

Proof V-1

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"Obvious" is the most dangerous word in mathematics." – Eric Temple Bell

V-1 (Section LDS) Extend Theorem DLDS by proving the following theorem.

Theorem 1 *DLDSFV (Dependency in Linearly Dependent Sets, Following Vectors)* Suppose that $S = \{\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3, \dots, \mathbf{u}_n\}$ is an ordered set of non-zero vectors. Then S is a linearly dependent set if and only if (without changing the order in which the vectors are written) there is an index t , $1 \leq t \leq n$ such that \mathbf{u}_t equals a linear combination of the vectors $\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3, \dots, \mathbf{u}_{t-1}$ which have subscripts smaller than t .
