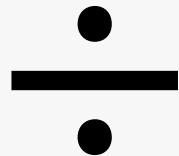
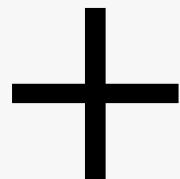


EE 635: Applied Linear Algebra  
Assignment 3

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1. For a linear operator  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ , given by  $T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (3x_1, x_1 - x_2, 2x_1 + x_2 + x_3)$ , ascertain if  $T$  is invertible. If so, then obtain a definition for  $T^{-1}$  such as the one for  $T$ . Prove that  $(T^2 - I)(T - 3I) = 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned} T(x_1, x_2, x_3) &= (3x_1, x_1 - x_2, 2x_1 + x_2 + x_3) \\ &= (y_1, y_2, y_3) \quad (\text{say}). \end{aligned}$$

Since both  $(x_1, x_2, x_3)$  and  $(y_1, y_2, y_3)$  are in standard basis, it is easy to work with matrix of  $T$ .

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} y_1 = 3x_1 \\ y_2 = x_1 - x_2 \\ y_3 = 2x_1 + x_2 + x_3 \end{array} \right\} \quad \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore,  $T = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$T$  will be invertible if  $T$  is injective and surjective linear map.

Check for Kernel:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{We have } 3x_1 = 0 \Rightarrow x_1 = 0$$

$$x_1 - x_2 = 0 \Rightarrow x_2 = 0$$

$$2x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 0 \Rightarrow x_3 = 0.$$

Since we get  $\text{Ker}(T) = \{(0,0,0)\}$ . Therefore  $T$  is injective.

Check for image:

rank-nullity theorem:

$$\dim(\text{Im}(T)) + \dim(\text{Ker}(T)) = \dim(\mathbb{R}^3)$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim(\text{Im}(T)) = \dim(\mathbb{R}^3) - \dim(\text{Ker}(T))$$

$$= 3 - 0$$

$$= 3$$

Since  $\dim(\text{Im}(T)) = \dim(\mathbb{R}^3) = 3$  so it means, the only possible subspace that has the same dimension with the underlying vector space is the vector space itself. Hence  $\text{Im}(T) = \mathbb{R}^3$ .

Since we see  $\text{im}(T) = \mathbb{R}^3$  so  $T$  must be surjective.

Since  $T$  is both injective & surjective so  $T$  is invertible.

Since  $T$  is invertible so  $T \cdot T^{-1} = T^{-1}T = I$ .

Suppose,

$$T^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} y_{11} & y_{12} & y_{13} \\ y_{21} & y_{22} & y_{23} \\ y_{31} & y_{32} & y_{33} \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_{11} & y_{12} & y_{13} \\ y_{21} & y_{22} & y_{23} \\ y_{31} & y_{32} & y_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solving the systems of equation :

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_{11} \\ y_{21} \\ y_{31} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow y_{11} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow y_{21} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow y_{31} = -1$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_{12} \\ y_{22} \\ y_{32} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow y_{12} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y_{22} = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow y_{32} = +1$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_{13} \\ y_{23} \\ y_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow y_{13} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y_{23} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y_{33} = 1$$

Therefore the  $T^{-1}$  will be -

$$T^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{3} & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & +1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(x_1, x_2, x_3) \xrightarrow{T} (y_1, y_2, y_3)$$

$\xleftarrow{T^{-1}}$

$$T^{-1}(y_1, y_2, y_3) = \left( \frac{1}{3}y_1, \frac{1}{3}y_1 - y_2, -y_1 + y_2 + y_3 \right)$$

We need to prove that,

$$(T^2 - I)(T - 3I) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) (T - 3I)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 9 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) \left( \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 9 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -4 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (\text{Hence proved})$$

4. Obtain a linear map,  $\varphi$  from  $\mathbb{F}^5$  to  $\mathbb{F}^2$  such that its kernel is given by  $\text{Ker}(\varphi) = \{(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5) \in \mathbb{F}^5 : x_1 = \alpha x_2; x_3 = x_4 = x_5\}$  ( $\alpha \in \mathbb{F}$ ).

$$\mathbb{F}^5 \xrightarrow{\varphi} \mathbb{F}^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Ker}(\varphi) &= \left\{ (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_5) \mid x_1 = \alpha x_2, x_3 = x_4 = x_5 \right\} \\ &= \left\{ (\alpha x_2, x_2, x_3, x_3, x_3) \mid \forall x_2, x_3, \alpha \in \mathbb{F} \right\} \\ &= \left\{ x_2 \cdot (\alpha, 1, 0, 0, 0) + x_3 \cdot (0, 0, 1, 1, 1) \right\} \\ &= \langle \{(\alpha, 1, 0, 0, 0), (0, 0, 1, 1, 1)\} \rangle\end{aligned}$$

$\{(\alpha, 1, 0, 0, 0), (0, 0, 1, 1, 1)\}$  is LI set

$$\Rightarrow c_1 \cdot (\alpha, 1, 0, 0, 0) + c_2 \cdot (0, 0, 1, 1, 1) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow c_1 \alpha_1 &= 0 \quad \Rightarrow c_1 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow c_2 &= 0\end{aligned}\} \text{ so it is LI set.}$$

Since  $\{(\alpha, 1, 0, 0, 0), (0, 0, 1, 1, 1)\}$  is spanning set of  $\text{Ker}(\varphi)$  and it is LI set so it is a basis for  $\text{Ker}(\varphi)$

$$\text{So } \dim(\text{Ker}(\varphi)) = 2.$$

From rank nullity theorem:

$$\dim(\ker(\varphi)) + \dim(\text{Im}(\varphi)) = \dim(\mathbb{F}^5)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 + \dim(\text{Im}(\varphi)) = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim(\text{Im}(\varphi)) = 3 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

However,  $\text{Im}(\varphi)$  is subspace of  $\mathbb{F}^2$  so,

$$\dim(\text{Im}(\varphi)) \leq 2. \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

Two results in eqn (i) & (ii) are contradictory.

Therefore, Such a linear map with the given kernel is not possible.

6. Suppose  $C^k(\mathbb{R})$  is the vector space of all  $k$ -times continuously differentiable functions on  $\mathbb{R}$ ,  $k \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$ . Consider  $\mathcal{L}_1 : C^1(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow C^0(\mathbb{R})$  and  $\mathcal{L}_2 : C^2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow C^0(\mathbb{R})$  be given by  $\mathcal{L}_1(f(x)) = \frac{d}{dx}(f(x)) + \alpha f(x)$ ,  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ , and  $\mathcal{L}_2(g(x)) = \frac{d^2}{dx^2}(g(x)) + \omega^2 g(x)$ ,  $\omega \in \mathbb{R}$ . What are the dimensions of the kernels of  $\mathcal{L}_1$  and  $\mathcal{L}_2$ ? Write down one possible choice of basis for each operator.

$$C^K(\mathbb{R}) = \left\{ f \mid f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, f(x) \text{ is } k \text{ times cont-diff.} \right\}$$

$$L_1 : C^1(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow C^0(\mathbb{R})$$

$$L_1(f(x)) = \frac{d}{dx}(f(x)) + \alpha \cdot f(x)$$

$\text{Ker}(L_1)$  is defined as:

$$\text{Ker}(L_1) = \left\{ f(x) \in C^1(\mathbb{R}) \mid L_1(f(x)) = 0 \right\}$$

Consider,  $L_1(f(x)) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(f(x)) + \alpha f(x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(f(x)) = -\alpha f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d(f(x))}{f(x)} = -\alpha \cdot dx$$

Integrating both sides, we get -

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{d(f(x))}{f(x)} = \int -\alpha dx + C \quad (C \in \mathbb{R})$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln |f(x)| = -\alpha x + C$$

$$\Rightarrow |f(x)| = e^{-\alpha x + C} = e^C \cdot e^{-\alpha x}$$

Since  $e^C$  is just a constant, we can rewrite as  $a > 0$

$$\Rightarrow |f(x)| = a \cdot e^{-\alpha x} \quad (a > 0)$$

Since  $f(x)$  can take negative values so we write -

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = a \cdot e^{-\alpha x} \quad (a \in \mathbb{R})$$

We can see that  $f(x)$  is scalar multiple of  $e^{-\alpha x}$ .

$$\ker(L_1) = \left\{ f(x) \in C^1(\mathbb{R}) \mid L_1(f(x)) = 0 \right\}$$

$$= \left\{ a \cdot e^{-\alpha x} \mid a \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

$$= \left\langle \left\{ e^{-\alpha x} \right\} \right\rangle$$

Note that  $\{e^{-\alpha x}\}$  is clearly LI and it spans  $\ker(L_1)$   
that means it is basis for  $\ker(L_1)$ .

$$\text{Basis for } \ker(L_1) = \left\{ e^{-\alpha x} \right\}$$

$$\text{dimension for } \ker(L_1) = 1.$$

$$L_2 : C^2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow C^0(\mathbb{R})$$

$$L_2(g(x)) = \frac{d^2}{dx^2}(g(x)) + \omega^2 g(x)$$

$$\ker(L_2) = \left\{ g(x) \in C^2(\mathbb{R}) \mid L_2(g(x)) = 0 \right\}$$

$$\text{Consider, } L_2(g(x)) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2}{dx^2}(g(x)) + \omega^2 g(x) = 0$$

$$\text{Consider } g(x) = y.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \omega^2 y = 0 \quad (\omega \neq 0)$$

Assume the solution,  $y = e^{\gamma x}$  where  $\gamma$  is a constant

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \gamma^2 e^{\gamma x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \gamma^2 e^{\gamma x} + \omega^2 e^{\gamma x} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{\gamma x} (\gamma^2 + \omega^2) = 0$$

Since  $e^{\gamma x} \neq 0$  therefore,  $\gamma^2 + \omega^2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \gamma = \pm \sqrt{-\omega^2} = \pm i\omega \quad \text{where } i = \sqrt{-1}$$

Therefore, solution,  $y_1 = e^{i\omega x}$  or  $y_2 = e^{-i\omega x}$

We can write the general solution as LC of these 2 solutions.

$$\begin{aligned} y &= C \cdot y_1 + D \cdot y_2 = C \cdot e^{i\omega x} + D \cdot e^{-i\omega x} \\ &= C \left( \cos(\omega x) + i \sin(\omega x) \right) + D \left( \cos(\omega x) - i \sin(\omega x) \right) \\ &= (C+D) \cdot \cos(\omega x) + (Ci - Di) \sin(\omega x) \\ &= A \cos(\omega x) + B \sin(\omega x). \end{aligned}$$

Suppose,  $C = \alpha + \beta i$ ,  $D = \alpha - \beta i$  ( $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$ )

$$C+D = \alpha + \beta$$

$$i(C-D) = 2\beta i \times i = -2\beta \quad [ \because i^2 = -1 ]$$

$$\text{Hence, } A = C+D = \alpha + \beta \rightarrow A \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$B = i(C-D) = -2\beta \rightarrow B \in \mathbb{R}.$$

Therefore,  $g(x) = A \cos(\omega x) + B \sin(\omega x)$ ,  $A, B \in \mathbb{R}$ .

