

VECTOR SPACES :

Definition : Let 'V' be a non-empty set whose elements are called vectors. Let 'F' be any set whose elements are called scalars where $(F, +, \cdot)$ is a field.

The set 'V' is said to be a vector space if

- There is defined an internal composition in 'V' called addition of vectors denoted by '+', for which $(V, +)$ is an abelian group.
- There is defined an external composition in 'V' over 'F', called the scalar multiplication in which $a\alpha \in V$ for all $a \in F$ and $\alpha \in V$.
- The above two compositions satisfy the following postulates.

i. $a(\alpha + \beta) = a\alpha + a\beta$

ii. $(a + b)\alpha = a\alpha + b\alpha$

iii. $(ab)\alpha = a(b\alpha)$

iv. $1\alpha = \alpha$

$\forall a, b \in F$ and $\alpha, \beta \in V$ and 1 is the unity element of F.

Theorem 1 :

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space. A non-empty set $W \subseteq V$.

The necessary and sufficient condition for W to be a subspace of V is $a, b \in F$ and $\alpha, \beta \in V \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W$.
Proof :

Condition is necessary

$W(F)$ is a subspace of $V(F) \Rightarrow W(F)$ is a vector space.

Now $a \in F, \alpha \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha \in W$ and $b \in F, \beta \in W \Rightarrow b\beta \in W$

Now $a\alpha \in W, b\beta \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W$

Condition is Sufficient

Let W be the non-empty subset of V

Satisfying the given condition

i.e., $a, b \in F$ and $\alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W \dots (1)$

Taking $a = 1, b = -1$, and $\alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow 1\alpha + (-1)\beta \in W$

$\Rightarrow \alpha - \beta \in W$ [Q. $\alpha \in W \Rightarrow \alpha \in V$ and $1\alpha = \alpha$ in V]

$(H \subseteq G$ and $a, b \in H \Rightarrow aob^{-1} \in H$ then $(H, 0)$ is subgroup of $(G, 0))$.

$\therefore (W, +)$ is a subgroup of the abelian group $(V, +)$

$\Rightarrow (W, +)$ is an abelian group. Again taking $b = 0$

$a, 0 \in F$ and $\alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha + 0\beta \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha \in W \Rightarrow a \in F$ and $\alpha \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha \in W$.

$\therefore W$ is closed under scalar multiplication.

The remaining postulates of vector space hold in W as $W \subseteq V$.

$\therefore W(F)$ is a vector space of $V(F)$.

Theorem 2 :

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space and let $W \subseteq V$. The necessary and sufficient conditions for W to be a subspace of V are :

i. $\alpha \in W, \beta \in W \Rightarrow \alpha - \beta \in W$

ii. $\alpha \in F, \alpha \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha \in W$.

Proof :**Conditions are necessary**

i. W is a vector subspace of V

- ⇒ W is a subgroup of $(V, +) \Rightarrow (W, +)$ is a group.
⇒ If $a, \beta \in W$ then $a - \beta \in W$

(ii) W is a subspace of V

⇒ W is closed under scalar multiplication

⇒ for $a \in F, \alpha \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha \in W$

Conditions are sufficient

Let W be a non-empty subset of V satisfying the two given conditions

$a \in W, \alpha \in W \Rightarrow a - \alpha \in W \Rightarrow \bar{0} \in W$ (by (i))

The zero vector of V is also the zero vector of W .

$\bar{0} \in W, \alpha \in W \Rightarrow \bar{0} - \alpha \in W \Rightarrow (-\alpha) \in W$ (by (ii))

⇒ additive inverse of each element of W is also in W .

Again $a \in W, \beta \in W \Rightarrow a \in W, (-\beta) \in W \Rightarrow a - (-\beta) \in W$

$\Rightarrow a + \beta \in W$ (by (ii))

i.e., W is closed under vector addition

$AS W \subseteq V$, all the elements of W are also the elements of V .

Therefore vector addition in W will be associative and commutative. This implies that $(W, +)$ is an abelian group.

Further by (ii), W is closed under scalar multiplication and other postulates of vector space hold in ' W ' as $W \subseteq V$.

$\therefore W$ itself is a vector space under the operations of V .

Hence $W(F)$ is a vector subspace of $V(F)$.

Theorem 3 :

The union of two subspaces if and only if one is contained in the other.

Proof :

Let W_1 and W_2 be two subspaces of $V(F)$

Hence α cannot be expressed as a linear combination of $\beta_1, \beta_2, \beta_3$.

