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3.90 Definition

Suppose $T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$. Define $\tilde{T}: V/(\text{null } T) \rightarrow W$ by
$$\tilde{T}(v + \text{null } T) = Tv$$

Show that $\tilde{T}$ makes sense ($\tilde{T}$ is well-defined)

Suppose $u, v \in V$ satisfy

$$u + \text{null } T = v + \text{null } T$$

By 3.85, we have

$$u - v \in \text{null } T$$

This means

$$T(u - v) = 0$$

In fact, we have

$$Tu - Tv = T(u - v) = 0,$$

$$\therefore Tu = Tv.$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \tilde{T}(u + \text{null } T) &= Tu \\ &= Tv \\ &= \tilde{T}(v + \text{null } T)\end{aligned}$$

and so $\tilde{T}$ is well-defined.

3.91 Null space and range of $\tilde{T}$

Suppose $T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$ Then:

- $\tilde{T}: V/(\text{null } T) \rightarrow W$ is a linear map; $\tilde{T} \in \mathcal{L}(V/(\text{null } T), W)$
- $\tilde{T}$ is injective.
- $\text{range } \tilde{T} = \text{range } T$
- $V/(\text{null } T)$ is isomorphic to $\text{range } T$.

Proof: (a) Let $u, v \in V$ and $\lambda \in F$.

$$\begin{aligned} \cdot \text{additivity: } \tilde{T}((u + \text{null}(T)) + (v + \text{null}(T))) \\ &= \tilde{T}((u+v) + \text{null}(T)) \\ &= T(u+v) \\ &= Tu + Tv \\ &= \tilde{T}(u + \text{null}(T)) + \tilde{T}(v + \text{null}(T)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cdot \text{homogeneity: } \tilde{T}(\lambda(v + \text{null}(T))) \\ &= \tilde{T}((\lambda v) + \text{null}(T)) \\ &= T(\lambda v) \\ &= \lambda Tv \\ &= \lambda \tilde{T}(v + \text{null}(T)) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore \tilde{T}$ is linear.

b). Suppose $v \in V$ and $\tilde{T}(v + \text{null}(T)) = 0$

Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} Tv &= \tilde{T}(v + \text{null}(T)) \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

So $v - 0 = v \in \text{null}(T)$

By 3.85

$v + \text{null}(T) = 0 + \text{null}(T)$ additive identity of $V/\text{null}(T)$

$$\therefore \text{null}(\tilde{T}) \subset \{0 + \text{null}(T)\}$$

$$\tilde{T}(0 + \text{null}(T)) = 0 \text{ since } \tilde{T} \text{ is linear}$$

$\therefore 0 + \text{null}(T) \subset \text{null}(\tilde{T})$, or $\{0 + \text{null}(T)\} = \text{null}(\tilde{T})$. By 3.16, $\tilde{T}$ is injective.

c). For all $v \in V$, $\tilde{T}(v + \text{null}(T)) = Tv$

Suppose $w \in \text{range } T$. Then $w = Tw$

for some $v \in V$. In fact,

$$w = Tv$$

$$= \tilde{T}(v + \text{null } T) \in \text{range } \tilde{T}$$

$$\text{So } \text{range } T \subset \text{range } \tilde{T}$$

Suppose $x \in \text{range } \tilde{T}$. Then $x = \tilde{T}(v + \text{null } T)$ for some $v \in V$.

In fact,

$$x = \tilde{T}(v + \text{null } T)$$

$$= Tv \in \text{range } T$$

$$\text{So } \text{range } \tilde{T} \subset \text{range } T$$

$$\therefore \text{range } \tilde{T} = \text{range } T$$

d). By part c), $\text{range } \tilde{T} = \text{range } \tilde{T}$

If we think of $\tilde{T}$ as a map into $\text{range } \tilde{T}$.

$\tilde{T}: V/\{\text{null } T\} \rightarrow \text{range } T$ is surjective.

So $\tilde{T}$ is also surjective.

By part (b), $\tilde{T}$ is also injective.

$\therefore$ By 3.56, $\tilde{T}$ is invertible.

By part a), $\tilde{T}$ is linear.

$\therefore \tilde{T}: V/\{\text{null } T\} \rightarrow \text{range } T$ is an isomorphism.