We can see that  $g(x)$  is LC of  $\cos(\omega x)$  and  $\sin(\omega x)$ .

$$\text{But if } \omega = 0 \text{ then } \frac{d^2 g(x)}{dx^2} = 0$$

Integrating 2 times,  $g(x) = Ax + B$  ( $A, B \in \mathbb{R}$ ) .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hence } \ker(L_2) &= \left\{ g(x) \in C^2(\mathbb{R}) \mid L_2(g(x)) = 0 \right\} \\ &= \left\{ A \cdot \cos(\omega x) + B \cdot \sin(\omega x) \mid \omega \neq 0, \right. \\ &\quad \left. A, B \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \\ &= \left\{ A \cdot x + B \mid \omega = 0, A, B \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Therefore, } \ker(L_2) &= \left\langle \left\{ \cos(\omega x), \sin(\omega x) \right\} \right\rangle (\omega \neq 0) \\ &= \left\langle \{1, x\} \right\rangle (\omega = 0) \end{aligned}$$

$\{\cos(\omega x), \sin(\omega x)\}$  is a spanning set for  $\ker(L_2)$ .  
but is it LI?

$$\Rightarrow c_1 \cos(\omega x) + c_2 \sin(\omega x) = 0$$

Suppose,  $c_1 = r \sin \theta$ ,  $c_2 = r \cos \theta$

$$\Rightarrow r = \sqrt{c_1^2 + c_2^2}, \quad \theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{c_1}{c_2} \right)$$

Therefore,  $r \sin \theta \cos(\omega x) + r \cos \theta \sin(\omega x) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow r \cdot \sin(\theta + \omega x) = 0$$

Since it is true for all  $x$  so the only way it is possible is  $r = 0$ .

$$c_1 = r \sin \theta = 0 \times \sin \theta = 0$$

$$c_2 = r \cos \theta = 0 \times \cos \theta = 0$$

Hence  $\{\cos(\omega x), \sin(\omega x)\}$  are LI set. Hence it is basis for  $\ker(L_2)$ .

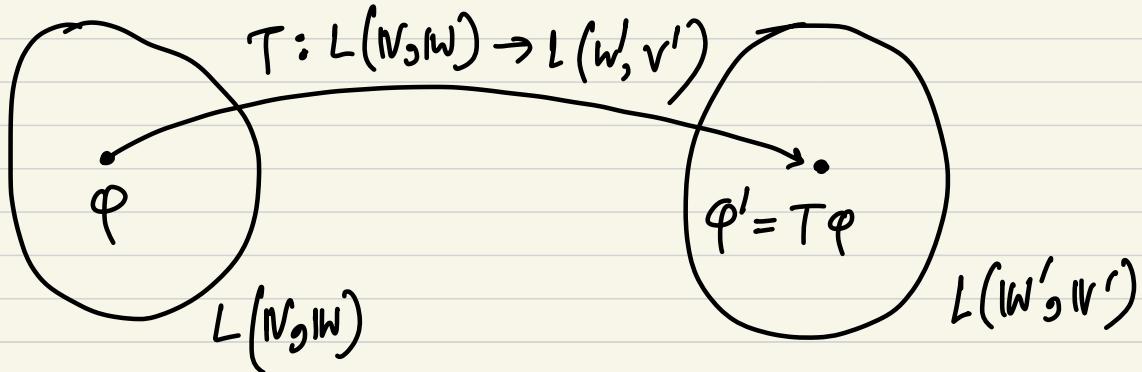
It is trivial to show that  $\{1, x\}$  is LI set since it is standard polynomial bases vectors.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Therefore, } \ker(L_2) &= \langle \{\cos \omega x, \sin \omega x\} \rangle \quad \omega \neq 0 \\ &= \langle \{1, x\} \rangle \quad \omega = 0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Basis for } \ker(L_2) &= \{\cos(\omega x), \sin(\omega x)\} \quad (\omega \neq 0) \\ &= \{1, x\} \quad (\omega = 0)\end{aligned}$$

Dimension for  $\ker(L_2) = 2$ .

7. Let  $\mathbb{V}$  and  $\mathbb{W}$  be finite dimensional vector spaces. Show that the map which takes  $\varphi \in \mathcal{L}(\mathbb{V}, \mathbb{W})$  to  $\varphi' \in \mathcal{L}(\mathbb{W}', \mathbb{V}')$  is an isomorphism of  $\mathcal{L}(\mathbb{V}, \mathbb{W})$  onto  $\mathcal{L}(\mathbb{W}', \mathbb{V}')$ .



Check linearity:

$$T(c\varphi_1 + \varphi_2) = c \cdot T(\varphi_1) + T(\varphi_2) \quad (c \in \mathbb{F})$$

$$\Rightarrow (c\varphi_1 + \varphi_2)' = c \cdot \varphi_1' + \varphi_2' \quad (\text{to be proved})$$

For any linear functional  $g$  in  $\mathbb{W}'$  s.t.  $g: \mathbb{W} \rightarrow \mathbb{F}$ ,

$$\Rightarrow (c\varphi_1 + \varphi_2)'(g) = g \circ (c\varphi_1 + \varphi_2)$$

For any vector  $v$  in  $\mathbb{W}$  we get-

$$\begin{aligned} & (g \circ (c\varphi_1 + \varphi_2))(v) \\ &= g((c\varphi_1 + \varphi_2)(v)) \\ &= g(c\varphi_1(v) + \varphi_2(v)) \quad [\because \varphi_1, \varphi_2 \text{ are linear}] \\ &= g(c \cdot \varphi_1(v)) + g(\varphi_2(v)) \quad [\because g \text{ is linear}] \\ &= c \cdot g(\varphi_1(v)) + g(\varphi_2(v)) \end{aligned}$$

$$= c \cdot (g \circ \varphi_1)(v) + (g \circ \varphi_2)(v)$$

$$= (c(g \circ \varphi_1) + g \circ \varphi_2)(v)$$

$$= (c \cdot \varphi_1'(g) + \varphi_2'(g))(v)$$

Therefore,

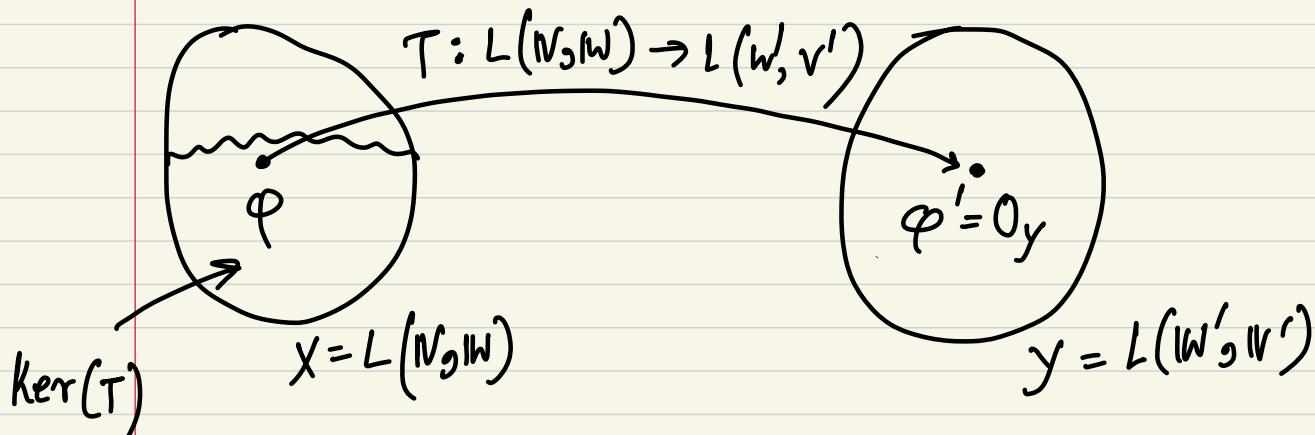
$$(c\varphi_1 + \varphi_2)'(g) = c \cdot \varphi_1'(g) + \varphi_2'(g)$$

$$\Rightarrow (c\varphi_1 + \varphi_2)'(g) = (c\varphi_1' + \varphi_2')(g)$$

$$\Rightarrow (c\varphi_1 + \varphi_2)' = c\varphi_1' + \varphi_2' \quad (\text{proved})$$

Therefore,  $T$  is a linear transformation.

Check injectivity:



We have to prove that  $\ker(T) = \{0_y\}$ .

$$\text{Ker}(T) = \left\{ \varphi \in L(V, W) \mid T(\varphi) = 0_y \right\}$$

Now  $0_y$  is defined as:  $0_y : W' \rightarrow V'$

such that,  $0_y(g) = 0_{V'}$  for  $\forall g \in W'$ . — (i)

$0_{V'}$  is defined as:  $0_{V'} : V \rightarrow F$

such that,  $0_{V'}(v) = 0_F$  for  $\forall v \in V$ . — (ii)

We need to prove that,  $\text{Ker}(T) = \{0_x\}$  to prove injectivity where,  $0_x$  is defined as:  $0_x : V \rightarrow W$ .

such that,  $0_x(v) = 0_W$  for  $\forall v \in V$ . — (iii)

$$V \xrightarrow{\varphi} W$$

$$v \longmapsto \varphi(v)$$

$$\downarrow \varphi'(g) \in W'$$

$$W' \xrightarrow{\varphi'} V'$$

$$g \longmapsto \varphi'(g)$$

$$\varphi'(g)(v) \in F = g(\varphi(v)) \in F$$

Suppose,  $\varphi \in \text{Ker}(T)$ .

$$\Rightarrow T(\varphi) = 0_y$$

$$\Rightarrow (T(\varphi))(g) = 0_y(g) = 0_{V'}, (\forall g \in W') \quad - (\text{from(i)})$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi'(g) = 0_{V'} \quad (\because T(\varphi) = \varphi')$$

$$\Rightarrow g \circ \varphi = 0_V \quad (\because \varphi'(g) = g \circ \varphi)$$

$$\Rightarrow (g \circ \varphi)(v) = 0_{W'}(v) \quad (\forall v \in V)$$

$$\Rightarrow g(\varphi(v)) = 0_F. \quad (\text{From def} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \text{(ii)}) \quad (\forall g \in W')$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi(v) = 0_{W'} \quad (\because \varphi(v) \in W' \text{ and } 0_{W'}(w \in W') := 0_F)$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi = 0_X \quad (\text{by def} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \text{(iii)}) \quad \begin{array}{l} (\text{Since it is true for all } g \\ \text{so } \varphi(v) = 0_{W'}) \end{array}$$

Therefore,  $\varphi \in \text{Ker}(T) \rightarrow \varphi = 0_X$

Hence,  $\text{Ker}(T) = \{0_X\}$  so  $T$  is injective.

