

Your PRINTED NAME indicates you read Chapter 2 and §3.1 of the notes: _____.

We assume $\mathbb{F}$ is a field and V, W are vector spaces over $\mathbb{F}$.

Problem 17 Let $W = \{(x + y, y + z, 2x - w, x + y + z + w) \mid x, y, z, w \in \mathbb{F}\}$. Is W a subspace of $\mathbb{F}^4$?

Problem 18 Friedberg, Insel and Spence 5th edition, §1.2#21, page 16.

Problem 19 Let V_1, V_2 be vector spaces over $\mathbb{F}$. Suppose $W_1 \leq V_1$ and $W_2 \leq V_2$.
Prove $W_1 \times W_2 \leq V_1 \times V_2$.

Problem 20 Consider $S = \{t^2 + 1, t^2 - 1, t + 1, t - 1\} \subseteq P_4(\mathbb{R})$.

(a.) Show S is **not** linearly independent

(b.) Find a basis for $W = \text{span}\{S\}$

Problem 21 Let $W = \{A \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3} \mid \text{tr}(A) = 0 \text{ \& } A^T = A\}$. Show $W \leq \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}$ and find a basis for W .
What is the dimension of W ?

Problem 22 Let $W = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{Z}_5^3 \mid x - y - 2z = 0\}$.

(a.) Find a basis for W .

(b.) Calculate $\dim(W)$.

(c.) Calculate the cardinality of W , we denote this $|W|$.

Problem 23 Consider $V = \mathbb{C}^{2 \times 2}$ as a vector space over $\mathbb{R}$. Let $W = \{A \in V \mid A^T = -iA\}$.
Find a basis for W .

Problem 24 Let $\beta = \{(1, 0, 0, 0), (1, 1, 0, 0), (1, 1, 1, 0), (1, 1, 1, 1)\}$. Find the coordinates of $v = (a, b, c, d)$ with respect to β .

Problem 25 Let $\beta = \{1, (t - 1), (t - 1)^2, (t - 1)^3\}$. Let $f(t) = a + bt + ct^2 + dt^3$ where $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R}$.
Calculate $[f(t)]_\beta$. *Hint: use calculus.*

Problem 26 Consider $W = \{f(t) \in P_2(\mathbb{R}) \mid \int_0^1 f(t)dt = 0\}$. Show $W \leq P_2(\mathbb{R})$ and find a basis for W .

Problem 27 Suppose $W_1 = \{f(x) \in P_4(\mathbb{R}) \mid f(1) = 0\}$ and $W_2 = \{f(x) \in P_4(\mathbb{R}) \mid f(2) = 0\}$ and $W_3 = \text{span}\{x + 1, x^4 - 1\}$

(a.) Find a basis for $W_1 \cap W_2$

(b.) Find a basis for $W_1 \cap W_3$.

Problem 28 Friedberg, Insel and Spence 5th edition, §1.5#13, page 42.

Problem 29 Friedberg, Insel and Spence 5th edition, §1.5#20, page 43.

Problem 30 Friedberg, Insel and Spence 5th edition, §1.6#4, page 55.

Problem 31 Let $S, T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$. Prove $S \circ T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$.

Problem 32 Friedberg, Insel and Spence 5th edition, §2.1#21, page 76.

Mission 2 solution

$$\boxed{P17} \quad W = \{ (x+y, y+z, 2x-w, x+y+z+w) \mid x, y, z, w \in \mathbb{F} \}$$

$$\Rightarrow W = \text{span} \{ (1, 0, 2, 1), (1, 1, 0, 1), (0, 1, 0, 1), (0, 0, -1, 1) \}$$

Thus $W \leq \mathbb{F}^4$ since W is formed by a span.

$\boxed{P18}$ Let V and W be vector spaces over $\mathbb{F}$.

$$\text{Let } Z = \{ (v, w) \mid v \in V \text{ and } w \in W \}$$

$$\text{define } (v_1, w_1) + (v_2, w_2) = (v_1 + v_2, w_1 + w_2) \text{ and } c(v_1, w_1) = (cv_1, cw_1)$$

$$\text{for all } (v_1, w_1), (v_2, w_2) \in Z \text{ and } c \in \mathbb{F}$$

To prove Z is vector space we need to verify all the axioms hold. Notice $v_1 + v_2 \in V$ and $w_1 + w_2 \in W$

$$\text{for } v_1, v_2 \in V \text{ and } w_1, w_2 \in W \text{ hence } + : Z \times Z \rightarrow Z$$