3F. Duality

3.92 Definition

A linear functional on V is a linear map $\varphi: V \rightarrow \mathbb{F}$.

In other words, $\varphi \in \mathcal{L}(V, \mathbb{F})$

3.93 Example

• Define $\varphi: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by

$$\varphi(x, y, z) = 4x - 5y + 2z.$$

Then φ is a linear functional on $\mathbb{R}^3$.

- For some $c_1, \dots, c_n \in \mathbb{F}$, the map $\varphi: \mathbb{F}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{F}$ defined by $\varphi(x_1, \dots, x_n) = c_1 x_1 + \dots + c_n x_n$ then φ is a linear functional on $\mathbb{F}^n$.

- Define $\varphi: P(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by

$$\varphi(p) = \int_0^1 p(x) dx$$

Then φ is a linear functional on $P(\mathbb{R})$

3.94 Definition

Then dual space of V , denoted V' , is the vector space of all linear functionals on V . In other words, $V' = \mathcal{L}(V, \mathbb{F})$.

3.95 $\dim V' = \dim V$

Suppose V is finite-dimensional. Then V' is also finite-dimensional and $\dim V' = \dim V$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \dim V' &= \dim \mathcal{L}(V, \mathbb{F}) \\ &= (\dim V)(\dim \mathbb{F}) \quad \text{by 3.6} \\ &= (\dim V) \cdot 1 \\ &= \dim V \end{aligned}$$

3.96 Definition

If $v_1, \dots, v_n$ is a basis of V , then the dual basis of $v_1, \dots, v_n$

is the list $\varphi_1, \dots, \varphi_n$ of elements of V' , where each φ_j for any $j=1, \dots, n$ is a linear functional on V that satisfies

$$\varphi_j(v_k) = \begin{cases} 1 & k=j \\ 0 & k \neq j \end{cases}$$

3.97 Example

What is the dual basis of the standard basis $e_1, \dots, e_n$ of $\mathbb{F}^n$?

$$e_1 = (1, 0, \dots, 0)$$

$\vdots$

$$e_n = (0, \dots, 0, 1)$$

solution:

For all $j=1, \dots, n$, write

$$\varphi_j(x_1, \dots, x_n) = c_1 x_1 + \dots + c_n x_n$$

Then

$$1 = \varphi_1(v_1) = \varphi_1(e_1) = \varphi_1(1, 0, \dots, 0) = c_1(1) + c_2(0) + \dots + c_n(0) = c_1$$

$$0 = \varphi_1(v_2) = \varphi_1(e_2) = \varphi_1(0, 1, \dots, 0) = c_1(0) + c_2(1) + \dots + c_n(0) = c_2$$

$\vdots$

$$0 = \varphi_1(v_n) = \varphi_1(e_n) = \varphi_1(0, \dots, 0, 1) = c_1(0) + \dots + c_{n-1}(0) + c_n(1) = c_n$$

So

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi_1(x_1, \dots, x_n) &= (1)x_1 + (0)x_2 + \dots + (0)x_n \\ &= x_1 \end{aligned}$$

Similarly

$$\varphi_1(x_1, \dots, x_n) = x_1$$

$$\varphi_2(x_1, \dots, x_n) = x_2$$

$\vdots$

$$\varphi_n(x_1, \dots, x_n) = x_n$$

So $\varphi_1, \dots, \varphi_n$ as defined above is the dual basis of $v_1, \dots, v_n$

Axler Define φ_j to be the linear functional on $\mathbb{F}^n$ that selects the j^{th} coordinate of a vector in $\mathbb{F}^n$.

In other words,

$$\varphi_j(x_1, \dots, x_n) = x_j \quad \text{for all } (x_1, \dots, x_n) \in \mathbb{F}^n.$$

3.98 Dual basis is a basis of the dual space.

Suppose V is finite-dimensional.

Then the dual basis of a basis of V is a basis of V^* .

Proof:

Let $v_1, \dots, v_n$ be a basis of V , and let $\varphi_1, \dots, \varphi_n$ be a dual basis of $v_1, \dots, v_n$.

We will show that $\varphi_1, \dots, \varphi_n$ is linearly independent.

