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Perkins 107

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Examples of homomorphisms

①  $f: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$   
$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

• it is a homomorphism:

$$f\left(r_1 \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ z_1 \end{pmatrix} + r_2 \begin{pmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \\ z_2 \end{pmatrix}\right) = f\begin{pmatrix} r_1 x_1 + r_2 x_2 \\ r_1 y_1 + r_2 y_2 \\ r_1 z_1 + r_2 z_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$r_1 f\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ z_1 \end{pmatrix} + r_2 f\begin{pmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \\ z_2 \end{pmatrix} = r_1 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + r_2 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

• it is not one-to-one:

$$f\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = f\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{but} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \neq \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$$

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• it is not onto:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^3 \text{ but there is no } \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} \text{ with } f\left(\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix}\right) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3 \\ x \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} x \\ 2x \\ 3x \end{pmatrix}$$

• it is a homomorphism

$$f(r_1 x_1 + r_2 x_2) = \begin{pmatrix} r_1 x_1 + r_2 x_2 \\ 2(r_1 x_1 + r_2 x_2) \\ 3(r_1 x_1 + r_2 x_2) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} r_1 x_1 + r_2 x_2 \\ 2r_1 x_1 + 2r_2 x_2 \\ 3r_1 x_1 + 3r_2 x_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$r_1 f(x_1) + r_2 f(x_2) = r_1 \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ 2x_1 \\ 3x_1 \end{pmatrix} + r_2 \begin{pmatrix} x_2 \\ 2x_2 \\ 3x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} r_1 x_1 + r_2 x_2 \\ 2r_1 x_1 + 2r_2 x_2 \\ 3r_1 x_1 + 3r_2 x_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

### Examples of isomorphisms

Recall: If  $V$  is a v.s.,  $B$  is a basis for  $V$ ,

$$B = \{ \vec{b}_1, \vec{b}_2, \dots, \vec{b}_n \} \text{ and } \vec{v} \in V$$

Then  $\vec{v} = a_1 \vec{b}_1 + a_2 \vec{b}_2 + \dots + a_n \vec{b}_n$

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for some unique  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$

We write  $\text{Rep}_B(\vec{v}) = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ \vdots \\ a_n \end{pmatrix}$

This is a source of isomorphisms

(3) Because  $\dim \mathcal{P}_2 = 3$   $\mathcal{P}_2 \cong \mathbb{R}^3$

We can use the basis  $B = \{1, x, x^2\}$  to give this isomorphism

$$f: \mathcal{P}_2 \mapsto \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 \mapsto \text{Rep}_{\{1, x, x^2\}}(a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2) = \begin{pmatrix} a_0 \\ a_1 \\ a_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

(4) Consider the plane  $V = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} t + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} s : t, s \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$

dimension of  $V$  is 2 so  $V \cong \mathbb{R}^2$

$\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$  is a basis

Isomorphism:

$$f: V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ w \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \text{Rep}_{\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ w \end{pmatrix}$$

$$f \left( \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \right) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{because} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \cdot 1 + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot 0$$

$$f \left( \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{because} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \cdot 0 + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot 1$$

What is  $f \left( \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 6 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} \right)$  ?

$$\text{It is } \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \end{pmatrix} \text{ where } \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 6 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} a_1 + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} a_2$$

i.e.  $a_1 = 2$   
 $2a_1 + a_2 = 3$   
 $3a_1 = 6$   
 $4a_1 + a_2 = 7$

if  $a_1 = 2$  then  
 $2 \cdot 2 + a_2 = 3 \Rightarrow a_2 = -1$

$$\text{so } f\left(\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 6 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}\right) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2$$

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⑤  $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$   
 $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x+y \\ x-y \end{pmatrix}$  is an isomorphism

