

EXADEMY

ONLINE NATIONAL TEST

Course: UPSC – CSE - Mathematics Optional

Test 2

Subject: **LINEAR ALGEBRA**

Time: **3 Hours**

Total Questions: **30**

Total Marks: **(100)**

Q1. Suppose u and v belong to a vector space V . Simplify each of the following expressions:

- i. $E_1 = 3(2u - 4v) + 5u + 7v$
- ii. $E_2 = 3u - 6(3u - 5v) + 7u$
- iii. $E_3 = 2uv + 3(2u + 4v)$
- iv. $E_4 = 5u - (3/v) + 5u$

2 Marks

Q2. Show that

- a) $k(u - v) = ku - kv$
- b) $u + u = 2u$

2 Marks

Q3. a) Express $v = (1, -2, 5)$ in R^3 as a linear combination of the vectors

$$u_1 = (1, 1, 1), u_2 = (1, 2, 3), u_3 = (2, -1, 1)$$

b) Express $v = (2, -5, 3)$ in R^3 as a linear combination of the vectors

$$u_1 = (1, -3, 2), u_2 = (2, -4, -1), u_3 = (1, -5, 7)$$

2 Marks

Q4. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

- a) Find the Latent values of Matrix A
- b) Find Latent Vectors for each Latent Value of Matrix A
- c) Diagonalize the Matrix A
- d) Diagonalize the matrix $A^3 - 5A^2 + 3A + I$, where I is the 2×2 identity matrix
- e) Calculate A^{100}
- f) Calculate $(A^3 - 5A^2 + 3A + I)^{100}$

12 Marks

Q5. Express the polynomial $v = t^2 + 4t - 3$ in $P(t)$ as a linear combination of the polynomials

$$p_1 = t^2 - 2t + 5, p_2 = 2t^2 - 3t, p_3 = t + 1$$

3 Marks

Q6. Express M as a linear combination of the matrices A , B , C where

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 7 \\ 7 & 9 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ and } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

3 Marks

Q7. Let $V = P(t)$, the vector space of real polynomials. Determine whether or not W is a subspace of V , where

- a) W consists of all polynomials with integral coefficients.
- b) W consists of all polynomials with degree ≥ 6 and the zero polynomial
- c) W consists of all polynomials with only even powers of t .

3 Marks

Q8. Let V be the vector space of functions $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$. Show that W is a subspace of V , where

- a) $W = \{f(x): f(1) = 0\}$, all functions whose value at 1 is 0.
- b) $W = \{f(x): f(3) = f(1)\}$, all functions assigning the same value to 3 and 1.
- c) $W = \{f(t): f(-x) = -f(x) = -f(x)\}$, all odd functions.

3 Marks

Q9. Determine whether or not u and v are linearly dependent, where

- a) $u = (1, 2), v = (3, -5)$
- b) $u = (1, -3), v = (-2, 6)$
- c) $u = (1, 2, -3), v = (4, 5, -6)$
- d) $u = (2, 4, -6), v = (3, 6, -12)$

4 Marks

Q10. Determine whether or not u and v are linearly independent, where

- a) $u = 2t^2 + 4t - 3, v = 4t^2 + 8t - 6,$
- b) $u = 2t^2 - 3t + 4, v = 4t^2 - 3t + 2$
- c) $u = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -4 \\ 5 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, v = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -12 & 16 \\ -20 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$
- d) $u = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, v = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

4 Marks

Q11. Determine whether or not the vectors $u = (1, 1, 2), v = (2, 3, 1), w = (4, 5, 5)$ in \mathbb{R}^3 are linearly dependent.

3 Marks

Q12. Determine whether or not each of the following lists of vectors \mathbb{R}^3 is linearly independent:

a) $u_1 = (1, 2, 5), u_2 = (1, 3, 1), u_3 = (2, 5, 7), u_4 = (3, 1, 4)$

b) $u = (1, 2, 5), v = (2, 5, 1), w = (1, 5, 2)$

c) $u = (1, 2, 3), v = (0, 0, 0), w = (1, 5, 6)$

3 Marks

Q13. Show that the functions $f(t) = \sin t, g(t) = \cos t, h(t) = t$ from \mathbb{R} into \mathbb{R} are linearly independent.

3 Marks

Q14. Suppose the vectors u, v, w are linearly independent. Show that the vectors $u + v, u - v, u - 2v + w$ are also linearly independent.

3 Marks

Q15. Show that the vectors $u = (1 + i, 2i)$ and $w = (1, 1 + i)$ in \mathbb{C}^2 are linearly independent over the complex field \mathbb{C} but linearly independent over the real field \mathbb{R} .

