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1.2 Vector Space

Definition. *Cartesian product:* $A \times B := \{(a, b) | a \in A, b \in B\}$

Definition (Binary operation). \times is cartesian product and S is a set. Then binary operation $*$ is defined as follows.

$$\begin{aligned} * : S \times S &\longrightarrow S \\ (a, b) &\longmapsto *(a, b) =: a * b \end{aligned}$$

Definition (Scalar multiplication). \mathbf{F} is field and S is a set. Then scalar multiplication is defined as follows.

$$\begin{aligned} \cdot : \mathbf{F} \times S &\longrightarrow S \\ (a, s) &\longmapsto \cdot(a, s) =: a \cdot s = as \end{aligned}$$

Definition (Vector Space). \mathbf{V} is non-empty set and \mathbf{F} is a field. $(\mathbf{V}, +, \cdot)$ is vector space over \mathbf{F} if the following conditions hold.

1. For all $\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w} \in \mathbf{V}$, $\mathbf{u} + (\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w}) = (\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}) + \mathbf{w}$ (associativity of addition).
2. $\exists \mathbf{0} \in \mathbf{V}$ such that $\forall \mathbf{v} \in \mathbf{V}$, $\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{0} = \mathbf{0} + \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v}$ (existence of identity)
3. $\forall \mathbf{v} \in \mathbf{V}$, $\mathbf{v}' \in \mathbf{V}$ such that $\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{v}' = \mathbf{v}' + \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{0}$ (an inverse of \mathbf{v})
4. For all $\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w} \in \mathbf{V}$, $\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w} = \mathbf{w} + \mathbf{v}$ (commutativity of addition)
5. $(a + b)\mathbf{v} = a\mathbf{v} + b\mathbf{v} \quad \forall a, b \in \mathbf{F} \quad , \quad \forall \mathbf{v} \in \mathbf{V}$
6. $(ab)\mathbf{v} = a(b\mathbf{v})$
7. $a(\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w}) = a\mathbf{v} + a\mathbf{w}$
8. $1 \cdot \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v} \quad \forall \mathbf{v} \in \mathbf{V}$

Example 1.

$$1. \mathbb{R}^n := \{(a_1, \dots, a_n) \mid a_i \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

$$(a) \text{ Binary operation: } (a_1, \dots, a_n) + (b_1, \dots, b_n) := (a_1 + b_1, \dots, a_n + b_n)$$

$$(b) \text{ Scalar multiplication: } c \cdot (a_1, \dots, a_n) := (ca_1, \dots, ca_n)$$

$$(c) \mathbf{0} := (0, \dots, 0)$$

$$(d) \text{ an inverse of } (a_1, \dots, a_n) = (-a_1, \dots, -a_n) =: -(a_1, \dots, a_n)$$

$$2. \mathfrak{M}_{m \times n}(\mathbb{R}) := \{A = (a_{ij}) \mid A : m \times n \text{ matrix, } a_{ij} \in \mathbb{R}\}, A = (a_{ij}), B = (b_{ij}) \in \mathfrak{M}_{m \times n}(\mathbb{R})$$

$$(a) A + B := (a_{ij} + b_{ij})$$

$$(b) c \cdot A := (ca_{ij})$$

$$(c) \mathbf{0} := \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \cdots & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(d) -A := (-a_{ij})$$

$$3. \mathcal{F}(S, \mathbf{F}) := \{\text{all functions } f : S \mapsto \mathbf{F}\}$$

$$(a) (f + g)(s) := f(s) + g(s) \forall s \in S$$

$$(b) (c \cdot f)(s) := cf(s)$$

$$(c)$$

$$\mathbf{0} : S \longrightarrow \mathbf{F}$$

$$s \longmapsto 0$$

$$(d) (-f)(s) := -f(s)$$

$$4. \mathbf{P}(\mathbb{R}) := \{a_0 + a_1X + \cdots + a_nX^n \mid a_i \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

$f(x) := a_0 + a_1X + \cdots + a_nX^n$, $g(x) := b_0 + b_1X + \cdots + b_mX^m$ and we assume $m \geq n$ and $a_i = 0$ for all $i \geq n + 1$.

$$(a) f(x) + g(x) := (a_0 + b_0) + (a_1 + b_1)X^1 + \cdots + (a_m + b_m)X^m$$

$$(b) c \cdot f(x) = (ca_0) + (ca_1)X^1 + \cdots + (ca_n)X^n$$

$$(c) \mathbf{0} := 0 + 0 \cdot X^1 + \cdots + 0 \cdot X^n$$

$$(d) -f(x) := -a_0 - a_1X^1 - \cdots - a_nX^n$$

$$5. \text{ Sequence space } V := \{\text{all sequences } \{a_n\}_{n=1}^\infty\}$$

$$f : \mathbb{N} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$n \longmapsto f(n) =: a_n$$

$$(a) \{a_n\} + \{b_n\} := \{a_n + b_n\}$$

$$(b) \ c \cdot \{a_n\} := \{c \cdot a_n\}$$

$$(c) \ \mathbf{0} := \{0\}$$

$$(d) \ \text{inverse of } \{a_n\}: \{-a_n\}$$

Theorem (Cancellation law). *If $\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{z}$, then $\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{z}$*

Proof.

$$((- \mathbf{x}) + \mathbf{x}) + \mathbf{y} = ((- \mathbf{x}) + \mathbf{x}) + \mathbf{z}$$

$$\mathbf{0} + \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{0} + \mathbf{z}$$

$$\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{z}$$

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Corollary. *An identity $\mathbf{0}$ is unique*

Proof. Let $\mathbf{0}_1, \mathbf{0}_2$ be two different identities in \mathbf{V} . Then $\mathbf{0}_1 = \mathbf{0}_1 + \mathbf{0}_2 = \mathbf{0}_2$

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Theorem.

$$1. \ 0 \cdot \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$$

$$2. \ (-a)\mathbf{x} = -(a\mathbf{x}) = a(-\mathbf{x})$$

$$3. \ a \cdot \mathbf{0} = \mathbf{0}$$

Proof.

1.

$$\mathbf{0} + 0 \cdot \mathbf{x} = 0 \cdot \mathbf{x}$$

$$= (0 + 0)\mathbf{x}$$

$$= 0 \cdot \mathbf{x} + 0 \cdot \mathbf{x}$$

$$\therefore 0 \cdot \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$$

2.

$$a\mathbf{x} + (-a)\mathbf{x} = (a + (-a))\mathbf{x}$$

$$= 0 \cdot \mathbf{x}$$

$$= \mathbf{0}$$

3.

$$\begin{aligned}a\mathbf{0} &= a(\mathbf{0} + \mathbf{0}) \\ &= a\mathbf{0} + a\mathbf{0} \\ \therefore a\mathbf{0} &= \mathbf{0}\end{aligned}$$

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