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If  $\{\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_p\}$  span  $\mathbb{R}^n$  then any  $\vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n$  is a linear combination of the  $\vec{v}_i$ , that is

$$\vec{v} = c_1\vec{v}_1 + c_2\vec{v}_2 + \dots + c_p\vec{v}_p$$

thus

$$\begin{aligned} T(\vec{v}) &= T(c_1\vec{v}_1 + c_2\vec{v}_2 + \dots + c_p\vec{v}_p) \\ &= T(c_1\vec{v}_1) + T(c_2\vec{v}_2) + \dots + T(c_p\vec{v}_p) \\ &= c_1T(\vec{v}_1) + c_2T(\vec{v}_2) + \dots + c_pT(\vec{v}_p) \\ &= c_1\vec{0} + c_2\vec{0} + \dots + c_p\vec{0} \\ &= \vec{0} + \vec{0} + \dots + \vec{0} \\ &= \vec{0} \end{aligned}$$