

2. Let S be as in the previous problem, and let $B = \{(1, 0, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0, 0), (0, 0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 0, 1)\}$ be the standard basis of \mathbb{R}^4 . Extend your basis from the first problem to a basis of \mathbb{R}^4 by adding vectors from B .

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$\rightarrow S = \{(1, 2, 3, 4), (2, 3, 4, 5), (3, 4, 5, 6)\}$.

Compute $\dim \text{span}(S)$ and find a basis for $\text{span}(S)$.

1) Which vector is not necessary in S ? (previous problem)

$1 \cdot (1, 2, 3, 4) + (-2) \cdot (2, 3, 4, 5) + 1 \cdot (3, 4, 5, 6) = \vec{0}$.

$v_3 = -v_1 + 2v_2 \Rightarrow v_3$ is "dependent upon" v_1 & v_2 .

$\{v_1, v_2\}$: lin. indep? $v_2 \neq c \cdot v_1$ for any $c \in \mathbb{R} \Rightarrow$ Yes it is.

2) Which vector in B is "new" for S ?

Check if your choice of vectors in B is "independent" with $\{v_1, v_2\}$.

$\{e_1, v_1, v_2\}$: lin. indep? Yes, it is.

$\{e_1, e_2, v_1, v_2\}$: lin. indep? " .

Answer.

1. Let V be a vector space over F with basis $B = \{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$. Let W be a vector space over F , and let $w_1, \dots, w_n \in W$ be arbitrary elements (not necessarily distinct). Prove that there exists a unique linear transformation T such that $T(v_i) = w_i$ for all i .

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• Existence (sometimes "well-definedness" is the key.)

Given $v \in V$, we have $c_1, \dots, c_n \in F$

s.t. $v = c_1 v_1 + \dots + c_n v_n$.

Define $T(v)$ to be $c_1 w_1 + \dots + c_n w_n$.

v is uniquely expressed in this way, T is well-defined.

• Uniqueness

Let T' be a lin. transformation satisfying the conditions

for $v \in V$, we have $a_1, \dots, a_n \in F$ s.t.

$v = a_1 v_1 + \dots + a_n v_n$.

then $T'(v) = T'(a_1 v_1 + \dots + a_n v_n)$
 $= a_1 T'(v_1) + \dots + a_n T'(v_n)$ \downarrow linearity
 $= a_1 w_1 + \dots + a_n w_n$ \downarrow conditions
 $= T(v)$.

$$T(av + bw)$$

$$= aT(v) + bT(w)$$

(Linearity)

\Rightarrow Why? (example)

$V = \mathbb{R}^2, S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$

want to define lin. T

s.t. $T\left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}\right) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$T\left(\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}\right) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

$T\left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}\right) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Fails to exist.

$T\left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}\right) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

\parallel ~~$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$~~

$T\left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}\right) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

1. (True/False Jeopardy) Supply convincing reasoning for your answer.

- (a) T F Let F be a field. Then $\mathcal{F}(F, F)$ is infinite-dimensional.
- (b) T F Let V be a vector space of dimension n , and let S be a linearly dependent subset of V with $\#S > n$. Then there exists a subset $B \subseteq S$ which is a basis for V .
- (c) T F If $V = U \oplus W$, and S is a basis of V such that some subset $S_U \subseteq S$ is a basis of U , then $S \setminus S_U$ is a basis of W .
- (d) T F Let V be a vector space of dimension $n \geq 1$, and let S be a subset of V with $\#S < n$. Then S is linearly dependent.
- (e) T F Suppose that $V = U \oplus U'$, and let $T : V \rightarrow W$ be a linear transformation. Then $\text{Im}(V) = \text{Im}(U) \oplus \text{Im}(U')$.

$\mathcal{F}(F)$
 $\#$
 \mathbb{F}_2
 4 Poll.

$\mathcal{F}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R}) : \text{inf. dim.}$
 $\{ \sin x, \sin 2x, \dots, \dots \}$

$f(x) = x^2 - x$
 $\neq 0$

(a) $F = \mathbb{F}_2$ (or \mathbb{F}_3, \dots)
 $\mathcal{F}(F, F)$
 $f: \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$ 2^2
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(b) False
 $V = \mathbb{R}^2, n = 2$
 $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$
 $\#S > 2$

(d) False
 $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$ in \mathbb{R}^2
 $n = 2$