

1[8P]) Apply the two dimensional Haar wavelet transform to the matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$ .

Answer:  $\begin{pmatrix} 11/4 & -5/4 \\ -1/4 & 3/2 \end{pmatrix}$

2[12P]) Apply the two dimensional Haar wavelet transform to the matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} 4 & -2 & 11 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 & 5 & -3 \\ 20 & -4 & 2 & -2 \\ 8 & 2 & -4 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$

Answer:  $\begin{pmatrix} 17/8 & 13/8 & 2 & 5 \\ -1/8 & -21/8 & 15/2 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 3/2 & 2 & 9/2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ .

3[8P]) Let  $z = 2 + 3i$  and  $w = \frac{1}{2+i}$ . Evaluate the following:

a)  $z \cdot w = \frac{7}{5} + \frac{4}{5}i$

Notice first that for a complex number  $\frac{1}{x+iy}$  we have

$$\frac{1}{x+iy} = \frac{1}{x+iy} \cdot \frac{x-iy}{x-iy} = \frac{x}{x^2+y^2} - \frac{y}{x^2+y^2}i,$$

Hence  $w = \frac{1}{5}(2-i)$ . Thus

$$\begin{aligned} z \cdot w &= \frac{1}{5}(2+3i) \cdot (2-i) \\ &= \frac{1}{5}(2 \cdot 2 - (3i) \cdot i) + \frac{1}{5}(3i \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot (-i)) \\ &= \frac{1}{5}(4+3) + \frac{i}{5}(6-2) = \frac{7}{5} + \frac{4}{5}i \end{aligned}$$

b)  $\bar{z} = 2 - 3i$ : Recall that for a complex number  $x + iy$  we have  $\overline{x + iy} = x - iy$ .

c)  $z^2 = z \cdot z = (2 + 3i) \cdot (2 + 3i) = (4 - 9) + 2 \cdot 3i = -5 + 6i$ .

d)  $|w|^2 = \frac{1}{25}(4 + 1) = \frac{1}{5}$ .

Recall that for any complex number  $x + iy$  the number  $|x + iy|^2$  is a nonnegative real number give by

$$\begin{aligned} |x + iy|^2 &= (x + iy) \cdot \overline{(x + iy)} \\ &= (x + iy) \cdot (x - iy) \\ &= x^2 + y^2, \end{aligned}$$

4[8P]) Evaluate the following multiplication of matrices:

a)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & -5 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -9 & 10 \\ 1 & -16 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

Recall first of all that we can only multiply  $m \times n$  matrix by an  $n \times q$  matrix and the outcome is always a  $m \times q$  matrix.

Furthermore if  $A \cdot B = C$  then we have

$$C_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n A_{ik}B_{kj}.$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & -5 & 3 \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 1 & 1 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot (-5) & 1 \cdot 4 + 2 \cdot 3 \\ (-1) \cdot 2 + 3 \cdot 1 & (-1) \cdot 1 + 3 \cdot (-5) & (-1) \cdot 4 + 3 \cdot 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -9 & 10 \\ 1 & -16 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{b) } \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = [11 \quad 9].$$

First notice that this is a product of a  $1 \times 4$  matrix by a  $4 \times 2$  matrix. The outcome should therefore be a  $1 \times 2$  matrix (or row vector):

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} &= [2 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 2 + (-1) \cdot (-1) + 1 \cdot 4, 2 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 2 + (-1) \cdot 2 + 1 \cdot 3] \\ &= [2 + 4 + 1 + 4, 4 + 4 - 2 + 3] \\ &= [11, 9] \end{aligned}$$

Before discussing the next problems let me recall few facts:

**Definition:** Let  $\mathbb{F}$  be a field. A **vector space**  $V$  over  $\mathbb{F}$  is a nonempty set with operations of vector addition, i.e., a map

$$V \times V \ni (u, v) \mapsto u + v \in V$$

and a scalar multiplication, i.e., a map

$$\mathbb{F} \times V \ni (r, v) \mapsto r \cdot v \in V$$

satisfying the following properties:

