

MATHEMATICS
(Common for B.Sc. / BA)

Paper 3: Linear Algebra and Vector Calculus

Time: 3 hours

Max Marks: 80

SECTION - A

Answer all the FOUR questions. Each question carries 15 marks.

4X15=60

1. a) i) State and Prove the necessary and sufficient condition for a non-empty subset of a vector space to be a subspace. 7M
ii) State and Prove Rank and Nullity theorem of Linear Transformation. 8M
(or)
b) i) Prove that $\dim(w_1 + w_2) = \dim w_1 + \dim w_2 - \dim (w_1 \cap w_2)$ 8M
ii) $T: R^3 \rightarrow R^2$, the matrix of $T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 4 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ Determine the transformation relative to bases $\{ (1,2,1), (2,0,1), (0,3,4) \}$ and $\{ (2,1), (0,5) \}$ 7M
2. a) i) Prove that $\dim(V/W) = \dim V - \dim W$, where W is a subspace of a vector space $V(F)$. 8M
ii) Show that the transformation $T: R^3 \rightarrow R^3$, defined by $T(x,y,z) = (x - y, 0, y + z)$ is a linear transformation. 7M
(or)
b) i) State and Prove necessary and sufficient condition the vector space to be the direct sum of its two subspaces w_1 and w_2 . 7M
ii) Prove that two finite dimensional vector spaces $U(F)$ and $V(F)$ are isomorphic if and only if $\dim U = \dim V$. 8M
3. a) i) State and Prove Bessel's inequality.. 7M
ii) Find the characteristic values and characteristic vectors of the matrix 8M
$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

(or)
b) i) State and Prove Cayley-Hamilton Theorem for matrices. 8M
ii) Using Gram-Schmidt Orthogonalisation Process to find an orthonormal basis of the vector space $R^3(R)$ from the basis $B = \{ (1, -1, 2), (0, 2, 1), (1, 2, 0) \}$. 7M
4. a) i) State and Prove Green's theorem in a plane 8M
ii) Find the angle between the surfaces $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 9$, $z = x^2 + y^2 - 3$ at $(2, -1, 2)$ 7M
(or)