Let's find out dimension of  $L(V, W) = \dim(V) \times \dim(W)$

$$\dim(L(W', V')) = \dim(W') \times \dim(V')$$

$$= \dim(W) \times \dim(V) \quad (\because \dim(V') \\ = \dim(V))$$

Therefore the dimension of 2 vector spaces are same.

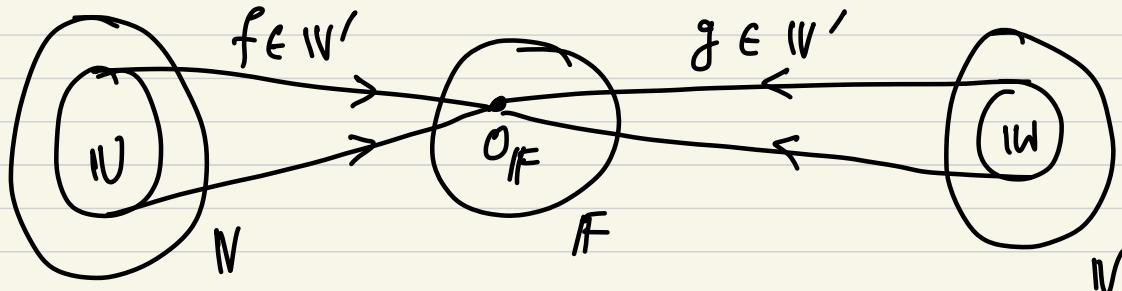
and we have already proved injectivity of  $T$ . Hence

$T: L(V, W) \rightarrow L(W', V')$  must be surjective also

since  $\dim(L(V, W)) = \dim(L(W', V'))$ . Therefore,

$T$  is isomorphism of  $L(V, W)$  onto  $L(W', V')$ .

8. Let  $U$  and  $W$  be subspaces of a finite dimensional vector space  $V$ . Show that  $(U \cap W)^0 = U^0 + W^0$ .



$$IU^{\circ} := \left\{ f \in N' \mid \forall u \in IU, f(u) = o_F \right\}$$

$$IW^{\circ} := \left\{ g \in N' \mid \forall w \in IW, g(w) = o_F \right\}$$

$N^{\circ}$  and  $IW^{\circ}$  are subspace of  $N'$

We have to prove that  $(IU \cap IW)^{\circ} = IU^{\circ} + IW^{\circ}$ .

Suppose  $\varphi \in IU^{\circ} \cap IW^{\circ}$ , let  $v \in IU + IW$  s.t.  $v = u + w$  where  $u \in IU$ ,  $w \in IW$ .

$$\Rightarrow \varphi(v) = \varphi(u+w) = \varphi(u) + \varphi(w)$$

$$\text{Since } \varphi \in IU^{\circ} \cap IW^{\circ} \rightarrow \varphi \in IU^{\circ}$$

$$\varphi \in IU^{\circ} \cap IW^{\circ} \rightarrow \varphi \in IW^{\circ}$$

$$\varphi \in IU^{\circ} \rightarrow \varphi(u) = o_F \quad \forall u \in IU.$$

$$\varphi \in IW^{\circ} \rightarrow \varphi(w) = o_F \quad \forall w \in IW.$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi(v) = \varphi(u) + \varphi(w) = o_F + o_F = o_F$$

Therefore,  $\varphi(v) = o_F \quad \forall v \in IU + IW$ .

$$\text{Hence } \varphi \in (IU + IW)^{\circ} \Rightarrow IU^{\circ} \cap IW^{\circ} \subseteq (IU + IW)^{\circ}$$

Similarly assume  $\varphi \in (IU + IW)^{\circ}$ .

Since we know  $IU \subseteq IU + IW$  and  $IW \subseteq IU + IW$ .

$$\varphi \in (IU + IW)^{\circ} \rightarrow \varphi \in IU^{\circ} \text{ and } \varphi \in IW^{\circ}$$

$$\text{so } \varphi \in IU^{\circ} \cap IW^{\circ}$$

Hence  $(\text{IU} + \text{IW})^\circ \subseteq \text{IU}^\circ \cap \text{IW}^\circ$ .

Therefore,  $(\text{IU} + \text{IW})^\circ = \text{IU}^\circ \cap \text{IW}^\circ$

$$\Rightarrow \dim((\text{IU} + \text{IW})^\circ) = \dim(\text{IU}^\circ \cap \text{IW}^\circ). \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

But our objective is to prove  $(\text{IU} \cap \text{IW})^\circ = \text{IU}^\circ + \text{IW}^\circ$

Since  $\text{IU}^\circ, \text{IW}^\circ$  are subspaces, we know that -

$$\dim(\text{IU}^\circ + \text{IW}^\circ) = \dim(\text{IU}^\circ) + \dim(\text{IW}^\circ) - \dim(\text{IU}^\circ \cap \text{IW}^\circ)$$

Since  $\text{IU}^\circ$  and  $\text{IW}^\circ$  are subspaces of  $\text{IV}'$  so we know that

$$\dim(\text{IU}^\circ) + \dim(\text{IU}) = \dim(\text{IV}') = \dim(\text{IV}) \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

$$\dim(\text{IW}^\circ) + \dim(\text{IW}) = \dim(\text{IV}') = \dim(\text{IV}). \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim(\text{IU}^\circ + \text{IW}^\circ) = (\dim(\text{IV}) - \dim(\text{IU})) + \\ (\dim(\text{IV}) - \dim(\text{IW})) - \\ (\dim((\text{IU} + \text{IW})^\circ)) \quad (\text{from (i), (ii), (iii)})$$

$$= \dim(\text{IV}) - \dim(\text{IU}) + \dim(\text{IV}) - \dim(\text{IW}) -$$

$$(\dim(\text{IV}) - \dim(\text{IU} + \text{IW}))$$

$$= \dim(\text{IV}) - \dim(\text{IU}) - \dim(\text{IW}) + (\dim(\text{IU}) + \dim(\text{IW}) \\ - \dim(\text{IU} \cap \text{IW}))$$

$$= \dim(\text{IV}) - \dim(\text{IU} \cap \text{IW}) = \dim((\text{IU} \cap \text{IW})^\circ).$$

Therefore we get,  $\dim(IU^\circ + IW^\circ) = \dim((IU \cap IW)^\circ)$ .

Suppose,  $\varphi \in IU^\circ + IW^\circ$

Say  $\varphi_1 \in IU^\circ$  and  $\varphi_2 \in IW^\circ$  s.t.  $\varphi = \varphi_1 + \varphi_2$ .

Consider  $v \in IU \cap IW$ . so  $v \in IU$  and  $v \in IW$ .

$$\varphi(v) = (\varphi_1 + \varphi_2)(v) = \varphi_1(v) + \varphi_2(v).$$

Since  $v \in IU$  and  $\varphi_1 \in IU^\circ$  so  $\varphi_1(v) = 0_{IF}$ .

Since  $v \in IW$  and  $\varphi_2 \in IW^\circ$  so  $\varphi_2(v) = 0_{IF}$ .

$$\Rightarrow \varphi(v) = \varphi_1(v) + \varphi_2(v) = 0_{IF} + 0_{IF} = 0_{IF}.$$

Since  $v \in IU \cap IW$  and  $\varphi(v) = 0_{IF}$  so  $\varphi \in (IU \cap IW)^\circ$ .

Hence,  $IU^\circ + IW^\circ \subseteq (IU \cap IW)^\circ$ .

and  $\dim(IU^\circ + IW^\circ) = \dim((IU \cap IW)^\circ)$ .

When 2 subspaces of  $W'$  has equal dimension and one of the subspace is contained in other that means the 2 subspaces must be equal.

$$\Rightarrow IU^\circ + IW^\circ = (IU \cap IW)^\circ \quad (\underline{\text{proved}}).$$

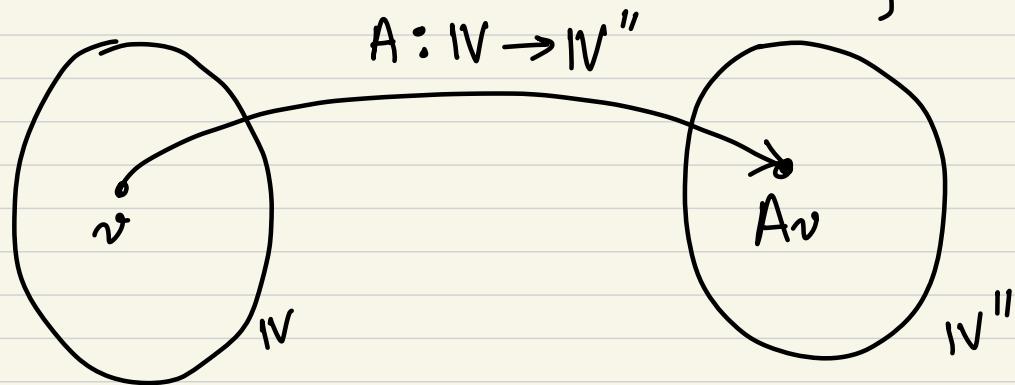
12. The *double dual* of a vector space,  $\mathbb{V}$ , denoted by  $\mathbb{V}''$ , is the dual space of  $\mathbb{V}'$  by definition. Define  $\Lambda : \mathbb{V} \rightarrow \mathbb{V}''$  as  $(\Lambda v)(\varphi) = \varphi(v)$ , where  $v \in \mathbb{V}$  and  $\varphi \in \mathbb{V}'$ .
- Prove that  $\Lambda : \mathbb{V} \rightarrow \mathbb{V}''$  is a linear map.
  - Prove that for  $\tau \in \mathcal{L}(\mathbb{V})$ , we have  $\tau'' \circ \Lambda = \Lambda \circ \tau$ , where  $\tau'' = (\tau')'$ .
  - Prove that if  $\mathbb{V}$  is finite dimensional, then  $\Lambda$  is an isomorphism between  $\mathbb{V}$  and  $\mathbb{V}''$ .

$$\mathbb{V}' = \{ f \mid f : \mathbb{V} \rightarrow \text{IF} \}$$

(set of all linear functionals defined on  $\mathbb{V}$ )

$$\mathbb{V}'' = \{ g \mid g : \mathbb{V}' \rightarrow \text{IF} \}$$

(set of all linear functionals defined on  $\mathbb{V}'$ )



$$(Av)(\varphi) := \varphi(v) \text{ where } v \in \mathbb{V} \text{ and } \varphi \in \mathbb{V}' \quad \text{---(i)}$$