and similarly since scalar mult. in V and W are single-valued it follows $(c, (v_1, w_1)) \mapsto (cv_1, cw_1)$

$$\text{is a function } \cdot : \mathbb{F} \times Z \rightarrow Z.$$

$$\begin{aligned} (v_1, w_1) + (v_2, w_2) &= (v_1 + v_2, w_1 + w_2) : \text{def}^n \text{ in } Z \\ &= (v_2 + v_1, w_2 + w_1) : \begin{array}{l} + \text{ commutes in} \\ \text{vector spaces} \\ V \text{ \& } W \end{array} \\ &= (v_2, w_2) + (v_1, w_1) \end{aligned}$$

Thus $+$ commutes in Z . Likewise,

$$\begin{aligned} u + (v + w) &= (u_1, u_2) + (v_1 + w_1, v_2 + w_2) \xleftarrow{\text{def}^n \text{ of } +} \\ &= (u_1 + (v_1 + w_1), u_2 + (v_2 + w_2)) \xleftarrow{\text{in } Z} \\ &= ((u_1 + v_1) + w_1, (u_2 + v_2) + w_2) : \text{assoc. of } + \text{ in } V, W. \\ &= (u_1 + v_1, u_2 + v_2) + (w_1, w_2) \xleftarrow{\text{def}^n \text{ of } +} \\ &= (u + v) + w \xleftarrow{\text{in } Z} \end{aligned}$$

P18 continued

Let $(v, w) \in Z$ then notice $(0_v, 0_w)$ yields

$$(v, w) + (0_v, 0_w) = (v + 0_v, w + 0_w) = (v, w)$$

where I've denoted $0_v \in V$ and $0_w \in W$ for the zero vector of V & W respectively.

Hence, $(0, 0) = 0_Z$ (omitting V & W on $0_v, 0_w$)

Next, if $(v, w) \in Z$ then notice $(-v, -w) \in Z$

where $-v + v = 0_v$ and $-w + w = 0_w$ hence

$$\begin{aligned} (-v, -w) + (v, w) &= (-v + v, -w + w) = \cancel{(0_v, 0_w)} \\ &= (0_v, 0_w) \\ &= 0_Z. \end{aligned}$$

Thus $+$ is commutative, associative, has zero 0_Z and every element of Z has additive inverse.

Next suppose $1 \in \mathbb{F}$ then $1 \cdot v = v \quad \forall v \in V$ and $1 \cdot w = w \quad \forall w \in W$ hence

$$1 \cdot (v, w) = (1 \cdot v, 1 \cdot w) = (v, w)$$

for all $(v, w) \in Z$. If $a, b \in \mathbb{F}$ then

$$(a+b) \cdot v = a \cdot v + b \cdot v \quad \text{and} \quad (a+b) \cdot w = a \cdot w + b \cdot w$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{thus } (a+b) \cdot (v, w) &= ((a+b) \cdot v, (a+b) \cdot w) \\ &= (a \cdot v + b \cdot v, a \cdot w + b \cdot w) \\ &= (a \cdot v, a \cdot w) + (b \cdot v, b \cdot w) \\ &= a \cdot (v, w) + b \cdot (v, w) \\ &= (a+b) \cdot (v, w) \end{aligned}$$

P18 continued

Let $(v_1, w_1), (v_2, w_2) \in Z$ and $c \in F$ then

$$c \cdot [(v_1, w_1) + (v_2, w_2)] \stackrel{\text{def}^1 \text{ of } + \text{ in } Z}{=} c \cdot (v_1 + v_2, w_1 + w_2)$$

$$\downarrow \nearrow \\ = (c \cdot (v_1 + v_2), c \cdot (w_1 + w_2)) \stackrel{\text{def}^2 \text{ of } \cdot \text{ in } Z}{=}$$

$$= (c \cdot v_1 + c \cdot v_2, c \cdot w_1 + c \cdot w_2) \stackrel{\text{def}^3 \text{ of } \cdot \text{ in } V \oplus W}{=}$$

$$= (c \cdot v_1, c \cdot w_1) + (c \cdot v_2, c \cdot w_2) \stackrel{\text{def}^4 \text{ of } + \text{ in } Z}{=}$$

$$= c \cdot (v_1, w_1) + c \cdot (v_2, w_2).$$

I'll leave it to the reader to check

$$a \cdot (b \cdot (v, w)) = (ab) \cdot (v, w)$$

for all $a, b \in F$ and $(v, w) \in Z$.

