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- closed under vector addition  
 $v_1, v_2 \in V \quad v_1 + v_2 \in V$
- closed under scalar multiplication  
 $\alpha \in R \quad v \in V \quad \alpha v \in V$

→ 8)  $1 \in \mathbb{R}$   $1_{\vec{v}} = \vec{v}$

$\mathbb{R}$  real number  $\rightarrow$  vectors of  $(\mathbb{R}, +, \cdot)$  ✓  
 $\rightarrow$  matrices  $\rightarrow$  vectors of  $(\mathbb{R}^{m \times n}, +, \cdot)$  ✓  
 $\rightarrow$  polynomials  $\rightarrow$  vector of  $(P_n, +, \cdot)$  ✓  
 $P_n$ : polynomials with degree less than  $n$ . ✓

## SUBSPACES

$S \subseteq V \rightarrow$  vector space

$\swarrow$  a subset of  $V$        $\searrow$  subset notation       $V$

✓ 1)  $\vec{O}_v \in S$

✓ 2)  $\forall \vec{s}_1, \vec{s}_2 \in S$   $\vec{s}_1 \oplus \vec{s}_2 \in S \rightarrow (S \text{ should be a closed subset of } V \text{ wrt } \oplus)$ .

✓ 3)  $\forall \lambda \in \mathbb{R}, \forall \vec{z} \in S$   $\lambda \vec{0} \vec{z} \in S \rightarrow S$  should be a closed subset of  $V$  wrt  $\vec{0}$ .

If  $S$  satisfies all these 3 properties, then  $S$  is a subspace of  $V$ .

$S \leq V$   
subspace notation.

✓  
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 $(\mathbb{R}^2, +, \cdot)$  is a vector space.  $\rightarrow (\mathbb{R}^2 = \{ (x, y) : x, y \in \mathbb{R} \}, \oplus, \odot)$

$$S = \{ (x, y) : \boxed{y=2x}, x, y \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

Is  $S$  a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ ?

1)  $\vec{0}_v = (0,0)$  ✓  
 $\begin{matrix} \uparrow & \uparrow \\ x=0 & y=0 \end{matrix}$   $0=2.0 \rightarrow (0,0) \in S$  ✓  
 satisfies the property of  $S$ . ✓

2) Let  $(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $(x_2, y_2)$  be elements of  $S$ .  
 $\Rightarrow y_1 = 2x_1$   $y_2 = 2x_2$

$$\Rightarrow y_1 = 2x_1$$

$$y_2 = 2x_2$$

$$(x_1, y_1) \oplus (x_2, y_2) = (x_1 + x_2, y_1 + y_2) \in S$$

$$y_1 + y_2 \stackrel{?}{=} 2(x_1 + x_2)$$

$$y_1 + y_2 = 2x_1 + 2x_2 = 2(x_1 + x_2)$$

3) Let  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $(x_1, y_1) \in S$

$$y_1 = 2x_1$$

$$\lambda \odot (x_1, y_1) = (\lambda x_1, \lambda y_1) \in S$$

$$\lambda y_1 \stackrel{?}{=} 2(\lambda x_1)$$

$$\lambda y_1 = \lambda(2x_1) = 2(\lambda x_1)$$

$\Rightarrow 1, 2, 3$  holds.  $\Rightarrow S \leq \mathbb{R}^2$

$\star$   $(\mathbb{R}^2, \oplus, \odot)$  is a vector space.

$$S = \{ (x, 1) : x \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

$$(0, 1), (2, 1), (3, 1), \dots$$

Is  $S$  a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ ?

$$(0, 0) \notin S$$

$\Rightarrow$  it fails the property 1 of being subset

$$(x_1, 1) + (x_2, 1) = (x_1 + x_2, 2) \notin S$$

$$\lambda \odot (x, 1) = (\lambda x, \lambda) \notin S \text{ if } \lambda \neq 1$$

2. Determine whether the following sets form subspaces of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ :

$$\mathbb{R}^3 = \{ (x, y, z) : x, y, z \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

$$\times (a) \{ (x_1, x_2, x_3)^T \mid x_1 + x_3 = 1 \} = S$$

$$\checkmark (b) \{ (x_1, x_2, x_3)^T \mid x_1 = x_2 = x_3 \}$$

$$\checkmark (c) \{ (x_1, x_2, x_3)^T \mid x_3 = x_1 + x_2 \}$$

$$\times (d) \{ (x_1, x_2, x_3)^T \mid x_3 = x_1 \text{ or } x_3 = x_2 \}$$

$$a) S = \{ (x_1, x_2, x_3) : x_1 + x_3 = 1 \}$$

Is  $S$  a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ ?