Suppose $a_1, \dots, a_n \in \mathbb{F}$ satisfy

$$a_1 \varphi_1 + \dots + a_n \varphi_n = 0$$

Then, for any $j=1, \dots, n$ we have

$$\begin{aligned} (a_1 \varphi_1 + \dots + a_n \varphi_n)(v_j) &= a_1 \varphi_1(v_j) + \dots + a_n \varphi_n(v_j) \\ &= a_1 \varphi_1(v_j) + \dots + a_j \varphi_j(v_j) + \dots + a_n \varphi_n(v_n) \\ &= a_1 \cdot 0 + \dots + a_j \cdot 1 + \dots + a_n \cdot 0 \\ &= a_j \end{aligned}$$

So we have

$$\begin{aligned} a_j &= (a_1 \varphi_1 + \dots + a_n \varphi_n)(v_j) \\ &= 0 \cdot (v_j) \end{aligned}$$

$$= 0$$

In other words,

$$a_1 = 0, \dots, a_n = 0$$

So $\varphi_1, \dots, \varphi_n$ is linearly independent.

By 3.95, $\dim V' = \dim V$

By 2.39. $\varphi_1, \dots, \varphi_n$ is a basis of V' .

3.99 Definition

If $T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$, then the dual map of T is the linear map $T' \in \mathcal{L}(W', V')$ defined by

$$T'(\varphi) = \varphi \circ T$$

input a linear functional

Output a linear functional

Show: $T' \in \mathcal{L}(W', V')$

Let $\lambda \in \mathbb{F}$ and $\varphi, \psi \in W'$ be arbitrary.

$$\begin{aligned} \cdot \text{additivity: } T'(\varphi + \psi) &= (\varphi + \psi) \circ T \\ &= \varphi \circ T + \psi \circ T \\ &= T'(\varphi) + T'(\psi) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cdot \text{homogeneity: } T'(\lambda \varphi) &= (\lambda \varphi) \circ T \\ &= \lambda (\varphi \circ T) \\ &= \lambda T'(\varphi) \end{aligned}$$

3.100 Example

Define $D: \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R})$ by $Dp = p'$

• Define: $\varphi \in \mathcal{L}(\mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R}), \mathbb{F})$ by

$$\varphi(p) = p(3)$$

Then $D'(\varphi)$ is the linear functional on $P(\mathbb{R})$ that satisfies

$$\begin{aligned} (D'(\varphi))(p) &= (\varphi \circ D)(p) \\ &= \varphi(Dp) \\ &= \varphi(p') \\ &= p'(3) \end{aligned}$$

• Define $\varphi \in \mathcal{L}(P(\mathbb{R}), \mathbb{R})$ by

$$\varphi(p) = \int_0^1 p(x) dx.$$

Then $D'(\varphi)$ is then linear functional on $P(\mathbb{R})$ given by

$$\begin{aligned} (D'(\varphi))(p) &= (\varphi \circ D)(p) \\ &= \varphi(Dp) \\ &= \varphi(p') \\ &= \int_0^1 p'(x) dx \\ &= p(1) - p(0). \end{aligned}$$

3.101 Algebraic Properties of Dual Maps

$$a. (S+T)' = S' + T' \quad \text{for all } S, T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$$

$$b. (\lambda T)' = \lambda T' \quad \text{for all } \lambda \in \mathbb{F} \text{ and for all } T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$$

$$c. (ST)' = T'S' \quad \text{for all } T \in \mathcal{L}(U, V) \text{ and for all } S \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$$

Proof:

a). for all $\varphi \in \mathcal{L}(V, \mathbb{F})$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} (S+T)'(\varphi) &= \varphi \circ (S+T) \\ &= \varphi \circ S + \varphi \circ T \\ &= S'(\varphi) + T'(\varphi) \end{aligned}$$

b). For all $\varphi \in \mathcal{L}(V, \mathbb{F})$

$$(\lambda T)'(\varphi) = \varphi \circ (\lambda T)$$

$$= \lambda \varphi \circ T$$

$$= \lambda T'(\varphi)$$

c). For all $\varphi \in \mathcal{L}(V, \mathbb{F})$, we have

$$(ST)'(\varphi) = \varphi \circ (ST)$$

$$= (\varphi \circ S) \circ T$$

$$= T'(\varphi \circ S)$$

$$= T'(S'(\varphi))$$

$$= (T' S')(\varphi)$$

$$\text{So } (ST)'(\varphi) = T' S'$$

3.102 Definition

If U is a subspace of V , then the annihilator of U , denoted U° , is defined by

$$U^\circ = \{\varphi \in V': \varphi(u) = 0 \text{ for all } u \in U\}$$

3.103 Example

Let U be the subspace of $P(\mathbb{R})$ consisting of all polynomials of x^1 , such as $x^2 p(x)$.

