

Matrices

Definition:- Matrix

Let U and V be vector spaces of dimensions n and m , respectively. Let $B_1 = \{u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots, u_n\}$ and $B_2 = \{v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots, v_m\}$ be ordered bases of U and V respectively. Let $T: U \rightarrow V$ be a linear map defined by $T(u_j) = \alpha_{1j}v_1 + \alpha_{2j}v_2 + \alpha_{3j}v_3 + \dots + \alpha_{mj}v_m$, $j = 1, 2,$

$3, \dots, n$ so that the coordinate vector of $T(u_j)$ written as a column vector is $\begin{bmatrix} \alpha_{1j} \\ \alpha_{2j} \\ \alpha_{3j} \\ \vdots \\ \alpha_{mj} \end{bmatrix}$

Write the coordinate vectors of $T(u_1), T(u_2), \dots, T(u_j), \dots, T(u_n)$ successively as column vectors in the form of a rectangular array as follows:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \alpha_{11} & \alpha_{12} & \alpha_{13} & \dots & \alpha_{1n} \\ \alpha_{21} & \alpha_{22} & \alpha_{23} & \dots & \alpha_{2n} \\ \alpha_{31} & \alpha_{32} & \alpha_{33} & \dots & \alpha_{3n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \alpha_{m1} & \alpha_{m2} & \alpha_{m3} & \dots & \alpha_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$

This rectangular array is called the *matrix* of T relative to the *ordered base* B_1 and B_2 , and is denoted by $(T: B_1, B_2) = (\alpha_{ij})_{m \times n}$.

Note:- in this definition α_{ij} is the i -th coordinate of $T(u_j)$ relative to the basis $\{v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots, v_m\}$

→ The numbers that constitute a matrix are called *entries*. Each horizontal line of entries is called a *row*. Each vertical line of entries is called a *column*.

Example:- Let a linear transformation $T: V_2 \rightarrow V_3$ be defined by

$$T(x_1, x_2) = (x_1 + x_2, 2x_1 - x_2, 7x_2). \text{ Find the matrix relative to the standard base.}$$

Solution:- We know that the standard basis of v_2 is $B_1 = \{e_1, e_2\} = \{(1, 0), (0, 1)\}$ and the basis of v_3 is $B_2 = \{f_1, f_2, f_3\} = \{(1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 1)\}$

$$T(e_1) = T(1, 0) = (1+0, 2(1)-0, 7(0)) = (1, 2, 0)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } (1, 2, 0) &= \alpha_1 f_1 + \alpha_2 f_2 + \alpha_3 f_3 \\ &= \alpha_1 (1, 0, 0) + \alpha_2 (0, 1, 0) + \alpha_3 (0, 0, 1) \\ &= (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \alpha_1 = 1, \alpha_2 = 2, \alpha_3 = 0$$

$$(1, 2, 0) = 1f_1 + 2f_2 + 0f_3$$

$$\therefore T(e_1) = 1f_1 + 2f_2 + 0f_3 \text{ -----(1)}$$

$$T(e_2) = T(0, 1) = (0+1, 2(0)-1, 7(1)) = (1, -1, 7)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } (1, -1, 7) &= \alpha_1 f_1 + \alpha_2 f_2 + \alpha_3 f_3 \\ &= \alpha_1 (1, 0, 0) + \alpha_2 (0, 1, 0) + \alpha_3 (0, 0, 1) \\ &= (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \alpha_1 = 1, \alpha_2 = -1, \alpha_3 = 7$$

$$(1, -1, 7) = 1f_1 + (-1)f_2 + 7f_3$$

$$\therefore T(e_2) = 1f_1 + (-1)f_2 + 7f_3 \text{ -----(2)}$$

From equation (1) and (2)

The require matrix with respect to base B_1 and B_2 is

$$(T: B_1, B_2) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 2}$$

Example:- Let a linear transformation $T: V_3 \rightarrow V_3$ be defined by

$$T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 - x_2 + x_3, 2x_1 - 3x_2 - \frac{1}{2}x_3, x_1 - x_2 - 2x_3). \text{ Find the matrix relative to the}$$

$$B_1 = \{e_1, e_2, e_3\} \text{ and the basis of } v_3 \text{ is } B_2 = \{(1, 1, 0), (1, 2, 3), (-1, 0, 1)\}$$

