

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)

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(Fifth Semester)

Branch – MATHEMATICS WITH COMPUTER APPLICATIONS

LINEAR ALGEBRA

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

SECTION-A (10 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

(10 x 1 = 10)

- If v is a vector space, then the elements of v and the elements of F are called _____.
(i) Basis and dimensions (ii) Linear Combination and space
(iii) Vectors and Scalars (iv) Linearly dependent and linearly independent
- If $S = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$, a set of vectors is a finite dimensional vector space v , then S is called a basis for v if
(i) S spans v (ii) S is linearly independent
(iii) either (i) or (ii) (iv) both (i) and (ii)
- What is the dimension of zero vector space?
(i) Not defined (ii) 1 (iii) 0 (iv) infinite
- Let $S = \{(-1,0,1), (2,1,4)\}$. What is the value of k for which the vector $(3k + 2, 3, 10)$ belongs to the linear span of S ?
(i) 8 (ii) 4 (iii) -2 (iv) 2
- Identify $(\alpha u + \beta v)(T_1 T_2)$ is
(i) $\alpha(u(T_1 T_2)) + \beta(v(T_1 T_2))$ (ii) $\alpha(u(T_1 T_2)) + \beta(u(T_1 T_2))$
(iii) $\alpha(u(T_2)) + \beta(v(T_1))$ (iv) $\alpha u(T_1 T_2) + \beta v(T_1 T_2)$
- If $T \in A(v)$ then the range of T, vT is defined by
(i) $\{vT/v \in V\}$ (ii) $\{T/v \in VT\}$ (iii) $\{vT/v \in T\}$ (iv) $\{tv/t \in T\}$
- What is the maximum positive rank of an $m \times n$ matrix A that is not square?
(i) $\text{rank}(A) \geq \min(m, n)$ (ii) $\text{rank}(A) \leq \min(m, n)$
(iii) $\text{rank}(A) = \max(m, n)$ (iv) $\text{rank}(A) = \max(m, n)$
- The transition matrices are
(i) not at all invertible (ii) invertible always
(iii) invertible sometimes (iv) data not complete
- Find the wrong one from the following statements:
(i) If A is diagonalizable and invertible, then A^{-1} is diagonalizable.
(ii) If A is diagonalizable, then A^T is diagonalizable.
(iii) If every eigenvalue of a matrix A has algebraic multiplicity 1, then A is diagonalizable.
(iv) An $n \times n$ matrix with fewer than n distinct eigenvalues is not diagonalizable.
- If 0 is an eigenvalue of a matrix A , then the set of columns of A is _____.
(i) Linearly independent or linearly dependent
(ii) Linearly dependent always
(iii) Linearly independent always
(iv) Cannot be determined

SECTION - B (25 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks (5 x 5 = 25)

- a) If V is the internal direct sum of U_1, \dots, U_n , then show that V is isomorphic to the external direct sum of U_1, \dots, U_n .
(OR)
b) Show that $L(s)$ is a subspace of V .

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12. a) Show that $A(A(W)) = W$.
(OR)
b) Describe about inner product space with an example.
13. a) If V is finite dimensional over F , then analyze $T \in A(V)$ is invertible if and only if the constant term of the minimal polynomial for T is not 0.
(OR)
b) If $\lambda \in F$ is a characteristic root of $T \in A(V)$, then show that for any polynomial $q(x) \in F[x]$, $q(x)$ is a characteristic root of $q(T)$.
14. a) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & -4 \\ -4 & 6 & -2 \\ -3 & 7 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ and $b = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 3 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$. Calculate whether b is the column space of A .
(OR)
b) If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$. Verify $\det AB = (\det A)(\det B)$.
15. a) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 6 \\ 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$, $u = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix}$, $v = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$. State whether u and v are eigenvalue of A .
(OR)
b) Bring out the eigenvalue of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$.

SECTION -C (40 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks (5 x 8 = 40)

16. a) If V_1, V_2, \dots, V_n is a basis of V over F and if w_1, w_2, \dots, w_m in V are linearly independent over F , then justify $m \leq n$.
(OR)
b) If V is finite dimensional and if W is a subspace of V , classify W is finite dimensional $\dim W \leq \dim V$ and $\dim \frac{V}{W} = \dim V - \dim W$.
17. a) If $u, v \in V$, then show that $|(u, v)| \leq \|u\| \|v\|$.
(OR)
b) If V is a finite dimensional inner product space and if W is a subspace of V , then justify $V = W + W^\perp$. More particularly, prove that V is the direct sum of W and W^\perp .
18. a) If A is an algebra, with unit element over F , then analyze A is isomorphic to a sub algebra of $A(V)$ for some vector space V over F .
(OR)
b) If $\lambda \in F$ is a characteristic root of $T \in A(V)$, show that λ is a root of the minimal polynomial of T . In particular, prove that T only has a finite number of characteristic roots in F .
19. a) Calculate the inverse of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 4 & -3 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$, if it exists.
(OR)
b) Discover $\det A$, where $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 5 & -7 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 6 & 2 \\ -2 & -5 & 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$.
20. a) Discover the characteristic equation of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -2 & 6 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 & -8 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.
(OR)
b) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 2 \\ -4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. Discover a formula for A^k , given that $A = PDP^{-1}$, where $P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ and $D = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$.