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Level: Bachelor level/Science/ fourth Semester
 Time: 3hrs.
 Subject: Linear Algebra I (MTH343/443)

F. M: 60
 P. M: 30

Candidates are required to give their answer in their own words as far as practicable. The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Group-A **[4 × 6 = 24]**

1. What is the difference between REF and RREF? Find the general solution

of the linear system: $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -1 & 3 & 0 \\ -2 & 4 & 5 & -5 & 3 \\ 3 & -6 & -6 & 8 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ [1+5]

OR

What are the types of elementary row operations? What do you mean by basic variables and free variables? Show that the system of equations

$$3x - y + 2z = 1, \quad x + 2y - z = 3, \quad 2x - 2y + 3z = 2$$

is a consistent and solve them reducing into row reduce echelon form.

[1+1+4]

2. Define transpose of matrix with an example. Show that for any two matrices of same order A and B, $(A + B)^T = A^T + B^T$. Also verify that the matrix multiplication do not commute. [1+3+2]
3. Define linear transformation. Is the mapping $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ define by $T(x, y, z) = (2x + z, 3x + y + 4, 5x + y - z)$ linear? Justify your opinion.

Let T be a linear transformation from \mathbb{R}^n to \mathbb{R}^m . Then show that there is an $m \times n$ matrix such that $t(x) = Ax$ for all x in \mathbb{R}^n . [1+2+3]

4. Define vector space. Show that \mathbb{R}^3 is a vector space. Also prove that every vector has unique additive inverse. [4+2]

Group B **[6 × 4=24]**

5. Define the linear combination of a vector. Is the vector $w = (-1, 3, 7)$ a linear combination of the vectors $u = (4, 2, 7)$ and $v = (3, 1, 4)$? Justify your answer. [1+3]
6. Write the condition that the two lines described by $L_1 = \{u + tv: t \in R\}$ and $L_2 = \{w + sz: s \in R\}$ are
 i) same ii) parallel and distinct iii) intersect each other. If $u = (4, 2, 1), v = (-1, 3, 2), w = (1, 11, 7)$ and $z = (3, -9, -6)$. Determine whether the given lines are same or not. [0.5+0.5+0.5+2.5]

7. Define three polynomials as follows:

$p_1(t) = t^3 + t, p_2(t) = t^2 + 1$ and $p_3(t) = 3t^3 - 2t^2 + 3t - 2$. Is the set $\{p_1, p_2, p_3\}$ linearly independent? Why? [4]

8. Let $L: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$ be a linear transformation for which $u = (1, 1, 3), v = (3, 2, -2), w = (5, 4, 4), L(u) = (4, 1, 1, 1)$ and $L(v) = (-5, 1, -3, 3)$ then find $L(w)$. [4]

or

Prove that in R^2 counterclockwise rotating of every point by an angle ϕ is a linear transforming whose matrix $\begin{pmatrix} \cos\phi & -\sin\phi \\ \sin\phi & \cos\phi \end{pmatrix}$. [4]

9. Define invertible matrix. Find the left inverse of the matrix $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ [1+3]

10. Mention any two properties of determinant. Use the crammer rules solve the following system of equations, $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 7 \\ 1 & -4 & 1 \\ 4 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 5 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$. [1+3]

Group C [6 x 2=12]

11. Define consistent and inconsistent system of equations. Is the given system of equations $-x + y = 1$ and $2x + y = 4$ consistent. [1+1]
12. Find the center of mass of the system $x_1 = (1,3,2), x_2 = (-2,1,0), x_3 = (-3,2,2)$, if the weights are 3, 7 and 5 kilos respectively. [2]
13. Define Null space. If $X = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$. Is $X \in \text{Null } A$. [1+1]
14. Define standard unit vector in \mathbb{R}^3 . Express the vector $x = (x_1, x_2, x_3)$ in term of standard unit vector. [1+1]
15. By using determinant, find the area of the triangle whose vertices are $(4,7), (-2,11)$ and $(12, -6)$. [2]
16. For what value of h in y in the plane spanned by v_1 and v_2 , where $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}, v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}$ and $y = \begin{bmatrix} h \\ -5 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$? [2]

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