

Mat 2341

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Recall: • A linear map  $F: U \rightarrow V$  where  $U, V$  vector spaces over field  $K$

where  $u, v \in U, a, b \in K$

such that  $F(au + bv) = aF(u) + bF(v)$

•  $\ker F = \{u \in U \mid F(u) = 0\}$

•  $\text{Im } F = \{v \in V \mid \exists u \in U \text{ such that } F(u) = v\}$

•  $\dim \ker F + \dim \text{Im } F = \dim U$

$F$  is: injective (one-to-one)  
• if  $F(u) = F(v)$  implies that  $u = v$

surjective (onto)

• if  $\text{Im } F = V$ , or equivalently,  
 $\forall v \in V \exists u \in U$  such that  $F(u) = v$

bijjective (one-to-one correspondence)

• if  $F$  is both surjective & injective

DEFIN: A bijective linear map is called an 'isomorphism'

Ex

$$F: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$$

$$F(x) = Ax$$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Is  $F$  surjective? injective? bijective? Find  
rule for  $F$ .

(b)  $F(x, y) = F(z, w) \Rightarrow$  does  $(x, y) = (z, w)$

$$\hookrightarrow (x+2y, 2x+y) = (z+2w, 2z+w)$$

$$\begin{cases} x+2y = z+2w \\ 2x+y = 2z+w \end{cases} \rightarrow \begin{cases} 2x+4y = 2z+4w & \textcircled{1} \\ 2x+y = 2z+w & \textcircled{2} \end{cases}$$

$$\textcircled{1} - \textcircled{2} \Rightarrow 3y = 3w$$

$$\boxed{y = w}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{x = z}$$

$\therefore F$  is injective

DEF'N  $F: U \rightarrow V$  map of vector spaces  $F$  is non-singular  
if  $\ker F = \{0\}$

[This means that if  $F(u) = 0$  then  $u = 0$ ]

Otherwise,  $F$  is called "singular".

THEOREM

$F: U \rightarrow V$  map of  $K$ -vector spaces. Then  
 $F$  is injective iff  $F$  is non-singular.

Proof: 2 parts

1)  $F$  is injective  $\Rightarrow F$  is nonsingular

Suppose  $u \in \ker(F) \Rightarrow F(u) = 0 = F(0)$

↳ by def'n of  
a linear map

$\Rightarrow u = 0,$

because  $F$  is injective

$\Rightarrow \ker F = \{0\}$ ,  $F$  is nonsingular

2)  $F$  is nonsingular  $\Rightarrow F$  is injective

Suppose  $u, v \in U$ ,  $F(u) = F(v)$

$\Rightarrow F(u) - F(v) = 0$

$F(u-v) = 0$

$\therefore u-v \in \ker(F)$

$u-v = 0$

$u = v$

$\therefore F$  is injective

BACK TO EX

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad F(x, y) = (x+2y, 2x+y)$$

To show  $F$  is injective, now it is enough to show  $F$  is nonsingular.

$$F(x, y) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (x+2y, 2x+y) = (0, 0)$$

$$\begin{cases} x+2y=0 \\ 2x+y=0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} -2x-4y=0 & \textcircled{1} \\ 2x+y=0 & \textcircled{2} \end{cases}$$

$$\textcircled{1} + \textcircled{2} \quad -3y=0 \Rightarrow \boxed{y=0}$$

$$x+2y=0 \quad \boxed{x=0}$$

$$(x, y) = (0, 0), \quad F \text{ is nonsingular}$$

THEOREM

$F: U \rightarrow V$  is a nonsingular linear map of  $k$ -vector spaces. Then the image of any linearly independent set of vectors in  $U$  is a linearly independent set of vectors in  $V$ .

PROOF: Suppose  $\{u_1, \dots, u_n\}$  is a set of lin. indep. vectors in  $U$ . Suppose  $\exists a_1, \dots, a_n \in k$  such that  $a_1 F(u_1) + a_2 F(u_2) + \dots + a_n F(u_n) = 0$

we want to show  $a_1 = a_2 = \dots = a_n = 0$

$$\Rightarrow F(a_1 u_1 + a_2 u_2 + \dots + a_n u_n) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 u_1 + \dots + a_n u_n \in \ker(F) \text{ \& } F \text{ is nonsingular,} \\ \therefore \ker(F) = \{0\}$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 u_1 + \dots + a_n u_n = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 = a_2 = \dots = a_n = 0$$

$\therefore F(u_1), F(u_2), \dots, F(u_n)$  are linearly independent.

In our EX

$$F: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2, \text{ nonsingular}$$

$$F(x, y) = (x + 2y, 2x + y)$$

$$\text{Take } \{e_1, e_2\} = \{(1, 0), (0, 1)\}$$

By last Theorem,  $F(e_1), F(e_2)$  are lin. indep.

$$\hookrightarrow F(e_1), F(e_2) \text{ make a basis for } \mathbb{R}^2 \\ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$