- A1 (Commutativity of addition) For all vectors  $u, v \in V$  we  $u + v = v + u$ ;
- A2 (Associativity for addition) For all  $u, v, w \in V$  :  $u + (v + w) = (u + v) + w$ ;
- A3 (Existence of additive identity) There exists an element, denote by  $\mathbf{0} \in V$ , such that for all  $u \in V$  :  $u + \mathbf{0} = u$ ;
- A4 (Existence of additive inverse) For every  $u \in V$  there exists an element, denoted by  $-u$ , such that  $u + (-u) = \mathbf{0}$ ;
- A5) For all  $u \in V$  :  $1 \cdot u = u$ ;
- A6) (Associativity of scalar multiplication) For all  $r, s \in \mathbb{F}$  and  $u \in V$  we have  $(rs) \cdot u = r \cdot (s \cdot u)$ ;
- A7) (First distributive property) For all  $r \in \mathbb{F}$  and  $u, v \in V$  we have  $r \cdot (u + v) = (r \cdot u) + (r \cdot v)$ ;
- A8) (Second distributive property) For all  $r, s \in \mathbb{F}$  and all  $u \in V$  :  $(r + s) \cdot u = (r \cdot u) + (s \cdot u)$ ;

The first thing the check is therefore always: Is the addition and multiplication defined, and do those operations always give an element in  $V$ !

From the axioms A1-A8 it follows that:

1. We have  $0 \cdot u = \mathbf{0}$  for all  $u \in V$ .
2. The additive inverse is  $-u = (-1) \cdot u$ . That is, we take the vector  $u$  and multiply it by  $-1$ . This follows from

$$\begin{aligned} u + (-1) \cdot u &= 1 \cdot u + (-1) \cdot u \quad (\text{by A5}) \\ &= (1 + (-1)) \cdot u \quad (\text{by A8}) \\ &= 0 \cdot u \\ &= \mathbf{0} \quad (\text{by the remark just made}) \end{aligned}$$

### Important examples of vector spaces:

1. The space  $\mathbb{F}^n = \{(x_1, \dots, x_n) \mid x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathbb{F}\}$ . Here the addition and scalar multiplication is given by

$$\begin{aligned}(x_1, \dots, x_n) + (y_1, \dots, y_n) &= (x_1 + y_1, x_2 + y_2, \dots, x_n + y_n) \\ r \cdot (x_1, \dots, x_n) &= (rx_1, \dots, rx_n) .\end{aligned}$$

Notice that we can actually view  $\mathbb{F}^n$  as the space of row vectors ( $1 \times n$ -matrices) or as the space of column vectors ( $n \times 1$ -matrices).

2. Let  $S$  be a set and let  $V = \mathbb{F}^S$  = the space of functions from  $S$  to  $\mathbb{F}$ . Then we can define addition and scalar multiplication by

$$\begin{aligned}(f + g)(s) &= f(s) + g(s) \\ (r \cdot f)(s) &= rf(s) .\end{aligned}$$

We will not prove here that this gives us a vector space. Notice that in this example we can replace the target space  $\mathbb{F}$  by any vector space over  $\mathbb{F}$ .

3. Let  $M(n \times m, \mathbb{F})$  be the set of  $n \times m$  matrices with coefficients in  $\mathbb{F}$ . Define addition and scalar multiplication by

$$\begin{aligned}[a_{ij}] + [b_{ij}] &:= [a_{ij} + b_{ij}] \\ r[a_{ij}] &= [ra_{ij}] .\end{aligned}$$

Often we construct vector spaces in the following way:

1. We have given a vector space  $V$ . In particular we know that all the axiomes A1-A8 are valid for elements in  $V$ .
2. Then we define a subset  $S$  of  $V$  by

$$S = \{v \in V \mid \text{some conditions holds for } v\}$$

Thus  $S$  is in general not all of  $V$  but only those elements that satisfy the given condition. Here are some examples:

- (a) Let  $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{R}$ , and let  $I$  be a nonempty interval in  $\mathbb{R}$ . Let  $V$  be the vector space of functions on  $I$ . According to above, we know that  $V$  is a vector space. Now let us consider the condition **continuous**. Thus we set

$$C(I) = \{f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid f \text{ is continuous}\}$$

So a function on  $I$  is in the subset  $C(I)$  if and only if  $f$  is continuous. Let for example  $I = [0, 1)$  for a moment, then the function  $f$  defined by  $f(x) = x^2$  is in  $C([0, 1))$  but the function  $\varphi_1^2$  is not in  $S$ .

