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MATHEMATICS OPTIONAL

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WORKSHEET - 1

LINEAR ALGEBRA

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WORKSHEET - 1**VECTOR SPACES****Topics to be covered:**

Vector Space, Subspace, Algebra of Subspaces,
 Linear Combination of Vectors, Linear Span of Vectors,
 Smallest Subspace containing any Subset of a vector Space. Linear dependence
 of Vectors & Linear Independence of Vectors and their properties.

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| <p>1. The vectors $V_1 = (1, 1, 2, 4)$, $V_2 = (2, -1, -5, 2)$, $V_3 = (1, -1, -4, 0)$ and $V_4 = (2, 1, 1, 6)$ are linearly independent. Is it true? Justify your answer.</p> <p>2. Find one vector in R^3 which generates the intersection of V and W, where V is the xy plane and W is the space generated by the vectors $(1, 2, 3)$ and $(1, -1, 1)$.</p> <p>3. (i) Let V be the vector space of all 2×2 matrices over the field of real numbers. Let W be the set consisting of all matrices with zero determinant. Is W a subspace of V? Justify your answer.
 (ii) Find the dimension and a basis for the space W of all solutions of the following homogeneous system using matrix notation:</p> $\begin{aligned}x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 - 2x_4 + 4x_5 &= 0 \\2x_1 + 4x_2 + 8x_3 + x_4 + 9x_5 &= 0 \\3x_1 + 6x_2 + 13x_3 + 4x_4 + 14x_5 &= 0\end{aligned}$ <p>4. (i) In the n-space IR^n, determine whether or not the set $\{e_1 - e_2, e_2 - e_3, \dots, e_{n-1} - e_n, e_n - e_1\}$ is linearly independent.</p> | <p>(ii) Let T be a linear transformation from a vector space V over reals into V such that $T - T^2 = I$. Show that T is invertible.</p> <p>5. Let S be a non empty set and let V denote the set of all functions from S into R. show that V is a vector space with respect to the vector addition $(f+g)(x) = f(x)+g(x)$ and scalar multiplication $(cf)(x) = cf(x)$</p> <p>6. Let S be any non-empty subset of a vector space V over the field F. Show that the set $\{a_1\alpha_1 + a_2\alpha_2 + \dots + a_n\alpha_n : a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \in F, \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n \in S, n \in N\}$ is the subspace generated by S.</p> <p>7. Show that the vectors $(1, 0, -1)$, $(0, -3, 2)$ and $(1, 2, 1)$ form a basis for the vector space $R^3(R)$.</p> <p>8. Let V be the vector space of functions from R to IR (the real numbers). Show that f, g, h in V are linearly independent where $f(t) = e^{2t}$, $g(t) = t^2$ and $h(t) = t$</p> |
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9. If w is a subspace of a finite dimensional space V , then prove that
 $\dim V/w = \dim V - \dim w$
10. Find a maximal linearly independent subsystem in the system of vectors:
 $V_1 = (2, -2, -4); V_2 = (1, 9, 3); V_3 = (-2, -4, 1)$
and $V_4 = (3, 7, -1)$
11. Let V be the vector space of polynomials of degree ≤ 3 . Determine whether the following vectors of V are linearly dependent or independent:
 $u = t^3 - 3t^2 + 5t + 1,$
 $v = t^3 - t^2 + 8t + 2,$
 $w = 2t^3 - 4t^2 + 9t + 5.$
12. Show that $u_1 = (1, -1, 0)$, $u_2 = (1, 1, 0)$ and $u_3 = (0, 1, 1)$ from a basis for \mathbb{R}^3 . Express $(5, 3, 4)$ in terms of u_1 , u_2 and u_3 .
13. Let $V = \mathbb{R}^3$ and $\alpha_1 = (1, 1, 2)$, $\alpha_2 = (0, 1, 3)$, $\alpha_3 = (2, 4, 5)$ and $\alpha_4 = (-1, 0, -1)$ be the elements of V . Find a basis for the intersection of the subspace spanned by $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2\}$ and $\{\alpha_3, \alpha_4\}$.
14. Show that the set of all functions which satisfy the differential equation
 $\frac{d^2f}{dx^2} + 3\frac{df}{dx} = 0$ is a vector space.
15. Show that vectors $(0, 2, -4), (1, -2, -1), (1, -4, 3)$ are linearly dependent. Also express $(0, 2, -4)$ as a linear combination of $(1, -2, -1)$ and $(1, -4, 3)$.
16. Show that the vectors
 $v_1 = (1, 1, 1), v_2 = (0, 1, 1), v_3 = (0, 0, 1)$ form a basis for \mathbb{R}^3 . Express $v = (3, 1, -4)$ as a linear combination of v_1, v_2 and v_3 . Is the set $S = \{v, v_1, v_2, v_3\}$ linearly independent?
17. Let $C(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space of complex numbers over the field of real numbers. Under what conditions of the real numbers $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ in the set
 $S = \{\alpha + i\beta, \gamma + i\delta\}, i = \sqrt{(-1)}$
do we have $L(s) = C(\mathbb{R})$ where $L(s)$ denotes the linear spans of S ? Justify your answer
18. Find the values of k for which the vector $(1, 1, 1, 1), (1, 3, -2, k)$, $(2, 2k-2, -k-2, 3k-1)$ and $(3, k+2, -3, 2k+1)$ are linearly independent in \mathbb{R}^4 .
19. Let $\alpha_1 = (1, 1, -2, 1)$, $\alpha_2 = (3, 0, 4, -1)$, $\alpha_3 = (-1, 2, 5, 2)$
Let $\alpha = (4, -5, 9, -7)$, $\beta = (3, 1, -4, 4)$, $\gamma = (-1, 1, 0, 1)$
(i) Which of the vectors α, β, γ are in the subspaces of \mathbb{R}^4 spanned by the α_i ?
(ii) Which of the vectors α, β, γ are in the subspaces of \mathbb{C}^4 spanned by the α_i ?
(iii) Does this suggest a theorem?
20. Let W be the set of all $(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5)$ in \mathbb{R}^5 which satisfy
 $2x_1 - x_2 + \frac{4}{3}x_3 - x_4 = 0$
 $x_1 + \frac{2}{3}x_3 - x_5 = 0$
 $9x_1 - 3x_2 + 6x_3 - 3x_4 - 3x_5 = 0$, find a finite set of vectors which spans W .
21. Are the vectors
 $\alpha_1 = (1, -1, -2, 4)$, $\alpha_2 = (2, -1, -5, 2)$,
 $\alpha_3 = (1, -1, -4, 0)$, $\alpha_4 = (2, 1, 1, 6)$ linearly independent in \mathbb{R}^4 ? Also find a basis for the subspace of \mathbb{R}^4 spanned by the four vectors.

22. Show that the vectors $X_1 = (1, 1+i, i) = (i, -i, 1-i)$ and $X_3 = (0, 1-2i, 2-i)$ in C^3 are linearly independent over the field of real numbers but are linearly dependent over the field of complex numbers.
23. Find two subspaces A and B of $V = \mathbb{R}^4(\mathbb{R})$ such that $\dim A=2$, $\dim B=3$ and $\dim(A \cap B)=1$.
24. Show that the sets $w_1 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & a \end{pmatrix} \middle| a \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$,
 $w_2 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & a \\ 0 & a \end{pmatrix} \middle| a \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ are subspaces of the vector space M_2 of 2×2 matrices over \mathbb{R} .
25. Let R^+ be the set of all positive real numbers. Define the operations of addition and scalar multiplication as follows:
 $u+v=u.v$ for all $u, v \in R^+$
 $\alpha u=u^\alpha$ for all $u \in R^+$
and real scalar α . prove that R^+ is a real vector space.

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WORKSHEET - 2

BASIS AND DIMENSION

Topics to be covered:

Basis, Finite dimensional Vector Space (FDVS), Infinite Dimensional Vector Space (IDVS) Dimension of a vector Space & its related theorems.

Like: Basis Existence Theorem, Basis Extension etc.

Echelon form of a Matrix, row reduced echelon form of a Matrix etc.

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| <p>1. Suppose U and W are distinct four-dimensional subspaces of a vector space V, where $\dim V = 6$. Find the possible dimensions of $U \cap W$. (10)</p> <p>2. Find the dimension and a basis of the solution space W of the system</p> $\begin{aligned}x + 2y + 2z - s + 3t &= 0, \\x + 2y + 3z + s + t &= 0, \\3x + 6y + 8z + s + 5t &= 0\end{aligned}$ <p>3. Let V be the vector space of 2×2 matrices over the field of real numbers \mathbb{R}. Let $W = \{A \in V \mid \text{Trace } A = 0\}$. Show that W is a subspace of V. Find a basis of W and dimension of W.</p> <p>4. Show that the vectors $\alpha_1 = (1, 0, -1)$, $\alpha_2 = (1, 2, 1)$, $\alpha_3 = (0, -3, 2)$ form a basis for \mathbb{R}^3. Find the components of $(1, 0, 0)$ w.r.t the basis $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3\}$.</p> <p>5. Let V be the vector space of polynomials over R. Let U and W be the subspaces generated by</p> | <p>$\{t^3 + 4t^2 - t + 3, t^3 + 5t^2 + 5, 3t^3 + 10t^2 - 5t + 5\}$ and $\{t^3 + 4t^2 + 6, 2t^2 - t + 5, 2t^3 + 2t^2 - 3t + 9\}$ respectively. Find</p> <p>(i) $\dim(U + W)$</p> <p>(ii) $\dim(U \cap W)$.</p> <p>6. If S and T are subspaces of \mathbb{R}^4 given by</p> $S = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : 2x + y + 3z + w = 0\}$ <p>and</p> $T = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : x + 2y + z + 3w = 0\},$ <p>find $\dim(S \cap T)$.</p> <p>7. Suppose U and W are subspaces of the vector space $\mathbb{R}^4 (\mathbb{R})$ generated by the sets</p> $B_1 = \{(1, 1, 0, -1), (1, 2, 3, 0), (2, 3, 3, -1)\}$ $B_2 = \{(1, 2, 2, -2), (2, 3, 2, -3), (1, 3, 4, -3)\}$ <p>respectively. Determine $\dim(U + W)$.</p> <p>8. Show that the solutions of the differential equation $2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 9 \frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = 0$ is a subspace</p> |
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- of the vectorspace of all real valued continuous functions.
9. Let V be the real vector space of all polynomials in one variable with real coefficients and of degree less than, or equal to, 5. Let W be the subspace defined by $W = \{p \in V \mid p(1) = p'(2) = 0\}$. What is the dimension of W ?
10. Let U and W be subspaces of \mathbb{R}^3 for which $\dim U = 1$, $\dim W = 2$, and $U \not\subset W$. Show that $\mathbb{R}^3 = U + W$ and $U \cap W = \{0\}$.
11. Find a basis for \mathbb{R}^4 that contains vectors $v = [1, 2, 0, 0]$ and $u = [0, 0, 1, 2]$.
12. Suppose U and W are distinct four-dimensional subspaces of a vector space V , where $\dim V = 6$. Find the possible dimensions of $U \cap W$.
13. Find a basis for a subspace U of V in the following
- $U = \left\{ (x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5) \in V_5 \mid \begin{array}{l} x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 0 \\ 3x_1 - x_4 + 7x_5 = 0 \end{array} \right\}, V = V_5$
 - $U = \{p \in P_4 \mid p(x_0) = 0\}$, $V = P_4$, where P_4 is the set of all polynomials of degree ≤ 4 .
14. Show that the subspaces of \mathbb{R}^3 spanned by two sets of vectors $\{(1, 1, -1), (1, 0, 1)\}$ and $\{1, 2, -3\}, (5, 2, 1)\}$ are identical. Also find the dimension of this subspace.
15. Show that the set $P[t] = \{at^2 + bt + c/a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}\}$ forms a vector space over the field \mathbb{R} . Find a basis for this vector space. What is the dimension of this vector space?
16. Let $v = \{(a, b, c, d) \mid b + c + d = 0\}$ and $w = \{(a, b, c, d) \mid a + b = 0, c = 2d\}$ are the subspaces of \mathbb{R}^4 . Find the dimension and basis of
(i) v
(ii) w
(iii) $v \cap w$
17. Let W be the subspace of \mathbb{R}^4 generated by vectors $(1, -2, 5, -3), (2, 3, 1, -4)$ and $(3, 8, -3, -5)$. Find a basis and dimension of W . Extend this basis of W to a basis of \mathbb{R}^4 .
18. (i) Let V be the set of real numbers. Regard V as a vector space over the field of rational numbers, with the usual operations. Prove that this vector space is not finite-dimensional.
(ii) Is $F[x]$ finite dimensional? Justify.
19. Take $V = P_3$, the space of all real polynomials of degree at most 3. Let U be the subspace of P_3 consisting of those polynomials of P_3 whose first derivatives vanish at $x = 1$. Determine the subspaces $U, W, U \cap W, U + W$, in terms of dimension, basis, and the extension of each of these bases to a basis for $V = P_3$.
20. (i) Let $\{a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4\} : a_i \in \mathbb{R}, i = 1, 2, 3, 4$ and $a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + a_4 = 0\}$ and $\Gamma = \{a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4\} : a_i \in \mathbb{R}, i = 1, 2, 3, 4$, and $a_1 - a_2 + a_3 - a_4 = 0$. Find a basis for $S \cap \Gamma$.
(ii) Determine diagonal matrix orthogonally similar to the following real symmetric
- matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 5 & -1 \\ -2 & -2 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ obtaining also the transforming matrix.

21. (i) Let k be a real number, and let A be the

$$\text{matrix } A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & k \\ 1 & 4 & k^2 \end{pmatrix} \text{ Determine all}$$

values of k for which the linear

$$\text{system } \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & k \\ 1 & 4 & k^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 10 \\ 21 \end{pmatrix} \text{ has}$$

exactly one solution.

