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**Advanced Linear Algebra**

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**Note** :- This paper is of Seventy (70) marks divided into Two (02) Sections 'A' and 'B'. Attempt the questions contained in these Sections according to the detailed instructions given therein. *Candidates should limit their answers to the questions on the given answer sheet. No additional (B) answer sheet will be issued.*

**Section-A**

**Long Answer Type Questions**      2×19=38

**Note** :- Section 'A' contains Five (05) Long-answer type questions of Nineteen (19) marks each. Learners are required to answer any *Two* (02) questions only.

1. Defined the following: vector space over any field, Spanning set, linear dependence and linear independence. Also, prove that that intersection of two subspace of a vector space is a subspace.

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2. If  $W_1$  and  $W_2$  are finite dimensional subspace of a vector space  $V$ , then show that  $W_1 + W_2$  is finite dimensional and  $\dim W_1 + \dim W_2 = \dim(W_1 \cap W_2) + \dim(W_1 + W_2)$ .
3. Show that the vectors  $\alpha_1 = (1, 0, -1)$ ,  $\alpha_2 = (1, 2, 1)$ ,  $\alpha_3 = (0, -3, 2)$  form a basis for  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Express each of the standard basis vectors as a linear combination of  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3$ .
4. Prove that every linear operator  $T$  on a finite dimensional complex inner product space  $V$  can be uniquely expressed as  $T = T_1 + iT_2$ , where  $T_1$  &  $T_2$  are self-adjoint linear operators on  $V$ .
5. State and prove the Cauchy Schwartz inequality.

### Section–B

#### Short Answer Type Questions 4×8=32

**Note** :- Section ‘B’ contains Eight (08) Short-answer type questions of Eight (08) marks each. Learners are required to answer any *Four* (04) questions only.

1. Show that the vectors  $(1, 2, 1)$ ,  $(2, 1, 0)$  and  $(1, -1, 2)$  form a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .
2. Show that the mapping  $T : V_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow V_3(\mathbb{R})$  defined as,  $T(a, b) = (a + b, a - b, b)$  is a linear transformation from  $V_3(\mathbb{R})$  to.
3. If  $T$  is a linear transformation from  $U(F)$  to  $V(F)$  then prove that kernel of  $T$  'or' null space of  $T$  is a subspace of  $U(F)$ .

4. Find the rank and nullity of the matrix :

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 4 & 3 \\ 3 & 9 & 12 & 9 \\ 1 & 3 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

5. Find the coordinate of the vector  $(2, 1, -6)$  of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  relative of the basis  $\alpha_1 = (1, 1, 2)$ ,  $\alpha_2 = (3, -1, 0)$   $\alpha_3 = (2, 0, -1)$
6. Show that the necessary and sufficient condition for a vector space  $V(F)$  to be a direct sum of its two subspace  $W_1$  and  $W_2$  are that:
- (a)  $V = W_1 + W_2$
- (b)  $W_1 \cap W_2 = \{0\}$  *i.e.*,  $W_1$  and  $W_2$  are disjoint.
7. Let  $T$  be the linear operator on  $\mathbb{R}^3$  which is represented in the standard ordered basis by the

matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ . Find the minimal polynomial

for  $T$ .

8. Let  $T$  be a linear operator on a finite-dimensional vector space  $V(F)$  Then  $\alpha \in F$  is an eigenvalue of  $T$  if and only if  $T - \alpha I$  is singular.

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