

Tutorial Exercise 6

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1 Matrix Representation of Linear Transformation

Problem 1

Let $T : R^3 \rightarrow P_2$ be a linear transformation, where P_2 is the vector space of polynomials in x with real coefficients having degree at most 2, given by

$$T\left(\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix}\right) = (a - b)x^2 + cx + (a + b + c)$$

Let $\tau = \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\right)$ and $\Omega = (x + 1, x^2 - x, x^2 + x - 1)$ be the respective bases. Find $[T]_{\tau}^{\Omega}$.

Problem 2

Let $T : R^2 \rightarrow R^2$ be a linear transformation. Let $\tau = \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\right)$ and $\Omega = \left(\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\right)$ be ordered basis for R^2 . Suppose $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$. Find $[T]_{\tau}^{\Omega}$.

2 Isomorphism

Problem 3

let V be the set of complex numbers and let F be the field of real numbers. With the usual operations V is a vector space over F . Describe explicitly an Isomorphism of this space onto R^2 .

Problem 4

Let V be the set of complex numbers regarded as a vector space over the field of real numbers. We define a function T from V into the space of 2×2 real matrices as follows, If $z = x + yi$ with x and y real numbers then,

$$T(z) = \begin{bmatrix} x + 7y & 5y \\ -10y & x - 7y \end{bmatrix}$$

1. Verify that T is a one-one linear transformation of V into the space of 2×2 matrices.
2. Verify that $T(z_1 z_2) = T(z_1)T(z_2)$.