Linear Dependence of Vectors**Definition**

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space. A finite subset $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ of vectors of V is said to be a linearly dependent (L.D.) set if there exists scalars $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n \in F$ not all zero, such that $a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n = \bar{0}$.

Linear Independence of Vectors**Definition**

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space. A finite subset $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ of vectors of V is said to be a linearly independent (L.I.) if every relation of the form,

$$a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + a_n\alpha_n = \bar{0}, a_1^{-1} \in F$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 = 0, a_2 = 0, \dots, a_n = 0$$

Problem 6 :

Show that the system of vectors $(1, 3, 2), (1, -7, -8), (2, 1, -1)$ of $V_3(\mathbb{R})$ is linearly dependent.

Sol :

Let $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$, then $a(1, 2, 3) + b(1, -7, -8)$

$$\Rightarrow (a + b + 2c, 3a - 7b + c, 2a - 8b - c) = (0, 0, 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow (a + b + 2c = 0, 3a - 7b + c = 0, 2a - 8b - c = 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 3, b = 1, c = -2 \quad [Q. \text{The given vectors are linearly dependent}]$$

Problem 7 :

Show that the system of vectors $(1, 2, 0), (0, 3, 1), (-1, 0, 1)$ of $V_3(\mathbb{Q})$ is linearly independent where \mathbb{Q} is the field of rational numbers.

Sol :

Let $x, y, z \in \mathbb{Q}$ then $x(1, 2, 0) + y(0, 3, 1) + z(-1, 0, 1) = \bar{0}$

$$\Rightarrow (x - z, 2x + 3y, y + z) = (0, 0, 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow x - z = 0, 2x + 3y = 0, y + z = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 0, y = 0, z = 0.$$

Hence the system is linearly independent.

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Theorem 9 :

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space and $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ is a finite subset of non-zero vectors of $V(F)$. Then S is linearly dependent if and only if some vector $\alpha_k \in S, 2 \leq k \leq n$, can be expressed as a linear combination of its preceding vectors.

Proof :

Given $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ is linearly dependent. Then there exist $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n \in F$ not all zero, such that $a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n = \bar{0}$.

Note

If β is a linear combination of the set of vectors $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ then the set of vectors $\{\beta, \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ is linearly dependent.

Basis of Vector Space**Definition**

A subset S of a vector space $V(F)$ is said to be the basis of V .

i. S is linearly independent

ii. The linear span of S is V i.e., $L(S) = V$

Note

A vector space may have more than one basis.

Basis Extension**Theorem 10 :**

Let $V(F)$ be a finite dimensional vector space and $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_m\}$ a linearly independent subset of V . Then either S itself a basis of V or S can be extended to form a basis of V .

Proof :

Given $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_m\}$ is linearly independent subset of V .

Since $V(F)$ is finite dimensional it has a finite basis B .

Let $B = \{\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n\}$

Now consider the set $S_1 = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_m, \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n\}$ written in this order.

Clearly $L(S) = V$.

Each α can be expressed as a l.c. of β 's as B is the basis of V .
 $\Rightarrow S_1$ is linearly dependent.

Hence some vector in S_1 can be expressed as a l.c. of its preceding vectors. This vector cannot be any of α 's, since S is linearly independent. So, this vector must be some β_i consider now the set.

$$S_2 = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_m, \beta_1, \beta_{i-1}, \beta_{i+1}, \dots, \beta_n\} = S_1 - \{\beta_i\}$$

obviously $L(S_2) = L(S_1) = V$

If S_2 is linearly independent, then S_2 forms a basis of V and it is the extended set.

If S_2 is linearly dependent then continue this procedure till we get a set $S_k \subset S$ such that S_k is linearly independent.

$$\therefore L(S_k) = L(S) = V$$

S_k will be extended set of S forming a basis of V .

Theorem 11 :

V is a vector space which is spanned by a finite set of vectors $\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n$ then any independent set of vectors in V is finite and contains no more than n elements.

Proof :

Let $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_m\}$ be a linearly independent subset of vector space $V(F)$

$$Let S = \{\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n\} and L(S) = V.$$

Then any vector of V is l.c. of the elements of S .

Let $\alpha_m \in V$ be a linear combination of its preceding vectors.

This vector must be one among β 's.

