B.A./B.Sc. 6th Semester MATHEMATICS (Linear Algebra) Paper—I

Time Allowed—2 Hours] [Maximum Marks—50

- **Note** :— There are **EIGHT** questions of equal marks. Candidates are required to attempt any **FOUR** questions.
- I. (a) Show that the set $G = \{i, -i, 1, -1\}$ is an abelian group with respect to multiplication.
 - (b) Show that the set of all polynomials with integral coefficients, is not a vector space over ℝ.
- II. (a) Prove that the necessary and sufficient condition for a non-empty subset W of a vector space V(F) to be a subspace of V, is $\alpha x + \beta y \in W \forall \alpha, \beta \in F \text{ and } x, y \in W.$
 - (b) If V(F) be a vector space, prove that the set S of non-zero vectors v₁, v₂, ..., v_n ∈ V is linearly dependent iff some element of S is a linear combination of the others.

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- III. (a) Prove that there exists a basis for each finite dimensional vector space.
 - (b) Find the co-ordinate vector of (1, 2, 1) relative to ordered basis B = {(2, 1, 0), (2, 1, 1), (2, 2, 1)}.
- IV. (a) If U and W are two subspaces of a finite dimensional vector space V(F), prove that : $\dim (U + W) = \dim U + \dim W - \dim (U \cap W)$
 - (b) Let W₁ and W₂ be two subspaces of R⁴;
 W₁ = {(a, b, c, d) : b + c + d = 0},
 W₂ = {(a, b, c, d) : a + b = 0, c = 2d}
 Find the basis and dimension of (i) W₁ (ii) W₂.
- V. (a) Show that $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^3$ defined by T(x, y) = (x + 1, 2y, x + y)

is not a linear transformation.

- (b) Prove that every n-dimensional vector space over the field F is isomorphic to space Fⁿ.
- VI. (a) If V(F) and W(F) are vector spaces over the same field F and T : $V \rightarrow W$ is a linear transformation. Prove that :
 - (i) Range of T is a subspace of W(F)

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- (ii) Null space of T is a subspace of V(F).
- (b) For the linear transformation $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \to \mathbb{R}^3$ defined by T(x, y, z) = (x + 2y - z, y + z, x + y - 2z)find basis and dimension of :
 - (i) Range space of T
 - (ii) Null space of T.

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VII. (a) Let $B = \{v_1, v_2, ..., v_n\}$ be a basis for vector space V(F) and T : V \rightarrow V be a linear transformation. Prove that for any

 $v \in V, [T;B] [v;B] = [T(v);B]$

(b) Let $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \to \mathbb{R}^3$ be defined by

T(x, y, z) = (3x + z, -2x + y, -x + 2y + 4z)

Find the matrix representation of T with respect to the basis $B = \{(1, 0, 1), (-1, 2, 1), (2, 1, 1)\}.$

VIII. (a) Find a linear transformation $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \to \mathbb{R}^3$ determined

by the matrix
$$M = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$
 with respect to ordered

bases $B_1 = \{(1, 2), (0, 3)\}$ for \mathbb{R}^2

and $B_2 = \{(1, 1, 0), (0, 1, 1), (1, 1, 1)\}$ for \mathbb{R}^3 .

(b) Let $B_1 = \{(1, 0), (0, 1)\}$ and $B_2 = \{(1, 3), (2, 5)\}$ be two ordered bases for \mathbb{R}^2 . Find the transition matrix Q from B_2 to B_1 and the transition matrix P from B_1 to B_2 . Also verify

 $Q = P^{-1}$ and $P[v : B_2] = [v : B_1] \quad \forall v \in \mathbb{R}^2$.

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