P19 Let V_1 & V_2 be vector spaces over $\mathbb{F}$ and suppose $W_1 \leq V_1$ and $W_2 \leq V_2$. We proved $V_1 \times V_2$ is vector space over $\mathbb{F}$ in P18.

Notice $(0,0) \in W_1 \times W_2$ thus $W_1 \times W_2 \neq \emptyset$.

Also $W_1 \leq V_1$ and $W_2 \leq V_2 \Rightarrow W_1 \times W_2 \subseteq V_1 \times V_2$.

Let $x, y \in W_1 \times W_2$ and $c \in \mathbb{F}$ then $x = (x_1, x_2)$ and $y = (y_1, y_2)$ where $x_1, y_1 \in W_1$ and $x_2, y_2 \in W_2$. Since $W_1 \leq V_1$ we know $cx_1 + y_1 \in W_1$ and as $W_2 \leq V_2$ we also know $cx_2 + y_2 \in W_2$. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} cx + y &= c(x_1, x_2) + (y_1, y_2) \\ &= (cx_1 + y_1, cx_2 + y_2) \in W_1 \times W_2 \end{aligned}$$

Thus $W_1 \times W_2 \leq V_1 \times V_2$ by the subspace test.

P20 Consider $S = \{t^2+1, t^2-1, t+1, t-1\} \subseteq P_4(\mathbb{R})$

(a.) $\underbrace{(t^2+1) - (t^2-1) = 2 = (t+1) - (t-1)}$

I just saw 2 as common.

$$\underbrace{t+1 = (t^2+1) - (t^2-1) + (t-1)}$$

linear dependence in S

$\therefore \underline{S \text{ not LI.}}$

(b.) Find basis for $W = \text{span}(S)$

I suspect $\beta = \{t^2+1, t^2-1, t-1\}$ is LI

Let's check,

$$c_1(t^2+1) + c_2(t^2-1) + c_3(t-1) = 0$$

$$(c_1 + c_2)t^2 + c_3t + (c_1 - c_2 - c_3)1 = 0$$

By LI of the monomial basis $\{1, t, t^2\}$
we may equate coeff. of $1, t, t^2$

$$\begin{array}{lcl} \boxed{t^2} & c_1 + c_2 = 0 & \longrightarrow \\ \boxed{t} & c_3 = 0 & \longrightarrow \\ \boxed{1} & c_1 - c_2 - c_3 = 0 & \longrightarrow \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{l} c_1 + c_2 = 0 \\ c_1 - c_2 = 0 \end{array} \right) + \frac{2c_1 = 0}{2c_1 = 0}$$

Thus $c_1 = c_2 = c_3 = 0$ and

we find $\text{span}(S) = \text{span } \beta = W$ and β LI

$\therefore \beta = \{t^2+1, t^2-1, t-1\}$ is basis for W .

P21 Let $W = \{A \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3} \mid \text{tr}(A) = 0, A^T = A\}$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & A_{13} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & A_{23} \\ A_{31} & A_{32} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{tr}(A) = A_{11} + A_{22} + A_{33} = 0$$

$$A^T = A \Rightarrow A_{ij} = A_{ji} \quad (\text{only interesting for } i \neq j)$$

$$A_{12} = A_{21}$$

$$A_{13} = A_{31}$$

$$A_{23} = A_{32}$$

Therefore,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -A_{22} - A_{33} & A_{12} & A_{13} \\ A_{12} & A_{22} & A_{23} \\ A_{13} & A_{23} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \underbrace{A_{12}(E_{12} + E_{21}) + A_{13}(E_{13} + E_{31}) + A_{23}(E_{23} + E_{32})}_{*} + \underbrace{A_{22}(E_{22} - E_{11}) + A_{33}(E_{33} - E_{11})}_*$$

$$\text{Thus } W = \text{span} \left\{ \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{\beta} \right\}$$

Hence $W \leq \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}$ and β

it is clear β is LI from setting $*$ = 0

which yields $A_{12} = 0, A_{13} = 0, A_{23} = 0, A_{22} = 0, A_{33} = 0$

thus β serves as basis for W and

$$\dim(W) = |\beta| = \boxed{5}$$

P22 (a.) $W = \{ (x, y, z) \in \mathbb{Z}_5^3 \mid x - y - 2z = 0 \}$

Hence $W = \{ (y+2z, y, z) \mid y, z \in \mathbb{Z}_5 \}$
 $= \{ y(1, 1, 0) + z(2, 0, 1) \mid y, z \in \mathbb{Z}_5 \}$
 $= \text{span}_{\mathbb{Z}_5} \{ (1, 1, 0), (2, 0, 1) \}$

Notice $(1, 1, 0) \neq k(2, 0, 1) \therefore \beta = \{ (1, 1, 0), (2, 0, 1) \}$
 is LI as they serve as basis for $W \subseteq \mathbb{Z}_5^3$.