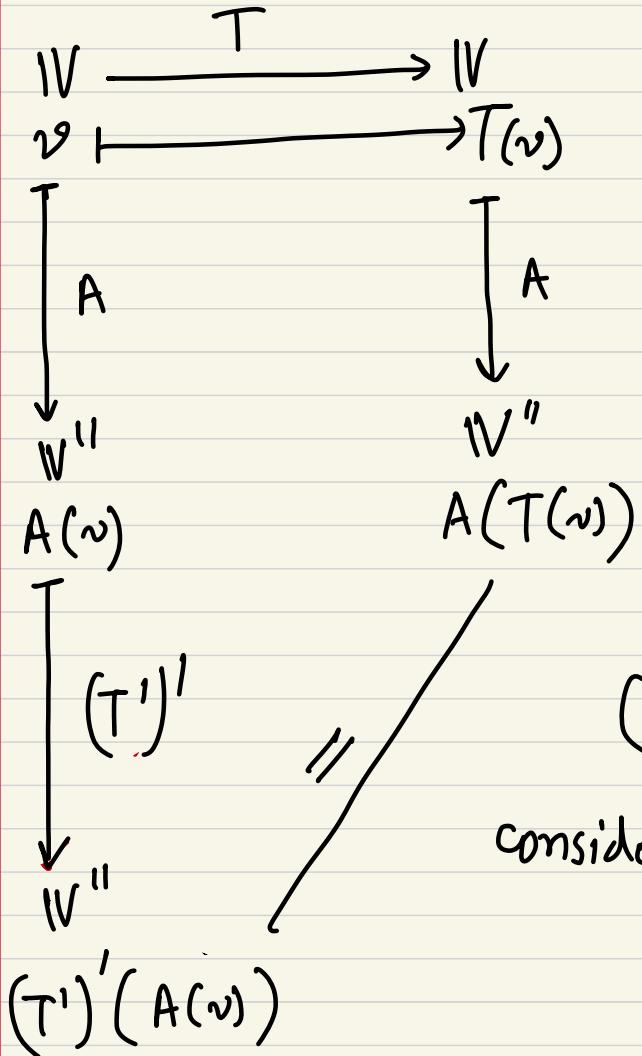
$$(i) \text{ } A \text{ is linear: } A(cv_1 + v_2) = cA(v_1) + A(v_2).$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow A(cv_1 + v_2)(\varphi) &= \varphi(cv_1 + v_2) \\ &= \varphi(c \cdot v_1) + \varphi(v_2) \\ &= c \cdot \varphi(v_1) + \varphi(v_2) \\ &= c A(v_1)(\varphi) + A(v_2)(\varphi) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow A(cv_1 + v_2) = c \cdot A(v_1) + A(v_2). \text{ Hence } \underline{\text{proved}}.$$

$$(ii) T'' \circ A = (T')' \circ A$$

Consider  $T = T'$



$$\begin{array}{ccc} V' & \xrightarrow{g \in V''} & F \\ \varphi & \mapsto & g(\varphi) \end{array}$$

We know that:

$$T'(\varphi) = \varphi \circ T$$

$$(T')'(A(v)) = A(T(v))$$

consider one  $\varphi \in V'$  to evaluate it.

$$(T')'(A(v))(\varphi) = (T')'(A_v)(\varphi)$$

$$= (A_v \circ T')(\varphi) \quad [\because T'(\varphi) = \varphi \circ T]$$

$$= A_v(T'(\varphi))$$

$$= A_v(\varphi \circ T) \quad [\because T'(\varphi) = \varphi \circ T]$$

$$= (\varphi \circ T)(v) \quad [\because (A_v)(\varphi) = \varphi(v)]$$

$$= \varphi(T(v))$$

Now,  $A(T(v))$  is in  $V''$  so evaluate it.

$$A(T(v))(φ) = φ(T(v)) \quad [\text{By defn of } A, \text{ eqn(i)}]$$

$$\text{Therefore, } (T')'(A(v))(φ) = A(T(v))(φ)$$

$$\Rightarrow (T')'(A(v)) = A(T(v))$$

$$\Rightarrow (T'' \circ A)(v) = (A \circ T)(v)$$

$$\Rightarrow T'' \circ A = A \circ T \quad (\underline{\text{hence proved}})$$

(iii) Since  $\dim(V) = \dim(V'')$  so we just have to prove that  $A$  is injective map.

for some  $v \in V$ ,  $A$  is injective iff  $(Av = 0_{V''} \rightarrow v = 0)$

Suppose  $Av = 0_{V''}$  for some  $v \in V$ .

$$\Rightarrow (A(v))(φ) = 0_{\mathbb{F}} \quad \underline{\text{for all } φ \in V'} \quad (\text{since } Av = 0_{V''})$$

$$\Rightarrow (A(v))(φ) = φ(v) = 0_{\mathbb{F}}. \quad (\text{from eqn(i)})$$

Hence  $φ(v) = 0_{\mathbb{F}}$  for all  $φ \in V'$  and some  $v \in V$ .

let  $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  be basis for  $V$  and  $\{φ_1, \dots, φ_n\}$  be basis for  $V'$ . So we can write,

$$v = c_1 v_1 + c_2 v_2 + \dots + c_n v_n \quad \forall c_i \in \mathbb{F}.$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi_1(v) = c_1 \varphi_1(v_1) + c_2 \varphi_1(v_2) + \dots + c_n \varphi_1(v_n)$$

The basis  $\varphi_j$  is chosen in such a way that,

$$\varphi_j(v_i) = \delta_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i=j \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

$$\text{Therefore, } \varphi_1(v) = c_1 = 0_{\mathbb{F}}$$

$$\text{Similarly, } \varphi_2(v) = c_2 = 0_{\mathbb{F}}$$

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$$\varphi_n(v) = c_n = 0_{\mathbb{F}}$$

Since  $\forall \varphi \in V'$ ,

$$\varphi(v) = 0$$

and  $\forall \varphi_j \in V'$ .

$$\text{Therefore, } v = 0 \times v_1 + 0 \times v_2 + \dots + 0 \times v_n = 0_V.$$

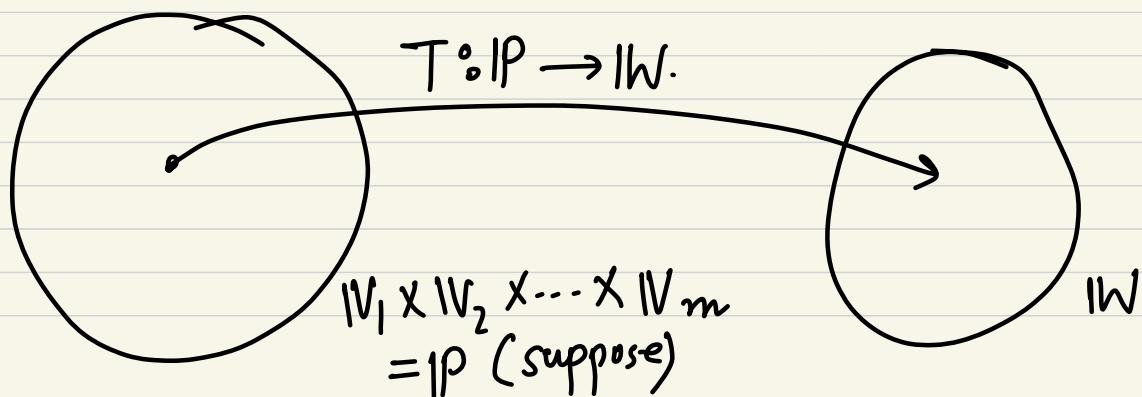
Hence we have proved that  $A(v) = 0_{V''} \rightarrow v = 0_V$ .

that means  $A$  is injective.

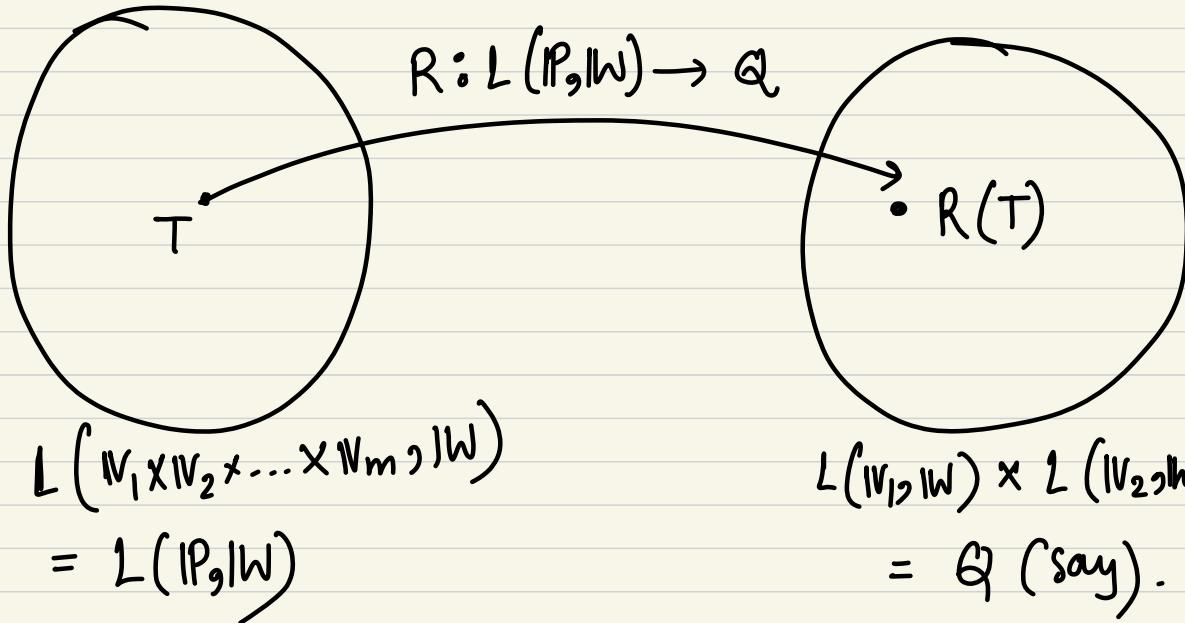
Since the  $\dim(V'') = \dim(V)$  so  $A$  is surjective too.

Therefore  $A$  is isomorphism as linearity is already proved.

14. For vector spaces  $V_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$ , suppose  $\mathcal{L}(V_1 \times V_2 \times \dots \times V_m, W)$  is the space of all linear functions from  $V_1 \times V_2 \times \dots \times V_m$  to  $W$ , while  $\mathcal{L}(V_i, W)$  is the space of all linear functions from  $V_i$  to  $W$ . Show that  $\mathcal{L}(V_1 \times V_2 \times \dots \times V_m, W)$  is isomorphic to  $\mathcal{L}(V_1, W) \times \mathcal{L}(V_2, W) \times \dots \times \mathcal{L}(V_m, W)$ .



Consider a transformation,  $R: L(P, W) \rightarrow Q$ .



Suppose,  $v_1 \in V_1, \dots, v_m \in V_m$

$$(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m) \in V_1 \times V_2 \times \dots \times V_m$$

$$T(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m) \in W.$$

Suppose,  $A_1 \in L(V_1, W)$  so  $A_1(v_1) \in W$

$A_2 \in L(V_2, W)$  so  $A_2(v_2) \in W$

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$A_m \in L(V_m, W)$  so  $A_m(v_m) \in W$ .

Therefore,

$$R(T(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m)) := (A_1(v_1), A_2(v_2), \dots, A_m(v_m))$$

$$A_1(v_1) = T(v_1, 0, 0, \dots, 0), A_2(v_2) = T(0, v_2, \dots, 0), \dots, A_m(v_m) = T(0, \dots, v_m)$$

— (i)

We have to prove that  $R$  is linear transformation.

