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### INSTRUCTION:

Candidates should answer any FOUR Questions.

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**Q1.** (a) Define "Vector space"

(b) Consider the set  $v = \mathcal{R}^2$  with the standard scalar multiplication and addition defined as  $(u_1, u_2) + (v_1, v_2) = (u_1 + 2v_1, u_2 + v_2)$

Show that  $v$  is not a vector space.

(c) Show that  $w = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathcal{R}^3 / 3x = 2y\}$  is a subspace of  $\mathcal{R}^3$ .

**Q2.** (a) Distinguish between "linear dependence and linear independence" of vectors in a vector space.

(b) Show that the following vectors  $v_1 = (1, 1, 2, 1)$ ,  $v_2 = (0, 2, 1, 1)$ ,  $v_3 = (3, 1, 2, 0)$  form a linearly independent set.

(c) Show that the following vectors  $v_1 = (1, 0, 0)$ ,  $v_2 = (0, 1, 0)$ ,  $v_3 = (0, 0, 1)$  and

$v_4 = (1, 1, 1)$  in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  form a linearly dependent set.

Q3. (a) Define the term 'linear Combination'

Express (i)  $v_1 = (0, -26, -9)$  as a linear combination of

$v_2 = (5, 3, 7)$  and  $v_3 = (2, -4, 1)$ .

(ii) Let  $v_1 = (1, 0, 1)$ ,  $v_2 = (-1, 1, 0)$  and  $v_3 = (1, 2, 3)$ .

Express  $v_3$  as a linear combination of  $v_1$  and  $v_2$

(b) Define "Basis and Dimension". (c) Define term "Null Space".

Determine the Null space of the following matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -7 \\ -3 & 21 \end{pmatrix}$

Q4. (a) What do you understand by the term "Transformation"?

(b) When is a Transformation said to be linear?

(c) When is a linear transformation said to be Isomorphic?

(d) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be the transformation defined by:

$T(x, y) = (x + y, x - y + 1)$ . Is  $T$  linear? Justify your answer.

Q5 (a) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^1$  be defined by

$T[(a_1, a_2)] = a_1^2 + a_2^2$  Show that  $T$  is not linear even though  $T(0) = 0$

(b) Let  $L: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be defined by  $L(a_1, a_2, a_3) = (a_3 - a_1, a_1 + a_2)$

(i) Compute  $L(e_1)$ ,  $L(e_2)$  and  $L(e_3)$  (ii) Show that  $L$  is a linear transformation.

(iii) Show that  $L(a_1, a_2, a_3) = a_1L(e_1) + a_2L(e_2) + a_3L(e_3)$ .

Q6. Let  $V = \mathbb{R}^2$  and  $W = \mathbb{R}^3$ . Define  $L: V \rightarrow W$  by  $L(X_1, X_2) = (X_1 - X_2, X_1, X_2)$

Let  $F = \{(1, 1), (-1, 1)\}$  and let  $G = \{(1, 0, 1), (0, 1, 1), (1, 1, 0)\}$

(a) Find the matrix representation of  $L$  using the standard bases in both  $V$  and  $W$ .

(b) Find the matrix representation of  $L$  using the standard bases in  $V$  and the basis  $G$  in  $W$ .

(c) Find the matrix representation of  $L$  using the basis  $F$  in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  and the standard basis in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .