

In Exercises 5–8, determine if the given set is a subspace of \mathbb{P}_n for an appropriate value of n . Justify your answers.

5. All polynomials of the form $\mathbf{p}(t) = at^2$, where a is in \mathbb{R} .
6. All polynomials of the form $\mathbf{p}(t) = a + t^2$, where a is in \mathbb{R} .
7. All polynomials of degree at most 3, with integers as coefficients.
8. All polynomials in \mathbb{P}_n such that $\mathbf{p}(0) = 0$.

9. Let H be the set of all vectors of the form $\begin{bmatrix} -2t \\ 5t \\ 3t \end{bmatrix}$. Find a vector \mathbf{v} in \mathbb{R}^3 such that $H = \text{Span}\{\mathbf{v}\}$. Why does this show that H is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^3 ?

13. Let $\mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$, and $\mathbf{w} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$.
- a. Is \mathbf{w} in $\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3\}$? How many vectors are in $\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3\}$?
 - b. How many vectors are in $\text{Span}\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3\}$?
 - c. Is \mathbf{w} in the subspace spanned by $\{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3\}$? Why?

In Exercises 3–6, find an explicit description of $\text{Nul } A$, by listing vectors that span the null space.

3. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$

In Exercises 7–14, either use an appropriate theorem to show that the given set, W , is a vector space, or find a specific example to the contrary.

7. $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} : a + b + c = 2 \right\}$ 8. $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} r \\ s \\ t \end{bmatrix} : 3r - 2 = 3s + t \right\}$

35. Let V and W be vector spaces, and let $T : V \rightarrow W$ be a linear transformation. Given a subspace U of V , let $T(U)$ denote the set of all images of the form $T(\mathbf{x})$, where \mathbf{x} is in U . Show that $T(U)$ is a subspace of W .