

Task 1. In a set, if one vector can be other vectors linear combination, we will say the set is linear dependent (l.d.) otherwise is linear independent (l.i.)

$$(1) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = a \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + b \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} 0 + b = 1 \\ -a + (-b) = 2 \\ 3a + 2b = 0 \\ a - b = 0 \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} b = 1 \\ -a + (-1) = 2 \\ 3a + 2 \cdot 1 = 0 \\ a - 1 = 0 \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} b = 1 \\ a = -3 \\ a = -\frac{2}{3} \\ a = 1 \end{array} (X)$$

can't combine to  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow$  l.i.

$$(2) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = a \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} + b \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 3 \\ 2 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} 0 - 2b = 1 \\ 2a + 3b = 0 \\ 0 + 2b = -1 \\ 4a + 6b = 0 \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} b = -\frac{1}{2} \\ 2a + 3(-\frac{1}{2}) = 0 \\ b = -\frac{1}{2} \\ 4a + 6(-\frac{1}{2}) = 0 \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} b = -\frac{1}{2} \\ a = \frac{3}{4} \end{array}$$

$a = \frac{3}{4}, b = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow$  l.d.

$$(3) (1, 0, -2, 1) = a(0, -1, 1, 1) + b(-1, 2, 1, 0) + c(2, 1, -4, 4)$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 0 - b + 2c = 1 \quad b = 2c - 1 \\ \Rightarrow -a + 2b + c = 0 \Rightarrow a = -4c + 1 \\ a + b - 4c = -2 \quad -(-4c + 1) + 2(2c - 1) + c = 9c - 3 = 0 \\ a + 0 + 4c = 1 \quad (-4c + 1) + (2c - 1) - 4c = -6c = -2 \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} c = \frac{1}{3} \\ b = -\frac{1}{3} \\ a = -\frac{1}{3} \end{array}$$

$a = -\frac{1}{3}, b = -\frac{1}{3}, c = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow$  l.d.

$$(4) (1, 0, -2, 1) = a(0, -1, 1, 1) + b(-1, 2, 1, 0) + c(2, 1, 2, -2)$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 0 - b + 2c = 1 \quad b = 2c - 1 \\ \Rightarrow -a + 2b + c = 0 \Rightarrow a = 2c + 1 \\ a + b + 2c = -2 \quad -(2c + 1) + 2(2c - 1) + c = 3c - 3 = 0 \\ a + 0 - 2c = 1 \quad (2c + 1) + (2c - 1) + 2c = 6c = -2 \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} c = 1 \\ c = -\frac{1}{3} \end{array} (X)$$

can't combine to  $(1, 0, -2, 1) \Rightarrow$  l.i.

Task 2. In a set, if one vector can be other vectors linear combination, we will say the set is linear dependent (l.d.); so we can first define 2 arbitrary vectors. then do a linear combination of these 2 vector, then we can get a l.d. vector set.

$$\text{ex. } V_1 = (1, 0, 1), V_2 = (3, 2, 1), V_3 = 1(1, 0, 1) + 2(3, 2, 1) = (7, 4, 3)$$

Task 3, (1) False, ex.  $V$  is  $\mathbb{R}^2$ , basis can be  $\{(1, 0), (0, 1)\}, \{(1, 1), (1, 2)\}, \dots$

(2) True

(3) False, ex.  $V$  is  $\mathbb{R}^2$  which  $\dim(V) = 2$ , one subset of  $V$  with 2 vectors is  $\{(1, 1), (0, 0)\}$ , but this is not a basis since it's not l.i.

Task 4, To determine a set can be a basis of  $P_2(R)$  or not, we can check

(1) vector number of set must be  $\dim(P_2(R)) = 3$

(2) vectors in set should be linear independent (l.i.)

$$(1) 1 - x^2 = a(2 + 5x + x^2) + b(-4x + 3x^2) \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 2a + 0 = 1 \\ 5a + 0 = 0 \\ a + 3b = -1 \end{cases} (X)$$

can't combine to  $1 - x^2 \Rightarrow$  l.i., is basis

$$(2) 2 - 4x + x^2 = a(3x - x^2) + b(6 - x^2) \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 0 + 6b = 2 \\ 3a + 0 = -4 \\ -a - b = 1 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} b = \frac{1}{3} \\ a = -\frac{4}{3} \end{cases} (O)$$

$a = -\frac{4}{3}, b = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow$  l.d., isn't basis

$$(3) 1 + 2x - x^2 = a(1 + 2x^2) + b(2 + x + x^2) \Rightarrow \begin{cases} a + 2b = 1 \\ 0 + b = 2 \\ 2a + b = -1 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} b = 2 \\ a + 2 \cdot 2 = 1 \\ 2a + 2 = -1 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} b = 2 \\ a = -3 \\ a = -\frac{3}{2} \end{cases} (X)$$

can't combine to  $1 + 2x - x^2 \Rightarrow$  l.i., is basis

Task 5, since  $a_1 = a_3 + a_4$ ,  $(a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5) = (a_3 + a_4, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5)$

$a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5$  are free and  $a_1$  depends on  $a_3$  and  $a_4$ , 4 variable generate  $W$

then we can check the dependency

$$\text{let } a_2 = 1, \text{ other be } 0 \Rightarrow (a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5) = (0, 1, 0, 0, 0)$$

$$a_3 = 1, \text{ other be } 0 \Rightarrow (a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5) = (1, 0, 1, 0, 0)$$

$$a_4 = 1, \text{ other be } 0 \Rightarrow (a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5) = (1, 0, 0, 1, 0)$$

$$a_5 = 1, \text{ other be } 0 \Rightarrow (a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5) = (0, 0, 0, 0, 1)$$

$$(0, 1, 0, 0, 0) = a(1, 0, 1, 0, 0) + b(1, 0, 0, 1, 0) + c(0, 0, 0, 0, 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} a + b + 0 = 0 \\ 0 + 0 + 0 = 1 \\ a + 0 + 0 = 0 \\ 0 + b + 0 = 0 \\ 0 + 0 + c = 0 \end{cases} (X) \Rightarrow \text{can't combine to } (0, 1, 0, 0, 0) \Rightarrow \text{l.i., is basis} \Rightarrow \dim(W) = 4$$