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**Linear Algebra I: Exam 3 (Spring 2020)**

**Show ALL work, as unjustified answers may receive no credit.** Calculators are not allowed on any quiz or test paper. *Make sure to exhibit skills discussed in class.* Box all answers and simplify answers as much as possible.

Good Luck! ☺

**1. *The Dimension of a Vector Space (4.5) & Rank (4.6)***

Suppose that  $T: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^6$  is a Linear Transformation.

(a) [2pts] If the  $\dim[Nul(T)] = 2$ , then find  $\dim[range(T)]$ .

(b) [2pts] If the  $\dim[range(T)] = 3$ , then find  $\dim[Nul(T)]$ .

**2. Vector Spaces & Subspaces (4.1)**

[9pts] Determine which of the following sets is a Vector Space. Construct geometric figures that illustrate why each set *is* or *is not* a Vector Space. For the two sets that are not Vector Spaces, find a specific example to show that they are *not* a Vector Space.

***E is the line  $y = x$  in the  $xy$  – plane:***  $E = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} : y = x \right\}$

***R is the union of the 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> quadrants in the  $xy$  – plane:***  $R = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} : y \geq 0 \right\}$

***Y is the line  $y = x + 1$  in the  $xy$  – plane:***  $Y = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} : y = x + 1 \right\}$

3. ***Linearly Independent Sets; Bases (4.3)***

[5pts] Determine whether the set of polynomials is linearly independent or linearly dependent:

$$\overrightarrow{p_1}(t) = 1, \quad \overrightarrow{p_2}(t) = -2 + 4t^2, \quad \overrightarrow{p_3}(t) = 2t, \quad \overrightarrow{p_4}(t) = -12t + 8t^3$$

**4.     *Change of Basis (4.7)***

Consider the Vector Space  $V = \mathbb{P}_2$ , with Bases:

$$\mathcal{B} = \{ t - 1, t + 1, t^2 - 1 \} \quad \& \quad \mathcal{C} = \{ 1, t + 1, t^2 + t \}$$

(a) [6pts] Find the Change of Coordinates Matrix from  $\mathcal{B}$  to  $\mathcal{C}$ .

(b) [6pts] Express the vector  $\vec{p}(t) = t^2 - t + 5$  relative to Basis  $\mathcal{B}$ .

**5. Null Space & Column Space (4.2) & Rank (4.6)**

Define the Linear Transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  by:

$$T(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) = (x_1 + x_2 - x_3 + x_4, 2x_1 + x_2 + 4x_3 + x_4, 3x_1 + x_2 + 9x_3)$$

(a) [6pts] Find the Basis for the Column Space of  $T$ .

(b) [6pts] Find the Basis for the Row Space of  $T$ .

(c) [6pts] Find the Basis for the Null Space of  $T$ .

(d) [2pts] List the  $rank(T)$  and  $dim[Nul(T)]$ .