

Solution to Practice 3k

Exercise 5 We show that $M \circ L$ is linear as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 (M \circ L)(s\vec{x} + \vec{y}) &= M(L(s\vec{x} + \vec{y})) && \text{(definition of function composition)} \\
 &= M(sL(\vec{x}) + L(\vec{y})) && \text{(because } L \text{ is linear)} \\
 &= sM(L(\vec{x})) + M(L(\vec{y})) && \text{(because } M \text{ is linear)} \\
 &= s(M \circ L)(\vec{x}) + (M \circ L)(\vec{y}) && \text{(definition of function composition)}
 \end{aligned}$$

B5(a) The domain of S is \mathbb{R}^2 and the codomain of S is \mathbb{R}^3 . The domain of T is \mathbb{R}^2 and the codomain of T is \mathbb{R}^3 .

B5(b) The matrix that represents $(T+S)$ is $[T]+[S] = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 2 & -4 \\ 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

The matrix that represents $(-S+2T)$ is $-[S]+2[T] = -\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + 2\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -2+6 & -1+2 \\ -1+2 & 2-4 \\ -3+2 & -1+0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

B6(a) The domain of S is \mathbb{R}^2 and the codomain of S is \mathbb{R}^4 . The domain of T is \mathbb{R}^4 and the codomain of T is \mathbb{R}^2 .

B6(b) The matrix that represents $S \circ T$ is $[S][T] = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 5 & -3 \\ -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 & 2 & 3 \\ -2 & 1 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 16+6 & -3 & 8-9 & 12 \\ 4-2 & 1 & 2+3 & 3 \\ 20+6 & -3 & 10-9 & 15 \\ -8 & 0 & -4 & -6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 22 & -3 & -1 & 12 \\ 2 & 1 & 5 & 3 \\ 26 & -3 & 1 & 15 \\ -8 & 0 & -4 & -6 \end{bmatrix}.$$

The matrix that represents $T \circ S$ is $[T][S] = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 & 2 & 3 \\ -2 & 1 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 5 & -3 \\ -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 16+0+10-6 & -12+0-6+0 \\ -8+1+15+0 \\ 6+1-9+0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 20 & -18 \\ 8 & -2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

B7(a) This composition is defined. The domain is the domain of M , which is \mathbb{R}^4 , and the codomain is the codomain of L , which is \mathbb{R}^3 .

B7(b) This composition is not defined, because the codomain of L (\mathbb{R}^3) is not the same as the domain of M (\mathbb{R}^4).

B7(c) This composition is not defined, because the codomain of N (\mathbb{R}^4) is not the same as the domain of L (\mathbb{R}^2).

B7(d) This composition is defined. The domain is the domain of L , which is \mathbb{R}^2 , and the codomain is the codomain of N , which is \mathbb{R}^4 .

B7(e) This composition is defined. The domain is the domain of N , which is \mathbb{R}^3 , and the codomain is the codomain of M , which is \mathbb{R}^2 .

B7(f) This composition is not defined, because the codomain of M (\mathbb{R}^2) is not the same as the domain of N (\mathbb{R}^3).