(b.) $\dim(W) = |\beta| = \boxed{2}$

(c.) $|W| = 25$ since y, z serve as free parameters
 which each range over 5 distinct values in $\mathbb{Z}_5$.

P23 $V = \mathbb{C}^{2 \times 2}$ over $\mathbb{R}$ and $W = \{ A \in V \mid A^T = -iA \}$

Find basis for W

$$A = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} x_{11} + iy_{11} & x_{12} + iy_{12} \\ \hline x_{21} + iy_{21} & x_{22} + iy_{22} \end{array} \right] \quad (x_{ij}, y_{ij} \in \mathbb{R} \forall i, j)$$

$$-iA = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} y_{11} - ix_{11} & y_{12} - ix_{12} \\ \hline y_{21} - ix_{21} & y_{22} - ix_{22} \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} x_{11} + iy_{11} & x_{21} + iy_{21} \\ \hline x_{12} + iy_{12} & x_{22} + iy_{22} \end{array} \right]$$

This gives eight real equations

(1,1) :	$y_{11} = x_{11}$	&	$-x_{11} = y_{11} \Rightarrow \underline{x_{11} = 0}$
(1,2) :	$y_{12} = x_{21}$	&	$-x_{12} = y_{21} \Rightarrow \underline{x_{21} = 0}$
(2,1) :	$y_{21} = x_{12}$	&	$-x_{21} = y_{12} \Rightarrow \underline{x_{12} = 0}$
(2,2) :	$y_{22} = x_{22}$	&	$-x_{22} = y_{22} \Rightarrow \underline{x_{22} = 0}$

p 23 continued

we found $X_{ij} = 0 \quad \forall i, j$ thus

$$A = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} i y_{11} & i y_{12} \\ \hline i y_{21} & i y_{22} \end{array} \right]$$

I'll apply the defining condition $A^T = -iA$ once more since I believe we've not exhausted the implications of the eight eqs from the last page.

$$A^T = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} i y_{11} & i y_{21} \\ \hline i y_{12} & i y_{22} \end{array} \right] = -iA = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} y_{11} & y_{12} \\ \hline y_{21} & y_{22} \end{array} \right]$$

But, $y_{ij} \in \mathbb{R} \quad \forall i, j$ by construction
thus $y_{11} = 0, y_{12} = 0, y_{21} = 0, y_{22} = 0$

Ha. Well, this is easier than I

thought. $W = \{0\}$ thus $\beta = \emptyset$

is the basis ($\text{span } \emptyset = \{0\}, \beta = \emptyset \subset I$)

P24 $\beta = \{ (1, 0, 0, 0), (1, 1, 0, 0), (1, 1, 1, 0), (1, 1, 1, 1) \}$

Find coordinates of $V = (a, b, c, d)$ with respect to β .

Let $[V]_{\beta} = (c_1, c_2, c_3, c_4)$ then

$$(a, b, c, d) = c_1(1, 0, 0, 0) + c_2(1, 1, 0, 0) + c_3(1, 1, 1, 0) + c_4(1, 1, 1, 1)$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 + c_2 + c_3 + c_4 \\ c_2 + c_3 + c_4 \\ c_3 + c_4 \\ c_4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore,

$$c_4 = d$$

$$c_3 = c - c_4 = c - d$$

$$c_2 = b - c_3 - c_4 = b - (c - d) - d = b - c$$

$$c_1 = a - c_2 - c_3 - c_4 = a - (b - c) - (c - d) - d = a - b$$

Thus

$$[V]_{\beta} = (a - b, b - c, c - d, d)$$

Let me check my answer,

$$(a - b)(1, 0, 0, 0) + (b - c)(1, 1, 0, 0) + (c - d)(1, 1, 1, 0) + d(1, 1, 1, 1) =$$

$$\hookrightarrow (a - b + b - c + c - d + d, b - c + c - d + d, c - d + d, d)$$

$$= (a, b, c, d)$$

$$= V \quad (\text{woo hoo})$$

P25 $f(x) = a + bx + cx^2 + dx^3$

I showed how $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{(n)}(1)}{n!} (x-1)^n$ could