Let it be β_1 .

$$\therefore \beta_1 = l.c. of \alpha_m, \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_{i-1}$$

$$\therefore \beta_1 = l.c. of \alpha_m, \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_{i-1}, \beta_{i+1}, \dots, \beta_n$$

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Then $L(S) = L(S) = V$.
 Again the vector $\alpha_{m-1} \in V$ is a l.c. of the elements of S_1 .
 $\therefore \alpha_{m-1}, \alpha_m, \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_{i-1}, \beta_{i+1}, \dots, \beta_n$ are L.D.
 There exists a vector in this set which is a l.c. of its predecessors.
 Such vector is one of β 's as α_{m-1} are L.I.
 Let it be β_k .
 If $S_2 = \{\alpha_{m-1}, \alpha_m, \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_{k+1}, \dots, \beta_{i-1}, \beta_{i+1}, \dots, \beta_n\}$
 Then β_k is l.c. of the elements of S_2 .
 $\therefore L(S) = L(S_1) = L(S) = V$.
 Continuing this process further for $m-3$ times.
 We get $S_{m-1} = \{\alpha_2, \alpha_3, \dots, \alpha_m, \beta_1, \beta_2, \beta_{m-1}\}$.
 So that $L(S_{m-1}) = V$.
 This set consists of atleast one β_i .
 otherwise $S_{m-1} = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_m\}$
 So that α_1 is a l.c. of $\alpha_2, \alpha_3, \dots, \alpha_m$.
 This cannot happen as the set $\alpha_2, \alpha_3, \dots, \alpha_m$ is L.I.
 Hence S_{m-1} consists of atleast one β_i
 $\therefore n-m+1 \geq 1 \Rightarrow n \geq m$.
 The no. of elements of the L.I. set in $V \leq n$.

Theorem 12 :
 Let W_1 and W_2 be two subspaces of a finite dimensional vector space $V(F)$. Then $\dim(W_1 + W_2) = \dim W_1 + \dim W_2 - \dim(W_1 \cap W_2)$.

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Proof :
 Since W_1 and W_2 are subspaces of V , $W_1 + W_2$ and $W_1 \cap W_2$ are also subspaces of V .
 Let $\dim(W_1 \cap W_2) = k$ and $S = \{\gamma_1, \gamma_2, \dots, \gamma_k\}$ be a basis of $W_1 \cap W_2$.
 Clearly $S \subseteq W_1$ and $S \subseteq W_2$ and S is L.I.
 Since S is L.I. and $S \subseteq W_1$, the set S can be extended to form a basis of W_1 .
 Let $B_1 = \{\gamma_1, \gamma_2, \dots, \gamma_k, \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_m\}$ be a basis of W_1
 $\therefore \dim W_1 = k+m$.
 Again since S is L.I. and $S \subseteq W_2$, the set S can be extended to form a basis of W_2 .
 Let $B_2 = \{\gamma_1, \gamma_2, \dots, \gamma_k, \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_m\}$ be a basis of W_2
 $\therefore \dim W_2 = k+t$
 $\therefore \dim W_1 + \dim W_2 - \dim(W_1 \cap W_2) = (k+m) + (k+t) - k = k+m+t$.
 Now we shall prove that the set
 $S' = \{\gamma_1, \gamma_2, \dots, \gamma_k, \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_m, \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_t\}$ is a basis of $W_1 + W_2$ and hence,
 $\dim(W_1 + W_2) = k+m+t$.
 (i) To prove that S' is L.I.
 Now $c_1\gamma_1 + c_2\gamma_2 + \dots + c_k\gamma_k + a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_m\alpha_m + b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_t\beta_t = 0$... (1)

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13. **Describe explicitly the linear transformation**
 $T : R^2 \rightarrow R$ such that $T(2, 3) = (4, 5)$ and $T(1, 0) = (0, 0)$

Sol :
 First of all we have to show that the vectors $(2, 3)$ and $(1, 0)$ are L.I.
 Let $a(2, 3) + b(1, 0) = \vec{0}$
 $\Rightarrow (2a+b, 3a+0) = (0, 0)$
 $\Rightarrow 2a+b=0, 3a=0$
 $\Rightarrow 2a=0, b=0$
 $\therefore S = \{(2, 3), (1, 0)\}$ is L.I.
 Let us prove that $L(S) = R^2$
 Let $(x, y) \in R^2$ and $(x, y) = a(2, 3) + b(1, 0) - (2a+b, 3a)$
 $\Rightarrow 2a+b=x, 3a=y$
 $\Rightarrow a = \frac{y}{3}, b = \frac{3x-y}{3}$
 Hence S spans R^2 .
 Now $T(x, y) = T\left[\frac{y}{3}(2, 3) + \frac{3x-y}{3}(1, 0)\right]$
 $= \frac{y}{3}T(2, 3) + \frac{3x-y}{3}T(1, 0)$
 $= \frac{y}{3}(4, 5) + \frac{3x-y}{3}(0, 0)$
 $= \left(\frac{4y}{3}, \frac{5y}{3}\right)$
 This is the required transformation.

