

FIELD

A non-empty set F with 2 binary composition denoted by '+' & '.' is called a field if the following condition are satisfied.

A (i) Closure: $a, b \in F \rightarrow a+b \in F$

(ii) Associative: $a+(b+c) = (a+b)+c \quad \forall a, b, c \in F$

(iii) Additive identity: \exists an element $0 \in F$ such that
 $a+0 = a = 0+a \quad \forall a \in F$

(iv) Additive inverse: for each $a \in F$, $\exists b \in F$ such that
 $a+b = 0 = b+a$

then b is called additive inverse of a and is also written in the form $b = -a$.

(v) Commutative: $a+b = b+a \quad \forall a, b \in F$

M (i) Closure: $a, b \in F \rightarrow ab \in F$

(ii) Associative: $a(bc) = (abc) \quad \forall a, b, c \in F$

(iii) Multiplicative identity: $\exists 1 \in F$ such that
 $a \cdot 1 = a = 1 \cdot a \quad \forall a \in F$

(iv) Multiplicative inverse: for each $a \in F$, $\exists b \in F$ such that
 $ab = 1 = ba$

here b is called inverse of a & written as $b = a^{-1}$
ie $aa^{-1} = 1 = a^{-1}a$.

(v) Commutative: $ab = ba \quad \forall a, b \in F$

D (i) Left distributive law: $a(b+c) = ab+ac \quad \forall a, b, c \in F$

(ii) Right distributive law: $(a+b)c = ac+bc \quad \forall a, b, c \in F$

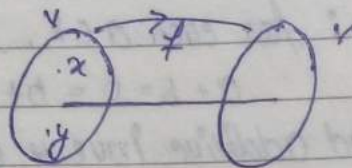
Note: F is a non-empty set, $\langle F, +, \cdot \rangle$ is a field if

- (i) $\langle F, + \rangle$ is an abelian group,
- (ii) $\langle F, \cdot \rangle$ is an abelian group,
- (iii) distributive law holds.

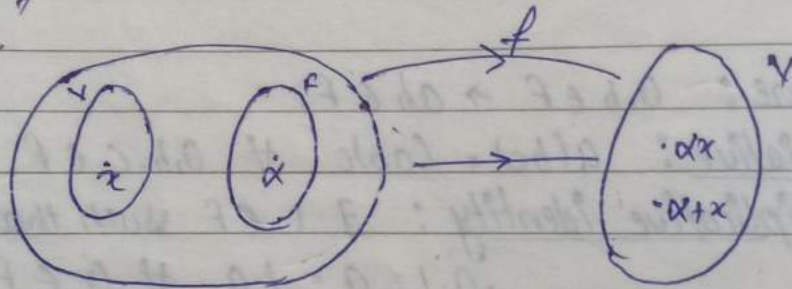
EXTERNAL AND INTERNAL BINARY COMPOSITIONS

Let $V \neq \emptyset$ be a non-empty set.

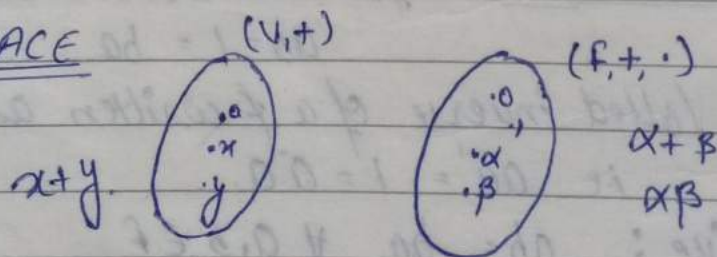
(i) A mapping $f: V \times V \rightarrow V$ is called an internal binary composition



(ii) A mapping $f: V \times F \rightarrow V$ is called external binary composition.



VECTOR SPACE



Let $\langle F, +, \cdot \rangle$ is a field then a non-empty set V together with 2 binary composition vector addition (internal composition) and scalar multiplication (external composition) is called a vector space over the field F if the following condition is satisfied.

(A) $\langle V, + \rangle$ is an abelian group.
 * (B) Any $u \in V, \alpha \in F \Rightarrow \alpha u \in V$, then the following conditions are satisfied.