Solution:- Here given basis are as

$$B_1 = \{e_1, e_2, e_3\} = \{(1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 1)\} \text{ and the basis}$$

$$B_2 = \{f_1, f_2, f_3\} = \{(1, 1, 0), (1, 2, 3), (-1, 0, 1)\}$$

$$\text{Now } T(e_1) = T(1, 0, 0) = (1 - 0 + 0, 2(1) - 0 - 0, 1 - 0 - 0) = (1, 2, 1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(e_1) &= (1, 2, 1) = \alpha_1 f_1 + \alpha_2 f_2 + \alpha_3 f_3 \\ &= \alpha_1 (1, 1, 0) + \alpha_2 (1, 2, 3) + \alpha_3 (-1, 0, 1) \\ &= (\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 - \alpha_3, \alpha_1 + 2\alpha_2, 3\alpha_2 + \alpha_3) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 - \alpha_3 = 1, \alpha_1 + 2\alpha_2 = 2, 3\alpha_2 + \alpha_3 = 1$$

Solving these equation we get

$$\alpha_1 = 2, \alpha_2 = 0, \alpha_3 = 1$$

$$(1, 2, 1) = 2f_1 + 0f_2 + 1f_3$$

$$\therefore T(e_1) = T(1, 0, 0) = 1f_1 + 2f_2 + 0f_3 \text{ -----(1)}$$

$$\text{Now } T(e_2) = T(0, 1, 0) = (0 - 1 + 0, 2(0) - 3(1) - 0, 0 - 1 - 0) = (-1, -3, -1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(e_2) &= (-1, -3, -1) = \alpha_1 f_1 + \alpha_2 f_2 + \alpha_3 f_3 \\ &= \alpha_1 (1, 1, 0) + \alpha_2 (1, 2, 3) + \alpha_3 (-1, 0, 1) \\ &= (\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 - \alpha_3, \alpha_1 + 2\alpha_2, 3\alpha_2 + \alpha_3) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 - \alpha_3 = -1, \alpha_1 + 2\alpha_2 = -3, 3\alpha_2 + \alpha_3 = -1$$

Solving these equation we get

$$\alpha_1 = 6, \alpha_2 = \frac{-3}{2}, \alpha_3 = \frac{11}{2}$$

$$(1, 2, 1) = 6f_1 + \frac{-3}{2}f_2 + \frac{11}{2}f_3$$

$$\therefore T(e_2) = 6f_1 + \frac{-3}{2}f_2 + \frac{11}{2}f_3 \text{ -----(2)}$$

$$\text{Now } T(e_3) = T(0, 0, 1) = (0 - 0 + 1, 2(0) - 3(0) - \frac{1}{2}, 0 - 0 - 2) = (1, -\frac{1}{2}, -2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(e_3) &= (1, -\frac{1}{2}, -2) = \alpha_1 f_1 + \alpha_2 f_2 + \alpha_3 f_3 \\ &= \alpha_1 (1, 1, 0) + \alpha_2 (1, 2, 3) + \alpha_3 (-1, 0, 1) \\ &= (\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 - \alpha_3, \alpha_1 + 2\alpha_2, 3\alpha_2 + \alpha_3) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 - \alpha_3 = 1, \alpha_1 + 2\alpha_2 = -\frac{1}{2}, 3\alpha_2 + \alpha_3 = -2$$

Solving these equation we get

$$\alpha_1=0, \alpha_2= \frac{-1}{4}, \alpha_3= \frac{-3}{4}$$

$$(1, -\frac{1}{2}, -2)= 0f_1 + \frac{-1}{4}f_2 + \frac{-3}{4}f_3$$

$$\therefore T(e_2) = 0f_1 + \frac{-1}{4}f_2 + \frac{-3}{4}f_3 \text{-----(3)}$$

From equation (1) ,(2) and (3)

The require matrix with respect to base B_1 and B_2 is

$$(T: B_1, B_2) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 6 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{3}{2} & -\frac{1}{4} \\ 1 & \frac{11}{2} & -\frac{3}{4} \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 3}$$

Example:- Let a linear transformation $T: V_3 \rightarrow V_2$ be defined by

$$T(e_1) = 2f_1 - f_2 ,$$

$$T(e_2) = f_1 + 2f_2 \text{ and}$$

$$T(e_3) = 0f_1 + 0f_2$$

Find the matrix relative to the standard base.

