

# Tutorial Sheet 1

## II B. Tech. (Common)

### Mathematics-II

#### (MCI102)

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#### Notations:

$M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{F})$ : The set of all matrices of order  $m \times n$  with entries from  $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{R}$  or  $\mathbb{C}$ .

$P_n(\mathbb{R})$  or  $\mathbb{R}_n[x]$ : The set of all polynomials of degree at most  $n$  in one variable with real coefficients.

$P(\mathbb{R})$  or  $\mathbb{R}[x]$ : The set of all polynomials in one variable with real coefficients.

$C(\mathbb{R})$ : The set of all real-valued continuous functions

$\mathbb{R}^\infty$ : The set of all real-valued sequences.

$C[0, 1]$ : The set of all real-valued continuous functions defined on  $[0, 1]$ .

$D[0, 1]$ : The set of all real-valued differentiable functions defined on  $[0, 1]$ .

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1. Find the rank of the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & a & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & a \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  if (a)  $a \neq -1$  (b)  $a = -1$ .

2. Find  $x$  such that the rank of the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -3 & x \\ 2 & 2 & x & -4 \\ 1 & 1-x & 2x+1 & -5-3x \end{bmatrix}$  is 2.

3. Using the row reduced echelon form of the matrix, find the inverse of the following matrices.

(a)  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  (b)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 & 4 \\ 3 & 3 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$       Answers: (a)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1/8 & -5/8 & 3/4 \\ -1/4 & 3/4 & -1/2 \\ 38 & -3/8 & 1/4 \end{bmatrix}$  (b)  $\begin{bmatrix} 8 & -1/2 & -2 \\ -1 & 1/2 & 0 \\ -3 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

4. Solve the following systems of linear equations (if possible).

(a)  $x_1 + x_2 = 4$ ,  $x_2 - x_3 = 1$ ,  $2x_1 + x_2 + 4x_3 = 7$  (b)  $x_1 + 3x_2 + x_3 = 0$ ,  $2x_1 - x_2 + x_3 = 0$

(c)  $x_1 + 2x_2 - x_3 = 10$ ,  $-x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 = 2$ ,  $2x_1 + x_2 - 3x_3 = 2$

(d)  $x + y + z - 3w = 1$ ,  $2x + 4y + 3z + w = 3$ ,  $3x + 6y + 4z - 2w = 4$

(e)  $x_1 + 2x_2 - x_3 = 10$ ,  $-x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 = 2$ ,  $2x_1 + x_2 - 3x_3 = 8$

**Answers:** (a)  $(3, 1, 0)$  (b)  $c(-4/7, -1/7, 1)$ ,  $c \in \mathbb{R}$ , (c) inconsistent

(d)  $(0, 0, 1, 0) + c(-2, 1, 0, 0) + d(10, 0, -7, 1)$ ,  $c, d \in \mathbb{R}$  (e)  $(5c/3 + 2, -c/3 + 4, c)$ ,  $c \in \mathbb{R}$

5. Determine the conditions for which the following system  $x + y + z = 1$ ,  $x + 2y - z = b$ ,  $5x + 7y + az = b^2$  admits (a) only one solution, (b) no solution (c) many solutions.

**Answers:** (a)  $a \neq 1$  (b)  $a = 1, b \neq -1, 3$  (c)  $a = 1, b = -1$  or  $b = 3$ .

6. Which of the following are vector spaces?

(a)  $V = C[a, b]$  over  $\mathbb{R}$  with  $(f + g)(x) = f(x) + g(x)$  and  $(\lambda \cdot f)(x) = \lambda f(x)$  for all  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}, f, g \in C[a, b]$ .

(b)  $V = \{ \text{all } n \times n \text{ Hermitian matrices} \}$  over  $\mathbb{C}$  with usual addition and scalar multiplication.

(c)  $V = \mathbb{R}[x]$  over  $\mathbb{R}$  with usual addition and scalar multiplication of polynomials.

(d)  $V = \mathbb{R}^\infty$  over  $\mathbb{R}$  with  $a + b = \{a_n + b_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$  and  $\lambda a = \{\lambda a_n\}_{n=1}^\infty$  for all  $a = \{a_n\}_{n=1}^\infty, b = \{b_n\}_{n=1}^\infty \in \mathbb{R}^\infty$  and  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ .

(e)  $V = \mathbb{R}^+$  over  $\mathbb{R}$  with  $x + y = xy$  and  $\lambda x = x^\lambda$  for all  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}^+$  and  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ .

(f)  $V$  is the set of all real-valued continuous functions defined on an open interval  $I$  which have at most finite number of points of discontinuity over  $\mathbb{R}$  with pointwise addition and scalar multiplication of functions.