- (ii) Let $W \subset \mathbb{R}^4$ be the subspace defined by $W = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^4 : Ax = 0\}$ where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ Write down a basis for } W.$$

22. (i) Given that the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} \alpha & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ has 1 as an eigenvalue, compute its trace and its determinant.
(ii) Find a basis for \mathbb{R}^4 that contains vectors $v = [1, 2, 0, 0]$ and $u = [0, 0, 1, 2]$.

23. (a) Let A and B be two subspaces of $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$ generated by the sets

$$S_1 = \{(1, 2, 1), (3, 1, 5), (3, -4, 7)\}$$

and

$$S_2 = \{(1, 0, -1), (1, 2, 1), (0, -3, 2)\}$$

respectively.

Determine (i) $\dim(A+B)$ (ii) $\dim(A \cap B)$

- (b) Find an orthogonal matrix that will diagonalize the real symmetric matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \text{ Also write the resulting}$$

diagonal matrix.

24. Let V and W be subspaces of \mathbb{R}^3 defined as follows :

$$V = \{(a, b, c) / b + 2c = 0\}, W = \{(a, b, c) / a + b + c = 0\}$$

Find bases and dimensions of V , W , $V \cap W$. Hence prove that $V + W = \mathbb{R}^3$

25. (i) Find the largest possible number of independent vectors among

$$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$v_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad v_5 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad v_6 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- (ii) Do the vectors $(1, 1, 3)$, $(2, 3, 6)$ and $(1, 4, 3)$ form a basis for \mathbb{R}^3 ?

26. Let V and W be the following subspaces of \mathbb{R}^4 : $V = \{(a, b, c, d) / b - 2c + d = 0\}$,

$$W = \{(a, b, c, d) / a = d, b = 2c\}$$

Find bases and dimensions of V , W and $V \cap W$. Hence prove that $\mathbb{R}^4 = V + W$.

27. Describel the four subspaces of \mathbb{R}^3 associated with

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and}$$

$$I + A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

28. Find a basis for the following subspaces of \mathbb{R}^4
- The vectors for which $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 0$ and $x_3 + x_4 = 0$.
 - The subspace spanned by $(1, 1, 1, 1)$, $(1, 2, 3, 4)$ and $(2, 3, 4, 5)$.
29. Find a basis for a subspace U of V in the following.
- $U = \left\{ (x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5) \in V_5 \middle/ \begin{array}{l} x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 0 \\ 3x_1 - x_4 + 7x_5 = 0 \end{array} \right\}, V = V_5$
 - $U = \{ p \in P / p(x_0) = 0 \}, V = P_4$.
Where P_4 is the set of all polynomials of degree ≤ 4 .
30. Let V be the vector space of 2×2 matrices over the field of real numbers \mathbb{R} .
Let $W = \{ A \in V / \text{Trace } A = 0 \}$. Show that w is a subspace of V . Find a basis for w and dimension.



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WORKSHEET - 3

LINEAR TRANSFORMATIONS

Topics to be covered:

Linear Transformations and their elementary properties.

Range and Null Space of Linear Transformation, Dimension of range space and Kernal (Null PSace), Singular and Non-Singular Linear Transformation and Inverse of Linear Transformation Matrix of Linear Transformation etc.

1. (i) Find an upper triangular matrix A such that

$$A^3 = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -57 \\ 0 & 27 \end{bmatrix}$$
- (ii) Let G be the linear operator on \mathbb{R}^3 defined by

$$G(x, y, z) = (2y + z, x - 4y, 3x)$$

 Find the matrix representation of G relative to the basis
 $S = \{(1, 1, 1), (1, 1, 0), (1, 0, 0)\}$
2. Let $R_3[x] = \{a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 / a_0, a_1, a_2 \in \mathbb{R}\}$. Define
 $T : R_3[x] \rightarrow R_3[x]$ by $T(f(x)) = \frac{d}{dx}(f(x))$ for all $f(x) \in R_3[x]$. Show that T is a linear transformation. Also find the matrix representation of T with reference to basis sets $\{1, x, x^2\}$ and $\{1, 1+x, 1+x+x^2\}$.
3. Show that the vectors $(1, 1, 1), (2, 1, 2)$ and $(1, 2, 3)$ are linearly independent in \mathbb{R}^3 . Let $T : IR^{(3)} \rightarrow IR^{(3)}$ be a linear transformation defined by $T(x, y, z) = (x + 2y + 3z, x + 2y + 5z, 2x + 4y + 6z)$. Show that the images of above vectors under T are linearly dependent. Give the reason for the same
4. Prove that $g : P_2 \rightarrow P_3$ defined as follows is linear. Find the kernel and range of g. Give bases for these subspaces

$$g(a_2 x^2 + a_1 x + a_0) = (a_2 - a_1)x^3 + a_1 x + 2a_0.$$
5. Consider the linear transformation $T : R^3 \rightarrow R^2$ defined by $T(x, y, z) = (x - y, x + z)$. Find the matrix of T with respect to the bases (u_1, u_2, u_3) and $\{u'_1, u'_2\}$ of R^3 and R^2 , where $u_1 = (1, -1, 0), u_2 = (2, 0, 1), u_3 = (1, 2, 1)$ and $u'_1 = (-1, 0), u'_2 = (0, 1)$. Use this matrix to find the image of the vector $u = (3, -4, 0)$.
6. Show that the transformation $T : P_2 \rightarrow P_2$ defined as follows is linear. $T(ax^2 + bx + c) = cx^2 + a$. Find the image of $3x^2 - x + 2$. Determine another element of P_2 that has the same image.
7. Let P_n denote the vector space of all real polynomials of degree atmost n and $T : P_2 \rightarrow P_3$ be a linear transformation given by

$$T(p(x)) = \int_0^x p(t)dt, \quad p(x) \in P_2.$$
 Find the matrix of T with respect to the bases $\{1, x, x^2\}$ and $\{1, x, 1+x^2, 1+x^3\}$ of P_2 and P_3 respectively. Also, find the null space of T.
8. Let D be the operation of taking the derivative. Interpret D as an operator on P_n .

Prove that $D^2 - 2D + 1$ is a linear operator.
Find the set of polynomials that are mapped by $D^2 - 2D + 1$ into $12x - 4$.

9. Consider the linear mapping $F : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ given as $F(x,y) = (3x+4y, 2x-5y)$ with usual basis.

Find the matrix associated with the linear transformation relative to the basis $S = \{u_1, u_2\}$ where $u_1 = (1,2), u_2 = (2,3)$.

10. Let $T : \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be the linear transformation defined by

$$T(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) = (x_1 - x_2 + x_3 + x_4, x_1 + 2x_3 - x_4, x_1 + x_2 + 3x_3 - 3x_4).$$

Find the range, rank, kernel and nullity of T .

11. Describe explicitly a linear transformation from \mathbb{R}^3 to \mathbb{R}^3 which has its range the subspace spanned by the vectors $(1, 0, -1)$ and $(1, 2, 2)$.

12. Let $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be a linear transformation defined by $f(a,b,c) = (a, a+b, 0)$.

Find the matrices A and B respectively of the linear transformation f with respect to the standard basis (e_1, e_2, e_3) and the basis (e'_1, e'_2, e'_3) where

$$e'_1 = (1, 1, 0), \quad e'_2 = (0, 1, 1), \quad e'_3 = (1, 1, 1).$$

Also, show that there exists an invertible matrix P such that $B = P^{-1}AP$

13. Is the vector $(3, -1, 0, -1)$ in the subspace of \mathbb{R}^4 spanned by the vectors $(2, -1, 3, 2)$, $(-1, 1, 1, -3)$ and $(1, 1, 9, -5)$?

14. Let $R_3(x) = \{a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 / a_0, a_1, a_2 \in \mathbb{R}\}$
Define $T : R_3(x) \rightarrow R_3(x)$ by

$$T(f(x)) = \frac{d}{dx}f(x) \text{ for all } f(x) \in R_3(x).$$

Show that T is a linear transformation. Also

find the matrix representation of T with reference to basis sets $\{1, x, x^2\}$ and $\{1+x, 1+x+x^2\}$.

15. Let F be the field of complex numbers and $T : F^3 \rightarrow F^3$ be given as

$$T(x_1, x_2, x_3)$$

$$= (x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3, 2x_1 + x_2, -x_1 - 2x_2 + 2x_3).$$

(i) Show that T is a linear transformation.

(ii) Find its rank and nullity.

(iii) Find conditions on a, b, c such that $(a, b, c) \in \text{Range } T$ and $(a, b, c) \in \text{null space of } T$.

16. Let $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be the linear transformation defined by

$$T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 + 3x_2 + 2x_3, 3x_1 + 4x_2 + x_3, 2x_1 + x_2 - x_3).$$

Then find the dimension of the range space of T^2 . Also find the

17. M is any 2 by 2 matrix and $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$.

The linear transformation T is defined by $T(M) = AM$. What rules of matrix multiplication show that T is linear?

18. Suppose that the matrix of a linear transformation of \mathbb{R}^3 relative to the basis $\{e_1 = (1, 0, 0), e_2 = (0, 1, 0), e_3 = (0, 0, 1)\}$ is

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Find the matrix of T relative to the basis $\{f_1 = (1, 1, -1), f_2 = (-1, 0, 1), f_3 = (1, 2, 1)\}$

19. (i) Let T be a linear operator on C^3 defined by $T(1, 0, 0) = 1, 0, i$, $T(0, 1, 0) = (0, 1, 1)$, $T(0, 0, 1) = (i, 1, 0)$. Is T invertible? Justify your answer.

- (ii) If T is a linear transformation on a vector space V such that $T^2 - T + I = 0$, then show that T is invertible.
20. Let F be a subfield of complex numbers and T a function from $F^3 \rightarrow F^3$ defined by
 $T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 + x_2 + 3x_3, 2x_1 - x_2, -3x_1 + x_2 - x_3)$
What are the conditions on (a, b, c) such that (a, b, c) be in the null space of T ? Find the nullity of T .
21. Let T be the linear operator defined by
 $T(x, y, z) = (2x, 4x - y, 2x + 3y - z)$
(i) Show that T is invertible.
(ii) Find a formula for T^{-1} .
22. Let $T: P_3 \rightarrow P_3$ be the map given by
 $T(p(x)) = \int_1^x p'(t) dt$. If the matrix of T relative to the standard bases $B_1 = B_2 = \{1, x, x^2, x^3\}$ is M and M' denotes the transpose of the matrix M then find $M + M'$.
23. Suppose $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ is a linear transformation whose matrix, with respect to the standard basis is $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. Find
 $T^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$.
24. Consider the linear transformation $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ defined by
 $T(x, y) = (x, x+y, 2y)$. Find the matrix of T with respect to the bases $\{u_1, u_2\}$ and $\{u'_1, u'_2, u'_3\}$ of \mathbb{R}^2 and \mathbb{R}^3 , where $u_1 = (1, 3)$, $u_2 = (4, -1)$, and $u'_1 = (1, 0, 0)$, $u'_2 = (0, 2, 0)$,
25. $u'_3 = (0, 0, -1)$
Use this matrix to find the image of the vector $u = (9, 1)$.
Find the matrix of the following linear transformation with respect to the basis of $\{x, 1\}$ of P_1 and $\{x^2, x, 1\}$ of P_2 .
 $T(ax^2 + bx + c) = (b+c)x^2 + (b-c)x$ of P_2 into itself.
26. Let $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be defined by
 $T(x, y, z) = (y+z, z, 0)$. Show that T is a linear transformation. If $V \in \mathbb{R}^3$ is such that $T^2(V) \neq 0$, then show that $B = \{V, T(V), T^2(V)\}$ forms a basis of \mathbb{R}^3 . Compute the matrix of T with respect to B . Also find a $V \in \mathbb{R}^3$ such that $V^2(V) \neq 0$.
27. Let V be the vector space polynomials of degree ≤ 3 over F . Let T be a linear transformation defined on V by
 $T(a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3) = (a_0 + a_1(x+1) + a_2(x+1)^2 + a_3(x+1)^3)$
Compute the matrix of T relative to the bases
(i) $\{1, x, x^2, x^3\}$
(ii) $\{1, 1+x, 1+x^2, 1+x^3\}$.
28. Let $\{e_1, e_2, e_3\}$ be the standard basis of \mathbb{R}^3 and T be a linear transformation from \mathbb{R}^3 into \mathbb{R}^2 defined by
 $T(e_1) = (2, 3)^T$, $T(e_2) = (1, 2)^T$
and $T(e_3) = (-1, -4)^T$
(i) What is $T(1, -2, -1)$
(ii) What is the matrix of T with respect to the standard bases of \mathbb{R}^3 and \mathbb{R}^2 ?

29. Let $D : V(IR) \rightarrow V(IR) : f(x) \rightarrow \frac{df(x)}{dx}$

$T : V(IR) \rightarrow V(IR) : f(x) \rightarrow xf(x)$

be linear transformations on $V(IR)$, the vector space of all polynomials in an indeterminate X with real coefficients.

Show that

- (i) $DT - TD = I$ the identity operator
- (ii) $(TD)^2 = TD^2 + TD$

find A^{-2} when $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

30. Show that the transformation $T : P_2 \rightarrow P_2$ defined as follows is linear.

$T(ax^2 + bx + c) = cx^2 + a$. Find the image of $3x^2 - x + 2$. Determine another element of P_2 that has the same image.



