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Question 1. Let $D = \text{Span}\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 5 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -12 \\ 18 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \\ -10 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

1) Find a basis for D .

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 & 6 \\ -2 & 5 & -6 \\ 6 & -12 & 18 \\ -2 & 4 & -10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\frac{1}{2}R_1$
 $2R_1 + R_2 \rightarrow R_2$
 $2R_1 + R_4 \rightarrow R_4$
 $3R_1 + R_3 \rightarrow R_3$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$R_3 \leftrightarrow R_4$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

basis for $D = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 5 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \\ -10 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

2) Is $D = \mathbb{R}^3$? Explain

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yes $D = \mathbb{R}^3$

because D contains three independent elements which are $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 5 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \\ -10 \end{bmatrix}$.

$\text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 5 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \\ -10 \end{bmatrix} \right\} = \mathbb{R}^3$

Question 2. 1) Is $\text{Span}\{-5+6x+2x^3, -10+10x-5x^3, 30+60x-5x^2+2x^3\} = P_4$? Explain

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no because $\text{span}\{-5+6x+2x^3, -10+10x-5x^3, 30+60x-5x^2+2x^3\}$

doesn't contain four elements, so we can't find four independent elements in the span so it is not equal P_4

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2) Is $\text{Span}\{1, x\} = \text{Span}\{10+x, 20+4x\}$? Explain

$a + a \cdot x$

$\therefore A = \text{span}\{1, x\}$

$B = \text{span}\{10+x, 20+4x\}$

$\therefore A \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow 2 \text{ independent elements so } A = \mathbb{R}^2$

$\therefore B \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 1 \\ 20 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1/10 \\ 0 & 2/5 \end{bmatrix} 2 \text{ elements are independent } B = \mathbb{R}^2$

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so yes $\text{span}\{1, x\} = \text{span}\{10+x, 20+4x\} = \mathbb{R}^2$

3) Let $D = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a \\ 3a+1 \\ b \end{bmatrix} \mid a, b \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$. Is D a subspace of \mathbb{R}^3 ? If yes, then find a basis for D .

1) $\therefore v_1 \in D$ so $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} m \\ 3m+1 \\ n \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3$

$v_2 \in D$ so $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} L \\ 3L+1 \\ k \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3$

$\therefore v_1 + v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} m+L \\ 3(m+L)+2 \\ k+n \end{bmatrix} \notin D$ and $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3$ but $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \notin D$

so D is not a subspace

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Question 3. 1) Find a basis for R^4 that contains the following two independent elements

matrix: $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 6 \\ -4 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ -12 \\ 9 \\ -14 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 12 & -8 & 16 \\ 2 & 6 & -4 & 8 \\ -4 & -12 & 9 & -14 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} R_1 + R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \\ \leftarrow S \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 8 & 3 & -2 & 4 \\ 0 & 4 & 4 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ so need to enter two independent elements}$$

so basis for $R^4 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 6 \\ -4 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ -12 \\ 9 \\ -14 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 5 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ a_4 \end{bmatrix}$$

~~SOLVE ONLY ONE OF THE FOLLOWING TWO QUESTIONS:~~

1) Let A be a 3×5 matrix and a_4 be the fourth column of A . Find a solution to the system $AX = a_4$. How many solutions does the system $AX = a_4$ have? EXPLAIN

2) Given that v_1, v_2 are independent elements in a vector space V , and $v_3 \notin \text{Span}\{v_1, v_2\}$. Show that v_1, v_2, v_3 are independent elements of V .

~~" v_1, v_2 are independent~~

~~so $0 = \alpha_1 v_1 + \alpha_2 v_2$ $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = 0$~~

~~" $v_3 \notin \text{span}\{v_1, v_2\}$~~

~~so $v_3 \neq a v_1 + b v_2$, $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$~~

~~$AX = a_4$ 3×5 5×1 3×1 $a_4 \in \text{col}(A)$ so $AX = a_4$ have a solution~~

~~" $\dim(N(A)) + \text{column}(A) = n \text{ columns}$
 $2 + 3 = 5$~~

~~so there are many solutions~~

2)

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & a_{14} & a_{15} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} & a_{24} & a_{25} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} & a_{34} & a_{35} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Ax = a_4$$

3×5 5×1 3×1

" $a_4 \in \text{col } A$ so $a_4 \in \text{span} \{a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5\}$

$$a_4 = x_1 a_1 + x_2 a_2 + x_3 a_3 + x_4 a_4 + x_5 a_5$$

so $x_1 = 1$ and $x_3 = x_4 = x_5 = 0$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & a_{14} & a_{15} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} & a_{24} & a_{25} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} & a_{34} & a_{35} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \\ x_5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{14} \\ a_{24} \\ a_{34} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x a_4 = x_1 a_{11} + x_2 a_{12} + x_3 a_{13} + x_4 a_{14} + x_5 a_{15}$$

so $x_4 = 1$ and

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 a_{11} + x_2 a_{12} + x_3 a_{13} + x_5 a_{15} &= 0 \\ x_1 a_{21} + x_2 a_{22} + x_3 a_{23} + x_5 a_{25} &= 0 \\ x_1 a_{31} + x_2 a_{32} + x_3 a_{33} + x_5 a_{35} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$



so $x_4 = 1$ There are many solutions. $x_1, x_2, x_3, x_5 \in \mathbb{R}$ are free variables.

