

Math 4160 - Test 1 Review

1 Vector Spaces and Subspaces

1. Let $V = \mathbb{R}^3$ equipped with usual vector addition and scalar multiplication. Prove V is a vector space. That is, prove all 10 Axioms.
2. Let $V = \mathbb{R}^2$. And define the two operations
$$\oplus: (x_1, y_1) \oplus (x_2, y_2) = (x_1 + x_2 + 1, y_1 + y_2 + 1)$$
$$\odot: k \odot (x_1, y_1) = (kx_1, ky_1)$$
 - (a) Compute $(0, 4) \oplus (-2, 3)$ and compute $2 \odot (1, 1)$.
 - (b) Show $\mathbf{0} \neq (0, 0)$.
 - (c) Show $\mathbf{0} = (-1, -1)$.
 - (d) Prove Axiom 5. That is, for each $\mathbf{v}$ find $-\mathbf{v}$ so that

$$\mathbf{v} \oplus -\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{0}.$$

- (e) V does satisfy some of the vector space axioms, but not all of the axioms. Find two axioms that fail.
3. State the two step subspace test.
 4. Let $W = \{(a, b, c) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : \text{where } a + b + c = 1\}$.
 - (a) Use the two step subspace test to show $(W, +, \cdot)$ is a subspace.
 - (b) What geometric shape is W ? Hint I gave it in standard form.
 - (c) Give me the parametric for the geometric object defined in the set W .
 5. Prove the following are subspaces of $V = \mathbb{R}^3$ or are not subspaces.
 - (a) $\{(x, y, z) | x + y - z = 0\}$
 - (b) $\{(x, y, z) | xyz = 1\}$
 - (c) $\{(x, y, z) | x + y - z = 1\}$
 - (d) $\{(x, y, z) | x + y - z = 0 \text{ and } 2x = z\}$
 6. Let $W = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : \text{where } x - 3y - z = 0\}$.

- (a) Use the two step subspace test to show $(W, +, \cdot)$ is a subspace.
- (b) What geometric shape is W ? Hint I gave it in standard form.
- (c) Give me the parametric for the geometric object defined in the set W .

2 Linear Independence

7. Let $S = \{(1, 2, 1), (0, 1, 2), (0, -1, 0)\}$.
 - (a) Is S linearly independent? (There is an easy test for this problem).
 - (b) Is $(2, 2, 2) \in \text{Span}(S)$? If yes what is a linear combination of the vectors in S that equals $(2, 2, 2)$?
 - (c) Does S span $\mathbb{R}^3$?
8. Let $S = \{x, x + 2, x^3 - x - 1, x^3\}$ be a set in P_3 .
 - (a) Is S linearly independent?
 - (b) Is $x^3 + x^2 + x + 1 \in \text{Span}(S)$? If yes what is a linear combination of the polynomials in S that equals $x^3 + x^2 + x + 1$?
 - (c) Is $4x^3 - 2x \in \text{Span}(S)$? If yes what is a linear combination of the polynomials in S that equals $4x^3 - 2x$?
 - (d) Does S span P_3 ?
9. Are the following lists linearly independent? Justify your answer.
 - (a) $\text{Span}((1, -2, 1), (1, 1, 1), (-2, 3, -2))$
 - (b) $\{x, x - x^2, x + x^2\}$
 - (c) $\{(1, -2, 1), (3, -12, 2), (1, 2, 3)\}$

3 Span, Basis

10. Let $B = \{(1, 2, 1), (0, 1, 2), (0, -1, 0)\}$.
 - (a) Is B a basis for $\mathbb{R}^3$
 - (b) Write the vector $(1, 0, -1)$ relative to the basis B .
 - (c) Write the vector (a, b, c) relative to the basis B .

