# Linear algebra2

# Chapter -1-

# **Real Vector Space**

# (1.1) Vectors in the plane

We draw a pair of perpendicular lines intersecting at a point **O**, called the **origin**. One of the lines, the **x-axis**, is usually taken in a horizontal position.

The other line, the **y-axis**, is then taken in a vertical position. The x- and y-axes together are called **coordinate axes**, and they form a **rectangular coordinate system** or a **Cartesian coordinate system**.

We now choose a point on the x-axis to the right of O and a point on the y-axis above O to fix the units of length and **positive direction** on the xand y- axes. Frequently, but not always these point are chosen so that they are both equidistant from O-that is ,so that the same unite of length is used for both axes.

With each point **p** in the plane we associate an order pair (x,y) of real numbers, its **coordinate**. Conversely, we can associate a point in the plane with each ordered pair of real numbers. Point **p** with coordinate (x,y) is denoted by **p**(x,y) or simply (x,y).

The set of all points in the plane is denoted by  $R^2$ ; it is called **2-space.** 

**<u>Remark</u>**: Consider the 2×1 matrix  $X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$ 

Where x,y are real numbers . with x we associate the directed line segment with the **initial point the origin O** and **terminal point p(x,y)**.

The direct line segment from O to P is denoted  $\overrightarrow{OP}$ 

O is called its **tail** and P its **head** .we distinguishes tail and head by placing an arrow at the head. A directed line segment has a **direction**, indicated by the arrow at its head

The **magnitude** of a directed line segment is its length. Thus a directed line segment can be used to describe force, velocity or acceleration. Conversely, with the direct line segment  $\overrightarrow{OP}$  with tail O(0,0) and head P(x,y) we can associate the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$ 

# **<u>Def.</u>** A vector in the plane is a 2×1 matrix $X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$

Where x and y are real numbers, called the **components (or entries)** of X .we refer to a vector in the plane merely as a **vector** or as a **2-vector**.

**<u>Remark</u>** Since a vector is a matrix, the vectors  $u = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $v = \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Are said to be **equal** if  $x_1 = x_2$  and  $y_1 = y_2$ . That is, two vectors are equal if their respective components are equal.

Ex. Find a,b where the vectors  $\begin{bmatrix} a+b\\2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{bmatrix} 3\\a-b \end{bmatrix}$  are equal Solution:  $\begin{bmatrix} a+b\\2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3\\a-b \end{bmatrix}$ Then a+b=3 a-b=2

by solve the linear system obtain  $a = \frac{5}{2}$  and  $b = \frac{1}{2}$ 

**Def.** Let 
$$u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and  $v = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Be two vectors in the plane .The sum of the vectors u and v is the vector

$$u+v = \begin{bmatrix} u_1+v_1\\ u_2+v_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

**<u>Remark</u>** observes that vector addition is a special case of matrix addition.

Ex. Find u+v where  $u = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$  ,v= $\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$ 

<u>Solution:</u>  $u + v = \begin{bmatrix} 2+3 \\ 3+(-4) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

<u>Def.</u> If  $u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}$  is a vector and **c** is a scalar (a real number) ,then the scalar multiplication **cu** of **u** by **c** is the vector  $\begin{bmatrix} cu_1 \\ cu_2 \end{bmatrix}$ . Thus the scalar **cu** is obtained by multiplying each component of **u** by **c**. If c > 0 then **cu** is in the same direction as **u**, whereas if d < 0 then **du** is in the opposite direction.

Ex. Find cu,du if c=2,d=-3 and  $u = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Solution  $cu = 2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix}$  $du = -3 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -6 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix}$ 

(1) The vector  $\begin{bmatrix} 0\\0 \end{bmatrix}$  is called the **zero vector** and is denoted by **0**. if **u** is any vector then **u+0=u** 

(2) (-1)u=-u it is called the negative of u and u+(-1)u=u-u=0

(3) If u and v are any vectors then **u+(-1)v=u-v** it is called **the difference between u and v** 

# **Vectors in Space**

We first fix a **coordinate system** by choosing a point called **the origin** and three lines called **the coordinate axes** each passing through the origin so that each line is perpendicular to other two. These lines are individually called the x,y and z-axes.

With each point P in space we associate an order triple(x,y,z) of real numbers its coordinates .conversely, we can associate a point in space with each ordered triple of real numbers.

The point P with coordinates x,y and z is denoted by P(x,y,z) or (x,y,z)

The set of all points in space is called **3-space** and is denoted by  $R^3$ 

A vector in space, or 3-vector, or simple a vector is a 3×1 matrix X =

 $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$ 

Where x,y,z are real numbers called the components of vector X.

Two vectors in space are said to be **equal** if their **respective components are equal**.

With the vector  $X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$  we associate the directed line segment  $\overrightarrow{OP}$ , whose tail O(0,0,0) and whose head is P(x,y,z);conversely ,with each directed line segment we associate the vector X.

<u>**Remark**</u> as in the plane, in physical application we often deal with a directed line segment  $\overrightarrow{PQ}$  from point P(x,y,z) (not the origin) to the point Q(x', y', z')

The components of such a vector are (x' - x, y' - y, z' - z)

<u>Remark</u>

(1) if  $u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ u_3 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $v = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \end{bmatrix}$  are vectors in  $R^3$  then the sum u+v is define  $u + v = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 + v_1 \\ u_2 + v_2 \\ u_3 + v_3 \end{bmatrix}$ (2) if  $u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ u_3 \end{bmatrix}$  is vector in  $R^3$  then the scalar multiple cu is define  $cu = \begin{bmatrix} cu_1 \\ cu_2 \\ cu_3 \end{bmatrix}$ 

(3) The **zero** vector in  $R^3$  is denoted by **0** where **0** =  $\begin{bmatrix} 0\\0\\0\\0\end{bmatrix}$ 

If **u** is any vector in  $R^3$  then **u+0=u** 

(4) The **negative** of the vector 
$$u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ u_3 \end{bmatrix}$$
 is the vector  $-u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ u_3 \end{bmatrix}$  and

 $\mathbf{u} + (-\mathbf{u}) = \mathbf{0}$ 

**<u>Remark</u>** a vector in plane as an ordered pair of real numbers or as 2×1 matrix.

A vector in space is an ordered triple of real numbers or 3×1 matrix.

Ex. Let 
$$u = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$  compute: (a) u+v; (b)-2u; (c) 3u-2v

<u>Solution</u>

(a) u + v = 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2+3\\3+(-4)\\-1+2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5\\-1\\1 \end{bmatrix}$$
  
(b)  $-2u = \begin{bmatrix} -2(2)\\-2(3)\\-2(-1) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -4\\-6\\2 \end{bmatrix}$   
(c)  $3u - 2v = \begin{bmatrix} 3(2)\\3(3)\\3(-1) \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 2(3)\\2(-4)\\2(2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0\\17\\-7 \end{bmatrix}$ 

# Theorem 1.1

If u,v and w are vectors in  $R^2$  or  $R^3$  and c and d are real scalars then the following properties are valid:

- (a) u+v=v+u
- (b) u+(v+w)=(u+v)+w
- (c) u+0=0+u=u
- (d) u+(-u)=0
- (e) c(u+v)=cu+cv
- (f) (c+d)u=cu+du

(h) 1u=u

### **Exercises**

(1) Sketch line segment in  $\mathbb{R}^2$ , representing each of the following vectors:

(a)  $u = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$  (b)  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ 

(2) For what values of a,b are vectors  $\begin{bmatrix} a+b\\2 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\begin{bmatrix} 6\\a-b \end{bmatrix}$  equal?

