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Vector

The quantity which have both magnitude & direction is called a vector.

Ex:- velocity, acceleration, displacement & a triad of real numbers.

Scalar

The quantity which have only magnitude but no direction is called a scalar.

Ex:- mass, distance, speed, real numbers, all real numbers are scalars.

Scalar multiplication of a vector

Let $\alpha = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3, \dots, \alpha_n)$ be a vector in \mathbb{R}^n . Let m be a scalar then $m\alpha$ is also a vector whose direction is parallel to the direction of α & whose magnitude is $|m|$ times to the magnitude of the vector α .

Here $m\alpha$ is called scalar multiple of α by m .

Addition of vectors

Let $\alpha = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n)$ & $\beta = (\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n)$ are vectors in \mathbb{R}^n . The sum of vectors α, β is defined as $\alpha + \beta = (\alpha_1 + \beta_1, \alpha_2 + \beta_2, \alpha_3 + \beta_3, \dots, \alpha_n + \beta_n)$.

Internal composition

Let V be a non empty set of vectors. A mapping $f: V \times V \rightarrow V$ is called an internal composition in V .

Let V be a non empty set of vectors. If $\alpha \in V$, $\forall \alpha, \beta \in V$ then $\alpha \beta$ is said to be an internal composition in the set V .

External composition

Let V be a nonempty set of vectors and F be a field of scalars. Then the mapping $f: F \times V \rightarrow V$ is called an

external composition in V over F .

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Let V, F are nonempty sets if $a \circ x \in V, \forall a \in F, x \in V$ then \circ is said to be an external composition in V over F .

Here the resulting element $a \circ x$ is an element in V .
Note

Internal composition is also called internal operation
(o \times) binary operation.

External composition is called external operation (o \times)
external binary composition.

Vector space

Let V be the nonempty set of vectors & F be the field of scalars & vector addition is internal composition in V & scalar multiplication is external composition in V over F .

Then V is said to be a vector space over F if it satisfies the following conditions

(i) $(V, +)$ is an abelian group

(ii) Scalar multiplication property holds in V over F
i.e., $a \in F, x \in V \Rightarrow a \circ x \in V$.

The above two compositions satisfies the following properties.

(i) $a(x+y) = ax + ay$

(ii) $(a+b)x = ax + bx$

(iii) $(ab)x = a(bx) = (ax)b$

(iv) $1 \cdot x = x, \forall x, y \in V, a, b, c \in F$

Note

→ Instead of saying V is a vector space over F , we say

that $V(F)$ is a vector space

→ If R is a field of real numbers then $V(R)$ is called the real vector space

→ If C is the field of complex numbers then $V(C)$ is called complex vector space.

Null space (or) zero space

The vector space having only one zero vector $\bar{0}$ is called the zero vector space.

Theorem-1

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space then (i) if $a, b \in F$ and $\alpha \in V, \alpha \neq \bar{0}$ then $a\alpha = b\alpha \Rightarrow a = b$

(ii) if $a \in F, a \neq 0$, and $\alpha, \beta \in V$ then $a\alpha = a\beta \Rightarrow \alpha = \beta$

proof:-

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space

(i) Let $a, b \in F$ and

(ii) Let $a \in F$ and $a \neq 0$

$\alpha \in V, \alpha \neq \bar{0}$

Let $\alpha, \beta \in V$

suppose $a\alpha = b\alpha$

suppose $a\alpha = a\beta$

$$\Rightarrow a\alpha + (-b\alpha) = (b\alpha) + (-b\alpha)$$

$$\Rightarrow a\alpha - a\beta = \bar{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow a\alpha - b\alpha = b\alpha - b\alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow a(\alpha - \beta) = \bar{0}, a \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (a-b)\alpha = \bar{0}, \alpha \neq \bar{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha - \beta = \bar{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow a-b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \beta$$

$$\Rightarrow a = b$$

$$\therefore a\alpha = b\alpha \Rightarrow a = b$$

Examples of vector space

1) The set C_n of all n tuples of complex numbers forms a vector space with respect to addition & scalar multiplication of complex numbers defined as follows.

$$\begin{aligned} 1) \alpha + \beta &= (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n) + (\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n) = (\alpha_1 + \beta_1, \alpha_2 + \beta_2, \dots, \alpha_n + \beta_n) \\ &= (\alpha_1 + \beta_1, \alpha_2 + \beta_2, \dots, \alpha_n + \beta_n), \forall \alpha = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n) \in C_n \\ &\quad \beta = (\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n) \in C_n \end{aligned}$$

$$2) m\alpha = (m\alpha_1, m\alpha_2, \dots, m\alpha_n), \forall m \in C, \alpha \in C_n$$

2) The set of all real valued functions defined in the $(0, 1)$ is a vector space over the field of real numbers.

Let the operations of addition & scalar multiplication defined as follows.

$$1) (f+g)(x) = f(x) + g(x)$$

$$2) (mf)(x) = m f(x), \text{ where } m \in \mathbb{R}$$

3) Let V is the set of all 'm x n' matrices with real entries & \mathbb{R} is the field of real numbers.

Addition of matrices is the internal operation & multiplication of a matrix by a real number is an external composition in V .

Then V is a vector space over the field \mathbb{R} .

1) Let V be the set of all pairs (a, b) of real numbers & \mathbb{R} be the field of real numbers show that the operation $(a_1, b_1) + (a_2, b_2) = (a_1 + a_2, 0)$ & $c(a, b) = (ca, b)$ show that $V(\mathbb{R})$ is not a vector space

Let V be the set of all pairs (a, b) of real numbers

$$\text{i.e. } V = \{(a, b) \mid a, b \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

and \mathbb{R} be the field of real numbers

Given that:

The operations in V defined as

$$(a_1, b_1) + (a_2, b_2) = (a_1 + a_2, 0)$$

and

$$c(a, b) = (ca, b), \forall (a, b), (a_2, b_2) \in V \text{ and } c \in \mathbb{R}$$

Let (x, y) be the identity element in V

$$\text{Then } (a, b) + (x, y) = (a, b)$$

$$\Rightarrow (a+x, 0) = (a, b)$$

$$\Rightarrow b = 0$$

\therefore This is a contradiction

Hence addition of vectors in V is not an internal

composition [i.e. identity does not exist in V]

$\therefore V(\mathbb{R})$ is not a vector space

Vector subspace

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space & $W \subseteq V$. Then W is said to be a subspace of V if W itself is a vector space over the field F with the same operations of vector addition & scalar multiplication in V .

Note

→ Let $V(F)$ be a vector space then the zero space $\{\vec{0}\} \subseteq V$ & $V \subseteq V$

∴ $\{\vec{0}\}$ & V are trivial subspaces of the vector space $V(F)$

→ If $W(F)$ is a subspace of the vector space $V(F)$ then $(W, +)$ is a subgroup of $(V, +)$

Theorem - 2

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^{lem} Let $V(F)$ be a vector space & $W \subseteq V$. Then the necessary & sufficient conditions for W to be a subspace of V are

i) $\alpha \in W, \beta \in W \Rightarrow \alpha - \beta \in W$

ii) $\alpha \in F, \alpha \in W \Rightarrow \alpha \alpha \in W$

Proof:-

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space and

$$W \subseteq V \text{ [i.e. } W \text{ is a subset of } V]$$

we have to prove that

W is a subspace of $V(F) \Leftrightarrow W$ satisfies two conditions

1) $\alpha \in W, \beta \in W \Rightarrow \alpha - \beta \in W$

2) $\alpha \in F, \alpha \in W \Rightarrow \alpha \alpha \in W$

Suppose W is a subspace of $V(F)$

i.e. W is itself a vector space over F with respect to vector addition & scalar multiplication defined in V .

∴ $W(F)$ is a vector space

$\Rightarrow (W, +)$ is an abelian group

Let $\alpha, \beta \in W$

$\Rightarrow \alpha, -\beta \in W$ [by inverse axiom in W w.r.t. to $+$]

$\Rightarrow \alpha + (-\beta) \in W$ [by closure axiom in W w.r to +]

$\Rightarrow \alpha - \beta \in W$

$\therefore \alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow \alpha - \beta \in W$

since $W(F)$ is a vector space

$\Rightarrow W$ satisfies scalar multiplication property over F

i.e $a \in F, \alpha \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha \in W$

Hence both the conditions holds in R

Converse

Suppose W satisfies the following two conditions

i) $\alpha \in W, \beta \in W \Rightarrow \alpha - \beta \in W \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$

ii) $a \in F, \alpha \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha \in W \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$

We have to prove that

$W(F)$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

It is equivalent to prove that

W is itself a vector space over F

From eq $\textcircled{1}$: $\alpha, \alpha \in W \Rightarrow \alpha - \alpha \in W$
 $\Rightarrow \bar{0} \in W$

Identity element ($\bar{0}$) w.r to addition lies in W

From eq $\textcircled{1}$: $\bar{0} \in W, \alpha \in W \Rightarrow \bar{0} - \alpha \in W$
 $\Leftrightarrow -\alpha \in W$

\therefore every element of W has additive inverse in W

Let $\alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow \alpha, -\beta \in W$

From eq $\textcircled{1}$: $\alpha, -\beta \in W \Rightarrow \alpha - (-\beta) \in W$
 $\Rightarrow \alpha + \beta \in W$

$\therefore W$ satisfies closure axiom w.r to vector addition

Since $W \subseteq V$

\Rightarrow every element of W is an element of V &

The elements of V satisfies associative & commutative axioms w.r to vector addition

\therefore elements of W also satisfies associative & commutative axioms w.r to vector addition

Hence $(W, +)$ is an abelian group

From eq (2) : W satisfies scalar multiplication property over F

$$\text{i.e. } a \in F, x \in W \Rightarrow ax \in W$$

Trivially, the remaining properties of vector space holds in W

$\therefore W$ is itself a vector space over F & $W \subseteq V$

$\therefore W(F)$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

This completes the proof

Theorem-3

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Let $V(F)$ be a vector space & W is a nonempty subset of V . The necessary & sufficient condition for W to be a subspace of V is $a, b \in F, \alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow \alpha + \beta \in W$

Proof:-

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space and W be a nonempty subset of V

We have to prove that

$W(F)$ is a subspace of $V(F) \Leftrightarrow W$ satisfies the condition $a, b \in F, \alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow \alpha + \beta \in W$

suppose $W(F)$ is a subspace of $V(F)$.

$\Rightarrow W$ is itself a vector space over F w.r to vector addition & scalar multiplication same as defined in V

$\Rightarrow (W, +)$ is an abelian group and

W satisfies the scalar multiplication property over F .

$\therefore a \in F, x \in W \Rightarrow ax \in W$ [by scalar multiplication property in W]

$\therefore b \in F, \beta \in W \Rightarrow b\beta \in W$ [by scalar multiplication property in W]

$\therefore \alpha x \in W, b\beta \in W \Rightarrow \alpha x + b\beta \in W$ [by closure axiom in W w.r to $+$]

$\therefore W$ satisfies the condition:

$$a, b \in F, \alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow \alpha + \beta \in W$$

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Suppose W satisfies the condition

$$a, b \in F, \alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

We have to prove that $W(F)$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

By taking $a=1, b=-1$, then eq $\textcircled{1} \Rightarrow$

$$\alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow \alpha - \beta \in W \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

By taking $b=0$, then eq $\textcircled{2} \Rightarrow$

$$a \in F, \alpha \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha \in W \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

Here eq's $\textcircled{2}$ & $\textcircled{3}$ are necessary & sufficient conditions for a nonempty set 'W' to be a subspace of V

$\therefore W(F)$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

Hence proved

Imp Theorem-4

A nonempty set W is a subset of the vector space $V(F)$

then W is a subspace of $V(F) \Leftrightarrow a \in F, \alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W$

Proof:-

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space and

W is a nonempty subset of V

We have to prove that

$W(F)$ is a subspace of $V(F) \Leftrightarrow W$ satisfies the condition:

$$a \in F, \alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W$$

Suppose $W(F)$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

$\Rightarrow W$ is itself a vector space over F w.r. to vector addition & scalar multiplication defined same as in $V(F)$

$\Rightarrow (W, +)$ is an abelian group and W satisfies the scalar multiplication property over F

$$\therefore a \in F, \alpha \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha \in W \text{ [by s.m.p in } W]$$

$$\therefore \alpha \in W, \beta \in W \Rightarrow \alpha + \beta \in W \text{ [by closure axiom in } W \text{ w.r. to } +]$$

$\therefore W$ satisfies the condition

$$\forall \alpha \in F, \alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow \alpha\alpha + \beta \in W$$

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Suppose W satisfies the condition.

$$\alpha \in F, \alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow \alpha\alpha + \beta \in W \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

We have to prove that $W(F)$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

By taking $a=1$ in eq $\textcircled{1}$, we have

$$\alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow \alpha + \beta \in W$$

$\therefore W$ is closed w.r to vector addition

By taking $a=-1$ & $\alpha, \alpha \in W$, eq $\textcircled{1}$ \Rightarrow

$$-\alpha + \alpha \in W$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{0} \in W$$

\therefore Identity element ($\bar{0}$) exists in W w.r to vector addition

By taking $a=-1$, &

$$\alpha, \bar{0} \in W, \text{ Then eq}\textcircled{1} \Rightarrow$$

$$-\alpha + \bar{0} \in W \Rightarrow -\alpha \in W$$

$$\text{i.e } \alpha \in W \Rightarrow -\alpha \in W$$

\therefore every element of W has inverse in W w.r to vector addition

Since $W \subseteq V$

\Rightarrow every element of W is an element of V and the elements of V satisfies associative & commutative axioms w.r to vector addition

\therefore The elements of W also satisfies associative axiom & commutative axiom w.r to vector addition

$\therefore (W, +)$ is an abelian group

$$\text{Now eq}\textcircled{1} \Rightarrow \alpha \in F, \alpha, \bar{0} \in W \Rightarrow \alpha\alpha + \bar{0} \in W$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha\alpha \in W$$

$$\therefore \alpha \in F, \alpha \in W \Rightarrow \alpha\alpha \in W$$

$\therefore W$ satisfies scalar multiplication property over F

Trivially, the remaining properties of vector space holds in W

$\therefore W$ is itself a vector space over F and $W \subseteq V$

$\therefore W(F)$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

Hence proved

Note:-

A nonempty set W is a subspace of vector space $V(F)$

$\Leftrightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W, \forall \alpha, \beta \in W, a, b \in F$

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show that the set W of all triads $(x, y, 0)$, where $x, y \in F$ is a subspace of $V_3(F)$.

Given that

$V_3(F)$ be the vector space, ($V_3 = \mathbb{R}^3$)

and $W = \{(x, y, 0) / x, y \in F\}$

clearly $W \subseteq V_3$

Let $\alpha, \beta \in W$

$\Rightarrow \alpha = (x_1, y_1, 0)$

$\beta = (x_2, y_2, 0)$, where $x_1, x_2, y_1, y_2 \in F$

Take $a, b \in F$

consider

$$a\alpha + b\beta = a(x_1, y_1, 0) + b(x_2, y_2, 0)$$

$$= (ax_1, ay_1, 0) + (bx_2, by_2, 0)$$

$$= (ax_1 + bx_2, ay_1 + by_2, 0)$$

$$= (c, d, 0), \text{ where } c = ax_1 + bx_2 \in F$$

$$d = ay_1 + by_2 \in F$$

$\therefore a\alpha + b\beta = (c, d, 0)$, where $c, d \in F$

$\Rightarrow (c, d, 0) \in W$

$\Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W$

$\therefore a, b \in F, \alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W$

$\therefore W$ is a subspace of $V_3(F) = (\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R}))$

2) Let R be the field of real numbers then show that the set of triads $\{(x, y, z) / x, y, z \in R\}$ form the subspace of $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

Given that

$\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space

and $W = \{(x, 2y, 3z) \mid x, y, z \in \mathbb{R}\}$

clearly $W \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3$

Let $\alpha, \beta \in W$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = (x_1, 2y_1, 3z_1)$$

$$\beta = (x_2, 2y_2, 3z_2), \text{ where } x_1, y_1, z_1, x_2, y_2, z_2 \in \mathbb{R}$$

Take $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$

consider

$$a\alpha + b\beta = a(x_1, 2y_1, 3z_1) + b(x_2, 2y_2, 3z_2)$$

$$= (ax_1, 2ay_1, 3az_1) + (bx_2, 2by_2, 3bz_2)$$

$$= (ax_1 + bx_2, 2ay_1 + 2by_2, 3az_1 + 3bz_2)$$

$$= (ax_1 + bx_2, 2(a y_1 + b y_2), 3(a z_1 + b z_2))$$

$$= (p, 2q, 3r), \text{ where } p = ax_1 + bx_2 \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$q = ay_1 + by_2 \in \mathbb{R}, \quad r = az_1 + bz_2 \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\therefore a\alpha + b\beta = (p, 2q, 3r), \text{ where } p, q, r \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow (p, 2q, 3r) \in W$$

$$\Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W$$

$$\therefore a, b \in \mathbb{R}, \alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W$$

$\therefore W$ is a subspace of $V_3(\mathbb{F}) = \mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

3) Let \mathbb{R} be the field of real numbers then show that the set of vectors $\{(x, x, x) \mid x \in \mathbb{R}\}$ forms a subspace of $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

Given that

$\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space

and $W = \{(x, x, x) \mid x \in \mathbb{R}\}$

clearly $W \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3$

Let $\alpha, \beta \in W$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = (x, x, x)$$

$$\beta = (y, y, y) \text{ where } x, y \in \mathbb{R}$$

Take $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$

consider

$$\begin{aligned} a\alpha + b\beta &= a(x, x, c) + b(y, y, y) \\ &= (ax, ax, ax) + (by, by, by) \\ &= (ax+by, ax+by, ax+by) \\ &= (c, c, c); \quad c = ax+by \in \mathbb{R} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore a\alpha + b\beta = (c, c, c); \quad c \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow (c, c, c) \in W$$

$$\Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W$$

$$\therefore a, b \in \mathbb{R}, \alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W$$

$$\therefore W \text{ is a subspace of } V_3(\mathbb{F}) = \mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$$

4) Let $V = \mathbb{R}^3 = \{(x, y, z) \mid x, y, z \in \mathbb{R}\}$ & W be the set of triads x, y, z such that $x - 3y + 4z = 0$. show that W is a subspace of $V(\mathbb{R})$.