3 Marks

Q16. Determine whether or not each of the following form a basis of \mathbb{R}^3 :

- a) $(1, 1, 1), (1, 0, 1)$
- b) $(1, 2, 3), (1, 3, 5), (1, 0, 1), (2, 3, 0)$
- c) $(1, 1, 1), (1, 2, 3), (2, -1, 1)$
- d) $(1, 1, 2), (1, 2, 50), (5, 3, 4)$

3 Marks

Q17. Find a basis and dimension of the subspace W of \mathbb{R}^3 where

- a) $W = \{(a, b, c) : a + b + c = 0\}$
- b) $W = \{(a, b, c) : (a = b = c)\}$

3 Marks

Q18. Let W be the subspace of \mathbb{R}^4 spanned by the vectors

$$u_1 = (1, -2, 5, -3), u_2 = (2, 3, 1, -4), u_3 = (3, 8, -3, -5)$$

- a) Find the basis and dimension of W
- b) Extend the basis of W to a basis of \mathbb{R}^4 .

3 Marks

Q19. Let W be the subspace of \mathbb{R}^5 spanned by $u_1 = (1, 2, -1, 3, 4), u_2 = (2, 4, -2, 6, 8), u_3 = (1, 3, 2, 2, 6), u_4 = (1, 4, 5, 1, 8), u_5 = (2, 7, 3, 3, 9)$. Find a subset of the vectors that form a basis of W .

3 Marks

Q20. Find the rank and basis of the row space of each of the following matrices:

$$\text{a) } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 2 & 6 & -3 & -3 \\ 3 & 10 & -6 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{b) } B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & -2 & -3 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 & -1 & -4 \\ 2 & 3 & -4 & -7 & -3 \\ 3 & 8 & 1 & -7 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$$

4 Marks

Q21. Show that $U = W$, where U and W are the following subspaces of \mathbb{R}^3 :

$$U = \text{span}(u_1, u_2, u_3) = \text{span}(1, 1, -1), (2, 3, -1), (3, 1, -5)$$

$$W = \text{span}(w_1, w_2, w_3) = \text{span}(1, -1, -3), (3, -2, -8), (2, 1, -3)$$

3 Marks

Q22. Find the dimension and a basis of the solution space W of each homogeneous system:

- a) $x + 2y + 2z - s + 3t = 0$
 $x + 2y + 3z + s + t = 0$
 $3x + 6y + 8z + s + 5t = 0$
- b) $x + 2y + z - 2t = 0$
 $2x + 4y + 4z - 3t = 0$
 $3x + 6y + 7z - 4t = 0$
- c) $x + y + 2z = 0$
 $2x + 3y + 3z = 0$
 $X + 3y + 5z = 0$

3 Marks

Q23. Suppose $F: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is defined by $F(x, y, z) = (x + y + z, 2x - 3y + 4z)$. Show that F is linear.

3 Marks

Q24. Show that the following mappings are not linear:

- a) $F: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ defined by $F(x, y) = (xy, x)$
- b) $F: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ defined by $F(x, y) = (x + 3, 2y, x + y)$
- c) $F: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ defined by $F(x, y) = (|x|, y + z)$

3 Marks

Q25. Let V be the vector space of n -square real matrices. Let M be an arbitrary but fixed matrix in V . Let $F: V \rightarrow V$ be defined by $F(A) = AM + MA$, where A is any matrix in V . Show that F is linear.

3 Marks

Q26. Let $F: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be the linear mapping defined by

$$F(x, y, z, t) = (x - y + z + t, x + 2z - t, x + y + 3z - 3t)$$

Find a basis and the dimension of

- a) The image of F
- b) The kernel of F

3 Marks

Q27. Let $F: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be the linear mapping defined by

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

Find a basis and the dimension of

- a) The image of G
- b) The kernel of G

3 Marks

Q28. Determine whether or not each of the following linear maps is non singular. If not, find a non zero vector v whose image is 0 .

- a) $F: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ defined by $F(x, y) = (x - y, x - 2y)$
- b) $G: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ defined by $G(x, y) = (2x - 4y, 3x - 6y)$

3 Marks

Q29. Consider the linear mapping $F: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ defined by

$F(x, y) = (3x + 4y, 2x - 5y)$ and the following bases of \mathbb{R}^2 :

$E = \{e_1, e_2\} = \{(1, 0), (0, 1)\}$ and $S = \{u_1, u_2\} = \{(1, 2), (2, 3)\}$

- a) Find the matrix A representing F relative to the basis E .
- b) Find the matrix B representing F relative to the basis S .

3 Marks

Q30. Consider the following linear operator G on \mathbb{R}^2 and basis S :

$G(x, y) = (2x - 7y, 4x + 3y)$ and $S = \{u_1, u_2\} = \{(1, 3), (2, 5)\}$

- a) Find the matrix representation $[G]_S$ of G relative to S .
- b) Verify $[G]_S[v]_S = [G(v)]_S$ for the vector $v = (4, -3)$ in \mathbb{R}^2

4 Marks
