

Gautam Buddha University

Mid Semester Examinations

M.Sc. Applied Mathematics First Semester, (September, 2013)

Course Name: Linear Algebra
Course Code: MA-401

Maximum Marks: 50
Time: 2:00 Hours

Q.1. Attempt ALL parts of the following: (5 × 2 = 10)

- (a) Find the dimension of the vector space $\mathbb{C}(\mathbb{R})$ (with usual notations).
- (b) Is vector $(3, -1, 0, -1)$ spanned by the vectors $(2, -1, 3, 2)$, $(-1, 1, 1 - 3)$, and $(1, 1, 9, -5)$?
- (c) Find three vectors in \mathbb{R}^3 which are linearly dependent, and are such that any two of them are linearly independent.
- (d) Is the mapping $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ linear where $T(x, y) = (\sin x, y)$.
- (e) Find the range, rank, null space, and nullity for the zero transformation and the identity transformation on a finite dimensional vector space V .

Q.2. Attempt ALL parts of the following: (2 × 5 = 10)

- (a) Let V be the set of pairs (x, y) of real numbers and let \mathbb{F} be the field of real numbers. Given $(x_1, y_1) + (x_2, y_2) = (x_1 + x_2, 0)$ and $c(x, y) = (cx, 0)$. Is V , with these operations, a vector space?
- (b) Prove that number of elements in a basis of a vector space V are unique.

Q.3. Attempt ALL parts of the following: (2 × 5 = 10)

- (a) Let V be a vector space over the field F . Show that, the intersection of any two subspaces of V is subspace of V .
- (b) Show that the vectors $(1, 0, -1)$, $(1, 2, 1)$, and $(0, -3, 2)$ form a basis for \mathbb{R}^3 . Express each of the standard basis vectors as linear combinations of these three vectors.

Q.4. Attempt ALL parts of the following: (2 × 5 = 10)

- (a) State and Prove Rank Nullity Theorem.
- (b) If T be the unique linear operator on \mathbb{C}^3 for which $T(e_1) = (1, 0, i)$, $T(e_2) = (0, 1, 1)$, $T(e_3) = (i, 1, 0)$. Is T invertible?

Q.5. Attempt ALL parts of the following: (2 × 5 = 10)

If T be the linear transformation from \mathbb{R}^3 into \mathbb{R}^2 defined by $T(x, y, z) = (x + y, 2z - x)$. Then

- (a) If B is the standard ordered basis for \mathbb{R}^3 and B' is the ordered basis for \mathbb{R}^2 , what is the matrix of T relative to pair B, B' .
- (b) If $B = \{(1, 0, -1), (1, 1, 1), (1, 0, 0)\}$ and $B' = \{(0, 1), (1, 0)\}$, what is the matrix of T relative to pair B, B' .