

# Problem Set - 2

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## MATHEMATICS-II (MA10002)(Linear Algebra)

1. Determine which of the following form a basis of the respective vector spaces:

(a)  $\{1 + 2x + x^2, 3 + x^2, x + x^2\}$  of  $\mathbb{P}_3$ ,

(b)  $\{1, \sin x, \sin^2 x, \cos^2 x\}$  of  $C[-\pi, \pi]$ ,

(c)

$$\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 6 \\ 3 & -6 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -8 \\ -12 & 4 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

of  $M_{2 \times 2}$

2. Determine the basis and dimension of the following subspaces

(a)  $U = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : x+2y+z=0, 2x+y+3z=0\}$  of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

(b)  $U = \{(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5) \in \mathbb{R}^5 : x_2 = x_3 = x_4 \text{ and } x_1 + x_5 = 0\}$  of  $\mathbb{R}^5$

(c) Let  $U = \{p \in \mathbb{P}_4 : \int_{-1}^1 p = 0\}$ . Find a basis and dimension of  $U$ .

3. Let  $V = M_{2 \times 2}(F)$  and

$$W_1 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & a \end{bmatrix} \in V : a, b, c \in F \right\},$$

$$W_2 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & a \\ -a & b \end{bmatrix} \in V : a, b \in F \right\}. \text{ Find the dimension of } W_1, W_2, W_1 + W_2, W_1 \cap W_2.$$

4. Check the following mappings are linear transformation or not:

(a)  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ , defined by  $T(x, y, z) = (|x|, y + z), \forall (x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3$ .

(b)  $T: \mathbb{P}_3 \rightarrow \mathbb{P}_4$ , defined by  $T(p(x)) = (x + 1)p(x) + p'(0)$ .

5. Give an example of a function  $\phi: \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ , such that  $\phi(w + z) = \phi(w) + \phi(z), \forall w, z \in \mathbb{C}$ . But  $\phi$  is not linear.

6. Find the null space and range space of the following linear transformations. Also find their respective dimensions and verify the rank-nullity theorem.

(a)  $T: M_n \times n(F) \rightarrow F$  defined by  
 $T(A) = \text{trace}(A)$ .

(b)  $T: \mathbb{P}_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{P}_3(\mathbb{R})$  defined by  $T(f(x)) = 2f'(x) + \int_0^x 3f(t)dt$ .

(c)  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ ,  
 $T(x, y, z) = \left(\frac{x+y+z}{2}, \frac{x}{2}\right)$

(d)  $T: M_{2 \times 2}(F) \rightarrow M_{2 \times 2}(F)$  defined by  $T(A) = \frac{A + A^T}{2}, \forall A \in M_{2 \times 2}(F)$ .

7. Find the linear transformations:

(a)  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  such that  $T(1, 1) = (1, 0, 2), T(2, 3) = (1, -1, 4)$ .

(b)  $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  where  $T(e_1) = e_1 - e_2, T(e_2) = 2e_1 + e_3, T(e_3) = e_1 + e_2 + e_3$ .  $\{e_1, e_2, e_3\}$  is the usual basis of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

8. Find the matrix of the linear transformations w.r.t the given bases:

(a)  $D : P_3 \rightarrow P_3$  defined by  $D(p(x)) = \frac{d^2}{dx^2}(p(x))$ , w.r.t. the basis  $\{1, x, x^2, x^3\}$ .

(b)  $T : P_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{R})$  by

$$T(f(x)) = \begin{bmatrix} f'(0) & 2f(1) \\ 0 & f'(3) \end{bmatrix}$$

w.r.t. the basis  $\{1, x, x^2\}$  and  $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ .

9. (a)  $T : P_3(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow P_3(\mathbb{R})$  by  $T(f(x)) = \int_0^x f(t)dt$ . Prove that  $T$  is linear and one-one but not onto.

(b) Prove that there does not exist a linear map  $T : \mathbb{R}^5 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^5$  such that  $R(T) = N(T)$ .

10. Solve the following system of equations by Gauss-elimination method:

$$\begin{array}{ll} (a) & \begin{array}{l} x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 - x_4 = 0 \\ 3x_1 + 2x_2 - 3x_3 = 0 \\ -4x_1 - 4x_2 + 2x_3 + x_4 = 0 \\ 2x_1 - 4x_3 = 0 \end{array} \\ (b) & \begin{array}{l} x + y + z = 1 \\ x - y + z = 4 \\ x + 2y + 4z = 7 \end{array} \end{array}$$

11. Find the rank of the matrix  $A$  using definition where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & 4 & 2 \\ 6 & 9 & -3 & 3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

12. Determine the rank of the following matrices by reducing to row echelon form.

$$(a) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & 8 & 6 \\ 3 & 6 & 6 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad (b) \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 & 6 & 5 \\ 5 & 2 & 10 & 7 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

13. Find all  $x$  such that the rank of the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & x & x \\ x & 1 & x \\ x & x & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  is less than 3.

14. Determine whether the following matrices are invertible or not, if it is, then compute the inverse :

$$(a) \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad (b) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 5 & 4 \end{bmatrix}.$$

15. Find the value of  $k$  for which the system of equations has non-trivial solution.

$$\begin{array}{ll} (a) & \begin{array}{l} x + y + z = 0 \\ y + z = 0 \\ ky + z = 0 \end{array} \\ (b) & \begin{array}{l} (3k - 8)x + 3y + 3z = 0 \\ 3x + (3k - 8)y + 3z = 0 \\ 3x + 3y + (3k - 8)z = 0 \end{array} \end{array}$$

16. If the following system

$$ax + by + cz = 0$$

$$bx + cy + az = 0$$

$$cx + ay + bz = 0$$

has no trivial solution, then prove that  $a + b + c = 0$  or  $a = b = c$ .

17. Solve if possible

$$x + 2y + z - 3w = 1$$

$$2x + 4y + 3z + w = 3$$

$$3x + 6y + 4z - 2w = 5$$

18. Determine the condition for which the system

$$x + y + z = 1$$

$$x + 2y - z = b$$

$$5x + 7y + az = b^2$$

admits of (i) only one solution, (ii) no solution, (iii) many solutions.