(3) For what values of a,b,c are vectors  $\begin{bmatrix} 2a - b \\ a - 2b \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\begin{bmatrix} -2 \end{bmatrix}$ 

$$\begin{bmatrix} -2\\ 2\\ a+b-2c \end{bmatrix}$$
 equal?

(4) Determine the components of each vector  $\overrightarrow{PQ}$ 

(5) Let  $u = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $w = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

C=-2 and d=3.compute each the following:

- (a) v+u
- (b) cu+dw
- (c) u-v+w
- (d) cu+dv+w
- (6) Let  $u = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$  ,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$

compute each the following:

(a) u+v

- (b) u-v
- (c) 2u
- (d) 2u-3v
- (7) Let  $x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $y = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $z = \begin{bmatrix} r \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $u = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ s \end{bmatrix}$

Find r,s where

- (a) z=2x
- (b) z+u=x
- (8) If possible, find scalars r,s where  $r \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} + s \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$
- (9) If possible, find scalars x,y,z ,not all zero ,so that

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$\boldsymbol{x}$	2	+y	3	+ z	7	=	0	
	-1		-2		-4		0	

# (1.2) vector spaces

**<u>Def.</u>** <u>A real vector space</u> is a set V of elements on which we have two operation (+) and  $(\cdot)$  define with the following properties:

(a) If **u** and **v** are any elements in V, then **u+v** in V (we say that Vis **closed** under the operation(+))

- (1) **u+v=v+u** for all u,v in V
- (2) **u+(v+w)=(u+v)+w** for all u,v and w in V

(3) There exists an element **0** in V such that **u+0=0+u =u** for any u in V

(4) For each u in V there exists an element –u in V such that u+(-u)=u+u=0 (b) If u is any element in V and c is any real number then c.u in V (i.e Vis closed under the operation ( .))

- (5) c.(u+v)=c.u+c.v for any u,v in V and any real number c
- (6) (c+d).u=c.u+d.u for any u,v in V and any real numbers c,d
- (7) c.(d.u)=(cd).u for any u in V and any real numbers c,d
- (8) **1.u=u** for any u in V

# <u>Remark</u>

- (1) The elements of V are called vectors
- (2) The elements of the set of real number R are called scalars
- (3) The operation (+) is called vector addition
- (4) The operation (.) is called scalar multiplication
- (5) The vector **0** is called **zero vector**
- (6) The vector –u is called a negative of u
- (7) The vector **0** and **-u** are **unique**

<u>**Remark**</u> In order to specify a vector space, we must be given a set V and two operation (+) and (.) satisfying all the properties of the definition we shall often refer to real vector space merely as a vector space.

**<u>Ex.1</u>** Consider R<sup>n</sup>, the set of all matrices  $\begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ \vdots \\ a_n \end{bmatrix}$  with real entries.

Let the operation (+) be matrix addition and let the operation (.) by multiplication of matrix by a real number (scalar multiplication) then  $R^n$ , is a vector space.

Thus the matrix 
$$\begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ \vdots \\ a_n \end{bmatrix}$$
 as an element of R<sup>n</sup> is called n-vector or vector.

**<u>Ex.2</u>** The set of all m×n matrices with matrix addition as (+) and multiplication of a matrix by a real number as (.) is a vector space .We denoted this vector space by  $M_{mn}$ 

**<u>Ex.3</u>** The set of all real numbers with (+) as the usual addition of real numbers and (.) the usual multiplication of real numbers is a vector space.

**<u>Ex.4</u>** Let  $R_n$  be the set of all  $1 \times n$  matrices  $[a_1 \quad a_2 \quad \dots \quad a_n]$ 

where we define (+)

by 
$$[a_1 \ a_2 \ \cdots \ a_n](+)[b_1 \ b_2 \ \cdots \ b_n]$$
  
=  $[a_1 + b_1 \ a_2 + b_2 \ \cdots \ a_n + b_n]$ 

and define (. )by c(. ) $[a_1 \quad a_2 \quad \cdots \quad a_n] = [ca_1 \quad ca_2 \quad \cdots \quad ca_n]$ 

then  $R_n$  is a vector space.

**<u>Ex.5</u>** Let V be the set of all 2×2 matrices with trace equal to zero ;that is  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$  is in V provided Tr(A) = a + d = 0

The operation (+) is standard matrix addition and the operation (.) is standard multiplication of matrices then V is a vector space.

**<u>Ex.6</u>** The set  $P_n$  of all polynomials of degree  $\leq$  n is a vector space

A polynomial in t is a function that is expressible as  $P(t) = a_n t^n + a_{n-1}t^{n-1} + \dots + a_1t + a_0$ 

Where  $a_n, a_{n-1}, \dots, a_1, a_o$  are real numbers and n is a nonnegative integer.

If  $a_n \neq 0$  then P(t) is said to have degree n. thus the degree of a polynomial is the highest power of a term having a nonzero coefficient

P(t)=2t+1 has degree 1

P(t)=3 has degree 0

P(t)=0 has no degree denoted by 0

**<u>Ex.7</u>** Let V be the set of all real-valued continuous functions define in R.

If f,g are in V and c is a scalar, we define

(f (+) g)(t)=f(t) (+) g(t)

(c (.) f)(t)=cf(t)

The vector space which is denoted by  $\mathcal{C}(-\infty,\infty)$ 

**<u>Ex.8</u>** Let V be the set of all real numbers with the operation

u (+) v=u-v and c (.) u=cu

V is not vector space because property (6) does not hold since

(c+d)(.)u=(c+d)u=cu+du

Whereas c (.) u (+) d (.) u=cu(+)du=cu-du

are not equal in general

**Ex.9** Let V be the set of all order triples of real numbers (x,y,z) with the operation (x, y, z) (+) (x', y', z') = (x', y + y', z + z')

and 
$$c(.)(x, y, z) = (cx, cy, cz)$$

V is not vector space because property 1,3,4,6 fails to hold.

**Ex.10** Let V be the set of all integer with the operation (+)as ordinary addition and(.) as ordinary multiplication.

V is not vector space because if u is any nonzero vector in V and  $c=\sqrt{3}$ 

Then c (.)u is not in V

Theorem 1.2 If V is vector space, then

- (a) 0(.)u=0 for any vector u in V
- (b) c(.)0=0 for any scalar c
- (c) If c(.)u=0 ,then either c=0 or u=0
- (d) (-1)(.)u=-u for any vector u in V

**<u>Remark</u>** The following notation and the descriptions of the set:

 $R^n$  the set of  $n \times 1$  matroces

 $R_n$  the set of  $1 \times n$  matrices

 $M_{mn}$  the set of  $m \times n$  matrices

P the set of polynomials

 $P_n$  the set of all polynomials of degree n

or less together with the zero polynomial

 $C(-\infty,\infty)$  the set of all

real – valued continuous functions with domain all real numbers

### Exercise

(1) Let V be the set of all polynomials of degree 2 with the def. of addition and scalar multiplication as in Ex.6

(a) Show that V is not closed under addition

(b) Is V closed under scalar multiplication?

(2) Let V be the set of all 2×2 matrices  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 3b & d \end{bmatrix}$  let the operation (+) be stander addition of matrices and the operation (.) be stander multiplication of matrices

- (a) Is V closed under addition?
- (b) Is V closed under scalar multiplication?
- (c) What is the zero vector in the set V?
- (d) Does every matrix A in V have a negative that is in V?
- (e) Is V a vector space?

(3) The set of all order triples of real numbers with the operations

(x, y, z)(+)(x', y', z') = (x + x', y + y', z + z')

And r(.)(x,y,z)=(x,2,z).is the set a vector space?

(4) The set of all 2×1 matrices  $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$  where x≤0, with the usual operations in  $R^2$ 

is the set a vector space?

