

HW 7

Abstract Vector Spaces Notes

1.5 $\vec{x} = (1/n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$, $\vec{y} = (1/n^2)_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow z\vec{x} - 3\vec{y} &= z(1/n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} - 3(1/n^2)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \\ &= \left(\frac{z}{n} - \frac{3}{n^2}\right)_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \\ &= \left(\frac{z}{1} - \frac{3}{1^2}, \frac{z}{2} - \frac{3}{2^2}, \dots\right) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} 2x_7 - 3y_7 &= \frac{2}{7} - \frac{3}{7^2} \\ &= \frac{14 - 3}{49} = \boxed{\frac{11}{49}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\underline{1.12} \quad f(x) = x^k |x| = x^k \begin{cases} x, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ -x, & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} x^{k+1}, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ -x^{k+1}, & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \begin{cases} (k+1)x^k, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ -(k+1)x^k, & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{contin.} \\ \text{at } 0! \\ (\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^\pm} f'(x) = 0) \\ = f'(0) \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow f''(x) = \begin{cases} (k+1)k x^{k-1}, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ -(k+1)k x^{k-1}, & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{contin. at} \\ x=0 \end{array}$$

⋮

$$\Rightarrow f^{(k)}(x) = \begin{cases} (k+1)! x, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ -(k+1)! x, & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{contin. at} \\ x=0! \end{array}$$

$$\underline{\underline{\text{But}}} \quad f^{(k+1)}(x) = \begin{cases} (k+1)!, & \text{if } x > 0 \\ -(k+1)!, & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases} \quad \begin{array}{l} \underline{\underline{\text{not}}} \\ \text{contin.} \\ \text{at } 0 \end{array}$$

Thus, $f \in C^k(\mathbb{R})$ but $f \notin C^{k+1}(\mathbb{R})$.

1.29 Let $a \in F$ ($= \mathbb{R}$ or \mathbb{C}), & let $\vec{0} \in V$ be the zero vector. Then,

$$\begin{aligned}
 a\vec{0} + a\vec{0} &\stackrel{(7)}{=} a(\vec{0} + \vec{0}) \\
 &\stackrel{(3)}{=} a\vec{0} \\
 &\stackrel{(3)}{=} a\vec{0} + \vec{0}
 \end{aligned}$$

cancellation law \longrightarrow

$$\implies a\vec{0} = \vec{0}.$$

5.10 $\mathcal{L}(V, W)$ is a vector space under pointwise addition,

$$S, T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$$

$$\implies S+T : V \rightarrow W \text{ defined pointwise (Def 4.1)}$$

$$(S+T)(v) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} S(v) + T(v)$$

Well, since the y -values of $S+T$ lie in a vector space, W , the \mathcal{L} vector space

properties, e.g.

$$(1) (S+T)(v) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} S(v) + T(v)$$

$$= T(v) + S(v) \quad \text{sum occurs in } W$$

bec. W is
a vector
space

$$\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (T+S)(v)$$

Since this is true for all $v \in V$,

$$S+T = T+S$$

The other 7 properties follow similarly, though tediously, so I'll leave it to you!

Sec. 4.1

(8) Let $V = \{p(x) \in \mathbb{P}_n \mid p(0) = 0\}$,
and consider what such a p must
look like. It has degree (at most)
 n ,

$$p(x) = \sum_{i=0}^n a_i x^i, \quad a_i \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$= a_0 + a_1 x + \dots + a_n x^n$$

and satisfies

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= p(0) \\ &= a_0 + a_1 \cdot 0 + \dots + a_n \cdot 0^n \\ &= a_0 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, we see that

$$V \subseteq \text{span}(x, x^2, \dots, x^n)$$

while clearly $V \supseteq \text{span}(x, x^2, \dots, x^n)$.

Therefore,

$$V = \text{span}(x, x^2, \dots, x^n)$$

is an n -dimensional subspace of the $(n+1)$ -dim. vector space $\mathbb{P}_n = \text{span}(1, x, x^2, \dots, x^n)$.

It is also possible to use the def. of a subspace on V :

(1) V is nonempty, as the zero polynomial $p_0 \equiv 0 + 0x + \dots + 0x^n$ clearly satisfies $p_0(0) = 0$.