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WORKSHEET - 4

MATRICES

1. Find the characteristic equation of the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and, hence, find the matrix}$$

represented by $A^8 - 5A^7 + 7A^6 - 3A^5 + A^4 - 5A^3 + 8A^2 - 2A + I$

2. Find the condition on a , b , and c so that the following system in unknowns x , y and z has a solution.

$$x + 2y - 3z = a, \quad 2x + 6y - 11z = b, \quad x - 2y + 7z = c$$

3. If H is a Hermitian matrix, show that $(I - iH)(I + iH)^{-1} = (I + iH)^{-1}(I - iH) = U$ where U is a unitary matrix and that if λ is an eigenvalue of H , then $(1 - i\lambda)/(1 + i\lambda)$ is an eigenvalue of U .

Find U when $H = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & e^{i\alpha} \\ e^{-i\alpha} & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

4. (i) If α is a characteristic root of a non-singular matrix A , then prove that $\frac{|A|}{\alpha}$ is a characteristic root of $\text{Adj. } A$.

- (ii) Show that the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -9 & 4 & 4 \\ -8 & 3 & 4 \\ -16 & 8 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

is diagonalizable, Also find the diagonal form and a diagonalizing matrix P .

- 5.

(i) Verify that the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

satisfies its own characteristic equation. Is it true of every square matrix ? State the theorem that applies here.

- (ii) Let $V = \mathbb{R}^4$ (\mathbb{R}) and $W = \{(a, b, c, d) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : a = b + c, c = b + d\}$. Find a basis and the dimension of W .

- 6.

(i) Let $M = \begin{bmatrix} 1+i & 2i & i+3 \\ 0 & 1-i & 3i \\ 0 & 0 & i \end{bmatrix}$. Determine the eigen values of the matrix $B = M^2 - 2M + I$.

- (ii) Find a 3×3 orthogonal matrix whose

first two rows are $\left[\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3} \right]$ and

$$\left[0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right].$$

- 7.

Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

Show that for every interger $n \geq 3$, $A^n = A^{n+2} + A^2 - I$ and hence find the matrix A^8 .

8. Find the characteristic and minimal

$$\text{polynomials of } A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and}$$

determine whether A is diagonalisable

$$9. \text{ Let } A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}. \text{ Find an invertible } 3 \times$$

3 matrix P such that $P'Ap = D$, D is diagonal matrix. Find D also.

10. Find an orthogonal matrix that will diagonalize the real symmetric matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

Also write the resulting diagonal matrix.

11. Show that if λ is a non-zero eigen value of the non singular n-square matrix A, then $\frac{|A|}{\lambda}$ is an eigen value of $\text{adj}A$.

Also give an example to prove that the eigen values of AB are not necessarily the product of eigen values of A and that of B.

12. Given the linear transformation

$$Y = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \\ -2 & 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix} X, \text{ Show that it is singular}$$

and the images of the linearly independent vectors,

$$X_1 = [1, 1, 1]^T, X_2 = [2, 1, 2]^T, X_3 = [1, 2, 3]^T$$

are linearly dependent.

13. Calculate $f(A) = e^A - e^{-A}$ for

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 0 \\ 6 & 0 & 8 \\ 0 & 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{If } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Show that for every integer $n \geq 3$, $A^n = A^{n-2} + A^2 - I$. Hence determine A^{50}

$$15. \text{ Reduce } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 6 & -1 \\ 1 & 4 & 5 & 1 \\ 1 & 5 & 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ to normal form } N$$

and compute the matrices P & Q such that $PAQ=N$.

16. Let $V = P_3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space of polynomial functions on reals of degree at most 3. Let $D: V \rightarrow V$ be the differentiation operator defined by

$$D(a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3) = a_1 + 2a_2x + 3a_3x^2.$$

- (i) Show that D is a linear transformation.
- (ii) Find kernel and image of D.
- (iii) What are dimensions of V , $\ker D$ and image D?
- (iv) Give relation among them of (iii)

17. Find the eigen values and the corresponding

$$\text{eigen, vectors of } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

18. Show that the vectors $(1, 2, 1), (1, 0, -1)$ and $(0, -3, 2)$ form a basis for \mathbb{R}^3 .

19. Determine non-singular matrices P and Q such that the matrix PAQ is in canonical

- form, Where $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 & 14 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1-1 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$. Hence find the rank of A.
20. Find the minimum polynomial of the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, and use it to determine whether A is similar to a diagonal matrix.
21. Show that the quadratic form $2x^2 - 4xy + 3zx + 6y^2 + 6yz + 8z^2$ in three variables is positive definite.
22. Find the eigen values and their corresponding eigen vectors of the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$. Is the matrix diagonalisable?
23. For what values of α has the system of equations
 $x + 2y + z = 1$,
 $\alpha x + 4y + 2z = 2$,
 $4x - 2y + 2az = -1$
(i) a unique solution
(ii) infinitely many solutions
(iii) no solution.
24. Determine an orthogonal matrix which reduces the quadratic form $Q(x_1, x_2, x_3) = 2x_1^2 + x_2^2 - 4x_2x_3 + x_3^2$ to a canonical form. Also, identify the surface represented by $Q(x_1, x_2, x_3) = 7$.
25. Find the eigen values and the corresponding eigen vectors of $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$.
26. Determine a non-singular matrix P such that $P'AP$ is a diagonal matrix, where P' denotes the transpose of P, and $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
27. If A be an orthogonal matrix with the property that -1 is not a characteristic root of A, then show that A is expressible as $(I-S)(I+S)^{-1}$ for some suitable skew-symmetric matrix S.
28. Show that every unitary matrix A can, by a suitable choice of skew Hermitian matrix S, be expressed as $A = (I + S)(I - S)^{-1}$, Provided that -1 is not a characteristic root of A.
29. (i) For what values of η the equations
 $x + y + z = 1$
 $x + 2y + 4z = \eta$
 $x + 4y + 10z = \eta^2$
have a solution and solve them completely in each case.
(ii) Determine whether the linear transformation defined by the following matrix is one-to-one.
- $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 0 & 5 \\ 3 & 7 & 2 & 8 \\ -4 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$
30. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$. Find all eigen values of A and the corresponding eigen vectors.
31. Let $H = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1+i & 2i \\ 1-i & 4 & 2-3i \\ -2i & 2+3i & 7 \end{bmatrix}$ be a Hermitian matrix. Find a non-singular matrix P such that $P'AP$ is diagonal.



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WORKSHEET - 5

FULL CHAPTER

1. (i) Show that the diagonal entries of a skew symmetric matrix are all zero, but the converse is not true.
(ii) Let $Q' = \{ax^2 + bx + c / a \neq 0, b, c \in C\}$
Is Q' a complex vector space? Justify your answer.
2. Find the characteristic values and bases of the corresponding characteristic spaces of the matrix
- $$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$
- Is A similar to a diagonal matrix? Give reasons.
3. Find a non zero vector common to the space spanned by $(1, 2, 3), (3, 2, 1)$ and the space spanned by $(1, 0, 1)$ and $(3, 4, 3)$.
4. Let $V = \mathbb{R}^3$ and $\alpha_1 = (1, 1, 2), \alpha_2 = (0, 1, 3), \alpha_3 = (2, 4, 5)$ and $\alpha_4 = (-1, 0, -1)$ be the elements of V . Find a basis for the intersection of the subspace spanned by $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2\}$ and $\{\alpha_3, \alpha_4\}$.
5. Is the vector $(3, -1, 0, -1)$ in the subspace of \mathbb{R}^5 spanned by the vectors $(2, -1, 3, 2), (-1, 1, 1, -3)$, and $(1, 1, 9, -5)$?
6. Let
- $$V = \{(x, y, z, u) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : y + z + u = 0\},$$
- $$W = \{(x, y, z, u) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : x + y = 0, z = 2u\}$$
- be two subspaces of \mathbb{R}^4 . Find bases for $V, W, V+W$ and $V \cap W$.
7. Show that the sets
- $$W_1 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ a & 0 \end{bmatrix} : a \in \mathbb{R} \right\},$$
- $$W_2 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & a \\ 0 & a \end{bmatrix} : a \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$
- are subspaces of the vectorspace M_2 of 2×2 matrices over \mathbb{R} . Further show that $W_1 \cup W_2$ is not a subspace of M_2 .
8. Let W be the set of all $(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5)$ in \mathbb{R}^5 which satisfy
- $$2x_1 - x_2 + \frac{4}{3}x_3 - x_4 = 0$$

13. Let $U = \text{Span}(u_1, u_2, u_3)$ and $W = \text{Span}(v_1, v_2)$ be two subspaces of \mathbb{R}^4 where $u_1 = (1, 2, -1, 3)$, $u_2 = (2, 4, 1, -2)$, $u_3 = (3, 6, 3, -7)$, $v_1 = (1, 2, -4, 11)$, $v_2 = (2, 4, -5, 14)$; show that $U=W$.
14. Let W_1 and W_2 be two subspaces of $V(F)$, then the linear sum $W_1 + W_2$ is a subspace of $V(F)$ and $W_1 + W_2 = L(W_1 \cup W_2)$.
15. Show that the functions $f(t) = \sin t, g(t) = \cos t, h(t) = t$ are linearly independent.
16. (a) (i) If $P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, then find P^{50} .
(ii) Find the dimension of the subspace $W = \{(x, y, z, w) \in \mathbb{R}^4 | x+y+z+w=0, x+y+2z=0, x+3y=0\}$
17. Let V be the vector space of polynomials over \mathbb{R} . Let U and W be the subspaces generated by $\{t^3 + 4t^2 - t + 3, t^3 + 5t^2 + 5, 3t^3 + 10t^2 - 5t + 5\}$ and $\{t^3 + 4t^2 + 6, t^3 + 2t^2 - t + 5, 2t^3 + 2t^2 - 3t + 9\}$ respectively. Find
(i) $\dim(U + W)$
(ii) $\dim(U \cap W)$.
18. Show that the vectors $\alpha_1 = (1, 0, -1), \alpha_2 = (1, 2, 1), \alpha_3 = (0, -3, 2)$ from a basis for \mathbb{R}^3 . Find the components of $(1, 0, 0)$ w.r.t the basis $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3\}$.
19. Find bases for both the row and column spaces of the following matrix A . Show that the dimensions of both the row space and the column space are the same.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + 6\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 11\frac{dy}{dx} + 6y = 0$ is a vector space over \mathbb{R} . Give a basis for the vector space.

20. Let V be the vector space of all 2×2 matrices over the field F . Let W_1 be the set of matrices of the form $\begin{bmatrix} x & -x \\ y & z \end{bmatrix}$ and let W_2 be the set of matrices of the form $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ -a & c \end{bmatrix}$.
21. Take $V = \mathbb{P}_3$, the space of all real polynomials of degree at most 3. Let U be the subspace of \mathbb{P}_3 consisting of those polynomials of \mathbb{P}_3 that vanish at $x = 1$. Let W be the subspace of \mathbb{P}_3 consisting of those polynomials of \mathbb{P}_3 whose first derivatives vanish at $x = 1$. Determine the subspaces $U, W, U \cap W, U + W$ in terms of dimension, basis, and the extension of each of these bases to a basis for $V = \mathbb{P}_3$.
22. (i) Let A be a 3×3 upper triangular matrix with real entries. If $a_{11} = 1, a_{22} = 2$ and $a_{33} = 3$, determine α, β and γ such that $A^{-1} = \alpha A^2 + \beta A + \gamma I$.
(ii) Let $W \subset \mathbb{R}^4$ be the subspace defined by $W = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^4 : Ax = 0\}$ where
 $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
Write down a basis for W .
23. Find three vectors in \mathbb{R}^3 which are linearly dependent, and are such that any two of them are linearly independent.
24. Show that the set of all real-valued continuous functions $y = f(x)$ satisfying the differential equation:
25. Given $S_1 = \{(1, 2, 3), (0, 1, 2), (3, 2, 1)\}$ and $S_2 = \{(1, -2, 3), (-1, 1, -2), (1, -3, 4)\}$, determine the dimension and a basis for
(i) $[S_1] \cap [S_2]$ (ii) $[S_1] + [S_2]$
26. Let $\{(a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4) : a_i \in \mathbb{R}, i = 1, 2, 3, 4\}$ and $a_1 + a_2 + a_3 + a_4 = 0\}$ and $\Gamma = \{(a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4) : a_i \in \mathbb{R}, i = 1, 2, 3, 4 \text{ and } a_1 - a_2 + a_3 - a_4 = 0\}$. Find a basis for $S \cap \Gamma$.
27. Let
 $V = \mathbb{R}^4(\mathbb{R})$
 $W = \{(a, b, c, d) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : a = b + c, c = b + d\}$,
Find a basis and the dimension of W .
28. Let V be the (real) vector space of all polynomial functions from \mathbb{R} into \mathbb{R} of degree 2 or less, i.e., the space of all functions f of the form $f(x) = c_0 + c_1x + c_2x^2$. Let t be a fixed real number and define $g_1(x) = 1, g_2(x) = x + t, g_3(x) = (x + t)^2$. Prove that $B = \{g_1, g_2, g_3\}$ is a basis for V . If $f(x) = c_0 + c_1x + c_2x^2$. What are the coordinates of f in this ordered basis B .
29. Let V be the vector space of polynomials over \mathbb{R} . Let U and W be the subspaces generated by $\{t^3 + 4t^2 - t + 3, t^3 + 5t^2 + 5, 3t^3 + 10t^2 - 5t + 5\}$ and $\{t^3 + 4t^2 + 6, t^3 + 2t^2 - t + 5, 2t^3 + 2t^2 - 3t + 9\}$ respectively. Find

