W$

$$\not\Rightarrow S \circ T = I_V.$$

COUNTEREXAMPLES

①  $T: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2, t \mapsto (t, 0)$

$S: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, (t_1, t_2) \mapsto t_1$

②  $T: V \rightarrow \{0\}, v \mapsto 0$   
 $S: \{0\} \rightarrow V, 0 \mapsto 0$

## MATRIX REPRESENTATION OF LINEAR MAPS

Let  $V$  be finite dimensional,  $\dim(V) = n < \infty$ ,

$\beta = \left\{ \underset{1}{v_1}, \underset{2}{v_2}, \underset{3}{v_3}, \dots, \underset{n}{v_n} \right\}$  an ordered basis

For  $v = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i v_i$  with  $a \in F$ .

Define  $[v]_\beta = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ \vdots \\ a_n \end{bmatrix}$  "the coordinate vector in the basis  $\beta$ "

The map  $\varphi_\beta: V \rightarrow F^n, v \mapsto [v]_\beta$ .

is a linear isomorphism which  
"identifies"  $V$  with  $F^n$ .

EXAMPLE:

$$V = \mathcal{P}_3(\mathbb{R}), \quad \beta = \{1, x, x^2\}$$

$$\varphi(x) = 1 + 2x - 3x^3$$

Suppose

$V$  has an ordered basis

$$\beta = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$$

$W$

$$\gamma = \{w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n\}$$

$T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$  is determined

by its action on basis vectors.

For  $j \in [1, n]$ :

$$T(v_j) = \sum_{i=1}^n A_{ij} w_i$$

$$[T]_{\gamma}^{\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & \cdots & A_{1n} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ A_{m1} & \cdots & A_{mn} \end{pmatrix}$$

THE map  $\mathcal{L}(V, W) \rightarrow M_{\text{mat}}(\mathbb{F})$ ,

$$T \mapsto [T]_{\beta}^{\gamma}$$

IS A LINEAR ISOMORPHISM