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**Subject Code: 2110015****Date: 05-01-2015****Subject Name: Vector Calculus and Linear Algebra****Time: 10:30 am - 01:30 pm****Total Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. Question No. 1 is compulsory. Attempt any four out of remaining Six questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

**Q.1****(a) Choose the appropriate answer for the following MCQs. (07)**

1. If  $|\vec{a} \times \vec{b}| = \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}$  then the angle between two vectors  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$  is  
 (a)  $30^\circ$  (b)  $45^\circ$  (c)  $60^\circ$  (d)  $90^\circ$
2. If  $\vec{a} = 2\vec{i} - 3\vec{j} + \vec{k}$  then the  $|\vec{a}| =$   
 (a)  $\sqrt{-4}$  (b)  $\sqrt{4}$  (c)  $\sqrt{13}$  (d)  $\sqrt{14}$
3. If  $\vec{F}$  is conservative then  
 (a)  $\nabla \times \vec{F} = 0$  (b)  $\nabla \times \vec{F} \neq 0$  (c)  $\nabla \vec{F} = 0$  (d)  $\nabla \cdot \vec{F} = 0$
4. If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  then the determinant of A is  
 (a) -2 (b) 1 (c) -1 (d) 0
5. If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  then the determinant of A is  
 (a) 0 (b) -1 (c) 1 (d) 2
6. The characteristic equation for the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$   
 (a)  $(\lambda - 2)^2 = 0$  (b)  $\lambda + 2 = 0$  (c)  $(\lambda - 2)(\lambda + 2) = 0$  (d)  $\lambda - 2 = 0$
7. If A is a matrix with 5 columns and nullity of A = 2 then rank(A) is  
 (a) 5 (b) 2 (c) 3 (d) 4

**(b) Choose the appropriate answer for the following MCQs. (07)**

1. If  $|\vec{a} + \vec{b}| = |\vec{a} - \vec{b}|$  then the angle between two vectors  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$   
 (a)  $30^\circ$  (b)  $45^\circ$  (c)  $60^\circ$  (d)  $90^\circ$
2. If  $\vec{r} = x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k}$ , then the divergence of  $\vec{r}$  is  
 (a) 2 (b) -2 (c) 3 (d) -3
3. If A and kA have same rank then what can be said about k?  
 (a) zero (b) non-zero (c) positive (d) negative
4. If V is a vector space having a basis B with n elements then  $\dim(V) =$   
 (a)  $< n$  (b)  $> n$  (c) n (d) none of these
5. For a  $n \times n$  matrix A, Which one of the following statements does not imply the other?  
 (a) A is not invertible (b)  $\det(A) \neq 0$  (c)  $\text{rank}(A) = n$   
 (d)  $\lambda = 0$  is not an eigen-value of A
6. If a complex number  $\lambda \neq 0$  is an eigen value of  $2 \times 2$  real matrix A, then which one of the following is not true?  
 (a)  $\bar{\lambda}$  is also an eigen-value of A (b)  $\det(A) \neq 0$  (c)  $\text{rank}(A) = 2$   
 (d) A is not invertible

7. If a  $3 \times 3$  matrix  $A$  is diagonalizable then which one of the following is true?
- $A$  has 2 distinct eigen-values.
  - $A$  has 2 linearly independent eigen-vectors.
  - $A$  has 3 linearly independent eigen-vectors.
  - none of these

**Q.2** (a) Show that  $A = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  is orthogonal. (03)

(b) Is  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  defined by  $T(x, y, z) = (x + 3y, y, z + 2x)$  linear? Is it one-to-one, onto or both? Justify. (04)

(c) Define rank of a matrix. Determine the rank of the matrix (07)

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 \\ 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 & 9 \\ 10 & 11 & 12 & 13 & 14 \\ 15 & 16 & 17 & 18 & 19 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Q.3** (a) Find  $A^{-1}$  for  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ , if exists. (03)

(b) Obtain the reduced row echelon form of the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 & 4 \\ 3 & 7 & 4 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$  and (04)

hence find the rank of the matrix  $A$ .

(c) State rank-nullity theorem. Also verify it for the linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  defined by  $T(x, y, z) = (x + y + z, x + y)$ . (07)

**Q.4** (a) If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  then find the eigen values of  $A^T$  and  $5A$ . (03)

(b) Solve the system of linear equations by Cramer's Rule:  $x + 2y + z = 5$  (04)  
 $3x - y + z = 6$   
 $x + y + 4z = 7$

(c) Verify Green's Theorem in the plane for  $\oint_C (3x^2 - 8y^2) dx + (4y - 6xy) dy$ , (07)

where  $C$  is the boundary of the region defined by  $y^2 = x$  and  $x^2 = y$

**Q.5** (a) Find  $grad(\phi)$ , if  $\phi = \log(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)$  at the point  $(1, 0, -2)$ . (03)

(b) Find the angle between the surfaces  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 9$  and  $x^2 + y^2 - z = 3$  at the point  $(2, -1, 2)$  (04)

- (c) (1) Let  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  be the linear transformation defined by  $T(x, y) = (y, -5x + 13y, -7x + 16y)$ . Find the matrix for the transformation  $T$  with respect to the basis  $B = \{(3, 1)^T, (5, 2)^T\}$  for  $\mathbb{R}^2$  and  $B' = \{(1, 0, -1)^T, (-1, 2, 2)^T, (0, 1, 2)^T\}$  for  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . (05)

- (2) Find a basis for the orthogonal complement of the subspace  $W$  of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  defined as  $W = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid -2x + 5y - z = 0\}$  (02)

- Q.6** (a) Show that  $\vec{F} = (y^2 - z^2 + 3yz - 2x)\vec{i} + (3xz + 2xy)\vec{j} + (3xy - 2xz + 2z)\vec{k}$  is both solenoidal and irrotational. (03)

- (b) A vector field is given by  $\vec{F} = (x^2 + xy^2)\vec{i} + (y^2 + x^2y)\vec{j}$ . Find the scalar potential. (04)

- (c) (1) Show that the set of all pairs of real numbers of the form  $(1, x)$  with the operations defined as  $(1, x_1) + (1, x_2) = (1, x_1 + x_2)$  and  $k(1, x) = (1, kx)$  (05)

- (2) Verify Cayley-Hamilton Theorem for the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  (02)

- Q.7** (a) Find a basis for the subspace of  $P_2$  spanned by the vectors  $1 + x, x^2, -2 + 2x^2, -3x$  (03)

- (b) Let  $\mathbb{R}^3$  have the Euclidean inner product. Transform the basis  $S = \{(1, 0, 0), (3, 7, -2), (0, 4, 1)\}$  into an orthonormal basis using the Gram-Schmidt ortho-normalization process. (04)

- (c) Evaluate  $\iint_S \vec{F} \cdot \vec{n} dS$  where  $\vec{F} = yz\vec{i} + xz\vec{j} + xy\vec{k}$  and  $S$  is the surface of the sphere  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$  in the first octant. (07)

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