

(1) List the 8 axioms of a **vector space**:

- (a)
- (b)
- (c)
- (d)
- (e)
- (f)
- (g)
- (h)

(2) List the three properties of a **subspace**:

- (a)
- (b)
- (c)

(3) The following are NOT vector spaces. Name an axiom (there may be more than one) they fail to satisfy:

- (a) Let V be the set of points in the upper half plane of \mathbb{R}^2 , with usual addition and scalar multiplication.
- (b) Let $V = \{(x, y, z) \mid x = y + 2, z = 3y\}$ with usual addition and scalar multiplication.
- (c) As a set let $V = \mathbb{R}^2$. Define scalar multiplication as usual, but define addition by,

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} \oplus \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 + y_2 \\ x_2 + y_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(4) Show that $P_2(\mathbb{R}) = \{ax^2 + bx + c \mid a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}\}$ is a vector space by either showing that it satisfies the axioms of a vector space or by showing it is a subspace of $C(\mathbb{R})$.

- (5) Let W be the set of all vectors of the form $\begin{bmatrix} a + 2b \\ 3b \\ a \end{bmatrix}$. Find \mathbf{u} and \mathbf{v} such that $W = \text{Span}\{\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}\}$. For what n is W a subspace of \mathbb{R}^n ?

- (6) *Mathematically* define the **kernel** and **range** of a linear transformation (how Paulin defines them in his notes is “mathematical”).

- (7) Consider the transformation $T : P_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ defined by, $p(x) \mapsto (p'(1), p'(0))$ where $p(x)$ is some element of $P_2(\mathbb{R})$ (which we defined in 3).
- Show that T is a linear transformation.
 - Compute the kernel and range of T .
 - Show that the kernel and range of T are subspaces of $P_2(\mathbb{R})$ and \mathbb{R}^2 , respectively.