Solution:- Here $\{e_1, e_2, e_3\}$ and $\{f_1, f_2\}$ are standard base for V_3 and V_2 respectively.

$B_1 = \{e_1, e_2, e_3\} = \{(1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 1)\}$ and the basis

$B_2 = \{f_1, f_2\} = \{(1, 0), (0, 1)\}$

Let $(x_1, x_2, x_3) \in V_3$

$$\text{Now } T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = T(x_1e_1 + x_2e_2 + x_3e_3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore T(x_1, x_2, x_3) &= x_1T(e_1) + x_2T(e_2) + x_3T(e_3) \\ &= x_1(2f_1 - f_2) + x_2(f_1 + 2f_2) + x_3(0f_1 + 0f_2) \\ &= (2x_1 + x_2)f_1 + (-x_1 + 2x_2)f_2 \\ &= (2x_1 + x_2)(1, 0) + (-x_1 + 2x_2)(0, 1) \\ &= (2x_1 + x_2, -x_1 + 2x_2) \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\text{Now } T(1, 0, 0) = (2, -1) = 2f_1 + (-1)f_2$$

$$\therefore T(e_1) = T(1, 0, 0) = 2f_1 + (-1)f_2 \text{-----(1)}$$

$$\text{also } T(0, 1, 0) = (1, 2) = 1f_1 + 2f_2$$

$$\therefore T(e_2) = T(0, 1, 0) = 1f_1 + 2f_2 \text{-----(2)}$$

$$\text{And } T(0, 0, 1) = (0, 0) = 0f_1 + 0f_2$$

$$\therefore T(e_3) = T(0, 0, 1) = 0f_1 + 0f_2 \text{-----(3)}$$

From equation (1) ,(2) and (3)

The require matrix with respect to base B_1 and B_2 is

$$(T: B_1, B_2) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times 3}$$

Example:- Let a linear transformation $T: V_3 \rightarrow V_2$ be defined by

$$T(e_1) = 2f_1 - f_2,$$

$$T(e_2) = f_1 + 2f_2 \text{ and}$$

$$T(e_3) = 0f_1 + 0f_2$$

Find the matrix relative to basis $B_1 = \{(1, 1, 0), (1, 0, 1), (0, 1, 1)\}$ and the basis

$$B_2 = \{f_1, f_2, f_3\} = \{(1, 1), (1, -1)\}.$$

Solution: AS above example

$$(T: B_1, B_2) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{2} \\ -1 & \frac{3}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times 3}$$

Note: the matrix of T changes when we change the bases.

Example:- Let a linear transformation $T: \mathcal{P}_3 \rightarrow \mathcal{P}_2$ be defined by

$T(\alpha_0 + \alpha_1 x + \alpha_2 x^2 + \alpha_3 x^3) = \alpha_3 + (\alpha_2 + \alpha_3)x + (\alpha_0 + \alpha_1)x^2$. Let us calculate the matrix of T relative to the bases $B_1 = \{1, (x-1), (x-1)^2, (x-1)^3\}$ and $B_2 = \{1, x, x^2\}$.

Solution:- Now $T(1) = T(1+0x+0x^2+0x^3) = 0 + (0+0)x + (1+0)x^2 = x^2$

$$T(x-1) = T(-1+1x+0x^2+0x^3) = 0 + (0+0)x + (-1+1)x^2 = 0$$

$$T((x-1)^2) = T(1+(-2)x+1x^2+0x^3) = 0 + (1+0)x + (1+(-2))x^2 = x - x^2$$

$$T((x-1)^3) = T(-1+3x+(-3)x^2+1x^3) = 1 + (-3+1)x + (-1+3)x^2 = 1 - 2x + 2x^2$$

Since $T(1) = x^2 = 0.1 + 0x + 1x^2$

$$T(x-1) = 0 = 0.1 + 0x + 0x^2$$

$$T((x-1)^2) = x - x^2 = 0.1 + 1x - 1x^2$$

$$T((x-1)^3) = 1 - 2x + 2x^2 = 1.1 - 2x + 2x^2$$

Hence, the matrix of T relative to B_1 and B_2 is

$$(T: B_1, B_2) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 4}$$

Example:- Let a linear transformation $D: \mathcal{P}_3 \rightarrow \mathcal{P}_2$ be defined by map $D(p) = p'$.

$T(\alpha_0 + \alpha_1 x + \alpha_2 x^2 + \alpha_3 x^3) = \alpha_3 + (\alpha_2 + \alpha_3)x + (\alpha_0 + \alpha_1)x^2$. Let us calculate the matrix of D relative to the bases $B_1 = \{1, x, x^2, x^3\}$ and $B_2 = \{1, x, x^2\}$.

Solution:- Since $D(1) = 0 = 0.1 + 0x + 0x^2$

$$D(x) = 1 = 1.1 + 0x + 0x^2$$

$$D(x^2) = 2x = 0.1 + 2x + 0x^2$$

$$D(x^3) = 3x^2 = 0.1 + 0x + 3x^2$$

Hence, the matrix of T relative to B_1 and B_2 is

$$(T: B_1, B_2) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 4}$$

Note:-
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 1 \end{bmatrix}_{n \times n}$$
 is called identity matrix. and is denoted by I_n (or simply I , if n is understood).

The ij -th entry of this matrix is usually denoted by δ_{ij} , where δ_{ij} , called the *Kronecker delta*, is defined by

$$\delta_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } i=j \\ 0, & \text{if } i \neq j. \end{cases}$$

Linear map associated with a matrix:

Note:- Any rectangular array of numbers such as

$$\begin{bmatrix} \beta_{11} & \beta_{12} & \cdots & \beta_{1j} & \cdots & \beta_{1n} \\ \beta_{21} & \beta_{22} & \cdots & \beta_{2j} & \cdots & \beta_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \beta_{i1} & \beta_{i2} & \cdots & \beta_{ij} & \cdots & \beta_{in} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \beta_{m1} & \beta_{m2} & \cdots & \beta_{mj} & \cdots & \beta_{mn} \end{bmatrix}_{m \times n}$$

is called $m \times n$ matrix. If $m = n$ the matrix is called a

square matrix.

* Two matrices $A = (\alpha_{ij})_{m \times n}$ and $B = (\beta_{ij})_{m \times n}$ are said to be equal if $\alpha_{ij} = \beta_{ij}$ for all i and j .

It is written as $A = B$.

* A matrix whose entries are all real (complex) numbers is called a real (complex) matrix.

Now we will define a linear map from given matrix .

Example:- If matrix of a linear transformation T with respect to standard bases is

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & -4 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times 3}$$

then find image of $(3, 1, -5)$ under T . Also define T .

i.e. find $T(x, y, z)$

Solution:- Given matrix is $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & -4 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times 3}$ and let $\{e_1, e_2, e_3\} = \{(1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 1)\}$ be

a basis for V_3 .

$\therefore T: V_3 \rightarrow V_2$ is linear map and

$$T(1, 0, 0) = (2, 0)$$

$$T(0, 1, 0) = (3, 1)$$

$$T(0, 0, 1) = (-4, 2)$$

$\therefore T(3, 1, -5) = T(3e_1 + 1e_2 - 5e_3)$

$$= 3T(e_1) + 1T(e_2) - 5T(e_3)$$

$$= 3(2, 0) + 1(3, 1) - 5(-4, 2)$$

$$= (29, -9)$$

Now $T(x, y, z) = T(xe_1 + ye_2 + ze_3)$

$$= xT(e_1) + yT(e_2) + zT(e_3)$$

$$= x(2, 0) + y(3, 1) + z(-4, 2) = (2x + 3y - 4z, y + 2z)$$

$$\therefore T(x, y, z) = (2x + 3y - 4z, y + 2z)$$

Example:- find $T(-2, 1, 0, 5)$ if matrix of a linear transformation T with respect to standard bases is

