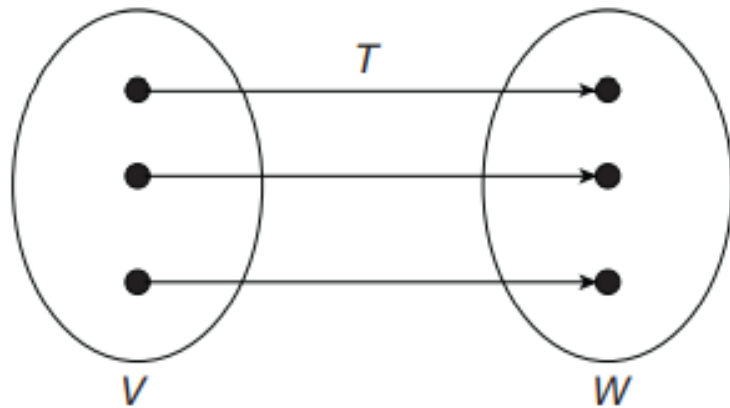


## One-to-one and On-to Transformations

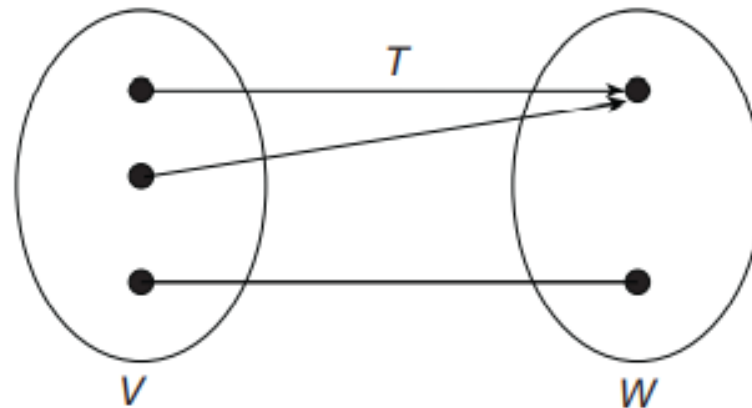
### *One-to-one Transformation*

Let  $V$  and  $W$  be two vector spaces. A linear transformation  $T: V \rightarrow W$  is one-to-one if  $T$  maps distinct vectors in  $V$  to distinct vectors in  $W$ .

A one-to-one transformation is also called injective transformation.



(i)  $T$  is one-to-one



(ii)  $T$  is not one-to-one

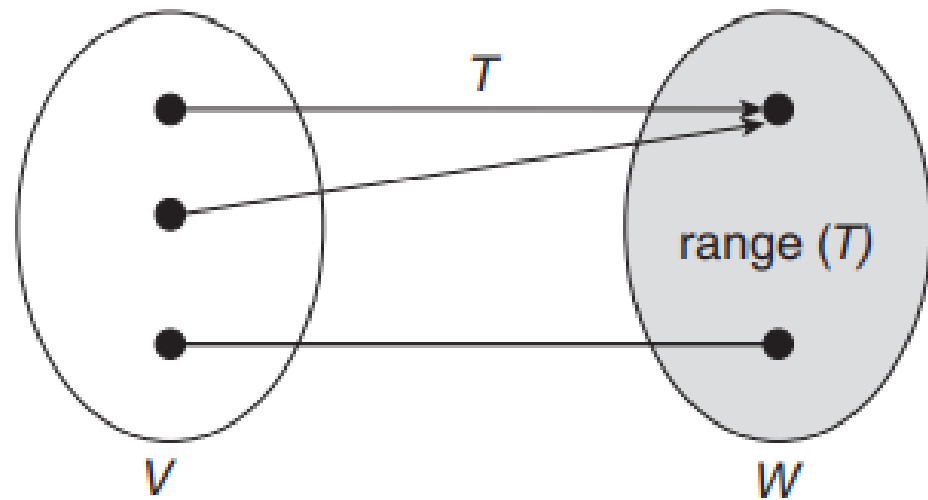
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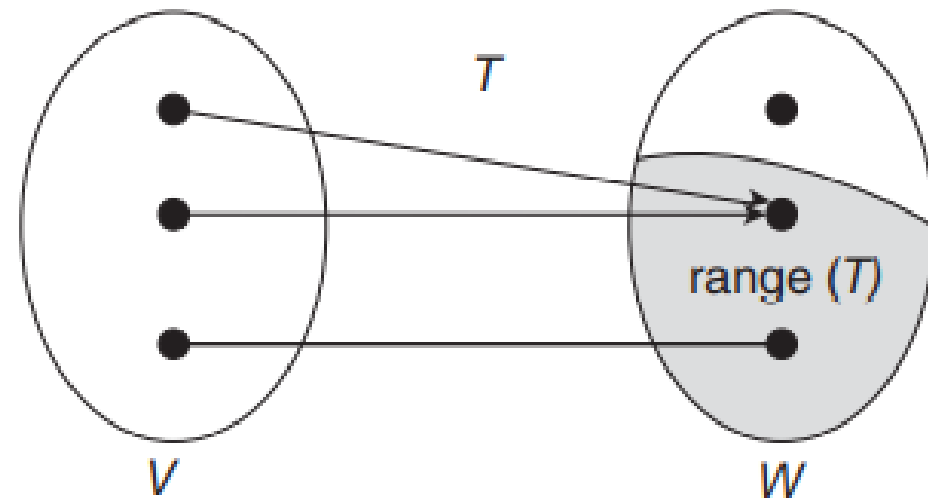
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# ***Onto Transformation***

