

26.10.06 ① All you can say about lin transformations without fixing a basis.

② Then choose a basis...

Recalls:  $T: V \rightarrow W$  is a "lin. trans." if

1.  $T(0) = 0$

2.  $T(x+y) = T(x) + T(y) \stackrel{\text{claim}}{\Leftrightarrow} T(x+y)$

3.  $T(cx) = cT(x) \Rightarrow \forall c \in F, x, y \in V$   
 $\Leftrightarrow cT(x) + T(y)$

$$T(cx+y) \stackrel{2}{=} T(cx) + T(y) \stackrel{3}{=} cT(x) + T(y)$$

Examples:

①  $0: V \rightarrow W \quad x \in V \quad 0(x) = 0_W$

② (1)  $I_V = I_V$  "The identity transformation of  $V$ "

$$I_V: V \rightarrow V \quad I_V(x) = x$$

$$I_V(cx+y) \stackrel{?}{=} cI_V(x) + I_V(y)$$

$$cx+y \stackrel{!}{=} cx+y$$

Given any linear transformation  $T: V \rightarrow W$

Definition:

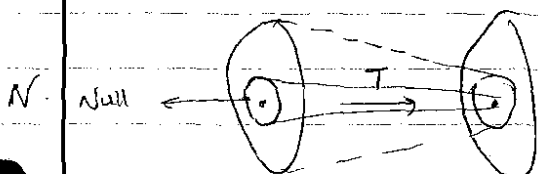
$$N(T) = \text{Ker } T = \begin{array}{l} \text{Null space of } T \\ \text{Kernel of } T \end{array} := \left\{ x \in V \mid T(x) = 0_W \right\}$$

$$N(0) = V \quad N(I_{d_V}) = \{0_V\}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} T: V & \longrightarrow & W \\ \cup & & \cup \\ N(T) & & R(T) \end{array}$$

Intuit

$$R(T) = \text{Im}(T) = \begin{array}{l} \text{range of } T \\ \text{image of } T \end{array} = \left\{ w \in W \mid \begin{array}{l} \exists x \in V \\ \text{s.t. } w = Tx \end{array} \right\} = \{Tx \mid x \in V\}$$



$$R(0) = \{0_W\} \quad R(I_{d_V}) = V$$

Proposition: ①  $N(T)$  is a subspace of  $V$

②  $R(T)$  is a subspace of  $W$

$\frac{1}{2}$  Proof ①  $x, y \in N(T)$

$$T(x) = 0 = T(y)$$

$\downarrow$

$$T(x+y) = T(x) + T(y) = 0 + 0 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x+y \in N(T)$$

$$w_1 = T(x_1)$$

$$w_2 = T(x_2)$$

↑

$\frac{1}{2}$  Prf ②  $w_1, w_2 \in R(T)$  (It means  $\exists x_1 \in V, x_2 \in V$  s.t.  $w_i = T(x_i)$ )

$$\text{So } T(x_1 + x_2) = T(x_1) + T(x_2) = w_1 + w_2$$

hence  $w_1 + w_2 \in R(T)$

Definition:

①  $\dim N(T) =: \text{nullity}(T)$

②  $\dim R(T) =: \text{rank}(T)$

Propositions:

feedback  $f: A \rightarrow B$



①  $f$  is 1-1 if  $f(x) = f(y) \Rightarrow x = y$

$f(g(z)) = z$

②  $f$  is "onto" and 1-1  $\Leftrightarrow f$  is "invertible"  $\exists g: B \rightarrow A$  s.t.  $g(f(x)) = x$

Prop. ①  $\text{Nullity}(T) = 0 \Leftrightarrow T$  is 1-1

②  $\text{Rank}(T) = \dim W \Leftrightarrow T$  is onto

Prf ②  $R(T) \subset W$

$\text{rank } T = \dim R(T) = \dim(W) \Leftrightarrow R(T) = W \Leftrightarrow T$  is onto.

Prf 2  $\Leftarrow$  assume  $T$  is 1-1

Let  $x \in N(T)$ , then  $T(x) = 0 = T(0)$

so  $T(x) = T(0)$ , by 1-1  $\Rightarrow x = 0$

$\Rightarrow N(T) = \{0\} \Rightarrow \text{nullity}(T) = 0$

$\Rightarrow$  assume  $\text{nullity}(T) = 0 \Rightarrow N(T) = \{0\}$

assume  $T(x) = T(y) \Rightarrow T(x) - T(y) = 0$

$$T(x-y) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x-y \in N(T)$$

$$\Rightarrow x-y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x=y \quad \square$$