(2) If $p, q \in V$, then $(p+q)(0) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} p(0) + q(0)$
 $= 0 + 0$
 $= 0$

(3) If $p \in V$, $c \in \mathbb{R}$, then $(cp)(0) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} cp(0)$
 $= c \cdot 0$
 $= 0$.

(206) Let $V = \{ f \in C[a, b] \mid f(a) = f(b) \}$.

(1) The constant function $f_0 \equiv 0$
lies in V : ~~it~~ is contin. since for all $x_0 \in [a, b]$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} f_0(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} 0 = 0 = f_0(x_0)$$

and satisfies

$$f_0(a) = 0 = f_0(b)$$

(2) If $f, g \in V$, then $f(a) = f(b)$ &
 $g(a) = g(b)$

so

$$\begin{aligned} (f+g)(a) &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} f(a) + g(a) \\ &\stackrel{\text{hyp.}}{=} f(b) + g(b) \\ &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (f+g)(b) \end{aligned}$$

~~And~~ And since by theorems (continuity & limit theorems) in Calc. 1, proved

in undergrad real analysis, $f, g \in C[a, b] \Rightarrow$
 $f+g \in C[a, b]$, we see that $f+g \in V$.

(3) $f \in V$ & $c \in \mathbb{R} \Rightarrow f(a) = f(b)$ & f is
 contin. on $[a, b] \Rightarrow cf \in C[a, b]$
 by Calc. 1 Theorems, &

$$(cf)(a) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} cf(a)$$

$$\stackrel{\text{hyp}}{=} cf(b)$$

$$\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (cf)(b)$$

$$\Rightarrow cf \in V.$$

Thus, V is closed under $+$ & \cdot , & contains
 0 , so it is a subspace.

Sec. 4.3

(38) Let $\beta = (1, \cos t, \dots, \cos^6 t)$, and suppose $a_0, \dots, a_6 \in \mathbb{R}$ satisfy

$$\sum_{i=0}^6 a_i \cos^i t = 0$$

↑ the zero function
(= 0 for all $t \in \mathbb{R}$)

Then by cleverly choosing 7 different values of t , e.g.

$$t_0 = \pi/2$$

$$t_1 = 0$$

$$t_2 = \pi$$

$$t_3 = \pi/3$$

$$t_4 = 2\pi/3$$

$$t_5 = \pi/4$$

$$t_6 = \pi/6$$

we get 7 equations in the 7 unknowns a_0, \dots, a_6 :

$$\sum_{i=0}^6 a_i \cos^i\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = 0$$

\swarrow variables now \nwarrow real # / const. / coeff. in \mathbb{R} here

$$\vdots$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^6 a_i \cos^i\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = 0$$

or

$$\begin{array}{l} \cos^0\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) \\ \cos^1\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) \\ \vdots \\ \cos^6\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) \end{array} \longrightarrow \begin{array}{c} \text{matrix} \\ \left(\begin{array}{cccccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{3}{4} & \dots & \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^6 \end{array} \right) \begin{pmatrix} a_0 \\ a_1 \\ \vdots \\ a_6 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \end{array}$$

I computed this matrix explicitly and asked
 Matlab ~~Wolfram~~ to row-reduce it: it reduced to the
 identity. Try it! Therefore, $N(A) = \{\vec{0}\} \Rightarrow$
 $a_0 = \dots = a_6 = 0 \Rightarrow$ the functions in β are
lin. indep.

Sec. 4.4 (14) Let $\beta = \{1-t^2, t-t^2, z-2t+t^2\}$
 $\subseteq \mathbb{P}_2$

We are told that β is a basis, but
 let's make sure: if β is linearly indep.,
 it is a basis since $|\beta| = 3$ & $\dim \mathbb{P}_2 = 3$,
 so we just need to check that: suppose

$$a(1-t^2) + b(t-t^2) + c(z-2t+t^2)$$

$$= 0 \leftarrow \text{the zero polynomial,} \\ \text{identically } 0$$

$$\implies (a+zc) \cdot 1 + (b-zc) \cdot t + (-a-b+c) t^2 \\ = 0$$

Now, $\sigma = (1, t, t^2)$ is the standard basis
 for \mathbb{P}_2 , so is linearly indep., which means

