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Class : SYBSc (Semester IV) 2020-21  
Subject : Mathematics Practical IV (19ScMatU404)  
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Practical No. 1 : Vector Space and Subspace

1. Let  $V = \mathbb{R}^+$ . For  $x, y \in V$  and for  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ , define  $x + y = x \cdot y$  and  $\alpha x = x^\alpha$ . Show that  $V$  is a vector space over  $\mathbb{R}$ .
2. Show that  $W = \{f | f(3) = 0\}$  is a subspace of the vector space  $V$  of all real valued functions.
3. Write the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  as the linear combination of the matrices  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ .
4. Show that the vectors  $(1, 1, 1), (0, 1, 1), (0, 1, -1)$  generate  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .
5. Determine whether the matrices  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ -2 & -3 & -4 \\ 7 & 12 & 17 \end{bmatrix}$  have the same column space.
6. Let  $U = \{(a, b, c) | a = b = c\}$  and  $W = \{(0, b, c)\}$  be the subspaces of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Show that  $\mathbb{R}^3 = U \oplus W$ .

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Practical No. 2 : Basis and Dimension of Vector Space

1. Determine whether or not the vectors  $(1, -2, 1), (2, 1, -1), (7, -4, 1)$  in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  are linearly dependent.
2. Show that the vectors  $(1, 1, 1), (1, 2, 3), (2, -1, 1)$  form a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .
3. Find the dimension and the basis of the solution space  $W$  of the system

$$\begin{aligned}x + 2y + 2z - r + 3s &= 0 \\x + 2y + 3z + r + s &= 0 \\3x + 6y + 8z + r + 5s &= 0\end{aligned}$$

4. Find the coordinate vector of  $v = (4, -3, 2)$  relative to the basis  $\{(1, 1, 1), (1, 1, 0), (1, 0, 0)\}$  of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

5. Find the rank and the nullity of a matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ -2 & -1 & 3 \\ -1 & 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ .

6. Let  $W$  be the space generated by the polynomials  $u = t^3 + 2t^2 - 2t + 1$ ,  $v = t^3 + 3t^2 - t + 4$  and  $w = 2t^3 + t^2 - 7t - 7$ .  
Find a basis and the dimension of  $W$ .

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Practical No. 3 : Linear Transformation I

1. Show that a map  $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by  $T(x, y) = (x - y, 2x + y)$  is a linear transformation.
2. Determine whether a map  $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by  $T(x, y) = (x, y^2)$  is a linear transformation.
3. Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be the linear mapping for which  $T(1, 1) = 3$  and  $T(0, 1) = -2$ . Find  $T(x, y)$  and hence compute  $T(2, 3)$ .
4. Let  $T_1 : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  and  $T_2 : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be linear transformations defined by  $T_1(x, y) = (x + y, y)$  and  $T_2(x, y) = (2x, y, x + y)$  respectively. Find  $T_1 \circ T_1$  and  $T_2 \circ T_1$ . Is it possible to find  $T_1 \circ T_2$ ?
5. Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be defined by  $T(x, y, z) = (x + y, y + z, z + x)$ . Show that  $T$  is a linear isomorphism. Hence find  $T^{-1}$ .
6. Show that a linear transformation  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by  $T(x, y, z) = (y, x + y - z)$  is surjective but not injective. Also find kernel of  $T$ .

