

Assignment 3 MATH223

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1 Problem 1

We need to find a linear transformation such that the following equality holds

$$T(x + y) = T(x) + T(y) \quad \forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}$$

Let $T : \ln(x)$, indeed \ln 's propriety of addition makes the transformation linear

$$\begin{aligned} \ln x + y &= \ln xy \\ &= \ln x + \ln y \quad \forall x, y \in \mathbb{R} \end{aligned}$$

We now prove that T is bijective. Let u and $w \in V$, then

$$\begin{aligned} \ln(u) &= \ln(w) \quad , \text{Act } e \text{ on both sides} \\ e^{\ln(u)} &= e^{\ln(w)} \rightarrow u = w \end{aligned}$$

Then we can prove that T is also surjective Let u and $w \in V$ and $k \in \mathbb{R}$, then

$$\ln(u)^k = k \ln(u) \quad \text{by proprieties of } \ln(x)$$

since k is an arbitrary constant, $\forall v \in \mathbb{R} \exists u \in U$ such that $T(u) = v$. T as defined is then surjective and injective ,consequently it's isomorphic.

2 Problem 2

2.1 a)

Let $a \in \text{Im}(T - I)$ then $\exists v \in V$ such that

$$\begin{aligned} (T - I)(v) &= a \\ \text{since } (T^2 - I) &= (T - I)(T + I) \\ \text{then } (T + I)(a) &= (T - I)(T + I)(v) \\ &= (T^2 - I)(v) \\ &= 0 \times v = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $a \in \text{Ker}(T + I)$ and consequently, $\text{Im}(T - I) \subseteq \text{Ker}(T + I)$
Similarly,

Let $b \in \text{Im}(T + I)$ then $\exists y \in V$ such that

$$\begin{aligned}(T + I)(y) &= b \\ \text{since } (T^2 - I) &= (T - I)(T + I) \\ \text{then } (T - I)(b) &= (T - I)(T + I)(y) \\ &= (T^2 - I)(y) \\ &= 0 \times y = 0\end{aligned}$$

Therefore $b \in \text{Ker}(T - I)$ and consequently, $\text{Im}(T + I) \subseteq \text{Ker}(T - I)$

2.2 b)

Let $u \in \text{Ker}(T - I) \cap \text{Ker}(T + I)$, then by definition of the intersection, $u \in \text{Ker}(T - I)$ and $u \in \text{Ker}(T + I)$.

$$\begin{array}{ll}(T - I)(u) = 0 & (T + I)(u) = 0 \\ T(u) - I(u) = 0 & (T)(u) + I(u) = 0 \\ T(u) = I(u) & T(u) = -I(u) \\ = u & = -(u) \quad , \text{By definition of Id}(u)\end{array}$$

Thus if $u = -(u) \rightarrow u = 0$ and so $\text{Ker}(T - I) \cap \text{Ker}(T + I) = 0$.

Then since $\dim(V) = \dim(\text{Ker}(T - I)) + \dim(\text{Ker}(T + I))$, $V = \text{Ker}(T - I) \oplus \text{Ker}(T + I)$

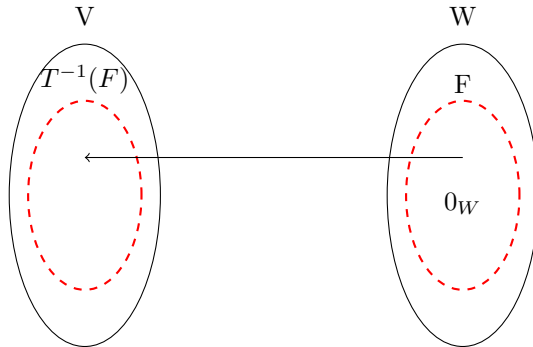
2.3 c)

Since $(T^2 - I) = 0$, that implies that $(T - I)(T + I) = 0$ which has solutions 1 and -1, resulting in two eigenvectors for T . Then the two eigenvalues are respectively -1 and 1, giving

$$[T]_{\mathbb{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

3 Problem 3

3.1 a)