- (i) $\dim(U+W)$
(ii) $\dim(U \cap W)$
30. Are the vectors
 $\alpha_1 = (1,1,2,4), \alpha_2 = (2,-1,-5,2),$
 $\alpha_3 = (1,-1,-4,0), \alpha_4 = (2,1,1,6)$
linearly independent in \mathbb{R}^4 ? Also find a basis for the subspace of \mathbb{R}^4 spanned by the four vectors.
31. The vectorspace V of 2×2 matrices over R and the following usual basis E of V;
 $E = \left\{ E_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, E_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, E_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, E_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$
32. Let A and B be two subspaces of \mathbb{R}^3 generated by the sets
 $S_1 = \{(1,2,1), (3,1,5), (3,-4,7)\}$
and $S_2 = \{(1,0,-1), (1,2,1), (0,-3,2)\}$
respectively. Determine
(i) $\dim(A+B)$
(ii) $\dim(A \cap B)$
33. Let W be the space generated by the polynomials
 $V_1 = t^3 - 2t^2 + 4t + 1, V_2 = 2t^3 - 3t^2 + 9t - 1,$
 $V_3 = t^3 + 6t - 5$ and $V_4 = 2t^3 - 5t^2 + 7t + 5.$
Find a basis and dimension of W.
34. (i) Show that the dimension of the vectorspace $Q(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3})$ over Q is 4.
(ii) Determine whether or not the vectors $(6,2,3,4), (0,5,-3,1), (0,0,7,-2), (0,0,0,4)$ from a basis of $V_4(\mathbb{R})$.
35. (i) Prove that the union of two subspaces is a subspace iff one is contained in the other.
36. Let A and B be two subspaces of $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$ generated by the sets
 $S_1 = \{(1,2,1), (3,1,5), (3,-4,7)\}$ and
 $S_2 = \{(1,0,-1), (1, 2, 1), (0, -3, 2)\},$ respectively.
Determine (i) $\dim(A+B)$, (ii) $\dim(A \cap B)$.
37. Find the two subspaces A and B of $v = \mathbb{R}^4(\mathbb{R})$ such that $\dim A=2, \dim B=3$ and $\dim(A \cap B)=1$.
38. Let W be the space generated by the polynomials
 $V_1 = t^3 - 2t^2 + 4t + 1, V_2 = 2t^3 - 3t^2 + 9t - 1,$
 $V_3 = t^3 + 6t - 5$ and $V_4 = 2t^3 - 5t^2 + 7t + 5.$
Find a basis and dimension of W.
39. Find a basis and dimension of the subspace W of generated by
 $f(t) = \sin t, g(t) = \cos t, h(t) = t$ are linearly independent.
40. Find a basis and dimension fo the subspace W of generated by $(1, -4, -2, 1), (1, -3, -1, 2), (3, -8, -2, 7).$ All extend the basis of W to a basis of the whole space $\mathbb{R}^4.$
41. (i) If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, then find $A^{50}.$
(ii) Let $T: P_3 \rightarrow P_3$ be the map given by
 $T(P(x)) = \int_1^x P'(t) dt.$ If matrix of T relative to the standard basis

- $B_1 = B_2 = \{1, x, x^2, x^3\}$ is M and M^T denotes the transpose of the matrix M, then find $M+M^T$.
42. On the Space P_3 of cubic polynomials, what matrix represents d^2/dt^2 ? Construct the 4 by 4 matrix from the standard basis $1, t, t^2, t^3$. Find its nullspace and column space. What do they mean in terms of polynomials?
43. If A be an orthogonal matrix with the property that -1 is not a characteristic root, then A is expressible as $(I + S)(I - S)^{-1}$ for some suitable real skew symmetric matrix S.
44. (i) Show that the transformation $T : P_2 \rightarrow P_2$ defined as follows is linear. $T(ax^2 + bx + c) = cx^2 + a$. Find the image of $3x^2 - x + 2$. Determine another element of P_2 that has the same image.
(ii) let A be a 5×5 matrix whose characteristic polynomial is given by $(\lambda - 2)^3(\lambda + 2)^2$. If A is diagonalizable, find α and β such that $A^{-1} = \alpha A + \beta I$.
45. If H is a hermitian matrix, show that $(I - iH)(I + iH)^{-1}(I - iH) = U$ where U is a unitary matrix and that if λ is an eigenvalue of H, then $(1 - i\lambda)/(1 + i\lambda)$ is an eigenvalue of U. Find U when $H = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & e^{ia} \\ e^{-ia} & -1 \end{bmatrix}$
46. Discuss for all values of k the system of equations
 $2x + 3ky + (3k + 4)z = 0$
 $x + (k + 4)y + (4k + 2)z = 0$
 $x + 2(k + 1)y + (3k + 4)z = 0$
47. (i) Construct a 2×2 matrix A with real entries such that $A^3 = I$.
- (ii) Find the inverse in \mathbb{Z}_3 of the following matrix :
- $$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$
48. Prove that the following two matrices are not row-equivalent :
- $$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ a & -1 & 0 \\ b & c & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ -2 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$
49. (i) Find a matrix P which transforms the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ to diagonal form.
Hence calculate A^4 .
(ii) If λ be an eigen value of a non-singular matrix A, show that $|A|/\lambda$ is an eigen value of the matrix $\text{adj } A$.
50. Consider the system of equations
 $x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 = 1$
 $2x_1 + 2x_3 = 1$
 $x_1 - 3x_2 + 4x_3 = 2$
Does this system have a solution? If so, describe explicitly all solutions.
51. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -6 & 2 & -1 \\ -2 & 4 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.
For which (y_1, y_2, y_3, y_4) does the system of equations $AX = Y$ have a solution?



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FULL CHAPTER

1. Show that the transformation $T(ax^2 + bx + c) = 2ax + b$ of $P_2 \rightarrow P_1$ is linear. Find the image of $3x^2 - 2x + 1$. Determine another element of P_2 that has the same image.
2. Find the values of λ for which the equations $(\lambda - 1)x + (3\lambda + 1)y + 2\lambda z = 0$, $(\lambda - 1)x + (4\lambda - 2)y + (\lambda + 3)z = 0$, $2x + (3\lambda + 1)y + 3(\lambda - 1)z = 0$ are consistent, and find the ratios of $x : y : z$ when λ has the smallest of these values. What happens when λ has the greater of these values.
3. Using Cayley-Hamilton theorem, find A^8 , if $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$
4. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$. For which triples (y_1, y_2, y_3) does the system $AX = Y$ have a solution?
5. Reduce the quadratic form $x^2 + 4y^2 + 9z^2 + t^2 - 12yz + 6zx - 4xy - 2xt - 6zt$ to canonical form and find its rank and signature.
6. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ For which X does there exist a scalar c such that $AX = cX$?
7. Let W be the subspace of \mathbb{R}^5 spanned by $u_1 = (1, 2, -1, 3, 4)$, $u_2 = (2, 4, -2, 6, 8)$, $u_3 = (1, 3, 2, 2, 6)$, $u_4 = (1, 4, 5, 1, 8)$ and $u_5 = (2, 7, 3, 3, 9)$. Find a subset of the vectors which form a basis of W .
8. (i) Show that the dimension of the vectorspace $\mathcal{Q}(\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3})$ over \mathbb{Q} is 4.
(ii) Determine whether or not the vectors $(6, 2, 3, 4), (0, 5, -3, 1), (0, 0, 7, -2), (0, 0, 0, 4)$ form a basis of $V_4(\mathbb{R})$.
9. If W_1, W_2 are two subspaces of a finite dimensional vectorspace $V(F)$, then $\dim(W_1 + W_2) = \dim W_1 + \dim W_2 - \dim(W_1 \cap W_2)$

10. Let W be the space generated by the polynomials $v_1 = t^3 - 2t^2 + 4t + 1$, $v_2 = 2t^3 - 3t^2 + 9t - 1$, $v_3 = t^3 + 6t - 5$ and $v_4 = 2t^3 - 5t^2 + 7t + 5$. Find a basis and dimension of w.
11. Let V be the set of all real valued functions $y = f(x)$ satisfying $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 4y = 0$. Prove that V is a 2-dimensional real vectorspace.
12. Let V be the vectorspace of 3×3 anit symmetric matrices over F, then show that $\dim V = 3$ by exhibiting a basis of V.
13. Find the dimension of the subspace of R^4 , spanned by the set $\{(1,0,0,0), (0,1,0,0), (1,2,0,1), (0,0,0,1)\}$. Hence find its basis.
14. (i) Show that the subspaces of $I\mathbb{R}^3$ spanned by two sets of vectors $\{(1,1,-1), (1,0,1)\}$ and $\{(1,2,-3), (5,2,1)\}$ are identical. Also find the dimension of this subspace.
(ii) Find the nullity and a basis of the null space of the linear transformation $A: R^{(4)} \rightarrow R^{(4)}$ given by the matrix
- $$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & -3 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$
15. Prove that the set V of the vectors (x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) in $I\mathbb{R}^4$ which satisfy the equations $x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 + x_4 = 0$ and $2x_1 + 3x_2 - x_3 + x_4 = 0$, is a subspace of $I\mathbb{R}^4$. What is the dimension of this subspace? Find one of its bases.
16. Prove that the set V of all 3×3 real symmetric matrices forms a linear subspace of the space of all 3×3 real matrices. What is the dimension of this subspace? Find at least one of the bases for V.
17. Find the dimension of the subspace of R^4 spanned by the set $\{(1, 0, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0, 0), (1, 2, 0, 1), (0, 0, 0, 1)\}$. Hence find a basis for the subspace.
18. Let W be the set of all 3×3 symmetric matrices over $I\mathbb{R}$. Does it form a subspace of the vector space of the 3×3 matrices over $I\mathbb{R}$? In case it does, construct a basis for this space and determine its dimension.
19. Let S be the vector space of all polynomials $P(x)$, with real coefficients, of degree less than or equal to two considered over the real field $I\mathbb{R}$, such that $P(0)=0$ and $P(1)=0$. Determine a basis for S and hence its dimension.
20. Let V be the vector space of polynomials in x of degree $\leq n$ over R . Prove that the set $\{1, x, x^2, \dots, x^n\}$ is a basis for V. Extend this basis so that it becomes a basis for the set of all polynomials in x.
21. Let S be space generated by the vectors $\{(0, 2, 6), (3, 1, 6), (4, -2, -2)\}$. What is the dimension of the space S? find a basis for S.
22. Given two linearly independent vectors $(1, 0, 1, 0)$ and $(0, -1, 1, 0)$ of $I\mathbb{R}^4$, find a basis of $I\mathbb{R}^4$ which includes these two vectors:
23. Let V be the vector space of polynomials over $I\mathbb{R}$. Find a basis and dimension of the subspace w of v spanned by the polynomials $v_1 = t^3 - 2t^2 + 4t + 1$, $v_2 = 2t^3 - 3t^2 + 9t - 1$, $v_3 = t^2 + 6t - 5$,

$$v_4 = 2t^3 - 5t^2 + 7t + 5,$$

24. In \mathbb{R}^4 , let w_1 be the space generated by $(1, 1, 0, -1)$, $(2, 4, 6, 0)$ and $(-2, -3, -3, 1)$ and let w_2 be the space generated by $(-1, -2, -2, 2)$, $(4, 6, 4, -6)$ and $(1, 3, 4, -3)$. Find a basis for the space $w_1 + w_2$.
25. Let V and U be vector spaces over the field K and let V be of finite dimension. Let $T: V \rightarrow U$ be a linear map. Prove that $\dim V = \dim R(T) + \dim N(T)$.
26. Let $S = \{(x, y, z) / x+y+z=0\}$, x, y, z being real, prove that S is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^3 . Find a basis of ' S '.
27. Let $V(\mathbb{R})$ be the real vector space of all 2×3 matrices with real entries. Find a basis for $V(\mathbb{R})$. What is the dimension of $V(\mathbb{R})$?
28. Show that the rank of the product of two square matrices A, B each of order n , satisfies the inequality
- $$r_A + r_B - n \leq r_{AB} \leq \min(r_A, r_B)$$
- where r_0 stands for the rank of a square matrix C .
29. Determine a basis of the subspace spanned by the vectors
 $v_1 = (1, 2, 3); v_2 = (2, 1, -1)$
 $v_3 = (1, -1, -4); v_4 = (4, 2, -2)$
- (a) show that it is impossible for any 2×2 real symmetric matrix of the form
- $$\begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b \\ b & a_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad (b \neq 0)$$
- to have identical eigenvalues.
- (b) Prove that the eigen values of a Hermitian matrix are all real and that an eigen value of a skew Hermitian matrix is either zero or a pure imaginary number.

30. Let $M_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, M_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix},$

$$M_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, M_4 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

prove that the set $\{M_1, M_2, M_3, M_4\}$ form the basis of the vector space of 2×2 matrices.

31. Consider the basis $S = \{V_1, V_2, V_3\}$ of \mathbb{R}^3 where

$$V_1 = (1, 1, 1), V_2 = (1, 1, 0),$$

$$V_3 = (1, 0, 0). \text{ Express } (2, -3, 5) \text{ in terms of the basis } V_1, V_2, V_3.$$

Let $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be defined as $T(V_1) = (1, 0), T(V_2) = (2, -1), T(V_3) = (4, 3)$.

Find $T(2, -3, 5)$

32. If the matrix of a linear operator T on $V_3(\mathbb{R})$ with respect to the standard basis is

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Describe explicitly $T: V_3(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow V_3(\mathbb{R})$. What is the matrix of T with respect to the basis $\{(0, 1, -1), (1, -1, 1), (-1, 1, 0)\}$.

33. Let $R_3(x) = \{a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 / a_0, a_1, a_2 \in \mathbb{R}\}$

Define $T: R_3(x) \rightarrow R_3(x)$ by

$T(f(x)) = \frac{d}{dx} f(x)$ for all $f(x) \in R_3(x)$. Show that T is a linear transformation. Also find the matrix representation of T with reference to basis sets $\{1, x, x^2\}$ and $\{1+x, 1+x+x^2\}$.

34. Let V be the real vector space of all polynomials in one variable with real coefficients and of degree less than, or equal to 3, provided with the standard basis $\{1, x, x^2, x^3\}$.