(g)  $V = \{t_\alpha : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid t_\alpha(x) = x + \alpha, \alpha \in \mathbb{R}\}$  over  $\mathbb{R}$  with composition of mappings and  $\lambda t_\alpha = t_{\alpha\lambda}$  for all  $t_\alpha \in V$  and  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ .

(h)  $V = \mathbb{R}^2$  over  $\mathbb{R}$  with componentwise addition and  $\lambda(x, y) = (3\lambda x, y)$  for all  $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$  and  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ .

(i)  $V = \{ \text{all real polynomials of degree 4 or 6} \}$  over  $\mathbb{R}$  with usual addition and scalar multiplication.

(j)  $V = \{ \text{all } n \times n \text{ skew-Hermitian matrices} \}$  over  $\mathbb{C}$  with usual matrix addition and scalar multiplication.

**Answers:** (a) Yes (b) No (c) Yes (d) Yes (e) Yes (f) Yes (g) Yes (h) No (i) No (j) No

7. Which of the following are subspace of  $\mathbb{R}[x]$  ?

- (a)  $S = \mathbb{R}_n[x]$  (b)  $S = \{f(x) \in \mathbb{R}[x] : f(x) = f(1-x) \forall x\}$  (c)  $S = \{f(x) \in \mathbb{R}[x] : f(x) = f(-x) \forall x\}$   
 (d)  $S = \{f(x) \in \mathbb{R}[x] : f(1) \geq 0\}$  (e)  $S = \{f(x) \in \mathbb{R}[x] : f'(0) + f(0) = 0\}$  (f)  $S = \{f(x) \in \mathbb{R}[x] : f(x) \text{ has a root in } [-1, 1]\}$

8. Which of the following are subspaces of the vector space  $\mathbb{R}^n$  ?

- (a)  $S = \{(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n : x_n = 0\}$  (b)  $S = \{(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n : x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n = 0\}$   
 (c)  $S = \{(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n : x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_n^2 \geq 1\}$  (d)  $S = \{(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in \mathbb{R}^n : x_i = x_{n+i-1} \forall i = 1, 2, \dots, n\}$

9. Which of the following are subspaces of the vector space  $M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R})$  ?

- (a)  $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \in M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R}) : a + b = 0 \right\}$  (b)  $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \in M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R}) : a + b + c + d = 0 \right\}$   
 (c)  $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \in M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R}) : \det \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} = 0 \right\}$  (d)  $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \in M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R}) : b = c = 0 \right\}$   
 (e)  $S = \{A \in M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R}) : A = A^T\}$  (f)  $S = \{A \in M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R}) : A = -A^T\}$   
 (g)  $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \in M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R}) : c = 0 \right\}$  (h)  $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \in M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R}) : b = 0 \right\}$

**Answers:** (a) Yes (b) Yes (c) No (d) Yes (e) Yes (f) Yes (g) Yes (h) Yes

10. Which of the following are subspaces of the vector space  $C[0, 1]$  ?

- (a)  $S = \{f \in C[0, 1] : f(0) = 0\}$  (b)  $S = \{f \in C[0, 1] : f(0) = 0, f(1) = 0\}$  (c)  $S = D[0, 1]$

**Answers:** (a) Yes (b) Yes (c) Yes

11. Find all subspaces of  $\mathbb{R}^2$  and  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

12. Write TRUE/FALSE with proper justifications.

- (a) Any set containing the zero vector is linearly dependent  
 (b) If  $S$  is a linearly dependent set, then each vector in  $S$  is a linear combination of other vectors in  $S$   
 (c) Subsets of linearly independent sets are linearly independent  
 (d) Subsets of linearly dependent sets are linearly dependent

**Answers:** (a) TRUE (b) FALSE (c) TRUE (d) FALSE

13. Determine the linear independence/dependence of the following sets in the corresponding vector spaces.

- (a)  $\{x^3 + 2x^2, -x^2 + 3x + 1, x^3 - x^2 + 2x - 1\}$  in  $P_3(\mathbb{R})$  (b)  $\{(1, 2, 2), (2, 1, 2), (2, 2, 1)\}$  in  $\mathbb{R}^3$   
 (c)  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 6 \\ 4 & -8 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$  in  $M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R})$

**Answers:** (a) LI (b) LI (c) LD

14. Let  $u$  and  $v$  be distinct vectors in any vector space  $V$  over  $F$ . Show that  $\{u, v\}$  is linearly dependent if and only if  $u$  or  $v$  is a multiple of the other.

15. Let  $\{u, v, w\}$  be linearly independent in a real vector space  $V$ . Show that  $\{\lambda u, \lambda v, \lambda w\}$ ,  $\{u + \lambda v, v, w\}$ ,  $\{u + v, u + w, v + w\}$ ,  $\{u + v + w, v + w, w\}$  are also linearly independent in  $V$  and  $\{u + \lambda v, v + \lambda w, w + \lambda u\}$  may not be linearly independent in  $V$ , where  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ .

16. For  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 0 & 7 \\ -1 & 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ , examine whether  $(1, 1, 1)$  and  $(1, -1, 1)$  are in (a) the row space of  $A$ ; (b) the column space of  $A$ .

**Answers:** (a) no, yes (b) yes, no

17. Write true/false with proper justifications:

- (a) Every vector space has a finite basis. (b) A vector space can not have finite basis.  
 (c) If a vector space has a finite basis, then the number of vectors in every basis is same.  
 (d) If  $S$  generates/spans  $V$ , then every vector can be written as a linear combination of vectors in  $S$  uniquely.  
 (e) Suppose  $V$  is finite dimensional. If  $S_1$  is a linearly independent subset of  $V$  and  $S_2$  is a subset of  $V$  that spans  $V$ , then  $S_1$  cannot contain more vectors than  $S_2$ .

**Answers:** (a) False (b) False (c) True (d) False (e) True

18. Find a basis and the dimension of the following vector spaces.

- (a)  $\mathbb{R}^n$  over  $\mathbb{R}$ , (b)  $\mathbb{C}$  over  $\mathbb{R}$  (c)  $P(\mathbb{R})$  over  $\mathbb{R}$  (d)  $M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{R})$  over  $\mathbb{R}$

19. Find a basis and the dimension of the following subspaces  $W$  of the corresponding vector spaces.

- (a)  $W = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : x + y + z = 0\}$  (b)  $W = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : x + y + z = 0, 2x + y + z = 0\}$   
 (c)  $W = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \in M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R}) : b = c = 0 \right\}$  (d)  $W = \{A \in M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R}) : A = A^T\}$   
 (e)  $W = \{A \in M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R}) : A = -A^T\}$  (f)  $W = \{A \in M_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R}) : \text{trace}(A) = 0\}$   
 (g) Fix  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ .  $W = \{f(x) \in P_n(\mathbb{R}) : f(a) = 0\}$  (h)  $W = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \in M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R}) : a + b = 0 \right\}$

20. Give three different basis for  $M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R})$  and  $\mathbb{R}^2$ .

21. For what real values of  $k$ , does the the set  $\{(k, 0, 1), (1, k + 1, 1), (1, 1, 1)\}$  form a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  ? [**Ans.**  $k \neq 0, 1$  ]

22. Using the row echelon form of a matrix, find the row rank, the column rank, the rank and the nullity of the following matrices. Also find a basis for the row space, the column space, and the null space of the matrices.

(a)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & 6 & 9 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$  (b)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  (c)  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 & 3 & 0 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 & 6 \\ 3 & 5 & 3 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$  Answers: (a) 2 (b) 2 (c) 3

23. Examine whether  $T$  is a linear transformation. If  $T$  is linear, find  $\text{Ker}(T)$ ,  $\text{Im}(T)$  and verify rank-nullity theorem for (a) – (s).

- (a)  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by  $T(a_1, a_2) = (a_1, -a_2)$  (b)  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by  $T(a_1, a_2) = (a_1, 0)$   
 (c)  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  defined by  $T(x, y) = (x + 2y, 2x + y, x + 2)$  (d)  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by  $T(x, y, z) = (x, -y, 2z)$   
 (e)  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  defined by  $T(x, y, z) = (yz, zx, xy)$  (f)  $T: M_{m \times n}(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow M_{n \times m}(\mathbb{R})$  defined by  $T(A) = A^t$   
 (g)  $T: M_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow M_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R})$  defined by  $T(A) = \frac{1}{2}(A + A^t)$  (h)  $T: P_n(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow P_{n-1}(\mathbb{R})$  defined by  $T(f(x)) = f'(x)$   
 (i)  $T: C(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  defined by  $T(f(x)) = \int_a^b f(t)dt$ , where  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $a < b$   
 (j)  $T: P_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  defined by  $T(a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2) = (a_0, a_1, a_2)$   
 (k)  $T: P_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow P_3(\mathbb{R})$  defined by  $T(f(x)) = 2f'(x) + \int_0^x 3f(t)dt$   
 (l)  $T: P_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R})$  defined by  $T(f(x)) = \begin{bmatrix} f(1) - f(2) & 0 \\ 0 & f(0) \end{bmatrix}$   
 (m)  $T: M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  defined by  $T(A) = \text{trace}(A)$   
 (n)  $T: P(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow P(\mathbb{R})$  defined by  $T(f(x)) = \int_0^x f(t)dt$   
 (o)  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by  $T(a_1, a_2) = (1, a_2)$  (p)  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by  $T(a_1, a_2) = (a_1, a_1^2)$   
 (q)  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by  $T(a_1, a_2) = (\sin a_1, 0)$  (r)  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by  $T(a_1, a_2) = (|a_1|, a_2)$   
 (s)  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by  $T(a_1, a_2) = (a_1 + 1, a_2)$