(5) The of all order pairs of real numbers with the operations

(x, y)(+)(x', y') = (x + x', y + y')and r(.)(x, y) = (rx, y)

Is the set a vector space?

# 1.3 Sup Spaces

**Def.** Let V be a vector space and W a nonempty sub set of V.If W is a vector space w.r.t the operations in V,then W is called a **sup space** of V.

**Theorem 1.3** Let V be a vector space with operations (+) and (.) and let W be a nonempty sub set of V.Then W is a sub space of V iff the following conditions hold:

(a) If **u and v** are any vectors in W, then **u(+)v** is in W

(b) If **c** is any real number and **u** is any vector in W then **c(.)u** is in W

**Ex.1** Every vector space has at least two sub space itself and the sup space {0} (Recall **0(+)0=0** and **c(.)0=0** is any vector space)

Thus **{0}** is closed for both operations and hence **sup space of V** 

The sup space **{0}** is called the **zero sup space** of V

**Ex.2** Let  $P_2$  be the set consisting of all polynomials of degree  $\leq 2$  and the zero polynomial;  $P_2$  is a sub set of P, the vector space of all polynomials.

Is a sup space of P  $P_2$ 

In general the set  $P_n$  consisting of all polynomials of degree  $\leq$  n and the zero polynomial is a sub space of P.Also  $P_n$  is a sub space of  $P_{n+1}$ 

**<u>Ex.3</u>** Let V be the set of all polynomials of degree 2;V is a sub set of P,the vector space of all polynomials ;but V is not a sub space of P because the sum of the polynomials  $2t^2 + 3t + 1$  and  $-2t^2 + t + 2$  is not in V,since it is a polynomial of degree 1.

**<u>Ex.4</u>** Let W be the set of all vectors in  $R^3$  of the form  $\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ a+b \end{bmatrix}$ 

Where a and b are any real numbers.

We let 
$$u = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ b_1 \\ a_1 + b_1 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and  $v = \begin{bmatrix} a_2 \\ b_2 \\ a_2 + b_2 \end{bmatrix}$   
$$u(+)v = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 + a_2 \\ b_1 + b_2 \\ (a_1 + b_1) + (a_2 + b_2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 + a_2 \\ b_1 + b_2 \\ (a_1 + a_2) + (b_1 + b_2) \end{bmatrix}$$
And c(.)  $u = \begin{bmatrix} ca_1 \\ cb_1 \\ c(a_1 + b_1) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ca_1 \\ cb_1 \\ ca_1 + cb_1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

<u>Remark</u> we shall denoted u(+)v and c(.)u in a vector space V as u+v and cu ,respectively.

**<u>Def.</u>** Let  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k$  be vectors in a vector space V.A vector **v** in V is called a **linear combination** of  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k$  if

$$v = a_1 v_1 + a_2 v_2 + \dots + a_k v_k = \sum_{j=1}^k a_j v_j$$

For some real numbers  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_k$ 

**<u>Remark</u>** The previous def. was stated for a finite set of vectors but it also applies to an infinite set s of vectors in a vector space using corresponding notation for infinite sums.

**<u>Ex.1</u>** Let W be the set of all vectors in  $R^3$  of the form  $\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ a+b \end{bmatrix}$ 

Where a, b are any real numbers, is a sub space of  $R^3$ 

Let  $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  then every vector in W is a linear

combination of  $v_1$  and  $v_2$  since  $av_1 + bv_2 = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ a+b \end{bmatrix}$ 

**<u>Ex.2</u>** Let  $P_2$  be the set consisting of all polynomials of degree  $\leq 2$  and the zero polynomial; every vector in  $P_2$  has the form  $at^2 + bt + c$ , so each vector in  $P_2$  is a linear combination of  $t^2$ , tand 1.

**Ex.3** In 
$$\mathbb{R}^3$$
 let  $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\2\\1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\0\\2 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\1\\0 \end{bmatrix}$   
the vector  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 2\\1\\5 \end{bmatrix}$  is a linear combination of  $v_1, v_2$  and  $v_3$ 

if we can find real numbers  $a_1, a_2$  and  $a_3$ so that  $a_1v_1 + a_2v_2 + a_3v_3 = v$ 

Substituting for  $v_1, v_2$  and  $v_3$  we have  $a_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + a_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + a_3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Leads to the linear system

$$a_1 + a_2 + a_3 = 2$$
  
 $2a_1 + a_3 = 1$   
 $a_1 + 2a_2 = 5$ 

Solving this system obtain  $a_1 = 1$ ,  $a_2 = 2$  and  $a_3 = -1$ 

Then  $v = v_1 + 2v_2 - v_3$ 

### **Exercises**

(1) The set W consisting of all points in  $R^2$  of the form (x,x) is a straight line Is W is a subspace of  $R^2$  ?

(2) Let W be the set of all points in  $R^3$  that lie in xy-plane. Is W a subspace of  $R^3$  ?

(3) Is the set of all vectors of the following form a subspace of  $R^3$  ?

(a) 
$$\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$
 (b)  $\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ a+3b \end{bmatrix}$  (c)  $\begin{bmatrix} a \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  (d)  $\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix}$  where  $a-2b+c=0$ 

(4) Is the set of all vectors of the following form a subspace of  $R_4$ ?

(a) 
$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b & c & d \end{bmatrix}$$
 where  $a + b = 3$  (b) $\begin{bmatrix} a & b & c & d \end{bmatrix}$  where  $a = 0$ ,  $b = 2d$ 

(5) Let W be the set of all 2×2 matrices  $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$  s.t a+b+c+d=0 .ls W a subspace of  $M_{22}$ ?

(6) Is the set of all 2×3 matrices  $\begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  where c<0 subspace of  $M_{23}$ ?

# 1.4 Span

**<u>Def.</u>** If S={  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k$ } Is a set of vectors in a vector space V then the set of all vectors in V that are linear combination of the vectors in S is denoted by span S or span {  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k$ }

**<u>Remark</u>** the definition is stated for a finite set of vectors but it also applies to an infinite set S of vectors in a vector space

**<u>Ex.1</u>** Consider the set S of all 2×3 matrices given by

$$S = \{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \}$$

Then the span S is the set in  $M_{23}$  consisting of all vectors of the form

$$a \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + b \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + c \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + d \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} a & b & 0 \\ 0 & c & d \end{bmatrix}$$

Where a,b,c,d are real number

That is span S is the sub set of  $M_{23}$  consisting of all matrices of the form  $\begin{bmatrix} a & b & 0 \\ 0 & c & d \end{bmatrix}$ 

Where a,b,c,d are real numbers

**Ex.2** Let  $S = \{t^2, t, 1\}$  be a sub set of  $p_2$  we have span S =  $P_2$ 

 $P_2(t) = at^2 + bt + c$  where a, b, c are real numbers

 $\underline{\mathbf{Ex.2}} \operatorname{Let} S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2\\0\\0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0\\-1\\0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0\\0\\0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ 

be a sub set of  $R^3$ .span S is the set of all vectors in  $R^3$  of the form

$$a \begin{bmatrix} 2\\0\\0 \end{bmatrix} + b \begin{bmatrix} 0\\-1\\0 \end{bmatrix} + c \begin{bmatrix} 0\\0\\0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2a\\-b\\0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Where a,b,c are real numbers

**Theorem 1.4** Let  $S = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k\}$  be a set of vectors in a vector space V then span S is a sub space of V.