If $p(x) = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3$, define

$$T(p)(x) = a_0 + a_1(x+1) + a_2(x+1)^2 + a_3(x+1)^3.$$

- Write down the matrix representing the linear transformation T with respect to this basis.
35. Let \mathbb{R}_3 denote the (real) vector space of all polynomials (in one variable), with real coefficients and of degree less than, or equal to, 3, equipped with the standard basis $\{1, x, x^2, x^3\}$. Write down the matrix (with respect to this basis) of the linear transformation $L(p) = p'' - 2p' + p$, $p \in \mathbb{R}_3$.
36. Show that the map $T : P_2 \rightarrow P_2$ defined by $T(\alpha_0 + \alpha_1x + \alpha_2x^2) = (\alpha_0 + \alpha_1) + (\alpha_1 + 2\alpha_2)x + (\alpha_0 + \alpha_1 + 3\alpha_2)x^2$ is non singular and find its inverse.
37. (i) Show that there does not exist any non-singular mapping of \mathbb{R}^3 into \mathbb{R}^2 . Give an example of a non-singular mapping of \mathbb{R}^2 into \mathbb{R}^3 .
(ii) Show that $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ defined by $T(x, y, z) = (y, x)$ is a linear transformation for the basis sets $S_1 = \{e_1, e_2, e_3\}$ of \mathbb{R}^3 and $S_2 = \{(1,0), (2,3)\}$ of \mathbb{R}^2 , find the matrix representation of T. Here e_1, e_2, e_3 are standard unit vectors.
38. Let F be a subfield of the complex numbers and let T be the function from F^3 into F^3 defined by $T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3, 2x_1 + x_2, -x_1 - 2x_2 + 2x_3)$
(i) Verify that T is a linear transformation.
(ii) If (a, b, c) is a vector in F^3 , what are the conditions on a, b and c that the vector be in the range of T? What is the rank of T?
(iii) What are the conditions on a, b and c that (a, b, c) be in the null space of T? What is the nullity of T?
39. Let $R_3[x] = \{a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 / a_0, a_1, a_2 \in \mathbb{R}\}$. Define $T : \mathbb{R}_3[x] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_3[x]$ by $T(f(x)) = \frac{d}{dx}(f(x))$ for all $f(x) \in R_3[x]$. Show that T is a linear transformation. Also find the matrix representation of T with reference to basis sets $\{1, x, x^2\}$ and $\{1, 1+x, 1+x+x^2\}$.
40. Let V be the vectorspace polynomials of degree ≤ 3 over F. Let T be a linear transformation defined on V by $T(a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3) = (a_0 + a_1(x+1) + a_2(x+1)^2 + a_3(x+1)^3)$. Compute the matrix of T relative to the bases
(i) $[1, x, x^2, x^3]$
(ii) $[1, 1+x, 1+x^2, 1+x^3]$.
41. Let T be the linear operator on \mathbb{R}^3 defined by $T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (3x_1, x_1 - x_2, 2x_1 + x_2 + x_3)$. Is T invertible? If so, find a rule for T^{-1} like the one which defines T.
42. Let $V = \{P(x)/P(x)\}$ be a polynomial of degree $\leq n$ with real coefficients} and $T : V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ be defined as $T(p(x)) = (p(1), p(2), \dots, p(m))$. Then show that T is linear and determine the Nullity of T.
43. Let T be a linear operator on C^3 defined by $T(1,0,0) = (1,0,i)$, $T(0,1,0) = (0,1,1)$, $T(0,0,1) = (i,1,0)$. Is T invertible? Justify your answer.
44. Let T be a linear operator on C^2 defined by $T(x_1, x_2) = (x_1, 0)$. Let B be the, standard ordered basis for C_2 and

$\beta' = \{\alpha_1 = (1, i), \alpha_2 = (-i, 2)\}$ be an ordered basis for C^2 . Find a matrix P such that $[T]_{\beta'} = P^{-1}[T]_{\beta}P$

45. The matrix map $B : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ defined by the

$$\text{matrix } B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 5 & 13 \\ -2 & -1 & -4 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ Find the}$$

dimension and a basis of the kernal of the matrix map B.

46. Let V be the vector space polynomials of degree ≤ 3 over F. Let T be a linear transformation defined on V by

$$T(a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3) = (a_0 + a_1(x+1) + a_2(x+1)^2 + a_3(x+1)^3).$$

Compute the matrix of T relative to the bases

- (i) $\{1, x, x^2, x^3\}$
- (ii) $\{1, 1+x, 1+x^2, 1+x^3\}$

47. Let $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be defined as

$$T(x, y, z) = (3x, x-y, 2x+y+z), \forall (x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3$$

- (i) Show that T is a linear operator on \mathbb{R}^3 .
- (ii) Is T invertible? If yes, find T^{-1} .

48. Let $\mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be defined by

$$T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1+x_2, x_2+x_3, x_3+x_1). \text{ Is T invertible? If yes, find } T^{-1}(x_1, x_2, x_3).$$

49. If the matrix of a linear transformation $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ relative to the basis $\{e_1 = (1, 0, 0), e_2 = (0, 1, 0), e_3 = (0, 0, 1)\}$ is

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}. \text{ Find the matrix of T relative}$$

to the basis

$$\{f_1 = (1, 1, 1), f_2 = (0, 1, 1), f_3 = (0, 0, 1)\}.$$

50. Let $R_3(x) = \{a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 / a_0, a_1, a_2 \in \mathbb{R}\}$

Define $T : R_3(x) \rightarrow R_3(x)$

$$\text{by } T(f(x)) = \frac{d}{dx}f(x) \text{ for all } f(x) \in R_3(x).$$

Show that T is a linear transformation. Also find the matrix representation of T with reference to basis sets $\{1, x, x^2\}$ and $\{1, 1+x, 1+x+x^2\}$.

51. Let T be a linear operator on \mathbb{R}^3 defined by $T(x, y, z) = (x+y+2z, -x+2y+z, y+3z)$

$$\text{Let } \beta = \{\rho_1 = (1, 0, 0), \rho_2 = (0, 1, 0), \rho_3 = (0, 0, 1)\}$$

$$\text{and } \beta' = \{\alpha_1 = (1, 1, 1), \alpha_2 = (0, 1, 1), \alpha_3 = (0, 0, 1)\}$$

be two ordred bases for \mathbb{R}^3 . Find a matrix P such that $[T]_{\beta'} = P^{-1}[T]_{\beta}P$.

52. Let P_n denote the vector space of all real polynomials of degree atmost n and $T : P_2 \rightarrow P_3$ be a linear transformation given by

$$T(p(x)) = \int_0^x p(t) dt, \quad p(x) \in P_2.$$

Find the matrix of T with respect to the bases $\{1, x, x^2\}$ and $\{1, x, 1+x^2, 1+x^3\}$ of P_2 and P_3 respectively. Also, find the null space of T.

53. Let V be an n-dimensional vector space and $T : V \rightarrow V$ be an invertible linear operator.

If $\beta = \{X_1, X_2, \dots, X_n\}$ is a basis of V, show that $\beta' = \{TX_1, TX_2, \dots, TX_n\}$ is also a basis of V.

54. Let $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be the linear transformation defined by

$$T(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) = (\alpha, 2\beta - 3\gamma, 2\alpha + 5\beta - 4\gamma, \alpha + 4\beta + \gamma)$$

Find a basis and the dimension of the image of T and the kernel of T.

55. (i) Consider the linear mapping $f: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ by
 $f(x, y) = (3x + 4y, 2x - 5y)$
Find the matrix A relative to the basis $\{(1, 0), (0, 1)\}$ and the matrix B relative to the basis $\{(1, 2), (2, 3)\}$.
- (ii) If λ is a characteristic root of a non-singular matrix A, then prove that $\frac{|A|}{\lambda}$ is a characteristic root of $\text{Adj } A$.
56. Show that the vectors $(1, 1, 1), (2, 1, 2)$ and $(1, 2, 3)$ are linearly independent in \mathbb{R}^3 . Let $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be a linear transformation defined by
 $T(x, y, z) = (x + 2y + 3z, x + 2y + 5z, 2x + 4y + 6z)$
Show that the images of above vectors under T are linearly dependent. Give the reason for the same.
57. What is the null space of the differentiation transformation $\frac{d}{dx}: P_n \rightarrow P_n$? Where P_n is the space of all polynomials of degree $\leq n$ over the real numbers? What is the null space of the second derivative as a transformation of P_n ? What is the null space of the kth derivative?
58. Let $M = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$. Find the unique linear transformation $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ so that M is the matrix of T with respect to the basis $\beta = \{v_1 = (1, 0, 0), v_2 = (1, 1, 0), v_3 = (1, 1, 1)\}$ of \mathbb{R}^3 and $\beta = \{w_1 = (1, 0), w_2 = (1, 1)\}$ of \mathbb{R}^2 . Also find T(x, y, z).
59. Let $\beta = \{(1, 1, 0), (1, 0, 1), (0, 1, 1)\}$ and $\beta' = \{(2, 1, 1), (1, 2, 1), (-1, 1, 1)\}$ be the two ordered bases of \mathbb{R}^3 . Then find a matrix representing the linear transformation $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ which transforms β into β' . Use this matrix representation to find $T(\bar{x})$, where $\bar{x} = (2, 3, 1)$.
60. Let $L: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be a linear transformation defined by
 $L(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) = (x_3 + x_4 - x_1 - x_2, x_3 - x_2, x_4 - x_1)$
Then find the rank and nullity of L. Also, determine null space and range space of L.
61. Show that $B = \{(1, 0, 0), (1, 1, 0), (1, 1, 1)\}$ is a basis of \mathbb{R}^3 . Let $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be a linear transformation such that $T(1, 0, 0) = (1, 0, 0)$, $T(1, 1, 0) = (1, 1, 1)$ and $T(1, 1, 1) = (1, 1, 0)$. Find T(x, y, z).
62. Let T be the linear transformation from \mathbb{R}^3 to \mathbb{R}^4 defined by
 $(2x_1 + x_2 + x_3, x_1 + x_2, x_1 + x_3, 3x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3)$ for each $(x_1, x_2, x_3) \in \mathbb{R}^3$
Determine a basis for the Null space of T. What is the dimension of the Range space of T.
63. Let T be a linear transformation on \mathbb{R}^3 , whose matrix relative to the standard basis of \mathbb{R}^3 is
 $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ find the matrix of T relative to the basis $\beta = \{(1, 1, 1), (1, 1, 0), (0, 1, 1)\}$.

64. Show that $f: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a linear transformation, where $f(x, y, z) = 3x + y - z$. What is the dimension of the kernel? find a basis for the kernel.
65. Show that the linear transformation from \mathbb{R}^3 to \mathbb{R}^4 which is represented by the matrix
- $$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$
- is one to one. Find a basis for its image
66. Show that the mapping $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ where $T(a, b, c) = (a-b, b-c, a+c)$ is linear and non-singular.
67. Let $T: \mathbb{R}^5 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^5$ be a linear mapping given by $T(a, b, c, d, e) = (b-d, d+e, b, 2d+e, b+e)$. Obtain bases for its null space and range space.
68. Let V be a vector space over \mathbb{R} and
Let $T = \{(x, y) / x, y \in V\}$
Define addition in T componentwise and scalar multiplication by a complex number $\alpha + i\beta$ by $(\alpha + i\beta)(x, y) = (\alpha x - \beta y, \beta x + \alpha y)$ $\forall \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$. show that T is a vector space over \mathbb{C} .
69. Let $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ defined by $T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_2, x_3 - cx_1, -bx_2 - ax_3)$, where a, b, c are fixed real numbers. Show that T is a linear transformation of \mathbb{R}^3 and that $A^3 + aA^2 + bA + cI = 0$, where A is the matrix of T with respect to standard basis of \mathbb{R}^3 .
70. Let $V = \mathbb{R}^3$ and v_1, v_2, v_3 be a basis of \mathbb{R}^3 . Let $T: V \rightarrow V$ be linear transformation such that $T(v_i) = v_1 + v_2 + v_3$, $1 \leq i \leq 3$. By writing the matrix of T w.r.t another basis, show that the matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ is similar to $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
71. Let $V = \mathbb{R}^3$ and $T: V \rightarrow V$ be the linear map defined by $T(x, y, z) = (x+z, -2x+y, -x+2y+z)$. What is the matrix of T w.r.t the basis $(1, 0, 1), (-1, 1, 1)$ and $(0, 1, 1)$? Using this matrix, write down the matrix of T w.r.t the basis $(0, 1, 2), (-1, 1, 1)$ and $(0, 1, 1)$.
72. Let T be the linear operator in \mathbb{R}^3 defined by $T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (3x_1 + x_3, -2x_1 + x_2, -x_1 + 2x_2 + 4x_3)$. What is the matrix of T in the standard ordered basis for \mathbb{R}^3 ? what is a basis of range space of T and a basis of null space of T ?
73. Show that $f_1(t) = 1, f_2(t) = t-2, f_3(t) = (t-2)^3$ form a basis of P_3 , the space of polynomials with degree ≤ 2 . Express $3t^2 - 5t + 4$ as a linear combination of f_1, f_2, f_3 .
74. Define rank and nullity of a linear transformation T . If V be a finite dimensional vector space and T a linear operator on V such that $\text{rank } T^2 = \text{rank } T$, then prove that the null space of $T =$ the null space of T^2 and the intersection of the range space and null space of T is the zero subspace of V .
75. If the matrix of a linear operator T on \mathbb{R}^2 relative to the standard basis $\{(1, 0), (0, 1)\}$ is $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, what is the matrix of T relative to the basis $B = \{(1, 1), (1, -1)\}$?

