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EE5609 Assignment 15

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Abstract—This document solves problem based on Matrix Theory.

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1 Problem

Let Q be the field of rational numbers. Determine which of the following subsets of Q[x] are ideals. When the set is an ideal, find its monic generator. All f such that f(2) = f(4) = 0.

2 Definition

Definition: Let F be a field. An ideal in F[x] is a subspace M of F[x] such that fg belongs to M whenever f is in F[x] and g is in M.

3 solution

Given	Q be the field of rational numbers. Subset: All f such that $f(2) = f(4) = 0$
To prove	Given subset is an Ideal.
	If Ideal then find its monotic generator.
Proof	Let, $M = \{ f \in F[x] f(2) = f(4) = 0 \}$. g(2) = g(4) = 0 and $f(2) = f(4) = 0$
	(df + g)(2) = df(2) + g(2) = 0 $(df + g)(4) = df(4) + g(4) = 0$
	$\implies M$ is a subspace of $F[x]$
	Let suppose $f \in M$ and $g \in F[x]$. $(fg)(2) = f(2)g(2) = 0$ $(fg)(4) = f(4)g(4) = 0$ $\therefore fg \in M$
	Hence, M is an ideal.
Representation of polynomial	f(x) = (x - c)q(x) + r When $f(c) = 0$ then $r = 0$.
	$\implies f(x) = (x-2)(x-4)q(x)$ $\therefore f(x) = g(x)q(x)$
	Hence, $f(x)$ is generated by $g(x)$.