

Chapter Three

Normed Space

Definition : (Normed space)

Let X be a real or (complex) vector space and let $\| \cdot \|: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a function such that $\forall x, y \in X$ and $\alpha \in F$ satisfying the following :

- 1- $\|x\| \geq 0$
- 2- $\|x\| = 0$ iff $x = 0$
- 3- $\|\alpha x\| = |\alpha| \|x\|$
- 4- $\|x + y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|$

Then $(X, \| \cdot \|)$ is said to be a real or (complex) normed space .

Note :

1- If $(X_1, \| \cdot \|_1)$ and $(X_2, \| \cdot \|_2)$ are normed spaces, then the product $X_1 \times X_2$ is normed space .

2- Every finite dimensional subspace of a normed space is closed.

Example 1 : A vector space R^n is a normed space under the norm defines by:

$$\|x\| = \left[\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} \quad \forall x \in R^n, \text{ show that.}$$

Solution : $\forall x, y \in R^n$, $x = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$ and $y = (y_1, \dots, y_n)$,
 x_1, \dots, x_n and $y_1, \dots, y_n \in R$

$$1- \because |x_i| \geq 0 \quad \forall i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2 \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \|x\| \geq 0 \quad \forall x \in C^n$$

$$2- \text{let } \|x\| = \left[\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} = 0 \Leftrightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2 = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow |x_i|^2 = 0, \quad \forall i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

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$$\Leftrightarrow x_i = 0 \quad \forall i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = (0, 0, \dots, 0) \Leftrightarrow x = 0$$

$$3- \|\alpha x\| = \left[\sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha x_i|^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} = \left[\sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha|^2 |x_i|^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} = [|\alpha|^2 \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= [|\alpha|^2]^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \left[\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} = |\alpha| \cdot \left[\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} = |\alpha| \cdot \|x\|$$

$$4- x + y = (x_1 + y_1, \dots, x_n + y_n)$$

$$\|x + y\| = [\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i + y_i|^2]^{\frac{1}{2}} \quad \text{By Minkowski inequality}$$

$$\leq [\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^2]^{\frac{1}{2}} + [\sum_{i=1}^n |y_i|^2]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\leq \|x\| + \|y\|$$

Example 2 :

Show that a vector space $C[a, b]$ is a normal space under the norm define :

$$\text{by} \quad \|f\| = \sup_{x \in [a, b]} \{|f(x)|\}$$

Solution :

$$1- \because |f(x)| \geq 0 \quad \Rightarrow \sup_{x \in [a, b]} \{|f(x)|\} \geq 0$$

$$\therefore \|f\| \geq 0$$

$$2- \|f\| = 0 \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \|f\| = \sup_{x \in [a, b]} \{|f(x)|\} = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow |f(x)| = 0, \forall x \in [a, b] \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad f(x) = 0, \forall x \in [a, b] \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad f = 0$$

$$3- \|\alpha \cdot f\| = \sup_{x \in [a, b]} \{|\alpha \cdot f(x)|\} = \sup_{x \in [a, b]} \{|\alpha| \cdot |f(x)|\}$$

$$= |\alpha| \cdot \sup_{x \in [a, b]} \{|f(x)|\} = |\alpha| \cdot \|f\|$$

$$\begin{aligned}
4- \quad \|f + g\| &= \sup_{x \in [a, b]} \{|f(x) + g(x)|\} \leq \sup_{x \in [a, b]} \{|f(x)| + |g(x)|\} \\
&\leq \sup_{x \in [a, b]} \{|f(x)|\} + \sup_{x \in [a, b]} \{|g(x)|\} \\
&\leq \|f\| + \|g\|
\end{aligned}$$

H.W.

1- Show that a vector space R is a normed space under the norm define by :

$$\|x\| = |x| \quad \forall x \in R$$

2- Show that a vector space C is a normed space under the norm define by :

$$\|z\| = |z| \quad \forall z \in C$$

3- Show that a vector space C^n is a normed space under the norm define by :

$$\|z\| = [\sum_{i=1}^n |z_i|^2]^{\frac{1}{2}} \quad \forall z \in C^n$$

Note let $(X, \| \cdot \|)$ be a normed space and let $d: X \times X \rightarrow R$ defined by the $d(x, y) = \|x - y\|$, then d is a metric induced by the norm.

Now, we prove that every normed space is metric space .

let $(X, \| \cdot \|)$ be a normed space and let $d: X \times X \rightarrow R$ defined by the

$$d(x, y) = \|x - y\|$$

1- $\because (X, \| \cdot \|)$ be a normed space $\rightarrow \|x\| \geq 0 \quad \forall x \in X$

Let $x, y \in X \rightarrow x - y \in X$ (since X is vector space)

$$\therefore \|x - y\| \geq 0 \rightarrow d(x, y)$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2- \text{let } d(x, y) = 0 &\leftrightarrow \|x - y\| = 0 \leftrightarrow x - y = 0 \text{ (since } \|x\| = 0 \text{ iff } x = 0) \\ &\leftrightarrow x = y \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3 - d(x, y) = \|x - y\| &= \|-(y - x)\| = |-1| \|y - x\| \text{ (since } \|\alpha x\| = |\alpha| \|x\|) \\ &= \|y - x\| = d(y, x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 4- d(x, y) = \|x - y\| &= \|x - y - z + z\| = \|x - z + (z - y)\| \\ &\leq \|x - z\| + \|z - y\| \text{ (since } \|x + y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|) \\ &\leq d(x, z) + d(z, y) \end{aligned}$$

Remark : $\forall z, w \in \mathbb{C}$ then $\frac{|z+w|}{1+|z+w|} \leq \frac{|z|}{1+|z|} + \frac{|w|}{1+|w|}$

Example 5: Give any example to show that the metric space is not normed space .

Solution : let X be a set of all complex sequences $\{x_i\}$, and let $d: X \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is

$$\text{define by } d(x, y) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{2^i} \left(\frac{|x_i - y_i|}{1 + |x_i - y_i|} \right)$$

Now we proof that (X, d) is metric space : H.W.

This metric space is not be a normed space , because if there is norm such that

$$d(x, y) = \|x - y\| \text{ then } d(\alpha x, \alpha y) = |\alpha| d(x, y) \text{ i.e } \|\alpha x - \alpha y\| = |\alpha| \|x - y\|.$$

But $\|\alpha x - \alpha y\| \neq |\alpha| \|x - y\|$. H.W.