- (b) If  $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{C}$  then we write  $C(I, \mathbb{C})$  for the set of functions  $f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  that are continuous.
- (c) Let  $V = \mathbb{R}^3$  and consider  $S = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid 3x - y + 2z = 0\}$ . Then only those elements in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  that are solutions to the equation  $3x - y + 2z = 0$  belong to  $S$ . As an example the point/vector  $(1, 3, 0)$  is in  $S$  ( $3 \cdot 1 - 3 + 2 \cdot 0 = 0$ ) whereas  $(1, 1, 1)$  does not belong to  $S$  ( $3 \cdot 1 - 1 + 2 \cdot 1 = 4 \neq 0$ ). One can show that  $S$  is the plane of points in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  that are perpendicular to  $(3, -1, 2)$ .
- (d) Let  $V = M(1 \times m, \mathbb{R})$  and let  $A$  be a  $m \times k$  matrix. Consider  $S = \{\mathbf{x} \in V \mid \mathbf{x}A = \mathbf{0}\}$ . Thus  $S$  is the set of solutions of a system of  $k$ - equations with  $m$  unknowns.
- (e) Let  $V = \mathbb{R}^I$ , i.e., the space of functions on an interval  $I$ . Define  $S = \{f \in V \mid f \text{ is piecewise continuous}\}$ . Then all the continuous functions are in  $S$  as well as all the functions that are discontinuous at finitely many points. For example if  $I = [0, 1)$  then all the functions  $\varphi_j^N$  and all the functions  $\psi_j^N$  are elements in  $S$ . Here the condition that has to be satisfied is that  $f$  is piecewise continuous.

(f) Let  $V$  be the space of all functions on the real line  $\mathbb{R}$  (thus we are looking at the above example with  $I = \mathbb{R}$ ). Let  $S$  be the set of polynomials of degree  $\leq n$  where  $n$  is some fixed nonnegative integer. Thus every element in  $S$  can be written in the form  $p(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n a_j x^j$  where  $a_j$  are real numbers.

3. After defining a set  $S$  in this way we often need to know if  $S$  is a vector space or not. For that we again notice some simple facts:

- (a) If  $u$  and  $v$  are two elements in  $S$  then we can define  $u + v \in V$  **because both  $u$  and  $v$  are elements of the vector space  $V$  and addition is defined in  $V$** ;
- (b) If  $u$  is in  $S$  and  $r \in \mathbb{F}$  then - **again because  $V$  is a vector space** - the vector  $r \cdot v \in V$  is defined.
- (c) As  $V$  is a vector space it follows that all the axioms A1-A8 are valid.
- (d) **What is missing is the first part in the definition: Are the vectors  $u + v$  and  $r \cdot u$  again in  $S$ ?** If that is the case it follows that  $S$  is in fact a vector space.

4. We collect this in the following:

**Definition:** Let  $V$  be a vector space and  $S$  a nonempty subset of  $V$ . Then  $S$  is said to be a **(vector) subspace** (of  $V$ ) if  $S$  with the addition and scalar multiplication from  $V$  is a vector space.

**Theorem:** Let  $V$  be a vector space and  $S$  a nonempty subset of  $V$ , then  $S$  is a subspace of  $V$  if for all  $u, v \in S$  and  $r \in \mathbb{F}$  we have

( $S$  is closed under addition):  $u + v \in S$ ;

( $S$  is closed under scalar multiplication):  $r \cdot u \in S$ .

**Notice** that this implies that  $\mathbf{0} \in S$  by taking  $r = 0$  and using that  $0 \cdot u = \mathbf{0}$  for all  $u \in V$ . As  $S$  is supposed to be closed under scalar multiplication it follows that  $\mathbf{0} \in S$ . We can therefore conclude:

**Corollary:** Suppose that  $S$  is a nonempty subset of  $V$  and  $\mathbf{0} \notin S$ , then  $S$  is **not** a vector subspace.

