

# Workbook



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# Linear Transformations

## Linear Transformation Definition

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### Questions

Check if the following transformations are linear transformations:

- 1)  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ ;  $T[x, y] = [x + y, x - y]$
- 2)  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ ;  $T[x, y, z] = [x + y - 2z, x + 2y + z, 2x + 2y - 3z]$
- 3)  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ ;  $T[x, y, z] = [2x + z, |y|]$
- 4)  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ ;  $T[x, y] = [xy, y, z]$
- 5)  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ ;  $T[x, y, z] = [x + 1, x + y, x + z]$
- 6)  $T: M_n[\mathbb{R}] \rightarrow M_n[\mathbb{R}]$ ;  $T(A) = BA + AB$ , where  $B \in M_n[\mathbb{R}]$  is some fixed matrix.
- 7)  $T: M_n[\mathbb{R}] \rightarrow M_n[\mathbb{R}]$ ;  $T(A) = A + A^T$
- 8)  $T: M_n[\mathbb{R}] \rightarrow M_n[\mathbb{R}]$ ;  $T(A) = |A| \cdot I$  ( $|A|$  is the determinant of  $A$ )
- 9)  $T: M_n[\mathbb{R}] \rightarrow M_n[\mathbb{R}]$ ;  $T(A) = A \cdot A^T$
- 10)  $T: M_n[\mathbb{R}] \rightarrow M_n[\mathbb{R}]$ ;  $T(A) = A^3$
- 11)  $T: P_3[\mathbb{R}] \rightarrow P_2[\mathbb{R}]$ ;  $T(a + bx + cx^2 + dx^3) = a + bx + cx^2$
- 12)  $T: P_n[\mathbb{R}] \rightarrow P_n[\mathbb{R}]$ ;  $T(p(x)) = p(x + 1)$
- 13)  $T: P_n[\mathbb{R}] \rightarrow P_n[\mathbb{R}]$ ;  $T(p(x)) = p'(x) + p''(x)$

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14)  $T : P_n[\mathbb{R}] \rightarrow P_{2n}[\mathbb{R}] ; T(p(x)) = p^2(x)$

15) Check if the following transformations are linear transformations:

a.  $T : \mathbb{C}[\mathbb{R}] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}[\mathbb{R}] ; T(z) = \bar{z}$

b.  $T : \mathbb{C}[\mathbb{C}] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}[\mathbb{C}] ; T(z) = \bar{z}$

16) For which value(s) of  $m$  is the following a linear transformation?

$$T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2 ; T[x, y] = [m^2x^{2m}, y^{2m} + x]$$

17) Is there a linear transformation  $T : \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ , such that:

$$T[1, 2, -1, 0] = [0, 1, -1], \quad T[-1, 0, 1, 1] = [1, 0, 0], \quad T[0, 4, 0, 2] = [2, 2, -2]?$$

If there isn't, explain why.

If there is, find such a  $T$  and say whether this  $T$  is unique.

18) Is there a linear transformation  $T : P_2[\mathbb{R}] \rightarrow P_2[\mathbb{R}]$ , such that:

$$T(1) = 4, \quad T(4x + x^2) = x, \quad T(1 - x) = x^2 + 1?$$

If there isn't, explain why.

If there is, is it unique? If  $T$  is unique, find its formula.

19) Is there a linear transformation  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ , such that:

$$T[1, 1, 0] = [1, 2, 3], \quad T[0, 1, 1] = [4, 5, 6], \quad T[0, 0, 1] = [7, 8, 9]?$$

If there isn't, explain why.

If there is, is it unique? If  $T$  is unique, find its formula.

20) Is there a linear transformation  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ , such that:

$$T[1, 0, 1] = [1, 1, 0], \quad T[0, 1, 1] = [1, 2, 1], \quad T[0, 0, 1] = [0, 1, 1]?$$

If there isn't, explain why.

If there is, is it unique? If  $T$  is unique, find its formula.

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### Answer Key

- 1)  $T$  is linear.
- 2)  $T$  is linear.
- 3)  $T$  is not linear.
- 4)  $T$  is not linear.
- 5)  $T$  is not linear.
- 6)  $T$  is linear.
- 7)  $T$  is linear.
- 8)  $T$  is not linear.
- 9)  $T$  is not linear.
- 10)  $T$  is not linear.
- 11)  $T$  is linear.
- 12)  $T$  is linear.
- 13)  $T$  is linear.
- 14)  $T$  is not linear.
- 15) a.  $T$  is linear.                      b.  $T$  is not linear.
- 16)  $m = 2$
- 17) Yes, not unique  $T[x, y, z, t] = [\frac{1}{2}y - x, \frac{1}{2}y, -\frac{1}{2}y]$ .
- 18) Yes, unique  $T \quad \bar{T}[a, b, c] = [4a + 3b - 12c, c, 4c - b]$ .
- 19) Yes, unique  $T \quad T[x, y, z] = [4x - 3y + 7z, 5x - 3y + 8z, 6x - 3y + 9z]$ .
- 20) Yes, unique  $T \quad T[x, y, z] = [x + y, y + z, z - x]$ .