76. Verify which of the following are linear transformations.

- (i) $T: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ defined by $T(x) = (2x, -x)$
- (ii) $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ defined by $T(x, y) = (xy, y, x)$
- (iii) $T: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ defined by $T(x) = (1, -1)$
- (iv) $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ defined by $T(x,y)=(x+y,y,x)$

77. Let $T: M_{2 \times 1} \rightarrow M_{2 \times 3}$ be a linear transformation defined by

$$T\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 4 & 1 & 5 \end{pmatrix}, T\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$\text{Find } T\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$

78. Let C be the field of complex numbers and let T be the function from \mathbb{C}^3 into \mathbb{C}^3 defined by

$$T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3, 2x_1 + x_2, -x_1 - 2x_2 + 2x_3)$$

- (i) verify that T is a linear transformation.
- (ii) If (a, b, c) is a vector in \mathbb{C}^3 , what are the conditions on a, b and c so that the vector be in the range of T ? what is the rank of T ?
- (iii) What are the conditions on a, b and c so that (a, b, c) is in the null space of T ? what is the nullity of T ?

79. Let $L: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be linear transformation for which we know that $L(1,0,0) = (2, -1)$, $L(0,1,0) = (3, 1)$ and $L(0,0,1) = (-1, 2)$. Find $L(-3, 4, 2)$.

80. Let $L: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be defined by

$$L\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x+y \\ x-z \end{pmatrix}$$

Let $S = \{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$ and $T = \{w_1, w_2\}$ be

bases for \mathbb{R}^3 and \mathbb{R}^2 respectively where

$$v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, v_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

$$w_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ & } w_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Find the matrix of L w.r.t S and T .

81. Find the characteristic equation of the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and verify that it satisfies}$$

by A.

82. Is the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -3 & 2 \\ 4 & -1 & -2 \\ 10 & -5 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$ Similar

over the field \mathbb{R} to a diagonal matrix? Is A similar over the field C to a diagonal matrix?

83. Determine the definiteness of the following quadratic form

$$q(x_1, x_2, x_3) = [x_1 \ x_2 \ x_3] \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 5 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

84. Determine a, b and c so that the matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2b & c \\ a & b & -c \\ a & -b & c \end{pmatrix} \text{ is orthogonal.}$$

85. Obtain the characteristic equation of the

$$matrix A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and show that } A$$

satisfies its characteristic equation. Hence determine the inverse of A .

86. If S be a real skew-symmetric matrix of order n , prove that the matrix $P = (I_n + S)^{-1} (I_n - S)$ is orthogonal where I_n stands for the identity matrix of order ' n '.
87. Find the row rank and column rank of the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & 6 & 9 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$. Hence determine the rank of A .
88. Reduce the equation $2y^2 - 2xy - 2yz + 2zx - x - 2y + 3z - 2 = 0$ into canonical form and determine the nature of the quadric.
89. Find a linear map $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$ Whose image is generated by $(1, 2, 0, -4)$ and $(2, 0, -1, -3)$
90. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 & 3 \\ 3 & -5 & 3 \\ 6 & -6 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$. Is A similar to a diagonal matrix? If so, find an invertible matrix P such that $P^{-1}AP$ is a diagonal matrix.
91. Show that the set $P[t] = \{at^2 + bt + c / a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}\}$ forms a vector space over the field \mathbb{R} . Find a basis for this vector space. What is the dimension of this vector space?
92. Find the characteristic polynomial of $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$. Verify Cayley-Hamilton

theorem for this matrix and hence find its inverse.

93. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & -6 & -6 \\ -1 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & -6 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$ Find an invertible matrix P such that $P^{-1}AP$ is a diagonal matrix.
94. Find the rank of the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 & 4 & 7 \\ -1 & -2 & 2 & 5 & 3 \\ 3 & 6 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 4 & 8 & 6 & 8 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$
95. Let $V = \{(x, y, z, u) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : y + z + u = 0\}$, $W = \{(x, y, z, u) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : x + y = 0, z = 2u\}$ be two subspaces of \mathbb{R}^4 . Find bases for $V, W, V + W$ and $V \cap W$.
96. Find the characteristic polynomial of the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \\ -1 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and hence compute A^{10} .
97. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 & 3 \\ 0 & 5 & 6 \\ 0 & -3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ Find an invertible matrix P such that $P^{-1}AP$ is a diagonal matrix.

98. Find an orthogonal transformation to reduce the quadratic form $5x^2 + 2y^2 + 4xy$ to a canonical form.
99. Verify Cayley–Hamilton theorem for the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ and find its inverse. Also express $A^5 - 4A^4 - 7A^3 + 11A^2 - A - 10I$ as a linear polynomial in A.
100. Find the characteristic equation of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ and hence find the matrix represented by

$$A^8 - 5A^7 + 7A^6 - 3A^5 + A^4 - 5A^3 + 8A^2 - 2A + I$$
101. Let V be the vector space of 2×2 matrices over \mathbb{R} and let $M = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$. Let $F: V \rightarrow V$ be the linear map defined by $F(A) = MA$. Find a basis and the dimension of
(i) The kernel of W of F.
(ii) The image U of F.
102. Let $H = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & i & 2+i \\ -i & 2 & 1-i \\ 2-i & 1+i & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ be a Hermitian matrix. Find a non-singular matrix P such that $P^* H \bar{P}$ is diagonal and also find its signature.
103. Find an orthogonal transformation of coordinates which diagonalizes the quadratic form
104. $q(x,y) = 2x^2 - 4xy + 5y^2$. Discuss the consistency and the solutions of the equations
 $x + ay + az = 1, ax + y + 2az = -4, ax - ay + 4z = 2$. for different values of a.
105. For the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$. Prove that $A^n = A^{n-2} + A^2 - I, n \geq 3$.
106. Let $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$. Find all eigen values and corresponding eigen vectors of B viewed as a matrix over:
(i) The real field R.
(ii) The complex field C.
107. Examine whether the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 & -6 \\ -1 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is diagonalizable. Find all eigen values. Then obtain a matrix P such that $P^{-1}AP$ is a diagonal matrix.
108. Find an upper triangular matrix A such that
 $A^3 = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -57 \\ 0 & 27 \end{bmatrix}$
109. Find the condition on a, b, and c so that the following system in unknowns x, y and z has a solution.

$$\begin{aligned} x + 2y - 3z &= a \\ 2x + 6y - 11z &= b \\ x - 2y + 7z &= c \end{aligned}$$

110. Find the minimal polynomial of the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 & 2 \\ 6 & -3 & 4 \\ 3 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

111. Find a 3×3 orthogonal matrix whose first

two rows are $\left[\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}\right]$ and $\left[0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right]$.

112. Determine diagonal matrices orthogonally similar to the following real symmetric matrices, obtaining also the transforming matrices:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 4 & -4 \\ 4 & -8 & -1 \\ -4 & -1 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$$

113. Show that every square matrix can be expressed uniquely as $A + iB$ where A, B are Hermitian.

114. Reduce the quadratic form $x^2 + 4y^2 + 9z^2 + t^2 - 12yz + 6zx - 4xy - 2xt - 6zt$ to canonical form and find its rank and signature.

115. (i) If B is an idempotent matrix, show that $A = I - B$ is also idempotent and that $AB = BA = O$.
(ii) If A is a non-singular matrix, then show that $\text{adj } \text{adj } A = |A|^{n-2} A$.

116. Find the characteristic roots of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ and verify Cayley-Hamilton theorem for this matrix. Find the inverse of the matrix A and also express $A^5 - 4A^4 - 7A^3 + 11A^2 - A - 10I$ as a linear polynomial in A .

117. Let T be the linear operator on \mathbb{R}^4 which is represented in the standard ordered basis by the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ a & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & b & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & c & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Under what conditions on a, b , and c is T diagonalizable?

118. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

Show that for every integer $n \geq 3$, $A^n = A^{n+2} + A^2 - I$ and hence find the matrix A^8 .

119. Find the characteristic and minimal

polynomials of $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ and

determine whether A is diagonalisable.

120. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$. Find an invertible 3×3 matrix P such that $P'Ap = D$, D is diagonal matrix. Find D also.

121. If the matrix of a linear operator T on $V_3(\mathbb{R})$ with respect to the standard basis is

$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$. Describe explicitly $T : V_3(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow V_3(\mathbb{R})$.

What is the matrix of T with respect to the basis $\{(0, 1, -1), (1, -1, 1), (-1, 1, 0)\}$

122. Show that if λ is a non-zero eigen value of the non singular n-square matrix A, then $\frac{|A|}{\lambda}$ is an eigen value of $\text{adj}A$.
Also give an example to prove that the eigen values of AB are not necessarily the product of eigen values of A and that of B.
123. Given the linear transformation

$$Y = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \\ -2 & 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix} X,$$
 Show that it is singular and the images of the linearly independent vectors,
 $X_1 = [1, 1, 1]^T, X_2 = [2, 1, 2]^T, X_3 = [1, 2, 3]^T$ are linearly dependent.
124. Find the inverse of the matrix : $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 & 7 \\ 3 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$
by using elementary row operations. Hence solve the system of linear equations
 $x + 3y + z = 10$
 $2x - y + 7z = 21$
 $3x + 2y - z = 4$
125. The $n \times n$ A matrix A satisfies $A^4 = -1.6A^2 - 0.64I$ show that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} A^n$ exists and determine this limit.
126. Reduce $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 6 & -1 \\ 1 & 4 & 5 & 1 \\ 1 & 5 & 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ to normal form N and compute the matrices P & Q such that $PAQ=N$.
127. Let $V = P_3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space of polynomial functions on reals of degree at most 3. Let $D: V \rightarrow V$ be the differentiation operator defined by

$$D(a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3) = a_1 + 2a_2x + 3a_3x^2.$$
(i) Show that D is a linear transformation.
(ii) Find kernel and image of D.
(iii) What are dimensions of V , $\ker D$ and image D ?
(iv) Give relation among them of (iii)
128. Find the eigen values and the corresponding eigen, vectors of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$.
129. Show that the vectors $(1, 2, 1), (1, 0, -1)$ and $(0, -3, 2)$ form a basis for \mathbb{R}^3 .
130. Determine non-singular matrices P and Q such that the matrix PAQ is in canonical form, Where $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 & 14 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$. Hence find the rank of A.
131. Find the minimum polynomial of the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, and use it to determine whether A is similar to a diagonal matrix.
132. Show that the quadratic form $2x^2 - 4xy + 3xz + 6y^2 + 6yz + 8z^2$ in three variables is positive definite.
133. Find the eigen values and their corresponding eigen vectors of the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$. Is the matrix diagonalisable?
134. For what values of α has the system of equations

- $x+2y+z=1,$
 $ax+4y+2z=2,$
 $4x-2y+2az=-1$
- (i) a unique solution
(ii) infinitely many solutions
(iii) no solution.
135. Determine an orthogonal matrix which reduces the quadratic form $Q(x_1, x_2, x_3) = 2x_1^2 + x_2^2 - 4x_2x_3 + x_3^2$ to a canonical form. Also, identify the surface represented by $Q(x_1, x_2, x_3) = 7$.
136. Find the eigen values and the corresponding eigen vectors of $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$.
137. Determine a non-singular matrix P such that P^TAP is a diagonal matrix, where P^T denotes the transpose of P, and $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.
138. If A be an orthogonal matrix with the property that -1 is not a characteristic root of A, then show that A is expressible as $(I-S)(I+S)^{-1}$ for some suitable skew-symmetric matrix S.
139. Show that the real quadratic form $\phi = n(x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_n^2) - (x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n)^2$ in n variables is positive semi-definite.
140. Find the symmetric matrix which corresponds to the following quadratic polynomial:
 $q(x, y, z) = x^2 - 2yz + xz$.
141. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$. Find all eigen values of A and the corresponding eigen vectors.
142. Let $H = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1+i & 2i \\ 1-i & 4 & 2-3i \\ -2i & 2+3i & 7 \end{bmatrix}$ be a Hermitian matrix. Find a non-singular matrix P such that P^TAP is diagonal
143. Let $L: IR^3 \rightarrow IR^2$ be linear transformation for which we know that $L(1, 0, 0) = (2, -1), L(0, 1, 0) = (3, 1)$ and $L(0, 0, 1) = (-1, 2)$. Find $L(-3, 4, 2)$.
144. Let $L: IR^3 \rightarrow IR^2$ be defined by
- $$L\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x+y \\ x-z \end{bmatrix}$$
- Let $S = \{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$ and $T = \{w_1, w_2\}$ be bases for IR^3 and IR^2 respectively where
- $$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix},$$
- $$v_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, w_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ & } w_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
- Find the matrix of L w.r.t S and T .
145. Find the characteristic equation of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ and verify that it satisfies by A.
146. Is the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -3 & 2 \\ 4 & -1 & -2 \\ 10 & -5 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$ Similar

over the field \mathbb{R} to a diagonal matrix? Is A similar over the field C to a diagonal matrix?

147. Determine the definiteness of the following quadratic form

$$q(x_1, x_2, x_3) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 5 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

148. Determine a, b and c so that the matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2b & c \\ a & b & -c \\ a & -b & c \end{pmatrix}$$

is orthogonal.

149. Obtain the characteristic equation of the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ and show that A satisfies its characteristic equation. Hence determine the inverse of A .

150. If S be a real skew-symmetric matrix of order n , prove that the matrix $P = (I_n + S)^{-1}(I_n - S)$ is orthogonal where I_n stands for the identity matrix of order ' n '.

151. Find the row rank and column rank of the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & 6 & 9 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$. Hence determine the rank of A .

152. Reduce the equation

$$2y^2 - 2xy - 2yz + 2zx - x - 2y + 3z - 2 = 0$$

into canonical form and determine the nature of the quadric.

153. Find a linear map $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$ Whose image is generated by $(1, 2, 0, -4)$ and $(2, 0, -1, -3)$

154. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 & 3 \\ 3 & -5 & 3 \\ 6 & -6 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$. Is A similar to a

diagonal matrix? If so, find an invertible matrix P such that $P^{-1}AP$ is a diagonal matrix.