If $\varphi \in \mathcal{L}(P(\mathbb{R}), \mathbb{F})$ is defined by

$$\varphi(p) = p'(0), \text{ then } \varphi \in U^\circ$$

$$x^2 p(x) \in U \text{ if } p \in P(\mathbb{R})$$

$$\text{And } \varphi(x^2 p(x)) = (x^2 p(x))' \big|_{x=0}$$

$$= (2x p(x) + x^2 p'(x)) \big|_{x=0}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 2(0)p(0) + 0^2 p'(0) \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

3.104 Example

Let e_1, e_2, e_3, e_4, e_5 denote the standard basis of $\mathbb{R}^5$, and let $\varphi_1, \varphi_2, \varphi_3, \varphi_4, \varphi_5$ denote the dual basis of $(\mathbb{R}^5)'$.

Suppose

$$\begin{aligned}
 U &= \text{Span}(e_1, e_2) \\
 &= \{(x_1, x_2, 0, 0, 0) \in \mathbb{R}^5 : x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{R}\}
 \end{aligned}$$

Show $U^\circ = \text{span}(\varphi_3, \varphi_4, \varphi_5)$

Solution:

Recall from Example 3.97 that

$$\varphi_j(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5) = x_j$$

for any $j=1, 2, 3, 4, 5$

Suppose we have $\varphi \in \text{span}(\varphi_3, \varphi_4, \varphi_5)$

$$\text{Then } \varphi = c_3 \varphi_3 + c_4 \varphi_4 + c_5 \varphi_5$$

for some $c_3, c_4, c_5 \in \mathbb{R}$. For all $(x_1, x_2, 0, 0, 0) \in U$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{We have } \varphi(x_1, x_2, 0, 0, 0) &= (c_3 \varphi_3 + c_4 \varphi_4 + c_5 \varphi_5)(x_1, x_2, 0, 0, 0) \\
 &= c_3 \varphi_3(x_1, x_2, 0, 0, 0) + c_4 \varphi_4(x_1, x_2, 0, 0, 0) + c_5 \varphi_5(x_1, x_2, 0, 0, 0) \\
 &= c_3 \cdot 0 + c_4 \cdot 0 + c_5 \cdot 0 \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore \varphi \in U^\circ$, and so $\text{span}(\varphi_3, \varphi_4, \varphi_5) \subset U^\circ$.

Suppose $\varphi \in U^\circ$. Since $\varphi_1, \varphi_2, \varphi_3, \varphi_4, \varphi_5$ is the dual basis of $(\mathbb{R}^5)'$, we can write uniquely as

$$\varphi = c_1 \varphi_1 + \dots + c_5 \varphi_5 \text{ for some } c_1, \dots, c_5 \in \mathbb{R}.$$

Since $e_1 \in U$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \varphi(e_1) \\ &= (c_1\varphi_1 + c_2\varphi_2 + \dots + c_5\varphi_5)(e_1) \\ &= c_1\varphi_1(e_1) + c_2\varphi_2(e_1) + c_3\varphi_3(e_1) + c_4\varphi_4(e_1) + c_5\varphi_5(e_1) \\ &= c_1 \cdot 1 + c_2 \cdot 0 + c_3 \cdot 0 + c_4 \cdot 0 + c_5 \cdot 0 \\ &= c_1 \end{aligned}$$

Since $e_2 \in U$,

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= \varphi(e_2) \\ &= (c_1\varphi_1 + \dots + c_5\varphi_5)(e_2) \\ &= c_1\varphi_1(e_2) + c_2\varphi_2(e_2) + c_3\varphi_3(e_2) + c_4\varphi_4(e_2) + c_5\varphi_5(e_2) \\ &= c_1 \cdot 0 + c_2 \cdot 1 + c_3 \cdot 0 + c_4 \cdot 0 + c_5 \cdot 0 \\ &= c_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \varphi &= c_1\varphi_1 + \dots + c_5\varphi_5 \\ &= 0\varphi_1 + 0\varphi_2 + c_3\varphi_3 + c_4\varphi_4 + c_5\varphi_5 \\ &= c_3\varphi_3 + c_4\varphi_4 + c_5\varphi_5 \\ &\in \text{span}(\varphi_3, \varphi_4, \varphi_5) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So } U^\circ \subset \text{span}(\varphi_3, \varphi_4, \varphi_5)$$

$$\therefore U^\circ = \text{span}(\varphi_3, \varphi_4, \varphi_5)$$

3.105 The annihilator is a subspace

Suppose U is a subspace of V .