Let  $V$  and  $W$  be two vector spaces. A linear transformation  $T : V \rightarrow W$  is onto if the range of  $T$  is  $W$ , i.e.,  $T$  is onto if and only if for every  $\mathbf{w}$  in  $W$ , there is a  $\mathbf{v}$  in  $V$  such that  $T(\mathbf{v}) = \mathbf{w}$ . An onto transformation is also called surjective transformation.



(i)  $T$  is onto



(ii)  $T$  is not onto

**Theorem :** A linear transformation  $T : V \rightarrow W$  is onto if and only if  $\text{rank}(T) = \dim W$ .

**Theorem :** If  $A$  is an  $m \times n$  matrix and  $T_A: R^n \rightarrow R^m$  is multiplication by  $A$  then  $T_A$  is onto if and only if  $\text{rank}(A) = m$ .

**Theorem :** Let  $T : V \rightarrow W$  be a linear transformation and let  $\dim V = \dim W$

- (i) If  $T$  is one-to-one, then it is onto.
- (ii) If  $T$  is onto, then it is one-to-one.

## ***Bijjective Transformation***

If a transformation  $T : V \rightarrow W$  is both one-to-one and onto then it is called bijective transformation.

## Example:

In each case, determine whether the linear transformation is one-to-one, onto, both or neither.

(i)  $T : P_2 \rightarrow P_2$ , where  $T(a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2) = (a_0 + a_1) + (a_2 + 2a_1)x$

(ii)  $T : P_2 \rightarrow P_2$ , where  $T(a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2) = a_0 + a_1(x + 1) + a_2(x + 1)^2$

(iii)  $T : R^2 \rightarrow P_1$ , where  $T(a, b) = a + (a + b)x$

(iv)  $T : P_2 \rightarrow R^3$ , where  $T(a + bx + cx^2) = \begin{bmatrix} 2a - b \\ a + b - 3c \\ c - a \end{bmatrix}$

**Solution:** (i) (a) Let  $T(a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2) = \mathbf{0}$

$$(a_0 + a_1) + (a_2 + 2a_1)x = 0$$

$$a_0 + a_1 = 0$$

$$a_2 + 2a_1 = 0$$

Let

$$a_2 = t$$

$$a_1 = -\frac{1}{2}t$$

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{2}t$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_0 \\ a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2}t \\ -\frac{1}{2}t \\ t \end{bmatrix} = t \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\ker(T) \neq \{\mathbf{0}\}$$

Hence,  $T$  is not one to one.

(b)  $\dim(\ker(T)) = 1 = \text{nullity}(T)$

From the dimension theorem,

$$\begin{aligned}\text{rank}(T) &= \dim P_2 - \text{nullity}(T) \\ &= 3 - 1 \\ &= 2\end{aligned}$$

Dimension of  $W(P_2) = 3$ .

$$\text{rank}(T) \neq \dim W$$

Hence,  $T$  is not onto.

(ii) (a) Let

$$T(a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2) = a_0 + a_1(x+1) + a_2(x+1)^2 = \mathbf{0}$$

i.e.,  $a_0 + a_1x + a_1 + a_2x^2 + 2a_2x + a_2 = 0$

$$(a_0 + a_1 + a_2) + (a_1 + 2a_2)x + a_2x^2 = 0$$

$$a_0 + a_1 + a_2 = 0$$

$$a_1 + 2a_2 = 0$$

$$a_2 = 0$$

Solving these equations,

$$a_0 = 0$$

$$a_1 = 0$$

$$a_2 = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_0 \\ a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\ker(T) = \{\mathbf{0}\}$$

Hence,  $T$  is one-to-one.

(b)  $\dim(\ker(T)) = 0 = \text{nullity}(T)$

From the dimension theorem,

$$\begin{aligned}\text{rank}(T) &= \dim P_2 - \text{nullity}(T) \\ &= 3 - 0 \\ &= 3\end{aligned}$$

Dimension of  $W(P_2) = 3$ .

$$\therefore \text{rank}(T) = \dim W$$

Hence,  $T$  is onto.

