

Show *all* of your work and *explain* your answers fully. There is a total of 100 possible points.
You may use Sage to row-reduce matrices and include the output in your answer as justification.

1. Consider the linear transformation T below. P_1 is the vector space of polynomials with degree at most 1, and M_{22} is the vector space of 2×2 matrices. (45 points)

$$T: M_{22} \rightarrow P_1, \quad T \left(\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \right) = (a + 2b + 3c - 3d) + (3a - b + 2c + 5d)x$$

(a) Compute the kernel of T , $\mathcal{K}(T)$.

(b) Is T injective? Why? If not, find two elements of the domain that T takes to the same element of the codomain.

(c) Compute the range of T , $\mathcal{R}(T)$.

(d) Is T surjective? Why? If not, find an element of the codomain with an empty preimage.

(e) If T invertible? Why?



2. Consider the linear transformation S below, which is invertible (you may assume this). Find a formula for the outputs of the inverse linear transformation S^{-1} . P_1 is the vector space of polynomials with degree at most 1. (25 points)

$$S: P_1 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^2, \quad S(a + bx) = \begin{bmatrix} 2a + 5b \\ a + 3b \end{bmatrix}$$



3. Prove that the function T below is a linear transformation. P_1 is the vector space of polynomials with degree at most 1. (15 points)

$$T: P_1 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^2, \quad T(a + bx) = \begin{bmatrix} 3a - b \\ 4b \end{bmatrix}$$

4. Suppose that $S: U \rightarrow V$ is an invertible linear transformation. Then prove that S^{-1} has one of the two defining properties of a linear transformation (either property, your choice, for full credit). (15 points)

