

Linear Algebra and Matrix Analysis

Space Vector

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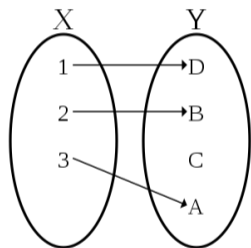
Field (corps commutatif) | Recall

Set K provided with operations of **addition** $(+)$ ($K \times K \rightarrow K$) and **multiplication** \cdot ($K \times K \rightarrow K$), satisfying the field axioms ($\forall a, b, c \in K$):

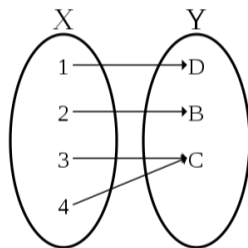
- Addition associativity: $a + (b + c) = (a + b) + c$
- Multiplication associativity: $a \cdot (b \cdot c) = (a \cdot b) \cdot c$
- Addition commutativity: $a + b = b + a$
- Multiplication commutativity: $a \cdot b = b \cdot a$
- Additive identity: $a + 0 = a$
- Multiplicative identity: $a \cdot 1 = a$
- Additive inverse: $a + (-a) = 0$
- Multiplicative inverse: $a \cdot a^{-1} = 1, \quad \forall a \neq 0$
- Distributivity of multiplication over addition: $a \cdot (b + c) = (a \cdot b) + (a \cdot c)$

Injection, Bijection, Surjection

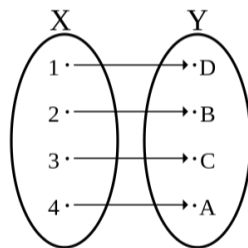
X : Domain, Y : Co-domain



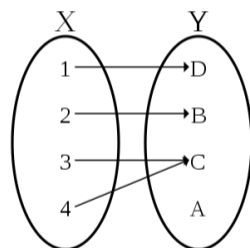
Injection



Surjection



Bijection



General case

Support

Subset of the domain containing the elements that are not mapped to zero.

$$\mathit{Supp}(f) = \{x \in X \quad \text{s.t.} \quad f(x) \neq 0\}.$$

Finite support

Vector Space | Definition

A **Set** E is a **Vector Space** over a **Field** K (e.g., \mathbb{R} if it has two **operations**: $+$ and \cdot s.t.:

- **Addition** $+$: $E \times E \rightarrow E, \forall u, v, w \in E$
 - **Associative**: $u + (v + w) = (u + v) + w$
 - **Commutative**: $u + v = v + u$
 - **Additive identity element** 0_E : $u + 0_E = u$ (zero vector)
 - **Additive inverse element**: $u + (-u) = 0$
- **Scalar multiplication** \cdot : $K \times E \rightarrow E, \forall k, k_1, k_2 \in K$
 - **Distributivity w.r.t** E : $k \cdot (u + v) = k \cdot u + k \cdot v$
 - **Distributivity w.r.t** K : $(k_1 + k_2) \cdot u = k_1 \cdot u + k_2 \cdot u$
 - **Associative**: $k_1 \cdot (k_2 \cdot u) = (k_1 \cdot k_2) \cdot u$
 - **Scalar multiplicative identity**: $1 \cdot u = u$

Examples

- K is a vector space over K .
- \mathbb{C} is a vector space over \mathbb{R} .
- The set of continuous functions C^0 is a vector space over \mathbb{R} .

Exercise

Let $E = \mathbb{R}_+ = \{x \in \mathbb{R} | x > 0\}$, provided with the inner addition operator \oplus defined as $a \oplus b = ab$, for all $a, b \in E$. And let the scalar multiplication law \otimes defined as $\lambda \otimes a = a^\lambda$, for all $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ and all $a \in E$. Show that E provided with these two laws is a vector space over \mathbb{R} .

Subspace

E vector space over K . $F \subseteq E$ is a **subspace** of E if:

- $F \neq \emptyset$
- $\forall u, v \in F; u + v \in F$
- $\forall k \in K, u \in F; k \cdot v \in F$

Examples

- E is a subspace of E .
- $\{0_E\}$ is a subspace of E .
- $0_E \in F$ for all subspace $F \subseteq E$.
- If $x \in E$ and $x \neq 0_E$, then $\{\lambda \cdot x \mid \lambda \in K\}$ is a subspace.
- If F and G are subspaces of E then $F \cap G$ is a subspace of E .