(iii) (a) Let  $T(a, b) = a + (a + b)x = \mathbf{0}$

$$a = 0$$

$$a + b = 0$$

Solving these equations,

$$a = 0$$

$$b = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\ker(T) = \{\mathbf{0}\}$$

Hence,  $T$  is one-to-one.

(b)  $\dim(\ker(T)) = 0 = \text{nullity}(T)$

From the dimension theorem,

$$\begin{aligned}\text{rank}(T) &= \dim R^2 - \text{nullity}(T) \\ &= 2 - 0 \\ &= 2\end{aligned}$$

Dimension of  $W(P_1) = 2$ .

$$\text{rank}(T) = \dim W$$

Hence,  $T$  is onto.

(iv) (a) Let  $T(a + bx + cx^2) = \mathbf{0}$

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

$$2a - b = 0$$

$$a + b - 3c = 0$$

$$c - a = 0$$

$$\therefore a = \frac{b}{2} = c$$

Let

$$c = t$$

$$b = 2t$$

$$a = t$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} t \\ 2t \\ t \end{bmatrix} = t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\ker(T) \neq \{\mathbf{0}\}$$

Hence,  $T$  is not one-to-one.

(b)  $\dim(\ker(T)) = 1 = \text{nullity}(T)$

From the dimension theorem,

$$\begin{aligned}\text{rank}(T) &= \dim P_2 - \text{nullity}(T) \\ &= 3 - 1 \\ &= 2\end{aligned}$$

Dimension of  $W (R^3) = 3$ .

$$\text{rank}(T) \neq \dim W$$

Hence,  $T$  is not onto.

**Example** ■: In each case, determine whether linear transformation is one-to-one, onto, both or neither.

(i)  $T: M_{22} \rightarrow M_{22}$ , where  $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$

(ii)  $T: M_{22} \rightarrow M_{22}$ , where  $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 2d & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

(iii)  $T: M_{22} \rightarrow R^3$ , where  $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} a+b \\ b+c \\ c+d \end{bmatrix}$

**Solution:** (i) (a) Let

$$T\left(\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}\right) = \mathbf{0}$$

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

$$d = 0$$

$$-b = 0 \Rightarrow b = 0$$

$$-c = 0 \Rightarrow c = 0$$

$$a = 0$$

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

$$\ker(T) = \{\mathbf{0}\}$$

Hence,  $T$  is one-to-one.

(b)  $\dim(\ker(T)) = 0 = \text{nullity}(T)$

From the dimension theorem,

$$\begin{aligned}\text{rank}(T) &= \dim M_{22} - \text{nullity}(T) \\ &= 4 - 0 \\ &= 4\end{aligned}$$

Dimension of  $W(M_{22}) = 4$

$$\therefore \text{rank}(T) = \dim W$$

Hence  $T$ , is onto.

(ii) (a) Let  $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}\right) = \mathbf{0}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2d & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$2d = 0$$

$$\therefore d = 0$$

Let

$$a = t_1$$

$$b = t_2$$

$$c = t_3$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} t_1 \\ t_2 \\ t_3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = t_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + t_2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + t_3 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \ker(T) \neq \{\mathbf{0}\}$$

Hence,  $T$  is not one-to-one.

(b)  $\dim(\ker(T)) = 3 = \text{nullity}(T)$

From the dimension theorem,

$$\begin{aligned}\text{rank}(T) &= \dim M_{22} - \text{nullity}(T) \\ &= 4 - 3 \\ &= 1\end{aligned}$$

Dimension of  $W(M_{22}) = 4$ .

$$\therefore \text{rank}(T) \neq \dim W$$

Hence,  $T$  is not onto.

(iii) (a) Let  $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}\right) = \mathbf{0}$

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

$$a + b = 0$$

$$b + c = 0$$

$$c + d = 0$$

Let

$$d = t$$

$$c = -t$$

$$b = t$$

$$a = -t$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -t \\ t \\ -t \\ t \end{bmatrix} = t \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\ker(T) \neq \{\mathbf{0}\}$$

Hence,  $T$  is not one to one.

(b)  $\dim(\ker(T)) = 1 = \text{nullity}(T)$

From the dimension theorem,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{rank}(T) &= \dim M_{22} - \text{nullity}(T) \\ &= 4 - 1 \\ &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

Dimension of  $W(\mathbb{R}^3) = 3$ .

$$\therefore \text{rank}(T) = \dim W$$

Hence,  $T$  is onto.

