

Lecture 8

Recall:

Matrix representation

Notation: An **ordered basis** for a finite-dimensional vector space V is a basis for V endowed with a specific order.
(e.g. \mathbb{R}^2 $\underbrace{\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}}_{\beta_1} \neq \underbrace{\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}}_{\beta_2}$ as ordered basis)

Definition: Let V be a finite-dimensional vector space and

$\beta = \{ \vec{u}_1, \vec{u}_2, \dots, \vec{u}_n \}$ be an ordered basis for V .

Then, $\forall \vec{x} \in V$, $\exists!$ $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \in F$ s.t. $\vec{x} = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i \vec{u}_i$.

The **coordinate vector of \vec{x} relative to β** , denoted as $[\vec{x}]_\beta$, is the column vector $[\vec{x}]_\beta = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ \vdots \\ a_n \end{pmatrix} \in F^n$
(F^n)

Recall:

$$\beta = \{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \dots, \vec{v}_n\} \quad \text{for } V$$

$$\gamma = \{\vec{w}_1, \vec{w}_2, \dots, \vec{w}_m\} \quad \text{for } W$$

$$[T]_{\beta}^{\gamma} = \begin{pmatrix} [T(\vec{v}_1)]_{\gamma} & [T(\vec{v}_2)]_{\gamma} & \dots & [T(\vec{v}_n)]_{\gamma} \end{pmatrix}$$

m n

$M_{m \times n}$

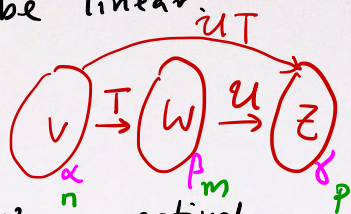
Recall:

Composition of linear transformations and matrix multiplication

Thm: Let V and W be two vector spaces over the same field F .

And let $T: V \rightarrow W$ and $U: W \rightarrow Z$ be linear.

(i) Then the composition $UT: V \rightarrow Z$ is linear.



(ii) If V, W, Z have ordered bases α, β, γ respectively,

then:

$$\underbrace{[UT]_{\alpha}^{\gamma}}_{M_{p \times n}} = \underbrace{[U]_{\beta}^{\gamma} [T]_{\alpha}^{\beta}}_{\text{matrix multiplication.}} \in M_{m \times n}$$

$M_{p \times m}$

Recall:

Corollary: Let V and W be finite-dimensional vector spaces with ordered basis β and γ respectively.

Let $T: V \rightarrow W$ be linear. Then: for any $\vec{u} \in V$, we have:

$$\underbrace{[T(\vec{u})]_{\gamma}}_{\substack{\text{Lin. Transf.} \\ W}} = \underbrace{[T]_{\beta}^{\gamma}}_{\text{Matrix multiplication}} \underbrace{[\vec{u}]_{\beta}}_{|}$$

Example: $T: M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R})$ defined by:

$$T(A) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} A^T + 2A.$$

$$\beta = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

$$[T]_{\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Let } B = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$[T(B)]_{\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} [B]_{\beta} =$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ 5 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$T(B) = \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 5 \\ 4 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Invertibility and isomorphism

Lemma: Suppose $T: V \rightarrow W$ is invertible.

(T is invertible means there exists a linear transformation
 $T^{-1}: W \rightarrow V$ such that $T \circ T^{-1} = I_W$ and $T^{-1} \circ T = I_V$)

Then: $\dim(V) < +\infty$ iff $\dim(W) < +\infty$

And in this case, $\dim(V) = \dim(W)$

Remark: If T is linear and invertible, T^{-1} is also linear.

Pf: Let $\vec{w}_1, \vec{w}_2 \in W$ and $c \in F$.

' \because ' T is invertible $\therefore \exists \vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2$ such that $\vec{w}_1 = T(\vec{v}_1)$ and $\vec{w}_2 = T(\vec{v}_2)$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then: } T^{-1}(c\vec{w}_1 + \vec{w}_2) &= T^{-1}(cT(\vec{v}_1) + T(\vec{v}_2)) = T^{-1}(T(c\vec{v}_1 + \vec{v}_2)) \quad (' \because T \text{ is linear}) \\ &= c_1 \vec{v}_1 + \vec{v}_2 \\ &= c_1 T^{-1}(\vec{w}_1) + T^{-1}(\vec{w}_2) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore T^{-1}$ is linear.