155. Show that the set $P[t] = \{at^2 + bt + c / a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}\}$ forms a

vector space over the field \mathbb{R} . Find a basis for this vector space. What is the dimension of this vector space?

156. Find the characteristic polynomial of

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Verify Cayley-Hamilton theorem for this matrix and hence find its inverse.

157. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & -6 & -6 \\ -1 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & -6 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$. Find an invertible

matrix P such that $P^{-1}AP$ is a diagonal matrix.

158. Find the rank of the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 & 4 & 7 \\ -1 & -2 & 2 & 5 & 3 \\ 3 & 6 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 4 & 8 & 6 & 8 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

159. Let

$$V = \{(x, y, z, u) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : y + z + u = 0\},$$

$$W = \{(x, y, z, u) \in \mathbb{R}^4 : x + y = 0, z = 2u\}$$

be two subspaces of \mathbb{R}^4 . Find bases for $V, W, V+W$ and $V \cap W$.

160. Find the characteristic polynomial of the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \\ -1 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and hence compute A^{10} .
161. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 & 3 \\ 0 & -5 & 6 \\ 0 & -3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ Find an invertible matrix P such that $P^{-1}AP$ is a diagonal matrix.
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- (i) The real field \mathbb{R} .
 - (ii) The complex field \mathbb{C} .
171. Examine whether the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 & -6 \\ -1 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is diagonalizable. Find all eigen values. Then obtain a matrix P such that $P^{-1}AP$ is a diagonal matrix.
172. Find an upper triangular matrix A such that $A^3 = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -57 \\ 0 & 27 \end{bmatrix}$

173. Find the condition on a , b , and c so that the following system in unknowns x , y and z has a solution.

$$\begin{aligned}x + 2y - 3z &= a \\2x + 6y - 11z &= b \\x - 2y + 7z &= c\end{aligned}$$

174. Find the minimal polynomial of the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 & 2 \\ 6 & -3 & 4 \\ 3 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

175. Find a 3×3 orthogonal matrix whose first two rows are $\left[\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}\right]$ and $\left[0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right]$.

176. Reduce the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 3 & -5 \\ 1 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

to I_3 by a finite sequence of E-row transformation and express A as a product of elementary matrices. Reduce A^{-1} .

177. If H is a Hermitian matrix, show that $A = (I + iH)^{-1}$ ($I - iH$) is a unitary matrix. Also show that $A = (I - iH)(I + iH)^{-1}$

178. Show that the two matrices A, $C^{-1}AC$ have the same characteristic roots.

179. Find an orthogonal matrix that will diagonalise the real symmetric matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

Also write the resulting diagonal matrix.

180. Show that the characteristic roots of any diagonal matrix are same as its elements in the diagonal.

181. Find a linear transformation $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$ whose range is spanned by $(1, 2, 0, -4), (2, 0, -1, -3)$.

182. Find a basis and the dimension of the solution space 's' of the linear equations
- $$\begin{aligned}x + 2y - 2z + 2s - t &= 0 \\x + 2y - z + 3s - 2t &= 0 \\2x + 4y - 7z + s + t &= 0.\end{aligned}$$

183. Find the characteristic roots of the matrix

$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ and verify Cayley - Hamilton theorem for this matrix. Find the inverse of the matrix A.

184. Determine the diagonal matrix unitarily similar to the Hermitian matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1-2i \\ 1+2i & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ obtaining also the transformation matrix.

185. Use the Cayley - Hamilton theorem, to find the inverse of the following matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

186. Find a basis and the dimension of the solution space 'S' of the linear equations

$$\begin{aligned}x + 2y - 2z + 2s - t &= 0 \\x + 2y - z + 3s - 2t &= 0 \\2x + 4y - 7z + s + t &= 0.\end{aligned}$$

187. Find the value of α for which the matrix

$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & \alpha \\ 1 & \alpha & 0 \\ \alpha & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ is invertible and find its inverse.

188. Determine diagonal matrix orthogonally similar to the following real symmetric matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 5 & -1 \\ -2 & -1 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

obtaining also the transforming matrix.

189. Solve the equations

$$\lambda x + 2y - 2z = 1$$

$$4x + 2\lambda y - z = 2$$

$$6x + 2y + \lambda z = 3$$

Considering specially the case when $\lambda = 2$.

190. Find $F: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$ is a linear transformation whose range is spanned by $(1, -1, 2, 3)$ and $(2, 3, -1, 0)$.

191. If S is a real skew symmetric matrix then show that $(I+S)$ is non-singular and $(I-S)(I+S)^{-1}$ is orthogonal.

192. If the matrix A is non-singular, then show that the eigen values of A^{-1} are the reciprocals of the eigen values of A .

193. Show that $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & -2 \\ -5 & 3 & 2 \\ -2 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ is similar to a diagonal matrix. Also find the transforming matrix and diagonal matrix.

194. Show that the only real value of λ for which the following system of equations has a non-zero solution is 6.

195. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ then show that for every integer $n \geq 3$, $A^n = A^{n-2} + A^2 - 1$. Hence determine A^{50} .

196. Reduce the Matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ to its

normal form and hence or otherwise determine its rank.

197. Let T be the linear operator on \mathbb{R}^3 which is represented in the standard ordered basis by

$$\text{the matrix } A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -6 & -6 \\ -1 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & -6 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Show that T

is diagonalisable and find the non-singular matrix P so that $P^{-1}AP$ is a diagonal matrix.

198. If S is a real skew symmetric matrix then show that $(I+S)$ is non-singular and $(I-S)(I+S)^{-1}$ is orthogonal.

199. Find the characteristic roots of the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

and verify Cayley - Hamilton theorem for this matrix. Find the inverse of the matrix A and also express

$$A^5 - 4A^4 - 7A^3 + 11A^2 - A - 10I$$

as a linear polynomial in A .

200. (i) Show that 0 is a characteristic root of a matrix if and only if the matrix is singular.

- (ii) If α is a characteristic root of a non-singular matrix A , then prove that $\frac{|A|}{\alpha}$ is a characteristic root of $\text{Adj } A$.

201. Let $M = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ and T be the linear operation V defined by $T(A) = MA$. Find the matrix representation of T relative to the above usual basis of V .

202. Let A be a real 3×3 symmetric matrix with eigen values $0, 0, 5$. If the corresponding eigen vectors are $(2,0,1)$, $(2,1,1)$ and $(1,0,-2)$ then find the matrix A .
203. If A be an orthogonal matrix with the property that -1 is not a characteristic root, then A is expressible as $(I+S)(I-S)^{-1}$ for some suitable real skew-symmetric matrix S .
204. If H is a Hermitian matrix, show that $A = (I+iH)^{-1}(I-iH)$ is a unitary matrix. Also show that $A = (I-iH)(I+iH)^{-1}$. Further show that if λ is an eigen value of H , then $\frac{1-i\lambda}{1+i\lambda}$ is an eigen value of A .
205. Show that the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} -9 & 4 & 4 \\ -8 & 3 & 4 \\ -16 & 8 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$ is diagonalizable. Also find the diagonal form and diagonalizing matrix P .
206. A square matrix M of order n with complex entries is called skew Hermitian if $M + \bar{M}^T = 0$, where 0 is the zero matrix of order n . Determine whether $V = \{M/M \text{ is a } 2 \times 2 \text{ skew Hermitian matrix}\}$ is a vector space over (i) the field \mathbb{R} and (ii) the field \mathbb{C} with the usual operations of addition and scalar multiplication for matrices?
207. Show that the linear transformation from \mathbb{R}^3 to \mathbb{R}^4 which is represented by the matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ is one to one. Find a basis for its image.
208. Let $M = \begin{bmatrix} 1+i & 2i & i+3 \\ 0 & 1-i & 3i \\ 0 & 0 & i \end{bmatrix}$. Determine the eigen values of the matrix $B = M^2 - 2M + I$.
209. Let $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be defined by $T(x, y, z) = (y+z, z, 0)$. Show that T is a linear transformation. If $v \in \mathbb{R}^3$ is such that $T^2(v) \neq 0$, then show that $B = \{v_1 T(v), T_2(v)\}$ forms a basis of \mathbb{R}^3 . Compute the matrix of T with respect to B . Also find a $v \in \mathbb{R}^3$ such that $T^2(v) \neq 0$.
210. Find a linear transformation $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$ whose range is spanned by $(1, 2, 0, -4)$, $(2, 0, -1, -3)$.
211. Reduce the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 3 & -5 \\ 1 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ to I_3 by a finite sequence of E-row transformation and express A as a product of elementary matrices. Reduce A^{-1} .
212. Find a basis and the dimension of the solution space 'S' of the linear equations
 $x + 2y - 2z + 2s - t = 0$
 $x + 2y - z + 3s - 2t = 0$
 $2x + 4y - 7z + s + t = 0$
213. Verify that the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ satisfies its own characteristic equation. Is it true of every square matrix? State the theorem that applies here.

214. Find an orthogonal matrix that will diagonalize the real symmetric matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Also write the resulting diagonal matrix.

215. If U is a unitary matrix and $|I-U| \neq 0$, Prove that the matrix H defined by setting $iH=(I+U)(I+U)^{-1}$ is Hermitian. If $e^{i\theta_1}, \dots, e^{i\theta_n}$ be the eigen values of U , Show that eigen values of H are $\cot(\frac{\theta_1}{2}), \dots, \cot(\frac{\theta_n}{2})$.

216. If A is a non-singular matrix, then show that $\text{adj adj } A = |A|^{n-2} A$.

217. If A be an orthogonal matrix with the property that -1 is not a characteristic root, then A is expressible as $(I+S)(I-S)^{-1}$ for some suitable real skew-symmetric matrix S .

218. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ and C be a non-singular matrix of order 3×3 . Find the eigen values of the matrix B^3 where $B = C^{-1}AC$

219. Let F be a field and let n be a positive integer ($n \geq 2$). Let V be the vector space of all $n \times n$ matrices over F . Which of the following sets of matrices A in V are subspaces of V ?
- (i) all invertible A
 - (ii) all non-invertible A
 - (iii) All A such that $AB = BA$, where B is some fixed matrix in V .

220. (i) Let $F: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be the linear mapping defined by $F(x,y,s,t) = (x-y+s+t, x+2s-t,$

$$x+y+3s=3t).$$

Find a basis and the dimension of the image U of F .

- (ii) Let $H: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be defined by $H(x,y,z) = (x+y-2z, x+2y+z, 2x+2y-3z)$. Is H nonsingular? If not, find $v \neq 0$ such that $H(v) = 0$.

221. Determine diagonal matrices orthogonally similar to the real symmetric matrix.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -2 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ obtaining also the transforming matrix.}$$

222. Let T be the linear operator on \mathbb{R}^3 which is represented in the standard ordered basis by

$$\text{the matrix } A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -6 & -6 \\ -1 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & -6 & -4 \end{bmatrix}. \text{ Show that}$$

T is diagonalisable and find the non-singular matrix P so that $P^{-1}AP$ is diagonal matrix.

223. Let $T: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be the linear transformation defined by $T(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) = (x_1-x_2+x_3+x_4, x_1+2x_3-x_4, x_1+x_2+3x_3-3x_4)$. Find the range, rank, kernel and nullity of T .

224. If A is an odd order orthogonal matrix, show that either $A-I$ or $A+I$ is necessarily singular.

225. (i) Prove that the eigen values of A^θ are the conjugates of the eigen values of A . If K_1 and K_2 are distinct eigen values of A , prove that any eigen vector of A corresponding to K_1 is orthogonal to any eigen vector of A^θ corresponding to K_2 .

- (ii) Show that the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a+ic & -b+id \\ b+id & a-ic \end{bmatrix}$$

is unitary iff $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + d^2 = 1$.

226. (i) Are the following statements true? Give reasons in favour of your answers.
 (A) A, B are n-rowed square matrices such that $AB=0$ and B is non-singular. Then $A=0$.
 (B) Only a square, non-singular matrix possesses inverse which is unique.
 (ii) Find the value of $\text{adj}(P^{-1})$ in terms of P where P is a non-singular matrix and hence show that $\text{adj}(Q^{-1}BP^{-1})=PAQ$, given that $\text{adj} B = A$ and $|P| = |Q| = 1$.
227. If H is a Hermitian matrix, show that $A=(I+iH)^{-1}$ ($I-iH$) is a unitary matrix. Also show that $A=(I-iH)(I+iH)^{-1}$. Further show that if λ is an eigen value of H, then $(1-i\lambda)/(1+i\lambda)$ is an eigen value of A.
228. Define $T: M_{2,2} \rightarrow M_{2,3}$ such that
- $$T \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_{11} & \alpha_{12} \\ \alpha_{21} & \alpha_{22} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_{11} + \alpha_{12} & 0 & \alpha_{12} + \alpha_{22} \\ \alpha_{12} & \alpha_{21} + \alpha_{22} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
- Prove that T is linear and determine its matrix relative to the standard bases for $M_{2,2}$ and $M_{2,3}$.
229. If the product of two non-zero square matrices is a zero matrix, show that both of them must be singular matrices.
230. Find the values of k for which the equations $x+3y=0, x-z=0, 2x+11ky+k^2z=0$ have non-zero solutions.
 For the larger of these values of k check that the equations
 $x+3y=1, x-z=2, 2x+11ky+k^2z=3$
 are consistent.
231. Consider the matrix.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find an invertible matrix P such that $P^{-1}AP$ is a diagonal matrix. Write down that diagonal matrix also.

232. Determine whether matrix A is diagonalizable. If so, find a matrix P that diagonalizes A and compute A^{2004} .

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

233. Let k be a real number, and let A be the matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & k \\ 1 & 4 & k^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Determine all values of k for which the linear system

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & k \\ 1 & 4 & k^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 10 \\ 21 \end{pmatrix}$$

has exactly one solution.

