## INTRODUCTION TO LIE ALGEBRAS - EXERCISES

- **9.** Prove that the following two Lie algebras over the field  $\mathbb C$  are isomorphic:
  - (i) the 3-dimensional Lie algebra with the basis vectors E, F, G and relations

$$[E, F] = 0,$$
  $[E, G] = 0,$   $[F, G] = E;$ 

- (ii) the Lie subalgebra of the general linear Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{gl}_3\mathbb{C}$ , consisting of the strictly upper triangular  $3\times 3$ -matrices  $[X_{ij}]$ : here  $X_{ij}=0$  unless j-i>0. Do not use the classification of 3-dimensional Lie algebras.
- 10. For a Lie algebra  $\mathfrak{g}$  over the field  $\mathbb{C}$  consider the Lie algebra  $\operatorname{Der}(\mathfrak{g})$  of all derivations of  $\mathfrak{g}$ . Prove that the set of all *inner* derivations ad X where X is ranging over  $\mathfrak{g}$ , is an ideal of  $\operatorname{Der}(\mathfrak{g})$ .