Given that

$$V_3 = \mathbb{R}^3 = \{(x, y, z) \mid x, y, z \in \mathbb{R}\} \text{ and}$$

$$W = \{(x, y, z) \mid x - 3y + 4z = 0\}$$

let clearly, $W \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3$

Let $\alpha, \beta \in W$, Then

$$\alpha = (x, y, z) \Rightarrow x - 3y + 4z = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$\beta = (p, q, r) \Rightarrow p - 3q + 4r = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

Now for $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$\begin{aligned} a\alpha + b\beta &= a(x - 3y + 4z) + b(p - 3q + 4r) \\ &= (ax - 3ay + 4az) + (bp - 3bq + 4br) \\ &= ax + bp, ay + bq, az + br \\ &= a(x, y, z) + b(p, q, r) \\ &= (ax, ay, az) + (bp, bq, br) \\ &= (ax+bp, ay+bq, az+br) \rightarrow \textcircled{3} \end{aligned}$$

consider

$$\begin{aligned}
 (ax+bp) - 3(ay+ba) + 4(az+bx) &= ax+bp-3ay-3ba+4az+4bx \\
 &= a[x-3y+4z] + b[p-3a+4x] \\
 &= a(0) + b(0) \quad [\text{by eq's ① \& ②}] \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore (ax+bp) - 3(ay+ba) + 4(az+bx) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (ax+bp, ay+ba, az+bx) \in W$$

$$\Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W \quad (\text{by eq ③})$$

$$\therefore a, b \in \mathbb{R}, \alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W$$

$\therefore W$ is a subspace of $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

5) prove that the set of solutions (x, y, z) of the equation $x+y+2z=0$ is a subspace of $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

Given that

$$V_3 = \mathbb{R}^3 = \{(x, y, z) \mid x, y, z \in \mathbb{R}\} \text{ and}$$

$$W = \{(x, y, z) \mid x+y+2z=0\}$$

clearly $W \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3$

Let $\alpha, \beta \in W$, Then

$$\alpha = (x, y, z) \Rightarrow x+y+2z=0 \rightarrow \text{①}$$

$$\beta = (p, q, r) \Rightarrow p+q+2r=0 \rightarrow \text{②}$$

Now for $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$,

$$\begin{aligned}
 a\alpha + b\beta &= a(x, y, z) + b(p, q, r) \\
 &= (ax, ay, az) + (bp, bq, br) \\
 &= (ax+bp, ay+bq, az+br) \rightarrow \text{③}
 \end{aligned}$$

consider

$$\begin{aligned}
 (ax+bp) + (ay+bq) + 2(az+br) &= ax+bp+ay+bq+2az+2br \\
 &= a(x+y+2z) + b(p+q+2r)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= a(0) + b(0) = 0$$

$$\therefore (ax+bp) + (ay+bq) + 2(az+br) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (ax+bp, ay+bq, az+br) \in W$$

$$\Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W \quad [\text{by eq ③}]$$

$$\therefore a, b \in \mathbb{R}, \alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W$$

$\therefore W$ is a subspace of $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

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Let p, q, r be the fixed elements show that the set W of all triads x, y, z of elements of F such that $px + qy + rz = 0$ is a vector subspace of $V_3(F)$

Let p, q, r be the fixed elements of a field F

Given that $W = \{(x, y, z) / px + qy + rz = 0\}$

clearly, $W \subseteq V_3(F)$

Let $\alpha, \beta \in W$, Then

$\alpha = (x_1, y_1, z_1)$, $\beta = (x_2, y_2, z_2)$ such that

$px_1 + qy_1 + rz_1 = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$

$px_2 + qy_2 + rz_2 = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$

Take $a, b \in F$, $\alpha, \beta \in W$, consider

$$\begin{aligned} a\alpha + b\beta &= a(x_1, y_1, z_1) + b(x_2, y_2, z_2) \\ &= (ax_1, ay_1, az_1) + (bx_2, by_2, bz_2) \\ &= (ax_1 + bx_2, ay_1 + by_2, az_1 + bz_2) \end{aligned}$$

Now

$$p[ax_1 + bx_2] + q[ay_1 + by_2] + r[az_1 + bz_2] = pax_1 + pbx_2 + qay_1 + qby_2 + raz_1 + rbz_2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{1} \rightarrow 0 &= pax_1 + qay_1 + raz_1 + a(px_1 + qy_1 + rz_1) \\ \textcircled{2} \rightarrow 0 &= pbx_2 + qby_2 + rbz_2 + b(px_2 + qy_2 + rz_2) \end{aligned}$$

$= a(0) + b(0) = 0$

$\therefore p(ax_1 + bx_2) + q(ay_1 + by_2) + r(az_1 + bz_2) = 0$

$\Rightarrow (ax_1 + bx_2, ay_1 + by_2, az_1 + bz_2) \in W$

$\Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W$

$\therefore a, b \in F, \alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W$

$\therefore W$ is a subspace of $V_3(F)$

7) Let R be the field of real numbers & $W = \{(x, y, z) / x, y, z \text{ are rational numbers}\}$ is W a subspace of $V_3(R)$

Let R be the field of real numbers and

$W = \{(x, y, z) / x, y, z \text{ are rational numbers}\}$

Let $\alpha = (2, 3, 4) \in W$

Let $m = \sqrt{5} \in R$ be a real number

$$m\alpha = \sqrt{5}(2, 3, 4)$$

$$= (2\sqrt{5}, 3\sqrt{5}, 4\sqrt{5})$$

$\therefore 2\sqrt{5}, 3\sqrt{5}$ are irrational numbers

Then $(2\sqrt{5}, 3\sqrt{5}, 4\sqrt{5}) \notin W$

i.e. $m\alpha \notin W$

i.e. W not satisfies scalar multiplication

$\therefore W$ is not a subspace

8) show that the subset W defined as $W = \{(a, b, c) / a^2 + b^2 + c^2 \leq 1\}$ is not a subspace of $V_3(\mathbb{R})$

let \mathbb{R} be the field of real numbers and

$$W = \{(a, b, c) / a^2 + b^2 + c^2 \leq 1\}$$

$$\text{let } \alpha = (1, 0, 0) \in W, \beta = (0, 1, 0) \in W$$

now

$$\alpha + \beta = (1, 0, 0) + (0, 1, 0)$$

$$= (1, 1, 0)$$

now

$$1^2 + 1^2 + 0^2 \notin W$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha + \beta \notin W$$

$\therefore \alpha, \beta \in W \Rightarrow \alpha + \beta \notin W$

$\therefore W$ not satisfies the closure axiom w.r to vector addition

$\therefore W$ is not a subspace of $V_3(\mathbb{R})$

9) show that the set W of the elements of the vector space $V_3(\mathbb{R})$ of the form $W = \{(x+2y, y, -x+3y) / x, y \in \mathbb{R}\}$ is a subspace of $V_3(\mathbb{R})$

let \mathbb{R} be the field of real numbers and

$$W = \{(x+2y, y, -x+3y) / x, y \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

$$\text{let } \alpha, \beta \in W, \alpha = (x_1+2y_1, y_1, -x_1+3y_1)$$

$$\beta = (x_2+2y_2, y_2, -x_2+3y_2)$$

Take $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ and consider

$$a\alpha + b\beta = a(x_1+2y_1, y_1, -x_1+3y_1) + b(x_2+2y_2, y_2, -x_2+3y_2)$$

$$= (ax_1+2ay_1, ay_1, -ax_1+3ay_1) + (bx_2+2by_2, by_2, -bx_2+3by_2)$$

$$= (ax_1+2ay_1+bx_2+2by_2, ay_1+by_2, -ax_1+3ay_1-bx_2+3by_2)$$

$$= \left[(ax_1 + bx_2) + 2(ay_1 + by_2), ay_1 + by_2, -(ax_1 + bx_2) + 3(ay_1 + by_2) \right]$$

$$= (p + 2q, q, -p + 3q) \in W$$

$\therefore ax + by \in W, \forall a, b \in \mathbb{R}, \alpha, \beta \in W$

$\therefore W$ is a subspace of $V_3(\mathbb{R})$

10) Let V be the vector space of all polynomials in indeterminate x over the field F . Let W be a subset of V consisting of all polynomials of degree $< n$. Then show that W is a subspace of $V(F)$.

Given that

V be the vector space of all polynomials in the variable x over the field F .

W be the set of polynomials in x of degree $\leq n$

Clearly W is subset of V [$W \subseteq V$]

Let $\alpha, \beta \in W$

i.e. α, β are polynomials in x of degree $\leq n$

Let $a, b \in F$, Then $a\alpha, b\beta$ are also polynomials in x of degree $\leq n$

Then $a\alpha + b\beta$ is also a polynomial of degree $\leq n$

$\therefore a\alpha + b\beta \in W$

$\therefore W$ is a subspace of V over F

Theorem-5

Imp

The intersection of any two subspaces W_1 & W_2 of a vector space $V(F)$ is also a subspace

Proof:-

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space and

W_1, W_2 are two subspaces of $V(F)$

We have to prove that

$W_1 \cap W_2$ is also a subspace of $V(F)$

Since W_1, W_2 are subspaces of $V(F)$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{0} \in W_1 \text{ \& } \vec{0} \in W_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{0} \in W_1 \cap W_2$$

$$\Rightarrow W_1 \cap W_2 \neq \emptyset$$

Let $\alpha, \beta \in W_1, W_2$

$\Rightarrow \alpha, \beta \in W_1$ & $\alpha, \beta \in W_2$

Let $a, b \in F$ & $\alpha, \beta \in W_1$

$\Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W_1 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$ [because W_1 is a subspace of $V(F)$]

Take $a, b \in F$ & $\alpha, \beta \in W_2$

$\Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W_2 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$ [because W_2 is a subspace of $V(F)$]

From eq's $\textcircled{1}$ & $\textcircled{2}$, we have

$$a\alpha + b\beta \in W_1 \cap W_2$$

$\therefore a, b \in F, \alpha, \beta \in W_1 \cap W_2 \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W_1 \cap W_2$

$\therefore W_1 \cap W_2$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

Hence proved

Theorem-6

The intersection of any family of subspaces of a vector space is also a subspace of $V(F)$

proof:-

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space and

Let W_1, W_2, \dots, W_n are n subspaces of $V(F)$

we have to prove that

$W_1 \cap W_2 \cap \dots \cap W_n = \bigcap_{i=1}^n W_i$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

Since W_1, W_2, \dots, W_n are subspaces of $V(F)$

$\Rightarrow \bar{0} \in W_1, \bar{0} \in W_2, \bar{0} \in W_n$

$\Rightarrow \bar{0} \in \bigcap_{i=1}^n W_i$

$\Rightarrow \bigcap_{i=1}^n W_i \neq \emptyset$

Let $\alpha, \beta \in \bigcap_{i=1}^n W_i$

$\Rightarrow \alpha, \beta \in W_1, \alpha, \beta \in W_2, \dots, \alpha, \beta \in W_n$

Let $a, b \in F$ & $\alpha, \beta \in W_i, \forall i = 1, 2, \dots, n$

$\Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W_i \rightarrow \textcircled{1} \forall i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ [because W_i is a subspace of $V(F)$]

$\Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in \bigcap_{i=1}^n W_i$

$$\therefore a, b \in F, \alpha, \beta \in \bigcap_{i=1}^n W_i \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in \bigcap_{i=1}^n W_i$$

$\therefore \bigcap_{i=1}^n W_i$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

Hence proved

Result: Is the union of two subspaces is subspace or not

Imp: The union of two subspaces of $V(F)$ need not be a subspace of $V(F)$

Ex:- Let $V(F)$ be a vector space

Let $W_1 = \{(0, y, 0) \mid y \in F\}$ and

$W_2 = \{(0, 0, z) \mid z \in F\}$

clearly W_1, W_2 are subspaces of $V(F)$

Now

$$W_1 \cup W_2 = \{(0, y, 0) \cup (0, 0, z) \mid y, z \in F\}$$

Let $\alpha = (0, y, 0) \in W_1, \beta = (0, 0, z) \in W_2$

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha + \beta &= (0, y, 0) + (0, 0, z) \\ &= (0, y, z) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore \alpha + \beta = (0, y, z) \notin W_1 \cup W_2$, because

neither $(0, y, z) \in W_1$ nor $(0, y, z) \in W_2$

i.e. $(0, y, z) \notin W_1, (0, y, z) \notin W_2$

$\therefore W_1 \cup W_2$ does not satisfy closure axiom w.r to vector

$\therefore W_1 \cup W_2$ is not a subspace of $V(F)$ addition

Hence, the union of two subspaces of a vector space need not be a subspace

Theorem-7

The union of two subspaces is a subspace \Leftrightarrow one contained in the other.