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14. **Let $T : V_2 \rightarrow V_3$ be defined by $T(x, y) = (x+y, 2x-y, 7y)$. Find $[T : B_1, B_2]$ where B_1 and B_2 are the standard bases of V_2 and V_3 .**

Sol :
 B_1 is the standard basis of V_2 and B_2 that of V_3
 $\therefore B_1 = \{(1, 0), (0, 1)\}$
 $B_2 = \{(1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 1)\}$
 $T(1, 0) = (1, 2, 0) = 1(1, 0, 0) + 2(0, 1, 0) + 0(0, 0, 1)$
 $T(0, 1) = (1, -1, 7) = 1(1, 0, 0) - 1(0, 1, 0) + 7(0, 0, 1)$
 The matrix of T relative to B_1 and B_2 is

$$[T : B_1, B_2] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

15. **Problem 18 :**

Let $T : R^3 \rightarrow R^2$ be the linear transformations defined by $T(x, y, z) = (3x+2y-4z, x-5y+3z)$. Find the matrix of T relative to the bases $B_1 = \{(1, 1, 1), (1, 1, 0), (1, 0, 0)\}$, $B_2 = \{(1, 3), (2, 5)\}$

Sol :

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } (a, b) \in R^2 \text{ and let } (a, b) = p(1, 3) + q(2, 5) \\ = (p+2q, 3p+5q) \\ \Rightarrow p+2q = a, 3p+5q = b \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Solving } p = -5a+2b, q = 3a-b$$

$$\therefore (a, b) = (-5a+2b)(1, 3) + (3a-b)(2, 5)$$

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Now
 $b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_t\beta_t = -c_1\gamma_1 - \dots - c_k\gamma_k$
 $- a_1\alpha_1 - \dots - a_m\alpha_m$
 = l.c. of elements of B_1 and $(Q \in W_1)$
 $\Rightarrow b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_t\beta_t \in W_1$
 Again $0\gamma_1 + 0\gamma_2 + b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_t\beta_t$
 = l.c. of elements of B_2 and $(Q \in W_2)$
 $\Rightarrow b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_t\beta_t \in W_2$
 Hence it can be expressed as a l.c. of the elements of the basis of $W_1 \cap W_2$.
 Let $b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_t\beta_t = d_1\gamma_1 + d_2\gamma_2 + \dots + d_k\gamma_k$
 $\therefore b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_t\beta_t - d_1\gamma_1 - d_2\gamma_2 - \dots - d_k\gamma_k = \vec{0}$
 \Rightarrow l.c. of elements of basis B_2 = $\vec{0}$
 $b_1 = 0, b_2 = 0, \dots, b_t = 0, d_1 = 0, \dots, d_k = 0$.
 Substituting in I we have,
 $c_1\gamma_1 + c_2\gamma_2 + \dots + c_k\gamma_k + a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_m\alpha_m = \vec{0}$
 \Rightarrow l.c. of elements of basis B_1 = $\vec{0}$
 $\Rightarrow c_1 = 0, c_2 = 0, \dots, c_k = 0, a_1 = 0, a_2 = 0, \dots, a_m = 0$.
 Thus relation I implies that,
 $c_1 = c_2 = \dots = c_k = a_1 = a_2 = \dots = a_m = 0, b_1 = b_2 = \dots = b_t = 0$
 $\therefore S'$ is L.I. set

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theorem 16 :
 Rank - Nullity theorem

Statement
 Let $U(F)$ and $V(F)$ be two vector spaces and $T : U \rightarrow V$ be a linear transformation. Let U be finite dimensional
 Then $P(T) + N(T) = \dim U$
 i.e., rank $(T) + \text{nullity } (T) = \dim U$