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## Image and Kernel

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### Questions

1) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be the linear transformation defined by

$$T[x, y, z, t] = [x + y, y - 4z + t, 4x + y + 4z - t]$$

- Find a basis and the dimension of the kernel of  $T$ .
- Find a basis and the dimension of the image of  $T$ .

2) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$  be the linear transformation defined by

$$T[x, y, z] = [x - 4y - z, x + y, y - z, x + 4z]$$

- Find a basis and the dimension of the kernel of  $T$ .
- Find a basis and the dimension of the image of  $T$ .

3) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be the linear transformation defined by

$$T[x, y, z, t] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 5 & -2 \\ 2 & 6 & 10 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ t \end{bmatrix}$$

- Find a basis and the dimension of the kernel of  $T$ .
- Find a basis and the dimension of the image of  $T$ .

4) Let  $T: M_2[\mathbb{R}] \rightarrow M_2[\mathbb{R}]$  be the linear transformation defined by  $T(A) = A \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \cdot A$ .

- Find a basis and the dimension of the kernel of  $T$ .
- Find a basis and the dimension of the image of  $T$ .

5) Let  $T: P_2[\mathbb{R}] \rightarrow P_2[\mathbb{R}]$  be the linear transformation defined by  $T(p(x)) = p(x+1) - p(x+4)$ .

- Find a basis and the dimension of the kernel of  $T$ .
- Find a basis and the dimension of the image of  $T$ .

6) Let  $D: P_3[\mathbb{R}] \rightarrow P_3[\mathbb{R}]$  be the linear transformation defined by  $D(p(x)) = p'(x)$ .

- Find a basis and the dimension of the kernel of  $D$ .
- Find a basis and the dimension of the image of  $D$ .

7) Find a linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  whose image is spanned by  $\{[4, 1, 4], [-1, 4, 1]\}$ .

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8) Find a linear transformation  $T : \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  whose kernel is spanned by  $\{[0,1,1,1],[1,2,3,4]\}$ .

9) Let  $T : V \rightarrow U$  be a linear transformation.

Prove that if  $\dim(\text{Im}T) = \dim(\text{Ker}T)$ , then the dimension of  $V$  is even.

10) Is it possible for a linear transformation  $T : \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  to be one-to-one?

11) For the following linear transformation  $T$ , find  $\text{Ker}T$  and  $\text{Im}T$ , and determine whether  $T$  is injective and/or surjective.

$$T : \text{Mat}_{\mathbb{Z}}(2,3) \rightarrow \text{Mat}_{\mathbb{Z}}(3,2) \text{ given by } T\left(\begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & A_{13} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & A_{23} \end{pmatrix}\right) = \begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & A_{21} \\ A_{12} & A_{22} \\ A_{13} & A_{23} \end{pmatrix} \text{ for all}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & A_{13} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & A_{23} \end{pmatrix} \in \text{Mat}_{\mathbb{Z}}(2,3)$$

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### Answer Key

- 1) a.  $B_{\text{ker}T} = \{[0,0,1,4]\}$ ,  $\dim(\text{Ker}T) = 1$     b.  $B_{\text{Im}T} = \{[1,0,4],[0,1,-3],[0,0,1]\}$ ,  $\dim(\text{Im}T) = 3$
- 2) a.  $B_{\text{ker}T} = \{(0,0,0)\}$ ,  $\dim(\text{Ker}T) = 0$     b.  $B_{\text{Im}T} = \{[1,1,0,1],[0,5,1,4],[0,0,-6,21]\}$ ,  $\dim(\text{Im}T) = 3$
- 3) a.  $B_{\text{ker}T} = \{[-7,3,0,1],[1,-2,1,0]\}$ ,  $\dim(\text{Ker}T) = 2$   
b.  $B_{\text{Im}T} = \{[1,1,2],[0,1,2]\}$ ,  $\dim(\text{Im}T) = 2$
- 4) a.  $B_{\text{ker}T} = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ ,  $\dim(\text{Ker}T) = 2$   
b.  $B_{\text{Im}T} = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ ,  $\dim(\text{Im}T) = 2$
- 5) a.  $B_{\text{ker}T} = \{1\}$ ,  $\dim(\text{Ker}T) = 1$     b.  $B_{\text{ker}T} = \{2x+5, 1\}$ ,  $\dim(\text{Im}T) = 2$
- 6) a.  $B_{\text{ker}D} = \{1\}$ ,  $\dim(\text{Ker}D) = 1$     b.  $B_{\text{Im}D} = \{x^2, x, 1\}$ ,  $\dim(\text{Im}D) = 3$
- 7)  $T \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 4 & 4 \\ 4 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$
- 8)  $T[x, y, z, t] = [-x - y + z, -2x - y + t, 0]$
- 9) Proved as shown in the video.
- 10) No,  $T$  is not one-to-one.