be used to calculate $[f(x)]_{\beta}$ where

$$\beta = \{1, x-1, (x-1)^2, (x-1)^3\} \text{ in-class}$$

I'll use my other trick here. Add zero ↴

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= a + b(x-1+1) + c(x-1+1)^2 + d(x-1+1)^3 \\ &= a + b(x-1) + b + c(x-1)^2 + 2c(x-1) + c + 2 \\ &\quad \hookrightarrow + d(x-1)^3 + 3d(x-1)^2 + 3d(x-1) + d \\ &= a + b + c + d + (b + 2c + 3d)(x-1) + 2 \\ &\quad + (c + 3d)(x-1)^2 + d(x-1)^3 \end{aligned}$$

Thus, $[f(x)]_{\beta} = \begin{bmatrix} a + b + c + d \\ b + 2c + 3d \\ c + 3d \\ d \end{bmatrix}$

You can compare against

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= f(1) + f'(1)(x-1) + \frac{1}{2}f''(1)(x-1)^2 + \frac{1}{6}f'''(1)(x-1)^3 \\ &= a + b + c + d + (b + 2c + 3d)(x-1) + 2 \\ &\quad \hookrightarrow + \frac{1}{2}(2c + 6d)(x-1)^2 + \frac{1}{6}6d(x-1)^3 \end{aligned}$$

(CALCULUS WAY IS EASIER THAN MY
ADD ZERO TRICK HERE)

P26 $W = \{ f(x) \in P_2(\mathbb{R}) \mid \int_0^1 f(x) dx = 0 \}$

Let $at^2 + bt + c \in W$ then

$$\int_0^1 (at^2 + bt + c) dt = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{3}at^3 + \frac{1}{2}bt^2 + ct \right) \Big|_0^1 = \frac{a}{3} + \frac{b}{2} + c = 0$$

Thus $c = -a/3 - b/2$. We find

$$at^2 + bt + (-a/3 - b/2) = a(t^2 - 1/3) + b(t - 1/2)$$

hence $W = \text{span} \{ t^2 - 1/3, t - 1/2 \} \subseteq P_2(\mathbb{R})$

as we've shown W is a span.

— (of course you could also prove $W \subseteq P_2(\mathbb{R})$ by the subspace test if you prefer, but since I'm tasked with finding basis this path is natural) —

Notice $\beta = \{ t^2 - 1/3, t - 1/2 \}$ is LI

since clearly $t^2 - 1/3 \neq k(t - 1/2)$ for some $k \in \mathbb{R}$.

Thus β is basis for W .

P27 $W_1 = \{f(x) \in P_4(\mathbb{R}) \mid f(1) = 0\}$

$$W_2 = \{f(x) \in P_4(\mathbb{R}) \mid f(2) = 0\}$$

$$W_3 = \text{span} \{x+1, x^4-1\}$$

(a.) Find basis for $W_1 \cap W_2$

if $f(x) \in W_1 \cap W_2$ then $f(x) \in W_1$ and $f(x) \in W_2$
 thus $f(1) = 0$ and $f(2) = 0$. By

factor Th^m since $\deg(f(x)) \leq 4$ we deduce

$$f(x) = (x-1)(x-2)(Ax^2+Bx+C)$$

Thus $W_1 \cap W_2 = \text{span} \{x^2(x-1)(x-2), x(x-2)(x-1), (x-1)(x-2)\}$

$$\boxed{\beta = \{x^4 - 3x^3 + 2x^2, x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x, x^2 - 3x + 2\}}$$

I've shown $\text{span } \beta = W_1 \cap W_2$, it remains
 to prove LI of β . Consider,

$$c_1(x^4 - 3x^3 + 2x^2) + c_2(x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x) + c_3(x^2 - 3x + 2) = 0$$

Equate coefficients of

$$\underline{x^4} \quad c_1 = 0.$$

$$\underline{x^3} \quad -3c_1 + c_2 = 0 \quad \therefore \underline{c_2 = 0}.$$

$$\underline{x^2} \quad 2c_1 - 3c_2 + c_3 = 0 \quad \therefore \underline{c_3 = 0}.$$

Thus β is LI and so β serves as
basis for $W_1 \cap W_2$.

