2C Dimension

2.22 *length of linearly independent list $\leq$ length of spanning list*

In a finite-dimensional vector space, the length of every linearly independent list of vectors is less than or equal to the length of every spanning list of vectors.

2.34 *basis length does not depend on basis*

Any two bases of a finite-dimensional vector space have the same length.

2.35 definition: *dimension*, $\dim V$

- The *dimension* of a finite-dimensional vector space is the length of any basis of the vector space.
- The dimension of a finite-dimensional vector space V is denoted by $\dim V$.

2.37 *dimension of a subspace*

If V is finite-dimensional and U is a subspace of V, then $\dim U \leq \dim V$.

2.38 *linearly independent list of the right length is a basis*

Suppose V is finite-dimensional. Then every linearly independent list of vectors in V of length $\dim V$ is a basis of V.

2.39 *subspace of full dimension equals the whole space*

Suppose that V is finite-dimensional and U is a subspace of V such that $\dim U = \dim V$. Then $U = V$.

2.42 *spanning list of the right length is a basis*

Suppose V is finite-dimensional. Then every spanning list of vectors in V of length $\dim V$ is a basis of V.

2.43 *dimension of a sum*

If V_1 and V_2 are subspaces of a finite-dimensional vector space, then

$$\dim(V_1 + V_2) = \dim V_1 + \dim V_2 - \dim(V_1 \cap V_2).$$

sets	**vector spaces**
S is a finite set	V is a finite-dimensional vector space
$\#S$	$\dim V$
for subsets S_1, S_2 of S, the union $S_1 \cup S_2$ is the smallest subset of S containing S_1 and S_2	for subspaces V_1, V_2 of V, the sum $V_1 + V_2$ is the smallest subspace of V containing V_1 and V_2
$\#(S_1 \cup S_2)$ $= \#S_1 + \#S_2 - \#(S_1 \cap S_2)$	$\dim(V_1 + V_2)$ $= \dim V_1 + \dim V_2 - \dim(V_1 \cap V_2)$
$\#(S_1 \cup S_2) = \#S_1 + \#S_2$ $\iff S_1 \cap S_2 = \emptyset$	$\dim(V_1 + V_2) = \dim V_1 + \dim V_2$ $\iff V_1 \cap V_2 = \{0\}$
$S_1 \cup \cdots \cup S_m$ is a disjoint union $\iff$ $\#(S_1 \cup \cdots \cup S_m) = \#S_1 + \cdots + \#S_m$	$V_1 + \cdots + V_m$ is a direct sum $\iff$ $\dim(V_1 + \cdots + V_m)$ $= \dim V_1 + \cdots + \dim V_m$