

BASIS

(1) Find a basis for each of the following subspaces and state the dimension of each.

(a) $S_1 = \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1, 1, -3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2, 2, -6 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -4, -4, 12 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$ (b) $S_2 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x, y, z \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid y = 0 \right\}$

(c) $S_3 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x, y \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x + 2y = 0 \right\}$ (d) $S_4 = \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1, 1, 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1, 2, 5 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0, 3, 7 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1, 4, 9 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$

(e) $S_5 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x, y, z \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid 2x + y - 3z = 0 \right\}$ (f) $S_6 = \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1, 1, -3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2, 2, -6 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5, 6, 9 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$

(2) None of the following is a basis for \mathbb{R}^3 . Why not?

(a) $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 5, 7, -2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -4, 6, 9 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$ (b) $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0, 0, 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1, 2, 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4, 5, 6 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$

(c) $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 3, 5, -7 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -2, 4, 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5, 1, -8 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$ (d) $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1, 1, 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0, 1, 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1, 0, 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1, 1, 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$

(3) (a) What is the standard basis for \mathbb{R}^4 ?

(b) Find another basis for \mathbb{R}^4 .

(4) Find a basis for the following subspaces. State the dimension of S.

(a) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x, 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2 \right\}$ (b) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x, y \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x + 2y = 0 \right\}$ (c) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x, y, z \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid z = 0 \right\}$

(d) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x, y, z \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x + y - z = 0 \right\}$ (e) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x, y, z \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x - y - z = 0 \right\}$

(f) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x, y, z \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid 4x + y - z = 0 \right\}$ (g) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x, x, x \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3 \right\}$

(h) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x, y, z, w \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^4 \mid x + 3y = 0, z + w = 0 \right\}$

(i) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x, y, z, w \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^4 \mid x + 2y - z + 5w = 0 \right\}$

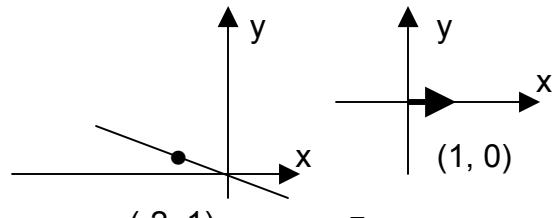
(j) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x, y, z, w \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^4 \mid x + y = z + w \right\}$ (k) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a+b, a-b, a, b \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^4 \right\}$

(l) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a, a+b, a-b, b \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^4 \right\}$ (m) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a-b, b+c, a, b+c \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^4 \right\}$

(n) $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0, 0, 0 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3 \right\}$ (o) \mathbb{R}^3 (p) \mathbb{R}^4

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(4 a) basis: $\{(1, 0)\}$; d = 1 → this is a line in \mathbb{R}^2 (the x-axis)

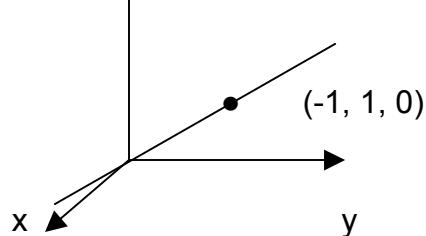


(4 b) basis: $\{(-2, 1)\}$; d = 1 → a line in \mathbb{R}^2

(4 c) basis: $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$; d = 2 → a plane in \mathbb{R}^3 → xy plane (floor)



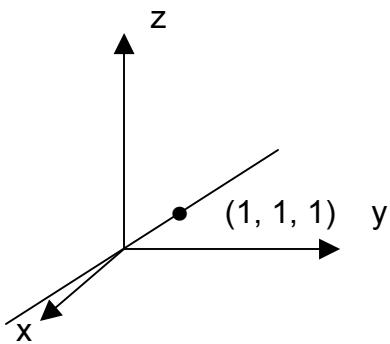
(4 d) basis: $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$; d = 1 → this is a line in \mathbb{R}^3



(4 e) basis: $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$; d = 2 → plane in \mathbb{R}^3

(4 f) basis: $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$; d = 2 → plane in \mathbb{R}^3

(4 g) basis: $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$; d = 1 → line in \mathbb{R}^3



(4 h) basis: $\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$; d = 2 ; $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ w \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3t \\ t \\ -s \\ s \end{pmatrix}$; a 2-dimensional subspace of \mathbb{R}^4

(4 i) basis: $\begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$; d = 3 ; $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ w \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2r + s - 5t \\ r \\ s \\ t \end{pmatrix} = r \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$;

a 3-dimensional subspace of \mathbb{R}^4

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$$(4 \text{ j}) \text{ basis: } \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}; d = 3; \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ w \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -r+s+t \\ r \\ s \\ t \end{pmatrix} = r \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix};$$

a 3-dimensional subspace of \mathbb{R}^4

$$(4 \text{ k}) \text{ basis: } \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}; d = 2; \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ w \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a+b \\ a-b \\ a \\ b \end{pmatrix} = a \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + b \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}; \text{ a 2-dimensional subspace of } \mathbb{R}^4$$

$$(4 \text{ l}) \text{ basis: } \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}; d = 2; \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ w \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ a+b \\ a-b \\ b \end{pmatrix} = a \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + b \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}; \text{ a 2-dimensional subspace of } \mathbb{R}^4$$

$$(4 \text{ m}) \text{ basis: } \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}; d = 3; \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ w \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a-b \\ b+c \\ a \\ b+c \end{pmatrix} = a \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + b \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + c \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix};$$

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(4 n) $d = 0$, no basis

$$(4 \text{ o}) \text{ standard basis: } \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}; d = 3; \text{ any 3 vectors } \{\vec{u}, \vec{v}, \vec{w}\} \text{ such that } \det(\vec{u} \vec{v} \vec{w}) \neq 0$$

will form a basis for \mathbb{R}^3

$$(4 \text{ p}) \text{ standard basis: } \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}; d = 4; \text{ any 4 vectors } \{\vec{u}, \vec{v}, \vec{w}, \vec{x}\} \text{ such that}$$

$\det(\vec{u} \vec{v} \vec{w} \vec{x}) \neq 0$ will form a basis for \mathbb{R}^4

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