

# Subspaces

## Last time

• Recall that for  $X \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$  we defined

$$F_{cl}(X, \mathbb{R}) =$$

$$Cts(X, \mathbb{R}) =$$

$$Diff(X, \mathbb{R}) =$$

These are all subsets, but they have more structure.

They are themselves

Def: Let  $V$  be a IF-vs,  $W \subseteq V$  subset.

We say  $W$  is a subset, if

1)

2)

3)

- it will often be useful to "

the vector space  $V$  into "

(we will return to this idea)

- Common occurrence of "

• Def.: Let  $V$  be an IF-vs and  $(v_1, \dots, v_k)$  in  $V$ . Then we say  $w$  is a "

of these vectors if

"generation"

Def: Let  $S \subseteq V$  be a subset of  $V$ .

The \_\_\_\_\_ of  $S$  is the set

Lemma: \_\_\_\_\_ is a subspace of  $V$ .

Pf)

HW: Show                    is the smallest subspace containing                   

- We often pay particular attention to how

                   is a                    of

a list of vectors.

Def: Say a list of vectors are

if

Why care? "Uniqueness claims"

HW: Suppose  $S \subseteq V$  is

Then any vector  $w \in$

has a

Put the 2 notions together and get -

Def: A \_\_\_\_\_ of an IF- vs  $\vee$   
is a set  $B = ($  \_\_\_\_\_ )

such that

1)

2)

ex)  $\exists \forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n$  thus "standard  "

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ii)  $S = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$ ,  $V = \text{Fct}(S, \mathbb{R})$

Have the "dirac delta" basis

Si defined as

iii)  $V = \mathbb{F}[t]_{\leq n}$  has "standard basis"

$$\mathcal{B} =$$

Prop: let  $\mathcal{B} = (v_1 \dots v_n)$  be set in  $V$ .

Then  $\mathcal{B}$  is a

$\Leftrightarrow$  every  $w \in V$

How to get           ?

Lemma: Let  $S = (v_1, \dots, v_n)$  subset,  $w \in V$ .

Let  $\tilde{S} = (v_1, \dots, v_n, w)$ . Then

i)  $\text{Span}(S) = \text{Span}(\tilde{S}) \iff$  \_\_\_\_\_

ii) If  $S$  is LI, then so is  $\tilde{S} \iff$  \_\_\_\_\_

Pf) (i)



This will help us construct \_\_\_\_\_

Def: Say  $V$  is if there  
is a finite subset that

ex) i)  $\mathbb{R}^n$

ii)  $M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{R})$

iii)  $\mathbb{R}[t]_{\leq n}$

iv)  $S$  finite set,  $\text{Fut}(S, \mathbb{R})$

HW: v) Show that  $V = \text{Fct}(Z, \mathbb{F})$  not

v)  $\mathbb{F}[\mathbf{t}]$  not

Prop: Let  $S = (v_1, v_n)$  be set such that  $V$

a) Given  $L$  a subset of  $V$ ,

we obtain a for  $V$  by

adjoining elements of  $S$  to  $L$

b) Obtain a for  $V$  by

excluding elements in  $S$ .

Pf)

Cor: Every fd vector space has a basis.

Rmk: true for general VS, harder to prove. Uses

"Zorn's Lemma"



Towards



Prop:  $S, L$  finite subsets in  $V$ .

Assume

i)  $S$  \_\_\_\_\_  $V$

ii)  $L$  is \_\_\_\_\_

Then

Pf)

Cor:  $V$  fd VS and  $B$  a basis. Then

Exercise

a) Any other basis  $B'$

b) If  $S$  is finite subset spanning  $V$  then

c) If  $L$  is finite LB set then

$\Rightarrow$  Def: The \_\_\_\_\_ of a finite dim V

V is defined to be

Next time: Linear transformations