**<u>Proof</u>**  $u = \sum_{j=1}^{k} a_j v_j$  and  $w = \sum_{j=1}^{k} b_j v_j$ 

For some real numbers  $a_1, a_2, \ldots, a_k$  and  $b_1, b_2, \ldots, b_k$ 

 $u + w = \sum_{j=1}^{k} a_j v_j + \sum_{j=1}^{k} b_j v_j = \sum_{j=1}^{k} (a_j + b_j) v_j$ 

for any real number  $ccu = c(\sum_{j=1}^{k} a_j v_j) = \sum_{j=1}^{k} (ca_j) v_j$ 

u+w and cu are linear combination of the vectors in S.

Then span S is a sub space of V.

**Ex.1** Let  $S = \{t^2, t\}$  be a number of the vector space  $P_2$  then span S is the sub space of all polynomials of the form a  $t^2 + bt$  where a,b are real numbers.

**<u>Ex.2</u>** Let  $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ 

Be subset of the vector space  $M_{22}$  then span S is the subspace of all 2×2 diagonal matrices.

**Def.** Let S be a set of vectors in a vector space V. if every vector in V is a linear combination of the vectors in S then the set S is said to **span V** or V is spanned by the set S that is span S=V.

<u>**Remark</u>** If span S = V ,S is called a **spanning set** V .A vector space can have many spanning sets.</u>

**<u>Ex.1</u>** Let P be the vector space of all polynomials. Let  $S=\{1, t, t^2, ....\}$  that is the set of all (nonnegative integer)powers of t.then span S=P.

every spanning set for P will have infinitely many vectors.

**Ex.2** In 
$$R^3$$
, let  $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2\\1\\1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\-1\\3 \end{bmatrix}$   
Determine whether the vector  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\5\\-7 \end{bmatrix}$  belong to  $span\{v_1, v_2\}$ 

<u>Solution</u> If we can find scalars a, b s.t  $av_1 + bv_2 = v$ 

$$a \begin{bmatrix} 2\\1\\1 \end{bmatrix} + b \begin{bmatrix} 1\\-1\\3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\5\\-7 \end{bmatrix}$$

We obtain the linear system

2a+b=1

a-b=5

a+3b=-7

Solve this linear system obtain a=2,b=3

is belong to span  $\{v_1, v_2\}$ . v

**<u>Ex.3</u>** In  $P_2$  let  $v_1 = 2t^2 + t + 2$ ,  $v_2 = t^2 - 2t$ ,  $v_3 = 5t^2 - 5t + 2$ ,

 $v_4 = -t^2 - 3t - 2$ 

determine whether the vector

 $v = t^{2} + t + 2$  belongs to span{ $v_{1}, v_{2}, v_{3}, v_{4}$ }

**<u>Solution</u>** If we can find scalars  $a_1$ ,  $a_2$ ,  $a_3$  and  $a_4$  so that

$$a_1v_1 + a_2v_2 + a_3v_3 + a_4v_4 = v$$

$$a_1(2t^2 + t + 2) + a_2(t^2 - 2t) + a_3(5t^2 - 5t + 2) + a_4(-t^2 - 3t - 2)$$
  
=  $t^2 + t + 2$ 

$$(2a_1+a_2+5a_3-a_4)t^2 + (a_1-2a_2-5a_3-3a_4)t + (2a_1+2a_3-a_4) = t^2 + t + 2$$

Thus we get the linear system

$$2a_1 + a_2 + 5a_3 - a_4 = 1$$
$$a_1 - 2a_2 - 5a_3 - 3a_4 = 1$$
$$2a_1 + 2a_3 - 2a_4 = 2$$

Thus linear system has no solution hence v does not belong to

Span  $v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4$ }

**<u>Ex.4</u>** Let V be the vector space  $P_2$ 

let  $v_1 = t^2 + 2t + 1$ ,  $v_2 = t^2 + 2$ . Does  $\{v_1, v_2\}$  span V?

<u>Solution</u> Let  $v = at^2 + bt + c$ 

Where a,b,c are real numbers, then

$$a_1v_1 + a_2v_2 = v$$

$$a_1(t^2 + 2t + 1) + a_2(t^2 + 2) = at^2 + bt + c$$

$$(a_1 + a_2)t^2 + (2a_1)t + (a_1 + 2a_2) = at^2 + bt + c$$

Thus we get the linear system

$$a_1 + a_2 = a$$
  
 $2a_1 = b$   
 $a_1 + 2a_2 = c$ 

Thus linear system has no solution hence  $v_1$ ,  $v_2$ } v does not Span V

**Exercises** 

## (1) Explain the set S is not a spanning set for the vector space V

(a)  $S = \{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \}, V = R^2$ (b)  $S = \{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \}, V = M_{22}$ 

(2) Determine whether the given vector p(t) in  $p_2$  belong to  $span\{p_1(t), p_2(t), p_3(t)\}$  where

 $p_1(t) = t^2 + 2t + 1$ ,  $p_2(t) = t^2 + 3$ ,  $p_3(t) = t - 1$ 

(a)  $p(t) = t^2 + t + 2$  (b)  $p(t) = -t^2 + t - 4$ 

(3) Determine whether the given vector A in

 $M_{22}$  belong to span{ $A_1, A_2, A_3$ } where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ -1 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$ 

(4) Is the following set of vectors span $R^4$ ?



(5) Is the following set of vectors  $\text{span}R_4$ ?

 $\{ [1 \ -2 \ 3 \ 0], [1 \ 2 \ -1 \ 0], [0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 3] \}$ 

# **Linear Independence**

<u>**Def.**</u> the vectors  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k$  in a vector space V are said to be **linearly dependent** if there exist constants  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_k$  not all zero s.t

 $a_1v_1 + a_2v_2 + \dots + a_kv_k = 0$ 

Other wise  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k$  are called **linearly independent** that is  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k$  are linearly independent if whether  $a_1v_1 + a_2v_2, \dots + a_kv_k = 0$ 

 $=\mathbf{0}a_1 = a_2 = \cdots \ldots = a_k$ 

If  $S = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k\}$  then we also say that the set S is **linearly dependent** or **linearly independent** if the vectors have the corresponding property.

<u>Ex.1</u> Determine whether the vectors  $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$  are

linearly independent.

<u>Solution</u>  $a_1v_1 + a_2v_2 + a_3v_3 = 0$ 

$$a_{1} \begin{bmatrix} 3\\2\\1 \end{bmatrix} + a_{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1\\2\\0 \end{bmatrix} + a_{3} \begin{bmatrix} -1\\2\\-1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0\\0\\0 \end{bmatrix}$$

We obtain the homo. linear system

 $3a_1 + a_2 - a_3 = 0$ = $02a_1 + 2a_2 + 2a_3$ = $0a_1 - a_3$ 

Solve this system obtain  $\begin{bmatrix} k \\ -2k \\ k \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $k \neq 0$ 

The vectors are linearly dependent

**Ex.2** Are the vectors  $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,

# in $R_4$ linearly dependent or linearly $v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ independent?

<u>Solution</u>  $a_1v_1 + a_2v_2 + a_3v_3 = 0$ 

We obtain the homo. linear system

$$=0a_1 + a_3$$

 $=0a_1 + a_2 + a_3$ 

 $=02a_1 + 2a_2 + 3a_3$ 

Solve this system obtain the only solution is the trivial solution  $a_1 = a_2 = a_3 = 0$ 

So the vectors are linearly independent.

<u>Ex.3</u> Are the vectors  $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -3 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  in  $M_{22}$  linearly independent?

<u>Solution</u>  $a_1v_1 + a_2v_2 + a_3v_3 = 0$ 

 $=0a_1\begin{bmatrix}2&1\\0&1\end{bmatrix}+a_2\begin{bmatrix}1&2\\1&0\end{bmatrix}+a_3\begin{bmatrix}0&-3\\-2&1\end{bmatrix}$ 

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2a_1 + a_2 & a_1 + 2a_2 - 3a_3 \\ a_2 - 2a_3 & a_1 + a_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

We have the linear system

$$2a_1 + a_2 = 0$$
$$a_1 + 2a_2 - 3a_3 = 0$$
$$a_2 - 2a_3 = 0$$
$$a_1 + a_3 = 0$$

Solve this linear system obtain nontrivial solution  $\begin{bmatrix} -k \\ 2k \\ k \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $k \neq 0$ 

So the vectors are linearly dependent.