P27 continued

Remark: $W_3 = \text{span} \{x+1, x^4-1\}$ is not as nice to combine with $W_1 = \{f(x) \in P_4(\mathbb{R}) / f(1)=0\}$

As a rule of thumb, when finding intersections it is nice to have each subspace described by an equation or equations. I'll show how to "fix" the given description of W_3

$$W_3 = \{ c_1(x+1) + c_2(x^4-1) \mid c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

If $ax^4+bx^3+cx^2+dx+e \in W_3$ then

$$ax^4+bx^3+cx^2+dx+e = c_1(x+1) + c_2(x^4-1)$$

Thus,

$$\underline{x^4} \quad a = c_2$$

$$\underline{x^3} \quad b = 0$$

$$\underline{x^2} \quad c = 0$$

$$\underline{x} \quad d = c_1$$

$$\underline{1} \quad e = c_1 - c_2$$

goal is to
eliminate c_1 & c_2

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \underline{c_1 = d} \\ \underline{c_2 = a} \end{array} \right\} \text{done!}$$

We have a, d free and $b=c=0$
whereas $e = c_1 - c_2 = d - a$.

$$W_3 = \{ ax^4+bx^3+cx^2+dx+e \mid b=c=0, e=d-a, a, d \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

P27 continued

If $f(x) = ax^4 + bx^3 + cx^2 + dx + e \in W_3 \cap W_1$ then

$b = c = 0$ and $e = d - a$ since

$f(x) \in W_3$. Moreover, $f(x) \in W_1$ thus

$f(1) = a + b + c + d + e = 0$. I'll use

row-reduction to be safe, ($a + e - d = 0$)

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccccc|c} a & b & c & d & e & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{r_2 - r_1} \left[\begin{array}{ccccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

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Ok, so, $b = c = d = 0$ and $a = -e$.

that is $f(x) = a(x^4 - 1)$ and so

$W_1 \cap W_3 = \text{span} \{x^4 - 1\}$ and $\beta = \{x^4 - 1\}$

serves as basis for $W_1 \cap W_3$.

(Remark: $x^4 - 1 = g(x)$ has $g(1) = 0 \therefore x^4 - 1 \in W_1$
so the calculation's result is not too surprising.)

P28) § 1.5 #13 from p. 42

Let V be vector space over $\mathbb{F}$ with $\text{char}(\mathbb{F}) \neq 2$.

(a.) Let u, v be distinct vectors in V .

Prove $\{u, v\}$ LI $\Leftrightarrow \{u+v, u-v\}$ LI.

(b.) Let u, v, w be distinct vectors in V .

Prove $\{u, v, w\}$ is LI $\Leftrightarrow \{u+v, u+w, v+w\}$ LI

(a.) Assume u, v distinct. Suppose $\{u, v\}$ is LI.

Consider $c_1(u+v) + c_2(u-v) = 0$ then

$$(c_1 + c_2)u + (c_1 - c_2)v = 0 \Rightarrow \underbrace{c_1 + c_2 = 0}_{\textcircled{1}} \text{ \& } \underbrace{c_1 - c_2 = 0}_{\textcircled{2}}$$

by LI of $\{u, v\}$. Then add and subtract

Equations $\textcircled{1}$ and $\textcircled{2}$ to obtain $2c_1 = 0$ & $2c_2 = 0$

thus $c_1 = c_2 = 0$ and we've shown $\{u+v, u-v\}$ LI.

Conversely suppose $\{u+v, u-v\}$ is LI.

Consider $c_1 u + c_2 v = 0$ then add zero,

$$c_1(u+v-v) + c_2(v-u+u) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow c_1(u+v) + c_2(-(u-v)) + c_2 u - c_1 v = 0$$

Well, I don't see it. Let's try another path 

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Suppose $\{u+v, u-v\}$ is LI and

suppose $\{u, v\}$ is not LI towards $\rightarrow \leftarrow$

Then we can write $v = ku$ for some $k \neq 0$

and so $\underline{u+v = u+ku = (1+k)u}$ *

where as $u-v = u-ku = (1-k)u$

Notice u, v distinct so $k \neq 1$ and

we find $u = \frac{1}{1-k} (u-v)$ we substitute into *,

$$u+v = (1+k) \frac{1}{1-k} (u-v) = \lambda (u-v)$$

where $\lambda = \frac{1+k}{1-k}$. If $1+k \neq 0$ then

$\{u+v, u-v\}$ is not LI since $u+v$ is scalar multiple of $u-v$. Likewise, if $1+k=0$

then $u+v=0$ thus $\{u+v, u-v\}$ is not LI

as any set containing zero is not LI.

