

Now,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \alpha u + \beta v &= \alpha (\alpha_1 u_1 + \alpha_2 u_2 + \dots + \alpha_n u_n + \beta_1 v_1 + \beta_2 v_2 + \dots + \beta_n v_n) \\
 &\quad + \beta (c_1 u_1 + c_2 u_2 + \dots + c_n u_n + d_1 v_1 + d_2 v_2 + \dots + d_n v_n) \\
 &= \alpha \alpha_1 u_1 + \alpha \alpha_2 u_2 + \dots + \alpha \alpha_n u_n + \alpha \beta_1 v_1 + \alpha \beta_2 v_2 + \dots + \alpha \beta_n v_n \\
 &\quad + \beta c_1 u_1 + \beta c_2 u_2 + \dots + \beta c_n u_n + \beta d_1 v_1 + \beta d_2 v_2 + \dots + \beta d_n v_n \\
 &= \cancel{p_1 u_1 + p_2 u_2 + \dots + p_n u_n} + \cancel{q_1 v_1 + q_2 v_2 + \dots + q_n v_n} \\
 &= (\alpha \alpha_1 + \beta c_1) u_1 + (\alpha \alpha_2 + \beta c_2) u_2 + \dots + (\alpha \alpha_n + \beta c_n) u_n \\
 &\quad + (\alpha \beta_1 + \beta d_1) v_1 + (\alpha \beta_2 + \beta d_2) v_2 + \dots + (\alpha \beta_n + \beta d_n) v_n \\
 &= p_1 u_1 + p_2 u_2 + \dots + p_n u_n + q_1 v_1 + q_2 v_2 + \dots + q_n v_n \\
 &\in [X_1 \cup X_2]
 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore [X_1 \cup X_2]$ is a subspace of V . $\square$

2) Let $X_1 = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n\}$

$X_2 = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$

Given that X_1 and X_2 are subspaces of V .

$\therefore X_1$ is a subspace of V

so, $u_i + u_j \in X_1 \quad \forall 1 \leq i, j \leq n$

and $\alpha_i u_i \in X_1 \quad \forall 1 \leq i \leq n$

$\therefore X_2$ is a subspace of V

so $v_i + v_j \in X_2 \quad \forall 1 \leq i, j \leq n$

and $\beta_i v_i \in X_2 \quad \forall 1 \leq i \leq n$

$\alpha_i u_i \in X_1, \beta_i v_i \in X_2 \quad \forall 1 \leq i \leq n$

$\Rightarrow \alpha_i u_i + \beta_i v_i \in X_1 + X_2 \quad \forall 1 \leq i \leq n$