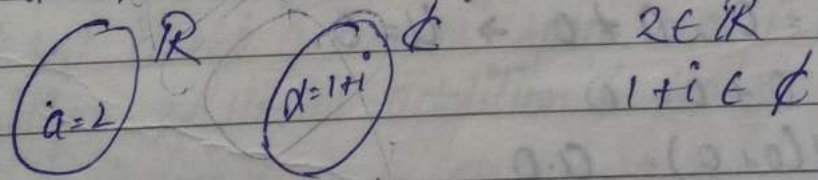
- (i) $a(u+v) = au + av$
- (ii) $(a+b)u = au + bu$
- (iii) $a(bu) = (ab)u$
- (iv) for the unit element $1 \in F$
 $1 \cdot u = u \forall u \in V$

It is denoted by $V(F)$ [vector space over the field F]

- Note
- (i) $\mathbb{R}(\mathbb{R})$ is a vector space w.r. to usual addition & multiplication
 - (ii) $\mathbb{C}(\mathbb{R})$ is a vector space w.r. to usual addition & multiplication
 - (iii) $\mathbb{C}(\mathbb{C})$ is a vector space w.r. to usual addition & multiplication.
 - (iv) $\mathbb{R}(\mathbb{C})$ is not a " " " " " "

For example:

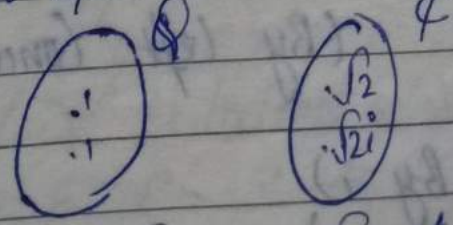
$$a \in \mathbb{R}, \alpha \in \mathbb{C} \Rightarrow \alpha a \notin \mathbb{R}$$



$$(1+i)2 = 2 + 2i \notin \mathbb{R}$$

Note: Rational no. p/q ,
 $q \neq 0$ and p, q are co-prime.

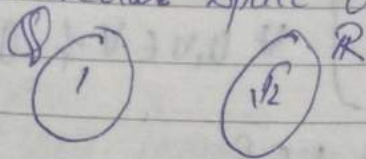
- (v) \mathbb{Q} is not a vector space over \mathbb{C}
 for example.



$$1 \in \mathbb{Q}, \sqrt{2} \in \mathbb{C} \Rightarrow \sqrt{2} \cdot 1 = \sqrt{2} \notin \mathbb{Q}$$

$1 \in \mathbb{Q}, \sqrt{2}i \in \mathbb{C} \Rightarrow 1 \cdot \sqrt{2}i = \sqrt{2}i \notin \mathbb{Q}$
 $\therefore \mathbb{Q}$ is not a vector space over \mathbb{C}

(vi) \mathbb{Q} is not a vector space over \mathbb{R}



$1 \in \mathbb{Q}, \sqrt{2} \in \mathbb{R} \Rightarrow 1 \cdot \sqrt{2} = \sqrt{2} \notin \mathbb{Q}$
 $\therefore \mathbb{Q}$ is not a vector space over \mathbb{R} .

Thm 1. Elementary property of Vector space. Let $V(F)$ be a Vector space, let $u, v \in V, a \in F$ be arbitrary, then Prove that.

(i) $a \cdot 0 = 0$

(ii) $0u = 0$

(iii) $a(-u) = -(au) = (-a)u$

(iv) $a(u-v) = au - av$

(v) $au = 0, a \neq 0 \Rightarrow u = 0$.

Proof: (i) $0 + 0 = 0$

$a(0+0) = a \cdot 0$

$a \cdot 0 + a \cdot 0 = a0 + 0 \quad (\because a0 = a0 + 0)$

$a0 = 0 \quad (\text{By left cancellation law in } (V, +))$

(ii) $0 + 0 = 0$

$(0+0)u = 0u$

$0u + 0u = 0u + 0 \quad (\because 0u = 0u + 0)$

$0u = 0 \quad (\text{By left cancellation law})$

(iii) $0 = a \cdot 0 \quad (\text{By i})$

$0 = a(u + (-u)) \quad (\because u + (-u) = 0)$

or

$$0 = au + (a(-u))$$

$$\Rightarrow a(-u) = -(au) \quad (\because a(-u) \text{ is the additive inverse of } au)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(iv)} \quad a(u-v) &= a(u+(-v)) \\ &= au + a(-v) \\ &= au - av \quad (\because a(-v) = -av) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(v)} \quad a \neq 0 \Rightarrow a^{-1} \text{ exist} \quad (\because a \in F)$$