Proof:-

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space and

W_1, W_2 are two subspaces of $V(F)$

we have to prove that

$$W_1 \cup W_2 \text{ is a subspace of } V(F) \Leftrightarrow W_1 \subset W_2 \text{ or } W_2 \subset W_1$$

Suppose $W_1 \cup W_2$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

We have to prove that $W_1 \subset W_2 \iff W_2 \subset W_1$

If possible assume that

$$W_1 \not\subset W_2 \text{ and } W_2 \not\subset W_1$$

$$\therefore W_1 \not\subset W_2 \Rightarrow \exists \text{ an element } a \in W_1, \text{ but } a \notin W_2 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$\therefore W_2 \not\subset W_1 \Rightarrow \exists \text{ an element } b \in W_2 \text{ but } b \notin W_1 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$\therefore a \in W_1, b \in W_2 \Rightarrow a, b \in W_1 \cup W_2$$

$$\therefore a, b \in W_1 \cup W_2 \text{ \& } W_1 \cup W_2 \text{ is a subspace of } V(F)$$

$$\Rightarrow a - b \in W_1 \cup W_2$$

$$\Rightarrow a - b \in W_1 \text{ (or) } a - b \in W_2$$

Take $a - b \in W_1$, $a \in W_1$, W_1 is a subspace

$$\Rightarrow a - (a - b) \in W_1$$

$$\Rightarrow b \in W_1 \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

Again take $a - b \in W_2, b \in W_2$

$$\Rightarrow a - b + b \in W_2 \text{ [by closure axiom in } W_2 \text{ w.r.t } + \text{]}$$

$$\Rightarrow a \in W_2 \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

clearly, eq $\textcircled{4}, \textcircled{3}$ contradicts $\textcircled{1}, \textcircled{2}$ respectively

\therefore our assumption $W_1 \not\subset W_2$ & $W_2 \not\subset W_1$ is wrong

Hence $W_1 \subset W_2 \iff W_2 \subset W_1$

Converse

Suppose $W_1 \subset W_2 \iff W_2 \subset W_1$

Then

$$W_1 \cup W_2 = \begin{cases} W_2 & \text{if } W_1 \subset W_2 \\ W_1 & \text{if } W_2 \subset W_1 \end{cases}$$

In both the cases, $W_1 \cup W_2$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

Hence, $W_1 \cup W_2$ is a subspace of $V(F) \iff W_1 \subset W_2 \iff W_2 \subset W_1$

Linear sum of two subspaces

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space & W_1, W_2 are any two subspaces of $V(F)$. Then the linear sum of the subspaces is denoted by

$W_1 + W_2$ & defined as the set of all elements $\alpha_1 + \alpha_2$, where

$$\alpha_1 \in W_1, \alpha_2 \in W_2$$

$$\text{i.e. } W_1 + W_2 = \{ \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 \mid \alpha_1 \in W_1, \alpha_2 \in W_2 \}$$

Theorem - 8

If W_1, W_2 are any two subspaces of a vector space $V(F)$ then

(i) $W_1 + W_2$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

(ii) $W_1 \subseteq W_1 + W_2$ & $W_2 \subseteq W_1 + W_2$

Proof:-

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space &

W_1, W_2 are any two subspaces of $V(F)$

The linear sum of W_1 & W_2 is denoted by $W_1 + W_2$ &

defined as $W_1 + W_2 = \{ \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 \mid \alpha_1 \in W_1, \alpha_2 \in W_2 \}$

Trivially $W_1 + W_2 \neq \emptyset$ [$\because 0 \in W_1 + W_2$]
To prove that $W_1 + W_2$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

Let $\alpha, \beta \in W_1 + W_2$, Then

$\alpha = \alpha_1 + \alpha_2$ & $\beta = \beta_1 + \beta_2$, where $\alpha_1, \beta_1 \in W_1$ & $\alpha_2, \beta_2 \in W_2$

Take $a, b \in F$

consider

$$a\alpha + b\beta = a(\alpha_1 + \alpha_2) + b(\beta_1 + \beta_2)$$

$$= a\alpha_1 + a\alpha_2 + b\beta_1 + b\beta_2$$

$$= (a\alpha_1 + b\beta_1) + (a\alpha_2 + b\beta_2) \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$\because a, b \in F, \alpha_1, \beta_1 \in W_1$ and W_1 is a subspace

$$\Rightarrow a\alpha_1 + b\beta_1 \in W_1 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$\because a, b \in F, \alpha_2, \beta_2 \in W_2$ and W_2 is a subspace

$$\Rightarrow a\alpha_2 + b\beta_2 \in W_2 \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

From eq $\textcircled{2}$ & $\textcircled{3}$, we have

$$(a\alpha_1 + b\beta_1) + (a\alpha_2 + b\beta_2) \in W_1 + W_2$$

$$\Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W_1 + W_2$$

$\because a, b \in F$ & $\alpha, \beta \in W_1 + W_2 \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in W_1 + W_2$

$\therefore W_1 + W_2$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

To prove that $W_1 \subseteq W_1 + W_2$ and $W_2 \subseteq W_1 + W_2$

$\because W_1, W_2$ are subspaces of $V(F)$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \in W_1, 0 \in W_2$$

$$\because \alpha \in W_1, 0 \in W_2 \Rightarrow \alpha + 0 \in W_1 + W_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha \in W_1 + W_2$$

$$\therefore \alpha \in W_1 \Rightarrow \alpha \in W_1 + W_2$$

$$\therefore W_1 \subseteq W_1 + W_2$$

$$\text{ii) } W_2 \subseteq W_1 + W_2$$

Imp Linear combination of vectors

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space. If $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n \in V$ then any vector $\gamma = a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n$, where $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \in F$ is called linear combination of vectors $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n$

Note

Here the vector $\gamma \in V(F)$

Imp Linear span of a set

Let S be a nonempty subset of a vector space $V(F)$. The linear span of S is denoted by $L(S)$ & defined as the set of all possible linear combinations of all possible finite subsets of S i.e. $L(S) = \{ \gamma / \gamma = \sum_i a_i x_i, a_i \in F, x_i \in S \}$

Note

- 1) S may be a finite set but $L(S)$ is infinite set
- 2) $L(S)$ is said to be generated by S or spanned by S
- 3) If S is an empty set then $L(S)$ is defined as $L(S) = \{0\}$
- 4) Always $L(S) \neq \emptyset$
- 5) Always $S \subseteq L(S)$

Theorem-9

Imp The linear span $L(S)$ of any subset S of a vector space $V(F)$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

proof:-

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space and S be a nonempty subset of $V(F)$

The linear span of S is denoted by $L(S)$ & defined as

$$L(S) = \{ \gamma / \gamma = \sum_i a_i x_i, a_i \in F, x_i \in S \}$$

we have to prove that

$L(S)$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

Let $\alpha, \beta \in L(S)$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n$$

$$\beta = b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_n\beta_n, \text{ where}$$

$$\alpha_i, \beta_i \in S, \forall b_i, a_i \in F, \forall i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$$

For $a, b \in F$, consider

$$\begin{aligned} a\alpha + b\beta &= a[a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n] + b[b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_n\beta_n] \\ &= (aa_1)\alpha_1 + (aa_2)\alpha_2 + \dots + (aa_n)\alpha_n + (bb_1)\beta_1 + (bb_2)\beta_2 + \dots + (bb_n)\beta_n \\ &= a_1'\alpha_1 + a_2'\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n'\alpha_n + b_1'\beta_1 + b_2'\beta_2 + \dots + b_n'\beta_n \\ &= \text{Linear combination of } \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n \\ &= \text{Linear combination of elements of } S \in L(S) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore a\alpha + b\beta \in L(S)$$

$$\therefore a, b \in F, \alpha, \beta \in L(S) \Rightarrow a\alpha + b\beta \in L(S)$$

$\therefore L(S)$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

Note

Let S be a nonempty subset of the vector space $V(F)$. Then the linear span $L(S)$ is the intersection of all subspaces of V which contains S .

Theorem-10

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Imp

If W_1 & W_2 are any two subspaces of a vector space $V(F)$ then $L(W_1 \cup W_2) = W_1 + W_2$

proof:-

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space and

W_1, W_2 are any two subspaces of $V(F)$

We have to prove that

$$L(W_1 \cup W_2) = W_1 + W_2$$

Since W_1, W_2 are two subspaces of $V(F)$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{0} \in W_1 \text{ \& } \bar{0} \in W_2$$

Let $\alpha_1 \in W_1$ & $\alpha_2 \in W_2$

$$\therefore \alpha_1 \in W_1, \bar{0} \in W_2 \Rightarrow \alpha_1 + \bar{0} \in W_1 + W_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_1 \in W_1 + W_2$$

$$\therefore \alpha_1 \in W_1 \Rightarrow \alpha_1 \in W_1 + W_2$$

$$\therefore W_1 \subset W_1 + W_2 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$\therefore \alpha_2 \in W_2, \bar{0} \in W_1 \Rightarrow \bar{0} + \alpha_2 \in W_1 + W_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_2 \in W_1 + W_2$$

$$\therefore \alpha_2 \in W_2 \Rightarrow \alpha_2 \in W_1 + W_2$$

$$\therefore W_2 \subset W_1 + W_2 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

\therefore From eq's ① & ②, we have

$$W_1 \cup W_2 \subset W_1 + W_2$$

$$\Rightarrow L(W_1 \cup W_2) \subset W_1 + W_2 \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

$$\therefore \alpha_1 \in W_1, \alpha_2 \in W_2 \Rightarrow \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 \in W_1 + W_2$$

$$\therefore \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 \in W_1 + W_2$$

$$\alpha_1 \in W_1, \alpha_2 \in W_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in W_1 \cup W_2$$

Now

$$\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 = \text{Linear combination of } \alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in L(W_1 \cup W_2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 \in L(W_1 \cup W_2)$$

$$\therefore \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 \in W_1 + W_2 \Rightarrow \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 \in L(W_1 \cup W_2)$$

$$\therefore W_1 + W_2 \subset L(W_1 \cup W_2) \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

combining eq's ③ & ④, we get

$$L(W_1 \cup W_2) = W_1 + W_2$$

Hence proved

Theorem - 11

SM _{Imp} If S is a subset of a vector space $V(F)$ then prove that

$$(i) S \text{ is a subspace of } V \Leftrightarrow L(S) = S$$

$$(ii) L(L(S)) = L(S)$$

proof:-

Given that

$V(F)$ be a vector space and

S be a nonempty subset of $V(F)$

(i) To prove that S is a subspace of $V \Leftrightarrow L(S) = S$

Suppose S is a subspace of V

By definition of $L(S)$, we have

$$S \subseteq L(S) \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

Let $\alpha \in L(S)$, then

$$\alpha = a_1 \alpha_1 + a_2 \alpha_2 + \dots + a_n \alpha_n \text{ where}$$

$$\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n \in S \text{ and}$$

$$a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \in F$$

$$\therefore a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \in F \text{ and}$$

$\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n \in S$ and S is a subspace [S is itself a vector space]

$\Rightarrow a_1\alpha_1, a_2\alpha_2, \dots, a_n\alpha_n \in S$ [by scalar multiplication property in S]

$\Rightarrow a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n \in S$ [by closure axiom w.r to + in S]

$\Rightarrow \alpha \in S$

$\therefore \alpha \in L(S) \Rightarrow \alpha \in S$

$\therefore L(S) \subseteq S \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$

combining eq's $\textcircled{1}$ & $\textcircled{2}$, we have

$$L(S) = S$$

Converse

Suppose $L(S) = S$

By previous theorem

$L(S)$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

$\therefore S$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

(ii) To prove that $L(L(S)) = L(S)$

We know that

S is a subspace $\Leftrightarrow L(S) = S$

$\therefore L(S)$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

$\Rightarrow L(L(S)) = L(S)$

Theorem-12

If S, T are subsets of a vector space $V(F)$ then prove that

~~S subset are equal to~~ (i) $S \subseteq T \Rightarrow L(S) \subseteq L(T)$

(ii) $L(S \cup T) = L(S) + L(T)$

Proof:-

Given that

$V(F)$ be a vector space and

S, T are subsets of $V(F)$

1) To prove that $S \subseteq T \Rightarrow L(S) \subseteq L(T)$

Suppose $S \subseteq T$

Let $\alpha \in L(S)$

$\Rightarrow \alpha = a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n$, where

$\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n \in S, a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \in F$

$\therefore \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n \in S \subseteq T$

$\Rightarrow \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n \in T$

$\Rightarrow a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n \in L(T)$

$\Rightarrow \alpha \in L(T)$

$$\therefore \alpha \in L(S) \Rightarrow \alpha \in L(T)$$

$$\therefore L(S) \subseteq L(T)$$

2) To prove that $L(S \cup T) = L(S) + L(T)$

Let $\delta \in L(S \cup T)$

$\Rightarrow \delta$ can be written as linear combination of elements of $S \cup T$

$$\Rightarrow \delta = a_1 \alpha_1 + a_2 \alpha_2 + \dots + a_n \alpha_n + b_1 \beta_1 + b_2 \beta_2 + \dots + b_n \beta_n, \text{ where}$$

$$\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n \in S \text{ \& } \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n \in T; a_i, b_i \in F$$

$$\therefore \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n \in S, a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \in F$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 \alpha_1 + a_2 \alpha_2 + \dots + a_n \alpha_n \in L(S)$$

$$\text{Similarly } b_1 \beta_1 + b_2 \beta_2 + \dots + b_n \beta_n \in L(T)$$

$$\therefore (a_1 \alpha_1 + a_2 \alpha_2 + \dots + a_n \alpha_n) + (b_1 \beta_1 + b_2 \beta_2 + \dots + b_n \beta_n) \in L(S) + L(T)$$

$$\Rightarrow \delta \in L(S) + L(T)$$

$$\therefore \delta \in L(S \cup T) \Rightarrow \delta \in L(S) + L(T)$$

$$\therefore L(S \cup T) \subseteq L(S) + L(T) \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

Let $\delta \in L(S) + L(T)$

$$\Rightarrow \delta = x + y, \text{ where } x \in L(S), y \in L(T)$$

$\therefore x \in L(S) \Rightarrow x$ is linear combination of elements of S

$y \in L(T) \Rightarrow y$ is linear combination of elements of T

$\therefore x + y =$ linear combination of elements of $S \cup T$

$$\Rightarrow x + y \in L(S \cup T)$$

$$\Rightarrow \delta \in L(S \cup T)$$

$$\therefore \delta \in L(S) + L(T) \Rightarrow \delta \in L(S \cup T)$$

$$\therefore L(S) + L(T) \subseteq L(S \cup T) \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

From eq's $\textcircled{1}$ & $\textcircled{2}$, we have

$$L(S \cup T) = L(S) + L(T)$$

Linear dependence of vectors

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space. A finite subset $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n$ of vectors of V is said to be linearly dependent (LD) set of vectors if \exists scalars $a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n$, not all zero such that $a_1 \alpha_1 + a_2 \alpha_2 + a_3 \alpha_3 + \dots + a_n \alpha_n = \bar{0}$.

Imp Linear independence of vectors

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space. A finite subset $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n$ of vectors of V is said to be linearly independent (L.I) set if every relation of the form $a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n = \bar{0}$ implies $a_1=0, a_2=0, a_3=0, \dots, a_n=0$

Theorem-13

Every superset of a linearly dependent set of vectors is linearly dependent.

Proof:-

Let $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ be a finite set of linearly dependent vectors.

$\Rightarrow \exists$ scalars a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n , not all zero, such that

$$a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n = \bar{0} \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

Let $B = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n, \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n\}$

clearly B is a superset of S

In view of eq (1), consider

$$a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n = \bar{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n + 0\beta_1 + 0\beta_2 + \dots + 0\beta_n = \bar{0} \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

In eq (2), not all scalars are zero

\Rightarrow The set B is linearly dependent

\therefore Every superset of L.D set is L.D

Theorem-14

Every nonempty subset of a linearly independent set of vectors is linearly independent.

Proof:-

Let $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ be a finite set of linearly independent set of vectors.

Then every relation

$$a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n = \bar{0} \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

implies $a_1=0, a_2=0, \dots, a_n=0$

Let us consider a set

$S' = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_k\}$, where $1 \leq k < n$

consider the equation $\bar{0} = a_1\alpha_1 + \dots + a_k\alpha_k + 0\alpha_{k+1} + \dots + 0\alpha_n$

$$b_1 \alpha_1 + b_2 \alpha_2 + \dots + b_k \alpha_k = \bar{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow b_1 \alpha_1 + b_2 \alpha_2 + \dots + b_k \alpha_k + 0 \cdot \alpha_{k+1} + \dots + 0 \alpha_n = \bar{0} \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

Since the vectors in eq $\textcircled{2}$ are linearly independent

\Rightarrow every scalar involved in eq $\textcircled{2}$ is zero

$$\Rightarrow b_1 = 0, b_2 = 0, \dots, b_k = 0$$

$$\therefore b_1 \alpha_1 + b_2 \alpha_2 + \dots + b_k \alpha_k = \bar{0} \Rightarrow b_1 = 0, b_2 = 0, \dots, b_k = 0$$

$\Rightarrow S' = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_k\}$ is L.I

\therefore every nonempty subset of L.I set is L.I

Theorem-15

A set of vectors which contain zero vector is linearly dependent

proof:-

$$\text{Let } \alpha_1 = \bar{0}, \alpha_2 \neq \alpha_3 \neq \dots \neq \alpha_n \neq 0$$

$$\text{and } S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$$

now

$$1 \cdot \alpha_1 + 0 \cdot \alpha_2 + 0 \cdot \alpha_3 + \dots + 0 \cdot \alpha_n = \bar{0} \Rightarrow \text{at least one scalar } a_1 = 1 \neq 0$$

$\therefore S$ is L.D

\therefore Every set containing zero vector is L.D

Theorem-16

A single nonzero vector forms a linearly independent set

proof:-

$$\text{Let } S = \{\alpha\}, \alpha \neq 0$$

$$\text{Then } a\alpha = \bar{0} \Rightarrow a = 0, \forall a \in F$$

$\therefore S$ is L.I

\therefore Every singleton set having nonzero vector is L.I

Theorem-17

Let $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ be a subset of the vector space $V(F)$ if

$\alpha_i \in S$ is a linear combination of its preceding vectors then

$$L(S) = L(S')$$

proof:-

Given that - $V(F)$ be a vector space and

Let $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ be a subset of the vector space $V(F)$

by data, If $\alpha_i \in S$ is a linear combination of its preceding vectors

$$\text{i.e. } \alpha_i = a_1 \alpha_1 + a_2 \alpha_2 + \dots + a_{i-1} \alpha_{i-1} \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$\text{Take } S' = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_{i+1}, \alpha_{i+2}, \dots, \alpha_n\}$$

$$\text{clearly } S' \subset S$$

$$\Rightarrow L(S') \subset L(S) \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$\text{let } \beta \in L(S)$$

$\Rightarrow \beta$ is L.C of elements of S

$$\Rightarrow \beta = b_1 \alpha_1 + b_2 \alpha_2 + \dots + b_i \alpha_i + \dots + b_n \alpha_n$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta = b_1 \alpha_1 + b_2 \alpha_2 + \dots + b_i [a_1 \alpha_1 + a_2 \alpha_2 + \dots + a_{i-1} \alpha_{i-1}] + \dots + b_n \alpha_n$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta = [b_1 + b_i a_1] \alpha_1 + [b_2 + b_i a_2] \alpha_2 + \dots + b_n \alpha_n$$

$\Rightarrow \beta = \text{L.C of elements of } S' \in L(S')$

$$\Rightarrow \beta \in L(S')$$

$$\therefore \beta \in L(S) \Rightarrow \beta \in L(S')$$

$$\therefore L(S) \subset L(S') \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

From eq's $\textcircled{2}$ & $\textcircled{3}$, we have

$$L(S) = L(S')$$

Hence proved

Note

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space & $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ is a finite subset of nonzero vectors of $V(F)$. Then S is L.D \Leftrightarrow some vector $\alpha_k \in S$ can be expressed as a linear combination of its preceding vectors.