$$1) (0, 0, 0) \notin S \Rightarrow S \not\leq \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$b) S = \{ (x_1, x_2, x_3) : x_1 = x_2 = x_3 \}$$

Is  $S$  a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ ?

$$1) (0, 0, 0) \in S \quad 0 = 0 = 0 \checkmark$$

$$2) (x, x, x) \oplus (y, y, y) = (x+y, x+y, x+y) \in S \checkmark$$

$$3) \lambda \odot (x, x, x) = (\lambda x, \lambda x, \lambda x) \in S \checkmark$$

$$\lambda x = \lambda x = \lambda x \checkmark$$

$$S \leq \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$c) S = \{ (x_1, x_2, x_3) : x_3 = x_1 + x_2 \} \quad \text{Is } S \text{ a subspace of } \mathbb{R}^3?$$

$$1) (0, 0, 0) \in S \checkmark$$

$$c) \cup - \{ (x_1, x_2, x_3) : x_3 = x_1 + x_2 \}$$

$$1) (0, 0, 0) \in S \checkmark \quad 0 = 0 + 0 \checkmark$$

$$2) \underbrace{(x_1, x_2, x_1 + x_2)}_{\in S} \oplus \underbrace{(y_1, y_2, y_1 + y_2)}_{\in S} = (x_1 + y_1, x_2 + y_2, \underbrace{x_1 + x_2 + y_1 + y_2}_{\in S}) \in S \checkmark$$

$$3) \forall \lambda \in \mathbb{R} \quad (x_1, x_2, x_1 + x_2) \in S$$

$$\lambda (x_1, x_2, x_1 + x_2) = (\lambda x_1, \lambda x_2, \lambda(x_1 + x_2)) \in S \checkmark$$

$$\Rightarrow S \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3$$

2. Determine whether the following sets form subspaces of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ :

(a)  $\{(x_1, x_2, x_3)^T \mid x_1 + x_3 = 1\}$

(b)  $\{(x_1, x_2, x_3)^T \mid x_1 = x_2 = x_3\}$

(c)  $\{(x_1, x_2, x_3)^T \mid x_3 = x_1 + x_2\}$

(d)  $\{(x_1, x_2, x_3)^T \mid x_3 = x_1 \text{ or } x_3 = x_2\}$

$$d) S = \{ (x_1, x_2, x_3) : x_3 = x_1 \text{ or } x_3 = x_2 \}$$

$$\{ (0, 1, 0), (1, 0, 0), (2, 3, 3) \}$$

$$1) (0, 0, 0) \in S \checkmark$$

$$2) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \oplus \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \notin S$$

$$= (x_1 + y_1, x_2 + y_2, x_3 + y_3) \text{ may not be } S.$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \in S, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \in S \quad \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \notin S$$

$\Rightarrow S$  is not a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

1. Determine whether the following sets form subspaces of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ :

(a)  $\{(x_1, x_2)^T \mid x_1 + x_2 = 0\}$

(b)  $\{(x_1, x_2)^T \mid x_1 x_2 = 0\}$

(c)  $\{(x_1, x_2)^T \mid x_1 = 3x_2\}$

(d)  $\{(x_1, x_2)^T \mid |x_1| = |x_2|\}$

(e)  $\{(x_1, x_2)^T \mid x_1^2 = x_2^2\}$

3. Determine whether the following are subspaces of  $\mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$ :

(a) The set of all  $2 \times 2$  diagonal matrices

(b) The set of all  $2 \times 2$  triangular matrices

(c) The set of all  $2 \times 2$  lower triangular matrices

(d) The set of all  $2 \times 2$  matrices  $A$  such that  $a_{12} = 1$

(e) The set of all  $2 \times 2$  matrices  $B$  such that  $b_{11} = 0$

(f) The set of all symmetric  $2 \times 2$  matrices

(g) The set of all singular  $2 \times 2$  matrices

$$a) S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x & 0 \\ 0 & y \end{bmatrix} : x, y \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

$$1) \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \in S \checkmark$$

$$2) \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & 0 \\ 0 & y_1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} x_2 & 0 \\ 0 & y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 + x_2 & 0 \\ 0 & y_1 + y_2 \end{bmatrix} \in S \checkmark$$

$$3) \lambda \in \mathbb{R} \quad \begin{bmatrix} x & 0 \\ 0 & y \end{bmatrix} \in S$$

$$\lambda \begin{bmatrix} x & 0 \\ 0 & y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda x & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda y \end{bmatrix} \in S \checkmark$$

$$\mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2} = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} : a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

$\oplus \rightarrow$  matrix addition

$\odot \rightarrow$  scalar multiplication

$$O_{\mathbb{R}^2} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S \subseteq \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$$