$$\begin{aligned} a + 2c &= 0 \\ b - 2c &= 0 \\ -a - b + c &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{I+III} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\xrightarrow{II+III} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\xrightarrow{\frac{1}{3}III} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \xrightarrow{-2III+I} \\ \xrightarrow{2III+II} \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$\Rightarrow a=b=c=0$, & β is lin. indep.,
so a basis for \mathbb{P}_2 . OK, now to ~~the~~

$$p(t) = 3 + t - 6t^2$$

Since

$$[p]_{\mathcal{O}} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix} \text{ \& } b_1(t) = 1 - t^2$$

$$b_2(t) = t - t^2$$

$$b_3(t) = 2 - 2t + t^2$$

$$\Rightarrow M_{\beta\sigma} = \begin{pmatrix} | & | & | \\ [b_1]_{\sigma} & [b_2]_{\sigma} & [b_3]_{\sigma} \\ | & | & | \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ -1 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

We have

$$[P]_{\beta} = M_{\sigma\beta} [P]_{\sigma}$$

$$= M_{\beta\sigma}^{-1} [P]_{\sigma}$$

used Wolfram \rightarrow

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -2 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ -3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{p = 7b_1 - 3b_2 - 2b_2}$$

Let's verify: $7b_1(t) - 3b_2(t) - 2b_2(t)$

$$= 7(1-t^2) - 3(t-t^2) - 2(2-2t+t^2)$$

$$= (7-4) \cdot 1 + (-3+4)t + (-7+3-2)t^2$$

$$= 3+t-6t^2 = p(t) \quad \checkmark$$

$$(28) \quad \text{Let } p_1(t) = 1 - 2t^2 - t^3$$

$$p_2(t) = t + 2t^3$$

$$p_3(t) = 1 + t - 2t^2$$

be in $\mathbb{P}_3 \cong \mathbb{R}^4$, and let $\sigma = (1, t, t^2, t^3)$

be the standard basis in \mathbb{P}_3 , so that

$$[p_1]_{\sigma} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$[p_2]_{\sigma} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$[p_3]_{\sigma} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Since

$$\varphi_{\sigma} : \mathbb{P}_3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4, \quad p \mapsto \varphi_{\sigma}(p) = [p]_{\sigma}$$

is a linear isomorphism, (Thm. 5.26, Abstract Vector Spaces), it preserves linear independence (Thm. 5.15, \uparrow), so

P_1, P_2, P_3 are linearly indep. in \mathbb{P}_3

$\iff [P_1]_{\sigma}, [P_2]_{\sigma}, [P_3]_{\sigma}$ are lin.
indep. in \mathbb{R}^4

$\iff \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ are lin. indep.
in \mathbb{R}^4

$\iff a[P_1]_{\sigma} + b[P_2]_{\sigma} + c[P_3]_{\sigma} = \vec{0}$
 $\implies a=b=c=0$

$\iff \begin{pmatrix} | & | & | \\ [P_1]_{\sigma} & [P_2]_{\sigma} & [P_3]_{\sigma} \\ | & | & | \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\implies \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$\iff N(A) = \{\vec{0}\}, A = \begin{pmatrix} | & | & | \\ [P_1]_{\sigma} & [P_2]_{\sigma} & [P_3]_{\sigma} \\ | & | & | \end{pmatrix}$

Well, $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ -2 & 0 & -2 \\ -1 & 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow[\text{I+IV}]{2\text{I+III}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow[\text{-IV+II}]{\frac{1}{2}\text{IV}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$\xrightarrow[\text{dim I} \leftrightarrow \text{IV}]{\text{II} \leftrightarrow \text{III}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{-III+IV}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow \text{last rank } 3$

$\implies \dim N(A) = 0$

so $N(A) = \{ \vec{0} \}$ if $a=b=0$, making P_1, P_2, P_3
lin. indep.