Let $x, y \in T^{-1}(F)$ then $\exists u, v \in V$ such that

$$T(x) = u \quad T(y) = v$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Since } T(\alpha x + \beta y) &= \alpha T(x) + \beta T(y) \\ &= \alpha u + \beta v \quad \forall \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R} \ \& \ u, v \in V \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{then } (\alpha x + \beta y) \in T^{-1}(F)$$

$$\text{since } \alpha x + \beta y \in V$$

$$\text{then } T^{-1}(F) \subseteq V$$

$$\text{Moreover, } T^{-1}(F) \text{ is a subspace of } V$$

For the second part, Since $T^{-1}(F)$ is a subspace of V and $T : V \rightarrow W$, then

$$\dim(T^{-1}(F)) = \dim(\ker(T) \cap T^{-1}(F)) + \dim(\text{Im}(T) \cap T(T^{-1}(F)))$$

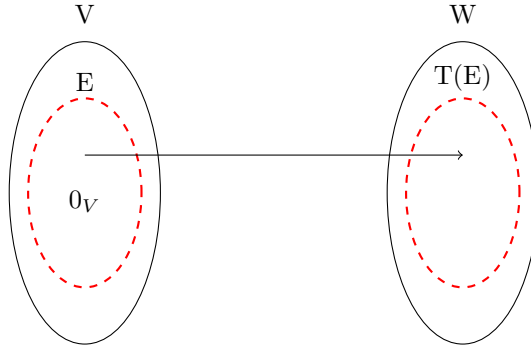
Since $\ker(T) \subseteq T^{-1}(F)$, then

$$\ker(T) \cap T^{-1}(F) = \ker(T)$$

Moreover, $T(T^{-1}(F)) = I_{dv}(F) = F$ by definition of the identity map. So we have shown that

$$\dim(T^{-1}(F)) = \dim(\ker(T)) + \dim(F \cap \text{Im}(T))$$

3.2 b)



Let $x, y \in T(E)$ then $\exists u, v \in W$ such that

$$T(x) = u \quad T(y) = v$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Since } T(\alpha x + \beta y) &= \alpha T(x) + \beta T(y) \\ &= \alpha u + \beta v \quad \forall \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R} \ \& \ u, v \in W \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{then } (\alpha x + \beta y) \in T(E)$$

$$\text{since } \alpha x + \beta y \in W$$

$$\text{then } T(E) \subseteq W$$

$$\text{Moreover, } T(E) \text{ is a subspace of } W$$

For the second part, we'll use the rank-nullity theorem

$$\dim(E) = \dim(\ker(\tilde{T})) + \dim(\text{Im}(\tilde{T}))$$

Where $\dim(\ker(\tilde{T})) = \dim(\ker(T) \cap T^{-1}(E)) = \dim(\ker(T) \cap I_{dv}(E)) = \dim(\ker(T) \cap E)$ By definition of the identity map.

Moreover, $\dim(\text{Im}(\tilde{T})) = \dim(\text{Im}(T) \cap T(E))$.

Since $\text{Im}(T) = W$, $W \cap T(E) = T(E)$, by definition of intersection.

Thus, we obtain the following final result

$$\dim(E) = \dim(\ker(T) \cap E) + \dim(T(E))$$

4 Problem 4

4.1 a)

Let $\mathcal{B} = \{x^2, x, 1\}$ be a basis of \mathcal{P}_2 . Then

$$\begin{aligned}[T(p_1)]_{\mathcal{B}} &\rightarrow T(p_1)(x) = x^2 + 2x = 2x^2 + 2x \\ [T(p_2)]_{\mathcal{B}} &\rightarrow T(p_1)(x) = x(1) + 1 = x + 1 \\ [T(p_3)]_{\mathcal{B}} &\rightarrow T(p_3)(x) = x(0) + 0 = 0\end{aligned}$$

So then

$$[T]_{\mathcal{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

4.2 b)

Let $\mathcal{S} = \{x^2 - x, x+1, x-1\}$ be a basis of \mathcal{P}_2 . Then

$$\begin{aligned}[T(p_1)]_{\mathcal{S}} &\rightarrow T(p_1)(x) = x(2x-1) + 2x-1 = 2x^2 + x - 1 \\ [T(p_2)]_{\mathcal{S}} &\rightarrow T(p_1)(x) = x(1+0) + 1+0 = x+1 \\ [T(p_3)]_{\mathcal{S}} &\rightarrow T(p_3)(x) = x(1+0) + 1 = x+1\end{aligned}$$

So then

$$[T]_{\mathcal{S}} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

4.3 c)

Let $\mathcal{S} = \{x^2, x, 1\}$ be a basis of \mathcal{P}_2 . Then let us diagonalize this matrix. The characteristic polynomial is

$$\begin{aligned}p(\lambda) &= \det([T]_{\mathcal{S}} - \lambda I_3) \\ &= \det \begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1-\lambda & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0-\lambda \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (2-\lambda)((1-\lambda)(-\lambda)) = 0 \\ &= -\lambda(\lambda^2 - 3\lambda + 2) = -\lambda(\lambda-1)(\lambda-2)\end{aligned}$$

Multiplicity is one and the corresponding eigenvalues are 0, 1 and 2. The resulting diagonal matrix is

$$[T]_{\mathcal{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

We now compute the corresponding eigenvectors.