Thm (The dimension theorem or rank-nullity thm)

only depends on the Domain ( $T$  doesn't depend on the transformations)

$$\text{rank}(T) + \text{nullity}(T) = \dim V$$

Examples:

$$D_{-1}: P_n(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow P_{n-1}(\mathbb{R})$$

$$D_{-1}(P) = P'$$

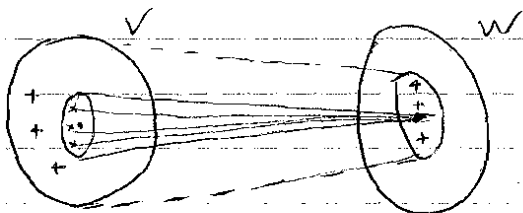
$$D_0 = P_n(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow P_n(\mathbb{R})$$

$$D_0(P) = P'$$

$T$	$N(T)$	nullity $(T)$	$R(T)$	rank $(T)$	$\dim V$
$D_{\rightarrow}$ onto	{constants}	1	$P_{n-1}(\mathbb{R})$ everything	$n$	$n+1$
$D_{\circ}$ not onto	{constants}	1	$P_{n-1}(\mathbb{R})$ not everything	$n$	$n+1$

b/c target is bigger

Proof:



If I want to compute the dim of  $N$  then I need to start with bases. Then I extend this bases (non of the basis is 0) These images form a base for  $R$

$N(T) \subset V$  so  $N(T)$  is . Pick a basis  $\{u_1, \dots, u_k\}$

of  $N(T)$ . By an earlier theorem, you can find  $\{v_1, \dots, v_l\} \in V$  s.t.  $\{u_1, \dots, u_k, v_1, \dots, v_l\}$

is a basis of  $V$ .

claim: let  $w_i = T(v_i)$ . Then  $\{w_i\}$  is a basis of  $R(T)$

If so,  $\dim V = k+l$

$\dim N(T) = k$

$\dim R(T) = l$  and rank-nullity is proven

Proof of Claim:  $\{w_i\}$  span

$$\begin{aligned} R(T) &= \{Tv : v \in V\} = \left\{ T \left( \sum_{i=1}^k a_i u_i + \sum_{i=1}^l b_i v_i \right) \right\} \\ &= \left\{ \sum a_i \underbrace{T(u_i)}_0 + \sum b_i T(v_i) \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \left\{ \sum b_i w_i \right\} = \text{span} \{w_1, \dots, w_l\}$$

$\{w_i\}$  is lin. indep. Assume some  $\sum b_i w_i = 0$

$$T\left(\sum b_i v_i\right) = \sum b_i T(v_i) = \sum b_i w_i = 0$$

$\Rightarrow G = \sum b_i v_i \in N(T)$  therefore,  $\exists a_i$  s.t.  $G = \sum a_i u_i$

$$\sum b_i v_i = G = \sum a_i u_i$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum a_i u_i + \sum (-b_i) v_i = 0$$

but  $\{u_i, v_i\}$  is a basis.

$$\Rightarrow a_i = 0, b_i = 0 \quad \forall i \Rightarrow b_i = 0 \quad \forall i. \quad \square$$

Thm: nullity  $(T) + \text{rank}(T) = \dim V$

Corollary: TFAE (the following are equivalent) when the  $\dim V = \dim W$

$$\& T: V \rightarrow W$$

to say  $T$  is 1-1  $\Leftrightarrow$  nullity  $= 0$

$T$  is onto  $\Leftrightarrow$  rank  $T = \dim V$

2.  $T$  is 1-1

$$1 \Leftrightarrow 2 \Leftrightarrow 3 \Leftrightarrow 4 \Leftrightarrow 5$$

2.  $T$  is onto

$$1 \Leftrightarrow 4$$

3. rank  $T = \dim V$

$$2 \Leftrightarrow 3$$

4. nullity  $T = 0$

$$1 \Rightarrow 2: \text{rank} + \text{nullity} = \dim \\ \text{rank} + 0 = \dim$$

5.  $T$  is invertible

$$\text{rank} = \dim \checkmark (3) \text{ so } 1 \Rightarrow 2 \quad 2 \Rightarrow 1 \Rightarrow 1 \Leftrightarrow 2$$

$$5 \Leftrightarrow 1, 2$$

Thm (challenge):  $T: V \rightarrow W$ ,  $T': V' \rightarrow W'$  s.t.

$$(\dim V, \dim W, \text{rank } T) = (\dim V', \dim W', \text{rank } T')$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} V & \xrightarrow{T} & W \\ \Phi \downarrow & & \downarrow \Psi \\ V' & \xrightarrow{T'} & W' \end{array}$$

then  $\exists$  an isomorphism

$$\Phi: V \rightarrow W$$

$$\Psi: W \rightarrow W' \text{ s.t.}$$

$$\forall v \in V \quad \Psi(T(v)) = T'(\Phi(v))$$