Math 314

In Hoffman and Kunze, read Chapter 2, Sections 5-6, and Chapter 3, Section 1.

- 1. From Hoffman and Kunze, do these problems:
  - a) In Chapter 2, pages 48-49, #7; page 55, #2; page 66, #3.
  - b) In Chapter 3, pages 73-74, #1,5,8,9,10.
- 2. Which of the following are linear transformations?

a)  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \to \mathbb{R}^4$  sending  $(x, y, z) \mapsto (x - y, y - z, z - x, 0)$ .

b)  $M: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}$  sending  $(x, y) \mapsto xy$ . (Here we view  $\mathbb{R} = \mathbb{R}^1$ .)

c)  $R: Z \to Z$  (where Z is the vector space of sequences of real numbers) sending  $(a_1, a_2, a_3, \ldots) \mapsto (0, a_1, a_2, a_3, \ldots)$ .

d)  $L: Z \to Z$  (where Z is as in part (c)) sending  $(a_1, a_2, a_3, \ldots) \mapsto (a_2, a_3, a_4, \ldots)$ .

e)  $I: W \to \mathbb{R}$  (where W is the vector space of continuous real-valued functions on the closed interval [0, 1]) sending  $f \mapsto \int_0^1 f(x) dx$ .

f)  $D: V \to V$  (where V is the vector space of infinitely differentiable functions on  $\mathbb{R}$ ) sending  $f \mapsto f'$ .

g)  $E: V \to \mathbb{R}$  (where V is as in part (f)) sending  $f \mapsto f(0)$ .

h)  $Q: V \to V$  (where V is as in part (f)) sending  $f \mapsto f^2$ .

i)  $S: V \to V$  (where V is as in part (f)) sending  $f(x) \mapsto f(x) \sin(x)$ .

3. For each of the maps in #2 that is a linear transformation, find the following:

a) The range of the map, also known as the *image*. (The range of a linear transformation  $T: V \to W$  is by definition  $\{w \in W \mid w = T(v) \text{ for some } v \in V\}$ .)

b) The *nullspace* of the map, also known as the *kernel*. (The nullspace of a linear transformation  $T: V \to W$  is by definition  $\{v \in V \mid T(v) = 0\}$ .)

4. Let  $S : \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^3$  be the linear transformation taking  $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$  to  $(a, b, c) \in \mathbb{R}^3$  whenever

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 \\ 3 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix}.$$

Find the kernel and image of S, describing them both geometrically and in terms of equations.

5. Let V be a real vector space, and suppose that  $S: V \to \mathbb{R}$  and  $T: V \to \mathbb{R}$  are linear transformations. Define  $P: V \to \mathbb{R}^2$  by P(v) = (S(v), T(v)).

- a) Show that P is a linear transformation.
- b) Find the kernel of P in terms of the kernels of S and T.