

Math 5102 – Linear Algebra– Fall 2024
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Homework #6 – NONE

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Page 107:3. Which of the following pairs of vector spaces are isomorphic? Justify your answers.

- (a) F^3 and $P_3(F)$.
- (b) F^4 and $P_3(F)$.
- (c) $M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R})$ and $P_3(\mathbb{R})$.
- (d) $V = \{A \in M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R}) : \text{tr}(A) = 0\}$ and \mathbb{R}^4 .

Page 107:4. Let A and B be $n \times n$ matrices. Prove that AB is invertible and $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$.

Page 107:5. Let A be invertible. Prove that A^t is invertible and $(A^t)^{-1} = (A^{-1})^t$.

Page 107:15. Let V and W be n -dimensional vector spaces, and let $T : V \rightarrow W$ be a linear transformation. Suppose that β is a basis for V . Prove that T is an isomorphism if and only if $T(\beta)$ is a basis for W .

Page 107:16. Let B be an $n \times n$ invertible matrix. Define $\Phi : M_{n \times n}(F) \rightarrow M_{n \times n}(F)$ by $\Phi(A) = B^{-1}AB$. Prove that Φ is an isomorphism.

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Page 116:4) Let T be the linear operator \mathbb{R}^2 defined by

$$T\begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2a + b \\ a - 3b \end{pmatrix}$$

Let β be the standard ordered basis for \mathbb{R}^2 , and let

$$\beta' = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

Use Theorem 2.23 and the fact that

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

to find $[T]_{\beta'}$

Page 116:11) Let V be a finite-dimensional vector space with ordered bases α, β and γ .

- (a) Prove that if Q and R are the change of coordinate matrices that change α -coordinates into β -coordinates and β -coordinates into γ -coordinates, respectively, then RQ is the change of coordinate matrix that changes α -coordinates to γ -coordinates.
- (b) Prove that if Q changes α -coordinates into β -coordinates, then Q^{-1} changes β -coordinates into α -coordinates.