- (d) Find the change of basis matrix from the standard basis to the basis B . (we called it $P_{\text{STANDARD} \rightarrow B}$ in class).
11. For the following system of linear equations.
- $$\begin{array}{rrrrr} 2x_1 & -2x_2 & +4x_3 & & -6x_5 & = 2 \\ & & x_3 & +6x_4 & & = 0 \end{array}$$
- (a) Find the solution set.
- (b) Find a basis for the solution set.
- (c) What is the dimension of that solution set?
12. For the following subspace of P_3
- $$W = \{a + bx + cx^2 + dx^3 : a = -c \text{ and } b = c + d\}$$
- (a) Find a basis for W .
- (b) What is the dimension of that solution set?
13. Answer yes or no and justify your answer.
- (a) Is $(1, 2, 3) \in \text{Span}((1, -2, 1), (1, 1, 1))$?
- (b) Is $x^2 - 1 \in \text{Span}(x, x - x^2, x + x^2)$?
- (c) Is $(1, 2, 3) \in \text{Span}((1, -2, 1), (3, -12, 2))$?
- (d) Is $(1, 2, 3) \in \text{Span}((4, 5, 6), (7, 8, 9))$?
14. Find a a basis and dimension for the following.
- (a) $\text{Span}((1, -2, 1), (1, 1, 1), (-2, 3, -2))$
- (b) $\{p \in \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R}) : p'(3) = 0\}$
- (c) $\{p \in \mathcal{P}_3(\mathbb{R}) : p'(3) = 0\}$
- (d) $\{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : x + y - 2z = 0 \text{ and } 3y - z - w = 0\}$

4 Change of Basis Matrix

15. Let $B_1 = \{(-1, 1), (2, 3)\}$, $B_2 = \{(1, -1), (1, 1)\}$ and let B be the standard unit basis for $\mathbb{R}^2$.
- (a) Find the change of basis matrices for $P_{B_1 \rightarrow B_2}$ and $P_{B_1 \rightarrow B}$.
- (b) Find the coordinates of the point $(4, 6)$ (given in the standard basis) relative to the bases B_1 and B_2 .

- (c) Find the change of basis matrices for $P_{B \rightarrow B_2}$ and $P_{B_2 \rightarrow B}$.
- (d) Find the coordinates of the point $(2, -4)$ (given in the standard basis) relative to the bases B and B_2 . Graph this point the two separate coordinate axes B and B_2 .

5 Row Space, Column Space & Null space

16. Let W be the plane $x - 2y + z = 0$ in $\mathbb{R}^3$.
- (a) Find the parametric equation for the plane.
 - (b) Find a basis for W .
 - (c) Compute the solution set to the linear system $x - 2y + z = 0$ in $\mathbb{R}^3$.
17. Let W be the hyperplane $x_1 - 2x_2 + x_3 + 6x_4 = 0$ in $\mathbb{R}^4$.
- (a) Find the parametric equation for the hyperplane.
 - (b) Find a basis for W .
 - (c) Compute the solution set to the linear system $x_1 - 2x_2 + x_3 + 6x_4 = 0$ in $\mathbb{R}^4$.
18. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.
- (a) Find a basis for the Column Space of A , $\text{COL}(A)$.
 - (b) Compute the dimension of $\text{COL}(A)$.
 - (c) Find a basis for the null space of A , $\text{NULL}(A)$.
 - (d) Compute the dimension of $\text{NULL}(A)$.

19. The linear transformation $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ is given by the formula

$$T\left(\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} x + y \\ y + z \\ x - z \end{bmatrix}.$$

- (a) Find the matrix, A , to represent the linear transformation T .
- (b) Compute the basis for the Range of T , which is the Column Space of A .

- (c) Find a basis for the null space of A , $\text{NULL}(A)$.
- (d) Compute the dimension of $\text{COL}(A)$ and $\text{NULL}(A)$. The dimension of the range of T is called the rank of T and the dimension of the null space is called the nullity.
- (e) What is the dimension of the domain of T and the codomain of T ? Again, compare Rank, Nullity and the dimension of the Domain. Do you see a relation?

6 Basic Transformations

20. Write the matrix for the following transformations described below.
- (a) $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ where the plane is rotated by 45° counter-clockwise.
 - (b) $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ where the plane is reflected about the x -axis.
 - (c) $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ where the x -axis is contracted by half and the y -axis is dilated by 2.
 - (d) $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ where the plane is rotated by 30° counter-clockwise and then reflected about the x -axis.
 - (e) $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ where the plane is reflected about the x -axis and then rotated by 30° counter-clockwise.
 - (f) $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ where the x -axis is contracted by half and the z -axis is dilated by 2.