<u>Ex.4</u> Are the vectors  $v_1 = t^2 + t + 2$ ,  $v_2 = 2t^2 + t$  *t* and  $v_3 = 3t^2 + 2t + 2$  in  $P_2$  linearly dependent or linearly independent?

Solution we have

$$a_1 + 2a_2 + 3a_3 = 0$$
  
 $a_1 + a_2 + 2a_3 = 0$   
 $2a_1 + 2a_3 = 0$ 

Which has infinitely many solutions .A particular  $a_1 = 1, a_2 = 1, a_3 = -1$ 

So  $v_1 + v_2 - v_3 = 0$ 

Hence the given vectors are linearly dependent.

**Theorem 1.5** Let  $S = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  be a set of n vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^n(\mathbb{R}_n)$ . Let A be the matrix whose columns(rows) are elements of S.Then S is linearly independent iff det(A) $\neq 0$ 

**<u>Ex.</u>** is  $S = \{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \}$ 

## a linearly independent set of vectors in R<sup>3</sup>?

Solution we form the matrix A whose rows are the vectors in S

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$
 since det(A) = 2 then S is linearly independent

**Theorem 1.6** Let  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  be finite subsets of a vector space and let  $S_1$  be a subset of  $S_2$  then the following statements are true:

(a) If  $S_1$  is linearly dependent so is  $S_2$ 

(b) If  $S_2$  is linearly independent so is  $S_1$ 

### <u>Remark</u>

(1) The set **S={0}** is linearly dependent. If S is any set of vectors that contains **0** then S must be linearly dependent.

(2) ) A set of vectors consisting of a single nonzero vector is linearly

(3) If  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k$  are vectors in a vector space V and any two of them are equal then  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k$  are linearly dependent

**<u>Theorem1.7</u>** The nonzero vectors  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$  in a vector space V are linearly dependent iff if one of the vectors  $v_j (j \ge 2)$  is a linear combination of the preceding vectors  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{j-1}$ 

<u>Ex.</u> Let  $V = R_3$  and also  $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  we find that  $v_1 + v_2 + 0v_3 - v_4 = 0$ so  $v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4$  are linearly dependent we then have  $v_4$ 

$$v_1 + v_2 + 0v_3$$

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# **Remark**

(1) Does not say that every vector v is a linear combination of the preceding vectors.

(2) We can prove that if  $S = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k\}$  is a set of vectors in a vector space V, then S is linearly dependent iff one of the vectors in S is a linear combination of all other vectors in S

(3) Observe that if  $v_1, v_2, \ldots, v_k$  are linearly independent vectors in a vector space, then they must be distinct and nonzero.

**Exercises** 

(1) Determinate whether 
$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1\\2\\1\\-1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 4\\3\\1\\0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2\\0\\1\\3 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$
 is a linearly independent

set in  $\mathbb{R}^4$ 

(2) Determinate whether  $\{[3 \ 1 \ 2], [3 \ 8 \ -5], [-3 \ 6 \ -9]\}$  is a linearly independent set in  $R_3$ 

(3) Which of the given vectors in  $R_3$  are linearly dependent? For those which are express one vector as a linear combination of the rest

(a)  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 6 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ 

(b)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ 

# **1.6 Basis and Dimension**

**<u>Def.</u>** The vectors  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k$  in a vector space V are said to form a **basis** for V if

(a)  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k$  span V

(b)  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k$  are linearly independent

# <u>Remark</u>

(1) If  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k$  form a basis for a vector space V, then they must be distinct and non zero

(2) in definition a finite set of vectors but it also applies to an infinite set S of vectors in a vector space

**Ex.1** Let V=
$$R^3$$
 the vectors  $\begin{bmatrix} 1\\0\\0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0\\1\\0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0\\0\\1 \end{bmatrix}$  form a basis for  $R^3$ ,called **the**

natural basis or standard basis for R<sup>3</sup>

Similarly the vectors  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  is the natural basis for  $R_3$ 

# <u>Remark</u>

(1) The natural basis for  $\mathbf{R}^{n}$  is denoted by  $\{e_{1}, e_{2}, \dots, e_{n}\}$ , where

$$e_{i} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \leftarrow i \ th \ row$$

That is  $e_i$  is an n×1 matrix with a (1) in the i th row and zeros elsewhere.

(2) The natural basis for  $R^3$  is also often denoted by

$$i = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\0\\0 \end{bmatrix}, j = \begin{bmatrix} 0\\1\\0 \end{bmatrix}, k = \begin{bmatrix} 0\\0\\1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus any vector  $v = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \end{bmatrix}$  in  $R^3$  can be written as  $v = a_1i + a_2j + a_3k$ 

**Ex.2** Show that  $S = \{t^2 + 1, t - 1, 2t + 2\}$  is a basis for the vector space  $P_2$ 

**Solution** To do this we must show that S spans V and is linearly independent.

To show that it spans V we take any vector in V that is a polynomial

$$at^{2} + bt + c$$
 where  $a, b, c$  are real numbers

And find  $a_1, a_2, a_3$  s.t  $at^2 + bt + c = a_1(t^2 + 1) + a_2(t - 1) + a_3(2t + 2)$ 

$$=a_1t^2 + (a_2 + 2a_3)t + (a_1 - a_2 + a_3)t + (a_1 - a_2 + a_3)t + (a_2 - a_3)t + (a_3 - a_3)$$

2a<sub>3</sub>)

We get the linear system

- $a_1 = a$
- $a_2 + 2a_3 = b$
- $a_1 a_2 + 2a_3 = c$

Solving, we have  $a_1 = a$  ,  $a_2 = \frac{a+b-c}{2}$  ,  $a_3 = \frac{c+b-a}{4}$ 

∴ S span V

For example suppose that we are given the vector  $2t^2 + 6t + 13$ Substituting, we find that  $a_1 = 2$ ,  $a_2 = \frac{-5}{2}$ ,  $a_3 = \frac{17}{4}$ 

$$\therefore 2t^2 + 6t + 13 = 2(t^2 + 1) + \frac{-5}{2}(t - 1) + \frac{17}{4}(2t + 2)$$

To show that S is linearly independent, we form

$$a_1(t^2 + 1) + a_2(t - 1) + a_3(2t + 2) = 0$$
  

$$a_1t^2 + (a_2 + 2a_3)t + (a_1 - a_2 + 2a_3) = 0$$
  
We get the linear system  $a_1 = 0$ 

$$a_2 + 2a_3 = 0$$
  
 $a_1 - a_2 + 2a_3 = 0$ 

The only solution to this homo. system is

- $a_1 = 0, a_2 = 0, a_3 = 0$
- $\therefore$  S is linearly independent

Thus S is a basis for  $P_2$ 

**<u>Remark</u>** The set of vectors  $\{t^n, t^{n-1}, \dots, t, 1\}$  form a basis for the vector space  $P_n$  called the natural or stander basis for  $P_n$ 

**Ex.3** Show that the set  $S = \{v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4\}$ 

Where  $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Solution To show that S is linearly independent

We form the equation  $a_1v_1 + a_2v_2 + a_3v_3 + a_4v_4 = 0$ 

We get the linear system  $a_1 + a_4 = 0$ 

$$a_2 + 2a_3 = 0$$
  
 $a_1 - a_2 + 2a_3 = 0$   
 $2a_2 + a_3 + a_4 = 0$ 

The only solution to this homo. system is

 $a_1 = 0, a_2 = 0, a_3 = 0, a_4 = 0$ 

To show that S spans  $R_4$  we let  $v = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c & d \end{bmatrix}$  be any vector in  $R_4$ 

Then  $a_1v_1 + a_2v_2 + a_3v_3 + a_4v_4 = v$ 

Substituting  $v_1$ ,  $v_2$ ,  $v_3$ ,  $v_4$  and v for we find a solution for  $a_1$ ,  $a_2$ ,  $a_3$ ,  $a_4$  to the resulting linear system

 $\therefore$  *S* spans  $R_4$  and is a basis for  $R_4$ 

<u>**Remark**</u> A vector space V is called **finite-dimensional** if there is a finite subset of V that is a basis for V .If there is no such finite subset of V,then V is called **infinite-dimensional**.