Proof: Suppose $\dim(V) = n < +\infty$ and $\beta = \{\vec{x}_1, \dots, \vec{x}_n\}$ is a basis for V . Then: $W = R(T) = \text{span}\{T(\beta)\}$

$\therefore \dim(W) \leq n = \dim(V) < +\infty$ $= \text{span} \{ \underbrace{T(\vec{x}_1), \dots, T(\vec{x}_n)}_{n \text{ elements}} \}$

Apply the same argument to T^{-1} to show that

$$\dim(V) \leq \dim(W)$$

In particular, if $\dim(V) < +\infty$ and $\dim(W) < +\infty$ then: $\dim(V) \leq \dim(W)$ and $\dim(W) \leq \dim(V) \Rightarrow \dim(V) = \dim(W)$

Proposition: Let V and W be finite-dimensional vector spaces with ordered basis β and γ respectively.

Let $T: V \rightarrow W$ be linear transformation.

Then, T is invertible iff $[T]_{\gamma}^{\beta}$ is invertible.

Furthermore, $[T^{-1}]_{\gamma}^{\beta} = ([T]_{\gamma}^{\beta})^{-1}$

Proof: Suppose T is invertible. Then: $\dim(V) = \dim(W) = n$

Since $T \circ T^{-1} = I_W$, $I_n = [I_W]_\gamma = [T \circ T^{-1}]_\gamma$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} W & \xrightarrow{T^{-1}} & V & \xrightarrow{T} & W \\ \gamma & & \beta & & \gamma \end{array}$$

$$I_n = [T]_\beta^\gamma [T^{-1}]_\gamma^\beta$$

Similarly, $T^{-1} \circ T = I_V$. $I_n = [I_V]_\beta = [T^{-1} \circ T]_\beta$

$$I_n = [T^{-1}]_\beta^\gamma [T]_\beta^\gamma$$

$\therefore [T]_\beta^\gamma$ is invertible and $([T]_\beta^\gamma)^{-1} = [T^{-1}]_\gamma^\beta$.

Conversely, suppose $A := [T]_{\rho}^{\gamma}$ is invertible. ($\Rightarrow \dim(V) = \dim(W)$)

' $\because \dim(V) = \dim(W)$

\therefore We only need to show T is one-to-one.

So, suppose $T(\vec{x}_1) = T(\vec{x}_2)$

$$\Leftrightarrow [T(\vec{x}_1)]_{\gamma} = [T(\vec{x}_2)]_{\gamma}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{[T]_{\rho}^{\gamma}}_A [\vec{x}_1]_{\rho} = \underbrace{[T]_{\rho}^{\gamma}}_A [\vec{x}_2]_{\rho}$$

$$\Rightarrow [\vec{x}_1]_{\rho} = [\vec{x}_2]_{\rho} \Rightarrow \vec{x}_1 = \vec{x}_2 //$$

Corollary: Let V be a finite-dimensional vector space with ordered basis β . Let $T: V \rightarrow V$ be a linear transformation.

Then: T is invertible iff $[T]_{\beta}$ is invertible

Furthermore, $[T^{-1}]_{\beta} = ([T]_{\beta})^{-1}$. $[L_A]_{\beta} \leftarrow$ standard ordered basis

Corollary: Let $A \in M_{n \times n}(F)$. Then: A is invertible
iff L_A is invertible. $(L_A)^{-1} = L_{A^{-1}}$

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} [L_A^{-1}]_{\beta} = ([L_A]_{\beta})^{-1} = A^{-1} = [L_{A^{-1}}]_{\beta} \\ \therefore (L_A)^{-1} = L_{A^{-1}} \end{array} \right)$$

Definition: Let V and W be two vector spaces.

We say V is **isomorphic** to W if \exists an invertible linear transformation $T: V \rightarrow W$.

In this case, T is called an **isomorphism** from V onto W .