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## Isomorphism and Inverse

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### Questions

1) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be the linear transformation defined by  $T[x, y, z] = [x - y + z, y + z, z - x]$ .

True or false:

- $T$  is one-to-one.
- $T$  is onto.
- $T$  is an isomorphism.
- $T$  has an inverse. If it does, find it.

2) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be the linear transformation defined by  $T[x, y, z] = [x - y + z, y + z, x + 2z]$ .

True or false:

- $T$  is one-to-one.
- $T$  is onto.
- $T$  is an isomorphism.
- $T$  has an inverse. If it does, find it.

3) Let  $T: P_2[\mathbb{R}] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be the linear transformation defined by  $T(a + bx + cx^2) = [a + b + c, a - b, b - 2c]$ .

True or false:

- $T$  is one-to-one.
- $T$  is onto.
- $T$  is an isomorphism.
- $T$  has an inverse. If it does, find it.

4) Let  $T: M_2[\mathbb{R}] \rightarrow P_3[\mathbb{R}]$  be the linear transformation defined by

$$T \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} = a - b + (c + d)x + (a - c)x^2 + dx^3.$$

True or false:

- $T$  is one-to-one.
- $T$  is onto.
- $T$  is an isomorphism.
- $T$  has an inverse. If it does, find it.

### Answer Key

- 1) a. True                      b. True                      c. True  
d. True,  $T^{-1}[x, y, z] = \left[ \frac{1}{3}(x + y - 2z), \frac{1}{3}(2y - z - x), \frac{1}{3}(z + x + y) \right]$ .
- 2) a. False                      b. False                      c. False                      d. False
- 3) a. True                      b. True                      c. True  
d. True,  $T^{-1}[a, b, c] = (0.4a + 0.6b + 0.2c)\mathbf{1} + (0.4a - 0.4b + 0.2c)x + (0.2a - 0.2b - 0.4c)x^2$
- 4) a. True                      b. True                      c. True  
d. True,  $T^{-1}[a, b, c, d] = [b + c - d, -a + b + c - d, b - d, d]$ .

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## Composition of Linear Transformation

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### Questions

- 1) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  and  $S: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be the linear transformation defined by  $T[x, y, z] = [x, 4x - y, x + 4y - z]$ ,  $S[x, y, z] = [x - z, y]$ .  
Find a formula, if possible, that defines  $S + T$ .
- 2) Let  $S: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be the linear transformation defined by  $S[x, y, z] = [x - z, y]$ .  
Find a formula, if possible, that defines  $4S$ .
- 3) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  and  $S: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be the linear transformation defined by  $T[x, y, z] = [x, 4x - y, x + 4y - z]$ ,  $S[x, y, z] = [x - z, y]$ .  
Find a formula, if possible, that defines  $4S - 10T$ .
- 4) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  and  $S: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be the linear transformation defined by  $T[x, y, z] = [x, 4x - y, x + 4y - z]$ ,  $S[x, y, z] = [x - z, y]$ .  
Find a formula, if possible, that defines  $TS$ , meaning function composition  $T \circ S$ .
- 5) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  and  $S: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be the linear transformation defined by  $T[x, y, z] = [x, 4x - y, x + 4y - z]$ ,  $S[x, y, z] = [x - z, y]$ .  
Find a formula, if possible, that defines  $ST$ , meaning function composition  $S \circ T$ .
- 6) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be the linear transformation defined by  $T[x, y, z] = [x, 4x - y, x + 4y - z]$ .  
Find a formula, if possible, that defines  $T^2 = TT$ .
- 7) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be the linear transformation defined by  $T[x, y, z] = [x, 4x - y, x + 4y - z]$ .  
Find a formula, if possible, that defines  $T^{-1}$ .
- 8) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be the linear transformation defined by  $T[x, y, z] = [x, 4x - y, x + 4y - z]$ .  
Find a formula, if possible, that defines  $T^{-2}$ .
- 9) Let  $S: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be the linear transformation defined by  $S[x, y, z] = [x - z, y]$ .  
Find a formula, if possible, that defines  $S^2 = SS$ .

### Answer Key

- 1)  $S + T$  can't be defined.
- 2)  $[4(x - z), 4y]$
- 3)  $4S - 10T$  can't be defined.
- 4)  $T \circ S$  can't be defined.
- 5)  $ST \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -4y + z \\ 4x - y \end{bmatrix}$
- 6)  $[x, y, 16x - 8y + z]$
- 7)  $T^{-1}[x, y, z] = [x, 4x - y, 17x - 4y - z]$
- 8)  $T^{-2}[x, y, z] = [x, y, -16x + 8y + z]$
- 9)  $S^2 = SS$  can't be defined.