Step-1

Kernel of a linear transformation $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^2$ is $\ker T = \{(v_1, v_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2 / T(v_1, v_2) = 0\}$

And the **range of** T is Range $T = \{T(v_1, v_2)/(v_1, v_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2\}$

Step-2

(a)

Given that $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^2$ defined by $T(v_1, v_2) = (v_2, v_1)$.

Now the kernel is;

$$\ker T = \left\{ (v_1, v_2) \in \mathbf{R}^2 / T(v_1, v_2) = 0 \right\}$$

This implies;

$$= \{ (v_1, v_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2 / (v_2, v_1) = 0 \}$$

$$= \{ (v_1, v_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2 / v_2 = 0 \}$$

$$v_1 = 0 \}$$

$$= \{ (v_1, v_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2 / (v_1, v_2) = (0, 0) \}$$

$$= \{ (0, 0) \}$$

Step-3

And the range of T is

Range
$$T = \left\{ T(v_1, v_2) / (v_1, v_2) \in \mathbf{R}^2 \right\}$$

= $\left\{ (v_2, v_1) / v_1, v_2 \in \mathbf{R} \right\}$
= \mathbf{R}^2

Hence the kernel of the given transformation is $\ker T = \{(0,0)\}$ and the range is $\ker T = \mathbb{R}^2$.

Step-4

(b)

Given that $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \to \mathbb{R}^2$ defined by $T(v_1, v_2, v_3) = (v_1, v_2)$.

Now the kernel is;

$$\ker T = \left\{ \left(v_1, v_2, v_3 \right) \in \mathbf{R}^3 / T \left(v_1, v_2, v_3 \right) = 0 \right\}$$

This implies;

$$= \{ (v_1, v_2, v_3) \in \mathbf{R}^3 / (v_1, v_2) = 0 \}$$

$$= \{ (v_1, v_2, v_3) \in \mathbf{R}^3 / v_1 = 0, v_2 = 0 \}$$

$$= \{ (v_1, v_2, v_3) \in \mathbf{R}^3 / (v_1, v_2, v_3) = (0, 0, v_3) \}$$

$$= \{ (0, 0, v_3) / v_3 \in \mathbf{R} \}$$

And the range of *T* is;

Range
$$T = \left\{ T(v_1, v_2, v_3) / (v_1, v_2, v_3) \in \mathbf{R}^3 \right\}$$

= $\left\{ (v_1, v_2) / v_1, v_2 \in \mathbf{R} \right\}$
= \mathbf{R}^2

Hence the kernel of the given transformation is $\ker T = \{(0,0,v_3)/v_3 \in \mathbf{R}\}\$ and the range is $\ker T = \mathbb{R}^2$

Step-5

(c)

Given that $T: \mathbf{R}^2 \to \mathbf{R}^2$ defined by $T(v_1, v_2) = (0, 0)$.

Now the kernel is;

$$\ker T = \left\{ (v_1, v_2) \in \mathbf{R}^2 / T(v_1, v_2) = 0 \right\}$$
$$= \left\{ (v_1, v_2) \in \mathbf{R}^2 / (0, 0) = 0 \right\}$$
$$= \left\{ (v_1, v_2) \in \mathbf{R}^2 / v_1, v_2 \in \mathbf{R} \right\}$$
$$= \mathbf{R}^2$$

Step-6

And the range of T is;

Range
$$T = \{T(v_1, v_2) / (v_1, v_2) \in \mathbf{R}^3\}$$

= $\{(0, 0) / v_1, v_2 \in \mathbf{R}\}$
= $\{(0, 0)\}$

Hence the kernel of the given transformation is $\ker T = \mathbb{R}^2$ and the range is $\ker T = \{(0,0)\}$.

Step-7

(d)

Given that $T: \mathbf{R}^2 \to \mathbf{R}^2$ defined by $T(v_1, v_2) = (v_1, v_1)$.

Now the kernel is;

$$\begin{aligned} \ker T &= \left\{ \left(v_1, v_2 \right) \in \mathbf{R}^2 / T \left(v_1, v_2 \right) = 0 \right\} \\ &= \left\{ \left(v_1, v_2 \right) \in \mathbf{R}^2 / \left(v_1, v_1 \right) = 0 \right\} \\ &= \left\{ \left(v_1, v_2 \right) \in \mathbf{R}^2 / v_1 = 0 \right\} \\ &= \left\{ \left(0, v_2 \right) / v_2 \in \mathbf{R} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

Step-8

And the range of *T* is;

Range
$$T = \left\{ T(v_1, v_2) / (v_1, v_2) \in \mathbf{R}^3 \right\}$$

$$= \left\{ (v_1, v_1) / v_1, v_2 \in \mathbf{R} \right\}$$

$$= \left\{ (v_1, v_2) / v_1 = v_2 \text{ and } v_1, v_2 \in \mathbf{R} \right\}$$

Hence the kernel of the given transformation is $\ker T = \{(0, v_2)/v_2 \in \mathbf{R}\}\$ and the range is $\ker T = \{(v_1, v_2)/v_1 = v_2 \text{ and } v_1, v_2 \in \mathbf{R}\}\$.