Thus we reach a $\rightarrow \leftarrow$ and so we

conclude $\{u, v\}$ is LI. //

(I'd rather not use $\rightarrow \leftarrow$ if I can help

it... I'm going to try the algebra again $\rightarrow$

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$$\begin{aligned}c_1 u + c_2 v &= b_1 (u+v) + b_2 (u-v) \\ &= (b_1 + b_2) u + (b_1 - b_2) v\end{aligned}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned}c_1 &= b_1 + b_2 \\ c_2 &= b_1 - b_2\end{aligned} \right\} \text{ solve for } b_1 \text{ \& } b_2$$

$$b_1 = \frac{1}{2}(c_1 + c_2)$$

$$b_2 = \frac{1}{2}(c_1 - c_2)$$

Thus,

$$c_1 u + c_2 v = \frac{1}{2}(c_1 + c_2)(u+v) + \frac{1}{2}(c_1 - c_2)(u-v)$$

Consequently

$$c_1 u + c_2 v = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}(c_1 + c_2) = 0 \text{ and } \frac{1}{2}(c_1 - c_2) = 0$$

by LI of $\{u+v, u-v\}$

Then $c_1 + c_2 = 0$ and $c_1 - c_2 = 0$

which yields $c_1 = c_2 = 0 \therefore \{u, v\}$ LI //

P28 continued

(b.) $\Rightarrow$ Suppose $\{u, v, w\}$ is LI.

$$\text{Consider } c_1(u+v) + c_2(u+w) + c_3(v+w) = 0$$

$$\text{Hence } (c_1 + c_2)u + (c_1 + c_3)v + (c_2 + c_3)w = 0$$

Then by LI of $\{u, v, w\}$ we find

$$c_1 + c_2 = c_1 + c_3 = c_2 + c_3 = 0$$

(I)

(II)

(III)

Notice (I) and (II) yield $c_2 = c_3$ which gives (III)

the form $2c_2 = 0 \therefore \underline{c_2 = 0 \Rightarrow c_3 = 0 \Rightarrow c_1 = 0}$.

Therefore $\{u+v, u+w, v+w\}$ is LI. //

$\Leftarrow$ Suppose $\{u+v, u+w, v+w\}$ is LI.

Assume $c_1 u + c_2 v + c_3 w = 0$. We wish to rewrite the equation above by finding b_1, b_2, b_3 for which

$$c_1 u + c_2 v + c_3 w = b_1(u+v) + b_2(u+w) + b_3(v+w)$$

This suggests we solve (if possible!)

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} c_1 = b_1 + b_2 \\ c_2 = b_1 + b_3 \\ c_3 = b_2 + b_3 \end{array} \right\} \text{solve for } \left. \begin{array}{l} b_1, b_2, b_3 \end{array} \right\}$$

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$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 0 & c_1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & c_2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & c_3 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 0 & c_1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & c_2 - c_1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & c_3 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 & c_1 + (c_2 - c_1) \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & c_2 - c_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & c_3 + c_2 - c_1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 & c_2 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & c_1 - c_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2}(-c_1 + c_2 + c_3) \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & c_2 - \frac{1}{2}(-c_1 + c_2 + c_3) \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & c_1 - c_2 + \frac{1}{2}(-c_1 + c_2 + c_3) \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2}(c_2 + c_3 - c_1) \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \end{array}$$

$$b_1 = \frac{1}{2}(c_1 + c_2 - c_3)$$

$$b_2 = \frac{1}{2}(c_1 - c_2 + c_3)$$

$$b_3 = \frac{1}{2}(-c_1 + c_2 + c_3)$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} c_1 u + c_2 v + c_3 w &= \frac{1}{2}(c_1 + c_2 - c_3)(u+v) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2}(c_1 - c_2 + c_3)(u+w) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2}(-c_1 + c_2 + c_3)(v+w) \end{aligned}$$

and by LI of $\{u+v, u+w, v+w\}$ we find

$$c_1 + c_2 - c_3 = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad c_1 - c_2 + c_3 = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad -c_1 + c_2 + c_3 = 0$$

from which it follows $c_1 = c_2 = c_3 = 0 \therefore \{u, v, w\} \text{ LI.}$

P29 §1.5 #20 p. 43

Let $f, g \in \mathcal{F}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R})$ be functions defined by $f(t) = e^{rt}$ and $g(t) = e^{st}$ where $r \neq s$.
Prove f and g are LI in $\mathcal{F}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R})$.

Suppose $c_1 e^{rt} + c_2 e^{st} = 0$ ^① for all $t \in \mathbb{R}$
then differentiating with respect to t yields
 $c_1 r e^{rt} + c_2 s e^{st} = 0$ ^② for all $t \in \mathbb{R}$.

