

Model Answer (AV-8878)

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Mathematics

Linear Algebra

I.(ii)

Let $\alpha \cdot \alpha = 0$.

If possible $\alpha \neq 0_F$ then $\exists \alpha' \in F$ s.t. $\alpha' \cdot \alpha = 1$

$$\text{Then } \alpha' \cdot (\alpha \cdot \alpha) = \alpha' \cdot 0 = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } (\alpha' \cdot \alpha) \cdot \alpha = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } 1 \cdot \alpha = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } \alpha = 0$$

Hence either $\alpha = 0_F$ or $\alpha = 0$.

(iii) Let $(V_4, 0, \cdot)$ be a vector space and $S_1 = \{a, b\}$ and

$S_2 = \{b, c\}$ be two subspaces of $(V_4, 0, \cdot)$

Then $S_1 \cup S_2 = \{c, a, b\}$ is not a subspace because
 $a \circ b = c \notin S_1 \cup S_2$.

(iv) The smallest subspace ~~containing~~ containing the subset S is called subspace generating by S . It is denoted by $[S]$.

(v) A set of vectors $S = \{q_1, q_2, \dots, q_n\}$ is called a linearly independent set if, for $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n \in F$.

$$\alpha_1 q_1 + \alpha_2 q_2 + \dots + \alpha_n q_n = 0 \text{ will imply } \alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \dots = \alpha_n.$$

(vi) Let V be a vector space over a field F . The set of all linear transformations from V to F form a vector space. This vector space is called the dual vector space V^* of the vector space V .

(vi). If $S = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$ be an orthonormal subset of an inner product space $(V, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$, then for $\forall x \in V$, we have

$$|\langle x, x_1 \rangle|^2 + |\langle x, x_2 \rangle|^2 + \dots + |\langle x, x_n \rangle|^2 \leq \|x\|^2.$$

(vii). A subset S of an inner product space $(V, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$ is said to be orthogonal set if distinct vectors in S are orthogonal i.e. $S = \{q_1, q_2, \dots, q_n\}$ is orthogonal if $\langle q_i, q_j \rangle = 0_F, i \neq j$.

A subset $S = \{q_1, q_2, \dots, q_n\}$ of $(V, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$ is said to be orthonormal set if S is orthogonal set and norm of each vector in S is 1.

(viii). Let $T: V_1 \rightarrow V_2$ be a linear transformation, then

$$\text{Ker } T \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \{x \in V_1 \mid T(x) = 0_2\}$$

2. (i) \Rightarrow (ii)

$$V = W_1 \oplus W_2$$

then every element $x \in V$ can be written as $x = q_1 + q_2$ where q_1, q_2 are unique elements of W_1, W_2 respectively.

$$\text{Then } V = W_1 + W_2$$

Also let $y \neq 0 \in W_1 \cap W_2$

$$\text{then } y \in W_1 \text{ & } y \in W_2$$

$$\text{and then } y = y + 0 \quad \text{and} \quad y = 0 + y \\ \in W_1 + W_2 \qquad \qquad \qquad \in W_1 + W_2$$

This shows that non-zero element $y \in V$ has two different representation as one element of $W_1 +$ one element of W_2 , which contradicts that V is direct sum of $W_1 + W_2$.

Hence $y \neq 0 \in W_1 \cap W_2$ is wrong

$$\text{then } W_1 \cap W_2 = \{0\}.$$

(ii) \Rightarrow (i).

Let $V = W_1 + W_2$ & $W_1 \cap W_2 = \{0\}$.

Let if possible $a \in V$ ~~to~~ can be written as

$$a = a_1 + a_2 \quad \text{and} \quad a = b_1 + b_2 \quad \dots \quad (\ast \ast)$$

where $a_1, b_1 \in W_1$ & $a_2, b_2 \in W_2$.

From (\ast) and $(\ast \ast)$

$$a_1 + a_2 = b_1 + b_2$$

$$\text{i.e. } a_1 - b_1 = a_2 - b_2 = x \text{ (say)}$$

then $x = a_1 - b_1 \in W_1$ also $x = a_2 - b_2 \in W_2$
i.e. $x \in W_1 \cap W_2$

But $W_1 \cap W_2 = \{0\}$, then $x = 0$

$$\text{i.e. } a_1 - b_1 = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad a_2 - b_2 = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } a_1 = b_1 \quad \text{and} \quad a_2 = b_2$$

This shows that the two representations (\ast) and $(\ast \ast)$ for $a \in V$ are the same, i.e. each $a \in V$ ~~to~~ can be uniquely written as one element of W_1 + one element of W_2 .

Hence $V = W_1 \oplus W_2$.

3. Let $\dim W = l$

and $S = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_l\}$ be a basis of W .

Since S is L.I. subset of W , it is L.I. in V . So it can be extended to form a basis of V .

Let $S_1 = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_l, b_1, \dots, b_m\}$ be a basis of V .

then $\dim V = l+m$.