Show that  $R(c \cdot T_1 + T_2) = c \cdot R(T_1) + R(T_2)$ ,  $c \in \mathbb{F}$ .

Where  $T_1, T_2 \in L(\mathbb{P}, \mathbb{W})$ .

Consider  $R(c \cdot T_1 + T_2)$

let's evaluate it at  $(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m) \in \mathbb{V}_1 \times \dots \times \mathbb{V}_m$ .

$$\Rightarrow R((cT_1 + T_2)(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m))$$

$$\Rightarrow (A_1(v_1), A_2(v_2), \dots, A_m(v_m))$$

$$\text{where } A_1(v_1) = (cT_1 + T_2)(v_1, 0, \dots, 0)$$

$$= cT_1(v_1, 0, \dots, 0) + T_2(v_1, 0, \dots, 0)$$

[ $\because T_1, T_2$  are linear]

$$A_2(v_2) = c \cdot T_1(0, v_2, \dots, 0) + T_2(0, v_2, \dots, 0)$$

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$$A_m(v_m) = cT_1(0, \dots, 0, v_m) + T_2(0, 0, \dots, 0, v_m)$$

$$\Rightarrow (cT_1(v_1, \dots, 0) + T_2(v_1, \dots, 0), cT_1(0, v_2, \dots, 0) + T_2(0, v_2, \dots, 0))$$

$$+ \dots + (cT_1(0, 0, \dots, 0, v_m) + T_2(0, 0, \dots, 0, v_m))$$

$$\Rightarrow (cT_1(v_1, \dots, 0), cT_1(0, v_2, \dots, 0), \dots, cT_1(0, 0, \dots, v_m)) +$$

$$(T_2(v_1, \dots, 0), T_2(0, v_2, \dots, 0), \dots, T_2(0, 0, \dots, v_m))$$

By scalar mult rule of  
product space.

(By the addition rule  
of product space)

$$\Rightarrow c \cdot (T_1(v_1, \dots, 0), T_1(0, v_2, \dots, 0), \dots, T_1(0, \dots, v_m)) +$$
$$(T_2(v_1, \dots, 0), T_2(0, v_2, \dots, 0), \dots, T_2(0, \dots, v_m))$$
$$\Rightarrow c \cdot R(T_1(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m)) + R(T_2(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m))$$

(from equation (i))

Therefore,  $R(c \cdot T_1 + T_2) = c \cdot R(T_1) + R(T_2)$ .

Hence the transformation  $R$  is linear.

Suppose,  $R(T) = O_{\mathbb{Q}}$ . for some  $T \in L(\mathbb{P}, \mathbb{W})$ .

let's evaluate it at  $(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m) \in \mathbb{V}_1 \times \dots \times \mathbb{V}_m$ .

$$R(T(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m)) = (O_{\mathbb{W}}, O_{\mathbb{W}}, \dots, O_{\mathbb{W}})$$
$$= (A(v_1), A(v_2), \dots, A(v_m)) = (O_{\mathbb{W}}, \dots, O_{\mathbb{W}})$$

$$A(v_1) = T(v_1, 0, \dots, 0) = O_{\mathbb{W}}$$

$$A(v_2) = T(0, v_2, \dots, 0) = O_{\mathbb{W}}$$

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$$A(v_m) = T(0, 0, \dots, v_m) = O_{\mathbb{W}}$$

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$$T(v_1 + 0 + \dots + 0, 0 + v_2 + 0 + \dots + 0, \dots, 0 + 0 + \dots + v_m) = O_{\mathbb{W}}$$

$$\Rightarrow T(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m) = O_{\mathbb{W}}$$

Since for all  $(v_1, \dots, v_m) \in \mathbb{P}$ ,  $T(v_1, \dots, v_m) = O_{\mathbb{W}}$   
 that means  $T$  is  $O_{L(\mathbb{P}, \mathbb{W})}$ .

Therefore,  $R(T) = O_{\mathbb{Q}} \longrightarrow T = O_{L(\mathbb{P}, \mathbb{W})}$ .

In other words,  $\ker(T) = \{O_{L(\mathbb{P}, \mathbb{W})}\}$ .  
 Therefore  $R$  is injective.

Check for surjectivity.

$$R(T(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m)) := (A_1(v_1), A_2(v_2), \dots, A_m(v_m))$$

$$A_1(v_1) = T(v_1, 0, 0, \dots, 0), A_2(v_2) = T(0, v_2, \dots, 0), \dots, A_m(v_m) = T(0, \dots, v_m)$$

We have to show that for every vector  $(A_1(v_1), \dots, \dots, A_m(v_m))$ , there exists a vector  $T(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m)$ .  
 Such that  $R(T(v_1, \dots, v_m)) = (A_1(v_1), \dots, A_m(v_m))$

Choose any arbitrary vector,

$$(A(v_1), A(v_2), \dots, A(v_m)) \in L(v_1, \mathbb{W}) \times \dots \times L(v_m, \mathbb{W})$$

$$\Rightarrow (T(v_1, \dots, 0), \dots, T(0, 0, \dots, v_m))$$

Since the vector in codomain has  $T(v_1, \dots, 0), \dots, \dots, T(0, 0, \dots, v_m)$  so such a vector is the result of

the mapping by  $R(T(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m))$  as per the definition of  $R$ .

Therefore we choose any arbitrary vector in codomain, its preimage will always exist in the domain because of the way  $R$  is defined. Hence the map  $R$  is surjective.

Hence  $L(v_1 \times v_2 \times \dots \times v_m, lW)$  is isomorphic to  $L(v_1, W) \times L(v_2, W) \times \dots \times L(v_m, W)$ . (Proved)

16. For vector spaces  $U, V, W$ , such that  $U$  and  $V$  are subspaces of  $W$  show that for  $w_1, w_2 \in W$ , if we have  $w_1 + U = w_2 + V$ , then  $U = V$ .

$$\begin{array}{c|c} w_1 \in lW \\ w_2 \in lW \end{array} \quad | \quad \begin{array}{l} lU, lV \text{ are subspaces of } lW \\ w_1 + lU = w_2 + lV. \end{array}$$

$$w_1 + lU := \{w_1 + u \mid \forall u \in lU\}$$

$$w_2 + lV := \{w_2 + v \mid \forall v \in lV\}$$

Since they are equal so,  $w_1 + u = w_2 + v \quad (\forall u \in lU, v \in lV)$   
 $\Rightarrow u = (w_2 - w_1) + v$

We know that,  $w_1 + 0_{lW} = w_1 \in w_1 + lU$

Since  $w_1 + u = w_2 + v$  and  $w_1 \in w_1 + lU$  so we can

also write,  $w_1 = w_2 + v_0$  for some  $v_0 \in \mathbb{V}$ . —(i)

Similarly,  $w_2 + 0_{\mathbb{W}} = w_2 \in w_2 + \mathbb{V}$ .

Since  $w_1 + u = w_2 + v$  and  $w_2 \in w_2 + \mathbb{V}$  so we can also write,  $w_2 = w_1 + u_0$  for some  $u_0 \in \mathbb{U}$ . —(ii)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{We already have, } u &= (w_2 - w_1) + v \\ &= -v_0 + v \quad (\text{from (i)}) \end{aligned}$$

Since  $v \in \mathbb{V}$  and  $v_0 \in \mathbb{V}$  so  $-v_0 + v \in \mathbb{V}$  so  $u \in \mathbb{V}$ .

Therefore,  $u \in \mathbb{U} \rightarrow u \in \mathbb{V}$  hence  $\mathbb{U} \subseteq \mathbb{V}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{We also have, } v &= (w_1 - w_2) + u \\ &= -u_0 + u \quad (\text{from (ii)}) \end{aligned}$$

Since  $u \in \mathbb{U}$  and  $u_0 \in \mathbb{U}$  so  $-u_0 + u \in \mathbb{U}$  so  $v \in \mathbb{U}$ .

Therefore,  $v \in \mathbb{V} \rightarrow v \in \mathbb{U}$  hence  $\mathbb{V} \subseteq \mathbb{U}$ .

Since  $\mathbb{U} \subseteq \mathbb{V}$  and  $\mathbb{V} \subseteq \mathbb{U}$  so  $\mathbb{U} = \mathbb{V}$  (proved)

19. For finite dimensional vector spaces  $\mathbb{U} \subseteq \mathbb{V}$ , show that there exists a subspace  $\mathbb{W}$  of  $\mathbb{V}$  such that  $\dim(\mathbb{W}) = \dim(\mathbb{V}/\mathbb{U})$  and  $\mathbb{V} = \mathbb{U} \oplus \mathbb{W}$ . Further, show that  $\mathbb{V}$  is isomorphic to  $\mathbb{U} \times \mathbb{V}/\mathbb{U}$ .

Suppose,  $\dim(\mathbb{V}/\mathbb{U}) = n$ .

Let the basis for quotient space  $\mathbb{V}/\mathbb{U}$  be -

$$B_1 = \{v_1 + \mathbb{U}, v_2 + \mathbb{U}, \dots, v_n + \mathbb{U}\}.$$

Given,  $\dim(IW) = \dim(W/IU) = n$

Let the basis for subspace  $IW$  be -

$$B_2 = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}.$$

We have to prove that such a  $B_2$  exists in  $W$  so that  $B_2$  forms a basis for  $IW$  such that  $\dim(IW) = \dim(W/IU)$ .

In order to prove that  $B_2$  is a basis -  $B_2$  must span  $IW$  and it must be a LI set. Since we have to prove the existence of  $B_2$  so we pick the  $B_2$  such that  $B_2$  spans the subspace  $IW$ .

$$\text{Define } IW := \langle \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\} \rangle.$$

We have to show that  $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  is a LI set.

$$\text{Consider, } \alpha_1 v_1 + \alpha_2 v_2 + \dots + \alpha_n v_n = 0_W \quad (\forall \alpha_i \in IF)$$

consider,

$$\alpha_1(v_1 + IU) + \alpha_2(v_2 + IU) + \dots + \alpha_n(v_n + IU).$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (\alpha_1 v_1 + IU) + (\alpha_2 v_2 + IU) + \dots + (\alpha_n v_n + IU) \\ &= (\alpha_1 v_1 + \alpha_2 v_2 + \dots + \alpha_n v_n) + IU. \end{aligned}$$

(i)

by the rule of vector add & scalar mult of  $W/IU$ .

Since we know  $\{v_1 + IU, \dots, v_n + IU\}$  is a LI set so

Their linear combination produces  $0_{N/U}$  implies all the coefficients are 0.

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_1 v_1 + \alpha_2 v_2 + \dots + \alpha_n v_n = 0_U$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_1 v_1 + \dots + \alpha_n v_n + IU = 0_N + IU = IU = 0_{N/U}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_1(v_1 + IU) + \dots + \alpha_n(v_n + IU) = 0_{N/U} \cdot (\text{from (i)})$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_1 = 0, \alpha_2 = 0, \dots, \alpha_n = 0$$

Therefore  $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  is a LI set.