**Notice:** This conclusion is only one way. From  $\mathbf{0} \in S$  it **does not follow that  $S$  is a subspace**. **To show that a subset is a vector subspace, we have to show that it is closed under addition and scalar multiplication!**

**Notice:** We can replace the two conditions  $u + v \in S$  and  $r \cdot u \in S$  by one condition: For all  $u, v \in S$  and all  $r, s \in \mathbb{F}$ :  $ru + sv \in S$ .

5. It can now be shown that all the examples for (a)-(f) above are vector spaces.

Let now  $V$  and  $W$  be two vector spaces. Then we are mainly interested in special kind of maps from  $V$  to  $W$ . Those are the functions that **preserve the algebraic structure that we have**.

**Definition:** Let  $V$  and  $W$  be vector spaces. A map  $T : V \rightarrow W$  is said to be linear if

$$T(ru + sv) = rT(u) + sT(v)$$

for all  $r, s \in \mathbb{F}$  and all  $u, v \in V$ .

**Notice** that this one condition can also be split up in two conditions:  $T(u + v) = T(u) + T(v)$  and  $T(ru) = rT(u)$  for all  $u, v \in V$  and all  $r \in \mathbb{F}$ .

**Lemma:** Let  $T : V \rightarrow W$  be linear. Then  $T(\mathbf{0}_V) = \mathbf{0}_W$  where  $\mathbf{0}_V$  is the zero element in  $V$  and  $\mathbf{0}_W$  is the zero element in  $W$ .

**Proof:** Let  $u \in V$  and take  $r = 0$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} T(\mathbf{0}_V) &= T(r \cdot u) && \text{(because } 0 \cdot u = \mathbf{0}_V \text{)} \\ &= rT(u) && \text{(because } T \text{ is linear)} \\ &= \mathbf{0}_W . \end{aligned}$$

**Notice** again, that this this is only a one way conclusion.  $T(\mathbf{0}) = \mathbf{0}$  does not imply that  $T$  is linear!

**Lemma:** Let  $T : V \rightarrow W$  be linear, then the set

$$S = \{u \in V \mid T(u) = \mathbf{0}\}$$

is a subspace of  $V$ . This subspace is denoted by  $\text{Ker}(T)$ .

**Proof:** Let  $u, v \in \text{Ker}(T)$  and  $r, s \in \mathbb{F}$ . Then

$$T(ru + sv) = rT(u) + sT(v) = \mathbf{0} .$$

Hence  $ru + sv \in \text{Ker}(T)$ .

**Lemma:** Let  $T : V \rightarrow W$  be linear, then the set

$$S = \{w \in W \mid \exists v \in V : w = T(v)\}$$

is a subspace of  $W$ . This space is denoted by  $\text{Im}(T)$ .

**Proof:** Let  $w, z \in \text{Im}(T)$  and  $r, s \in \mathbb{F}$ . To show that  $rw + sz \in \text{Im}(T)$  we need to find a vector  $a \in V$  such that  $T(a) = rw + sz$ . The only thing we know for sure is, that by definition there are vectors  $u, v \in V$  such that  $T(u) = w$  and  $T(v) = z$ . Let  $a = ru + sv \in V$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} T(a) &= T(ru + sv) \\ &= rT(u) + sT(v) \\ &= rw + sz . \end{aligned}$$

**Lemma:** Let  $V, W$  be vector spaces, let  $S, T : V \rightarrow W$  be linear maps and let  $r, s \in \mathbb{F}$ . Then the map  $rR + sS : V \rightarrow W$ ,  $u \mapsto rR(u) + sS(u)$ , is linear.

**Proof:** Let  $a, b \in \mathbb{F}$  and  $u, v \in V$ . Then the following holds:

$$\begin{aligned} (rR + sS)(au + bv) &= rR(au + bv) + sS(au + bv) \\ &= arR(u) + brR(v) + asS(u) + bsS(v) \quad (R \text{ and } S \text{ are linear}) \\ &= a(rR + sS)(u) + b(rR + sS)(v) . \end{aligned}$$

**Remark:** What we have in fact shown is that the space of linear maps from  $V$  to  $W$  is a vector space!

Let us now take few examples:

1.  $V = \mathbb{R}^n$  and  $W = \mathbb{R}^m$  (both viewed as row vectors). Let  $A = [a_{ij}]$  be a  $n \times m$  matrix and define a map  $T : V \rightarrow W$  by

$$T([x_1, \dots, x_n]) = [x_1, \dots, x_n]A .$$

Then  $T$  is linear. This follows from the rules of matrix multiplication:  $[r\mathbf{x} + s\mathbf{y}]A = r(\mathbf{x}A) + s(\mathbf{y}A)$ .