2) If β is a linear combination of a set of vectors $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n$ then the set $\{\beta, \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ is linearly dependent.

show that the system of vectors $(1, 3, 2), (1, -7, -8), (2, 1, -1)$ of $V_3(\mathbb{R})$ is linearly dependent.

Given that

$V_3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and

$$\text{vectors are } \alpha = (1, 3, 2), \beta = (1, -7, -8), \gamma = (2, 1, -1)$$

By writing the coordinates of α, β, γ in rows of a matrix, we get

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 1 & -7 & -8 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det B = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 1 & -7 & -8 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 1(7+8) - 3(-1+16) + 2(1+14) = 15 - 45 + 30 = 0$$

$\therefore \det B = 0 \Rightarrow B$ is singular matrix

\therefore The vectors α, β, γ are L.D

12) Show that the system of vectors $(1, 2, 0), (0, 3, 1), (-1, 0, 1)$ of $V_3(\mathbb{Q})$ is linearly independent, where \mathbb{Q} is the field of rational numbers

Given that

$V_3(\mathbb{Q})$ be the vector space and vectors are $\alpha = (1, 2, 0), \beta = (0, 3, 1), \gamma = (-1, 0, 1)$

By writing the coordinates of α, β, γ in rows of a matrix, we get

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det B = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1(3-0) - 2(0+1) = 3 - 2 = 1$$

$\therefore \det B \neq 0 \Rightarrow B$ is non singular matrix

\therefore The vectors α, β, γ are L.I

13) Determine whether the following sets of vectors are linearly independent or linearly dependent.

(i) $\{(2, -3), (6, -9)\}$ in $\mathbb{R}^2(\mathbb{R})$ (iii) $\{(-1, 2, 1), (3, 0, -1), (5, 4, 3)\}$ in $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

(ii) $\{(1, -2, 1), (2, 1, -1), (7, -4, 1)\}$ in $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$ (iv) $\{(1, 1, 0), (1, 0, 1), (0, 1, 1)\}$ in $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

(v) $\{(-2, 0, 3), (1, 3, 0), (2, 4, -1)\}$ in $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

Given that

$\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and vectors are $\alpha = (1, -2, 1), \beta = (2, 1, -1), \gamma = (7, -4, 1)$

By writing the coordinates of α, β, γ in rows of a matrix, we get

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 7 & -4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det B = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 7 & -4 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1(1-4) + 2(2+7) + 1(-8-7) \\ = -3 + 18 - 15 \\ = 0$$

$\therefore \det B = 0 \Rightarrow B$ is singular matrix

\therefore The vectors α, β, γ are L.D

(iii)

Given that

$\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and

vectors are $\alpha = (-1, 2, 1), \beta = (3, 0, -1), \gamma = (-5, 4, 3)$

By writing the coordinates of α, β, γ in rows of a matrix we get

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & -1 \\ -5 & 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det B = \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & -1 \\ -5 & 4 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = -1(0+4) - 2(9-5) + 1(12) \\ = -4 - 8 + 12 \\ = 0$$

$\therefore \det B = 0 \Rightarrow B$ is singular matrix

\therefore The vectors α, β, γ are L.D

(iv) Given that

$\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and

vectors are $\alpha = (1, 1, 0), \beta = (1, 0, 1), \gamma = (0, 1, 1)$

By writing the coordinates of α, β, γ in rows of a matrix, we get

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det B = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1(0-1) - 1(1-0) + 0(1-0) \\ = -1 - 1 \\ = -2$$

$\therefore \det B = -2 \Rightarrow B$ is non-singular matrix

\therefore The vectors α, β, γ are L.I

(v) Given that

$\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and

vectors are $\alpha = (-2, 0, 3)$, $\beta = (1, 3, 0)$, $\gamma = (2, 4, -1)$

By writing the coordinates of α, β, γ in rows of a matrix, we get

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det B = \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 0 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -2(-3) + 3(4-6)$$

$$= 6 - 6 = 0$$

$\therefore \det B = 0 \Rightarrow B$ is singular matrix

\therefore The vectors α, β, γ are L.D

14) Determine the set of vectors $\{(2, 0, 5), (3, -5, 8), (4, -2, 1), (0, 0, 1)\}$ is

linearly independent or dependent over $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$.

Given that: $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and

$$S = \{(2, 0, 5), (3, -5, 8), (4, -2, 1), (0, 0, 1)\} \subset \mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$$

Let $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$a(2, 0, 5) + b(3, -5, 8) + c(4, -2, 1) + d(0, 0, 1) = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow (2a, 0, 5a) + (3b, -5b, 8b) + (4c, -2c, c) + (0, 0, d) = (0, 0, 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a + 3b + 4c = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow -5b - 2c = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 5a + 8b + c + d = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

$$\text{eq } \textcircled{2} \Rightarrow -5b = 2c$$

$$b = \frac{-2c}{5}$$

$$\text{eq ①} \Rightarrow 2a - \frac{6c}{5} + 4c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 10a - 6c + 20c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 10a + 14c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 5a + 7c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 5a = -7c$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{-7c}{5}$$

$$\text{eq ③} \Rightarrow -7c - \frac{16c}{5} + c + d = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -35c - 16c + 5c + 5d = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -46c = -5d$$

$$\Rightarrow d = \frac{46c}{5}$$

$$\therefore a = \frac{-7c}{5}, b = \frac{-2c}{5}, d = \frac{46c}{5}$$

\therefore at least one of a, b, c, d must be not zero

$\therefore S$ is L.D

15) Determine whether the following sets of vectors in $\mathbb{R}^4(\mathbb{R})$ is linearly independent (or) dependent

(i) $\{(0, 1, 0, 1), (1, 2, 3, -1), (1, 0, 1, 0), (0, 3, 2, 0)\}$

(ii) $\{(1, 2, -1, 1), (0, 1, -1, 2), (2, 1, 0, 3), (1, 1, 0, 0)\}$

(iii) $\{(1, 1, 2, 4), (2, -1, -5, 2), (1, -1, -4, 0), (2, 1, 1, 6)\}$

Given that: $\mathbb{R}^4(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and vectors are α

By writing the coordinates of $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ in rows of a matrix, we get

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det B = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$= 0 - 1 \{ -1(2) \} + 0 + \{ 3 - 2(2) + 3(3) \}$$

$$= 2 - 3 + 4 + 9 = 2 - 2 + 9 = 9 \neq 0$$

$\therefore \det B = 0 \Rightarrow B$ is singular matrix

\therefore The vectors $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ are L.D

Given that: $\mathbb{R}^4(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and $S = \{(0, 1, 0, 1), (1, 2, 3, -1), (1, 0, 1, 0), (0, 3, 2, 0)\} \subset \mathbb{R}^4(\mathbb{R})$

Let $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$a(0, 1, 0, 1) + b(1, 2, 3, -1) + c(1, 0, 1, 0) + d(0, 3, 2, 0) = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow (0, a, 0, a) + (b, 2b, 3b, -b) + (c, 0, c, 0) + (0, 3d, 2d, 0) = (0, 0, 0, 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow b + c = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$a + 2b + 3d = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$3b + c + 2d = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

$$a - b = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

From eq $\textcircled{4}$ $a = b$

From eq $\textcircled{1}$ $b = -c$

sub eq $a = b$ in eq $\textcircled{1}$

From eq $\textcircled{4}$ $a = -c$

$$\Rightarrow a + c = 0$$

From eq $\textcircled{3}$ $-3c + c + 2d = 0$

$$a = -c$$

$$-2c = -2d$$

From eq $\textcircled{3}$ $-c + 2a = 0$

From eq $\textcircled{2}$

$$-c - 2c + 3d = 0$$

$$\therefore a = -c, b = -c, d = c$$

\therefore The given vectors are L.D

(ii) Given that: $\mathbb{R}^4(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and $S = \{(1, 2, -1, 1), (0, 1, -1, 2), (2, 1, 0, 3), (1, 1, 0, 0)\} \subset \mathbb{R}^4(\mathbb{R})$

Let $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$a(1, 2, -1, 1) + b(0, 1, -1, 2) + c(2, 1, 0, 3) + d(1, 1, 0, 0) = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow (a, 2a, -a, a) + (0, b, -b, 2b) + (2c, c, 0, 3c) + (d, d, 0, 0) = (0, 0, 0, 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow a + 2c + d = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$2a + b + c + d = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$-a - b = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

$$a + 2b + 3c = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

From eq $\textcircled{3}$

$$-a = b$$

$$a = -b$$

From eq ④

$$-b + 2b + 3c = 0$$

$$b + 3c = 0$$

$$b = -3c$$

$$\therefore a = -b$$

$$a = -(-3c) = 3c$$

From eq ②

$$2(3c) + 2(-3c) + c + d = 0$$

$$7c - 3c + d = 0$$

$$d = -4c$$

$$\therefore a = 3c, b = -3c, d = -4c$$

\therefore The given vectors are L.D

Given that: $\mathbb{R}^4(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and

$$S = \{(1, 1, 2, 4), (2, -1, -5, 2), (1, -1, -4, 0), (2, 1, 1, 6)\}$$

Let $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$a(1, 1, 2, 4) + b(2, -1, -5, 2) + c(1, -1, -4, 0) + d(2, 1, 1, 6) = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow (a, a, 2a, 4a) + (2b, -2b, -5b, 2b) + (c, -c, -4c, 0) + (2d, d, d, 6d) = (0, 0, 0, 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow a + 2b + c + 2d = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$a - 2b - c + d = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$2a - 5b - 4c + d = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

$$4a + 2b + 6d = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

$$\vec{0} = (0, 0, 0, 0) = a(1, 1, 2, 4) + b(2, -1, -5, 2) + c(1, -1, -4, 0) + d(2, 1, 1, 6)$$

$$\Rightarrow a + 2b + c + 2d = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$a - 2b - c + d = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$2a - 5b - 4c + d = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

$$4a + 2b + 6d = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

From eq ⑤

$$-d = 0$$

$$d = 0$$

16) If two vectors are linearly dependent then prove that one of them is a scalar multiple of the other.

Let α, β be two L.D vectors

$\Rightarrow \exists$ two scalars a, b , not all zero, such that

$$a\alpha + b\beta = \vec{0}$$

$\therefore a, b$ are not both zero [at least one of them is nonzero]

say $a \neq 0$

$$\text{Then } a\alpha = -b\beta$$

$$\alpha = \left(-\frac{b}{a}\right)\beta$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = c\beta, \quad c = -\frac{b}{a}$$

$\Rightarrow \alpha$ is scalar multiple of β by c

\therefore any two L.D must be scalar multiple of other.

17) If α, β, γ are L.I vectors then prove that $\alpha+\beta, \beta+\gamma, \gamma+\alpha$ are also L.I

Let $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$

consider

$$a(\alpha+\beta) + b(\beta+\gamma) + c(\gamma+\alpha) = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow a\alpha + a\beta + b\beta + b\gamma + c\gamma + c\alpha = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow (a+c)\alpha + (a+b)\beta + (b+c)\gamma = \vec{0}$$

$\therefore \alpha, \beta, \gamma$ are L.I

$$\Rightarrow a+c=0 \text{---} \textcircled{1}, \quad b+a=0 \text{---} \textcircled{2}, \quad b+c=0 \text{---} \textcircled{3}$$

$$\text{Add } \textcircled{1}, \textcircled{2} \Rightarrow a+a+b+c=0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2a+0=0 \Rightarrow \boxed{a=0}$$

by $b=0, c=0$

$$\therefore a(\alpha+\beta) + b(\beta+\gamma) + c(\gamma+\alpha) = \vec{0} \Rightarrow a=b=c=0$$

$\therefore (\alpha+\beta), (\beta+\gamma), (\gamma+\alpha)$ are L.I where α, β, γ are L.I

18) prove that the set $\{(1,0,0,-1), (0,1,0,-1), (0,0,1,-1), (0,0,0,1)\}$ is L.I in $V_4(\mathbb{R})$

Given that

$$S = \{(1,0,0,-1), (0,1,0,-1), (0,0,1,-1), (0,0,0,1)\}$$

clearly $S \subset V_4(\mathbb{R})$

$$\text{Take } \alpha = (1,0,0,-1), \quad \beta = (0,1,0,-1), \quad \gamma = (0,0,1,-1), \quad \delta = (0,0,0,1)$$

Let $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$a\alpha + b\beta + c\gamma + d\delta = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow a(1,0,0,-1) + b(0,1,0,-1) + c(0,0,1,-1) + d(0,0,0,1) = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow (a,0,0,-a) + (0,b,0,-b) + (0,0,c,-c) + (0,0,0,d) = (0,0,0,0)$$

$$\Rightarrow a=0 \quad (a,b,c,-a-b-c+d) = (0,0,0,0)$$

$$\Rightarrow b=0 \Rightarrow a=0, b=0, c=0, -a-b-c+d=0 \Rightarrow d=0$$

$\therefore a\alpha + b\beta + c\gamma + d\delta = \vec{0}$ implies $a=0, b=0, c=0, d=0$

$\therefore \alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ are L.I vectors

The set S is L.I set

19) Show that the set $\{1, x, x-x^2\}$ is L.I set of vectors in $F(x)$ over the field of real numbers

Given that

$S = \{1, x, x-x^2\} \subset F(x)$ and R be the field of real numbers

Let $a, b, c \in R$ such that

$$a \cdot 1 + b \cdot x + c(x-x^2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a + bx + cx - cx^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a + (b+c)x - cx^2 = 0 \cdot 1 + 0 \cdot x + 0 \cdot x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a=0, b+c=0, -c=0$$

$$\Rightarrow b=0 \Rightarrow c=0$$

$$\therefore a \cdot 1 + b \cdot x + c(x-x^2) = 0 \Rightarrow a=b=c=0$$

$\therefore \{1, x, x-x^2\}$ is L.I set

20) Determine the set $\{P_1(x), P_2(x)\}$, where $P_1(x) = 1-2x+3x^2, P_2(x) = 2-3x$ in the vector space of all polynomials over R is L.I or L.D

Given that

$S = \{P_1(x), P_2(x)\} \subset F(x)$ and R be the field of real numbers

$$P_1(x) = 1-2x+3x^2, P_2(x) = 2-3x$$

Let $a, b \in R$, such that

$$aP_1(x) + bP_2(x) = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow a[1-2x+3x^2] + b[2-3x] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a - 2ax + 3ax^2 + 2b - 3bx = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (a+2b) + (-2a-3b)x + 3ax^2 = 0 = 0 \cdot 1 + 0 \cdot x + 0 \cdot x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow a+2b=0 \rightarrow \textcircled{1} \quad -2a-3b=0 \rightarrow \textcircled{2} \quad 3a=0 \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow a=0$$

$$\Rightarrow b=0$$

$$\therefore aP_1(x) + bP_2(x) = 0 \Rightarrow a=b=0$$

$\therefore P_1(x), P_2(x)$ are L.I

\therefore The set S is L.I set

21) Under what conditions on the scalar β , the set $\{(\beta, 1, 0), (1, \beta, 1), (0, 1, \beta)\} \subset \mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$ is linearly dependent

Given that

$$S = \{(\beta, 1, 0), (1, \beta, 1), (0, 1, \beta)\} \subset \mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$$

By writing the elements of S as rows of a matrix we have

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} \beta & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & \beta & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & \beta \end{bmatrix}$$

S is linearly dependent $\Leftrightarrow B$ is singular

$$\Leftrightarrow \det B = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{vmatrix} \beta & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & \beta & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & \beta \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \beta(\beta^2 - 1) - 1(\beta) = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \beta(\beta^2 - 1 - 1) = 0 \quad \beta \neq 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \beta^2 - 2 = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \beta = \pm\sqrt{2}$$

$\therefore S$ is L.D $\Leftrightarrow \beta = \pm\sqrt{2}$

22) \mathbb{B}^V be the vector space of 2×3 matrices over \mathbb{R} then show that the vectors A, B, C forms a L.I set, where $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$,

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -3 \\ -2 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}, C = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Given that

$$A = 2$$

Given that

v be the vector space of 2×3 matrices over \mathbb{R}

Let $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$, such that

$$aA + bB + cC = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} + b \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -3 \\ -2 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} + c \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2a & a & -a \\ 3a & -2a & 4a \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} b & b & -3b \\ -2b & 0 & 5b \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 4c & -c & 2c \\ c & -2c & -3c \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2a+b+4c & a+b-c & -a-3b+2c \\ 3a-2b+c & -2a-2c & 4a+5b-3c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$2a+b+4c=0 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}, \quad a+b-c=0 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}, \quad -a-3b+2c=0 \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

$$3a-2b+c=0 \rightarrow \textcircled{4}, \quad -2a-2c=0 \rightarrow \textcircled{5}, \quad 4a+5b-3c=0 \rightarrow \textcircled{6}$$

$$\text{eq } ② + ④ \Rightarrow 4a - b = 0 \rightarrow ⑦$$

$$\text{eq } ③ + ⑤ \Rightarrow -3a - 3b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a + b = 0 \rightarrow ⑧$$

$$⑦ + ⑧ \Rightarrow 5a = 0 \Rightarrow a = 0$$

$$\text{eq } ⑧ \Rightarrow b = 0$$

$$\text{eq } ⑤ \Rightarrow c = 0$$

$$\therefore aA + bB + cC = 0 \Rightarrow a = b = c = 0$$

$\therefore \{A, B, C\}$ is L.I

23) Show that the set $\{A, B\}$, where $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 4 \\ 3 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -6 & 12 \\ 9 & 3 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$ is L.D or L.I over the vector space of 2×3 matrices over \mathbb{R} .