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Practical No. 4 : Linear Transformation II

1. Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be the linear mapping defined by  
 $T(x, y, z) = (x + 2y - z, y + z, x + y - 2z)$ .  
Find a basis and the dimension of (i) Range of  $T$ , and (ii) Kernel of  $T$ .
2. Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -3 & 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$  be the matrix of a linear map  $T : \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ .  
Find the image and the kernel of  $T$ . Also verify the dimension theorem for  $T$ .
3. Let  $T$  be the linear operator on  $\mathbb{R}^3$  defined by  $T(x, y, z) = (2y + z, x - 4y, 3x)$ .  
Find the matrix of  $T$  in the basis  $\{(1, 1, 1), (1, 1, 0), (1, 0, 0)\}$ .
4. Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be the linear operator defined by  $T(x, y) = (2x - 3y, x + 4y)$ .  
Find the matrix of  $T$  in the bases  $\{(1, 0), (0, 1)\}$  and  $\{(1, 3), (2, 5)\}$ .
5. Let  $E = \{(1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 1)\}$  and  $F = \{(1, 1, 1), (1, 1, 0), (1, 0, 0)\}$  be the bases of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Then
  - (a) Find the transition matrix  $P$  from  $E$  to  $F$ .
  - (b) Find the transition matrix  $Q$  from  $F$  to  $E$ . Is  $Q = P^{-1}$ ?
  - (c) If  $v = (1, 2, 3)$  then show that  $[v]_F = Q[v]_E$ . Is this true for any vector  $v \in \mathbb{R}^3$ ?
  - (d) If  $A$  and  $B$  are the matrices of  $T$  defined by  $T(x, y, z) = (2y + z, x - 4y, 3x)$  with respect to  $E$  and  $F$  respectively, then verify that  $B = P^{-1}AP$ .

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Practical No. 5 : Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors

1. Find the characteristic polynomial, the eigenvalues, the eigenvectors and the eigenspaces corresponding to each eigenvalue of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} -3 & 1 & -1 \\ -7 & 5 & -1 \\ -6 & 6 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ .
2. Verify Cayley-Hamilton theorem for the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ .
3. Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ . Find an invertible matrix  $P$  such that  $P^{-1}AP$  is diagonal.
4. Determine whether the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  is diagonalizable.
5. Find all eigenvalues and a basis of each eigenspace of the operator  $T$  on  $\mathbb{R}^3$  defined by  $T(x, y, z) = (2x + y, y - z, 2y + 4z)$ .
6. Find the minimum polynomial of the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ .

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Practical No. 6 : Inner Product Space

1. Verify that the following is an inner product in  $\mathbb{R}^2$ .  
 $\langle u, v \rangle = x_1y_1 - x_1y_2 - x_2y_1 + 3x_2y_2$ , where  $u = (x_1, x_2), v = (y_1, y_2)$ .
2. Find norm of each and the distance between  $u = (1, 1, -1)$  and  $v = (-1, 1, 0)$  with respect to the usual Euclidean dot product of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .  
Also verify the parallelogram law :  $\|u + v\| + \|u - v\| = 2\|u\| + 2\|v\|$ .
3. Let  $V$  be the vector space of polynomials with inner product given by  
 $\langle f, g \rangle = \int_0^1 f(t)g(t)dt$ . Let  $f(t) = t + 2$  and  $g(t) = t^2 - 2t - 3$ .  
Find  $\langle f, g \rangle$ ,  $\|f\|$  and  $\|g\|$ .
4. Let  $u = (1, -2, 2), v = (0, -3, 4) \in \mathbb{R}^3$ . Then find
  - (a) An angle between  $u$  and  $v$ .
  - (b) A unit vector orthogonal to  $u$  and  $v$ .
  - (c) An orthogonal projection of  $u$  along  $v$ .
5. Let  $W$  be the subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^5$  spanned by  $(1, 2, 3, -1, 2)$  and  $(2, 4, 7, 2, -1)$ .  
Find a basis of the orthogonal complement  $W^\perp$  of  $W$ .
6. Using Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization process, transform the basis
  - (a)  $\{(1, -3), (2, 2)\}$  to an orthonormal basis of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ .
  - (b)  $\{(1, 1, 1), (-1, 1, 0), (1, 2, 1)\}$  to an orthonormal basis of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .
  - (c)  $\{(1, i, 0), (1, 2, 1 - i)\}$  of the subspace  $W$  of  $\mathbb{C}^3$  to an orthonormal basis of  $W$ .