Sec. 4.5

$$(34) \quad (a) \quad \beta = (1, \cos t, \cos^2 t, \cos^3 t, \cos^4 t, \\ \cos^5 t, \cos^6 t)$$

$$\gamma = (1, \cos t, \cos 2t, \cos 3t, \cos 4t, \cos 5t, \cos 6t)$$

and

$$\cos 2t = -1 + 2\cos^2 t$$

$$\cos 3t = -3\cos t + 4\cos^3 t$$

$$\cos 4t = 1 - 8\cos^2 t + 8\cos^4 t$$

$$\cos 5t = 5\cos t - 20\cos^3 t + 16\cos^5 t$$

$$\cos 6t = -1 + 18\cos^2 t - 48\cos^4 t + 32\cos^6 t$$

which tell us that, along w/ $1=1$ & $\cos t = \cos t$,

$$M_{\gamma\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} | & & | \\ [c_0]_{\beta} & \dots & [c_6]_{\beta} \\ | & & | \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -3 & 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & -8 & 0 & 0 & 18 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4 & 0 & -20 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 8 & 0 & -48 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 16 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 32 \end{pmatrix}$$

and, being upper triangular, satisfies

$$\det M_{\gamma\beta} = 1 \cdot 1 \cdot 2 \cdot 4 \cdot 8 \cdot 16 \cdot 32 \neq 0$$

$$\implies M_{\gamma\beta} \in GL(7, \mathbb{R})$$

\implies the columns of $M_{\gamma\beta}$ form a basis for \mathbb{R}^7 ,

so in particular are linearly indep

$$\begin{aligned} \implies c_0 &= 1 \\ c_1 &= \cos t \\ &\vdots \\ c_6 &= \cos 6t \end{aligned}$$

are linearly indep.

bec. $\varphi_{\beta} : \mathbb{H} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^7$ is an isom., whence so is $\varphi_{\beta}^{-1} : \mathbb{R}^7 \rightarrow \mathbb{H}$

and isomorphisms preserve
linear independence, &
also bases!

(b) Since γ is also a basis, $\varphi_\gamma: H \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^7$ is
an isomorphism, so

$$\begin{array}{ccc} H & \xrightarrow{\varphi_\gamma \circ \varphi_\beta^{-1}} & H \\ & \searrow \varphi_\beta^{-1} & \nearrow \varphi_\gamma \\ & \mathbb{R}^7 & \end{array}$$

$\varphi_\gamma \circ \varphi_\beta^{-1} \in GL(H)$ (an isomorphism
fr. H to H)

and therefore ~~maps~~ sends bases (β)
to bases (γ) (Thm. 5.19, 'Abstract
Vector Spaces' notes).

Sec. 4.7 (18) Let T be the linear transformation of integration on H , $TF(t) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \int f(t) dt$,
 indefinite

Write/represent

$$f(t) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} 5 \cos^3 t - 6 \cos^4 t + 5 \cos^5 t - 12 \cos^6 t$$

in β :

$$\begin{aligned} [f]_{\beta} &= 5\vec{e}_4 - 6\vec{e}_5 + 5\vec{e}_6 - 12\vec{e}_7 \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 5 \\ -6 \\ 5 \\ -12 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^7 \end{aligned}$$

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} [f]_{\gamma} &= M_{\beta\gamma} [f]_{\beta} \\ &= \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -3 & 0 & 5 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 & -8 & 6 & 18 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & 4 & 0 & -20 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 8 & 0 & -48 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 16 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 32 \end{array} \right) \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 5 \\ -6 \\ 5 \\ -12 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Plugging into Wolfram we get

$$M_{\beta\gamma}^{-1} = M_{\gamma\beta} = \frac{1}{32} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc|c} 32 & 0 & 16 & 0 & 12 & 0 & 10 \\ 0 & 32 & 0 & 24 & 0 & 20 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 16 & 0 & 16 & 0 & 15 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & 8 & 0 & 10 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 4 & 0 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\gamma = T(\beta) \iff [T]_{\beta\gamma} = M_{\beta\gamma} \in GL(7, \mathbb{R})$$

for some $T \in \mathcal{L}(H)$

$$\iff T = I \text{ on } H \quad (\text{see "Bases \& Coords" notes})$$