Given that

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 4 \\ 3 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -6 & 12 \\ 9 & 3 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

V be the vector space of 2×3 matrices over \mathbb{R}

Let $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$aA + bB = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 4 \\ 3 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} + b \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -6 & 12 \\ 9 & 3 & -3 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} a & -2a & 4a \\ 3a & a & -a \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 3b & -6b & 12b \\ 9b & 3b & -3b \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} a+3b & -2a-6b & 4a+12b \\ 3a+9b & a+3b & -a-3b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow a+3b = 0 \rightarrow ①, -2a-6b = 0 \rightarrow ②, 4a+12b = 0 \rightarrow ③$$

$$3a+9b = 0 \rightarrow ④, a+3b = 0 \rightarrow ⑤, -a-3b = 0 \rightarrow ⑥$$

From eq ① $a = -3b$

$$② \quad a + 3b = 0$$

$$a = -3b$$

\therefore At least one of a, b are not zero

$\therefore S$ is L.D

24) Express the vector $\alpha = (1, -2, 5)$ as a linear combination of the vectors $e_1 = (1, 1, 1)$, $e_2 = (1, 2, 3)$ & $e_3 = (2, -1, 1)$

Given that

$$\alpha = (1, -2, 5) \text{ and}$$

$$e_1 = (1, 1, 1), e_2 = (1, 2, 3) \text{ \& } e_3 = (2, -1, 1)$$

Now

$$\alpha = ae_1 + be_2 + ce_3 \rightarrow \text{① where } a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow (1, -2, 5) = a(1, 1, 1) + b(1, 2, 3) + c(2, -1, 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow (1, -2, 5) = (a, a, a) + (b, 2b, 3b) + (2c, -c, c) \\ = (a+b+2c, a+2b-c, a+3b+c)$$

Equating the corresponding terms, we get:

$$a+b+2c=1 \rightarrow \text{②}$$

$$a+2b-c=-2 \rightarrow \text{③}$$

$$a+3b+c=5 \rightarrow \text{④}$$

$$\text{eq ③} + \text{④} \Rightarrow 2a+5b=3 \rightarrow \text{⑤}$$

$$\text{eq ②} + 2 \times \text{eq ③} \Rightarrow a+b+2c=1$$

$$2a+4b-2c=-4$$

$$\underline{\hspace{1cm}} \\ 3a+5b=-3 \rightarrow \text{⑥}$$

$$\text{eq ⑥} - \text{⑤} \Rightarrow \boxed{a=-6}$$

$$\text{eq ⑤} \Rightarrow 5b=3+12$$

$$5b=15 \Rightarrow \boxed{b=3}$$

$$\text{eq ②} \Rightarrow -6+3+2c=1$$

$$-3+2c=1$$

$$2c=4$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{c=2}$$

Using the values of a, b, c in eq ①, we get

$$\alpha = -6e_1 + 3e_2 + 2e_3$$

i.e. α is linear combination of e_1, e_2, e_3

25) Show that the vector $\alpha = (2, -5, 3)$ in \mathbb{R}^3 cannot be expressed as linear combination of the vectors $e_1 = (1, -3, 2), e_2 = (2, -4, -1), e_3 = (1, -5, 7)$

Given that

$$\alpha = (2, -5, 3) \text{ and}$$

$$e_1 = (1, -3, 2), e_2 = (2, -4, -1), e_3 = (1, -5, 7)$$

Now

$$\alpha = ae_1 + be_2 + ce_3 \rightarrow \text{①, where } a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow (2, -5, 3) = a(1, -3, 2) + b(2, -4, -1) + c(1, -5, 7)$$

$$= (a, -3a, 2a) + (2b, -4b, -b) + (c, -5c, 7c)$$

$$= (a+2b+c, -3a-4b-5c, 2a-b+7c)$$

Equating the corresponding terms, we get

$$a+2b+c=2 \rightarrow (2)$$

$$3a+4b+5c=5 \rightarrow (3)$$

$$2a-b+7c=3 \rightarrow (4)$$

$$\text{eq (2)} + 2 \times \text{eq (4)} \Rightarrow a+2b+c=2$$

$$4a-2b+14c=6$$

$$5a+15c=8 \rightarrow (5)$$

$$\text{eq (3)} - 2 \times \text{eq (2)} \Rightarrow 3a+4b+5c=5$$

$$2a+4b+2c=4$$

$$a+3c=1 \rightarrow (6)$$

$$\text{eq (5)} - 5 \times \text{eq (6)} \Rightarrow 5a+15c=8$$

$$5a+15c=5$$

$0=3 \Rightarrow$ which is contradiction

$\therefore \alpha$ cannot be expressed as linear combination of e_1, e_2, e_3

26) show that the subset $S = \{(1,0,0), (0,1,0), (0,0,1)\}$ of $V_3(\mathbb{R})$ generate the entire vector space of $V_3(\mathbb{R})$

Given that

$V_3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and

$$S = \{(1,0,0), (0,1,0), (0,0,1)\}$$

Since $V_3(\mathbb{R})$ is the set of all possible triads over the field \mathbb{R} .

$$\therefore S \subseteq V_3(\mathbb{R})$$

$$\Rightarrow L(S) \subseteq V_3(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow (1)$$

Let $(a,b,c) \in V_3(\mathbb{R})$

Then

$$(a,b,c) = (a,0,0) + (0,b,0) + (0,0,c)$$

$$= a(1,0,0) + b(0,1,0) + c(0,0,1)$$

= L.C of elements of $S \in L(S)$

$$\therefore (a,b,c) \in L(S)$$

$$\therefore (a,b,c) \in V_3(\mathbb{R}) \Rightarrow (a,b,c) \in L(S)$$

$$\Rightarrow V_3(\mathbb{R}) \subseteq L(S) \rightarrow (2)$$

Combining eq's (1) & (2), we get

$$V_3(\mathbb{R}) = L(S)$$

\therefore The vector space $V_3(\mathbb{R})$ is generated by S .

27) show that the following set of vectors $S = \{(1,0,0), (1,1,0), (1,1,1)\}$

generates the vector space of $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

Given that

$\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R}) = V_3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and

$$S = \{(1,0,0), (1,1,0), (1,1,1)\}$$

since $V_3(\mathbb{R})$ is the set of all possible triads over the field \mathbb{R}

$$\therefore S \subseteq V_3(\mathbb{R})$$

$$\Rightarrow L(S) \subseteq V_3(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$\text{Let } (a,b,c) \in V_3(\mathbb{R})$$

suppose $x, y, z \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$(a,b,c) = x(1,0,0) + y(1,1,0) + z(1,1,1) \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$= (x, 0, 0) + (y, y, 0) + (z, z, z)$$

$$= (x+y+z, y+z, z)$$

Equating the corresponding terms, we get

$$\begin{cases} x+y+z = a \\ y+z = b \\ z = c \end{cases} \Rightarrow y = b - c$$

$$\text{eq 2} \Rightarrow x + b - c + c = a$$

$$\Rightarrow x = a - b$$

put the values of x, y, z in eq 2, we get

$$(a,b,c) = (a-b)(1,0,0) + (b-c)(1,1,0) + c(1,1,1)$$

$$= \text{L.C of elements of } S \in L(S)$$

$$\therefore (a,b,c) \in L(S)$$

$$\therefore (a,b,c) \in V_3(\mathbb{R}) \Rightarrow (a,b,c) \in L(S)$$

$$\therefore V_3(\mathbb{R}) \subseteq L(S) \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

Combining eq 1 & 2, we get

$$\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R}) = V_3(\mathbb{R}) = L(S)$$

$\therefore \mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$ is generated by S

28) show that each of the following sets generates the vector space

$$\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R}) \quad \text{(i) } S = \{(1,2,3), (0,1,2), (0,0,1)\} \quad \text{(ii) } S = \{(1,2,1), (2,1,0), (1,-1,2)\}$$

29) In the vector space $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$ the set $S = \{(1,0,0), (0,1,0)\}$ then find $L(S)$

Given that

$$\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R}) = V_3(\mathbb{R}) \text{ be the vector space and}$$

$$S = \left\{ \underset{\alpha_1}{(1,0,0)}, \underset{\alpha_2}{(0,1,0)} \right\}$$

The Linear span of S is denoted by $L(S)$ & defined as

$$L(S) = \left\{ \alpha / \alpha = \sum_{i=1}^2 a_i \alpha_i \right\}$$

$$= \left\{ \alpha = (a,b,c) / \alpha = (a,b,c) = a_1 \alpha_1 + a_2 \alpha_2 \right\}$$

$$= \{x = (a, b, c) / x = (a, b, c) = a_1(1, 0, 0) + a_2(0, 1, 0)\}$$

$$= \{x/x = (a, b, c) = (a, 0, 0) + (0, a_2, 0)\}$$

$$= \{x/x = (a, a_2, 0)\}$$

28) (i) Given that

$R^3(R) = V_3(R)$ be the vector space and

$$S = \{(1, 2, 3), (0, 1, 2), (0, 0, 1)\}$$

since $V_3(R)$ is the set of all possible triads over the field R

$$\therefore S \subseteq V_3(R)$$

$$\Rightarrow L(S) \subseteq V_3(R) \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

Let $(a, b, c) \in V_3(R)$

suppose $x, y, z \in R$ such that

$$(a, b, c) = x(1, 2, 3) + y(0, 1, 2) + z(0, 0, 1) \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$= (xc, 2xc, 3xc) + (0, y, 2y) + (0, 0, z)$$

$$= (xc, 2xc+y, 3xc+2y+z)$$

Equating the corresponding terms, we get

$$\begin{cases} x = a \\ 2xc + y = b \\ 3xc + 2y + z = c \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} 2a + y = b \\ y = b - 2a \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3a + 2(b - 2a) + z = c$$

$$\Rightarrow 3a + 2b - 4a + z = c$$

$$\Rightarrow -2a + 2b + z = c$$

$$\Rightarrow z = c + 2a - 2b$$

put the values of x, y, z in eq (2), we get

$$(a, b, c) = a(1, 2, 3) + (b - 2a)(0, 1, 2) + (c + 2a - 2b)(0, 0, 1)$$

= L.c of elements of $S \in L(S)$

$$\therefore (a, b, c) \in L(S)$$

$$\therefore (a, b, c) \in V_3(R) \Rightarrow (a, b, c) \in L(S)$$

$$\therefore V_3(R) \subseteq L(S) \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

combining eq (1) & (2), we get

$$R^3(R) = V_3(R) = L(S)$$

$\therefore R^3(R)$ is generated by S

UNIT-II

Basis and Dimensions

Basis of a vector space

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space & S be a non empty subset of $V(F)$ then S is said to be the ~~basis~~ ^{Basis} of $V(F)$. If it satisfies following properties

- 1) S is linearly independent.
- 2) V is spanned by S i.e. $V(F) = L(S)$ ($L(S) = V$)

Note

A vector space may have more than one basis

Standard basis

A vector space may have more than one basis & every vector space has a standard basis, they are given by

i) The vector space $R^2(R)$ has a standard basis, given by $\{(1,0), (0,1)\}$

ii) The vector space $R^3(R)$ has a standard basis given by $\{(1,0,0), (0,1,0), (0,0,1)\}$

iii) The vector space $R^4(R)$ has a standard basis given by $\{(1,0,0,0), (0,1,0,0), (0,0,1,0), (0,0,0,1)\}$

iv) The general vector space $R^n(R)$ has a standard basis given by $\{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n\}$ where $e_1 = (1, 0, \dots, 0)$, $e_2 = (0, 1, \dots, 0, \dots, 0)$, $e_n = (0, 0, \dots, 0, 1)$

Finite dimensional vector space

A vector space $V(F)$ is said to be finite dimensional if it has a finite basis (or) A vector space $V(F)$ is said to be finite dimensional if there is a finite subset S in V such that $L(S) = V$

Theorem-1

If $V(F)$ be a finite dimensional vector space then there exists a basis set of V .

Proof:-

Given that

Let $V(F)$ be a finite dimensional vector space.

Then by def, \exists a finite set

$S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\} \subset V(F)$ such that

$$L(S) = V$$

If S is L.I then

S is a basis for $V(F)$

{ Assume that
 $\alpha_i \neq 0, \forall i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ }

If S is L.D, then \exists a vector

$\alpha_i \in S$ such that

α_i can be written as L.C of its preceding vectors.

Define $S' = S - \{\alpha_i\}$

Then by previous theorem, we have

$$L(S) = L(S')$$

$$\Rightarrow L(S') = V$$

If S' is L.I

Then S' is basis for $V(F)$

Let if S' is L.D, then \exists a vector

$\alpha_j \in S'$ such that

α_j can be written as L.C of its preceding vectors.

Define $S'' = S' - \{\alpha_j\}$

Then $L(S'') = L(S')$

$$\Rightarrow L(S'') = V$$

If S'' is L.I

Then S'' is basis for $V(F)$

By proceeding in this manner after $(n-1)$ steps, we get a singleton set whose vector is non-zero vector such that

it is L.I

It forms a basis for $V(F)$

Hence, every finite dimensional vector space there exists a basis set of V

Note:-

$V(F)$ be a finite dimensional vector space & $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ be a L.I subset of $V(F)$. Then either S is itself a basis

V (or) S can be extended to form a basis of V . (or)

Every linearly independent set is itself a basis or it can be extended to form a basis of the vector space.

Theorem-2

Let $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ be a basis of a finite dimensional vector space $V(F)$. Then every element $\alpha \in V$, \exists a unique set of scalars $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \in F$ such that $\alpha = a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n$

Proof:-

Let $V(F)$ be a finite dimensional vector space and

$S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ be a basis of $V(F)$

Let $\alpha \in V$, Then \exists scalars

$a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \in F$ such that

$$\alpha = a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n$$

If possible let \exists another set of scalars

$b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n \in F$ such that

$$\alpha = b_1\alpha_1 + b_2\alpha_2 + \dots + b_n\alpha_n$$

Then

$$a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n = b_1\alpha_1 + b_2\alpha_2 + \dots + b_n\alpha_n$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n - b_1\alpha_1 - b_2\alpha_2 - \dots - b_n\alpha_n = \vec{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow (a_1 - b_1)\alpha_1 + (a_2 - b_2)\alpha_2 + \dots + (a_n - b_n)\alpha_n = \vec{0}$$

$\therefore S$ is L.I $\Rightarrow \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n$ are L.I vectors

$$\Rightarrow a_1 - b_1 = 0, a_2 - b_2 = 0, \dots, a_n - b_n = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 = b_1, a_2 = b_2, \dots, a_n = b_n$$

$\therefore \exists$ unique set of scalars such that

$$\alpha = a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n, \text{ where } a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \in F$$

Note:-

Every element of the vector space can be written as l.c. of elements of basis

Coordinates

Let $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ be the basis set of a finite dimensional vector space $V(F)$. Let $\beta \in V$ be given by $\beta = a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n$, where $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \in F$ then the scalars (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n) are called coordinates of the vector β .

