

Written Homework #4

① $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$, $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \\ e & f \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} a+b=1 \\ c+d=1 \\ e+f=2 \end{cases} \quad \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \\ e & f \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 2b=-2 \Rightarrow b=-1 \\ 2d=2 \Rightarrow d=1 \\ 2f=0 \Rightarrow f=0 \end{cases} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} a=2 \\ c=-1 \\ e=2 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \\ e & f \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a+3b &= -1 \Rightarrow (2)+3(-1) = -1 \quad \checkmark \\ c+3d &= 2 \Rightarrow (-1)+3(1) = 2 \quad \checkmark \\ e+3f &= 2 \Rightarrow (2)+3(0) = 2 \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

So: $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = T(x)$

(b) The answer would become impossible because the linear transformation in the third equation

would imply $e+3f=1$, and from the first two equations $e+3f=2$. So this answer would be inconsistent and therefore $T(x)$ would not be a linear transformation.

② (a) T cannot be 1-1, because T is only 1-1 if and only if the only solution to $T(x)=0$ is $x=0$, and $x \neq 0$ in this situation.

(b) T can be onto, because $T(x)=0$ doesn't mean that there can't be an element in the domain that corresponds to each element in the codomain.

For example: $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

This is an example of a nonzero vector $\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ and an onto transformation matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ which creates an output = to 0.

(c) $T(u)$ & $T(v)$ must be linearly dependent if u & v are linearly dependent because $T(v) = T(cu)$ where c is whatever scalar makes $v=cu$. Then $T(v) = cT(u)$ and they are linear combinations of each other, thus making them linearly dependent.

(d) $T(u)$ & $T(v)$ are not guaranteed to be linearly independent because the transformation matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ could turn any set of linearly independent vectors into the $\vec{0}$ vector, making them linearly dependent.

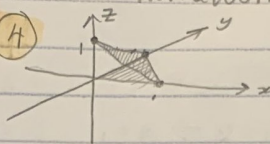
③ In order for T to be a linear transformation, $T(v+u) = T(u) + T(v)$ (additive property) and $T(cu) = cT(u)$. Therefore, $w=0$ because

$$T(u+v) = u+v+w = T(u) + T(v) \quad (\text{if } w=0) \quad \text{and} \quad T(cu) = c(u+w) = cu \quad (\text{if } w=0)$$

$$\text{and } T(v+u) = (v+u)+w \neq v+u+2w \quad (\text{if } w \neq 0) \quad \text{and} \quad cT(v) = c(v+w) \neq cv+w \quad (\text{if } w \neq 0)$$

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Going from $(x, y, z) \Rightarrow (x, y)$ removes the z -coordinate
so the final corners are: $(1, 0), (0, 1), (0, 0)$. This is a
linear transformation because it preserves the additive

property and scalar multiplication:

$$T(x_1, y_1, z_1) + T(x_2, y_2, z_2) = (x_1 + x_2, y_1 + y_2) \quad (a)$$

$$T(c(x, y, z)) = (cx, cy)$$

The area of the image after projection is $\frac{1}{2} (1(1-0) + 0(0-0) + 0(0-1))$
 $= \frac{1}{2} (b)$

(c) Yes, because a linear transformation can scale the original vectors, including preserving the original area by adding a scaling factor while mapping one of the corners to $(0, 0)$

5) $S \circ T$ cannot be 1-1 because any function that goes from $\mathbb{R}^3 \Rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ cannot have a unique output value mapped from each input value, and any output after that $(\mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4)$ would not change that.

Written Homework 4

- (1) (a) Find a linear transformation $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ such that

$$T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{and } T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix},$$

or if it's impossible, explain why.

- (b) How does your answer change if the third condition changes to

$$T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}?$$

- (2) Assume $T : \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ is a linear transformation.

- (a) Suppose there is a nonzero vector $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^m$ such that $T(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{0}$. Is it possible that T is one-to-one? Give an example, or explain why it's not possible.
- (b) Suppose there is a nonzero vector $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^m$ such that $T(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{0}$. Is it possible that T is onto? Give an example, or explain why it's not possible.
- (c) Suppose that \mathbf{u} and \mathbf{v} are linearly dependent vectors in \mathbb{R}^m . Show that $T(\mathbf{u})$ and $T(\mathbf{v})$ are also linearly dependent.
- (d) Suppose that \mathbf{u} and \mathbf{v} are linearly *independent* vectors in \mathbb{R}^m . Is it guaranteed that $T(\mathbf{u})$ and $T(\mathbf{v})$ are also linearly independent? If yes, explain why. If no, give an example where this is not the case.

- (3) Let $\mathbf{w} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ and suppose that $T : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ is given by $T(\mathbf{v}) = \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w}$. Determine the exact conditions on \mathbf{w} that make T a linear transformation.

(First, show that if your condition on \mathbf{w} is satisfied, then T is a linear transformation. Then show that if your condition on \mathbf{w} is *not* satisfied, then T is *not* a linear transformation.)

- (4) Consider the triangle Δ in \mathbb{R}^3 with corners $(1, 0, 0)$, $(0, 1, 0)$, $(0, 0, 1)$.

- (a) Find the image of Δ under the projection that sends $(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mapsto (x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$. Is this a linear transformation?
- (b) What the area of the image of Δ after the projection?
- (c) Is there a linear transformation that will send Δ to the xy -plane so that the image has the same area as Δ , and one of the corners of the image is $(0, 0)$?

- (5) Say we have linear transformations $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ and $S : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$. Let

$S \circ T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$ be the composition (that is, $\mathbb{R}^3 \xrightarrow{T} \mathbb{R}^2 \xrightarrow{S} \mathbb{R}^4$).

Can $S \circ T$ be one-to-one?

(Hint: Start by thinking about all \mathbf{x} such that $T(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{0}$.)