Do 4 of these 6 problems. Only the four highest scoring answers will be taken for the test score. Existing results must be quoted as coming from either homework, class, or the textbook. The validity of your reasoning matters far more than your ability to attain the correct answer!

- 1. Suppose  $b \in \mathbb{R}$ . Show that the set of continuous real-valued functions f on the interval [0,1] such that  $\int_0^1 f = b$  is a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^{[0,1]}$  if and only if b = 0.
- 2. Prove that  $\mathbb{R}^{\infty}$  is infinite-dimensional.
- 3. Suppose  $T \in \mathcal{L}(V, W)$ , and  $w_1, ..., w_m$  is a basis of range T. Prove that there exist  $\varphi_1, ..., \varphi_m \in \mathcal{L}(V, \mathbb{F})$  such that

$$Tv = \varphi_1(v)w_1 + \dots + \varphi_m(v)w_m$$

for every  $v \in V$ .

4. Suppose V is finite-dimensional and  $v_1, ..., v_m \in V$ . Define a linear map  $\Gamma: \mathcal{L}(V, \mathbb{F}) \to \mathbb{F}^m$  by

$$\Gamma(\varphi) = \big(\varphi(v_1), ..., \varphi(v_m)\big).$$

- (a) Prove that  $v_1, ..., v_m$  spans V if and only if  $\Gamma$  is injective.
- (b) Prove that  $v_1, ..., v_m$  is linearly independent if and only if  $\Gamma$  is surjective.
- 5. Find all eigenvalues and eigenvectors of the backwards shift operator  $T \in \mathcal{L}(\mathbb{F}^{\infty})$  defined by

$$T(z_1, z_2, z_3, ...) = (z_2, z_3, ...)$$

6. Suppose  $T \in \mathcal{V}$  and  $U \subset V$  is a subspace of V invariant under T. Prove or give a counterexample: every subspace of U is invariant under T.