• it is a homomorphism

$$f\left(r_1 \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{pmatrix} + r_2 \begin{pmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix}\right) = f\left(\begin{pmatrix} r_1 x_1 + r_2 x_2 \\ r_1 y_1 + r_2 y_2 \end{pmatrix}\right) = \begin{pmatrix} r_1 x_1 + r_2 x_2 + r_1 y_1 + r_2 y_2 \\ r_1 x_1 + r_2 x_2 - r_1 y_1 - r_2 y_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$r_1 f\left(\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{pmatrix}\right) + r_2 f\left(\begin{pmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix}\right) = r_1 \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + y_1 \\ x_1 - y_1 \end{pmatrix} + r_2 \begin{pmatrix} x_2 + y_2 \\ x_2 - y_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} r_1 x_1 + r_1 y_1 + r_2 x_2 + r_2 y_2 \\ r_1 x_1 - r_1 y_1 + r_2 x_2 - r_2 y_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

• it is one-to-one

$$\text{If } f\left(\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{pmatrix}\right) = f\left(\begin{pmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix}\right) \text{ then } \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + y_1 \\ x_1 - y_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_2 + y_2 \\ x_2 - y_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{i.e. } x_1 + y_1 = x_2 + y_2$$

$$x_1 - y_1 = x_2 - y_2$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{add equations: } 2x_1 = 2x_2 \text{ so } x_1 = x_2 \\ \text{subtract equations: } 2y_1 = 2y_2 \text{ so } y_1 = y_2 \end{array} \right\} \text{Then } \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

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• it is onto

Fix  $\begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2$ . We need to find  $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$  with  $f\left(\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}\right) = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$

i.e.  $x+y=a$

$$x-y=b$$

add equations:  $2x=a+b$

subtract equations:  $2y=a-b$

$$f\left(\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2}(a+b) \\ \frac{1}{2}(a-b) \end{pmatrix}\right) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2}(a+b) + \frac{1}{2}(a-b) \\ \frac{1}{2}(a+b) - \frac{1}{2}(a-b) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2}(a+b) \\ \frac{1}{2}(a-b) \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{WORKS.}$$

⑥  $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathcal{P}_1$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} \mapsto a + (a+b)x$$

• it is a homomorphism

$$f\left(r_1 \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ b_1 \end{pmatrix} + r_2 \begin{pmatrix} a_2 \\ b_2 \end{pmatrix}\right) = f\left(\begin{pmatrix} r_1 a_1 + r_2 a_2 \\ r_1 b_1 + r_2 b_2 \end{pmatrix}\right) = (r_1 a_1 + r_2 a_2) + (r_1 a_1 + r_2 a_2 + r_1 b_1 + r_2 b_2)x$$

$$\begin{aligned} r_1 f\left(\begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ b_1 \end{pmatrix}\right) + r_2 f\left(\begin{pmatrix} a_2 \\ b_2 \end{pmatrix}\right) &= r_1 (a_1 + (a_1 + b_1)x) + r_2 (a_2 + (a_2 + b_2)x) \\ &= (r_1 a_1 + r_2 a_2) + (r_1 a_1 + r_1 b_1 + r_2 a_2 + r_2 b_2)x \end{aligned}$$

• it is one-to-one

$$\text{If } f\left(\begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ b_1 \end{pmatrix}\right) = f\left(\begin{pmatrix} a_2 \\ b_2 \end{pmatrix}\right) \text{ then } a_1 + (a_1 + b_1)x = a_2 + (a_2 + b_2)x$$

$$\text{then } \begin{matrix} a_1 = a_2 \\ a_1 + b_1 = a_2 + b_2 \end{matrix} \Rightarrow b_1 = b_2$$

$$\text{then } a_1 = a_2 \text{ and } b_1 = b_2$$

$$\text{so } \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ b_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_2 \\ b_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

• it is onto

Take  $c + dx \in \mathcal{P}_1$ . We need to find  $\begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2$

$$\text{such that } f\left(\begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}\right) = c + dx$$

$$\text{i.e. } a + (a + b)x = c + dx$$

$$\text{Take } \begin{matrix} a = c \\ a + b = d \end{matrix} \text{ so } b = d - a = d - c$$

$$f\left(\begin{pmatrix} c \\ d - c \end{pmatrix}\right) = c + (c + (d - c))x = c + dx$$

$$\text{so } \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c \\ d - c \end{pmatrix} \text{ works.}$$