

**I2-TD4**  
**(Linear Transformations)**

1. Determine if the following mappings are linear transformations.
  - (a)  $L : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2, L(x_1, x_2) = (x_1 - 2x_2, 3 + x_1 + 3x_2)$
  - (b)  $L : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2, L(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3, x_1 - x_2)$
  - (c)  $L : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2, L(x_1, x_2) = (x_1 + 2x_2, x_1x_2)$
  - (d) Let  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  and  $L : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n, L(x) = Ax$
  - (e)  $\varphi : \mathcal{C}^2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}^0(\mathbb{R}), \varphi(f) = 2tf''(t) + \cos t f'(t) - (t^2 - 1)f(t)$ .
  - (f)  $\varphi : \mathcal{C}^0(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, \varphi(f) = \int_0^1 (f(x) + 3f'(x)) dx$
2. Let  $L \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$ . Show that
  - (a) if  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$  span a vector space  $V$ , then  $L(v_1), L(v_2), \dots, L(v_n)$  span  $\text{Im}(L)$ .
  - (b) if  $L(v_1), L(v_2), \dots, L(v_n)$  are linearly independent, then  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$  linearly independent.
3. Let  $L \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$ . Show that
  - (a)  $\text{Ker}(L)$  is a subspace of  $V$ .
  - (b)  $\text{Im}(L)$  is a subspace of  $W$ .
  - (c) if  $\dim V < \infty$ , then  $\text{null}(L) + \text{rank}(L) = \dim V$ .
4. Let  $L \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$ .
  - (a) Show that  $L$  is one-to-one if and only if  $\text{Ker}(L) = \{0\}$ .
  - (b) Show that  $L$  is onto if and only if  $\text{Im}(L) = W$ .
  - (c) Suppose  $\dim V = \dim W < \infty$ . Show that  $L$  is one-to-one if and only if it is onto.
5. Let  $U, V$  and  $W$  be vector spaces over the same field. Let  $f$  be a linear transformation from  $U$  to  $V$  and  $g$  be a linear transformation from  $V$  to  $W$ . Show that
  - (a)  $g \circ f$  is also a linear transformation.
  - (b)  $\text{rank}(g \circ f) \leq \min\{\text{rank}(f); \text{rank}(g)\}$
  - (c) if  $f$  is surjective then  $\text{rank}(g \circ f) = \text{rank}(g)$
  - (d) if  $g$  is injective then  $\text{rank}(g \circ f) = \text{rank}(f)$
6. Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3, f(x, y, z) = (z, x - y, y + z)$ . Show that  $f$  is an automorphism.
7. Let  $L : \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be a linear transformation defined by

$$L \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- (a) Find the kernel of  $L$  and one of its bases. Is  $L$  one-to-one?

(b) Find the range of  $L$  and one of its bases. Is  $L$  onto?

8. Let  $L : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be a linear transformation defined by

$$L \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

(a) Find the kernel of  $L$  and one of its bases. Is  $L$  one-to-one?

(b) Find the range of  $L$  and one of its bases. Is  $L$  onto?

9. Let  $L : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be a linear transformation defined by

$$L \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

(a) Find the kernel of  $L$  and one of its bases. Is  $L$  one-to-one?

(b) Find the range of  $L$  and one of its bases. Is  $L$  onto?

10. Let  $T$  be the mapping from  $\mathbb{R}^4$  into  $\mathbb{R}_3[X]$  defined by, for  $x = (x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) \in \mathbb{R}^4$ ,

$$T(x) = x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 + (x_2 - x_4)t + (x_1 - 3x_3)t^2 + (x_1 + x_2 + x_3 - x_4)t^3.$$

(a) Determine a basis and the dimension of  $\text{Ker}(T)$  and  $\text{Im}(T)$ .

(b) Is  $T$  an isomorphism from  $\mathbb{R}^4$  into  $\mathbb{R}_3[X]$ ?

11. Let  $T : \mathcal{C}^2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}^2(\mathbb{R})$ ;  $T(f) = 2f'' - 5f' + 3f$ . Show that  $T$  is an endomorphism and determine its kernel.

12. Let  $n \geq 2$  and  $f : \mathbb{R}_n[X] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_2[X]$  defined by

$$f(P) = x^2P(0) + (x - 2)P(1)$$

(a) Show that  $f$  is linear.

(b) Find the kernel and image of  $f$ .

13. Let  $\varphi : \mathbb{R}_n[X] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_n[X]$  defined by

$$\varphi(P) = P(x + 1) - P(x)$$

(a) Show that  $\varphi$  is an endomorphism.

(b) Find the kernel and image of  $\varphi$ .