Exercises

Which sets E_1, \dots, E_4 are subspaces of \mathbb{R}^3 . Compute their dimensionality.

① $E_1 = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x + y - z = x + y + z = 0\}$.

② $E_2 = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x^2 - y^2 = 0\}$.

③ $E_3 = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid e^x e^y = 0\}$.

④ $E_4 = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid z(x^2 + y^2) = 0\}$.

Linear transformation

Let E and F be two vector spaces over K . A function $f : E \rightarrow F$ is a **Linear transformation** of:

$$f(x + y) = f(x) + f(y) \quad \forall x, y \in E \quad (1)$$

$$f(\lambda x) = \lambda f(x) \quad \forall x \in E, \lambda \in K \quad (2)$$

- **Isomorphism:** Bijective linear transformation.
- Inverse of an isomorphism is also a linear transformation.
- **Endomorphism:** Linear transformation from E to E .
- **automorphism:** Bijective endomorphism.

Kernel

E and F vector spaces over K , and $f : E \rightarrow F$ a linear mapping. the **Kernel** of f is the set:

$$\ker f = \{x \in E \mid f(x) = 0_E\} \quad (3)$$

$$0_E \in \ker f, \quad \text{i.e.,} \quad f(0_E) = 0_F \quad \forall f \quad (4)$$

Examples

- $id_E(x) = x \quad \forall x \in E$ is an automorphism
- If $f : E \rightarrow F$ is a linear mapping, then $x \rightarrow \lambda f(x)$ is also a linear mapping
- If $g : E \rightarrow F$ is a linear mapping, then $x \rightarrow f(x) + g(x)$ is a linear mapping (denoted $f + g$).
- $\mathcal{L}_K(E, F)$, the set of linear mappings from E to F is a vector space over K .

Exercice

- Prove the previous examples
- Give an example of surjective endomorphism.
- Give an example of injective endomorphism

Indexed Family

- E vector space over K
- I a set (index).
- **Indexed family:** $(x_i)_{i \in I}$
mapping $i \rightarrow x_i$ from I to E

Subfamily

Family $(y_j)_{j \in J}$ is a **subfamily** of $(x_i)_{i \in I}$ if:

- $J \subset I$
- $y_j = x_j$ for all $j \in J$.

Free family

Family $(x_i)_{i \in I}$ is **free** if $\forall (\lambda_i)_{i \in I}, \lambda_i \in K$, with **finite support**:

$$\sum_{i \in I} \lambda_i x_i = 0 \quad \implies \quad \lambda_i = 0, \quad \forall i \in I \quad (5)$$

(linearly independent)

Generating family

Family $(x_i)_{i \in I}$ is a **generating set** if:

$\forall x \in E, \quad \exists (\lambda_i \in K)_{i \in I},$ with finite support, s.t.:

$$x = \sum_{i \in I} \lambda_i x_i. \tag{6}$$

Basis

Family $(x_i)_{i \in I}$ is a **base** of E if it is **free** and **generating**

- $(x_i)_{i \in I}$ are **linearly independent** and every $x \in E$ is a **linear combination** of $(x_i)_{i \in I}$.
- $\forall x \in E: \exists!(\lambda_i \in K)_{i \in I}$, with finite supp., s.t., $x = \sum_{i \in I} \lambda_i x_i$.
- λ_i est the **coordinate of x** in $(x_i)_{i \in I}$.

Equivalent Conditions

E vector space over K , $\mathcal{B} = (b_i)_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}}$ family of E .

The following statements are equivalent:

- i) \mathcal{B} is a **basis**.
- ii) \mathcal{B} is a **minimal generating** set of E (No proper subfamily is generating)
- iii) \mathcal{B} is a **maximal set of linearly independent vectors** of E (no other linearly independent set contains it as a proper subset).

Incomplete Basis Theorem

E vector space over K .

$(g_i)_{i \in I}$ **finite generating set**.

$(\ell_j)_{j \in J}$ **linearly independent** finite **subfamily** of g .

Then ℓ is a subfamily finite basis \mathcal{B} of E , subfamily of g .

A basis is the:

- Smallest generating set (if one element is removed \rightarrow no longer generating)
- Largest linearly independent family (if one element x is added, $\rightarrow x$ is a linear combination of the basis)

Dimension

E v.s. over K , s.t., E has a **finite generating family**.

