

**B.Sc. (Part—III) Semester-VI Examination**  
**MATHEMATICS (NEW)**  
**(Linear Algebra)**  
**Paper—XI**

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 60

**Note :—** (1) Question No. 1 is compulsory. Attempt it once only.  
(2) Attempt **ONE** question from each unit.

1. Choose the correct alternative : 10

(i) A non empty subset  $U$  of a vector space  $V(F)$  is a subspace of  $V$  iff :

- (a)  $\alpha\beta + uv \in U$  (b)  $\alpha u + \beta v \in V$   
(c)  $\alpha u + \beta.v \in U$  (d)  $\alpha u - \beta v \in V$  for all  $\alpha, \beta \in F$  and  $u, v \in U$

(ii) Any subset of linearly independent set is :

- (a) linearly dependent  
(b) linearly dependent and linearly independent  
(c) linearly independent  
(d) None of these

(iii) If  $T : u \rightarrow v$  is linear map then  $R(T)$  is subset of :

- (a)  $V$  (b)  $U \cap V$   
(c)  $U$  (d)  $U \cup V$

(iv) An element of dual space  $V$  is called a :

- (a) Linear element (b) Linear functional  
(c) Bilinear element (d) None of these

(v) If  $u, v$  be finite dimensional vector spaces and  $T : u \rightarrow v$  be a linear one-one and onto map, then :

- (a)  $\dim U = \dim V$  (b)  $\dim U \neq \dim V$   
(c)  $U = V$  (d)  $U \neq V$

(vi) If  $V$  is the finite dimensional vector space over  $F$  then :

- (a)  $V \cong \hat{V}$  (b)  $V \neq \hat{V}$   
(c)  $\hat{V} = \{0\}$  (d) None of these

(vii) If  $\| V \| = 1$  then  $V$  is called :

- (a) Orthogonal (b) Null vector  
(c) Normalised (d) None of these

(viii) The normalised vector of  $(1, -2, 5)$  is :

(a)  $\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{30}}, \frac{-2}{\sqrt{30}}, \frac{5}{\sqrt{30}}\right)$

(b)  $\left(\frac{1}{2}, -1, \frac{5}{2}\right)$

(c)  $\left(\frac{1}{5}, \frac{-2}{5}, -1\right)$

(d)  $(1, -2, 5)$

(ix) R-Module homomorphism is linear transformation if :

(a) R-with unit element

(b) R is commutative

(c) R-is a field

(d) None of these

(x) If the ring R has a unit element 1 and  $1.a = a$  for all  $a \in M$  then M is called :

(a) A unital R-module

(b) Right R-module

(c) Left-R-module

(d) None of these

### UNIT—I

2. (a) Define a basis of a vector space. If  $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  is a basis of V over F and if  $w_1, w_2, \dots, w_m \in V$  are L.I. over F, then prove that  $m \leq n$ . 1+4
- (b) Define a subspace of a vector space and prove that the non empty subset U of a vector space  $V(F)$  is a subspace of V iff  $\alpha u + \beta v \in U \forall \alpha, \beta \in F, u, v \in U$ . 1+4
3. (p) Prove that the intersection of two subspaces of a vector space is again a subspace. Is the statement true for union ? Justify. 5
- (q) Find span of  $S = \{(1, 2, 1), (1, 1, -1), (4, 5, -2)\}$  and then prove that  $(2, -1, -8)$  belongs to the span of S but  $(1, -3, 5)$  does not belongs to span of S. 5

### UNIT—II

4. (a) Let U, V are the vector spaces over a field F and  $T : u \rightarrow v$  be a linear map. Then prove that :
- (i)  $T(0) = 0$
- (ii)  $T(-u) = -T(u) \forall u \in U$
- (iii)  $T(\alpha_1 u_1 + \alpha_2 u_2 + \dots + \alpha_n u_n) = \alpha_1 T(u_1) + \alpha_2 T(u_2) + \dots + \alpha_n T(u_n)$   
 $\forall u_i \in U, \alpha_i \in F, 1 \leq i \leq n$  and  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . 5
- (b) Let  $T : V_4 \rightarrow V_3$  be a linear map defined by  $T(e_1) = (1, 1, 1), T(e_2) = (1, -1, 1), T(e_3) = (1, 0, 0), T(e_4) = (1, 0, 1)$ . Verify Rank-Nullity theorem. 5
5. (p) State and prove Rank-Nullity Theorem. 5

(q) Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  be a matrix of linear map T with respect to bases  $B_1$  and  $B_2$

where  $B_1 = \{(1, 1, 1), (1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0)\}, B_2 = \{(1, 2, 3), (1, -1, 1), (2, 1, 1)\}$ . Find  $T : V_3 \rightarrow V_3$  such that  $A = (T : B_1, B_2)$ . 5

UNIT—III

- 6. (a) Let  $V$  be a finite dimensional vector space over  $F$ . Then prove that  $V \approx \hat{V}$ . 5
- (b) Define Annihilator of  $W$ . Prove that annihilator of  $W = A(W)$  is a subspace of  $\hat{V}$ . 5
- 7. (p) If  $U$  and  $V$  are finite dimensional complex vector spaces and  $A : U \rightarrow V, B : U \rightarrow V$  are linear maps, then prove that (i)  $(A + B)^* = A^* + B^*$ , (ii)  $(\alpha A)^* = \bar{\alpha} A^*$ . 5
- (q) If  $S$  is a subset of a vector space  $V$  and  $A(S) = \{f \in \hat{V} / f(x) = 0 \forall x \in S\}$  then prove that  $A(S) = A(L(S))$  where  $L(S)$  is the linear span of  $S$ . 5

UNIT—IV

- 8. (a) State and prove Cauchy-Schwarz inequality. 5
- (b) (i) If  $\{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$  is an orthogonal set, then prove that :  

$$\|x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + \dots + x_n\|^2 = \|x_1\|^2 + \|x_2\|^2 + \dots + \|x_n\|^2.$$
(ii) Prove that every orthogonal set is LI. 5
- 9. (p) Let  $V$  be a finite dimensional inner product space. Then prove that  $V$  has an orthogonal (orthonormal) set as a basis. 5
- (q) Using Gram-Schmidt process, orthonormalise the set of vectors :  
 $\{(1, 0, 1, 0), (1, 1, 3, 0), (0, 2, 0, 1)\}$  of  $V_4$ . 5

UNIT—V

- 10. (a) If  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  are submodules of  $R$ -module  $M$ , then prove that  $M_1 + M_2$  is a sub module of  $M$ . Moreover prove that  $M_1 + M_2$  is a direct sum of  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  iff  $M_1 \cap M_2 = \{0\}$ . 5
- (b) Define :
  - (i)  $R$ -module homomorphism
  - (ii) Quotient module
and prove that if  $A$  be a submodule of unital  $R$  module  $M$ , then prove that  $M/A$  is also unital  $R$ -module. 1+1+3
- 11. (p) If  $H$  and  $K$  are submodules of  $M$  then prove that  $\frac{H+K}{K} \cong \frac{H}{H \cap K}$ . 5
- (q) If  $T$  is a homomorphism of a  $R$ -module  $M$  to  $R$ -module  $H$  then prove that :
  - (i)  $T(0) = 0$
  - (ii)  $T(-m) = -T(m) \forall m \in M$
  - (iii)  $T(m_1 - m_2) = T(m_1) - T(m_2) \forall m_1, m_2 \in M$ . 3
- (r) If  $M$  be an  $R$ -module and  $m \in M$ . Then prove that  $A = \{rm/r \in R\}$  is a submodule of  $M$ . 2