234. (i) Let T be a linear operator on the n -dimensional vector space V, and suppose that T has n distinct characteristic values. Prove that T is diagonalizable.
 (ii) Find a basis for the kernel of T if T

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x+y \\ 2x+y+z \\ x+z \end{pmatrix}$$

235. Let T be the linear operator on R^4 which is represented in the standard ordered basis by the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ a & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & b & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & c & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Under what conditions on a , b , and c is T diagonalizable?

236. Discuss for all values of k the system of equations

$$2x + 3ky + (3k+4)z = 0$$

$$x + (k+4)y + (4k+2)z = 0$$

$$x + 2(k+1)y + (3k+4)z = 0$$

237. (i) Construct a 2×2 matrix A ($\neq I$) with real entries such that $A^3 = I$.

- (ii) Find the inverse in \mathbb{Z}_5 of the following matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

238. If H is a Hermitian matrix, show that $(I - iH)(I + iH)^{-1} = (I + iH)^{-1}(I - iH) = U$ where U is a unitary matrix and that if λ is an eigenvalue of H , then $(1 - i\lambda)/(1 + i\lambda)$ is an eigenvalue of U .

Find U when $H = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & e^{i\alpha} \\ e^{-i\alpha} & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

239. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$, a symmetric matrix.

Find a nonsingular matrix P such that $P^T AP$ is diagonal and find the diagonal matrix $P^T AP$.

240. Determine diagonal matrix orthogonally similar to the following real symmetric

matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 5 & -1 \\ -2 & -2 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

obtaining also the transforming matrix.

241. Prove that similar matrices have the same characteristic polynomial and hence the same eigenvalues. If \mathbf{X} is an eigenvector of \mathbf{A} corresponding to the eigenvalue λ , then $\mathbf{P}^{-1}\mathbf{X}$ is an eigenvector of \mathbf{B} corresponding to the eigenvalue λ where $\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{P}^{-1} \mathbf{A} \mathbf{P}$.

242. If \mathbf{A} , \mathbf{B} are square matrices each of order n and \mathbf{I} is the corresponding unit matrix, show that the equation $\mathbf{AB} - \mathbf{BA} = \mathbf{I}$ can never hold.

243. Determine whether the linear transformation defined by the following matrix is one-to-one.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 0 & 5 \\ 3 & 7 & 2 & 8 \\ -4 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

244. Orthogonally diagonalize the following symmetric matrix. Give the similarity transformation

$$\begin{bmatrix} 9 & -3 & 3 \\ -3 & 6 & -6 \\ 3 & -6 & 6 \end{bmatrix}.$$

245. Let $M = \begin{bmatrix} 1+i & 2i & i+3 \\ 0 & 1-i & 3i \\ 0 & 0 & i \end{bmatrix}$. Determine the

eigen values of the matrix $B = M^2 - 2M + I$.

246. If A is non-singular, prove that the eigen values of A^{-1} are the reciprocals of the eigen values of A .

247. If the product of two non-zero square matrices is a zero matrix, show that both of them must be singular matrices.

248. Show that the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} -9 & 4 & 4 \\ -8 & 3 & 4 \\ -16 & 8 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$ is

diagonalizable. Also find the diagonal form and diagonalizing matrix P.

249. Let A be a 3×3 upper triangular matrix with real entries. If $a_{11} = 1, a_{22} = 2$ and $a_{33} = 3$, determine α, β and γ such that $A^{-1} = \alpha A^2 + \beta A + \gamma I$.

250. Find bases for both the row and column spaces of the following matrix A. Show that the dimensions of both the row space and the column space are the same.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

251. Determine diagonal matrices orthogonally similar to the real symmetric matrix.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -2 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ obtaining also the transforming matrix.}$$

252. (i) Let A be a 3×3 matrix with trace (A) = 3 and $\det(A) = 2$. If 1 is an eigenvalue of A then what are the eigenvalues of the matrix $A^2 - 2I$?

- (ii) What is the dimension of the solution space of linear equations $x + y + z + t = 0$,

$$x - y - z - 3t = 0, -x + y - 2z = 0?$$

253. Find the characteristic equation of the matrix

$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ and hence find the matrix

represented by

$$A^8 - 5A^7 + 7A^6 - 3A^5 + A^4 - 5A^3 + 8A^2 - 2A + I.$$

254. Discuss the consistency and the solutions of the equations

$$x + ay + az = 1, ax + y + 2az = -4, ax - ay + 4z = 2 \text{ for different values of } a.$$

255. (i) Show that the subspaces of \mathbb{R}^3 spanned by two sets of vectors $\{(1,1,-1), (1,0,1)\}$ and $\{(1,2,-3), (5,2,1)\}$ are identical. Also find the dimension of this subspace.

- (ii) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ and C be a non-

singular matrix of order 3×3 . Find the eigen values of the matrix B^3 where $B = C^{-1}AC$.

256. Let V be the set of real numbers. Regard V as a vector space over the field of rational numbers, with the usual operations. Prove or disprove this vector space is not finite-dimensional.

257. For what values of η the equations

$$x + y + z = 1$$

$$x + 2y + 4z = \eta$$

$$x + 4y + 10z = \eta^2$$

have a solution and solve them completely in each case.

258. Find the characteristic values and bases of the corresponding characteristic spaces of the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Is A similar to a diagonal matrix ? Give reasons.

259. Let $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be a linear operator, where

$$T(e_1) = 5e_1 - 6e_2 - 6e_3$$

$$T(e_2) = -e_1 + 4e_2 + 2e_3$$

$$T(e_3) = 3e_1 - 6e_2 - 4e_3.$$

Find the characteristic values of T and compute the corresponding characteristic vectors.

260. If H is a Hermitian matrix, show that

$$(I - iH)(I + iH)^{-1} = (I + iH)^{-1}(I - iH) = U$$

where U is a unitary matrix and that if λ is an eigenvalue of H, then $(1 - i\lambda)/(1 + i\lambda)$ is an eigenvalue of U.

Find U when $H = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & e^{i\alpha} \\ e^{-i\alpha} & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

261. Given that the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} \alpha & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ has 1 as an eigenvalue, compute its trace and its determinant.

262. (i) Let A be a 5×5 matrix whose characteristic polynomial is given by

$$(\lambda - 2)^3(\lambda + 2)^2$$

If A is diagonalizable, find α and β such that $A^{-1} = \alpha A + \beta I$.

- (ii) Find a basis for \mathbb{R}^4 that contains vectors $v = [1, 2, 0, 0]$ and $u = [0, 0, 1, 2]$.

263. Determine diagonal matrix orthogonally similar to the following real symmetric

matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 5 & -1 \\ -2 & -2 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ obtaining also

the transforming matrix.

264. Find the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Check that $\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + \lambda_3$ equals the trace and $\lambda_1 \lambda_2 \lambda_3$ equals the determinant.

265. Let $H = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1+i & 2i \\ 1-i & 4 & 2-3i \\ -2i & 2+3i & 7 \end{pmatrix}$, a Hermitian

matrix. Find a nonsingular matrix P such that $P^T H \bar{P}$ is diagonal.

266. Find the dimension and a basis of the solution space w of the system

$$x + 2y - 4z + 3r - x = 0$$

$$x + 2y - 2z + 2r + s = 0$$

$$2x + 4y - 2z + 3r + 4s = 0$$

267. If A is non-singular, Prove that the eigen values of A^{-1} are the reciprocals of the eigen values of A.

268. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 5 & -4 \\ -3 & -4 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$ a symmetric

matrix

Find the nonsingular matrix P such that $P^T AP$ is diagonal and find $P^T AP$.

269. (i) $Ax = b$ has a solution under what condition on b, for the following A and B ?

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (ii) Find a basis for the nullspace of A.
 (iii) Find the general solution to $Ax = b$, when a solution exists.
 (iv) Find a basis for the column space of A.
 (v) What is the rank of A^T ?

270. Show that the determinant equals the product of the eigenvalues by imagining that the characteristic polynomial is factored into:
 $\det(A - \lambda I) = (\lambda_1 - \lambda)(\lambda_2 - \lambda) \dots (\lambda_n - \lambda)$
 and making a clever choice of λ .

271. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & d \end{bmatrix}$, then $\det(A - \lambda I)$ is $(\lambda - a)(\lambda - d)$. Check the Cayley-Hamilton statement that $(A - aI)(A - dI) = \text{zero matrix}$.

272. Find the rank and the nullspace of
 $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

273. (i) If $A^2 = I$, what are the possible eigen values of A?
 (ii) If this A is 2 by 2, and not I or $-I$, find its trace and determinant.
 (iii) If the first row is $(3, -1)$, what is the second row.

274. Obtain eigen values and eigen vectors of the differential operator $D : P_2 \rightarrow P_2$.
 $D(a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2) = a_1 + 2a_2 x$, for $a_0, a_1, a_2 \in \mathbb{R}$.

275. (i) If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$, find A^{100} by diagonalizing A.
 (ii) Show by direct calculation that AB and

BA have the same trace when
 $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} q & r \\ s & t \end{bmatrix}$.

Deduce that $AB - BA = I$ is impossible (except in infinite dimensions).

276. Let $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be defined by $T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3, 2x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 - x_1 - 2x_2 + 2x_3)$. Find $R(T)$ and $\text{Ker } T$

277. If we shift to $A - 7I$, what are the eigenvalues and eigenvectors and how are they related to those of A?

$$B = A - 7I = \begin{bmatrix} -6 & -1 \\ 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

278. (i) If a 3 by 3 upper triangular matrix has diagonal entries 1, 2, 7 how do you know it can be diagonalized? What is Λ ? When Λ an eigen value matrix.

- (ii) Let V be the vector space of all real polynomials. Consider the subspace W spanned by $t^2+t+2, t^2+2t+5, 5t^2+3t+4$ and $2t^2+2t+4$. Then, find the dimension of W.

279. (i) Show that $A^2 = 0$ is possible but $A^T A = 0$ is not possible.
 (ii) Verify that $(AB)^T$ equals $B^T A^T$ but those are different from $A^T B^T$:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 7 \end{bmatrix}.$$

In case $AB = BA$, how do you prove that $B^T A^T = A^T B^T$?

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283. If $T : V_4(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow V_3(\mathbb{R})$ is a linear transformation defined by $T(a, b, c, d) = (a - b + c + d, a + 2c - d, a + b + 3c - 3d)$ for $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R}$, then verify $e(T) + v(T) = \dim V_4(\mathbb{R})$.

284. Let $\mathbb{R}_3[x] = \{a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 / a_0, a_1, a_2 \in \mathbb{R}\}$. Define $T : \mathbb{R}_3[x] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_3[x]$ by

$$T(f(x)) = \frac{d}{dx}f(x) \text{ for all } f(x) \in \mathbb{R}_3[x].$$

Show that T is a linear transformation. Also find the matrix representation of T with reference to basis set $\{1, x, x^2\}$ and $\{1, 1+x, 1+x+x^2\}$.

285. Let G be the linear operator on \mathbb{R}^3 defined by $G(x, y, z) = (2y + z, x - 4y, 3x)$. Find the matrix representation of G relative to the basis $S = \{(1, 1, 1), (1, 1, 0), (1, 0, 0)\}$.

286. Let $V = \mathbb{R}^3$ and $T \in A(V)$, for all $a_i \in A(V)$, be defined by $T(a_1, a_2, a_3) = (2a_1 + 5a_2 + a_3, -3a_1 + a_2 - a_3, a_1 + 2a_2 + 3a_3)$. What is the matrix T relative to the basis $V_1 = (1, 0, 1), V_2 = (-1, 2, 1), V_3 = (3, -1, 1)$?

287. Show that the mapping $T : V_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow V_3(\mathbb{R})$ defined as $T(a, b) = (a + b, a - b, b)$ is a linear transformation. Find the range, rank and nullity of T.

288. Let F be a subfield of complex numbers and T a function from $F^3 \rightarrow F^3$ defined by $T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 + x_2 + 3x_3, 2x_1 - x_2, -3x_1 + x_2 - x_3)$. what are the conditions on (a,b,c) such that (a,b,c) be in the null space of T? Find the nullity of T.

289. Find the matrix representation of linear transformation T on $V_3(\mathbb{R})$ defined as $T(a, b, c) = (2b + c, a - 4b, 3a)$ corresponding to the basis $B = \{(1, 1, 1), (1, 1, 0), (1, 0, 0)\}$

290. Find a linear map $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$, Whose range is generated by $(1, 2, 0, -4)$ and $(2, 0, -1, -3)$. Also find a basis and the dimension of the
 (i) range U of T.
 (ii) kernel W of T.

291. Find the linear transformation from \mathbb{R}^3 into \mathbb{R}^3 which has its range the subspace spanned by $(1, 0, -1), (1, 2, 2)$

292. Find the rank of the matrix:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & -2 & -3 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 & -1 & -4 \\ 2 & 3 & -4 & -7 & -3 \\ 3 & 8 & 1 & -7 & -8 \end{pmatrix}$$

293. Let $V = P_3(\mathbb{R})$ be the vector space of polynomial functions over reals of degree atmost 3. Let $D: V \rightarrow V$ be the differentiation operator defined by

$$D(a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3) = a_1 + 2a_2x + 3a_3x^2, x \in \mathbb{R}.$$

- (i) Show that $B = \{1, x, x^2, x^3\}$ is a basis for V .
- (ii) Find the matrix $[D]_B$ with respect to B of D .
- (iii) Show that $B' = \{1, (x+1), (x+1)^2, (x+1)^3\}$ is a basis for V .
- (iv) Find the matrix $[D]_{B'B}$ with respect to B' of D .
- (v) Find the matrix $[D]_{B'B}$ of D relative to B' and B .