- i) E has a basis \mathcal{B} indexed by a **finite set** and the **cardinal** of this set (nb. of elements) is $\text{card } \mathcal{B}$.
- ii) If \mathcal{B}' is another basis of E , $\text{card } \mathcal{B}' = \text{card } \mathcal{B}$. (dimension theorem)

$\text{card } \mathcal{B}$ is the **dimension of E over K** , termed $\boxed{\dim_K E}$.

If $E = \{0\}$ then: $\dim_K E = 0$, .

Alternative Basis Definition

E v.s. over K , s.t. $\dim_K E = n$; \mathcal{B} finite family of E . \mathcal{B} is a basis of E if two properties of these properties are true.

- i) $\text{card } \mathcal{B} = n$.
- ii) \mathcal{B} is a **linearly independent** family E .
- iii) \mathcal{B} is a **generating set** of E .

Isomorphic Vector Space

E and F v.s. over K with finite basis. The following statements are equivalent:

- i) E and F are isomorphic (\exists an isomorphism from E to F).
- ii) $\dim_K E = \dim_K F$.

Finite v.s., differing by an isomorphism, are classified by their dimension $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

Existence of a basis

Let E be a v.s. over K (not necessarily finite), and let $(e_i)_{i \in I}$ be a linearly independent family of E .

Then $(e_i)_{i \in I}$ is a subfamily of $(f_j)_{j \in J}$ which is linearly independent and generating.

Then E has a basis.

Dimension of linear applications

- E and F finite s.v. over K , s.t. $\dim_K E = n \geq 1$ and $\dim_K F = p \geq 1$, with basis $(e_i)_n$ et $(f_j)_p$ resp.
- $\mathcal{L}(E, F)$ the v.s. of linear applications from E to F

The family of applications:

$$(f_{ji})_{p,n} = \begin{cases} f_{ji}(e_i) = f_j \\ f_{ji}(e_{i' \neq i}) = 0 \end{cases}$$

Is a base of $\mathcal{L}(E, F)$, and $\dim_K \mathcal{L}(E, F) = \dim_K E \cdot \dim_K F$

Matrix representation

- E and F finite s.v. over K , s.t. $\dim_K E = n$ and $\dim_K F = p$, with basis $(e_i)_n$ et $(f_j)_p$ resp.
- $f : E \rightarrow F$ linear transformation s.t.:

$$f(e_i) = \sum_{j=1}^p a_{ji} f_j. \quad (7)$$

The **matrix of f in the basis $(e_i)_n$ and $(f_j)_p$** , $\text{Mat}(f, (e_i)_n, (f_j)_p)$ is the family $(a_{ji} \in K)_{(j,i) \in [1,p] \times [1,n]}$.

$$\text{Mat}(f, (e_i)_n, (f_j)_p) = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & & & \\ \vdots & & & \\ a_{p1} & a_{p2} & \dots & a_{pn} \end{pmatrix} \quad (8)$$

Matrix Vector Space

Linear mapping on a finite v.s. \rightarrow **matrix** representation.

Let $M_{p,n}(K)$ ($M_n(K)$ if $p = n$) be the set of $n \times p$ **matrices** with values in K .

Providing **addition** and **multiplication by a scalar** s.t.:

- $[a_{ji}] + [b_{ji}] = [a_{ji} + b_{ji}]$.
- $\lambda[a_{ji}] = [\lambda a_{ji}]$, for $\lambda \in K$

Then $M_{p,n}(K)$ is a **vector space** over K .

Matrix Multiplication

Matrices $A \in M_{p,n}(K)$ and $B \in M_{n,\ell}(K)$

Their **matrix multiplication** $AB = C \in M_{p,\ell}(K)$ is s.t.:

$$c_{jk} = \sum_{i=1}^n a_{ji} b_{ik}. \quad (9)$$

Vectors

Vector: matrix with 1 columns $x \in M_{n,1}(K)$.

If $M \in M_{p,n}(K)$, then the product $Mx \in M_{p,1}$ is a vector.

The transformation $x \rightarrow Mx$ is a linear mapping from $M_{n,1}(K)$ to $M_{p,1}(K)$.

$M_{n,1}(K)$ and $M_{p,1}(K)$ are isomorph to K^n K^p , and the mapping is denoted as $\hat{M} : K^n \rightarrow K^p$.