2. If  $T : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  is a linear map, then there exists a matrix  $A$  such that  $T(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{x}A$ . To find  $A$  we let  $e_1 = [1, 0, \dots, 0]$ ,  $e_2 = [0, 1, 0, \dots, 0], \dots, e_n = [0, \dots, 0, 1]$ . Let

$$\mathbf{a}_j = T(e_j).$$

:Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{a}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{a}_n \end{bmatrix} .$$

We leave it out as an exercise to show that  $T(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{x}A$ .

5[28P]) Determine if each of the following sets is a vector space or not, and **state why**:

a) The space of polynomials of degree  $\leq 5$ , i.e.,  $V = \left\{ \sum_{j=0}^5 a_j x^j \mid \forall j : a_j \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ ; **Answer:** This is a vector space.

**Solution:** As this is a subset of the **vector space** of all functions on the real line, we only have to show that  $V$  is closed under addition and scalar multiplication.

Closed under addition: Let  $p(x) = \sum_{j=0}^5 a_j x^j$  and  $q(x) = \sum_{j=0}^5 b_j x^j$  be elements in  $V$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned}(p+q)(x) &= \sum_{j=0}^5 a_j x^j + \sum_{j=0}^5 b_j x^j \\ &= \sum_{j=0}^5 (a_j + b_j) x^j \in V\end{aligned}$$

Closed under scalar multiplication: Let  $r \in \mathbb{R}$ , then

$$\begin{aligned}(rp)(x) &= r \sum_{j=0}^5 a_j x^j \\ &= \sum_{j=0}^5 (r a_j) x^j \in V.\end{aligned}$$

b)  $V = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid 2x + x^2 - y + 2z = 0\}$ . **Answer:** This is not a vector space.

**Solution:** Notice that  $(0, 0, 0) \in V$  because  $2 \cdot 0 + 0^2 - 0 + 2 \cdot 0 = 0$ . We will now give different ways to show that this is not a vector space.

**Solution<sub>1</sub>:** The vector  $(2, 0, 0)$  is in  $V$ . But  $2 \cdot (2, 0, 0) = (4, 0, 0) \notin V$  because

$$2 \cdot 4 - 4^2 = 8 - 16 = -8 \neq 0.$$

Thus  $V$  is not closed under scalar multiplication. (This shows how one can use concrete examples to show that a set is not closed under scalar multiplication).

**Solution<sub>2</sub>:**  $V$  is not closed under scalar multiplication. Let  $(x, y, z) \in V$  and  $r \in \mathbb{R}$ . Then  $2x + x^2 - y + 2z = 0$ . On the other hand we have  $r \cdot (x, y, z) = (rx, ry, rz)$ . We test now the condition:

$$\begin{aligned}2(rx) + (rx)^2 - (ry) + 2(rz) &= r(2x + rx^2 - y + 2z) \\ &= r(2x + x^2 - y + 2z) + (r-1)rx^2 \\ &= (r-1)rx^2.\end{aligned}$$

Here I have used that  $2x + x^2 - y + 2z = 0$ . I also added and subtracted  $rx^2$  to get it into the correct form. So we see that the right hand side is only zero if  $r = 0$ ,  $r = 1$ , or  $x = 0$ . By taking (as above) element in  $S$  with  $x \neq 0$  and take  $r \neq 0, 1$  we see that  $V$  is not closed under scalar multiplication.

