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(MID SEMESTER EXAMINATION SP2023)

CLASS: IMSc.
BRANCH: QEDS

SEMESTER: II
SESSION: SP 2023

SUBJECT: ED117 LINEAR ALGEBRA, VECTORS AND MATRICES

TIME: 02 Hours

FULL MARKS: 25

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. The question paper contains 5 questions each of 5 marks and total 25 marks.
2. Attempt all questions.
3. The missing data, if any, may be assumed suitably.
4. Tables/Data handbook/Graph paper etc., if applicable, will be supplied to the candidates
5. All the notations used in the question paper have usual meanings.

	Marks	CO	BL
Q.1(a) Define basis of a vector space. Determine whether the set $S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$ is a basis of $\mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}$.	[3]	CO1	
Q.1(b) Consider the subspaces $S = \{(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) : x_2 - 2x_3 + x_4 = 0\}$ and $T = \{(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) : x_1 = x_4, x_2 = 2x_3\}$ of \mathbb{R}^4 . Find the dimension of $S \cap T$.	[2]	CO1	
Q.2(a) Prove or give a counter example of the statement: Union of two subspaces of a vector space V is a subspace of V .	[3]	CO1	
Q.2(b) Let $V \subset \mathbb{R}$ be a set of all ordered pair of all real numbers with standard operation of addition and the scalar multiplication defined by $a(x_1, x_2) = (ax_1, 0)$. Show that V is NOT a vector space.	[2]	CO1	
Q.3(a) Consider a linear transformation $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ defined by $T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 + x_2 + x_3, 2x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3, x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3)$, $(x_1, x_2, x_3) \in \mathbb{R}^3$. Find $\text{Ker}(T)$ and $\text{Nullity}(T)$.	[3]	CO1	
Q.3(b) A linear transformation $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ defined by $T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (2x_1 + x_2 - x_3, x_2 + 4x_3, x_1 - x_2 + 3x_3)$, $(x_1, x_2, x_3) \in \mathbb{R}^3$. Find the matrix of T relative to the standard basis $\{(1,0,0), (0,1,0), (0,0,1)\}$ of \mathbb{R}^3 .	[2]	CO1	
Q.4 Determine the values of a and b for which the system of linear equations, given by $x + 2y + 3z = 6, x + 3y + 5z = 9, 2x + 5y + az = b$ has (i) no solution (ii) Unique solution (iii) infinitely many solutions.	[5]	CO2	
Q.5(a) Decompose the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ in form of $A = LU$, where L is a lower triangular matrix and U is an upper triangular matrix.	[3]	CO2	
Q.5(b) Find the inverse of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ by using elementary row operations.	[2]	CO2	

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