Summary

In finite dimensions:

- **Linear mappings : matrices**
- **Elements of the v.s.: vectors**
- **Transformation of an element: product of a matrix by a vector.**

Rank Theorem

E and F v.s; and $f : E \rightarrow F$ linear transformation.

Suppose that E has a finite dimension.

Then: $\text{Im } f \equiv f(E)$ has a finite dimension s.t.

$$\dim_K(\text{Im } f) + \dim_K(\ker f) = \dim_K E$$

The dimension of $f(E)$, is called the **rank of f** and is noted $\text{Rank } f$.

Corollary

E and F , v.s. over K s.t. $\dim_K E$ et $\dim_K F$ finite, and $f : E \rightarrow F$ linear application, then:

- Rank $f = \dim_K E$ iff f is **injective**.
- Rank $f = \dim_K F$ iff f is **surjective**.
- If $\dim_K E = \dim_K F$, the following properties are equivalent:
 - i) f is **injective**.
 - ii) f is **surjective**.
 - iii) f is **bijective**.

Transpose

Let $A \in M_{p,n}(K)$ is a matrix $p \times n$. The **transpose** of A , called tA or \bar{A} , is a matrix $[b_{ij}]_{ij} \in M_{n,p}(K)$, s.t.: $b_{ij} = a_{ji}$.

- ${}^t(A + B) = {}^tA + {}^tB$, ${}^t(\lambda A) = \lambda {}^tA$, ${}^t(AC) = {}^tC {}^tA$
- ${}^t({}^tA) = A$
- A square matrix $A \in M_n K$ is **symmetric** if ${}^tA = A$.
- $\text{Rank } A = \text{Rank } {}^tA$

Definition

$A = [a_{ij}]_{ij} \in M_n(K)$; a $n \times n$ Matrix.

Determinant of A : $\det A$ is the scalar:

$$\det A = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & \dots & a_{nn} \end{vmatrix} = \sum_{\sigma \in \text{perm}(n)} \text{sgn}(\sigma) a_{\sigma(1)1} a_{\sigma(2)2} \dots a_{\sigma(n)n} \quad (10)$$

Where the **signature** of a permutation σ is

$$\text{sgn}(\sigma) = \begin{cases} 1; & \text{for } \sigma \text{ even (prod. of even nb. of transpositions)} \\ -1; & \text{For } \sigma \text{ odd (prod. of odd nb. of transpositions)} \end{cases}$$

Properties

- 1 $\det I = 1$.
- 2 $\det A = \det {}^t A$.
- 3 $\det[C_1 | \dots | \lambda C_j | \dots | C_n] = \lambda \det C$
where C_i are columns of C (idem for rows).
- 4 $\det[C_{\sigma(1)} \dots C_{\sigma(n)}] = \text{sgn}(\sigma) \det C$ (idem for rows).
- 5 If $\exists C_i = \sum_{j \neq i} \lambda_j C_j$ then $\det C = 0$ (idem for rows).
- 6 $\det[C_1 | \dots | aC'_i + C''_i | \dots | C_n] = a \det[C_1 | \dots | C'_i | \dots | C_n] + \det[C_1 | \dots | C''_i | \dots | C_n]$
- 7 $\det[C_{\sigma(1)} | \dots | C_{\sigma(i)} + \sum_{j \neq i} \lambda_j C_j | \dots | C_{\sigma(n)}] = \det C$
- 8 A s.t. $a_{i1} = 0$ for $i \geq 2$ and $B = [b_{ij}]$ s.t. $b_{ij} = a_{i+1, j+1}$; then $\det A = a_{11} \det B$.
- 9 $\det AB = \det BA = \det A \det B$.
- 10 A invertible iff $\det A \neq 0$.

Laplace's formula

Expresses the determinant of a matrix in terms of its **minors**.

Let $A = [a_{ij}]_{ij} \in M(K)$. then:

$$\det A = \sum_{k=1}^n (-1)^{k+j} a_{kj} \det A_{\neq k, \neq j} \quad (11)$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^n (-1)^{i+k} a_{ik} \det A_{\neq i, \neq k}. \quad (12)$$

Corollary

Let $A \in M(K)$ be a block triangular matrix:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} A_1 & & & \\ 0 & A_2 & & \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & A_r \end{bmatrix}. \quad (13)$$

Then $\det A = \prod_{i=1}^r \det A_i$.