Proof :
 The null space $N(T)$ is a subspace of finite dimensional space $U(F)$.
 $\Rightarrow N(T)$ is finite dimensional
 Let $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_k\}$ be a basis set of $N(T)$
 $\therefore \dim N(T) = v(T) = k$
 $\therefore T(\alpha_1) = \vec{0}, T(\alpha_2) = \vec{0}, \dots, T(\alpha_k) = \vec{0}$... (1)
 $(\vec{0} \in V)$
 As S is L.I. it can be extended to form a basis of $U(F)$
 $\therefore \dim U = k+m$.
 Now we show that the set of images of additional vectors.
 $S_2 = \{T(\theta_1), T(\theta_2), \dots, T(\theta_m)\}$ is a basis of $R(T)$ clearly
 $S_2 \subseteq R(T)$

(i) To prove S_2 is L.I.
 Let $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m \in F$ be such that
 $a_1T(\theta_1) + a_2T(\theta_2) + \dots + a_mT(\theta_m) = \vec{0}$
 $a_1T(\theta_1) + a_2T(\theta_2) + \dots + a_mT(\theta_m) = \vec{0}$

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16. **Now $T(1, 1, 1) = (1, -1) = -7(1, 3) + 4(2, 5)$**
 $T(1, 1, 0) = (5, -4) = -33(1, 3) + 19(2, 5)$
 $T(1, 0, 0) = (3, 1) = -13(1, 3) + 8(2, 5)$
 The matrix of L.T. relative to B_1 and B_2

$$[T : B_1, B_2] = \begin{bmatrix} -7 & -33 & -13 \\ 4 & 19 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

Problem 19 :

Let T be the linear operator on R^2 defined by $T(x, y) = (4x-2y, 2x+y)$. Find the matrix of T w.r.t. the basis $T\{(1, 1), (-1, 0)\}$. Also verify $[T]_B [a]_B = [T]_B [a]_B$ for $a \in R^2$.

Sol :

- Let $(a, b) \in R^2$. Then;
 $(a, b) = p(1, 1) + q(-1, 0) = (p, -q, p)$
 $\Rightarrow a = p-q$ and $b = p$
 $\Rightarrow p = b$ and $q = b-a$
 $\therefore (a, b) = b(1, 1) + (b-a)(-1, 0)$... (1)
- (i) Given transformation is $T(x, y) = (4x-2y, 2x+y)$
 $\therefore T(1, 1) = (2, 3) = 3(1, 1) + 1(-1, 0)$... (by (1))
 $T(-1, 0) = (-4, 2) = -2(1, 1) + 2(-1, 0)$
 $\therefore [T : B] = [T]_B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$
- (ii) Let $a \in R^2$ where $a = (a, b)$
 $\therefore a = (a, b) = b(1, 1) + (b-a)(-1, 0)$
 $\therefore [a]_B = \begin{bmatrix} b \\ b-a \end{bmatrix}$

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$\Rightarrow T[a_1\theta_1 + a_2\theta_2 + \dots + a_m\theta_m] = \vec{0}$
 $\Rightarrow a_1\theta_1 + a_2\theta_2 + \dots + a_m\theta_m \in N(T)$, null space of T .
 But each vector is $N(T)$ is a l.c. of elements of basis S .
 \therefore For some $b_1, b_2, \dots, b_m \in F$,
 $\text{Let } a_1\theta_1 + a_2\theta_2 + \dots + a_m\theta_m = b_1\alpha_1 + b_2\alpha_2 + \dots + b_k\alpha_k$
 $\Rightarrow a_1\theta_1 + \dots + a_m\theta_m - b_1\alpha_1 - \dots - b_k\alpha_k = \vec{0}$
 $\Rightarrow a_1 = 0, a_2 = 0, \dots, a_m = 0, b_1 = 0, \dots, b_k = 0$
 $\therefore a_1\theta_1 + a_2\theta_2 + \dots + a_m\theta_m = \vec{0}$... (Q. S_1 is L.I.)
 $\therefore S_2$ is L.I. set

(ii) To prove $L(S_2) = R(T)$
 Let $\beta \in \text{range space } R(T)$, then there exists $\alpha \in U$ such that $T(\alpha) = \beta$.
 Now $\alpha \in U \Rightarrow$ there exists $c_1, c_2, \dots, c_m \in F$ such that
 $\alpha = c_1\alpha_1 + c_2\alpha_2 + \dots + c_m\alpha_m + d_1\theta_1 + d_2\theta_2 + \dots + d_m\theta_m$
 $\Rightarrow T(\alpha) = T[c_1\alpha_1 + \dots + c_m\alpha_m + d_1\theta_1 + \dots + d_m\theta_m]$
 $= c_1T(\alpha_1) + \dots + c_mT(\alpha_m) + d_1T(\theta_1) + \dots + d_mT(\theta_m)$
 $\Rightarrow \beta = d_1T(\theta_1) + d_2T(\theta_2) + \dots + d_mT(\theta_m)$ (by (1))
 $\Rightarrow \beta \in L(S_2)$
 $\therefore S_2$ is a basis of $R(T)$ and $\dim R(T) = m$
 Thus $\dim R(T) + \dim N(T) = m+k = \dim U$
 $\therefore P(T) + N(T) = \dim U$.

