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1. Solve linear systems of equations  $Ax = b$ , where

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad b = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

using the row reduction algorithm.

2. Let

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & t \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

where  $t$  is a real parameter.

- (a) For  $t = 0$ , find a basis of the column space and a basis of the null space of  $A$ .
- (b) For  $t \neq 0$ , show that  $A$  is invertible.

3. Let  $\mathbb{P}_2$  be the set of polynomials of degree at most 2, and define a map  $\mathbf{T}$  from  $\mathbb{P}_2$  to  $\mathbb{R}$  as follows: let  $u(x) = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1x + \alpha_2x^2$  be a polynomial in  $\mathbb{P}_2$ . Then  $\mathbf{T}(u(x)) = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2$ .

- (a) Show that  $\mathbf{T}$  is a linear transformation.
- (b) find the dimensions of the range space and the kernel of  $\mathbf{T}$ .

4. Let  $\mathbf{V}$  be a vector space, and let  $\mathbf{H}$  and  $\mathbf{W}$  be two subspaces of  $\mathbf{V}$ . Define

$$\mathbf{S} = \{u + v \mid u \in \mathbf{H} \text{ and } v \in \mathbf{W}\}.$$

Show that  $\mathbf{S}$  is a subspace of  $\mathbf{V}$ .