We now establish some results about finite-dimensional vector space

(1) If  $\{v_1, v_2, ..., v_k\}$  is basis for a vector space V then  $\{cv_1, v_2, ..., v_k\}$  is also a basis when  $c \neq 0$ 

(2) A basis for a nonzero vector space is never unique.

**Theorem 1.8** If  $S = \{v_1, v_2, ..., v_n\}$  is a basis for a vector space V then every vector in V can be written in one and only one way as a linear combination of the vectors in S.

**Theorem 1.9** Let  $S = \{v_1, v_2, ..., v_n\}$  be a set of nonzero vectors in a vector space V and let W=span S.Then some subset of S is a basis is a basis for W.

**Theorem 1.10** If  $S = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  is a basis for a vector space V and  $T=\{w_1, w_2, \dots, w_r\}$  is a linear independent set of vectors in V , then  $r \le n$ .

**<u>corollary 1.1</u>** If  $S = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  and  $T=\{w_1, w_2, \dots, w_m\}$  are bases for a vector space V,then n=m.

<u>**Proof**</u> Since S is a basis and T is linearly independent ,from theorem 1.10 that m≤n .Similarly, we obtain n≤m because T is basis and S is linearly independent

Hence n=m.

**Def.** The **dimension** of a nonzero vector space V is the number of vector in a basis for V.We often write **dim** V for the dimension of V .we also define the dimension of the trivial vector space **{0}** to be zero.

**Ex1.** The set  $\{t^2, t, 1\}$  is a basis for  $P_2$  so dim $p_2$ =3

**Ex2.** Let V be the subspace of  $R_3$  spanned S={ $v_1, v_2, v_3$ } where

 $v_1 = [0 \ 1 \ 1], v_2 = [1 \ 0 \ 1]$ 

 $v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  thus every vector in V is of the form  $a_1v_1 + a_2v_2 + a_3v_3$ 

Where  $a_1, a_2, a_3$  are arbitrary real numbers.

We find that S is linearly dependent and  $v_3 = v_1 + v_2$  thus  $S_1 = \{v_1, v_2\}$  also spans V.since  $S_1$  is linearly independent. we conclude that is a basis for V.

Hence dimV=2.

<u>Def.</u> Let S be a set of vectors in a vector space V .A subset T of S is called a **maximal independent subset** of S if T is a linearly independent set of

vectors that is not properly contained in any other linearly independent subset of S.

**Ex.** Let V be  $R^3$  and consider the set S={ $v_1$ ,  $v_2$ ,  $v_3$ ,  $v_4$ } where

Maximal independent subset of  $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

S are

$$\{v_1, v_2, v_3\}, \{v_1, v_2, v_4\}, \{v_1, v_3, v_4\}$$

 $\{v_2,v_3,v_4\}$ 

**Corollary1.2** If the vector space V has dimension n,then a maximal independent subset of vectors in V contains n vectors.

**<u>Corollary1.3</u>** If a vector space V has dimension n,then a maximal spanning set for V contains n vectors.

**<u>Corollary1.4</u>** If a vector space V has dimension n, then any subset of m > n vectors must be linearly dependent.

<u>Corollary1.5</u> If a vector space V has dimension n, then any subset of m < n vectors cannot span V.

**Theorem 1.11** If S is a linearly independent set of vectors in a finitedimensional vector space V.Then there is a basis T for V that contains S.

Theorem 1.12 Let V be an n-dimensional vector space

(a) If

 $S=\{v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots, v_n\}$  is a linearly independent set of vectors in V,

Then S is a basis for V

(a) If  $S = \{v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots, v_n\}$  spans *V*,

Then S is a basis for V

**Theorem 1.13** Let S be a finite subset of the vector space V that spans V .A maximal independent subset T of S is a basis for V.

### **Exercises**

(1) The set W of all 2×2 matrices with trace equal to zero is a subspace of  $M_{22}$  show that the set S={ $v_1, v_2, v_3$ } where

is basis for W. $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

(2) Find a basis for the subspace V of  $P_2$  consisting of all vectors of the form  $at^2 + bt + c$  where c=a-b

(3) Which of the following sets of vectors are bases for  $R^2$ ?

# $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2\\1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3\\-2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3\\2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

(4) Which of the following sets of vectors are bases for  $R^3$ ?

(	[2]		[-1]		[0])		
}	2	,	2	,	1	ł	
(	$\lfloor -1 \rfloor$		1			)	

(5) Which of the following sets of vectors are bases for  $R_4$ ?

 $\{[3 -2 \ 0 \ 3], [5 -1 \ 3 \ 1], [1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1]\}$ 

(6) Which of the following sets of vectors are bases for  $P_2$ ?

 $\{-t^2 + t + 2, 2t^2 + 2t + 3, 4t^2 - 1\}$ 

(7) Show that the set of matrices from a basis for the vector space  $M_{22}$ 

 $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ 

(8) Find a basis for the subspace W of  $R^3$  spanned by

(	[ 1 ]		[2]		[-3]		[6]	)
}	-2	,	1	,	-4	,	-7	{
(	1		0		1		4	)

what is the dimension of W?

# Chapter-2-

# Inner product spaces

# **2.1 Length and direction in** $R^2$ and $R^3$

# <u>Length</u>

The length or magnitude of the vector denoted by ||v|| is:

(1) The length of the vector  $v = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix}$  in  $R^2$  ,is by the Pythagorean theorem  $||v|| = \sqrt{v_1^2 + v_2^2}$ 

(2) Let 
$$v = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \end{bmatrix}$$
 be a vector in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ 

Using the Pythagorean theorem the length of v is ||v|| =

$$\sqrt{v_1^2 + v_2^2 + v_3^2}$$

# Ex. Find the length of v where

(1) 
$$v = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solution  $||v|| = \sqrt{(2)^2 + (-5)^2} = \sqrt{4 + 25} = \sqrt{29}$ (1)  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Solution  $||v|| = \sqrt{(1)^2 + (2)^2 + (3)^2} = \sqrt{1 + 4 + 9} = \sqrt{14}$ 

## <u>Remark</u>

(1) If the points  $P_1 = (u_1, u_2)$ ,  $P_2 = (v_1, v_2)$  in  $\mathbb{R}^2$ 

The distance from  $P_1$  to  $P_2$  the length of the line from  $P_1$  to  $P_2$  is given by

$$\sqrt{(v_1 - u_1)^2 + (v_2 - u_2)^2}$$
  
If  $u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix}$  are vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^2$ 

Define the distance between the vectors u and v as the distance between the points  $P_1$  and  $P_2$ .

