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Assignment-13

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Abstract—In this document, we find whether the given function T from \mathbf{R}^2 into \mathbf{R}^2 is a linear transformation or not.

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1 Problem Statement

Verify whether $T(x_1, x_2) = (x_1 - x_2, 0)$ is a linear transformation or not.

2 Solution

Let **V** and **W** be the vector spaces. The function $T: \mathbf{V} \to \mathbf{W}$ is called a linear transformation of **V** into **W** if the following properties are true for all **u** and **v** in **V** and for any scalar k.

$$T(\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}) = T(\mathbf{u}) + T(\mathbf{v}) \tag{2.0.1}$$

$$T(k\mathbf{u}) = kT(\mathbf{u}) \tag{2.0.2}$$

Given,

$$T \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.3}$$

Suppose we have $\mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\mathbf{y} = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix}$, then we have to show that the result of $T(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y})$ must be

same as $T(\mathbf{x}) + T(\mathbf{y})$. Consider,

$$T(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}) = T \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + y_1 \\ x_2 + y_2 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (2.0.4)

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + y_1 \\ x_2 + y_2 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (2.0.5)

$$= \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + y_1 - x_2 - y_2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.6}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} x_1 - x_2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} y_1 - y_2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.7}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (2.0.8)

$$T(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}) = T(\mathbf{x}) + T(\mathbf{y}) \tag{2.0.9}$$

Also, we need to show that for some constant k, $T(k\mathbf{x}) = kT(\mathbf{x})$. Consider,

$$T(k\mathbf{x}) = T \begin{pmatrix} kx_1 \\ kx_2 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.10}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} k & -k \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.11}$$

$$=k\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.12}$$

$$T(k\mathbf{x}) = kT(\mathbf{x}) \tag{2.0.13}$$

Therefore, the given function T is a linear transformation.