



## Section 2.6

(3) (a)

$$\begin{cases} f_1(1,0,1) = 1 \\ f_1(1,2,1) = 0 \\ f_1(0,0,1) = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} f_1(e_1) + f_1(e_3) = 1 \\ f_1(e_1) + 2f_1(e_2) + f_1(e_3) = 0 \\ f_1(e_3) = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} f_1(e_1) = 1 \\ f_1(e_2) = -\frac{1}{2} \\ f_1(e_3) = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow f_1(x,y,z) = x - \frac{1}{2}y$$

Similarly,  $f_2(x,y,z) = \frac{1}{2}y$ ,  $f_3(x,y,z) = z - x$ .

(b) As above, we get:  $f_1(a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2) = a_0$ ,

$$f_2(a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2) = a_1, \quad f_3(a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2) = a_2.$$

④ Since  $\dim V^* = \dim V = 3$ , to show  $\{f_1, f_2, f_3\}$  is a basis it is enough to show they are L.I.

If:

$$af_1 + bf_2 + cf_3 = 0 \text{ for some } a, b, c \in R,$$

$$\text{we get } (a+b)x + (-2a+b+c)y + (b-3c)z = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} a+b=0 \\ -2a+b+c=0 \\ b-3c=0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow a=b=c=0.$$

To find a basis for  $V$ , we consider the inverse process of Exercise 3.

To find the first vector:

$$\begin{cases} x - 2y = 1 \\ x + y + z = 0 \\ y + 3z = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x = \frac{2}{5} \\ y = -\frac{3}{10} \\ z = -\frac{1}{10} \end{cases}$$

Similarly for the other vectors, so that the required basis is:

$$\left\{ \left( \frac{2}{5}, -\frac{3}{10}, -\frac{1}{10} \right), \left( \frac{3}{5}, \frac{3}{10}, \frac{1}{10} \right), \left( \frac{1}{5}, \frac{1}{10}, -\frac{3}{10} \right) \right\}.$$

7 (a)  $T(a_0 + a_1 x) = (-2a_1, -a_0, a_0 + a_1)$ .

~~$T^t f(a_0 + a_1 x) = f T(a_0 + a_1 x) =$~~   
 ~~$= -2a_1, -a_0, -2(a_0 + a_1) = -4a_1, -3a_0$~~

(b) If  $\gamma^* = (f_1, f_2)$ ,  $T^t(f_1)(a_0 + a_1 x) = -a_0 - 2a_1$

and  $T^t(f_2)(a_0 + a_1 x) = a_0 + a_1$ , thus

$$[T^t]_{\gamma^*}^{\beta^*} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(c) Since  $\beta = (1, x)$ , and  $T(1) = (-1, 1)$ ,  
 $T(x) = (-2, 1)$ , we have:

$$[\mathbf{T}]_{\beta}^{\gamma} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Thus  $([\mathbf{T}]_{\beta}^{\gamma})^t = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = [\mathbf{T}^t]_{\gamma^*}^{\beta^*}.$

⑨ ( $\Leftarrow$ ) Assume  $\mathbf{T}(x) = (f_1(x), \dots, f_m(x))$ .

Then  $\mathbf{T}(cx+y) = c\mathbf{T}(x) + \mathbf{T}(y)$  since

$$f_i(cx+y) = cf_i(x) + f_i(y) \quad \forall i=1, \dots, m.$$

( $\Rightarrow$ ) Assume  $\mathbf{T}$  linear, and let  $f_i(x) := \mathbf{T}^t(g_i)(x)$   
 $\forall i=1, \dots, m$ .

Write  $\mathbf{T}(x) = (T_1(x), \dots, T_m(x))$ ; then clearly

$$T_i(x) = g_i \mathbf{T}(x) = \mathbf{T}^t(g_i)(x) = f_i(x) \quad \forall i=1, \dots, m.$$

I.e.,  $\mathbf{T}(x) = (f_1(x), \dots, f_m(x))$ .

⑩ (a) ( $\Rightarrow$ ) Assume  $\mathbf{T}^t$  not injective. Then

$\exists f \in W^*$  nonzero s.t.  $\mathbf{T}^t f = 0$ .

Now, since  $\mathbf{T}$  is onto,  $R(\mathbf{T}) = W$ ; thus

$f(W) = f(\mathbf{T}(V)) = (\mathbf{T}^t f)(V) = \{0\}$ ,  
contradiction since  $f$  is nonzero.

( $\Leftarrow$ ) Assume  $\mathbf{T}$  not onto, i.e.  $R(\mathbf{T}) \subsetneq W$ .

Then, by Exercise 19,  $\exists f \in W^*$  nonzero s.t.

$f(x) \Rightarrow \forall x \in R(\mathbf{T})$ .

Thus  $(\mathbf{T}^t f)(v) = f(\mathbf{T}(v)) \Rightarrow \forall v \in V$ , i.e.  
 $f \in N(\mathbf{T}^t)$ . 3

Therefore  $T^t$  is not injective (since  $f$  is nonzero),  
a contradiction.

(b) ( $\Leftarrow$ ) If  $T$  is injective,  $T: V \xrightarrow{\cong} T(V)$  is some morphism; thus by extending a basis of  $T(V)$  we can find a subspace  $Z \subset W$  s.t.  $W = T(V) \oplus Z$ . Thus we have a projection  $p: W \rightarrow V$  along  $Z$ .

Now take any  $f \in V^*$ . Let  $g \in W^*$  be defined as  $g := fp$ . Then  $(T^t g)(v) = (fpT)(v) = f(v) \quad \forall v \in V$ . Thus  $T^t g$  is surjective.

( $\Rightarrow$ ) Let  $v \in V$  s.t.  $T(v) = 0$ . Assume  $v \neq 0$ . Then it's easy to construct  $f \in V^*$  s.t.  $f(v) \neq 0$ .  $T^t$  onto  $\Rightarrow \exists g \in W^*$  s.t.  $T^t g = f$ . But then:  
 $0 \neq f(v) = (T^t g)(v) = g(T(v)) = g(0) = 0$   
 Contradiction!