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SECTION "A"  
[10Q × 1 = 10 marks]

Fill in the blank space (s) by most appropriate word (s) or symbol (s).

1. A system of linear equations is inconsistent if it has \_\_\_\_\_ solution.
2. A square matrix is \_\_\_\_\_ if its column vectors are linearly independent.
3. The n-vector with only one component is \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The length of vector  $\mathbf{a} = (1, 2, -3, -4, 5)$  is \_\_\_\_\_.
5. The diagonal elements of a Hermitian matrix are \_\_\_\_\_.
6. The nullity of a matrix is the \_\_\_\_\_ of its kernel.
7. The direction of the vector projection of  $\mathbf{u}$  along  $\mathbf{v}$  is the same as that of  $\mathbf{v}$  if \_\_\_\_\_.
8. The span of two non-collinear vectors  $\mathbf{v}_1$  and  $\mathbf{v}_2$  is \_\_\_\_\_ through these vectors.
9. A finite dimensional complex inner product space is \_\_\_\_\_ space.
10. If  $U$  is the line  $y = x$  through the origin in  $V_2$  and a point  $\mathbf{v} = (1, 0)$ , then the translate  $\mathbf{v} + U$  of  $U$  by  $\mathbf{v}$  is \_\_\_\_\_ through the point  $(1, 0)$ .

SECTION "B"  
[10Q. × 1 = 10 marks]

Fill in the blank space(s), **DO NOT TICK**, by selecting the most appropriate answers from among the given ones.

11. The cosine of the angle between vectors  $\mathbf{u} = (10, 11, -2)$  and  $\mathbf{v} = (0, 3, 4)$  is.....  
[- 1/3;                      - 1/2;                      1/3;                      1/3]
12. The inner product of vector  $\mathbf{u} = (2+ i, 4 - 3i)$  with itself is .....  
[25;                      30;                      35;                      40]

13. The product of eigen values of a matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  is .....  
 [-1; 0; 1; 2]
14. For vector spaces  $U$  and  $V$  with  $\dim U = 2$  and  $\dim V = 3$ , the dimension of the set  $L(U, V)$  of all linear mappings from  $U$  to  $V$ , is .....  
 [1; 3; 5; 6]
15. The scalar projection of  $u = (1, 3, 5)$  on  $v = (-3, 1, 1)$  is  $\alpha/\sqrt{11}$  where  $\alpha$  is .....  
 [1; 3; 5; 7]
16. The rank of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 4 & 3 & 5 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  is .....  
 [1; 2; 3; 4]
17. If the vectors  $u$  and  $v$  are orthonormal, then  $\|u + v\|^2$  is .....  
 [0; 1;  $\sqrt{2}$ ; 2]
18. A square matrix  $A$  is said to be ..... if  $A^T = A$ .  
 [symmetric; asymmetric; idempotent; singular]
19. The kernel of the linear transformation  $S : V_2 \rightarrow V_2$  defined by  $S(x_1, x_2) = (x_1 + x_2, 0)$  is .....  
 [{"(1, -1)"}; (1, -1); (-1, 1); {"(-1, 1)"}]
20. The value of the determinant of a square matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  is .....  
 [-4; -2; 2; 4]

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SECTION "C"  
[3Q × 7 = 21 marks]

1. Define a vector sub-space over a field and its span. Also, show that the span of a non-empty subset  $S$  of a vector space  $V$  is the smallest subspace of  $V$  containing  $S$ . [2+1+4]
2. What is meant by the composition of linear maps on vector spaces over the same field of scalars? If  $T_1, T_2$  are linear maps from  $U$  to  $V$  and  $S_1$  is a linear map from  $V$  to  $W$ , where  $U, V, W$  are vector spaces over the same fields of scalars, then prove that (i)  $T_1+T_2$  is a linear map from  $U$  to  $V$ , and (ii)  $S_1(T_1+T_2) = S_1T_1 + S_1T_2$ . [3+2+2]

**OR**

What is meant by a basis on a vector space? Prove that any set of  $n$  linearly independent vectors in  $n$ -dimensional vector space  $V_n$  is a basis. Also, verify that the set of vectors  $\{(1, 2, 8), (0, 1, 5), (4, -1, 0)\}$  forms a basis for  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . [3+2+2]

3. Define a characteristic equation associated to a matrix and its eigen values. Also, find the eigen values and associated vector(s) of the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$ . [2+1+4]

SECTION "D"  
[6Q × 4 = 24 marks]

4. If  $T$  is a one-one linear map from vector space  $U$  to another vector space  $V$  and  $u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n$  are **LI** vectors of  $U$ , then show that  $T(u_1), T(u_2), \dots, T(u_n)$  are also **LI**, symbols have their usual meanings.
5. Consider the linear map  $T : V_4 \rightarrow V_3$  defined by  $T(e_1) = (1, 1, 1), T(e_2) = (1, -1, 1), T(e_3) = (1, 0, 0), T(e_4) = (1, 0, 1)$ . Then, verify that  $r(T) + n(T) = \dim V_4$ , where the symbols have their usual meanings.

**OR**

Find the matrix representation of the linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by  $T(x, y) = (x, x - 2y)$  relative to the basis  $\{(1, 0), (-1, 1)\}$ .

6. Find the inverse of the real mapping  $T$  defined on  $\mathbb{R}^2$  by  $T(x, y) = (x - 2y, 2x + y)$  and also verify your answer.
7. Apply Gram-Schmidt process to orthonormalize the set of linearly independent vectors  $\{(1, 0, 1, 1), (-1, 0, -1, 1), (0, -1, 1, 1)\}$  of  $V_4$ .
8. Show that the set  $V_4$  of all 4-tuples of real numbers is a vector space with usual addition and scalar multiplication of real numbers.

9. Use matrix method to solve the system the system of linear equations:  $2x - 3y + z = -1$ ,  $3x + z = 6$ ,  $x + 2y - 2z = -1$ .

SECTION "E"

[5Q × 2 = 10 marks]

10. For non-empty sets A, B, C, prove that  $A \times (B \cap C) = (A \times B) \cap (A \times C)$ , where the symbols have their usual meanings.
11. Show that the set  $\{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$  in a vector space is **LI** if  $v_1, v_2, v_3$  are coplanar.
12. Prove that the real mapping  $T(x_1, x_2, x_3)$  defined on  $\mathfrak{R}^3$  by  $(x_1+x_2, x_2+x_3, 0)$  is linear.
13. Show that a linear transformation defined on vector spaces is one-one iff its kernel is the zero subspace of the domain space.
14. If the vector space V has a basis of finite elements then show that every other basis for V has the same elements.