Note:-

Coordinates of a vector change with the change of basis.

Imp 1) Show that the set of vectors $S = \{(1,1,2), (1,2,5), (5,3,4)\}$ do not form a basis of the vector space of $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

Given that

$\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and

$$S = \{(1,1,2), (1,2,5), (5,3,4)\}$$

By writing the elements of S as rows of a matrix, we get

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 5 \\ 5 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 3}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 5 \\ 5 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1, \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 5R_1$$

$$B \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & -2 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det A = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 5 \\ 5 & 3 & 4 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 0$$

$$\det A = 0$$

\Rightarrow Rows of A forms a L.D set

$\therefore S$ is not L.I

S is not a basis of $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

$$R_3 \rightarrow \frac{R_3}{(-2)}$$

$$B \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2$$

$$B \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

clearly B is in echelon form [upper triangular matrix form]

one row of B contains only zeros

$\therefore \text{Rank}(B) < 3$

\therefore The rows of B forms a L.D set

$\therefore S$ is L.D

$\therefore S$ is not a basis for $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

Imp 2) Show that the set of vectors $S = \{(2,1,4), (1,-1,2), (3,1,-2)\}$ forms a basis of $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

Given that

$\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and

$$S = \{(2,1,4), (1,-1,2), (3,1,-2)\}$$

By writing the elements of S as rows of a matrix, we get

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 3}$$

$$R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2$$

$$B \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 3 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 2R_1, R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 3R_1$$

$$B \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow \frac{R_2}{3}, R_3 \rightarrow \frac{R_3}{4}$$

$$B \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2$$

$$B \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Clearly B is in echelon form

No row of B contains only zeros

$$\therefore \text{rank}(B) = 3$$

\therefore The rows of B forms a L.I set

$\therefore S$ is L.I

Clearly, $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

$$\Rightarrow L(S) \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

Let $\alpha = (a, b, c) \in \mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

$$\text{Suppose } \alpha = (a, b, c) = p(2, 1, 4) + q(1, -1, 2) + r(3, 1, -2) \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$= (2p, p, 4p) + (q, -q, 2q) + (3r, r, -2r)$$

$$= (2p + q + 3r, p - q + r, 4p + 2q - 2r)$$

Equating the corresponding terms, we get

$$2p + q + 3r = a \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

$$p - q + r = b \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

$$4p + 2q - 2r = c \rightarrow \textcircled{5}$$

Adding $\textcircled{3}$ & $\textcircled{4}$

$$3p + 4r = a + b \rightarrow \textcircled{6}$$

$$eq(5) + 2 \times eq(4) \Rightarrow 4p + 2q - 2x = c$$

$$2p - 2q + 2x = 2b$$

$$6p = c + 2b$$

$$p = \frac{c+2b}{6}$$

$$eq(6) \Rightarrow \frac{3(c+2b)}{6} + 4x = a+b$$

$$\Rightarrow c+2b+8x = 2a+2b$$

$$\Rightarrow 8x = 2a - c$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{2a-c}{8}$$

$$eq(4) \Rightarrow \frac{c+2b}{6} - q + \frac{2a-c}{8} = b$$

$$\Rightarrow 4c + 8b - 24q + 6a - 3c = 24b$$

$$\Rightarrow 6a + c - 16b = 24q$$

$$\Rightarrow q = \frac{6a - 16b + c}{24}$$

Using p, q, x in eq(2), we get

$$\alpha = (a, b, c) = \left(\frac{c+2b}{6}\right)(2, 1, 4) + \left(\frac{6a-16b+c}{24}\right)(1, -1, 2) + \left(\frac{2a-c}{8}\right)(3, 1, -2)$$

= L.C of elements of $s \in L(S)$

$$\therefore \alpha \in L(S)$$

$$\therefore \alpha \in R^3(\mathbb{R}) \Rightarrow \alpha \in L(S) \Rightarrow R^3(\mathbb{R}) \subseteq L(S) \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

combining eq's $\textcircled{1}$ & $\textcircled{1}$, we get: $L(S) = R^3(\mathbb{R})$

Hence s is L.I & $L(S) = R^3(\mathbb{R})$

$\therefore s$ is a basis of $R^3(\mathbb{R})$

Imp 3) show that the set $\{(1, 2, 1), (2, 1, 0), (1, -1, 2)\}$ forms a basis of $R^3(\mathbb{R})$

Given that

$R^3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and

$$S = \{(1, 2, 1), (2, 1, 0), (1, -1, 2)\}$$

By writing the elements of S as rows of a matrix, we get

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

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 2R_1, \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$$

$$B \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & -3 & -2 \\ 0 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2$$

$$B \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & -3 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

clearly, B is in echelon form [upper triangular matrix form]

No row of B contains only zeros.

$$\therefore \text{rank}(B) = 3$$

\therefore The rows of B forms a L.I set

$\therefore S$ is L.I

Since $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

$$\Rightarrow L(S) \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

Let $\alpha = (a, b, c) \in \mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

$$\text{suppose } \alpha = (a, b, c) = p(1, 2, 1) + q(2, 1, 0) + r(1, -1, 2) \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$= (p, 2p, p) + (2q, q, 0) + (r, -r, 2r)$$

$$= (p+2q+r, 2p+q-r, p+2r)$$

Equating the corresponding terms, we get

$$p+2q+r = a \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

$$2p+q-r = b \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

$$p+2r = c \rightarrow \textcircled{5}$$

$$\text{eq } \textcircled{3} - 2 \times \textcircled{4} \Rightarrow p+2q+r = a$$

$$4p+2q-2r = 2b$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 4p+2q-2r = 2b \\ - \\ p+2q+r = a \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow -p+r = \frac{a-2b}{3} \rightarrow \textcircled{6}$$

Adding eq $\textcircled{5}$ & $\textcircled{6}$, we get

$$3r = \frac{a-2b}{3} + c$$

$$3r = \frac{a-2b+3c}{3}$$

$$r = \frac{a-2b+3c}{9}$$

$$\text{eq } \textcircled{5} \Rightarrow p + \frac{2}{9}[a-2b+3c] = c$$

$$9p + 2a - 4b + 6c = 9c \Rightarrow 9p = -2a + 4b + 3c \Rightarrow p = \frac{1}{9}[-2a + 4b + 3c]$$

$$\text{eq (4)} \Rightarrow \frac{2}{9}[-2a+4b+3c] + 9a - \frac{1}{9}[a-2b+3c] = b$$

$$\Rightarrow -4a + 8b + 6c + 9a - a + 2b - 3c = 9b$$

$$\Rightarrow 9a = 5a - b - 3c$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{1}{9}[5a - b - 3c]$$

using the values of p, a, x in eq (2), we get

$$\alpha = (a, b, c) = \frac{1}{9}[-2a+4b+3c](1, 2, 1) + \frac{1}{9}[5a-b-3c](2, 1, 0) + \frac{1}{9}[a-2b+3c](1, -1, 2)$$

$$= \text{L.C of elements of } s \in L(s)$$

$$\therefore \alpha \in L(s)$$

$$\therefore \alpha \in R^3(\mathbb{R}) \Rightarrow \alpha \in L(s)$$

$$\therefore R^3(\mathbb{R}) \subseteq L(s) \rightarrow \text{⑦}$$

From eq's ① & ⑦, we get

$$L(s) = R^3(\mathbb{R})$$

Hence s is L.I and $L(s) = R^3(\mathbb{R})$

$\therefore s$ is a basis of $R^3(\mathbb{R})$

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 (4) show that the set $\{(1, 0, 0), (1, 1, 0), (1, 1, 1)\}$ is a basis of $C^3(C)$. Here find the coordinates of the vectors $(3+4i, 6i, 3+7i)$

$$(ii) (2i, 3+4i, 5) \quad (iii) (6i, 7, 8i) \quad \text{⑧}$$

Given vector space is $C^3(C)$ and

$$s = \{(1, 0, 0), (1, 1, 0), (1, 1, 1)\}$$

By writing the elements of s as rows of a matrix, we get

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1, \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$$

$$B \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2$$

$$B \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cong I_3$$

$$\therefore \text{Rank}(B) = 3$$

$\therefore S$ is L.I

clearly $S \subseteq C^3(C)$

$$\Rightarrow L(S) \subseteq C^3(C) \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$\text{Let } \alpha = (a, b, c) \in C^3(C)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{suppose } \alpha = (a, b, c) &= p(1, 0, 0) + q(1, 1, 0) + r(1, 1, 1) \rightarrow \textcircled{2} \\ &= (p, 0, 0) + (q, q, 0) + (r, r, r) \\ &= (p+q+r, q+r, r) \end{aligned}$$

Equating the corresponding terms, we get

$$p+q+r = a \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

$$q+r = b \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

$$r = c \rightarrow \textcircled{5}$$

$$\text{eq } \textcircled{4} \quad q = b - c$$

$$\text{eq } \textcircled{3} \Rightarrow p + b - c + c = a$$

$$\Rightarrow p = a - b$$

Using the values of p, q, r in eq $\textcircled{2}$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha = (a, b, c) &= (a-b)(1, 0, 0) + (b-c)(1, 1, 0) + c(1, 1, 1) \rightarrow \textcircled{6} \\ &= \text{L.C. of elements of } S \in L(S) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \alpha \in L(S)$$

$$\therefore \alpha \in C^3(C) \Rightarrow \alpha \in L(S)$$

$$\therefore C^3(C) \subseteq L(S) \rightarrow \textcircled{7}$$

From eq's $\textcircled{1}$ & $\textcircled{7}$, we get

$$L(S) = C^3(C)$$

Hence S is L.I and $L(S) = C^3(C)$

$\therefore S$ is a basis for $C^3(C)$

From eq $\textcircled{6}$

The coordinates of (a, b, c) are $(a-b, b-c, c)$

$$\text{i) coordinates of } (3+4i, 6i, 3+7i) = (3-2i, -3-i, 3+7i)$$

$$\text{ii) coordinates of } (2i, 3+4i, 5) = (-3-2i, -2+4i, 5)$$

$$\text{iii) coordinates of } (6i, 7, 8i) = (6i-7, 7-8i, 8i)$$

5) show that the set of vectors $\{(2,1,0), (0,1,2), (-7,2,5)\}$ is not a basis of $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

6) show that the set of vectors $\{(1,1,0), (1,0,1), (0,1,1)\}$ is a basis for $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

Given that

$\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and

$$S = \{(2,1,0), (0,1,2), (-7,2,5)\}$$

By writing the elements of S as rows of a matrix, we get

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ -7 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

6) Given that

$\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and

$$S = \{(1,1,0), (1,0,1), (0,1,1)\} \text{ and}$$

By writing the elements of S as rows of a matrix, we get

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 = R_2 - R_1$$

$$B \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 2R_1$$

$$B \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3 = R_3 - R_2$$

$$B \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Clearly B is in echelon form [upper triangular matrix form]

no row of B contains only zeros

$$\therefore \text{rank}(B) = 3$$

\therefore The rows of B forms a L.I. set

$\therefore S$ is L.I.

$\therefore S$ is not a basis for $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

7) Find the coordinates of $(2, 3, 4, -1)$ with respect to the basis of $V_4(\mathbb{R})$. $B = \{(1, 1, 1, 2), (1, -1, 0, 0), (0, 0, 1, 1), (0, 1, 0, 0)\}$

Given basis of $V_4(\mathbb{R})$ is

$$B = \{(1, 1, 1, 2), (1, -1, 0, 0), (0, 0, 1, 1), (0, 1, 0, 0)\}$$

$$= \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3, \alpha_4\} \text{ say}$$

$$\text{Take } \alpha = (2, 3, 4, -1)$$

$$\text{and } \alpha_1 = (1, 1, 1, 2), \alpha_2 = (1, -1, 0, 0), \alpha_3 = (0, 0, 1, 1), \alpha_4 = (0, 1, 0, 0)$$

Suppose $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$\alpha = a\alpha_1 + b\alpha_2 + c\alpha_3 + d\alpha_4$, Then a, b, c, d are called coordinates of α

$$\Rightarrow (2, 3, 4, -1) = a(1, 1, 1, 2) + b(1, -1, 0, 0) + c(0, 0, 1, 1) + d(0, 1, 0, 0)$$

$$= (a, a, a, 2a) + (b, -b, 0, 0) + (0, 0, c, c) + (0, d, 0, 0)$$

$$= (a+b, a-b+d, a+c, 2a+c)$$

Equating the corresponding terms, we get

$$\Rightarrow a+b=2 \rightarrow \textcircled{1} \quad a-b+d=3 \rightarrow \textcircled{2} \quad a+c=4 \rightarrow \textcircled{3} \quad 2a+c=-1 \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

$$\text{eq } \textcircled{4} - \textcircled{3} \Rightarrow a = -5$$

$$\text{eq } \textcircled{3} \Rightarrow c = 4 - a$$

$$\Rightarrow c = 4 + 5 \Rightarrow c = 9$$

$$\text{eq } \textcircled{1} \Rightarrow b = 7$$

$$\text{eq } \textcircled{2} \Rightarrow -5 - 7 + d = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow d = 15$$

\therefore The coordinates of α w.r to B are $(a, b, c, d) = (-5, 7, 9, 15)$

8) Find the coordinates of α w.r to the basis set $\{(1, 1, 1), (1, 1, 1), (1, 0, -1)\}$, where $\alpha = 4, 5, 6$

Given Basis of $V_3(\mathbb{R})$ is

$$B = \{(1, 1, 1), (-1, 1, 1), (1, 0, -1)\}$$
$$= \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3\} \text{ say}$$

Take $\alpha = (4, 5, 6)$ and $\alpha_1 = (1, 1, 1)$, $\alpha_2 = (-1, 1, 1)$, $\alpha_3 = (1, 0, -1)$

Suppose $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$\alpha = a\alpha_1 + b\alpha_2 + c\alpha_3$, Then a, b, c are called coordinates of α

$$(4, 5, 6) \Rightarrow a(1, 1, 1) + b(-1, 1, 1) + c(1, 0, -1)$$
$$\Rightarrow (a, a, a) + (-b, b, b) + (c, 0, -c)$$
$$\Rightarrow (a - b + c, a + b, a + b - c)$$

Equating the equating terms, we get

$$a - b + c = 4 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}, \quad a + b = 5 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}, \quad a + b - c = 6 \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

Adding eq $\textcircled{1}$ & $\textcircled{3}$, we get

$$2a = 10 \Rightarrow \boxed{a = 5}$$

eq $\textcircled{2}$ $5 + b = 5$

$$\boxed{b = 0}$$

eq $\textcircled{3}$ $5 + 0 - c = 6$

$$-c = 1$$

$$\boxed{c = -1}$$

\therefore The coordinates of α w.r to B are $(a, b, c) = (5, 0, -1)$

9) Find the coordinates of the vector $\alpha = (1, 0, -1)$ w.r to the basis

$$\{(0, 1, -1), (1, 1, 0), (1, 0, 2)\}$$

Given Basis of $V_3(\mathbb{R})$ is

$$B = \{(0, 1, -1), (1, 1, 0), (1, 0, 2)\}$$
$$= \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3\} \text{ say}$$

Take $\alpha = (1, 0, -1)$ and $\alpha_1 = (0, 1, -1)$, $\alpha_2 = (1, 1, 0)$, $\alpha_3 = (1, 0, 2)$