Consider $S_2 = \{W+b_1, W+b_2, \dots, W+b_m\} \subseteq V/W$.

S_2 is L.I. subset of V/W .

consider $\beta_1(W+b_1) + \beta_2(W+b_2) + \dots + \beta_m(W+b_m) = W$ (zero of V/W)

then

$$W + (\beta_1 b_1 + \beta_2 b_2 + \dots + \beta_m b_m) = W$$

$$\beta_1 b_1 + \beta_2 b_2 + \dots + \beta_m b_m \in W$$

$\beta_1 b_1 + \dots + \beta_m b_m$ can be uniquely written as a linear combination of q_1, q_2, \dots, q_l .

$$\text{i.e. } \beta_1 b_1 + \beta_2 b_2 + \dots + \beta_m b_m = \alpha_1 q_1 + \dots + \alpha_l q_l$$

$$\text{i.e. } (-\alpha_1) q_1 + (-\alpha_2) q_2 + \dots + (-\alpha_l) q_l + \beta_1 b_1 + \dots + \beta_m b_m = 0$$

$$\text{then } -\alpha_1 = -\alpha_2 = \dots = -\alpha_l = \alpha_f = \beta_1 = \dots = \beta_m$$

(because $q_1, q_2, \dots, q_l, b_1, \dots, b_m$ being basis elements are L.I.)

Hence S_2 is L.I..

$$V/W = [S_2]$$

$$\text{Let } w+x \in V/W$$

$$\text{then } x \in V$$

$$x = \phi_1 q_1 + \dots + \phi_l q_l + \phi_1 b_1 + \dots + \phi_m b_m$$

$$w+x = w + \phi_1 q_1 + \dots + \phi_l q_l + \phi_1 b_1 + \dots + \phi_m b_m$$

$$= w + \phi_1 b_1 + \dots + \phi_m b_m \quad \text{as } q_1, q_2, \dots, q_l \in W$$

$$= \phi_1 (w+b_1) + \dots + \phi_m (w+b_m)$$

= a lin. comb. of elements of S_2 .

Thus S_2 is a basis of V/W .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hence } \dim V/W &= m = l+m-l \\ &= \dim V - \dim W. \end{aligned}$$

4.

$$T_1: V_1 \rightarrow V_2 \quad \text{and} \quad T_2: V_2 \rightarrow V_3$$

$$\text{then } T_2 \circ T_1: V_1 \rightarrow V_3$$

Rank-Nullity theorem for T_1 and $T_2 \circ T_1$,

$$\dim \ker T_1 + P(T_1) = \dim V_1 \quad \dots \dots (1)$$

$$\dim \ker T_2 \circ T_1 + P(T_2 \circ T_1) = \dim V_1 \quad \dots \dots (2)$$

From (1) & (2)

$$\dim \ker T_2 \circ T_1 + P(T_2 \circ T_1) = \dim \ker T_1 + P(T_1) \quad \dots \dots (3)$$

Now,

$$\text{let } x \in \ker T_1$$

$$T_1(x) = 0_2$$

$$T_2[T_1(x)] = T_2(0_2)$$

$$(T_2 \circ T_1)(x) = 0_3$$

$$x \in \ker T_2 \circ T_1$$

$$\therefore \ker T_1 \subseteq \ker T_2 \circ T_1$$

Since $\ker T_1$ & $\ker T_2 \circ T_1$ are subspaces of V_1 , hence

$\ker T_1$ is a subspace of $\ker T_2 \circ T_1$.

$$\text{therefore } \dim \ker T_1 \leq \dim \ker T_2 \circ T_1 \quad \dots \dots (4)$$

From (3) & (4).

$$P(T_2 \circ T_1) \leq P(T_1).$$

Next;

$$\text{Since } \operatorname{Im} T_1 \subseteq V_2$$

$$\text{or } T_1(V_1) \subseteq V_2$$

$$T_2[T_1(V_1)] \subseteq T_2(V_2)$$

$$(T_2 \circ T_1)(V_1) \subseteq T_2(V_2)$$

$$\operatorname{Im} T_2 \circ T_1 \subseteq \operatorname{Im} T_2$$

$$\dim \operatorname{Im} (T_2 \circ T_1) \leq \dim \operatorname{Im} T_2$$

$$\text{i.e. } P(T_2 \circ T_1) \leq P(T_2)$$

$$\text{Hence } P(T_2 \circ T_1) \leq \min(P(T), P(T_2)).$$

5. Let $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$, $(q_1, b_1), (q_2, b_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2$

$$\begin{aligned} T[\alpha(q_1, b_1) + \beta(q_2, b_2)] &= T[(\alpha q_1 + \beta q_2, \alpha b_1 + \beta b_2)] \\ &= (\alpha q_1 + \beta q_2 - \alpha b_1 - \beta b_2, \alpha b_1 + \beta b_2 - \alpha q_1 - \beta q_2, -\alpha q_1 - \beta q_2) \\ &= (\alpha q_1 - \alpha b_1, \alpha b_1 - \alpha q_1, -\alpha q_1) + (\beta q_2 - \beta b_2, \beta b_2 - \beta q_2, -\beta q_2) \\ &= \alpha T(q_1, b_1) + \beta T(q_2, b_2) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore T is a linear transformation.

Let $(q, b) \in \text{Ker } T$

$$\begin{aligned} T(q, b) &= (0, 0, 0) \\ (q-b, b-q, -q) &= (0, 0, 0) \\ \Rightarrow q &= 0, b = 0 \\ \therefore \text{Ker } T &= \{(0, 0)\} \end{aligned}$$

nullity of $T = 0$.

By Rank-nullity theorem

$$\text{Rank } T = \dim \mathbb{R}^2 = 2.$$

Since $\mathbb{R}^2 = \{(1, 0), (0, 1)\}$

$$\therefore \text{Im } T = \left[\{T(1, 0), T(0, 1)\} \right]$$

$$\text{i.e. Range} = [(1, -1, 1), (-1, 1, 0)]$$

6.

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

The characteristic equation is

$$|A - \lambda I| = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } \lambda^3 - 6\lambda^2 + 11\lambda - 6 = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } \lambda = 1, 2, 3$$

For $\lambda_1 = 1$; eigen vector is given by

$$(A - \lambda_1 I) x_1 = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ z_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{i.e. } -z_1 = 0$$

$$\text{& } x_1 + y_1 + z_1 = 0$$

$$\text{Hence } x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

For $\lambda_2 = 2$,

$$(A - \lambda_2 I) x_2 = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \\ z_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{i.e. } -x_2 - z_2 = 0$$

$$2x_2 + 2y_2 + z_2 = 0$$

$$\text{Hence } x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

For $\lambda_3 = 3$,

$$(A - \lambda_3 I) X_3 = 0$$

i.e.
$$\begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_3 \\ y_3 \\ z_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

i.e. $-2x_3 - z_3 = 0$

$$x_3 - y_3 + z_3 = 0$$

$$2x_3 + 2y_3 = 0$$

Hence $X_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$

Then $P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

~~Hence~~ $\det P \neq 0$

Hence A is diagonalizable and

$$P^T A P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = D.$$

7. $S = \left\{ \underset{= b_1}{(1, 0, 0)}, \underset{= b_2}{(1, 1, 0)}, \underset{= b_3}{(1, 1, 1)} \right\}$

(i) $q_1 = \frac{b_1}{\|b_1\|} = \frac{(1, 0, 0)}{\sqrt{1^2+0+0}} = (1, 0, 0)$

(ii) $q_2 = b_2 - \langle b_2, q_1 \rangle q_1$
 $= (1, 1, 0) - 1(1, 0, 0) = (0, 1, 0)$

$\therefore q_3 = \frac{q_2}{\|q_2\|} = \frac{(0, 1, 0)}{\sqrt{0+1+0}} = (0, 1, 0)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(iii)} \quad c_3 &= b_3 - \langle b_3, q_1 \rangle q_1 - \langle b_3, q_2 \rangle q_2 \\
 &= (1, 1, 1) - 1(1, 0, 0) - 1(0, 1, 0) \\
 &= (0, 0, 1)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore q_3 = \frac{c_3}{\|c_3\|} = \frac{(0, 0, 1)}{\sqrt{0+0+1}} = (0, 0, 1)$$

Thus the orthonormal set is

$$= \left\{ (1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 1) \right\}.$$

Q. Cauchy-Schwarz's inequality-

For any two vectors a and b of an inner product space $(V, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$, we have

$$|\langle a, b \rangle| \leq \|a\| \cdot \|b\|$$

Proof. If $b = 0$, then the inequality satisfied in the form of equality. Therefore let us suppose $b \neq 0$

$$\text{Consider } c = a - \lambda b \quad \text{where } \lambda = \frac{\langle a, b \rangle}{\|b\|^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{then } \|c\|^2 &= \langle c, c \rangle \\
 &= \langle a - \lambda b, a - \lambda b \rangle \\
 &= \langle a, a \rangle - \lambda \langle a, b \rangle - \lambda \langle b, a \rangle + \lambda^2 \langle b, b \rangle \\
 &= \|a\|^2 - \frac{\langle a, b \rangle}{\|b\|^2} \langle a, b \rangle - \frac{\langle a, b \rangle}{\|b\|^2} \langle b, a \rangle + \frac{|\langle a, b \rangle|^2}{\|b\|^4} \|b\|^2 \\
 &= \|a\|^2 - \frac{|\langle a, b \rangle|^2}{\|b\|^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

Since $\|c\|^2 \geq 0$

$$\|a\|^2 - \frac{|\langle a, b \rangle|^2}{\|b\|^2} \geq 0_F$$

i.e. $\|a\|^2 \|b\|^2 - |\langle a, b \rangle|^2 \geq 0_F$

i.e. $|\langle a, b \rangle| \leq \|a\| \cdot \|b\|$