Hence there exists a subspace  $W$  such that  $\dim(W) = \dim(N/U)$ .

We have to prove that  $N = IU \oplus W$ .

Suppose  $v \in N$ .

Therefore,  $v + IU \in N/U$ .

$$\Rightarrow v + IU = c_1(v_1 + IU) + c_2(v_2 + IU) + \dots + c_n(v_n + IU).$$

$$\Rightarrow v + IU = (c_1 v_1 + c_2 v_2 + \dots + c_n v_n) + IU.$$

Therefore,  $v - (c_1 v_1 + c_2 v_2 + \dots + c_n v_n) \in IU$ .

$$\text{consider, } v = \underbrace{v - (c_1 v_1 + \dots + c_n v_n)}_{\in IU} + (c_1 v_1 + \dots + c_n v_n)$$

Because  $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  is a basis for  $\text{I}W$ ,

$$c_1v_1 + c_2v_2 + \dots + c_nv_n \in \text{I}W.$$

Therefore,  $v = \underbrace{\left( v - \sum_{i=1}^n c_i v_i \right)}_{\in \text{IU.}} + \underbrace{\left( \sum_{i=1}^n c_i v_i \right)}_{\in \text{I}W.},$

$$\Rightarrow v \in \text{IU} + \text{I}W.$$

We started with  $v \in \text{IV}$ .

and we see now  $v \in \text{IU} + \text{I}W$ .

Therefore,  $\text{IV} \subseteq \text{IU} + \text{I}W$ .

Since  $\text{IU}$  &  $\text{I}W$  are the subspaces of  $\text{IV}$  and  $\text{IU} + \text{I}W$  being another subspace of  $\text{IV}$ , it is obvious that,

$$\text{IU} + \text{I}W \subseteq \text{IV}.$$

Therefore,  $\text{IV} = \text{IU} + \text{I}W$ .

We have already seen,  $\dim(\text{I}W) = \dim(\text{IV}/\text{IU})$

$$\Rightarrow \dim(\text{I}W) = \dim(\text{IV}) - \dim(\text{IU}).$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim(\text{IV}) = \dim(\text{I}W) + \dim(\text{IU}) \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

Moreover,  $\dim(\text{IV}) = \dim(\text{IU} + \text{I}W) \quad \text{--- (ii)}$

We also know that -

$$\dim(IW + IU) = \dim(IW) + \dim(IU) - \dim(IW \cap IU)$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim(IV + IW) = \dim(IV) - \dim(IW \cap IV). \text{ (from (i))}$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim(IV) = \dim(IU) - \dim(IW \cap IU) \text{ (from (ii))}$$

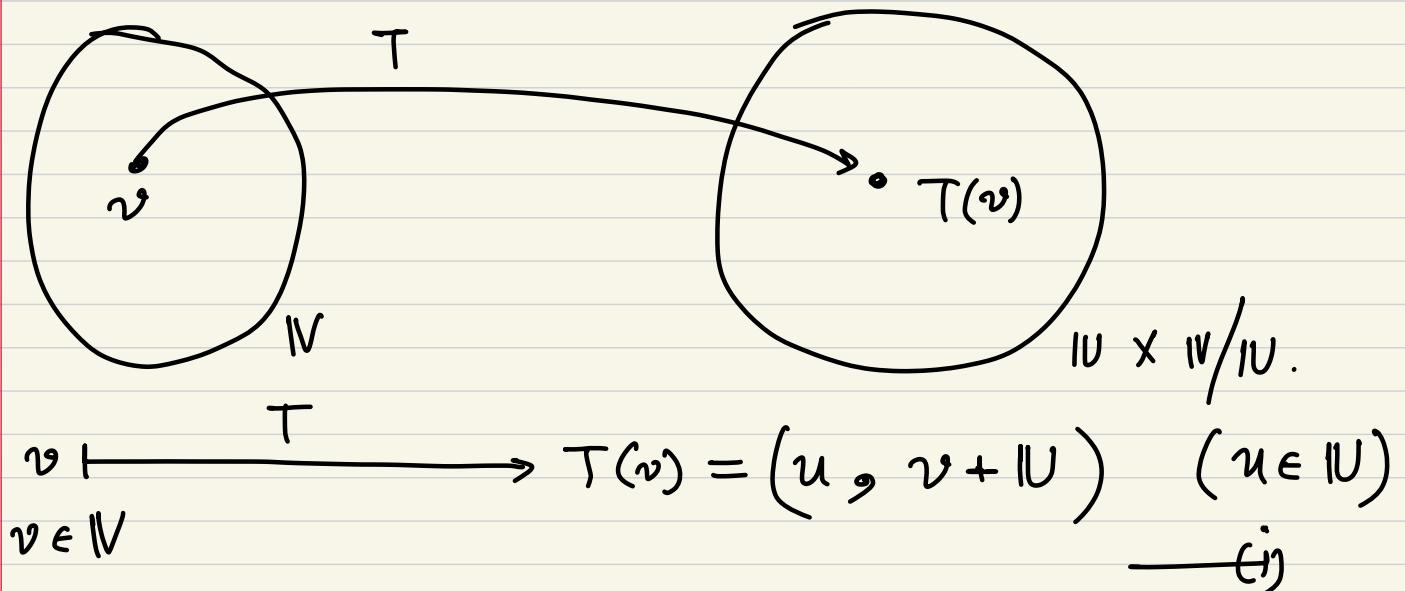
$$\Rightarrow \dim(IW \cap IU) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow IW \cap IU = \{0_V\}.$$

This implies,  $IW + IU = IW \oplus IU$ .

Therefore,  $IV = IW + IU = IW \oplus IU$ . (Proved) .

We have to prove that  $T: IV \rightarrow IU \times IV/IU$  is a linear bijection (isomorphism).



Suppose,  $v = c_1v_1 + c_2v_2 + \dots + c_nv_n$  where

$\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  is basis of  $V$ .

Check the dimension:

$$\begin{aligned}\dim(IU \times V/IU) &= \dim(IU) + \dim(V/IU) \\ &= \dim(IU) + \dim(V) - \dim(IU) \\ &= \dim(V)\end{aligned}$$

Since the dimension of  $IU \times V/IU$  and  $V$  are same so to prove isomorphism, proving only injectivity suffices and surjectivity is automatically implied.

Suppose,  $T(v) = c_1w_1 + c_2w_2 + \dots + c_n w_n$  where  $\{w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n\}$  is basis of  $IU \times V/IU$ .

The map  $T$  is defined as:

$$v = c_1v_1 + c_2v_2 + \dots + c_nv_n \xrightarrow{T} T(v) := c_1w_1 + \dots + c_n w_n$$

— (ii)

claim:  $T$  is linear map.

$$T(\alpha x_1 + x_2) = \alpha \cdot T(x_1) + T(x_2) \quad x_1, x_2 \in V.$$

$$\text{Suppose, } x_1 = c_1v_1 + c_2v_2 + \dots + c_nv_n$$

$$x_2 = d_1v_1 + d_2v_2 + \dots + d_nv_n.$$

$$T(\alpha \cdot c_1 v_1 + \alpha c_2 v_2 + \dots + \alpha c_n v_n + d_1 w_1 + \dots + d_n w_n)$$

$$= T((\alpha c_1 + d_1) v_1 + (\alpha c_2 + d_2) v_2 + \dots + (\alpha c_n + d_n) v_n)$$

$$= (\alpha c_1 + d_1) w_1 + (\alpha c_2 + d_2) w_2 + \dots + (\alpha c_n + d_n) w_n$$

(Eqn 2 : By def<sup>n</sup> of T)

$$= \alpha \cdot (c_1 w_1 + c_2 w_2 + \dots + c_n w_n) + (d_1 w_1 + \dots + d_n w_n)$$

$$= \alpha \cdot T(c_1 v_1 + c_2 v_2 + \dots + c_n v_n) + T(d_1 w_1 + d_2 w_2 + \dots + d_n w_n)$$

(Eqn 2 : By def<sup>n</sup> of T)

$$= \alpha \cdot T(x_1) + T(x_2)$$

Hence T is a linear map.

We need to prove that T is injective map.

Choose a vector  $v \in \text{Ker}(T)$ .

$$\Rightarrow v = c_1 v_1 + c_2 v_2 + \dots + c_n v_n \mapsto T(v) = c_1 w_1 + \dots + c_n w_n$$

$T(v)$  must map to zero vector of  $\mathbb{U} \times \mathbb{V}/\mathbb{U}$ .  
because of  $v \in \text{Ker}(T)$ .

Let the zero vector of  $\mathbb{U} \times \mathbb{V}/\mathbb{U}$  be  $0_{\mathbb{V} \times \mathbb{U}/\mathbb{U}}$ .

Therefore,

$$T(v) = c_1 w_1 + c_2 w_2 + \dots + c_n w_n = 0_{\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}/\mathbb{N}}$$

Since  $w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n$  are linearly independent set of vectors therefore LC of  $w_i$  giving rise to  $0_{\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}/\mathbb{N}}$  implies all coefficients are 0.

$$\Rightarrow c_1 = 0, c_2 = 0, c_3 = 0, \dots, c_n = 0$$

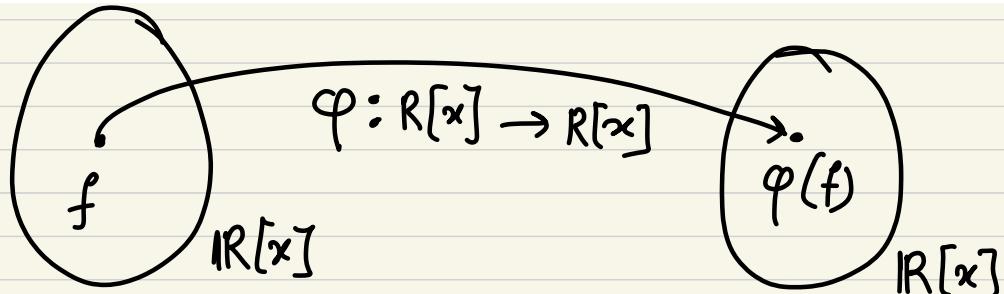
$$\Rightarrow v = c_1 v_1 + c_2 v_2 + \dots + c_n v_n = 0_{\mathbb{N}} + 0_{\mathbb{N}} + \dots + 0_{\mathbb{N}} = 0_{\mathbb{N}}$$

Therefore, we started from  $v \in \text{Ker}(T)$  and we get  $v = 0_{\mathbb{N}}$  implies  $\text{Ker}(T) = \{0_{\mathbb{N}}\}$ . Hence  $T$  is injective.

Since  $\dim(\mathbb{N}) = \dim(\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}/\mathbb{N})$  are same so  $T$  is injective  $\rightarrow T$  is surjective so  $T$  is linear bijective.

Hence  $T: \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}/\mathbb{N}$  is an isomorphism so  $\mathbb{N}$  and  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}/\mathbb{N}$  are isomorphic to each other.