Evaluate ① and ② at $t = 0$ to obtain

$$\begin{cases} c_1 + c_2 = 0 \\ r c_1 + s c_2 = 0 \end{cases} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ r & s \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Note $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ r & s \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{s-r} \begin{bmatrix} s & -1 \\ -r & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ since $r \neq s$

and multiplying by this matrix yields $\begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

Thus $c_1 = c_2 = 0$ and we find

$\{e^{rt}, e^{st}\}$ is LI.

(Remark: alternatively, if $e^{rt} = k e^{st}$ then
 $k = \frac{e^{rt}}{e^{st}} = e^{(r-s)t}$ which is absurd since $r \neq s$)

P30 §1.6 #4 p. 55

Do the polynomials $x^3 - 2x^2 + 1$, $4x^2 - x + 3$ and $3x - 2$ generate $P_3(\mathbb{R})$?

Notice

$$\dim(\text{span}\{x^3 - 2x^2 + 1, 4x^2 - x + 3, 3x - 2\}) \leq 3$$

$$\text{However, } \dim(P_3(\mathbb{R})) = |\{1, x, x^2, x^3\}| = 4$$

thus the given polynomials cannot
span $P_3(\mathbb{R})$ as all bases for $P_3(\mathbb{R})$
have 4 vectors.

P31 $S, T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$

then consider $x, y \in V$ and $c \in \mathbb{F}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (S \circ T)(cx + y) &= S(T(cx + y)) \quad \swarrow T \in \mathcal{L}(V) \\
 &= S(cT(x) + T(y)) \quad \swarrow S \in \mathcal{L}(V) \\
 &= cS(T(x)) + S(T(y)) \\
 &= c(S \circ T)(x) + (S \circ T)(y)
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus $S \circ T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$.

P32 § 2.1 # 21, p. 76

$$V = \{ (a_1, a_2, \dots) \mid a_i \in \mathbb{F} \text{ for each } i \in \mathbb{N} \}$$

then $(a+b)_i = a_i + b_i \quad \forall i \in \mathbb{N}$

and $(ca)_i = ca_i \quad \forall i \in \mathbb{N}$ where $c \in \mathbb{F}$

Let us define

$$T(a_1, a_2, \dots) = (a_2, a_3, \dots) : \text{LEFT SHIFT}$$

$$U(a_1, a_2, \dots) = (0, a_1, a_2, \dots) : \text{RIGHT SHIFT}$$

p32 continued

(a.) show T and U are linear.

Let $a, b \in V$ and $c \in \mathbb{F}$ then

$$ca + b = (ca_1 + b_1, ca_2 + b_2, ca_3 + b_3, \dots)$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} T(ca + b) &= (ca_2 + b_2, ca_3 + b_3, \dots) \\ &= c(a_2, a_3, \dots) + (b_2, b_3, \dots) \\ &= cT(a) + T(b) \end{aligned}$$

Likewise,

$$\begin{aligned} U(ca + b) &= (0, ca_1 + b_1, ca_2 + b_2, \dots) \\ &= c(0, a_1, a_2, \dots) + (0, b_1, b_2, \dots) \\ &= cU(a) + U(b) \end{aligned}$$

Thus $T, U \in \mathcal{L}(V)$.

(b.) Prove T is onto but not one-to-one.

Let $a = (a_1, a_2, \dots) \in V$ then observe

$$T(0, a_1, a_2, \dots) = (a_1, a_2, \dots) = a \therefore T \text{ onto } V.$$

If $T(a) = 0$ then $(a_2, a_3, \dots) = 0$ for

$$a = (a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots) \therefore \text{Ker}(T) = \text{span}\{(1, 0, \dots)\}$$

and so T is not 1-to-1.

$$(\text{for example, } T(0) = (0, 0, \dots) = T(1, 0, \dots).)$$

P32 continued

(c.) Prove T is one-to-one, but not onto

Let $a = (a_1, a_2, \dots) \in \text{Ker}(T)$ then

$$T(a) = (0, a_1, a_2, \dots) = 0 \Rightarrow a = 0$$

thus $\text{Ker}(T) = \{0\}$ and it follows that T is injective.

To see T is not onto notice

$$(1, 0, 0, \dots) \in V \text{ yet}$$

$$T(a) = (0, a_1, a_2, \dots) = (1, 0, 0, \dots)$$

is impossible to solve as $0 \neq 1$.