Suppose $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$\alpha = a\alpha_1 + b\alpha_2 + c\alpha_3$, Then a, b, c are called coordinates of α

$$(1, 0, -1) \Rightarrow a(0, 1, -1) + b(1, 1, 0) + c(1, 0, 2)$$

$$\Rightarrow (0, a, -a) + (b, b, 0) + (c, 0, 2c)$$

$$\Rightarrow (b+c, a+b, -a+2c)$$

Equating the corresponding terms, we get

$$b+c=1, \quad a+b=0, \quad -a+2c=-1$$

\rightarrow ①

\rightarrow ②

\rightarrow ③

From eq ② ~~$a = -b$~~

$$a+b-b-c+1=0$$

$$a-c=-1 \rightarrow$$
 ④

Adding ③ & ④

$$-a+2c+1+a-c+1=0$$

$$\boxed{c=-2}$$

From eq ① $b-2=1$

$$\boxed{b=3}$$

From ② $\boxed{a=-3}$

10) Find the coordinates of $\alpha = (1, 2, 3)$ w.r to the basis $\{(1, 1, 1), (-1, 1, 0), (1, 0, -1)\}$

Given basis of $V_3(\mathbb{R})$ is

$$B = \{(1, 1, 1), (-1, 1, 0), (1, 0, -1)\}$$

$$= \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3\} \text{ say}$$

Take $\alpha = (1, 2, 3)$ and $\alpha_1 = (1, 1, 1)$, $\alpha_2 = (-1, 1, 0)$, $\alpha_3 = (1, 0, -1)$

suppose $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$\alpha = a\alpha_1 + b\alpha_2 + c\alpha_3$, Then a, b, c are called coordinates of α

$$(1, 2, 3) \Rightarrow a(1, 1, 1) + b(-1, 1, 0) + c(1, 0, -1)$$

$$\Rightarrow (a, a, a) + (-b, b, 0) + (c, 0, -c)$$

$$\Rightarrow (a-b+c, a+b, a-c)$$

Equating the corresponding terms, we get

$$a-b+c=1 \rightarrow$$
 ①, $a+b=2 \rightarrow$ ②, $a-c=3 \rightarrow$ ③

$$\text{eq ②} - \text{③}$$

$$a+b-2-a+c+3=0$$

$$b+c=-1 \rightarrow$$
 ④

$$\text{eq ①} + \text{②}$$

$$a-b+c-1+a+b-2=0$$

$$2a+c=3 \rightarrow$$
 ⑤

$$c=3-2a \rightarrow$$
 ⑥

$$\text{⑥ in ③}$$

$$a-3+2a=3$$

$$3a=6 \Rightarrow \boxed{a=2}$$

$$\text{From ②}$$

$$2+b=2$$

$$\boxed{b=0}$$

$$\text{From ①}$$

$$2-0+c=1$$

$$\boxed{c=-1}$$

11) Under what conditions on the scalar $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ the set $\{(0, 1, \alpha), (\alpha, 0, 1), (\alpha, 1, 1+\alpha)\}$ is a basis of $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$

Given set is

$$S = \{(0, 1, \alpha), (\alpha, 0, 1), (\alpha, 1, 1+\alpha)\}$$

By writing the elements of S as rows of a matrix, we get

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & \alpha \\ \alpha & 0 & 1 \\ \alpha & 1 & 1+\alpha \end{bmatrix}$$

We know that basis is a L.I set

$$\Rightarrow \det B \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & \alpha \\ \alpha & 0 & 1 \\ \alpha & 1 & 1+\alpha \end{vmatrix} \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -1(\alpha + \alpha^2 - \alpha) + \alpha(\alpha) \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -\alpha^2 + \alpha^2 \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \neq 0$$

This is a contradiction

For any value of α , S is not L.I set

$\therefore S$ is not a basis for any α

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Theorem-3 [Invariance Theorem]

Let $V(F)$ be a finite dimensional vector space. Then any two basis of V have same number of elements.

Proof:-

Given that:

$V(F)$ be a finite dimensional vector space

Let $A = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ and

$B = \{\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_m\}$ are two bases of $V(F)$

Here no. of elements in $A = n$

and no. of elements in $B = m$

We have to prove that

$$n = m$$

Since A is a basis of $V(F)$

Then [by def of basis]

A is L.I and $L(A) = V(F)$

Since B is a basis of $V(F)$

$\Rightarrow B$ is L.I and $L(B) = V(F)$

Since B is L.I and $L(A) = V(F)$ A is a basis of $V(F)$

$\Rightarrow m \leq n \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$

Since A is L.I and $L(B) = V(F)$ B is a basis of $V(F)$

$\Rightarrow n \leq m \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$

combining eqs $\textcircled{1}$ & $\textcircled{2}$, we get

$$m = n$$

$\Rightarrow n(A) = n(B)$

\therefore Any two basis of $V(F)$ contains same no. of elements

Note:-

The no. of elements in a L.I set is less than or equal to the no. of elements in the basis

Dimension of vector space

Let $V(F)$ be a finite dimensional vector space. The no. of elements in any basis of V is called the dimension of V & is denoted by $\dim(V)$.

i.e $\dim(V) =$ The no. of elements in any basis of $V(F)$

Ex-1

We know that, the set $\{(1,0), (0,1)\}$ is a basis for $V_2(\mathbb{R}) = \mathbb{R}^2$

\therefore The $\dim(V_2(\mathbb{R})) = 2$

2) W.K.T, the set $\{(1,0,0), (0,1,0), (0,0,1)\}$ is basis for $V_3(\mathbb{R}) = \mathbb{R}^3$

\therefore The $\dim(V_3(\mathbb{R})) = 3$

Theorem-4

Every set of $n+1$ or more vectors in an n dimensional vector space is L.D

Proof:-

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space having dimension 'n'

$$\text{i.e } \dim(V) = n$$

\Rightarrow every basis of $V(F)$ contains n elements only

Let $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n, \alpha_{n+1}\}$ be a subset of $V(F)$ having

$(n+1)$ elements

If S is L.I $\Rightarrow S$ is itself a basis for $V(F)$ (or) it can be

extended to form a basis for $V(F)$

\Rightarrow In either case $\dim(V) > n+1$

This is a contradiction to the fact $\dim(V) = n$

$\therefore S$ is L.D

Hence, every subset of $(n+1)$ or more elements of an n dimensional vector space is L.D

Theorem-5

5th Let $V(F)$ be a finite dimensional vector space of dimension n . Then any set of n L.I vectors in V forms a basis of V .

Proof:-

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space having dimension n
i.e. $\dim(V) = n$

\Rightarrow every basis of $V(F)$ contains n elements only

Let $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ be a L.I subset of $V(F)$ having n elements.

If S is a basis for $V(F)$

Then there is nothing to prove

If S is not a basis & S is L.I

$\Rightarrow S$ can be extended to form a basis of $V(F)$

$\Rightarrow \dim(V) > n$

\Rightarrow This is a contradiction to the fact $\dim(V) = n$

Clearly, S is a basis for $V(F)$

Theorem-6

Let $V(F)$ be a finite dimensional vector space of dimension n .

Let S be the subset of n vectors of V such that $L(S) = V$. Then S is a basis of $V(F)$.

Proof:-

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space having dimension n
i.e. $\dim(V) = n$

\Rightarrow every basis of $V(F)$ contains n elements only

Let $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ be a subset of $V(F)$ having n elements

such that $L(S) = V$

we have to p.T S is a basis for $V(F)$

If S is L.I $\Rightarrow S$ is a basis for $V(F)$

If S is L.D \Rightarrow Then any proper subset of S forms a L.I set, which is a basis of $V(F)$

$$\Rightarrow \dim(V) < n$$

This is a contradiction

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$\therefore S$ is L.I

Then S is a basis for $V(F)$

Note

1) If V is a finite dimensional vector space of dimension n then V cannot be generated by a set of vectors whose no. of elements is less than n .

2) V is a vector space which is spanned by a finite set of vectors $\{\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n\}$ then any independent set of vectors in V is finite & contains not more than n elements

Dimension of a subspace

Let $V(F)$ be a finite dimensional vector space of dimension n & W be a subspace of V . Then the dimension of W is defined as

$$\text{dimension of } W \leq \dim(V)$$

$$\text{i.e. } \dim(W) \leq n$$

Theorem-7

$V(F)$ be a finite dimensional vector space of dimension n & W be a subspace of V . Then W is a finite dimensional vector space such that $\dim(W) \leq n$.

Proof:-

Given that

$V(F)$ be the finite dimensional vector space of dimension n .

Given that

W is a subspace of $V(F)$

$\therefore W$ is itself a vector space over F

Since $\dim(V) = n$

\Rightarrow every basis of $V(F)$ has n elements only

Let $B = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ be a basis of $V(F)$

$\therefore B$ is basis of $V(F)$

$\Rightarrow B$ is L.I and $L(B) = V$

Since $L(B) = V$

\Rightarrow every element of V can be written as L.C of elements of B

Since $W \subset V \Rightarrow$ every element of W is an element of V

\Rightarrow every element of W can be written as L.C of elements of B

$\Rightarrow L(B) = W$ & B is L.I

$\Rightarrow B$ is basis of W (\Rightarrow) any subset of B forms a basis of W

\therefore In either case, the basis of W contains $\leq n$ elements

$\therefore \dim(W) \leq n$

Theorem-8

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Let W_1 & W_2 be two subspaces of a finite dimensional vector space $V(F)$. Then $\dim(W_1 + W_2) = \dim(W_1) + \dim(W_2) - \dim(W_1 \cap W_2)$

Proof:-

Let $V(F)$ be the finite dimensional vector space and W_1, W_2 are any two subspaces of $V(F)$

$\therefore W_1, W_2$ are two subspaces of $V(F)$

$\Rightarrow W_1 + W_2$ and $W_1 \cap W_2$ are also subspaces of $V(F)$

$\therefore V(F)$ is finite dimensional

$\Rightarrow W_1 + W_2$ and $W_1 \cap W_2$ are also finite dimensional

ie They have a finite basis

Let $S = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$ be a basis of $W_1 \cap W_2$

$\Rightarrow S$ is L.I and $L(S) = W_1 \cap W_2$ and $\dim(W_1 \cap W_2) = n$

Since $W_1 \cap W_2 \subset W_1$ and $W_1 \cap W_2 \subset W_2$

$\Rightarrow S$ is L.I subset of W_1

$\Rightarrow S$ can be extended to form a basis of W_1

Let $S' = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n, \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_m\}$ be an extension of S &

a basis of W_1

$\Rightarrow S'$ is L.I & $\dim(W_1) = n + m$

$\therefore W_1 \cap W_2 \subset W_2$

$\Rightarrow S$ is L.I subset of W_2

$\Rightarrow S$ can be extended to form a basis of W_2

Let $S'' = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n, \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_k\}$ be an extension of S and a basis of W_2

$\Rightarrow S''$ is L.I and $\dim(W_2) = n+k$

$$\text{Now } \dim(W_1) + \dim(W_2) - \dim(W_1 \cap W_2) = n+m+n+k-n \\ = n+m+k$$

we have to prove that

$$\dim(W_1 + W_2) = n+m+k$$

consider a set

$$B = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n, \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_m, \gamma_1, \gamma_2, \dots, \gamma_k\}$$

If we p.T B is basis for $W_1 + W_2$

Then

$$\dim(W_1 + W_2) = n+m+k$$

To prove that B is L.I

consider an equation

$$a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n + b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_m\beta_m + c_1\gamma_1 + c_2\gamma_2 + \dots + c_k\gamma_k = 0 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

where a_i 's, b_i 's, c_i 's $\in F$

$$\Rightarrow b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_m\beta_m = -a_1\alpha_1 - a_2\alpha_2 - \dots - a_n\alpha_n - c_1\gamma_1 - c_2\gamma_2 - \dots - c_k\gamma_k \\ = \text{L.c of elements of } S'' \in L(S'') = W_2$$

$$\Rightarrow b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_m\beta_m \in W_2 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

$$\text{and } b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_m\beta_m = b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_m\beta_m + 0\alpha_1 + 0\alpha_2 + \dots + 0\alpha_n \\ = \text{L.c of elements of } S' \in L(S') = W_1$$

$$\Rightarrow b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_m\beta_m \in W_1 \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

combining eq $\textcircled{2}$ & $\textcircled{3}$, we get

$$\Rightarrow b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_m\beta_m \in W_1 \cap W_2$$

Since $b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_m\beta_m \in W_1 \cap W_2$ & S is a basis for $W_1 \cap W_2$

$$\Rightarrow b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_m\beta_m = d_1\alpha_1 + d_2\alpha_2 + \dots + d_n\alpha_n, d_i \in F$$

$$\Rightarrow b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_m\beta_m - d_1\alpha_1 - d_2\alpha_2 - \dots - d_n\alpha_n = \vec{0} \text{ \& } S' \text{ is L.I}$$

$$\Rightarrow b_1 = 0, b_2 = 0, \dots, b_m = 0, d_1 = 0, d_2 = 0, \dots, d_n = 0$$

Then eq $\textcircled{1} \Rightarrow$

$$a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n + c_1\gamma_1 + c_2\gamma_2 + \dots + c_k\gamma_k = 0 \text{ \& } S'' \text{ is L.I}$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 = 0, a_2 = 0, \dots, a_n = 0, c_1 = 0, c_2 = 0, \dots, c_k = 0$$

$$\therefore a_1 \alpha_1 + a_2 \alpha_2 + \dots + a_n \alpha_n + b_1 \beta_1 + b_2 \beta_2 + \dots + b_m \beta_m + c_1 \gamma_1 + c_2 \gamma_2 + \dots + c_k \gamma_k$$

implies

$$a_1 = a_2 = \dots = a_n = b_1 = b_2 = \dots = b_m = c_1 = c_2 = \dots = c_k = 0$$

$\therefore B = \{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n, \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_m, \gamma_1, \gamma_2, \dots, \gamma_k\}$ is L.I

$\therefore B$ is L.I set

(ii) To prove that $L(B) = W_1 + W_2$

We know that:

$$W_1 \subset W_1 + W_2 \text{ and } W_2 \subset W_1 + W_2$$

$$\Rightarrow B \subset W_1 + W_2 \text{ (} S' \subset W_1, S'' \subset W_2 \text{)}$$

$$\Rightarrow L(B) \subseteq W_1 + W_2 \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

Let $\gamma \in W_1 + W_2$

$$\Rightarrow \gamma = \alpha + \beta, \text{ where } \alpha \in W_1, \beta \in W_2$$

$\therefore \alpha \in W_1$ & S' is a basis for W_1

$\Rightarrow \alpha$ can be written as L.C of elements of S'

$\therefore \beta \in W_2$ & S'' is a basis for W_2

$\Rightarrow \beta$ can be written as L.C of elements of S''

$$\Rightarrow \gamma = \alpha + \beta = \text{L.C of elements of } S' \text{ \& } S'' (\subset B)$$

$\Rightarrow \gamma$ is L.C of elements of $B \in L(B)$

$$\therefore \gamma \in L(B)$$

$$\therefore \gamma \in W_1 + W_2 \Rightarrow \gamma \in L(B)$$

$$\therefore W_1 + W_2 \subseteq L(B) \rightarrow \textcircled{5}$$

combining eq's $\textcircled{4}$ & $\textcircled{5}$, we get

$$L(B) = W_1 + W_2$$

From case (1), case (2):

B is L.I and $L(B) = W_1 + W_2$

$\Rightarrow B$ is a basis for $W_1 + W_2$

Now $\dim(W_1 + W_2) = \text{no. of elements in the basis } B \text{ of } W_1 + W_2$

$$= n + m + k$$

$$= \dim(W_1) + \dim(W_2) - \dim(W_1 \cap W_2)$$

$$\therefore \dim(W_1 + W_2) = \dim(W_1) + \dim(W_2) - \dim(W_1 \cap W_2)$$

Coset

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space and W be a subspace of $V(F)$.
Then for any element $\alpha \in V$, the set
 $W + \alpha = \{ \alpha + x \mid x \in W \}$ is called the right coset of W in V
generated by α .

The set $\alpha + W = \{ \alpha + x \mid x \in W \}$ is called the left coset of W
in V generated by α .

Note

Since $(W, +)$ is a subgroup of the abelian group $(V, +)$.

Then $x + \alpha = \alpha + x$

$\therefore W + \alpha$ is simply called coset of W in V generated by α

2) For $\bar{0} \in V$, $\bar{0} + W = W$

i.e. W is itself a coset generated by $\bar{0}$

3) If $\alpha \in W$ then $\alpha + W = W + \alpha = W$

4) If $\alpha + W$ & $\beta + W$ are two cosets of W in V then

$$\alpha + W = \beta + W \Leftrightarrow \alpha - \beta \in W$$

5) Any two cosets of W in V are either identical or
disjoint

Quotient set

Let $V(F)$ be a vector space and W be a subspace of V .

Then the set of all cosets of W in V is denoted by $\frac{V}{W} =$

$\{ W + \alpha \mid \alpha \in V \}$, is called quotient set of V by W .