1. Define a subspace. Prove that the intersection of two subspaces is again a subspace.

Aus:

Subspace

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space and $W \subseteq V$. Then W is said to be a subspace of V if W itself is a vector space over F with the same operations of vector addition and scalar multiplication in V .

Proof:

W_1 and W_2 are subspace $V(F)$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{0} \in W_1 \text{ and } \bar{0} \in W_2 \therefore W_1 \cap W_2 \neq \emptyset$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{0} \in W_1 \cap W_2 \therefore \alpha, \beta \in W_1 \text{ and } \alpha, \beta \in W_2$$

Let $a, b \in F$ and $\alpha, \beta \in W_1 \cap W_2$

Now $a, b \in F$ and $\alpha, \beta \in W_1 \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W_1$

$a, b \in F$ and $\alpha, \beta \in W_2 \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W_2$

$$\therefore a\alpha + b\beta \in W_1 \cap W_2$$

$\therefore W_1 \cap W_2$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

$$\Rightarrow i \left(\frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial y \partial z} - \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z \partial y} \right) - j \left(\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x \partial z} - \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial z \partial x} \right) + k \left(\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x \partial y} - \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y \partial x} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.$$

SECTION - B (4 × 16 = 64)

UNIT - I

9. a) Let $V(F)$ be a finite dimensional vector space. Then show that any two bases of V have the same number of elements.

Sol.:

Basis of a vector space

A subset S of a vector space $V(F)$ is said to be the basis of V if

(i) S is linearly independent

(ii) the linear span of S is V i.e., $L(S) = V$

Proof:

Let S_m and S_n be the two bases of $V(F)$ where $S_m = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_m\}$ and $S_n = \{\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n\}$ obviously both S_m and S_n are L.I subsets of V .

(i) Consider S_m as the basis of V and S_n as L.I set

$$\Rightarrow L(S_m) = V \text{ and } n(S_m) = m$$

$\therefore S_n$ can be extended to be a basis of V

$$\Rightarrow n \leq m$$

$$\therefore [T]_B [\alpha]_B = [T(\alpha)]_B \quad \dots (1)$$

$$\text{Again } T(\alpha) + T(a, b) = (4a - 2b, 2a + b)$$

$$\text{Let } (4a - 2b, 2a + b) = x(1, 1) + y(-1, 0) = (x, -y, x)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a - 2b = x - y \text{ and } 2a + b = x$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2a + b \text{ and } y = -2a + 3b.$$

$$\text{Hence } T(\alpha) = T(a, b) = (2a + b)(1, 1) + (-2a + 3b)(-1, 0)$$

The matrix of $T(\alpha)$ w.r.t. the base B is

$$[T(\alpha)]_B = \begin{bmatrix} 2a+b \\ -2a+3b \end{bmatrix} \quad \dots (2)$$

$$\text{from (1) and (2)} \quad [T]_B [\alpha]_B = [T(\alpha)]_B$$

(ii) Consider S_n as the basis of V and S_m as L.I set

$$\Rightarrow L(S_n) = V \text{ and } n(S_n) = n$$

$\therefore S_m$ can be extended to be a basis of V

$$\Rightarrow m \leq n$$

But both S_m and S_n are bases of V

$$\therefore n \leq m \text{ and } m \leq n \Rightarrow m = n$$

Thus any two bases of V have the same number of elements.

b) Show that every non empty subset of a linearly independent set of vectors is linearly independent.

Sol.:

Let $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_m\}$ be a linearly independent set of vectors.

Let us consider the subset $S_1 = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_k\}$ where $1 \leq k \leq m$.

Now for some scalars consider the linear combination

$$a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_k\alpha_k = \bar{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_k\alpha_k + 0_{k+1}\alpha_{k+1} + \dots + 0_m\alpha_m = \bar{0}.$$

$\therefore S_1 \subset S$ which is a linearly independent set.

$$\therefore a_2 = a_3 = \dots = a_k = 0$$

$\therefore S_1$ is a linearly independent set.