**Example 1:** In each case, determine whether the linear transformation is one-to-one, onto, or both or neither.

- (i)  $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ , where  $T(x, y) = (x + y, x - y)$
- (ii)  $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ , where  $T(x, y) = (x - y, y - x, 2x - 2y)$
- (iii)  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ , where  $T(x, y, z) = (x + y + z, x - y - z)$
- (iv)  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ , where  $T(x, y, z) = (x + 3y, y, z + 2x)$

# INVERSE LINEAR TRANSFORMATIONS

If  $T : V \rightarrow W$  is a linear transformation then the range of  $T$  is the subspace consisting of all images of vectors in  $V$  under  $T$ . If  $T$  is one-to-one then each  $\mathbf{w}$  in  $R(T)$  is the image of a unique vector  $\mathbf{v}$  in  $V$ . Hence, inverse linear transformation  $T^{-1} : W \rightarrow V$  maps  $\mathbf{w}$  back into  $\mathbf{v}$ .

**Example 1:** Let  $T : R^3 \rightarrow R^3$  be the linear operator defined by the formula

$$T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 - x_2 + x_3, 2x_2 - x_3, 2x_1 + 3x_2)$$

Determine whether  $T$  is one-to-one. If so, find  $T^{-1}(x_1, x_2, x_3)$ .

**Example 7.** Let  $T$  be a linear operator on  $R^3$  defined by  $T(x, y, z) = (2x, 4x - y, 2x + 3y - z)$ . Show that  $T$  is invertible and find  $T^{-1}$ .

**Solution :** (i) Let  $W$  be the null space of  $T$ .

So  $W$  is the set of all  $(x, y, z)$  such that

$$T(x, y, z) = (0, 0, 0)$$

i.e.  $(2x, 4x - y, 2x + 3y - z) = (0, 0, 0)$

$\Rightarrow W$  is the solution space of

$$2x = 0, 4x - y = 0, 2x + 3y - z = 0,$$

which has  $(0, 0, 0)$  as trivial solution.

Thus  $W = \{0\}$ .

Hence  $T$  is non-singular and hence is invertible.

(ii) Let  $T(x, y, z) = (r, s, t)$

$$\therefore T^{-1}(r, s, t) = (x, y, z).$$

Now  $T(x, y, z) = (2x, 4x - y, 2x + 3y - z) = (r, s, t)$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = r, 4x - y = s, 2x + 3y - z = t$$

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$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{2}r, y = 2r - s, z = 7r - 3s - t.$$

Hence  $T^{-1}$  is defined by

$$T^{-1}(r, s, t) = \left( \frac{1}{2}r, 2r - s, 7r - 3s - t \right).$$

$T$  and  $T^{-1}$  are linear transformations

**Example 4.** Let  $T: V_3(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow V_3(\mathbb{R})$  be defined as  
 $T(a, b, c) = (3a, a - b, 2a + b + c)$ .  
Prove that  $T$  is invertible and find  $T^{-1}$ .

Solution : (i) We know that T is invertible if T is one-one and onto.

Let  $x_1 = (a_1, b_1, c_1), x_2 = (a_2, b_2, c_2) \in V_3(\mathbb{R})$ ,

$$\text{then } T(x_1) = T(x_2) \Rightarrow (3a_1, a_1 - b_1, 2a_1 + b_1 + c_1) \\ = (3a_2, a_2 - b_2, 2a_2 + b_2 + c_2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3a_1 = 3a_2, a_1 - b_1 = a_2 - b_2, 2a_1 + b_1 + c_1 = 2a_2 + b_2 + c_2 \\ \Rightarrow a_1 = a_2, b_1 = b_2, c_1 = c_2 \\ \Rightarrow x_1 = x_2.$$

Thus T is one-one.

Let  $(r, s, t) \in V_3(\mathbb{R})$ . We shall show that  $\exists$  a vector in  $V_3(\mathbb{R})$  whose T image is  $(r, s, t)$ .

Let that vector be  $(a, b, c)$  so that

$$T(a, b, c) = (r, s, t) = (3a, a - b, 2a + b + c)$$

$$\Rightarrow r = 3a, s = a - b, t = 2a + b + c$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{r}{3}, b = \frac{r}{3} - s, c = t - r + s.$$

Since  $r, s, t \in \mathbb{R}, \therefore a, b, c$  also  $\in \mathbb{R}$  so that  $(a, b, c) \in V_3(\mathbb{R})$ .

Thus T is onto.

Hence T is invertible.

$$\therefore T(a, b, c) = (r, s, t)$$

$$\Rightarrow T^{-1}(r, s, t) = (a, b, c)$$

$$\text{Hence } T^{-1}(r, s, t) = \left( \frac{r}{3}, \frac{r}{3} - s, t - r + s \right).$$