$$aa^{-1} = 1$$

$$\because au = 0$$

Premultiply by a^{-1}

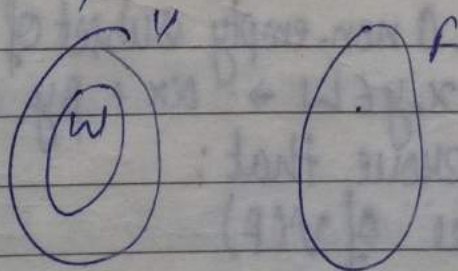
$$a^{-1}(au) = a^{-1}0$$

$$(a^{-1}a)u = 0$$

$$1 \cdot u = 0$$

$$u = 0$$

SUBSPACE: Let $V(F)$ be the vector space a non-empty subset of W of V is called a subspace of V if W itself a vector space over F w.r. to composition of vector addition & scalar multiplication in V .



Note:

(i) $W \subseteq V$ is a subspace of V iff

$$(a) \quad x, y \in W \Rightarrow x+y \in W$$

$$(b) \quad \alpha \in F, x \in W \Rightarrow \alpha x \in W$$

(ii) W is subset of V is called a subspace of V iff

$$(a) \quad x, y \in W \text{ \& } \alpha, \beta \in F \\ \Rightarrow \alpha x + \beta y \in W.$$

Theorem: The necessary & sufficient condition for non-empty subset W of a vector space $V(F)$ to be a subspace of V is $\alpha, \beta \in F$ & $x, y \in W \Rightarrow \alpha x + \beta y \in W$

Proof:

Let W be a subspace of $V(F)$ then we have to prove that

$$\alpha, \beta \in F \text{ \& } x, y \in W \Rightarrow \alpha x + \beta y \in W$$

Since,

W is a subspace of $V(F)$ then

By definition $W(F)$ is a vector space.

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \alpha \in F, x \in W &\Rightarrow \alpha x \in W \\ \beta \in F, y \in W &\Rightarrow \beta y \in W \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} W \text{ is a subspace} \\ \text{it is vector space.} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\therefore \alpha x \in W, \beta y \in W \Rightarrow \alpha x + \beta y \in W \quad (\because W \text{ is a vector space})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{i.e. } \alpha, \beta \in F \text{ \& } x, y \in W \\ \Rightarrow \alpha x + \beta y \in W \end{aligned}$$

Conversely

Suppose that W be a non-empty subset of the vector space $V(F)$

$$\text{So } \alpha, \beta \in F \text{ \& } x, y \in W \Rightarrow \alpha x + \beta y \in W \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

then we have to prove that:

W is a subspace of $V(F)$

i.e. we have to prove that

$$(i) \quad x, y \in W \Rightarrow x + y \in W$$

$$(ii) \quad \alpha \in F, x \in W \Rightarrow \alpha x \in W$$

Let $\alpha = \beta = 1$ in eqn (i)

$$\therefore x, y \in W \Rightarrow x + y \in W \quad (\because F \text{ is field.})$$

Let $\beta = 0$

$$\therefore \alpha \in F, x \in W \Rightarrow \alpha x \in W \quad \text{--- (B)}$$

By (A) & (B)

$\therefore W$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

Theorem: The intersection of 2 subspaces W_1 & W_2 of a Vector space $V(F)$ is also a subspace of $V(F)$.

