

**BACHELOR OF COMPUTER SC. ENGINEERING EXAMINATION, 2017**  
(1st Year, 2nd Semester, Old Syllabus)

**Mathematics - IV D**

Time : Three hours

Full Marks : 100

Answer any **five** questions.

1. (a) Prove that

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1+a^2-b^2 & 2ab & -2b \\ 2ab & 1-a^2+b^2 & 2a \\ 2b & -2a & 1-a^2-b^2 \end{vmatrix} = (1+a^2+b^2)^3 \quad 6$$

(b) Explain with reasons if  $(A+B)(A-B) = A^2 - B^2$  hold true for square matrices. 4

(c) Find the inverse of the matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & -3 & 4 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  and show

that  $A^3 = A^{-1}$ . 7

(d) If possible solve the system of equations

$$x - 2y + z - \omega = -1$$

$$3x - 2z + 3\omega = -4$$

$$5x - 4y + \omega = -3$$

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2. (a) Find the rank of the matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 & -1 & -9 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 7 \\ -3 & 1 & -2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  and

reduce to its normal form. 7

(b) Solve

$$x + y + z + \omega = 0$$

$$x + 3y + 2z + 4\omega = 0$$

$$2x + z - \omega = 0 \quad 6$$

(c) Define a subspace of a vector space. Examine whether  $W$  is a subspace of  $V$  where

(i)  $V = \mathbb{R}^3$ ,  $W = \{(x, y, z) : x - 3y + 2z = 0\}$

(ii)  $V =$  the space of all square matrices of order 3

$W =$  the set of all non-singular matrices of order 3.  
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3. (a) Find the eigen values and eigen vectors of the

matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ . 9

(b) Prove that the eigen vectors corresponding to distinct eigen values are linearly independent. 5

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(b) Let  $p$  be a prime. Prove that  $(\mathbb{Z}_p, +, *)$  is a field. 6

(c) Show that a polynomial of degree  $n$  over a field  $F$  can have at most  $n$  roots in any extension field. 6

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6. (a) Show that  $H$  is a subgroup of a group  $(G, \cdot)$  iff  $a, b \in H$  implies  $a^{-1}b \in H \forall a, b \in H$ . 5
- (b) Prove that intersection of a family of subgroups is a subgroup of a group but the union of two subgroups may not be so. 5
- (c) Let  $H$  be a subgroup of a finite group  $G$ . Prove that
- (i)  $|aH| = |H| = |Ha| \forall a \in G$
- (ii)  $O(H)$  divides  $O(G)$ . 10
7. (a) If  $H, K$  are two subgroups of a group  $G$ , show that  $HK$  is a subgroup of  $G$  iff  $HK = KH$ . 7
- (b) Define a normal subgroup of a group  $G$ . 2
- (c) Define an ideal, a prime ideal and a principal ideal. Consider the ring of integers. For two positive integers  $a, b$  show that
- (a)  $(a) + (b) = (d)$ ,  $d = \gcd(a, b)$
- (a)  $(a) \cdot (b) = (c)$ ,  $c = \text{lcm}(a, b)$
- where  $(x)$  is the principal ideal generated by  $x$ . 3+8
8. (a) Show that in a commutative ring  $R$  with identity, a proper ideal  $P$  of  $R$  is prime iff.  $R/P$  is an integral domain. 8

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- (c) Prove that a set of  $n$  non-zero vectors  $\{\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n\}$  is linearly dependent iff at least one of  $\alpha_i$  is a linear combination of preceding vectors. 6
4. (a) Show that  $(1, -1, 3, 2)$ ,  $(1, 1, 0, 3)$ ,  $(0, 1, 0, 0)$  and  $(0, 0, 1, 0)$  forms a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^4$  and express  $(1, -3, 4, 7)$  as a linear combination. 7
- (b) Find the basis and dimension of the subspace  $W$  spanned by  $(1, 2, 2)$ ,  $(3, 2, 1)$ ,  $(11, 10, 7)$  and  $(7, 6, 4)$ . 5
- (c) Define a basis of a vector space. Show that any two bases in a finite dimensional vector space have exactly same number of vectors. 8
5. (a) Prove that every finite dimensional vector space has a basis. 6
- (b) If  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  are linearly independent then show that  $\alpha + \beta$ ,  $\alpha - \beta$ ,  $\alpha - 2\beta + \gamma$  are also so. 5
- (c) Find a basis and dimension of the space of all skew symmetric matrices of order 3. 3
- (d) Extend the following set  $(1, 0, 1, 1)$ ,  $(-1, -1, 0, 0)$ ,  $(0, 1, 1, 0)$  to a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^4$ . 6

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