For $\lambda = 0$, $([T]_{\mathcal{B}} - 0I_3)$ yields

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

The reduced echelon form gives $a = b = 0$ and c can take any value, therefore the corresponding eigenvector for v_1 is $[0, 0, 1]$
 For $\lambda = 1$, $([T]_{\mathcal{B}} - 1I_3)$ yields

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

The reduced echelon form gives $a = 0$ and $b = c$, therefore the corresponding eigenvector for v_2 is $[0, 1, 1]$
 For $\lambda = 2$, $([T]_{\mathcal{B}} - 2I_3)$ yields

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

The reduced echelon form gives $a = c$ and $b = 2c$, therefore the corresponding eigenvector for v_3 is $[1, 2, 1]$
 In summary, the eigenvectors are

$$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Given $\mathcal{S} = \{x^2, x, 1\}$ and P found above, we compute $\mathcal{B} = \{1, x^2 + x, x^2 + 2x + 1\}$ is a basis of \mathcal{P}_2 such that $[T]_{\mathcal{B}}$ is diagonal.

5 Problem 5

Let $\mathcal{S} = \{u, v, w\}$ be a basis of V . Then, since
 $T(u) = v + w$, $T(v) = u + w$ and $T(w) = u + v$,

$$[T]_{\mathcal{S}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

The characteristic polynomial of this matrix is

$$\begin{aligned} p(\lambda) &= \det \begin{vmatrix} 0 - \lambda & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 - \lambda & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 - \lambda \end{vmatrix} \\ &= -\lambda(\lambda^2 - 1) + \lambda + 1 + 1 + \lambda \\ &= -\lambda^3 + 3\lambda + 2 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

This equation has solutions $\lambda = -1$ and $\lambda = 2$. Since $\dim(V) = 3$, we have 2 distinct eigenvalues but we need 3 for diagonalization. Therefore, we can't find a basis \mathcal{B} such that $[T]_{\mathcal{B}}$ is diagonalizable.

6 Problem 6

6.1 a)

Let $V = \mathbb{R}$, $S : V \rightarrow V$ and $T : V \rightarrow V$ be both isomorphic.

Let S be defined as $f_1(x) = x$ and T as $f_2(x) = -x$. Both have their corresponding inverse $1/x$ and $-1/x$

respectively ,hence they're surjective.

$$\begin{array}{ll} f_1(x+x) = f_1(2x) = 2x & f_1(x) + f_1(x) = x+x = 2x \\ f_2(x+x) = f_2(2x) = -2x & f_2(x) + f_2(x) = -x + -x = -2x \end{array}$$

Both have elements uniquely mapped, thus they're injective as well. Since S and T are bijective, they're indeed isomorphisms.

Now we verify if their addition is isomorphic between V as well.

$$\begin{aligned} (f_1 + f_2)(x+x) &= f_1(x) + f_2(x) && \text{By proprieties of linear transformations} \\ &= x - x \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, S+T is not an isomorphism from V into V since it's range is not \mathbb{R} .And so the statement is FALSE

6.2 b)

Let $V = \mathbb{R}$, then $\dim(V) = n = 1$. We'll show that the statement is false , i.e $\text{rank}(S) + \text{rank}(T) \neq 1$.
Let $S : V \rightarrow V$ and $T : V \rightarrow V$ be two linear transformations defined as:

$$\begin{aligned} S(u) &= u' \quad \forall u \in \mathbb{R} \\ T(u) &= 0 \quad \forall u \in \mathbb{R} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then, } (S \circ T)(u) &= S(T(u)) = S(0) = 0' = 0 \\ \text{thus, the condition } S \circ T &= 0 \quad \text{is satisfied} \end{aligned}$$

Since the rank of a linear transformation is by definition the dimension of it's image,

$$\text{rank}(S) = \text{rank}(T) = \dim(\text{Im}(S)) = \dim(\text{Im}(T)) = 0$$

Consequently, $\text{rank}(S) + \text{rank}(T) = 0 + 0 \not= 1$. And so the statement is FALSE