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Instructions to the candidates:

- 1) Answer any five questions.
- 2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- 3) Use of non - programmable, scientific calculator is allowed.

**Q1)** a) Let  $V$  be the vector space of all mappings from  $\mathbb{R}$  to  $\mathbb{R}$  and  $V_1, V_2$  be the subsets of even and odd functions respectively that is,

$$V_1 = \{f \in V \mid f(-x) = f(x)\}$$

$$\text{and } V_2 = \{f \in V \mid f(-x) = -f(x)\}$$

then show that  $V$  is direct sum of  $V_1$  and  $V_2$ . [5]

b) Find a basis of the subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^4$  generated by the vectors  $V_1 = (1, 1, 2, 0)$ ;  $V_2 = (1, 2, 3, 4)$ ;  $V_3 = (0, 4, 5, 2)$ . [3]

c) Find a basis of the vector space  $\mathbb{C}$  over  $\mathbb{R}$ . [2]

**Q2)** a) If  $V$  and  $U$  are vector spaces over  $F$  and  $f : V \rightarrow U$  is a linear mapping from  $V$  onto  $U$ , with Kernel  $K$  then show that  $U \cong V/K$ . Further, show that there is a one - to - one correspondence between the set of subspace of  $V$  containing  $K$  and the set of subspace of  $U$ . [5]

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b) Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be a linear mapping, where  $f(a, b) = (2a - b, 4a + 5b)$ . Find a basis for a range of  $f$  and hence determine the rank of  $f$ . [3]

c) Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be defined by  $f(x, y, z) = (2x, y - 3z, 1)$ . Determine whether  $f$  is linear transformation. [2]

**Q3)** a) Let  $f : F^{n \times n} \rightarrow F^{n \times n}$  be a mapping such that  $f(A) = AB$ ,  $A \in F^{n \times n}$  and  $B$  is fixed  $n \times n$  matrix [5]

i) Prove that  $f$  is a linear mapping.

ii) Show that  $\ker f = \{0\}$  if and only if  $B$  is invertible.

b) Let  $f : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be a linear mapping defined by  $f(a, b, c) = (a, a + b, 0)$ . Find the matrices  $A$  and  $B$  respectively of the linear mapping  $f$  with respect to the standard basis  $(e_1, e_2, e_3)$  and the basis  $(e'_1, e'_2, e'_3)$  where  $e'_1 = (1, 1, 0)$ ,  $e'_2 = (0, 1, 1)$ ,  $e'_3 = (1, 1, 1)$ . [3]

c) What is the dimension of the vector space  $V = \{P_n - \text{Polynomial of degree } \leq n, \text{ with real coefficients}\}$  [2]

**Q4)** a) If  $A \in F^{n \times n}$  matrix has  $n$  distinct eigen values  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n$  then show there exists an invertible matrix  $P$  such that  $P^{-1}AP = \text{diag}(\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n)$ . [5]

b) The three eigen vectors  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , of a  $3 \times 3$  matrix  $A$  are associated respectively with eigen values  $1, -1$  and  $0$ . Find matrix  $A$ . [3]

c) Determine the eigen values of the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , if exist. [2]

**Q5) a)** Reduce the following matrix into triangular form,  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$  [5]

b) Find the Jordan canonical form of  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 7 \\ 0 & 4 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  [3]

c) Determine whether the given set of vectors are orthogonal,  $S = \{(1, 0, 1), (1, 0, 0), (0, -1, 0)\}$  [2]

**Q6) a)** Let  $V$  be a vector space of dimension  $n$  over  $F$ . Then show that there is a 1 – 1 correspondence between the set of bilinear form on  $V$  and the set of  $n \times n$  matrices over  $F$ . [5]

b) If  $B$  is symmetric bilinear form on a vector space  $V$  over a field  $F$  and let  $\text{char}(F) \neq 2$  then prove that there exists an orthogonal basis of  $V$  relative to  $B$ . [3]

c) If the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 \\ -2 & 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$  then find quadratic form of the matrix  $A$ . [2]

**Q7) a)** Prove that, if  $T$  is a self - adjoint operator on a finite - dimensional Euclidean vector space  $E$  then there is an orthonormal basis  $E$  consisting of eigen vectors of  $T$ . [5]

b) Let  $V$  be the vector space of continuous real valued functions on the interval  $[0, 1]$ . Define  $\langle f, g \rangle = \int_0^1 f(t) g(t) dt$ . Show that  $\langle, \rangle$  is a symmetric bilinear form. [5]

**Q8)** a) State and prove Sylvester's theorem.

**[5]**

b) If matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \\ -1 & -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$  then find a matrix P such that

$$P^{-1}AP = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

**[5]**