Then U° is a subspace of V' .

$$(V' = \mathcal{L}(V, \mathbb{F}))$$

Proof:

Additive identity: Since $0(u) = 0$ for all $u \in U$,

we have $0 \in U^\circ$.

Closed under addition: Suppose $\varphi, \psi \in U^\circ$. For all $u \in U$,
we have

$$\begin{aligned}(\varphi + \psi)(u) &= \varphi(u) + \psi(u) \\ &= 0 + 0 \\ &= 0\end{aligned}$$

So $\varphi + \psi \in U^\circ$.

Closed under scalar multiplication: Suppose $\lambda \in F$ and $\varphi \in U^\circ$.
for all $u \in U$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{we have } (\lambda\varphi)(u) &= \lambda\varphi(u) \\ &= \lambda \cdot 0 \\ &= 0\end{aligned}$$

So $\lambda\varphi \in U^\circ$.

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3.111 Definition

The transpose of a matrix A , denoted A^t , is the matrix obtained from A by interchanging the rows and columns.

More specifically, if

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{1,1} & \cdots & A_{1,n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ A_{m,1} & \cdots & A_{m,n} \end{bmatrix}$$

then

$$A^t = \begin{bmatrix} A_{1,1} & \cdots & A_{m,1} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ A_{1,n} & \cdots & A_{m,n} \end{bmatrix}$$

3.112 Example

$$\text{If } A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -7 \\ 3 & 8 \\ -4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ then } A^t = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 & -4 \\ -7 & 8 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

3.113 The transpose of the product of matrices

Let A be an $m \times n$ matrix and B be an $n \times p$ matrix

Then

$$(AC)^t = C^t A^t$$

Proof:

Suppose we have $k=1, \dots, p$ and $j=1, \dots, m$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Then, } ((AC)^t)_{k,j} &= (AC)_{j,k} \\ &= \sum_{r=1}^n A_{j,r} C_{r,k}\end{aligned}$$

$$= \sum_{r=1}^n (A^t)_{r,j} (C^t)_{k,r}$$

$$= \sum_{r=1}^n (C^t)_{k,r} (A^t)_{r,j}$$

$$= (C^t A^t)_{k,j}$$

Therefore, we have

$$(AC)^t = C^t A^t$$

3.114 The matrix of T' is the transpose of the matrix of T .

Suppose $T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$. Then $M(T') = (M(T))^t$

Proof:

Let $A = M(T)$ and $C = M(T')$.

Suppose we have $j=1, \dots, m$ and $k=1, \dots, n$

By definition 3.32, we have.

$$TV_k = \sum_{r=1}^m A_{r,k} W_r \quad \text{and}$$

$$T'(\varphi_j) = \sum_{r=1}^n C_{r,j} \varphi_r$$

Therefore, we have

$$(\varphi_j \circ T)(V_k) = (T'(\varphi_j))(V_k)$$

$$= \left(\sum_{r=1}^n C_{r,j} \varphi_r \right)(V_k)$$

$$= (C_{1,j} \varphi_1 + \dots + C_{n,j} \varphi_n)(V_k)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= C_{1,j} \varphi_1(v_k) + \dots + C_{n,j} \varphi_n(v_k) \\
&= C_{1,j} \varphi_1(v_k) + \dots + C_{k,j} \varphi_k(v_k) + \dots + C_{n,j} \varphi_n(v_k) \\
&= C_{1,j} \cdot 0 + \dots + C_{k,j} \cdot 1 + \dots + C_{n,j} \cdot 0 \\
&= C_{k,j}
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
(\varphi_j \circ T)(v_k) &= \varphi_j(Tv_k) \\
&= \varphi_j\left(\sum_{r=1}^n A_{r,k} w_r\right) \\
&= \varphi_j(A_{1,k} w_1 + \dots + A_{n,k} w_n) \\
&= \varphi_j(A_{1,k} w_1) + \dots + \varphi_j(A_{n,k} w_n) \\
&= A_{1,k} \varphi_j(w_1) + \dots + A_{n,k} \varphi_j(w_n) \\
&= A_{1,k} \varphi_j(w_1) + \dots + A_{j,k} \varphi_j(w_j) + \dots + A_{n,k} \varphi_j(w_n) \\
&= A_{1,k} \cdot 0 + \dots + A_{j,k} \cdot 1 + \dots + A_{n,k} \cdot 0 \\
&= A_{j,k}
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore, we conclude,

$$C_{k,j} = A_{j,k}$$

$$\text{So } C = A^t$$

and so

$$M(T') = C$$

$$= A^t$$

$$= (M(T))^t$$

Annihilator

3.106 Dimension of the annihilator

Suppose V is a finite-dimensional vector space and U is a subspace of V . Then

$$\dim U + \dim U^\circ = \dim V.$$

Proof:

Let $i \in \mathcal{L}(U, V)$ be the inclusion map defined by $i(u) = u$ for all $u \in U$.

First, we will show that i is linear.

Let $\lambda \in \mathbb{F}$ and $\varphi, \psi \in V^*$.

• Additivity: For all $u \in U$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} (i'(\varphi + \psi))(u) &= ((\varphi + \psi) \circ i)(u) \\ &= (\varphi + \psi)(i(u)) \\ &= (\varphi + \psi)(u) \\ &= \varphi(u) + \psi(u) \\ &= \varphi(i(u)) + \psi(i(u)) \\ &= (\varphi \circ i)(u) + (\psi \circ i)(u) \\ &= (i'(\varphi))(u) + (i'(\psi))(u) \\ &= (i'(\varphi) + i'(\psi))(u) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$i'(\varphi + \psi) = i'(\varphi) + i'(\psi)$$

• Homogeneity: For all $u \in U$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} (i'(\lambda \varphi))(u) &= ((\lambda \varphi) \circ i)(u) \\ &= (\lambda \varphi)(i(u)) \\ &= (\lambda \varphi)(u) \\ &= \lambda \varphi(u) \\ &= \lambda \varphi(i(u)) \\ &= \lambda (\varphi \circ i)(u) \\ &= (\lambda (i'(\varphi)))(u) \end{aligned}$$

Next, we will show $\text{null } i' = U^\circ$.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{We have } \text{null } i' &= \{\varphi \in V' : i'(\varphi) = 0\} \\ &= \{\varphi \in V' : \varphi \circ i = 0\} \\ &= \{\varphi \in V' : (\varphi \circ i)(u) = 0 \text{ for all } u \in U\} \\ &= \{\varphi \in V' : \varphi(i(u)) = 0 \text{ for all } u \in U\} \\ &= \{\varphi \in V' : \varphi(u) = 0 \text{ for all } u \in U\} \\ &= U^\circ\end{aligned}$$

By the fundamental theorem of linear maps, we have

$$\dim V = \dim V' \quad \text{by 3.95}$$

$$= \dim \text{range } i' + \dim \text{null } i' \quad \text{by 3.22}$$

$$= \dim \text{range } i' + \dim U^\circ$$

$$= \dim U + \dim U^\circ$$

once we show $\text{range } i' = U$.

Suppose we have $\varphi \in U$. By 3A.11, we can extend to a linear functional Φ on V . And by definition of i' we have $i'(\Phi) = \varphi$. So $\varphi \in \text{range } i'$, and so we have $U \subset \text{range } i'$.

But 3.19 says that $\text{range } i'$ is a subspace of U .

Therefore, $\text{range } i' = U$, as desired.

3.107 The null space of T

Suppose V and W are finite-dimensional vector spaces and $T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$. Then:

a). $\text{null } T' = (\text{range } T)^\circ$

b). $\dim \text{null } T' = \dim \text{null } T + \dim W - \dim V$.

Proof: a). Suppose $\varphi \in \text{null } T'$, Then we have:

$T'(\varphi) = 0$. So for all $v \in V$, we have

$$0 = 0(v)$$

$$= (T'(\varphi))(v)$$

$$= (\varphi \circ T)(v)$$

$$= \varphi(Tv)$$

So $\varphi \in (\text{range } T)^\circ$, and so we have $\text{null } T' \subset (\text{range } T)^\circ$.