**Solution<sub>3</sub>:**  $V$  is not closed under addition. Let  $(x, y, z), (r, s, t) \in V$ . Then we have to test if  $(x+r, y+s, z+t) \in V$ . For that we calculate:

$$\begin{aligned}2(x+r) + (x+r)^2 - (y+s) + 2(z+t) &= 2(x+r) + x^2 + r^2 + 2xr - (y+s) + 2(z+t) \\ &= (2x + x^2 - y + 2z) + (2r + r^2 - s + 2t) + 2xr \\ &= 2xr.\end{aligned}$$

The right hand side is only zero if  $xr = 0$ . So we take two elements in  $V$  with the first coordinate not equal to zero, i.e.,  $(2, 0, 0)$  in both cases.

c)  $V = \left\{ f \in C([-1, 1]) \mid \int_{-1}^1 f(t) dt = 0 \right\}$ ; **Answer:** This is a vector space.

**Solution:** Let  $f, g \in V$  and  $r, s \in \mathbb{F}$  then

$$\int_{-1}^1 rf + sg \, dt = r \int_{-1}^1 f \, dt + s \int_{-1}^1 g \, dt = 0 + 0 = 0.$$

Hence  $rf = sg \in V$ .

**d)** The space  $V_3$  of all functions on the interval  $[0, 1)$  of the form  $\sum_{j=0}^7 a_j \psi_j^3$ , with arbitrary real numbers  $a_1, \dots, a_7$ . Here  $\psi_j^3(t) = \psi(8t - j)$ . **Answer:** This is a vector space.

**Solution:** Let  $f = \sum_{j=0}^7 a_j \psi_j^3$ ,  $g = \sum_{j=0}^7 b_j \psi_j^3 \in V$  and  $r, s \in \mathbb{R}$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} (rf + sg) &= r \sum_{j=0}^7 a_j \psi_j^3 + s \sum_{j=0}^7 b_j \psi_j^3 \\ &= \sum_{j=0}^7 (ra_j + sb_j) \psi_j^3 \in V. \end{aligned}$$

**e)** Let  $A$  be a  $n \times m$  matrices and  $V = \{\mathbf{x} = [x_1, \dots, x_n] \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid \mathbf{x}A = \mathbf{0}\}$ . **Answer:** This is a vector space.

**Solution:** Let  $\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in V$  and  $r, s \in \mathbb{R}$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} (r\mathbf{x} + s\mathbf{y})A &= r(\mathbf{x}A) + s(\mathbf{y}A) \\ &= 0 + 0 \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

**f)**  $V = \{u \in U \mid T(u) = y\}$  where  $U$  and  $W$  are vector spaces,  $T : U \rightarrow W$  is linear and  $y \in W$ ,  $y \neq 0$ . **Answer:** This is not a vector space.

**Solution:** If  $T$  is a linear map, then  $T(\mathbf{0}_U) = \mathbf{0}_W$ , so  $\mathbf{0} \notin V$ .

**g)** The space of functions on the real line  $\mathbb{R}$  that are solutions to the differential equation  $y^{(n)} + a_{n-1}y^{(n-1)} + \dots + a_0y = 0$ , i.e.  $V = \{y \in C^\infty(\mathbb{R}) \mid y^{(n)} + a_{n-1}y^{(n-1)} + \dots + a_0y = 0\}$ . **Answer:** This is a vector space.

**Solution:** Let  $f, g \in V$  and  $r, s \in \mathbb{R}$ . Then we have to show that

$$(rf + sg)^{(n)} + a_{n-1}(rf + sg)^{(n-1)} + \dots + a_0(rf + sg) = 0$$

But

$$\begin{aligned} (rf + sg)^{(n)} + a_{n-1}(rf + sg)^{(n-1)} + \dots + a_0(rf + sg) &= rf^{(n)} + a_{n-1}rf^{(n-1)} + \dots + ra_0f + rg^{(n)} + a_{n-1}sg^{(n-1)} + \dots + ra_0g \\ &= r \left( f^{(n)} + a_{n-1}f^{(n-1)} + \dots + a_0f \right) + s \left( g^{(n)} + a_{n-1}g^{(n-1)} + \dots + a_0g \right) \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

**6[24P]** Determine if the following maps are linear or not, **state why:**

**a)**  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ ,  $T(x, y, z) = (2x + y - z, xy)$ . **Answer:** This map is not linear because of the factor  $xy$ . (Do the details!)