14. Let  $f$  be an endomorphism on vector space  $V$  satisfies  $f^2 - 5f + 6\text{Id} = 0$ . Show that  $V = \text{Ker}(f - 2\text{Id}) \oplus \text{Ker}(f - 3\text{Id})$ . (Note:  $f^2 = f \circ f$ )

15. Show that there is a unique linear transformation  $f$  such that  $f(1, 2) = 2$  and  $f(-2, 1) = 5$ . Find the nullity and image of  $f$ .

16. Let  $L \in \mathcal{L}(\mathbb{R}^3)$  verifies

$$L \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad L \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad L \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- (a) Find the image of  $e_1 = (1, 0, 0)$  under the linear transformation  $L$ .
- (b) Find the linear transformation  $L$ .
17. Consider  $L \in \mathcal{L}(\mathbb{R}^3)$ ,  $L(x, y, z) = (x + y + z; x - y, 2z)$ . Let
- $$B_1 = \{(1, 1, 1); (1, 1, 0), (1, 0, 0)\} \quad \text{and} \quad B_2 = \{(-1, 0, 1); (0, 1, 0), (1, 2, 3)\}$$
- (a) Find the matrix representation  $L$  relative to the standard basis.
- (b) Find the transition matrix from  $B_2$  to  $B_1$ , denoted by  $S$ .
- (c) Find the matrix representation  $L$  relative to bases  $B_1$  and  $B_2$ .
- (d) Verify that  $[L]_{B_1}[v]_{B_1} = [L(v)]_{B_1}$  for any vector  $v \in \mathbb{R}^3$ .
- (e) Verify that  $[L]_{B_2} = S^{-1}[L]_{B_1}S$ .
18. Let  $T$  be a linear transformation from  $\mathbb{R}^4$  into  $\mathbb{R}^3$  defined by, for  $x = (x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4)$ ,
- $$T(x) = (x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + x_4, 2x_1 + 3x_2 - x_3 + 3x_4, x_1 + 2x_2 - 2x_3 + 2x_4).$$
- (a) Let  $B_1$  and  $B_2$  be the standard basis for  $\mathbb{R}^4$  and  $\mathbb{R}^3$ , respectively. Find the matrix representation of  $T$  with respect to the bases  $B_1$  and  $B_2$ .
- (b) Let  $B_3 = \{(1, 1, 1, 1), (1, 2, 1, 3), (1, 1, 1, 2), (1, 3, 2, 2)\}$  be a subset of  $\mathbb{R}^4$  and  $B_4 = \{(1, 1, 2), (0, 1, 2), (1, 1, 3)\}$  be a subset of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Show that  $B_3$  is a basis for  $\mathbb{R}^4$  and  $B_4$  is a basis for  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Find the matrix representation of  $T$  with respect to the bases  $B_3$  and  $B_4$ .
- (c) Verify that for any  $v \in \mathbb{R}^4$ , we have  $[T]_{B_3}^{B_4}[v]_{B_4} = [T(v)]_{B_3}$ .
19. The set  $S = \{e^{2t}, te^{2t}, t^2e^{2t}\}$  is a basis of a vector space  $V$  of functions  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ . Let  $D$  be the differential operator on  $V$ ; that is  $D(f) = df/dt$ . Find the matrix representation of  $D$  relative to the basis  $S$ .
20. Let  $L : \mathcal{M}_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_1[X]$ ,  $L \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = (a + d)x + b + c$ .
- (a) Show that  $L$  is a linear transformation.
- (b) Determine the matrix represents  $L$  in the canonical bases of  $\mathcal{M}_2(\mathbb{R})$  and  $\mathbb{R}_1[X]$ .
- (c) Find  $\text{Ker}(L)$  and  $\text{Im}(L)$ .
21. Let  $f : \mathbb{R}_n[X] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_n[X]$ ;  $f(P) = xP' - P$ .
- (a) Show that  $f \in \mathcal{L}(\mathbb{R}_n[X])$
- (b) Determine the matrix represents  $f$  in the canonical bases of  $\mathbb{R}_n[X]$ .
- (c) Find  $\text{Ker}(f)$  and  $\text{Im}(f)$ .
22. Let  $T : \mathbb{R}_3[X] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_3[X]$  defined by  $T(f) = xf'' - 2xf' + f$ . Show that  $T$  is a linear transformation and then find the matrix represents  $T$  with respect to the standard basis of  $\mathbb{R}_3[X]$ .
23. Let  $f : \mathbb{R}_n[X] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_{n+1}[X]$ ;  $f(P) = e^{x^2} (Pe^{-x^2})'$ .
- (a) Show that  $f \in \mathcal{L}(\mathbb{R}_n[X], \mathbb{R}_{n+1}[X])$
- (b) Determine the matrix represents  $f$  in the canonical bases of  $\mathbb{R}_n[X]$  and  $\mathbb{R}_{n+1}[X]$ .
- (c) Find  $\text{Ker}(f)$  and  $\text{Im}(f)$ .