Suppose $\varphi \in (\text{range } T)^\circ$. Then $\varphi(Tv) = 0$ for all $v \in V$.

So we have $(T'(\varphi))(v) = (\varphi \circ T)(v)$

$$= \varphi(Tv)$$

$$= \varphi(0)$$

$$= 0$$

and so $\varphi \in \text{null } T'$. So $(\text{range } T)^\circ \subset \text{null } T'$.

Therefore, $(\text{range } T)^\circ = \text{null } T'$.

b). We have

$$\dim \text{null } T' = \dim (\text{range } T)^\circ \quad \text{by part a.}$$

$$= \dim W - \dim \text{range } T \quad \text{by 3.106}$$

$$= \dim W - (\dim V - \dim \text{null } T) \quad \text{by 3.22}$$

$$= \dim \text{null } T + \dim W - \dim V$$

3.108 T surjective is equivalent to T' injective.

Suppose V and W are finite-dimensional vector spaces and $T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$. Then T is surjective iff T' is injective.

Proof: $\Leftrightarrow = \text{iff}$

$T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$ is surjective $\Leftrightarrow \text{range } T = W$

$$\Leftrightarrow (\text{range } T)^0 = \{0\}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \text{null } T' = \{0\} \quad \text{by 3.107}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow T' \text{ is injective.}$$

Prove $(\text{range } T)^0 = \{0\}$

We have $\dim(\text{range } T)^0 = \dim W - \dim \text{range } T$ by 3.106

$$= \dim W - \dim W$$

$$= 0$$

$$= \dim \{0\}$$

iff $(\text{range } T)^0 = \{0\}$. by 2.C1 of Axler.

3.109 The range of T'

Suppose V and W are finite-dimensional vector spaces and $T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$. Then

a). $\dim \text{range } T' = \dim \text{range } T,$

b). $\text{range } T' = (\text{null } T)^0$

Proof:

a). We have

$$\dim \text{range } T' = \dim W - \dim \text{null } T' \quad \text{by 3.22}$$

$$= \dim W - \dim \text{null } T' \quad \text{by 3.95}$$

$$= \dim W - \dim (\text{range } T)^0 \quad \text{by 3.107 a.}$$

$$= \dim \text{range } T \quad \text{by 3.106}$$

b). Suppose $\psi \in \text{range } T'$. Then there exists $\varphi \in W'$ that satisfies $\psi = T'(\varphi)$. For all $v \in \text{null } T$, we have.

$$\psi(v) = (T'(\varphi))(v)$$

$$= (\varphi \circ T)(v)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \psi(Tv) \\
 &= \psi(0) \quad \text{since } v \in \text{null } T \\
 &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

So $\psi \in (\text{null } T)^\circ$. Therefore, $\text{range } T' \subset (\text{null } T)^\circ$

Show $\dim \text{range } T' = \dim (\text{null } T)^\circ$

We have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \dim \text{range } T' &= \dim \text{range } T \quad \text{by 3.109 a.} \\
 &= \dim V - \dim \text{null } T \quad \text{by 3.22} \\
 &= \dim (\text{null } T)^\circ \quad \text{by 3.106}
 \end{aligned}$$

3.110 T injective is equivalent to T' surjective.

Suppose V and W are finite-dimensional vector spaces and $T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$. Then T is injective iff T' is surjective.

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned}
 T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W) \text{ is injective} &\Leftrightarrow \text{null } T = \{0\} \quad \text{by 3.16} \\
 &\Leftrightarrow (\text{null } T)^\circ = V \\
 &\Leftrightarrow \text{range } T' = V' \quad \text{by 3.109 b.} \\
 &\Leftrightarrow T' \text{ is surjective.}
 \end{aligned}$$

Prove $(\text{null } T)^\circ = V'$

We have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \dim (\text{null } T)^\circ &= \dim V - \dim \text{null } T \quad \text{by 3.106} \\
 &= \dim V - \dim \{0\} \\
 &= \dim V - 0 \\
 &= \dim V \\
 &= \dim V' \quad \text{by 3.95}
 \end{aligned}$$

iff $(\text{null } T)^{\circ} = V'$, by 2.c.1 exercise.