The distance between **u** and **v** is given by  $||v - u|| = \sqrt{(v_1 - u_1)^2 + (v_2 - u_2)^2}$ (2) If the points  $P_1 = (u_1, u_2, u_3), P_2 = (v_1, v_2, v_3)$  in  $R^3$ The distance between  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  is given by  $\sqrt{(v_1 - u_1)^2 + (v_2 - u_2)^2 + (v_3 - u_3)^2}$ If  $u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ u_3 \end{bmatrix}, v = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \end{bmatrix}$  are vectors in  $R^3$ 

The distance between **u** and **v** is given by  $||v - u|| = \sqrt{(v_1 - u_1)^2 + (v_1 - u_1)^2 + (v_3 - u_3)^2}$ 

(3) The zero vector has length zero. the zero vector is the only vector whose length is zero.

#### Ex. Compute the distance between the vectors

(1) 
$$u = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$
,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ 

<u>Solution</u>  $||v - u|| = \sqrt{(3+1)^2 + (2-5)^2} = \sqrt{16+9} = \sqrt{25} = 5$ 

$$(2) u = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, v = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

<u>Solution</u>  $||v - u|| = \sqrt{(-4 - 1)^2 + (3 - 2)^2 + (5 - 3)^2} = \sqrt{30}$ 

### Direction

(1) The direction of a vector in  $R^2$  is given by specifying its angle of inclination or slope.

(2) The direction of a vector v in  $R^3$  is given by specifying by giving the cosine of the angles that the vector v makes with the positive x,y and z-axes these are called **direction cosines.** 

(3) The zero vector on  $R^2$  or  $R^3$  has no specific direction

### <u>Remark</u>

(1) If  $u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix}$  are nonzero vectors in  $R^2$  and  $\theta$  is the angle between u and v,then:

$$cos\theta = \frac{u_1v_1 + u_2v_2}{\|u\|\|v\|}$$
,  $0 \le \theta \le \pi$ 

(2) If  $u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ u_3 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \end{bmatrix}$  are nonzero vectors in  $R^3$  and  $\theta$  is the angle

between u and v, then:

$$\cos\theta = \frac{u_1v_1 + u_2v_2 + u_3v_3}{\|u\|\|v\|} \ , 0 \le \theta \le \pi$$

<u>Ex.</u> Find the angle between the vectors  $\boldsymbol{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\boldsymbol{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

<u>Solution</u>

$$cos\theta = \frac{(1)(0) + (1)(1) + (0)(1)}{\sqrt{1^2 + 1^2 + 0^2}\sqrt{0^2 + 1^2 + 1^2}} = \frac{1}{2}$$
$$\therefore \theta = 60^{\circ}$$

### Def. The stander inner product or dot product

On  $R^2$  or  $R^3$  is the function that assigns to each ordered pair of vectors

$$u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}$$
,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix}$  in  $R^2$  or  $u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ u_3 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \end{bmatrix}$  in  $R^3$ 

The number **u.v** 

u.v = 
$$u_1v_1 + u_2v_2$$
 in  $R^2$   
u.v =  $u_1v_1 + u_2v_2 + u_3v_3$  in  $R^3$   
 $\therefore ||v|| = \sqrt{v.v}$  v is a vector in  $R^2$  or  $R^3$   
 $\therefore \cos\theta = \frac{u.v}{||u|| ||v||}$ ,  $0 \le \theta$   
 $\le \pi$ , u and v are nonzero vectors in  $R^2$  and  $R^3$ 

<u>**Remark**</u> The two vectors **u** and **v** in  $R^2$  or  $R^3$  are **orthogonal or perpendicular** iff **u.v=0** 

<u>Ex.</u>are the two vectors  $u = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$  orthogonal?

Solution u.v=(2)(4)+(-4)(2)=0

The two vectors orthogonal

# Theorem 2.1

Let u, v and w be vectors in  $R^2$  or  $R^3$  and let c be scalar .the stander inner product on  $R^2$  or  $R^3$  has the following properties:

- (a) u.u≥0;u.u=0 iff u=0
- (b) u.v=v.u
- (c) (u+v).w=u.w+v.w
- (d) cu.v=c(u.v) for any real scalar c

## Unit vectors

**A unit vector** in  $R^2$  or  $R^3$  is a vector whose length is **1**.

If x is any nonzero vector, then the vector  $u = \frac{1}{\|x\|} x$  is a unit vector in the direction of x.

**<u>Ex.</u>** Find a unit vector from the vector  $x = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Solution  $||x|| = \sqrt{(-3)^2 + (4)^2} = \sqrt{25} = 5$ The unit vector is  $u = \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} -3\\4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-3}{5}\\ \frac{4}{5} \end{bmatrix}$  $||u|| = \sqrt{\left(\frac{-3}{5}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^2} = \sqrt{\frac{9+16}{5}}$ 

= 1, u points in the direction of x.

# <u>Remark</u>

(1) There are two vectors in  $R^2$  that are of special important.

These are  $\mathbf{i} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\mathbf{j} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  the unit vectors along the positive x and y-axes respectively.

i and j are orthogonal ,since i and j form the natural basis for  $R^2$ , every vector in  $R^2$  can be written uniquely as a linear combination of the orthogonal vectors **i and j**.

If 
$$u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}$$
 is a vector in  $R^2$  then  $u = u_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + u_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = u_1 i + u_2 j$   
i.i=j.j=1 ; i.j=0

(2) Similarly, the vector in the natural basis for  $R^3$ 

$$i = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, j = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} and k = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Are unit vectors that are mutually orthogonal.

If 
$$u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ u_3 \end{bmatrix}$$
 is a vector in  $R^3$  then  
 $u = u_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + u_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + u_3 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = u_1 i + u_2 j + u_3 k$   
i.i=j.j=k.k=1 ; i.j=i.k=j.k=0

### **Exercises**

(1) Find the length of each vector

(a) 
$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$$
 (b)  $\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$  (c)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$  (d)  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ 

(2) Compute  $\|u - v\|$ 

(a) 
$$u = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$$
,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ -5 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix}$  (b)  $u = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

(3) Find distance between u and v and find the cosine of the angle between u and v

(a) 
$$u = \begin{bmatrix} 0\\1\\-1 \end{bmatrix}$$
,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\2\\0 \end{bmatrix}$  (b)  $u = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 4\\-5 \end{bmatrix}$   
(3) Find all values of c where  $||u|| = 3$  for  $u = \begin{bmatrix} 2\\c\\1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

(4) Which of the following vectors are orthogonal?

(a) 
$$u = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$
,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $w = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

(5) Find c so that the vector  $v = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ c \end{bmatrix}$  is orthogonal to  $w = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

(6) Let P(3,-1,2), Q(4,2,-3) are points in  $R^3$ . Find length the segment PQ.

# 2.2 Cross product in $R^3$

Let  $u = u_1 i + u_2 j + u_3 k$  and  $v = v_1 i + v_2 j + v_3 k$  are vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  , then

### The cross product of u and v is denoted by $u \times v$ .

Let  $\begin{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{i} & \boldsymbol{j} & \boldsymbol{k} \\ u_1 & u_2 & u_3 \\ v_1 & v_2 & v_3 \end{bmatrix}$ 

the vector  $u \times v$  is:

$$u \times v = \begin{vmatrix} u_2 & u_3 \\ v_2 & v_3 \end{vmatrix} i - \begin{vmatrix} u_1 & u_3 \\ v_1 & v_3 \end{vmatrix} j + \begin{vmatrix} u_1 & u_2 \\ v_1 & v_2 \end{vmatrix} k$$
$$u \times v = (u_2 v_3 - u_3 v_2)i + (u_3 v_1 - u_1 v_3)j + (u_1 v_2 - u_2 v_1)k$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} u_2 v_3 - u_3 v_2 \\ u_3 v_1 - u_1 v_3 \\ u_1 v_2 - u_2 v_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Ex.** Find uxv where u = 2i + j + 2k and v = 3i - j - 3k

**Solution** Let  $\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$ 

the vector  $u \times v$  is:

$$u \times v = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & -3 \end{vmatrix} i - \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 3 & -3 \end{vmatrix} j + \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 \end{vmatrix} k$$

u×v=(-3+2)i-(-6-6)j+(-2-3)k=-i+12j-5k

#### **Remark**

(1)  $(u \times v).u=0$  and  $(u \times v).v=0$  ( $(u \times v)$  orthogonal to u and v)

(2) The cross product  $u \times v$  is a vector while the dot product u.v is a number.