22. Suppose  $\varphi \in \mathcal{L}(\mathbb{R}[x], \mathbb{R}[x])$  is an injective linear operator on  $\mathbb{R}[x]$  such that  $\deg(\varphi(f)) \leq \deg(f)$  for any non-zero polynomial,  $f$ , in  $\mathbb{R}[x]$ . Prove that  $\varphi$  is a surjection and that  $\deg(\varphi(f)) = \deg(f)$  for every non-zero polynomial  $f$ . [Hint: One may consider the properties of an operator restricted to a subset/subspace of its domain.]



Consider the degree of polynomial =  $n$  ( $n \geq 0$ )

$\forall n \geq 0, \varphi: \mathbb{R}[x]_n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}[x]_n$ .

Since  $\deg(\varphi(f)) \leq \deg(f)$  that means all of the vectors in codomain is of degree less or equal to  $n$ .

Since the dimension of domain & codomain of  $\varphi$  are same and we have assumed some finite dimension ( $= n+1$  for maximum degree of  $f$  as  $n$ ). Therefore the surjectivity need not be proved as injectivity will imply surjectivity. It is given such a  $\varphi$  is injective.

$$f \xrightarrow{\varphi} \varphi(f) \quad (\text{$n$ is countable infinite})$$

$(\deg = n) \qquad (\deg \leq n)$

The codomain space  $\mathbb{R}[x]_n$  is actually a subset or subspace of the domain space of  $\mathbb{R}[x]_n$ . Since for each  $n \geq 0$ , the dimension of domain is finite ( $n+1$ ) then the dimension of codomain is also finite ( $n+1$ ).

$\dim(\mathbb{R}[x]_n) = \dim(\mathbb{R}[x]_n) = n+1$ . That means,

for each  $n \geq 0$ ,  $\varphi$  is injective  $\rightarrow \varphi$  is surjective  
Therefore,  $\varphi$  is surjective. (proved)

We have to prove that  $\deg(\varphi(f)) = \deg(f)$  for every non zero polynomial  $f$ .

Suppose, a polynomial  $f \in \mathbb{R}[x]_m$  so  $\deg(f) = m$ . We know that,  $\deg(\varphi(f)) \leq \deg(f)$ .

That means  $\varphi(f) \in \mathbb{R}[x]_{m-1}$ .

Therefore,  $\dim(\mathbb{R}[x]_{m-1}) = m-1+1 = m$ .

But since  $\varphi$  is an isomorphism (both surjective & injective) so the  $\dim(\mathbb{R}[x]_{m-1})$  must be equal to  $\dim(\mathbb{R}[x]_m)$  but it is a contradiction of the above fact that  $\dim(\mathbb{R}[x]_{m-1}) = m < \dim(\mathbb{R}[x]_m)$

Therefore,  $\varphi(f) \notin \mathbb{R}[x]_{m-1}$ . The only way the contradiction is avoided if we assume,  $\varphi(f) \in \mathbb{R}[x]_m$

$$\varphi(f) \in \mathbb{R}[x]_m \longrightarrow \deg(\varphi(f)) = m$$

Therefore,  $\deg(\varphi(f)) = \deg(f)$ . (Hence proved)

24. State whether the following assertions are true or false and provide brief justifications in support of/against them.

- For two operators  $\varphi, \psi \in \mathcal{L}(\mathbb{V}, \mathbb{V})$  ( $\mathbb{V}$  is a vector space), such that  $\text{im}(\varphi) \subset \ker(\psi)$ ,  $(\varphi\psi)^2 = 0$ .
- There cannot exist a linear operator,  $\varphi \in \mathcal{L}(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^n)$ , such that  $\text{im}(\varphi) = \ker(\varphi)$  for  $n = 2m - 1$ , where  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ .
- If  $\varphi_1, \varphi_2 \in \mathbb{V}'$ , where  $\mathbb{V}$  is a vector space over field  $\mathbb{F}$ , such that  $\ker(\varphi_1) = \ker(\varphi_2)$ , then there exists  $\alpha \in \mathbb{F}$  so that  $\varphi_1 = \alpha\varphi_2$ .
- Suppose  $\varphi_1, \varphi_2, \varphi_3 \in \mathcal{L}(\mathbb{V}, \mathbb{V})$  are operators on the finite dimensional vector space  $\mathbb{V}$  such that  $\varphi_1\varphi_2\varphi_3 = \text{identity}_{\mathbb{V}}$ . Then  $\varphi_2$  is invertible and  $\varphi_2^{-1} = \varphi_3\varphi_1$ .
- Consider the differentiation operator,  $\mathcal{D}$ , on the vector space of polynomials over the real field,  $\mathbb{R}[x]$  (i.e.,  $\mathcal{D} \in \mathcal{L}(\mathbb{R}[x], \mathbb{R}[x])$ ). For any  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\ker(\mathcal{D} - \lambda I)$  is a non-trivial subspace of  $\mathbb{R}[x]$ .

$$(a) (\varphi \circ \psi)^2(v) = 0_N. \quad \forall v \in V.$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi(\psi(\varphi(\psi(v))))$$

let  $\psi(v) = x \in V$ .

$$\Rightarrow \varphi(\psi(\varphi(x)))$$

Since  $\text{im}(\varphi) \subset \text{ker}(\psi)$ . that means,

vector  $u \in \text{Im}(\varphi) \rightarrow u \in \text{ker}(\psi)$ .

$u \in \text{Im}(\varphi) \rightarrow \varphi(w) = u \quad \exists w \in V$ .

$u \in \text{ker}(\psi) \rightarrow \psi(u) = 0_N$ .

  $\Rightarrow \varphi(\psi(u))$  suppose  $\exists x \in V$  s.t.  $\varphi(x) = u$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi(0_N)$$

$$\Rightarrow 0_N.$$

Therefore,  $(\varphi \circ \psi)^2(v) = 0_N$  for all  $v \in V$ .

Hence it is a true statement.

(d)  $\varphi_1, \varphi_2, \varphi_3 \in L(N, N)$ .

$$\varphi_1 \circ \varphi_2 \circ \varphi_3 = I_N.$$

We have to prove/disprove that  $\varphi_2^{-1}$  exists and  $\varphi_2^{-1} = \varphi_3 \circ \varphi_1$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 v & \xrightarrow{\varphi_3} & \varphi_3(v) \\
 \downarrow I_N & & \downarrow \varphi_2 \\
 \varphi_1(\varphi_2(\varphi_3(v))) & \xleftarrow{\varphi_1} & \varphi_2(\varphi_3(v)) \\
 = I_N(v)
 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow I_N = \varphi_1 \circ \varphi_2 \circ \varphi_3.$$

For  $\varphi_2^{-1}$  to exist,  $\varphi_2 \circ \varphi_2^{-1} = I_N$  and  $\varphi_2^{-1} \circ \varphi_2 = I_N$ .

$$\text{Since } \varphi_1 \circ \varphi_2 \circ \varphi_3 = I_N.$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi_1 \circ \varphi_1^{-1} = I_N \quad \text{where } \varphi_1^{-1} = \varphi_2 \circ \varphi_3.$$

(only the right inverse of  $\varphi_1$  exists).

Since  $\varphi_1 \in L(N, N)$  and we have seen  $\varphi_1$  right inverse exists and that implies  $\varphi_1$  left inverse also exists since the dimension of domain & codomain of  $\varphi_1$  are same.

Since  $\varphi_1 \circ \varphi_2 \circ \varphi_3 = I_{\mathbb{N}}$ .

$$\Rightarrow \varphi_3^{-1} \circ \varphi_3 = I_{\mathbb{N}} \quad \text{where } \varphi_3^{-1} = \varphi_1 \circ \varphi_2$$

(only the left inverse of  $\varphi_3$  exists)

Similarly,  $\varphi_3$  right inverse also exists as dimension of domain & codomain of  $\varphi_3$  are same.

Therefore,  $\varphi_1^{-1}$  exists and  $\varphi_3^{-1}$  exists

We have,  $\varphi_1 \circ \varphi_2 \circ \varphi_3 = I_{\mathbb{N}}$ .

Precompose with  $\varphi_1^{-1}$  in both side -

$$\Rightarrow (\varphi_1^{-1} \circ \varphi_1) \circ \varphi_2 \circ \varphi_3 = \varphi_1^{-1} \cdot I_{\mathbb{N}} = \varphi_1^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow I_{\mathbb{N}} \circ \varphi_2 \circ \varphi_3 = \varphi_1^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi_2 \circ \varphi_3 = \varphi_1^{-1}$$

Post compose with  $\varphi_3^{-1}$  in both side -

$$\Rightarrow \varphi_2 \circ (\varphi_3 \circ \varphi_3^{-1}) = \varphi_1^{-1} \circ \varphi_3^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi_2 \circ I_{\mathbb{N}} = \varphi_1^{-1} \circ \varphi_3^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi_2 = \varphi_1^{-1} \circ \varphi_3^{-1}$$

Now consider,  $\varphi_1^{-1} \circ \varphi_3^{-1} \circ \varphi_3 \circ \varphi_1$

$$= \varphi_1^{-1} \circ (\varphi_3^{-1} \circ \varphi_3) \circ \varphi_1 = \varphi_1^{-1} \circ I_{\mathbb{N}} \circ \varphi_1 = \varphi_1^{-1} \circ \varphi_1 = I_{\mathbb{N}}$$

Similarly,  $\varphi_3 \circ \varphi_1 \circ \varphi_1^{-1} \circ \varphi_3^{-1} = \varphi_3 \circ I_{\mathbb{N}} \circ \varphi_3^{-1} = I_{\mathbb{N}}$ .

Therefore,  $\varphi_1^{-1} \circ \varphi_3^{-1}$  is inverse of  $\varphi_3 \circ \varphi_1$ ,

and  $\varphi_3 \circ \varphi_1$  is the inverse of  $\varphi_1^{-1} \circ \varphi_3^{-1}$ . ————— (i)

Since  $\varphi_2 = \varphi_1^{-1} \circ \varphi_3^{-1}$  therefore

$$\varphi_2^{-1} = (\varphi_1^{-1} \circ \varphi_3^{-1})^{-1} = \varphi_3 \circ \varphi_1 \quad (\text{from (i)}).$$

Clearly,  $\varphi_2^{-1}$  exists and  $\varphi_2^{-1} = \varphi_3 \circ \varphi_1$ .

Hence the given statement was true.

(c)  $\varphi_1, \varphi_2 \in \mathbb{N}'$ . and  $\ker(\varphi_1) = \ker(\varphi_2)$

We have to prove or disprove that  $\exists \alpha \in \mathbb{F} \text{ s.t. } \varphi_1 = \alpha \varphi_2$ .

If  $\varphi_2$  is 0 then  $\varphi_1 = 0$  because  $\ker(\varphi_2) = \ker(\varphi_1)$ . Thus  $\varphi_1 = \alpha \cdot \varphi_2$  is true for all  $\alpha \in \mathbb{F}$ .