Proof:

Let W_1 & W_2 be 2 subspaces of a Vector space $V(F)$
then, we have to prove that $W_1 \cap W_2$ is a subspace of $V(F)$
ie we have to prove that $\alpha, \beta \in F$ & $x, y \in W_1 \cap W_2$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha x + \beta y \in W_1 \cap W_2$$

Now, $x, y \in W_1 \cap W_2$ & $\alpha, \beta \in F$

$$\Rightarrow x, y \in W_1 \text{ \& } x, y \in W_2 \text{ also } \alpha, \beta \in F$$

$\therefore W_1$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

$$\therefore \alpha, \beta \in F \text{ \& } x, y \in W_1 \Rightarrow \alpha x + \beta y \in W_1$$

Also, W_2 is a subspace of $V(F)$

$$\therefore \alpha, \beta \in F \text{ \& } x, y \in W_2 \Rightarrow \alpha x + \beta y \in W_2$$

Hence,

$$\alpha, \beta \in F \text{ \& } x, y \in W_1 \cap W_2 \Rightarrow \alpha x + \beta y \in W_1 \cap W_2$$

$\therefore W_1 \cap W_2$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

Theorem 3. The union of two subspaces of a Vector space $V(F)$ is not necessarily a subspace of $V(F)$

Proof:

$$\text{Let } W_1 = \{(a, 0, 0) : a \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

$$W_2 = \{(0, a, 0) : a \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

Let W_1 & W_2 be 2 subspaces of vector space.

$$V(F) = \mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$$

Now, $W_1 \cup W_2 = \{x: x = (a, 0, 0) \text{ or } x = (0, a, 0) \forall a \in \mathbb{R}\}$

Now, we have to prove that $W_1 \cup W_2$ is not a subspace of $V(F)$

For this we have to prove that

$$\alpha, \beta \in F \text{ \& } x, y \in W_1 \cup W_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha x + \beta y \notin W_1 \cup W_2$$

Let $x = (a, 0, 0)$ & $y = (0, b, 0)$ where $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$

Let $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\alpha x + \beta y = \alpha(a, 0, 0) + \beta(0, b, 0)$$

$$= (\alpha a, 0, 0) + (0, \beta b, 0)$$

$$= (\alpha a, \beta b, 0)$$

$$\notin W_1 \cup W_2$$

Hence $W_1 \cup W_2$ is not a subspace of $V(F)$

Theorem The union of 2 subspaces is a subspace iff one is contained in the other.

Proof:

Let W_1 & W_2 be two subspaces of vector space $V(F)$ s.t.

$$W_1 \subseteq W_2 \text{ or } W_2 \subseteq W_1$$

Then, we have to prove that $W_1 \cup W_2$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

$$\because W_1 \subseteq W_2 \Rightarrow W_1 \cup W_2 = W_2$$

$$\because W_2 \text{ is a subspace of } V(F)$$

$$\therefore W_1 \cup W_2 \text{ is also a subspace of } V(F)$$

Again, $W_2 \subseteq W_1 \Rightarrow W_1 \cup W_2 = W_1$

$$\because W_1 \text{ is a subspace of } V(F)$$

$\therefore W_1 \cup W_2$ is also a subspace of $V(F)$

Hence, in either cases

$W_1 \cup W_2$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

Conversely Suppose that $W_1 \cup W_2$ is a subspace of $V(F)$
then, we have to prove that $W_1 \subseteq W_2$ or $W_2 \subseteq W_1$.

Let $W_1 \not\subseteq W_2$ and $W_2 \not\subseteq W_1$.

$W_1 \not\subseteq W_2 \Rightarrow x \in W_1$ s.t. $x \notin W_2$

$W_2 \not\subseteq W_1 \Rightarrow y \in W_2$ s.t. $y \notin W_1$

Now,

$x \in W_1 \subseteq W_1 \cup W_2 \Rightarrow x \in W_1 \cup W_2$

$\& y \in W_2 \subseteq W_1 \cup W_2 \Rightarrow y \in W_1 \cup W_2$

$\therefore x, y \in W_1 \cup W_2$

Since, $W_1 \cup W_2$ is a subspace of $V(F)$

$\therefore x, y \in W_1 \cup W_2 \Rightarrow x+y \in W_1 \cup W_2$

$\therefore x+y \in W_1$ or $x+y \in W_2$.

Since, W_1 is a subspace of $V(F)$

$\therefore x+y \in W_1, x \in W_1$

$\Rightarrow x+y \in W_1, -x \in W_1$

$= x+y-x \in W_1$

$= y \in W_1$

which is contradiction.

Again,

$x+y \in W_2 \& y \in W_2$

$= x+y \in W_2, -y \in W_2$ ($\because W_2$ is a subspace of $V(F)$)

$= x+y-y \in W_2$

$= x \in W_2$

which is contradiction.