

# C.U.SHAH UNIVERSITY

## Summer Examination-2017

Subject Name : Linear Algebra

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Marks : 70

### Instructions:

- (1) Use of Programmable calculator and any other electronic instrument is prohibited.
- (2) Instructions written on main answer book are strictly to be obeyed.
- (3) Draw neat diagrams and figures (if necessary) at right places.
- (4) Assume suitable data if needed.

### SECTION – I

Q-1

**Attempt the Following questions**

(07)

- a. Define: Idempotent linear transformation
- b. Determine the dimension and basis for the following subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ :  
The plane  $3x - 2y + 5z = 0$
- c. Determine whether the given vectors  $u = (-4, 6, -10, 1)$  and  $v = (2, 1, -2, 9)$  are orthogonal with respect to the Euclidean inner product.
- d. Find the coordinate vector of  $p = 2 - x + x^2$  relative to the basis  $S = \{p_1, p_2, p_3\}$  where  $p_1 = 1 + x$ ,  $p_2 = 1 + x^2$ ,  $p_3 = x + x^2$
- e. Check whether the set of vectors of the form  $(a, 2, 0)$  is a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  or not.
- f. Find  $d(u, v)$  if  $u = (-1, 2)$ ,  $v = (2, 5)$  and weighted Euclidean inner product is  $\langle u, v \rangle = 3u_1v_1 + 2u_2v_2$  where  $u = (u_1, u_2)$  and  $v = (v_1, v_2)$ .

- g. Determine algebraic multiplicity of each eigen value of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ .

Q-2

**Attempt all questions**

(14)

- a. Find eigen value and eigen vectors for the linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  defined as  $T(x, y, z) = (-2y - 2z, -2x - 3y - 2z, 3x + 6y + 5z)$ ;  $\forall (x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3$  by considering the standard basis of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . (5)
- b. Let  $n$  be any positive integer. Consider the set  $V = \mathbb{R}^n$  of all vectors of the form  $u = (u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n)$  together with standard vector addition  $u + v = (u_1 + v_1, u_2 + v_2, \dots, u_n + v_n)$  and scalar multiplication  $cu = (cu_1, cu_2, \dots, cu_n)$  where  $u, v \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ;  $u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n \in \mathbb{R}$ ; (5)



$v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n \in R, c \in R$ . Show that  $V$  is a vector space.

- c. Express the polynomial  $p = -9 - 7x - 15x^2$  as a linear combination of  $p_1 = 2 + x + 4x^2, p_2 = 1 - x + 3x^2$  and  $p_3 = 3 + 2x + 5x^2$  (4)

**OR**

**Q-2 Attempt all questions (14)**

- a. State and prove Riesz Representation Theorem. (5)  
 b. Show that if  $V$  is a finite dimensional vector space then any two basis of  $V$  have the same number of elements. (5)  
 c. Find  $N(T), n(T), R(T), r(T)$  for the following linear transformation  $T$ . (4)  
 $T: R^2 \rightarrow R^3; T(x, y) = (x, x + y, y); \forall (x, y) \in R^2$

**Q-3 Attempt all questions (14)**

- a. Let  $R^3$  have the Euclidean inner product. Use the Gram-Schmidt process to transform the basis vectors  $u_1 = (1, 0, 0), u_2 = (3, 7, -2), u_3 = (0, 4, 1)$  into an orthonormal basis. (5)  
 b. State and prove Rank-Nullity theorem. (5)  
 c. Check whether the set of vectors  $(1, 1, 2, 1), (1, 0, 0, 2), (4, 6, 8, 6)$  and  $(0, 3, 2, 1)$  are linearly dependent or not. (4)

**OR**

**Q-3 Attempt all questions (14)**

- a. Check whether the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  is diagonalizable or not. (5)  
 b. If  $T: U \rightarrow V$  and  $S: V \rightarrow W$  be any non-singular linear transformation, then prove that  $(S \circ T): U \rightarrow W$  is also non-singular and  $(S \circ T)^{-1} = T^{-1} \circ S^{-1}$ . (5)  
 c. State and prove Cayley – Hamilton theorem. (4)

**SECTION – II**

**Q-4 Attempt the Following questions (1 Mark \*7=7) (07)**

- a. Show that if  $A$  is invertible then for all  $B, \det(ABA^{-1}) = \det B$ .

- b. Find the minimal polynomial for the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \end{bmatrix}_{7 \times 7}$

- c. What is Index of nilpotence of  $T \in A(V)$  ?  
 d. Define: Orthogonal matrix  
 e. Give an example of Skew Hermitian matrix.  
 f. Express the following quadratic forms in matrix notation.  
 $x_1^2 + 2x_2^2 + 3x_3^2 + x_4^2 - 2x_1x_2 + 4x_1x_3 - 2x_1x_4 + 4x_2x_3 - 6x_2x_4 - 8x_3x_4$   
 g. Write down the quadratic form corresponding to the following matrix.



$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Q-5 Attempt all questions (14)**

- a. Show that for  $A, B \in F_n$ ,  $\det(AB) = (\det A)(\det B)$ . (5)
- b. Define Jordan Canonical form. Determine all possible Jordan canonical forms for a linear operator  $T: V \rightarrow V$  whose characteristic polynomial is  $\Delta(t) = (t-7)^4$ . (5)
- c. Show that interchanging two rows of  $A$  changes the sign of its determinant. (4)

**OR**

**Q-5 Attempt all questions (14)**

- a. Reduce the quadratic form  $Q = x_1^2 + 2x_2^2 + 3x_3^2 + 2x_1x_2 - 2x_1x_3 + 2x_2x_3$  to canonical form by congruent transformation. (5)
- b. Show that if  $V$  is a  $n$  dimensional over  $F$  and if  $T \in A(V)$  has all its characteristic roots in  $F$ , then  $T$  satisfies a polynomial of degree  $n$  over  $F$ . (5)
- c. Describe the conic whose equation is  $9x^2 + 4y^2 - 36x - 24y + 36 = 0$ . Give it's equation in the translated coordinate system. (4)

**Q-6 Attempt all questions (14)**

- a. Prove that two nilpotent linear transformations are similar if and only if they have the same invariants. (5)
- b. If  $A = (a_{ij})$  and  $B = (b_{ij})$  are  $n \times n$  matrices then prove that (5)
- (i) The trace is a linear operator.
- (ii) The trace is a commutative operator.
- (iii)  $Tr(A^T) = Tr(A)$
- c. The Characteristic and minimal polynomials of an operator  $T$  are respectively,  $\Delta(t) = (t-5)^4(t-6)^3$  and  $m(t) = (t-5)^2(t-6)^2$ . Find all possible Jordan canonical forms with above conditions. (4)

**OR**

**Q-6 Attempt all Questions (14)**

- a. If  $T \in A(V)$  has all its characteristic roots in  $F$ , then prove that there is a basis of  $V$  in which the matrix of  $T$  is triangular. (5)
- b. Describe the conic whose equation is  $9x^2 + 6xy + y^2 - 4 = 0$ . Give it's equation in the rotated coordinate system. (5)
- c. Show that the characteristic roots of a Hermitian matrix are all real. (4)

