

Last time: eigenvalues and eigenvectors

Today: midterm review.

Review Problems:

$$7. (a). \quad d: P_3 \rightarrow P_3 \quad \text{"diff"}: \quad d(\underbrace{a_0 + a_1 t + a_2 t^2 + a_3 t^3}_{\downarrow}) \\ = \underbrace{0 + a_1 + 2a_2 t + 3a_3 t^2}.$$

Why is  $d$  linear: check  $d(f+g) = d(f) + d(g)$ , i.e.,  $\underbrace{(f+g)'}_{(i)} = f' + g'$   $\forall f, g \in P_3$   
 $d(cf) = c \cdot d(f)$ , i.e.,  $\underbrace{(cf)'}_{(ii)} = c \cdot f'$   $c \in \mathbb{R}$ .

(i) & (ii) hold by calculus, so  $d$  is linear.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(b). } \ker(d) &= \{ f : d(f) = 0 \} = \left\{ a_0 + a_1 t + a_2 t^2 + a_3 t^3 \mid \begin{array}{l} a_1 + 2a_2 t + 3a_3 t^2 \\ 0 \end{array} \right\} \\
 &= \left\{ a_0 + a_1 t + a_2 t^2 + a_3 t^3 \mid a_1 = 0, a_2 = 0, a_3 = 0 \right\} \\
 &= \left\{ a_0 \mid a_0 \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \equiv \{ \text{the constant polynomials} \}.
 \end{aligned}$$

So  $\ker(d)$  consists of exactly all the constant poly. in  $\mathbb{P}_3$ .

The set  $\{1\}$  is a basis of  $\ker(d)$  since it spans (any constant poly  $c$  is  $c \cdot 1$ ) and is lin ind (...).  $\widehat{\ker(d)}$

So the dim. of  $\ker(d)$  is 1.

(c). similar.

(d). Recall that  $P_3$  has a standard basis  $\beta = \{1, t, t^2, t^3\}$ .

So  $B = \{v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4\}$  is a basis in  $P_3$

$$\downarrow \\ [ \ ]_{\beta}: P_3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4 \\ \text{eg. } 2+t \mapsto \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Then  $B' = \{ [v_1]_{\beta}, [v_2]_{\beta}, [v_3]_{\beta}, [v_4]_{\beta} \}$  is a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^4$ .

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check whether this is true using any method we've covered.

(e). Note that  $[g]_{\beta} = [g]_{\{v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4\}} = \begin{bmatrix} [g]_{\beta} \\ \begin{bmatrix} -10 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix} \{ \underline{[v_1]_{\beta}}, \underline{[v_2]_{\beta}}, \underline{[v_3]_{\beta}}, \underline{[v_4]_{\beta}} \}.$

8. (a). Use your favorite criterion for basis status.

e.g.  $[b_1 | b_2] = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -3 \\ 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\rightarrow \det \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -3 \\ 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = 7 \times 1 - (-3) \times 5 = 22 \neq 0.$

so  $B = \{b_1, b_2\} \Rightarrow$  a basis.

(b).  $\prod_{c \leftarrow B}$ : use our algorithm  $\left[ c_1 | c_2 \mid b_1 | b_2 \right] \xrightarrow{\text{red.}} \left[ \begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 0 & & \\ 0 & 1 & & \end{array} \mid M \right]$

(c).  $\prod_{B \leftarrow C}$  using (b):  $\prod_{B \leftarrow C} = \left( \prod_{c \leftarrow B} \right)^{-1}.$

$\Downarrow$   
 $M = \prod_{c \leftarrow B}.$

$\downarrow$  if not required to use (b), can apply the same alg on  $\left[ b_1 | b_2 \mid c_1 | c_2 \right].$

(d).  $C, [V]_C \rightarrow V$ , easy :  $V = 1 \cdot C_1 + 3 \cdot C_2 = 1 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} + 3 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

$v, B \rightarrow [V]_B$ , hard, but there are two possible methods here.

(1). Solve the system w/ any matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} b_1 & | & b_2 & | & v \end{bmatrix}$

$$x \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(2).  $[V]_B = \underset{\substack{P \\ B \leftarrow C \\ \text{(c)}}}{\underline{\underline{}}}$   $[V]_C = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ -5 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ .

6. (a). state the necessary conditions.



(b). verify the conditions for  $\text{Im } T$ .

(i) "has zero": Recall that since  $T$  is linear, we must have

$$T(0_V) = \underline{0_W}$$

so  $0_W \in \text{Im } T$ .

(ii), "closure under addition": suppose  $w_1, w_2 \in \text{Im } T$ . Then

$w_1 = T(v_1)$ ,  $w_2 = T(v_2)$  for some  $v_1, v_2 \in V$ , so  $w_1 + w_2 = T(v_1) + T(v_2) \stackrel{\text{by linearity}}{=} T(v_1 + v_2)$

so  $w_1 + w_2 \in \text{Im } T$ . (iii), "closure under scaling", similar...  $\uparrow$