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 4} \quad \text{Also define } T. \text{ i.e. find } T(x, y, z)$$

Solution:- as above $T(-2, 1, 0, 5) = (-3, 14, 0)$

Example:- If matrix of T with respect to bases B_1 and B_2 is $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times 3}$

Where $B_1 = \{(1, 2, 0), (0, -1, 0), (1, -1, 1)\}$ and $B_2 = \{(1, 0), (2, -1)\}$ then define T i.e. find $T(x, y, z)$.

Solution:- Given matrix is $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times 3}$

let $B_1 = \{u_1, u_2, u_3\} = \{(1, 2, 0), (0, -1, 0), (1, -1, 1)\}$ and $B_2 = \{f_1, f_2\} = \{(1, 0), (2, -1)\}$

$\therefore T: V_3 \rightarrow V_2$ is linear map and

$$\text{Now } T(u_1) = -1(f_1) + 1(f_2)$$

$$\therefore T(1, 2, 0) = -(1, 0) + 1(2, -1) = (1, -1)$$

$$T(u_2) = 2(f_1) + 0(f_2)$$

$$\therefore T(0, -1, 0) = 2(1, 0) + 0(2, -1) = (2, 0)$$

$$T(u_3) = 1(f_1) + 3(f_2)$$

$$\therefore T(1, -1, 1) = 1(1, 0) + 3(2, -1) = (7, -3)$$

Let $(x, y, z) = \alpha_1(1, 2, 0) + \alpha_2(0, -1, 0) + \alpha_3(1, -1, 1)$

$$\therefore (\alpha_1 + \alpha_3, 2\alpha_1 - \alpha_2 - \alpha_3, \alpha_3) = (x, y, z)$$

$$\therefore \alpha_1 + \alpha_3 = x, \quad 2\alpha_1 - \alpha_2 - \alpha_3 = y, \quad \alpha_3 = z$$

Solving these equations then we get

$$\alpha_1 = x - z, \quad \alpha_2 = 2x - y - 3z, \quad \alpha_3 = z$$

$$\therefore T(x, y, z) = \alpha_1 T(1, 2, 0) + \alpha_2 T(0, -1, 0) + \alpha_3 T(1, -1, 1)$$

$$= (x - z)(1, -1) + (2x - y - 3z)(2, 0) + z(7, -3)$$

$$T(x, y, z) = (5x - 2y, -x - 2z)$$

Example:- If matrix of T with respect to standard bases B_1 and B_2 is $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}_{4 \times 3}$

then define T i.e. find $T(x, y, z)$.

Solution:- Given matrix is
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}_{4 \times 3}$$

let $B_1 = \{u_1, u_2, u_3\}$ and $B_2 = \{f_1, f_2, f_3, f_4\}$ standard bases V_3 and V_4 of respectively.

$\therefore T: V_3 \rightarrow V_4$ is linear map and

$$\text{Now } T(u_1) = 2(f_1) + 1(f_2) + (-2)(f_3) + 1(f_4)$$

$$\therefore T(1, 0, 0) = 2(1, 0, 0, 0) + 1(0, 1, 0, 0) + (-2)(0, 0, 1, 0) + 1(0, 0, 0, 1) \\ = (2, 1, -2, 1)$$

$$\therefore T(u_1) = (2, 1, -2, 1)$$

$$\text{Now } T(u_2) = -3(f_1) + 0(f_2) + 1(f_3) + 2(f_4)$$

$$\therefore T(0, 1, 0) = -3(1, 0, 0, 0) + 0(0, 1, 0, 0) + 1(0, 0, 1, 0) + 2(0, 0, 0, 1) \\ = (-3, 0, 1, 2)$$

