

Assignment 10

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1. Determine whether the following polynomials span P_2 .

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{p}_1 &= 1 - x + 2x^2, & \mathbf{p}_2 &= 3 + x, \\ \mathbf{p}_3 &= 5 - x + 4x^2, & \mathbf{p}_4 &= -2 - 2x + 2x^2. \end{aligned}$$

2. Let $T_A : \mathbf{R}^2 \mapsto \mathbf{R}^3$ be multiplication by matrix A . Determine whether the vector $\mathbf{u} = (1, 1, 1)$

is in the span of $\{T_A(\mathbf{e}_1), T_A(\mathbf{e}_2)\}$, where $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.

3. Determine whether the following vectors are linearly independent or linearly dependent in P_2 .

$$\mathbf{p}_1 = 2 - x + 4x^2, \quad \mathbf{p}_2 = 3 + 6x + 2x^2, \quad \mathbf{p}_3 = 2 + 10x - 4x^2$$

4. Determine whether the following vectors are linearly independent or linearly dependent in P_2 .

$$\mathbf{p}_1 = 1 + 3x + 3x^2, \quad \mathbf{p}_2 = x + 4x^2, \quad \mathbf{p}_3 = 5 + 6x + 3x^2, \quad \mathbf{p}_4 = 7 + 2x - x^2.$$

5. Use the Wronskian to show that $\mathbf{f}_1 = 1, \mathbf{f}_2 = e^x, \mathbf{f}_3 = e^{2x}$ are linearly independent vectors in

$$C^\infty(-\infty, \infty).$$