Theorem-9

Imp Let W be a subspace of a finite dimensional vector space
 $V(F)$ then $\dim\left(\frac{V}{W}\right) = \dim(V) - \dim(W)$

Proof:-

Given that

$V(F)$ is a finite dimensional vector space and

W is a subspace of $V(F)$

Since $V(F)$ is finite dimensional

$\Rightarrow W$ is also finite dimensional

$\Rightarrow W$ has a finite basis, say

$$B = \{\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n\}$$

i.e B is a basis for W

$\Rightarrow B$ is L.I and $L(B) = W$ and

$\therefore \dim(W) = \text{no. of elements in } B = n$

$\therefore B$ is L.I subset of $W \subset V$

$\Rightarrow B$ can be extended to form a basis of $V(F)$

$\therefore S = \{\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n, \gamma_1, \gamma_2, \dots, \gamma_m\}$ be an extension of B

and a basis of $V(F)$

$\therefore S$ is basis of $V(F)$

$\Rightarrow S$ is L.I & $L(S) = V$ and

$\dim(V) = \text{no. of elements in the basis } S \text{ of } V(F)$

$$= n + m$$

Now

$$\dim(V) - \dim(W) = n + m - n = m$$

$$\therefore \dim(V) - \dim(W) = m.$$

We know that

$\frac{V}{W}$ is the quotient set which is the set of all cosets of W in V

i.e $\frac{V}{W} = \{\alpha + W / \alpha \in V\}$ and

$\frac{V}{W}$ is a vector space w.r. to coset addition & multiplication defined as follows.

$$1) (\alpha + W) + (\beta + W) = (\alpha + \beta) + W$$

$$2) a(\alpha + W) = a\alpha + W, \forall \alpha + W, \beta + W \in \frac{V}{W} \text{ and}$$

We have to prove that

$$\dim\left(\frac{V}{W}\right) = m$$

consider a set $S' = \{\gamma_1 + W, \gamma_2 + W, \dots, \gamma_m + W\}$

$$\text{clearly } S' \subset \frac{V}{W}$$

If we p.t S' is a basis for $\frac{V}{W}$, Then

$$\dim\left(\frac{V}{W}\right) = m$$

(i) To prove that S' is L.I

Let us consider an equation

$$a_1(\delta_1+w) + a_2(\delta_2+w) + \dots + a_m(\delta_m+w) = \bar{0}+w \rightarrow \textcircled{2} \quad \text{where } a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m \in F$$

$$\Rightarrow (a_1\delta_1+w) + (a_2\delta_2+w) + \dots + (a_m\delta_m+w) = \bar{0}+w$$

$$\Rightarrow (a_1\delta_1 + a_2\delta_2 + \dots + a_m\delta_m) + w = w$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1\delta_1 + a_2\delta_2 + \dots + a_m\delta_m \in W \quad \& \quad B \text{ is a basis of } W$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1\delta_1 + a_2\delta_2 + \dots + a_m\delta_m = b_1\beta_1 + b_2\beta_2 + \dots + b_n\beta_n$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1\delta_1 + a_2\delta_2 + \dots + a_m\delta_m - b_1\beta_1 - b_2\beta_2 - \dots - b_n\beta_n = \bar{0} \quad \& \quad S \text{ is L.I}$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1=0, a_2=0, \dots, a_m=0, b_1=0, b_2=0, \dots, b_n=0$$

$$\therefore a_1(\delta_1+w) + a_2(\delta_2+w) + \dots + a_m(\delta_m+w) = \bar{0}+w \Rightarrow a_1=0, a_2=0, \dots, a_m=0$$

$$\therefore \{\delta_1+w, \delta_2+w, \dots, \delta_m+w\} \text{ is L.I}$$

$$\therefore S' \text{ is L.I}$$

(ii) To prove that $L(S') = \frac{V}{W}$

$$\text{Since } S' = \{\delta_1+w, \delta_2+w, \dots, \delta_m+w\}$$

$$\text{clearly } S' \subset \frac{V}{W}$$

$$\Rightarrow L(S') \subset \frac{V}{W} \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

$$\text{Let } \delta+w \in \frac{V}{W}, \text{ where } \delta \in V \text{ and}$$

$$\text{Since } S = \{\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n, \delta_1, \delta_2, \dots, \delta_m\} \text{ is a basis of } V$$

$$\Rightarrow \exists \text{ scalars } c_i, d_j \text{ such that}$$

$$\delta = c_1\beta_1 + c_2\beta_2 + \dots + c_n\beta_n + d_1\delta_1 + d_2\delta_2 + \dots + d_m\delta_m \rightarrow \textcircled{4}$$

Now

$$\delta+w = (c_1\beta_1 + c_2\beta_2 + \dots + c_n\beta_n) + (d_1\delta_1 + d_2\delta_2 + \dots + d_m\delta_m) + w$$

$$= (c_1\beta_1+w) + (c_2\beta_2+w) + \dots + (c_n\beta_n+w) + (d_1\delta_1+w) + (d_2\delta_2+w) + \dots + (d_m\delta_m+w)$$

$$= c_1(\beta_1+w) + c_2(\beta_2+w) + \dots + c_n(\beta_n+w) + d_1(\delta_1+w) + d_2(\delta_2+w) + \dots + d_m(\delta_m+w) \rightarrow \textcircled{5}$$

$$\therefore \{\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n\} \text{ is a basis for } W$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n \in W$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta_1+w = W, \beta_2+w = W, \dots, \beta_n+w = W$$

$$\alpha+w = \beta+w \Leftrightarrow \alpha - \beta \in W$$

$$\text{put } \beta = 0$$

$$\alpha+w = w \Leftrightarrow \alpha \in W$$

$$\bar{0}+w$$

Then eq (5) \Rightarrow

$$\alpha + w = w + d_1(\alpha_1 + w) + d_2(\alpha_2 + w) + \dots + d_m(\alpha_m + w)$$

$\therefore \alpha + w = w$ is zero element in $\frac{V}{W}$.

$$\alpha + w = d_1(\alpha_1 + w) + d_2(\alpha_2 + w) + \dots + d_m(\alpha_m + w)$$

= L.C of elements of $S' \in L(S)$

$\therefore \alpha + w \in L(S')$

$\therefore \alpha + w \in \frac{V}{W} \Rightarrow \alpha + w \in L(S')$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{V}{W} \subset L(S') \rightarrow \textcircled{6}$$

From eq ③ & ⑥, we have

$$\therefore \frac{V}{W} = L(S')$$

\therefore From case ①, ②: S' is L.I & $L(S') = \frac{V}{W}$

$\therefore S'$ is a basis of $\frac{V}{W}$

Then $\dim\left(\frac{V}{W}\right) = \text{no. of elements in the basis of } S' \text{ of } \frac{V}{W}$
 $= m \rightarrow \textcircled{7}$

From eq's ① & ⑦ we have

$$\dim\left(\frac{V}{W}\right) = \dim(V) - \dim(W)$$

12) If W is a subspace of $V_4(\mathbb{R})$ generated by the vectors $\{(1, -2, 5, -3), (2, 3, 1, -4), (3, 8, -3, -5)\}$ then find a basis of W & its dimension

Given that

$V_4(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and

W is a subspace of $V_4(\mathbb{R})$ & W is generated by a set of vectors.

$$S = \{(1, -2, 5, -3), (2, 3, 1, -4), (3, 8, -3, -5)\}$$

i.e., $L(S) = W$

By writing the elements of S as rows of a matrix, we have

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 5 & -3 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 & -4 \\ 3 & 8 & -3 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 2R_1, \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 3R_1,$$

$$A \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 5 & -3 \\ 0 & 7 & -9 & 2 \\ 0 & 14 & -18 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow \frac{R_3}{2} - R_2$$

$$A \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 5 & -3 \\ 0 & 7 & -9 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore A$ is in echelon form

\therefore The non-zero rows of A forms a L.I set

Then $S' = \{ (1, -2, 5, -3), (0, 7, -9, 2) \}$ forms a basis of W

$$\therefore \dim(W) = 2$$

13) If W is a subspace of $R^4(R)$ generated by the vectors $(1, 1, 0, -1)$, $(1, 2, 3, 0)$ & $(2, 3, 3, -1)$ then find the basis of W & its dimension

Given that

$R^4(R) = V_4(R)$ is the vector space and

W be the subspace of $R^4(R)$, generated by a set of vectors

$$S = \{ (1, 1, 0, -1), (1, 2, 3, 0), (2, 3, 3, -1) \}$$

By writing the elements of S as rows of a matrix we have

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1, \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 2R_1$$

$$A \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2$$

$$A \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

clearly, A is in echelon form [upper triangular matrix form]

\therefore The non-zero rows of A forms a L.I set

Then $S' = \{(1, 1, 0, -1) (0, 1, 3, 1)\}$ forms a basis of W

S' is a L.I subset of W

So it forms a basis of W

$\therefore \dim(W) = \text{no. of elements in } S' = 2$

14) If W is a subspace of $V_4(\mathbb{R})$ generated by the vectors $(1, 2, 2, -2) (2, 3, 2, -3) (1, 3, 4, -3)$ then find basis of W and \dim of W

Given that

$V_4(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and

W is a subspace of $V_4(\mathbb{R})$ & W is generated by a set of vectors

$S = \{(1, 2, 2, -2) (2, 3, 2, -3) (1, 3, 4, -3)\}$

i.e., $L(S) = W$

By writing the elements of S as rows of a matrix, we have

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 & 2 & -3 \\ 1 & 3 & 4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1, \quad R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 2R_1$$

$$A \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 & 2 & -3 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 & -2 \\ 0 & -1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + R_2$$

$$A \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 & -2 \\ 0 & -1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

clearly, A is in echelon form [upper triangular matrix form]

\therefore The non-zero rows of A forms a L.I set

Then $S' = \{(1, 1, 0, -1) (0, 1, 3, 1)\}$ is a L.I subset of W

So it forms a basis of W

$\therefore \dim(W) = \text{no. of elements of } S' = 2$

15) Let W_1 & W_2 be two subspaces of \mathbb{R}^4 such that
 $W_1 = \{(a, b, c, d) \mid b - 2c + d = 0\}$ & $W_2 = \{(a, b, c, d) \mid a = d, b = 2c\}$ then
 • find the basis & dimension of W_1 , W_2 , $W_1 \cap W_2$ & $W_1 + W_2$

Given that

$\mathbb{R}^4(\mathbb{R}) = V_4(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space and

W_1 & W_2 be the subspaces of \mathbb{R}^4 such that

$$W_1 = \{(a, b, c, d) \mid b - 2c + d = 0\} \text{ and}$$

$$W_2 = \{(a, b, c, d) \mid a = d, b = 2c\}$$

(i) Let $\alpha = (a, b, c, d) \in W_1$, then

$$\Rightarrow b - 2c + d = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow b = 2c - d$$

Now

$$\alpha = (a, b, c, d) = (a, 2c - d, c, d)$$

$$= (a, 0, 0, 0) + (0, 2c, c, 0) + (0, -d, 0, d)$$

$$= a(1, 0, 0, 0) + c(0, 2, 1, 0) + d(0, -1, 0, 1)$$

= L.C of elements of S

$$= \{(1, 0, 0, 0), (0, 2, 1, 0), (0, -1, 0, 1)\}$$

\therefore The set $S = \{(1, 0, 0, 0), (0, 2, 1, 0), (0, -1, 0, 1)\}$ spans W_1

[i.e. $L(S) = W_1$]

By writing the vectors of S as rows of a matrix,

we get

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

$$R_3 \rightarrow 2R_3 + R_2$$

$$A \cong \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

clearly, A is in echelon form

\therefore The non-zero rows of A forms a L.I set & a basis for W_1

$\therefore \dim W_1 = \text{no. of non zero rows in } A = 3$

and basis of $W_1 = \{(1,0,0,0), (0,2,1,0), (0,0,1,2)\}$

(ii) Given

$$W_2 = \{(a,b,c,d) \mid a=d, b=2c\}$$

Let $\beta = (a,b,c,d) \in W_2$, then

$\therefore a=d, b=2c$, then

Now,

$$\begin{aligned}\beta = (a,b,c,d) &= (d, 2c, c, d) \\ &= (d, 0, 0, d) + (0, 2c, c, 0) \\ &= d(1, 0, 0, 1) + c(0, 2, 1, 0) \\ &= \text{L.C of elements of } S'\end{aligned}$$

$$S' = \{(1, 0, 0, 1), (0, 2, 1, 0)\}$$

\therefore The set $S' = \{(1, 0, 0, 1), (0, 2, 1, 0)\}$ spans W_2 [i.e., $\langle S' \rangle = W_2$]

$\therefore \dim(W_2) = \text{no. of elements of } S' = 2$

$\&$ basis of $W_2 = \{(1, 0, 0, 1), (0, 2, 1, 0)\}$

(iii) Now

$$W_1 \cap W_2 = \{(a,b,c,d) \mid b-2c+d=0, a=d, b=2c\}$$

Let us take $\gamma = (a,b,c,d) \in W_1 \cap W_2$

$$\Rightarrow b-2c+d=0, a=d, b=2c$$

$$\Rightarrow b=2c-d \Rightarrow 2c=2c-d$$

$$\Rightarrow d=0 \Rightarrow a=0$$

$$\gamma = (a,b,c,d) = (0, 2c, c, 0)$$

$$= c(0, 2, 1, 0)$$

= L.C of one vector $(0, 2, 1, 0)$

$\therefore \dim(W_1 \cap W_2) = 1$ $\&$ basis of $W_1 \cap W_2 = \{(0, 2, 1, 0)\}$

Now

$$\dim(W_1 + W_2) = \dim W_1 + \dim W_2 - \dim(W_1 \cap W_2)$$

$$= 3 + 2 - 1$$

$$= 4$$

$$\therefore \dim(W_1 + W_2) = 4$$

16) Let W_1, W_2 be any two subspaces of a vector space $\mathbb{R}^4(\mathbb{R})$ generated by $\{(1,1,0,-1), (1,2,3,0), (2,3,3,-1)\}$ and $\{(1,2,2,-2), (2,3,2,-3), (1,3,4,-3)\}$ respectively. Then find the dimensions of W_1, W_2 & W_1+W_2 & $W_1 \cap W_2$

17) If P and Q are two subspaces of $R^4(R)$ defined by

$P = \{(a, b, c, d) / b+c+d=0\}$ & $Q = \{(a, b, c, d) / a+b=0, c=2d\}$ then find the dimension & basis of P, Q & $P \cap Q$

Given $R^4(R)$ is a vector space and P and Q are two subspaces of $R^4(R)$ defined by

$$P = \{(a, b, c, d) / b+c+d=0\}$$

$$\text{and } Q = \{(a, b, c, d) / a+b=0, c=2d\}$$

$$\text{Let } \alpha = (a, b, c, d) \in P$$

$$\Rightarrow b+c+d=0$$

$$\Rightarrow b = -c-d$$

Now

$$\alpha = (a, b, c, d) = (a, -c-d, c, d)$$

$$= (a, 0, 0, 0) + (0, -c, c, 0) + (0, -d, 0, d)$$

$$= a(1, 0, 0, 0) + c(0, -1, 1, 0) + d(0, -1, 0, 1)$$

$$= \text{L.c of elements of } S = \{(1, 0, 0, 0), (0, -1, 1, 0), (0, -1, 0, 1)\}$$

$$\therefore \dim P = 3$$

Now,

$$\text{Let } \beta = (a, b, c, d) \in Q$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b=0, c=2d$$

$$\Rightarrow a = -b$$

$$\text{Now, } \beta = (-b, b, 2d, d)$$

$$= (-b, b, 0, 0) + (0, 0, 2d, d)$$

$$= b(-1, 1, 0, 0) + d(0, 0, 2, 1)$$

$$= \text{L.c of elements of } S_1$$

$$S_1 = \{(-1, 1, 0, 0), (0, 0, 2, 1)\}$$

$$\therefore \dim Q = 2$$

(iii) Now

$$P \cap Q = \{(a, b, c, d) / b+c+d=0, a+b=0, c=2d\}$$

Let us take

$$\gamma = (a, b, c, d) \in P \cap Q$$

$$\Rightarrow b + c + d = 0, a + b = 0, c = 2d$$

$$\Rightarrow -a + c + d = 0 \Rightarrow a = -b$$

$$\Rightarrow a = c + d \Rightarrow b = -a$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 3d \Rightarrow b = -3d$$

Now

$$\gamma = (a, b, c, d) = (3d, -3d, 2d, d)$$

$$= d(3, -3, 2, 1)$$

$$= \text{L.C of one vector } (3, -3, 2, 1)$$

$$\therefore \dim(P \cap Q) = 1$$