$$\therefore T(u_2) = (-3, 0, 1, 2)$$

$$\text{Now } T(u_3) = 4(f_1) + (-1)(f_2) + 0(f_3) + (-2)(f_4)$$

$$\therefore T(0, 1, 0) = 4(1, 0, 0, 0) + (-1)(0, 1, 0, 0) + 0(0, 0, 1, 0) + (-2)(0, 0, 0, 1) \\ = (4, -1, 0, -2)$$

$$\therefore T(u_3) = (4, -1, 0, -2)$$

$$\text{Let } (x, y, z) = \alpha_1(1, 0, 0) + \alpha_2(0, 1, 0) + \alpha_3(0, 0, 1)$$

$$\therefore (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3) = (x, y, z)$$

$$\therefore \alpha_1 = x, \quad \alpha_2 = y, \quad \alpha_3 = z$$

$$\therefore T(x, y, z) = \alpha_1 T(1, 0, 0) + \alpha_2 T(0, 1, 0) + \alpha_3 T(0, 0, 1)$$

$$\text{i.e } T(x, y, z) = \alpha_1 T(u_1) + \alpha_2 T(u_2) + \alpha_3 T(u_3)$$

$$= (x)(2, 1, -2, 1) + (y)(-3, 0, 1, 2) + z(4, -1, 0, -2)$$

$$T(x, y, z) = (2x - 3y + 4z, x - z, -2x + y + 2z, x + 2y - 2z)$$

Note:- let $\mathcal{M}_{m,n}$ denote the set of all $m \times n$ real matrices. Let U and V be real vector spaces of dimensions n and m , respectively. Let fix ordered bases B_1 for U and B_2 for V .

Then the process of determining the matrix of a linear map and the linear map corresponding to a matrix show that the map $\tau: L(U, V) \rightarrow \mathcal{M}_{m,n}$ defined by

$$\tau(T) = (T; B_1, B_2) \text{ is one-one and onto.}$$

- Here $\tau(T) = (T; B_1, B_2)$ is one-one and onto therefore τ is isomorphism.
- Here $L(U, V)$ is the set of all linear transformations from U to V .
- Since each linear map $T: U \rightarrow V$ there exists a unique linear map from U to V .
- When $U = U_n$ and $V = V_m$ and the bases B_1 and B_2 are standard bases in the spaces, then the matrix associated with $T: U_n \rightarrow V_m$ is called its natural matrix.
- Here $\tau(0) = 0_{m \times n}$
- If $\tau: L(U) \rightarrow \mathcal{M}_{n,n}$. then $\tau(I) = I_n$ where I is the identity transformation on U and I_n is the $n \times n$ identity matrix.

Linear operations in $\mathcal{M}_{m,n}$

Definition:- Sum of two matrices (of the same order):

Let $A = (\alpha_{ij})_{m \times n}$ and $B = (\beta_{ij})_{m \times n}$ be two matrices. Then the sum $A + B$ is defined as the $m \times n$ matrix $(\alpha_{ij} + \beta_{ij})$

i.e. the sum of two matrices (of the same order) is obtained by adding the corresponding entries.

e.g. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $B = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ then $A + B = \begin{bmatrix} 1-1 & 3+2 & 2+1 \\ 0+3 & -1+1 & 1+2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 5 & 3 \\ 3 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

Definition:- Scalar multiplication of matrix:

Let $A = (\alpha_{ij})_{m \times n}$ matrix and α be scalar. Then the Scalar multiplication of matrix αA is defined as the $m \times n$ matrix $(\alpha \alpha_{ij})$

i.e. The Scalar multiplication of matrix by α is obtained by multiplying each entries by α .

e.g. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\alpha = 5$ then $\alpha A = 5 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 15 & 10 \\ 0 & -5 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

Example:- prove that the linear map $\tau: L(U, V) \rightarrow \mathcal{M}_{m,n}$ defined by $\tau(T) = (T: B_1, B_2)$ is linear.

Solution:- Let fix ordered bases B_1 for U and B_2 for V . Where $B_1 = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n\}$
 $B_2 = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$.

Let $T, S \in L(U, V)$

i.e. $T: U \rightarrow V$ and $S: U \rightarrow V$ be linear map. Then $T + S$ is also linear map.

