

(3 Hours)

[Total Marks: 100]

**N.B.: 1. All questions are compulsory.****2. Figures to the right indicate full marks.**

Q.1 Choose the correct alternative in each of the following: (20)

i. For which value of  $k$  does the following system have infinitely many

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{solutions?} \\ 2x - y = k \\ 4x - 2y = 6 \end{array}$$

- (a) 3 (b) 6  
(c) 1 (d) 2

ii. Which of the following matrix is skew symmetric?

- (a)  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  (b)  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 2 \\ -2 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$   
(c)  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 7 & 0 \\ 7 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  (d)  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

iii. The parametric representation for the line through the points (1,2) and (3,2) is

- (a)  $x = 4 + 4t, y = -1 + t$  (b)  $x = 2 - t, y = 2 - 3t$   
(c)  $x = 1 + 2t, y = 2 + t$  (d) None of these

iv. Which of the following sets is linear independent?

- (a)  $\{(1,-1), (1,0)\}$  (b)  $\{(\frac{3}{2}, 3), (3,6)\}$   
(c)  $\{(-4,2), (-8,4)\}$  (d)  $\{(1,3), (-2,-6)\}$

v. Which of the following is not a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^2$  over  $\mathbb{R}$ ?

- (a)  $\{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x = 0\}$  (b)  $\{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x + y = 0\}$   
(c)  $\{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x + 2y = 0\}$  (d)  $\{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x - y = 3\}$

vi. Which of the following is a generating set of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ ?

- (a)  $\{(2,3), (0,6)\}$  (b)  $\{(1,3), (2,6)\}$   
(c)  $\{(3,0), (0,0)\}$  (d)  $\{(1,-1), (3,-3)\}$

vii. The rank of linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined as

$$T(x, y) = (x - y, x - y) \text{ is}$$

- (a) 2 (b) 3  
(c) 4 (d) 1

- viii. The nullity of the linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined as  $T(x, y, z) = (0, 0)$  is
- (a) 1 (b) 0  
(c) 2 (d) 3
- ix. If for a linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^5 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$  the  $\text{Dim}(\text{Ker}(T)) = 1$  then the Rank of T is
- (a) 2 (b) 1  
(c) 3 (d) 4
- x. Which of the following is the basis for  $W = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x + y + 2z = 0\}$  ?
- (a)  $\{(-1, 1, 0), (-2, 0, 1)\}$  (b)  $\{(0, 1, -1), (0, 1, 0)\}$   
(c)  $\{(1, 0, -2), (1, 1, 1)\}$  (d)  $\{(1, -1, 1), (2, 1, -1)\}$

Q.2 a) Attempt any ONE question from the following: (08)

- i. If  $A$  and  $B$  are  $n \times n$  matrices then prove that
- (1)  $(A + B)^T = A^T + B^T$ .  
(2) If  $A$  is invertible prove that  $A^T$  is invertible and  $(A^{-1})^T = (A^T)^{-1}$
- ii. For  $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$  using induction on  $m$  prove that any homogeneous system of  $m$  real linear equations in  $n$  unknowns has a non-trivial solution if  $m < n$ .

b) Attempt any TWO questions from the following: (12)

- i. Let  $A = (a_{ij})$  be  $n \times n$  real matrix and  $X = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)^t$ .  
If  $\alpha = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n)^t$  and  $\beta = (\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_n)^t$ ,  
are solutions of the linear homogeneous system  $AX = 0$ ,  
then prove that  $\alpha + \beta$  and  $k\alpha$ ,  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$  are also solutions of the same system.
- ii. Use parametric equations of line to check if the points  $(1, -2, 0)$ ,  $(2, 0, -3)$  and  $(4, 4, -6)$  are collinear.

- iii. Geometrically interpret solutions of the real linear homogenous system of 2 equations in 3 unknowns.
- iv. Solve the system of linear equations:  $x + y + z = 3$ ,  
 $x + 2y + 2z = 5$ ,  $3x + 4y + 4z = 12$  using Gaussian Elimination Method.

Q.3 a) Attempt any ONE question from the following: (08)

- i. Prove the following properties of a real vector space  $V$ :
  1.  $a \cdot 0_v = 0_v, \forall a \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } \forall v \in V$ .
  2.  $0 \cdot v = 0_v, \forall v \in V$ .
  3.  $a \cdot v = 0_v$  implies either  $a = 0$  or  $v = 0_v$ ,  
 $\forall a \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } \forall v \in V$ .
- ii. Let  $V$  be a real vector space and  $S = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n\} \subseteq V$ . Show that  $S$  is linear dependent if and only if one of the vectors in  $S$  can be written as a linear combination of the other vectors in  $S$ .

b) Attempt any TWO questions from the following: (12)

- i. Let  $V = M_2(\mathbb{R})$  and  $W = \left\{ A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ b & c \end{bmatrix} \in V \mid a, b, c \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ . Show that  $W$  is vector subspace of  $V$ .
- ii. Check whether  $\{(1, 3), (4, 0), (9, 15)\}$  is a linear independent set in  $\mathbb{R}^2$ .
- iii. Prove the following properties of a real vector space:
  - 1)  $V$  has a unique additive identity.
  - 2) Every vector in  $V$  has a unique additive inverse.
- iv. Define a linear span of a non-empty subset of a real vector space. Let  $V = P_2[x] = \{a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 \mid a_0, a_1, a_2 \in \mathbb{R}\}$ . Express vector  $1 + 2x + x^2$  in  $V$  as a linear combination of  $1 + x, x^2, x + x^2$  in  $V$ .

Q.4 a) Attempt any ONE question from the following: (08)

- i. Show that every finitely generated vector space has a basis.

ii. Let  $V$  and  $W$  be real vector spaces over and  $T: V \rightarrow W$  be a linear transformation. Prove that  $\text{Ker } T$  is a subspace of  $V$  and  $\text{Image } T$  is a subspace of  $W$ .

b) Attempt any TWO questions from the following: (12)

- i. Check if the set  $\{ (1,0,1), (1,1,0), (1,0,-1) \}$  is a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .
- ii. Find the dimension of image space of  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  defined by  $T(x, y, z) = (x, x, y)$ .
- iii. Find the matrix associated with the linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$  defined by  $T(x, y, z) = (x + y, x, y, z)$  with respect to standard bases of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  and  $\mathbb{R}^4$ .
- iv. Find the basis of the subspace  $W = \{ (x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x + y = 0 \}$  and extend it to a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ .

Q.5 Attempt any FOUR questions from the following: (20)

- a) Find the value of  $k$  so that the system of linear equations  $x + y + 2z = 1, x + 2y - z = 2, 2x + 3y + z = k$  becomes consistent.
- b) Transform the following matrix to it's row echelon form :

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -2 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & -2 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & -3 & 6 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

- c) Let  $V$  be vector space of all real valued sequences and  $S = \{ (x_n) \in V : (x_n) \text{ is convergent} \}$ . Show that  $S$  is a subspace of  $V$  over  $\mathbb{R}$ .
- d) Examine whether the set  $S$  generates  $\mathbb{R}^3$  where  $S = \{ (2,3,0), (1,0,4), (0,2,0) \}$
- e) A linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  is such that  $T(1,2) = (3,-3)$  and  $T(3,2) = (-2,1)$ . Find  $T(5,6)$ .
- f) Verify the Rank-Nullity theorem for  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  defined as  $T(x,y) = x + y$ .

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