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Question 4. 1) Let $F = \{f(x) \in P_3 \mid \int_0^1 f'(x) dx = 0\}$.

a) Show that F is a subspace of P_3 .

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore f(x) &= a_1 + a_2 x + a_3 x^2 \\ \hat{f}(x) &= a_1 + 2a_2 x \end{aligned}$$

$$m(x) \in F \quad \text{so} \quad \int_0^1 \hat{m}(x) dx = 0$$

$$L(x) \in F \quad \text{so} \quad \int_0^1 \hat{L}(x) dx = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore m(x) + L(x) &= \int_0^1 \hat{m}(x) dx + \int_0^1 \hat{L}(x) dx = 0 + 0 = 0 \\ &= \int_0^1 \hat{m}(x) + \hat{L}(x) dx = 0 \end{aligned}$$

so $m(x) + L(x) \in F$

$$\therefore x \in \mathbb{R} \quad m(x) \in F$$

$$\therefore \int_0^1 x \hat{m}(x) dx = \int_0^1 x m'(x) dx = 0$$

so $x m(x) \in F$

so F is a subspace of P_3

b) Find a basis for F .

$$\therefore \int_0^1 a_1 + 2a_2 x dx = 0$$

$$a_1 x + a_2 x^2 \Big|_0^1 = a_1 x + a_2 x^2 = 0$$

$$\text{so } a_1 + a_2 = 0 \rightarrow a_1 = -a_2 \quad \text{so } a_2, a_3 \in \mathbb{R} \text{ free variables}$$

$$\begin{matrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} \rightarrow \\ \rightarrow \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \end{matrix} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} 1 \\ x^2 \end{matrix} \Rightarrow x$$

$$\text{so basis for } F = \left\{ 1, -x + x^2 \right\}$$

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Question 5. 1) Given that A is a 3×4 matrix and A is row equivalent to

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 6 & -2 & 9 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}. \text{ If } a_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}. \text{ Find } A.$$

∴ basis for Row(A) = $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \\ -2 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$
 basis for col(A) = $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 10 & \frac{1}{3} & 15 \\ 2 & 4 & \frac{1}{3} & 6 \\ -4 & -8 & \frac{1}{3} & -12 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$a \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \\ -2 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \\ b_4 \end{bmatrix}$$

∴ $3a = 5 \rightarrow a = \frac{5}{3}$
 $b_1 = 6 \times \frac{5}{3} = 10$
 $b_2 = -2 \times \frac{5}{3} = -\frac{10}{3}$
 $b_3 = 9 \times \frac{5}{3} = 15$

$$a \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \\ -2 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \\ b_4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$a = \frac{2}{3} \rightarrow b_1 = 6 \times \frac{2}{3} = 4$
 $b_2 = -2 \times \frac{2}{3} = -\frac{4}{3}$
 $b_3 = 9 \times \frac{2}{3} = 6$

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2) Let $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a linear transformation such that $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\right) = -10$, and

$\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix} \in \text{Ker}(T)$. Find $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 20 \\ 53 \end{bmatrix}\right)$

$$T\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\therefore a \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + b \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 20 \\ 53 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 & | & 20 \\ 1 & 10 & | & 53 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b & | & 53 \\ 0 & 4 & | & 20 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 10 & | & 53 \\ 0 & 1 & | & 5 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & | & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & | & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$a = 3$ $b = 5$

∴ $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 20 \\ 53 \end{bmatrix}\right) = 3 T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\right) + 5 T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix}\right) = 3 \times -10 = -30$

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$3 \times 1 = 3 \times 4 \quad 4 \times 1$

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Question 6. Let $T: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be a linear transformation from \mathbb{R}^4 into \mathbb{R}^3

such that $T \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 \\ -2x_1 + 2x_2 - 3x_3 \\ 3x_1 - 3x_2 + 6x_3 \end{bmatrix}$

1) Find the standard matrix representation of T .

$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ -2 & 2 & -3 & 0 \\ 3 & -3 & 6 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

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2) Find a basis for $\text{Ker}(T)$.

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 & 0 & | & 0 \\ -2 & 2 & -3 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 3 & -3 & 6 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $\begin{matrix} 2R_1 + R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \\ -3R_1 + R_3 \rightarrow R_3 \\ -2R_2 + R_1 \rightarrow R_1 \end{matrix}$ $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

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$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$x_1 = x_2, \quad x_3 = 0, \quad x_2, x_4 \in \mathbb{R}$

$N(A) = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ x_2 \\ 0 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} \mid x_2, x_4 \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$

3) Find a basis for the RANGE of T .

so basis for $\text{ker}(T) = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

basis for Range of T $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$