

# MAT216: Linear Algebra and Fourier Transformation

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# Linear Transformation

## Definition

Let  $U$  and  $V$  be two vector spaces over the same field  $\mathbb{F}$ . A linear Transformation  $T$  of  $U$  into  $V$ , written as  $T : U \rightarrow V$ , is a function of  $U$  into  $V$  such that

$$T(\vec{u}_1 + \vec{u}_2) = T(\vec{u}_1) + T(\vec{u}_2) \text{ for all } \vec{u}_1, \vec{u}_2 \in U$$

$$T(\alpha \vec{u}) = \alpha T(\vec{u}) \text{ for all } \vec{u} \in U \text{ and for all } \alpha \in F$$

## Example

Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be the transformation defined by

$$T \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x+y \\ x-y \end{pmatrix}$$

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Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be the transformation defined by

$$T(x, y, z) = (xy, x + y, x + z)$$

Show that  $T$  is not a linear transformation.

N.B.: Let  $V$  be a vector space over a field  $\mathbb{F}$ . If the transformation  $T : V \rightarrow V$ , is a linear transformation from  $V$  into itself, then  $T$  is called a linear operator.

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Consider a linear Transformation  $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ . Given that,

$$T(1,0) = (-1,1), \quad T(0,1) = (2,1)$$

Then find  $T(x,y)$ .

# Matrix Representation

## Example

Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be a linear transformation defined by

$$T(x, y) = (x - 4y, 3x + 2y)$$

Find the matrix representation with respect to the standard basis.

## Example

Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be a linear transformation defined by

$$T \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2x - 3y + z \\ x + y - 4z \\ 2y + 5z \end{pmatrix}$$

Find the matrix representation with respect to the standard basis.

# Kernel of a Linear Transformation

Kernel of  $T =$  Null space of  $T$

## Example

Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be a linear transformation defined by

$$T(x, y, z) = (2x - y + z, x + 2y - z, x + 7y - 4z)$$

Find the Basis and Dimension of  $\text{Ker}(T)$ .

# Image of a Linear Transformation

Image of  $T$  = Column space of  $T$

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