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Math. 325 Mid-exam.(Reg)

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- This exam booklet contains 6 short answer questions and 4 workout problems.

Part I. Give the precise and simplified short answer on the space provided.
 [1.5 points each]

1. If A and B are orthogonal vectors such that $\|A\| = \sqrt{3}$ and $\|B\| = 1$, then the angle between vectors $A + B$ and $A - B$ is _____
2. If a nonzero vector A makes $30^\circ, 60^\circ$ & 45° from the positive x -axis, y -axis and z -axis respectively and $\|A\| = \sqrt{3}$, then $A =$ _____
3. If $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \cos \beta & \cos \theta \\ \cos \beta & 1 & \cos \alpha \\ \cos \theta & \cos \alpha & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ where $\cos \alpha, \cos \beta$ & $\cos \theta$ are directional cosines of a vector v in \square^3 . Then $\det A =$ _____
4. Given matrices A and B of size 3×3 . If $\det A = 4$ and $\det B = -3$, then $\det(A^{-1}({}^t B)^2 \text{adj} A) =$ _____

5. Given vectors $A=(1,1,1)$, $B=(2,1,0)$ and $C=(0,3,1)$, then $\|proj_A(2B+C)\| = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

6. The eigenvalues of the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & c \\ 3 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ are -4 and $c-1$.

Then $c = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

7. If $A = \begin{pmatrix} k-3 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & k & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, then the linear system $AX=0$ have a non-trivial solution for

$k = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

8. If the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & x & 3 & -1 \\ -1 & y & 0 & z \\ -2 & 1 & -2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ is skew-symmetric, then the values of x , y and z respectively are $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$, $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ and $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

9. The volume of the parallelepiped spanned by vectors $A=(-2,2,1)$, $B=(0,1,0)$ and $C=(-4, 3, 2)$ is $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

10. For a positive integer n if

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^n - \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^n = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 6 \\ -6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \text{ then } n = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

Part II. Attempt all the problems and show the required steps clearly. [25 points]

1. Show that $W = \{(x, y, z) \mid x + y + z = 0\}$ is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^3 . (3 pts.)

2. Given $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$. Find

- a) all eigenvalues and corresponding eigenvectors of matrix A. (3 pts.)
- b) inverse of A. (3 pts.)

3. a) Find the equation of the line l of intersection of the planes $\pi_1 : 2x - y + z = 2$ and $\pi_2 : 3x + y + z = 2$. (3 pts.)
- b) Find the distance between the line l in part (a) and the point $Q = (1, 0, 0)$. (2 pts.)

4. Show that the vectors $v_1 = (-1, 1, 1)$, $v_2 = (0, 0, 1)$ & $v_3 = (2, 1, 1)$ form basis of \mathbb{R}^3 . Find coordinate vector of $(1, 2, 3)$ with respect to this basis. (4 pts.)

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5. (a) Determine all values the constant b for which the system

$$x + y - 2z = 4,$$

$$3x + 5y - 4z = 16,$$

$$2x + 3y - bz = 8,$$

has i) a unique solution,

(2 pts.)

ii) an infinite number of solutions,

(2 pts.)

(b) Find the solution sets in part (a) (i) and (ii)

(3 pts.)