If matrices of T and S relative to B_1 and B_2 are $A = (\alpha_{ij})_{m \times n}$ and $B = (\beta_{ij})_{m \times n}$

respectively. Then $T(u_j) = \sum_{i=1}^m \alpha_{ij} v_i$ ($j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$)

And $S(u_j) = \sum_{i=1}^m \beta_{ij} v_i$ ($j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$)

Here $T(u_j) + S(u_j) = \sum_{i=1}^m \alpha_{ij} v_i + \sum_{i=1}^m \beta_{ij} v_i$ ($j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$)
 $= \sum_{i=1}^m (\alpha_{ij} + \beta_{ij}) v_i$ ($j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$) -----(1)

$$(T + S)(u_j) = \sum_{i=1}^m (\alpha_{ij} v_i + \beta_{ij} v_i) \quad (j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^m (\alpha_{ij} + \beta_{ij}) v_i \quad (j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n) \text{ -----(2)}$$

From (1) and (2) we get

$(T + S)(u_j) = T(u_j) + S(u_j)$ ($j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$)
 $\therefore \tau(T + S) = \tau(T) + \tau(S)$ ($j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$) -----(3)

Also $T(\alpha u_j) = \sum_{i=1}^m \alpha \alpha_{ij} v_i = \alpha \sum_{i=1}^m \alpha_{ij} v_i = \alpha T(u_j) = (\alpha T)(u_j) \quad (j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n)$

$\therefore (\alpha \tau)(T) = \tau(\alpha T)$ for scalar α -----(4)

From (3) and (4) we get

the linear map $\tau: L(U, V) \rightarrow \mathcal{M}_{m,n}$ defined by $\tau(T) = (T; B_1, B_2)$ is linear.

Note: the linear map $\tau: L(U, V) \rightarrow \mathcal{M}_{m,n}$ preserves addition and scalar multiplication.

i.e. $\tau(T + S) = \tau(T) + \tau(S)$ for all $T, S \in L(U, V)$ and $(\alpha \tau)(T) = \tau(\alpha T)$ for scalar α .

Theorem: (a) Prove that is a real vector space for the foregoing definitions of addition and scalar multiplication.

(b) prove $\tau: L(U, V) \rightarrow \mathcal{M}_{m,n}$ defined by $\tau(T) = (T; B_1, B_2)$ is isomorphism.

Theorem: (Dimension theorem for $\mathcal{M}_{m,n}$)

The dimension on of the vector space $\mathcal{M}_{m,n}$ is mn .

Proof:- Given i and j , define the matrix E_{ij} as the $m \times n$ matrix with 1 in the ij -th entry and zero in all other entries.

Let set B of matrices as

$$B = \{ E_{11}, \dots, E_{1n}, E_{21}, \dots, E_{2n}, \dots, E_{m1}, \dots, E_{mn} \}$$

$$= \{ E_{ij} \in \mathcal{M}_{m,n} / i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m ; j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n \}$$

Now we want to prove that B is a basis for $\mathcal{M}_{m,n}$

First we will show that B is LI.

We assume that

$$\alpha_{11} E_{11} + \dots + \alpha_{1n} E_{1n} + \alpha_{21} E_{21} + \dots + \alpha_{2n} E_{2n} + \dots + \alpha_{m1} E_{m1} + \dots + \alpha_{mn} E_{mn} = 0_{m \times n}$$

i.e.

$$\begin{bmatrix} \alpha_{11} & \alpha_{12} & \dots & \alpha_{1j} & \dots & \alpha_{1n} \\ \alpha_{21} & \alpha_{22} & \dots & \alpha_{2j} & \dots & \alpha_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \alpha_{i1} & \alpha_{i2} & \dots & \alpha_{ij} & \dots & \alpha_{in} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \alpha_{m1} & \alpha_{m2} & \dots & \alpha_{mj} & \dots & \alpha_{mn} \end{bmatrix}_{m \times n} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & \dots & 0 \end{bmatrix}_{m \times n}$$

Hence $\alpha_{ij} = 0$ for all i and j

