

MATH 108A Review Sheet

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1. Vector Spaces

1.A

1. A complex number is an ordered pair (a, b) of real numbers $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ that we write _____
2. Suppose we have $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$ such that

$$\alpha := a + bi$$

$$\beta := c + di$$

What is $\alpha \cdot \beta$?

3. If $a \in \mathbb{R}$ then if $b \in \mathbb{R}$ is the multiplicative inverse of a , $a \cdot b =$ _____
4. Two lists of vectors are considered the same if they have the same length and _____

1.B

1. A _____ is a set with two operations _____ and _____ such that the operations are commutative, _____, and distributive and both have identity and inverse elements.
2. A _____ over a field \mathbb{F} is a set V with two operations
 - Vector addition $+$
 - Scalar multiplication \cdot
3. In general, is there a such thing as multiplication between vectors?
4. An element of a vector space is called a _____
5. What is the trivial vector space?
6. The set F^∞ is the set of _____
7. The set $\mathbb{R}^\mathbb{R}$ is the set of _____
8. What are the sets \mathbb{R}^n , \mathbb{C}^n , and \mathbb{F}^n ?

1.C

1. Subspace Test

- (a) In English, explain the _____ conditions of the Subspace Test.
- (b) Write out the Subspace Test using logical symbols.

2. Suppose that U_1, U_2, \dots, U_m are subspaces of V such that

$$0 = u_1 + u_2 + \dots + u_m$$

where $u_1 \in U_1, \dots, u_m \in U_m$, has a unique solution.

Then we can say that _____ (not talking about linear independence).

- (a) And what specifically is the value of these u_i ?
- 3. If $U + W$ are subspaces of V , then $U + W$ is a direct sum if and only if _____
- 4. Let v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m be a list of vectors in V . Then, $\text{span}(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m)$ is a _____ of V .
- 5. Let U_1, U_2, U_3 be subspaces of V such that $U_1 \cap U_2 \cap U_3 = \{0\}$ and that $U_1 + U_2 + U_3 = V$. Can we conclude that $U_1 \oplus U_2 \oplus U_3 = V$?

2. Finite Dimensional Vector Spaces

2.A

- 1. The set $\mathcal{P}(\mathbb{F})$ is _____-dimensional while $\mathcal{P}_m(\mathbb{F})$ is _____-dimensional.
- 2. Two functions p, q are the **same** if for all $z \in \mathbb{F}$ _____.
- 3. Suppose for there exists a $v_j \in \text{span}(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n)$. Then, we know that $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_j, \dots, v_n$ is _____.
- 4. True or False. If $a_1v_1 + a_2v_2 + \dots + a_mv_m = 0$, given that $a_1 = a_2 = \dots = a_m = 0$, then v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m are linearly independent.

2.B

- 1. If a list $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n \in V$ is both linearly independent and spanning, then it is a _____.
- 2. If a list is spanning but not a basis, then it is _____.
- 3. The standard basis for \mathbb{F}^n is the list _____.
- 4. If a list v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n (of length n) is a basis for V , then $\dim V =$ _____.
- 5. If v_1, v_2, \dots, v_j is linearly independent in V , and v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k spans V , then j _____ k .

2.C

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3. Linear Maps

3.A

1. A linear map (linear transformation) from V to W is a function $T : V \rightarrow W$ such that

- _____
- _____

3.B

1. Suppose v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n is linearly independent in V . Do we know that v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n can be extended to be a basis for V ?

2. Let $T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$. Then,

$$\dim V = \text{_____} + \text{_____}.$$

3. Let $T : L \rightarrow W$, be a linear map. Then the _____ of T is the set

$$\{v \in V | Tv = 0\}$$

4. Does the null space contain the zero vector?

5. A linear map $T : V \rightarrow W$ is injective if whenever $u \neq w$, then _____

6. Prove that T is injective, if and only if $\text{null } T = \{\vec{0}\}$.

7. If a linear map $T : V \rightarrow W$ is such that $\text{range } T = W$ then we say T is _____.

3.C

1. $\mathbb{F}^{m,n}$ is the set of all _____.

2. Suppose $T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$ is such that with respect to the basis v_1, v_2, v_3

$$\mathcal{M}(T) = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

What are Tv_1, Tv_2, Tv_3 equal to? Source: Last lecture

3.D

1. Suppose $T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$ is such that $\text{null } T = \{\vec{0}\}$ and $\text{range } T = W$. Then, we know that T is _____.
2. Let $T \in L(V, W)$ be such there are $R, S \in L(W, V)$ such that R, S are inverses of T . Is $R = S$?
3. Suppose $T \in L(V, W)$ is invertible. Then, we can say V and W are _____ and T is _____.
4. Let V, W be finite-dimensional and isomorphic. Then,
_____ = _____
5. Suppose T is a linear function from \mathbb{R}^3 to \mathbb{R}^3 . Then we can say, T is a(n) _____ on \mathbb{R}^3 .

4. Polynomials

1. Let $p(z) = 0$ for all $z \in \mathbb{F}$, i.e. the zero polynomial. Then, $\deg(p) = ______$.
2. Let $p(z) = a_0 + a_1z + a_2z^2 + \dots + a_mz^m$ for all $z \in \mathbb{F}$. Then, $\deg(p) = ______$.

5. Eigenvalues, Eigenvectors, and Invariant Subspaces

5.A

1. Suppose U is a subspace of V and $T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$. If for any $u \in U$, Tu is also in U , we say U is...
2. Suppose T is a linear operator on V . If for some $v \in V$, there is some scalar $\lambda \in \mathbb{F}$ is an eigenvalue (Def 5.5) for v , then $Tv = \dots$
3. Is $\text{null } T$ invariant under T ? Why?
4. Is $\text{range } T$ invariant under T ? Why?
5. Suppose that U is a one-dimensional subspace invariant under T and v is a basis for U . Then v is a(n) _____ for T and there exists a $___ \in \mathbb{F}$ such that $___ = ___$.
6. Suppose that $T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$, when applied to some basis of V , gives the following matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Is T invertible?

7. Suppose $T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$ with distinct eigenvalues $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_m$. Then, we know that the corresponding eigenvectors v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m are _____.