**Answers:** (a) Yes,  $\text{Ker}(T) = \{(0, 0)\}$ ,  $\text{Im}(T) = \mathbb{R}^2$  (b) Yes,  $\text{Ker}(T) = Y - \text{axis}$ ,  $\text{Im}(T) = X - \text{axis}$  (c) Yes,  $\text{Ker}(T) = \{(0, 0)\}$ ,  $\text{Im}(T) = \mathbb{R}^2$  (d) Yes,  $\text{Ker}(T) = L\{(1, 1, 0)\}$ ,  $\text{Im}(T) = \mathbb{R}^2$  (e) No (f) Yes,  $\text{Ker}(T) = 0_{m \times n}$ ,  $\text{Im}(T) = M_{n \times m}(\mathbb{R})$  (g) Yes,  $\text{Ker}(T) = \{A \in M_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R}) : A = A^t\}$ ,  $\text{Im}(T) = \{A \in M_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R}) : A = -A^t\}$  (h) Yes,  $\text{Ker}(T) = \{\text{all constant polynomials in } P_n(\mathbb{R})\}$ ,  $\text{Im}(T) = P_{n-1}(\mathbb{R})$  (i) Yes (j) Yes (k) Yes (l) Yes (m) Yes (n) Yes (o) No (p) No (q) No (r) No (s) No

24. (a) Is there a linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  such that  $T(1, 0) = (1, 4)$  and  $T(1, 1) = (2, 5)$ ? If yes, what is  $T(2, 3)$  ?  
 (b) Is there a linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  such that  $T(1, 1) = (1, 0, 2)$  and  $T(2, 3) = (1, -1, 4)$  ? If yes, find  $T$  and what is  $T(8, 11)$  ?  
 (c) Is there a linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  such that  $T(1, 0, 3) = (1, 1)$  and  $T(-2, 0, -6) = (2, 1)$  ?  
 (d) Determine the linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  which maps the basis vectors  $(0, 1, 1)$ ,  $(1, 0, 1)$ ,  $(1, 1, 0)$  of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  to  $(1, 1, 1)$ ,  $(1, 1, 1)$ ,  $(1, 1, 1)$  respectively. Verify rank-nullity theorem after finding  $\text{Ker}(T)$ ,  $\text{Im}(T)$ .

**Answers:** (a) Yes,  $(5, 11)$  (b) Yes,  $(5, -3, 16)$  (c) No (d)  $T(x, y, z) = \left( \frac{x+y+z}{2}, \frac{x+y+z}{2}, \frac{x+y+z}{2} \right)$

25. Find all linear transformations  $T: \mathbb{F} \rightarrow \mathbb{F}$  where  $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{R}$  or  $\mathbb{C}$ .  
 26. Find all linear transformations  $T: \mathbb{F}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{F}^2$  where  $\mathbb{F} = \mathbb{R}$  or  $\mathbb{C}$ .  
 27. A linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  is defined by  $T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (3x_1 - 2x_2 + x_3, x_1 - 3x_2 - 2x_3)$ . Find the matrix of  $T$  relative to the ordered bases  
 (a)  $\{(1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 1)\}$  of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  and  $\{(1, 0), (0, 1)\}$  of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ .  
 (b)  $\{(0, 1, 0), (1, 0, 0), (0, 0, 1)\}$  of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  and  $\{(0, 1), (1, 0)\}$  of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ .  
 (c)  $\{(0, 1, 1), (1, 0, 1), (1, 1, 0)\}$  of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  and  $\{(1, 0), (0, 1)\}$  of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ .

**Answers:** (a)  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$  (b)  $\begin{bmatrix} -3 & 1 & -2 \\ -2 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  (c)  $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 4 & 1 \\ -5 & -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$

28. The matrix of a linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  with respect to the ordered basis  $\{(0, 1, 1), (1, 0, 1), (1, 1, 0)\}$  of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  is given by  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & -2 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ . Find  $T$  and also find the matrix of  $T$  with ordered basis  $\{(2, 1, 1), (1, 2, 1), (1, 1, 2)\}$  of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

**Answers:**  $T(x, y, z) = (-x + y + 3z, x + y + z, x - 3y + 5z)$ ,  $m(T) = \begin{bmatrix} -1/2 & 2 & 3/2 \\ 3/2 & 2 & -1/2 \\ 3/2 & -2 & 7/2 \end{bmatrix}$