If  $\varphi_2 \neq 0$  then there exists  $u \in \mathbb{N}$  s.t.  $T(u) \neq 0$  and for all  $v \in \mathbb{N}$  we have -

$$\varphi_2(u) \cdot \varphi_2(v) - \varphi_2(u) \cdot \varphi_2(v) = 0_F$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi_2(\varphi_2(u) \cdot v - \varphi_2(v) \cdot u) \quad (\varphi_2 \text{ is linear})$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi_1 (\varphi_2(u) \cdot v - \varphi_2(v) \cdot u) \quad (\because \ker(\varphi_1) = \ker(\varphi_2))$$

$$\Rightarrow \varphi_2(u) \varphi_1(v) - \varphi_2(v) \cdot \varphi_1(u) \quad (\varphi_1 \text{ is linear})$$

It means,

$$\varphi_1(v) = \frac{\varphi_2(v) \varphi_1(u)}{\varphi_2(u)} = \frac{\varphi_1(u)}{\varphi_2(u)} \cdot \varphi_2(v)$$

Since it is true for all  $v \in V$ .

$$\Rightarrow \varphi_1 = \alpha \cdot \varphi_2 \quad \text{where} \quad \alpha = \frac{\varphi_1(u)}{\varphi_2(u)} \cdot \text{for } u \in V.$$

Hence this statement is true.

$$(b) \varphi \in L(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}^n), \quad \text{im}(\varphi) = \ker(\varphi) \quad \text{for } n = 2m-1$$

where  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ .

We have to prove/disprove that such a  $\varphi$  can't exist.

Rank nullity theorem:

$$\dim(\text{Im}(\varphi)) + \dim(\ker(\varphi)) = \dim(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim(\ker(\varphi)) + \dim(\ker(\varphi)) = n$$

$$\Rightarrow \dim(\ker(\varphi)) = \frac{n}{2}.$$

Since the dimension is always a natural number,

therefore,  $\frac{m}{2}$  must be a natural number.

Given that,  $n = 2m - 1$

Suppose,  $m = 2$ , then  $n = 4 - 1 = 3$ .

$\dim(\ker(\varphi)) = \frac{3}{2} = 1.5 \notin \mathbb{N}$ . (which is not possible)

that means such a  $\varphi$  can't exist.

Therefore, the given statement was true.

$$(e) \quad \begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{R}[x] & \xrightarrow{D} & \mathbb{R}[\alpha] \\ f(x) & \mapsto & D(f(x)) \end{array}$$

$$\text{Ker}(D - \lambda I) := \left\{ f(x) \in \mathbb{R}[x] \mid (D - \lambda I)(f(x)) = 0_{\mathbb{R}} \right\}$$

Suppose,

$$(D - \lambda I)(f(x)) = 0_{\mathbb{R}}$$

$$\Rightarrow D(f(x)) - \lambda \cdot f(x) = 0_{\mathbb{R}}$$

$$\text{Suppose, } f(x) = a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + a_3 x^3 + \dots$$

$$D(f(x)) = a_1 + 2a_2 x + 3a_3 x^2 + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow (a_1 + 2a_2 x + 3a_3 x^2 + \dots) - \lambda(a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + \dots) = 0_{\mathbb{R}}$$

$$\Rightarrow (a_1 - \lambda a_0) + (2a_2 - \lambda a_1)x + (3a_3 - \lambda a_2)x^2 + \dots = 0_{\mathbb{R}}$$

Since it is true for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  that means each of the coefficient must be 0.

$$\Rightarrow a_1 - \lambda a_0 = 0 \Rightarrow a_1 = \lambda a_0$$

$$2a_2 - \lambda a_1 = 0 \Rightarrow a_2 = \frac{\lambda a_1}{2}$$

$$3a_3 - \lambda a_2 = 0 \Rightarrow a_3 = \frac{\lambda a_2}{3}$$

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$$f(x) = a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + a_3 x^3 + \dots$$

$$= a_0 + (\lambda a_0)x + \left(\frac{\lambda a_1}{2}\right)x^2 + \left(\frac{\lambda a_2}{3}\right)x^3 + \dots$$

$$= a_0 + (\lambda a_0)x + \frac{\lambda a_0}{2} \cdot x^2 + \frac{\lambda}{3} \cdot \frac{\lambda a_0}{2} \cdot x^3 + \dots$$

$$= a_0 \left[ 1 + \lambda x + \frac{\lambda^2 x^2}{2!} + \frac{\lambda^3 x^3}{3!} + \dots \right]$$

$$= \left[ a_0 + (a_0 \lambda) \cdot x + \frac{a_0 \cdot \lambda^2}{2!} \cdot (x^2) + \dots \right] [\lambda \neq 0]$$

$$\Rightarrow \ker(0 - \lambda I) = \left\langle \{1, x, x^2, \dots\} \right\rangle = \mathbb{R}[x]$$

Suppose  $\lambda = 0$  then,  $a_1 = 0, a_2 = 0, a_3 = 0 \dots$

$$f(x) = a_0 + 0 + 0 + \dots = a_0.$$

$$\ker(D - \lambda I) = \langle \{1\} \rangle$$

$= \mathbb{R}[x]_0$  (all the polynomial of deg 0)

When  $\lambda = 0$ ,  $\ker(D - \lambda I) = \mathbb{R}[x]_0$  (Non trivial)

When  $\lambda \neq 0$ ,  $\ker(D - \lambda I) = \mathbb{R}[x]$  (Trivial)

The trivial subspace of  $\mathbb{R}[x]$  will be  $\{0_{\mathbb{R}[x]}\}$  and  $\mathbb{R}[x]$  itself.

That implies the given statement " $\ker(D - \lambda I)$  is nontrivial subspace of  $\mathbb{R}[x]$ " is false

25. Let  $\mathbb{R}[x]$  be the vector space of polynomials over  $\mathbb{R}$  and consider subspaces of  $\mathbb{R}[x]$  given by  $W_1 = \{f(x) \in \mathbb{R}[x] : f(0) = f(10)\}$  and  $W_2 = \{f(x) \in \mathbb{R}[x] : f(0) = f(10) = 0\}$ . Then  $\mathbb{R}[x]/W_1$  is isomorphic to  $\mathbb{R}[x]/W_2$ . Prove if it is true or give a counterexample to disprove it.

$$\mathbb{R}[x] = \left\{ f \mid f(x) = a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + \dots, \forall a_i \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

$$W_1 = \left\{ f \in \mathbb{R}[x] \mid f(0) = f(10) \right\} \text{ is subspace of } \mathbb{R}[x]$$

$$W_2 = \left\{ f \in \mathbb{R}[x] \mid f(0) = f(10) = 0 \right\} \text{ is subspace of } \mathbb{R}[x]$$

Consider a vector  $v \in \mathbb{R}[x]/\mathbb{W}_1$ ,

$$v = f(x) + \mathbb{W}_1 \quad \text{where } f(x) \in \mathbb{R}[x].$$

If we have to show isomorphism b/w  $\mathbb{R}[x]/\mathbb{W}_1$  and  $\mathbb{R}[x]/\mathbb{W}_2$  then there must exist a transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}[x]/\mathbb{W}_1 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}[x]/\mathbb{W}_2$  such that  $T$  is linear bijection.

We define the  $T$  in such a way that,

$$T(f(x) + \mathbb{W}_1) = g(x) + \mathbb{W}_2 \quad (f(x), g(x) \in \mathbb{R}[x])$$

claim: Such a  $T$  can never be isomorphic.

Proof: We apply proof by contradiction.

Assumption:  $\mathbb{R}[x]/\mathbb{W}_1$  is isomorphic to  $\mathbb{R}[x]/\mathbb{W}_2$

Since the dimension of  $\mathbb{R}[x]$  is infinite so the dimension of the domain & codomain is also infinite.

Since,  $\mathbb{R}[x]/\mathbb{W}_1$  is isomorphic to  $\mathbb{R}[x]/\mathbb{W}_2$  then it must be true for any finite dimension of  $\mathbb{R}[x]$ .

Suppose,  $\mathbb{R}[x]$  has dimension of 1. that means

$$\mathbb{R}[x]_0 = \{ f(x) \mid f(x) = c, \forall c \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

$$\mathbb{W}_1 = \{ f(x) \mid f(0) = f(10) \}$$

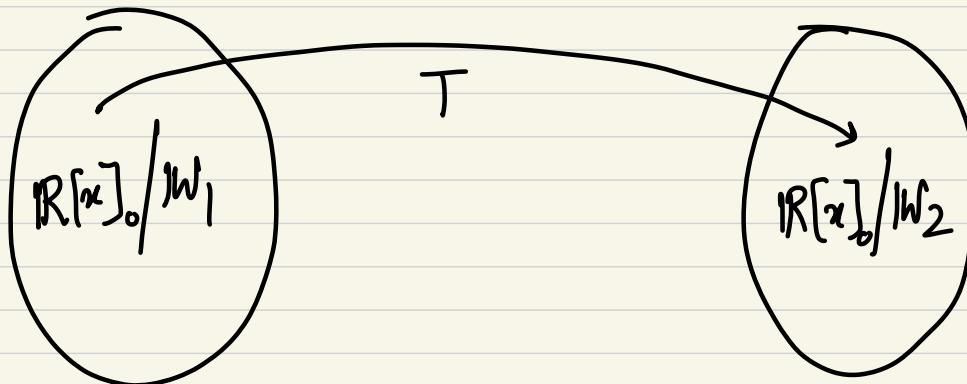
Since  $f(x)$  in  $\mathbb{R}[x]_0$  is independent of  $x$  so in  $\mathbb{W}_1$ , all

the polynomials of  $\mathbb{R}[x]_0$ , will be present as it satisfies the condition of  $f(0) = f(10)$ .

$$W_1 = \left\{ f(x) \mid f(x) = c, \forall c \in \mathbb{R} \right\} = \mathbb{R}[x]_0$$

$$W_2 = \left\{ f(x) \mid f(0) = f(10) = 0 \right\} = \{0_{\mathbb{R}[x]_0}\}$$

The only way to satisfy the condition that  $f(0) = f(10) = 0$  is possible if the polynomial is zero polynomial.



Suppose there exists a linear transformation  $T$  between  $\mathbb{R}[x]_0/W_1$  to  $\mathbb{R}[x]_0/W_2$ . The claim is  $T$  can never be isomorphic.

$$\begin{aligned} \dim(\mathbb{R}[x]_0/W_1) &= \dim(\mathbb{R}[x]_0) - \dim(W_1) \\ &= 1 - 1 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \dim(\mathbb{R}[x]_0/W_2) &= \dim(\mathbb{R}[x]_0) - \dim(W_2) \\ &= 1 - 0 = 1. \end{aligned}$$

Since the dimension of domain & codomain are not same so  $T$  can never be isomorphism and hence the 2 spaces can never be isomorphic.

It is a contradiction of the assumption. Therefore the assumption was incorrect. Hence  $\mathbb{R}[x]/W_1$  is not isomorphic to  $\mathbb{R}[x]/W_2$ . So the statement was false.