**b)**  $V$  the space of polynomials of degree  $\leq 5$  and  $W$  the space of polynomials of degree  $\leq 4$ ,  $T(p)(x) = 2p'(x) + 3p''(x)$ .

**Answer:** This map is linear because differentiation is linear and linear combination of linear maps is linear. (You can also show this directly by plugging a linear combination in the definition of  $T$ ).

**c)**  $T : \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ;  $T(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) = 2x_1 + x_2 - 3x_3 + 4x_4$ . **Answer:** Linear.

**Solution:** Write  $T$  as

$$T(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{x} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

and use that any map of this form is linear (see above or notes from class).

d) Let  $V_N = \left\{ \sum_{j=0}^{2^N-1} s_j \varphi_j^N \mid \forall j = 0, \dots, 2^N - 1 : s_j \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$  and  $T : V_N \rightarrow V_{N-1}$  given by

$$T\left(\sum_{j=0}^{2^N-1} s_j \varphi_j^N\right) = \sum_{j=0}^{2^{N-1}-1} \frac{s_{2j} + s_{2j+1}}{2} \varphi_j^{N-1}.$$

**Answer:** This map is linear.

**Solution:** Let  $f = \sum_{j=0}^{2^N-1} s_j \varphi_j^N$  and  $g = \sum_{j=0}^{2^N-1} t_j \varphi_j^N$  be vectors in  $V_N$ . Then for  $r, s \in \mathbb{R}$  we get:

$$rf = \sum_{j=0}^{2^N-1} r s_j \varphi_j^N$$

$$sg = \sum_{j=0}^{2^N-1} s t_j \varphi_j^N$$

and

$$rf + sg = \sum_{j=0}^{2^N-1} (r s_j + s t_j) \varphi_j^N$$

and hence

$$\begin{aligned} T(rf + sg) &= \sum_{j=0}^{2^{N-1}-1} \frac{r s_{2j} + r s_{2j+1} + s t_{2j} + s t_{2j+1}}{2} \varphi_j^{N-1} \\ &= \sum_{j=0}^{2^{N-1}-1} \left( r \frac{s_{2j} + s_{2j+1}}{2} + s \frac{t_{2j} + t_{2j+1}}{2} \right) \varphi_j^{N-1} \\ &= r \sum_{j=0}^{2^{N-1}-1} \frac{s_{2j} + s_{2j+1}}{2} \varphi_j^{N-1} + s \sum_{j=0}^{2^{N-1}-1} \frac{t_{2j} + t_{2j+1}}{2} \varphi_j^{N-1} \\ &= rT(f) + sT(g) \end{aligned}$$

e)  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ ,  $T(x, y, z) = (2x + y - 3z, 3x + y + 2, x - 4y + z)$ . **Answer:** Not linear.

**Solution:** By direct calculation we get

$$T(0, 0, 0) = (0, 2, 0) \neq (0, 0, 0).$$

f)  $T : C^\infty(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow C^\infty(\mathbb{R})$ ,  $T(f) = f'' + f' \cdot f$ . **Answer:** Not linear because of the factor  $f' \cdot f$ .

**7[12P]** In the following problems, evaluate the given linear map  $T$  at the given point:

a)  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ ,  $T(x, y, z) = (2x + 3y, -x + 4y)$ ,  $(x, y, z) = (2, -1, 4)$ . **Answer:**  $(1, -6)$

b)  $T : \mathbb{C}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^3$ ,  $T(z_1, z_2, z_3) = ((1+i)z_1 + 2z_2 - iz_3, z_1 + (1-i)z_2, z_2 - \frac{1}{1+i}z_3)$ ,  $(z_1, z_2, z_3) = (i, 1+i, 2+i)$ . **Answer:**  $(2+i, 2+i, -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{2}i)$

c)  $T : C^\infty(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow C^\infty(\mathbb{R})$ ,  $T(f) = f'' + 4f$ ,  $f = 2 \cos(x) + \sin(x) + e^x$ . **Answer:**  $6 \cos(x) + 3 \sin(x) + 5e^x$

d)  $T : C([-1, 1]) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $T(f) = \int_{-1}^1 f(t) dt$ ,  $f(t) = t^2 + t + \cos(\pi t)$ . **Answer:**  $\frac{2}{3}$ .