(3) The cross product is not define on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  if  $n \neq 3$ .

- (4) Let u,v and w be vectors in  $R^3$  and c a scalar , then
- (5) u**×**v=-( v**×**u)
- (6)  $u \times (v+w) = u \times v + u \times w$
- (7)  $(u+v) \times w = u \times w + v \times w$
- (8) c( u×v)=(cu)×v=u×(cv)
- (9) u×u=0
- (10) 0×u=u×0=0
- (11)  $u \times (v \times w) = (u.w)v (u.v)w$
- (12)  $(u \times v) \times w = (w.u) (w.v)u$
- (13) (u×v).w=u.(v×w)
- (14) u and v are parallel iff uxv=0
- (15) i×i=j×j=k×k=0 ; i×j=k , j×k=i , k×i=j ; j×i=-k , k×j=-i , i×k=-j
- (16)  $||u \times v|| = ||u|| ||v|| sin\theta$ ,  $0 \le \theta \le \pi$

 $(sin\theta non negative since 0 \le \theta \le \pi)$ 

**Ex.** Let u = 2i + j + 2k, v = 3i - j - 3k and w = i + 2j + 3k then :

- (1) Find u×v
- (2) Show that (u×v).w=u.(v×w)

Solution uxv=-i+12j-5k , (uxv).w=8

### Area of a Triangle

The area of the triangle is  $A_T = \frac{1}{2} \|u\| \|v\| sin\theta = \frac{1}{2} \|u \times v\|$ 

**Ex.** Find the area of the triangle with vertices  $p_1(2,2,4), p_2(-1,0,5)$  and  $p_3(3,4,3)$ 

<u>Solution</u>

$$u = \overrightarrow{p_1 p_2} = -3i - 2j + k$$
$$v = \overrightarrow{p_1 p_3} = i + 2j - k$$

Then the area of the triangle  $\boldsymbol{A}_{T}$  is :

$$A_{\rm T} = \frac{1}{2} \| (-3i - 2j + k) \times (i + 2j - k) \|$$
$$= \frac{1}{2} \| (-2j - 4k) \| = \| (-j - 2k) \| = \sqrt{5}$$

### Area of a Parallelogram

The area  $A_P$  of the parallelogram with adjacent sides u and v is:

$$\mathbf{A}_{\mathbf{P}} = \|\boldsymbol{u} \times \boldsymbol{v}\| = 2 \mathbf{A}_{T}$$

<u>Ex.</u> Find the area of the Parallelogram with adjacent sides  $\overrightarrow{p_1p_2}$  and  $\overrightarrow{p_1p_3}$  where  $p_1(2,2,4), p_2(-1,0,5)$  and  $p_3(3,4,3)$ 

**Solution** 

$$u = \overline{p_1 p_2} = -3i - 2j + k$$
$$v = \overline{p_1 p_3} = i + 2j - k$$

Then the area of the triangle  $\boldsymbol{A}_{T}$  is :

$$A_{T} = \frac{1}{2} \| (-3i - 2j + k) \times (i + 2j - k) \|$$
$$= \frac{1}{2} \| (-2j - 4k) \| = \| (-j - 2k) \| = \sqrt{5}$$
$$\therefore A_{P} = 2A_{T} = 2\sqrt{5}$$

Exercises

(1) Compute u×v

- (a) u=2i+3j+4k , v=-2i+j-3k
- (b) u=j+k *,* v=2i+3j-k
- (c) u=i-j+2k , v=3i+j+2k

(d) 
$$u = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
 ,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

- (2) Find the area of the triangle with vertices
- $p_1(1, -2, 3), p_2(-3, 1, 4)$  and  $p_3(0, 4, 3)$

(3) Find the area of the Parallelogram with adjacent sides u=i+3j-2k , v=3i-j-k

## Inner product spaces

**<u>Def.</u>** Let V be a real vector space .An **inner product** on V is a function that assigns to each ordered pair of vectors **u**,**v** in V a real number (**u**,**v**) satisfying the following properties:

(a) (u,u) $\geq 0$  ;(u,u)=0 iff u=0<sub>v</sub>

- (b) (v,u)=(u,v) For any u,v in V
- (c) (u+v,w)=(u,w)+(v,w) for any u,v,w in V
- (d) (cu,v)=c(u,v) for u,v in V and c a real scalar

From these properties it follows that (u,cv)=c(u,v) because (u,cv)=(cv,u)=c(u,v)=c(v,u)

Also (u,v+w)=(u,v)+(u,w)

**<u>Ex.1</u>** The standard inner product or dot product on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  as the function

that assigns to each ordered pair of vectors  $u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ \vdots \\ u_n \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \end{bmatrix}$  in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ 

The number, denoted by (u,v), given by

$$(u, v) = u_1 v_1 + u_2 v_2 + \dots + u_n v_n$$

this function satisfies the properties in definition

Ex.2 Let 
$$u = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix}$$
,  $v = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \end{bmatrix}$  be vectors in  $R^2$ .

We define (u,v)= 
$$u_1v_1 - u_2v_1 - u_1v_2 + 3 u_2v_2$$

Show that this gives an inner product on  $R^2$ 

Solution 
$$(u, u) = u_1^2 - 2u_1u_2 + 3u_2^2 = u_1^2 - 2u_1u_2 + u_2^2 + 2u_2^2$$
  
= $(u_1 - u_2)^2 + 2u_2^2 \ge 0$ 

If (u,u)=0 then 
$$u_1 = u_2$$
 and  $u_2 = 0$  so  $u = 0$ 

Conversely if u=0 then (u,u)=0

The remaining three properties in definition are satisfying.

**Ex.3** Let V be vector space of all continuous real-valued functions on the interval [0,1]

$$(f,g) = \int_0^1 f(t)g(t) dt$$
 where f and g in V

The properties of definition are satisfied

(a) 
$$(f, f) = \int_0^1 (f(t))^2 dt \ge 0$$

If (f,f)=0 then f=0 conversely ,if f=0 then (f,f)=0

$$(b) (f,g) = \int_0^1 f(t)g(t) dt = \int_0^1 g(t)f(t) dt = (g,f)$$
  

$$(c)(f+g,h) = \int_0^1 (f(t)+g(t))h(t) dt$$
  

$$= \int_0^1 f(t)h(t) dt + \int_0^1 g(t)h(t) dt = (f,h) + (g,h)$$
  

$$(d)(cf,g) = \int_0^1 (cf(t))g(t) dt = c \int_0^1 f(t)g(t) dt = c(f,g)$$

For example if f(t)=t+1 and g(t)=2t+3,then

$$(f,g) = \int_0^1 (t+1)(2t+3) \, dt = \int_0^1 (2t^2+5t+3) \, dt = \frac{37}{6}$$

<u>Theorem</u> Let  $s = \{u_1, u_2, ..., u_n\}$  be an ordered basis for a finitedimensional vector space V, and assume that we are given an inner product on V.

- Let  $c_{ij} = (u_i, u_j)$  and  $C = [c_{ij}]$  .then
- (a) C is a symmetric matrix
- (b) C determines (v,w) for any v and w in V