

## Indian Institute of Technology Jammu

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CSD001P5M

Linear Algebra

Tutorial: 08

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1. Let  $T : V_{\mathbb{F}} \rightarrow W_{\mathbb{F}}$  be a linear transformation.
  - (a) Show that  $\text{Ker } T = \{v \in V : Tv = 0\}$  is a subspace of  $V$  and  $\text{Range } T = \{w \in W : w = Tv \text{ for some } v \in V\}$  is a subspace of  $W$ .
  - (b) Show that  $\text{Ker } T = \{0\}$  if and only if  $T$  is one-one.
2. Determine whether the following are linear transformations (yes or no). Justify your answers.
  - (a)  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  given by  $T(x, y, z) = (x + y, x - z)$
  - (b)  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  given by  $T(x, y, z) = (x + y, z^2)$
  - (c)  $U : \mathbb{M}_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{M}_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R})$  given by  $U(A) = A^T$ . Here  $A^T$  indicates the transpose of the matrix  $A$ .
  - (d)  $M : \mathbb{R}[x] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}[x]$  given by  $M(p(x)) = xp(x)$  for all polynomials  $p(x) \in \mathbb{R}[x]$ .
3. Determine all linear transformations  $T : \mathbb{R}^1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^1$ .  
(Note:  $\mathbb{R}^1$  is the vector space consisting of all 1-tuples with real entries; it is essentially the same as  $\mathbb{R}$ , however regarded as only a vector space rather than a field.)
4. Consider the field  $\mathbb{C}$  of complex numbers.
  - (a) Show that  $\mathbb{C}$  is a vector space over the field  $\mathbb{R}$ .
  - (b) Determine the dimension of  $\mathbb{C}$  by finding a suitable basis.
  - (c) Show that the function  $\phi : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  given by  $\phi(z) = \bar{z}$  is a linear transformation. Here  $\bar{z}$  indicates the complex conjugate of  $z$ , i.e. if  $z = a + bi$ , then  $\bar{z} = a - bi$ .
  - (d) Show that complex conjugation is actually a multiplicative function, i.e. if  $w, z \in \mathbb{C}$ , then  $\phi(wz) = \phi(w)\phi(z)$ .
  - (e) Show that  $\phi$  is the only multiplicative linear transformation on  $\mathbb{C}$  to  $\mathbb{C}$ , other than the zero and identity linear transformations.
5. Consider the space  $V = C[\mathbb{R}]$  of all continuous functions on  $\mathbb{R}$  and consider the mapping  $D_{\varepsilon} : V \rightarrow V$  given by  $D_{\varepsilon}(f) = f(x + \varepsilon)$ , where  $f_{\varepsilon}(x) = f(x + \varepsilon)$  for all  $x$ . Here  $\varepsilon$  is an arbitrary but fixed real number. Is  $D_{\varepsilon}$  a linear transformation? Justify your answer.