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Third Semester

Biomedical Engineering

MA 8352 — LINEAR ALGEBRA AND PARTIAL DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

(Common to Computer and Communication Engineering/Electronics and  
Communication Engineering/Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering/  
Medical Electronics)

(Regulations 2017)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 100 marks

Answer ALL questions.

PART A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

1. Let  $V_1$  and  $V_2$  be subspaces of a vector space  $V$ . Is  $V_1 \cup V_2$  a subspace of  $V$ ?
2. Define linear independence of vectors.
3. Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  be defined by  $T(a_1, a_2) = (2a_1 + a_2, a_1)$ . Is  $T$  linear?
4. Define range of a linear transformation.
5. If  $\langle x, y \rangle$  is an inner product on a vector space  $V$ , then  $2\langle x, y \rangle$  can be an inner product on  $V$ ?
6. Define norm.
7. Define singular solution of a partial differential equation.
8. Solve  $\frac{y^2 z}{x} p + x z q = y^2$ .
9. State Dirichlet's conditions.
10. Write an example of two-dimensional heat equation.

PART B — (5 × 16 = 80 marks)

11. (a) (i) Prove that any intersection of subspaces of a vector space  $V$  is a subspace of  $V$ . (8)
- (ii) Prove that the span of any subset  $S$  of a vector space  $V$  is a subspace of  $V$ . (8)

Or

- (b) (i) Let  $V$  be a vector space and let  $S_1 \subseteq S_2 \subseteq V$ . If  $S_2$  is linearly independent, then prove that  $S_1$  is linearly independent. (8)
- (ii) Let  $V$  be a vector space with dimension  $n$ . Prove that any linearly independent subset of  $V$  that contains exactly  $n$  vectors is a basis for  $V$ . (8)
12. (a) State and prove 'Dimension theorem'. (16)

Or

- (b) (i) Find the eigen values and eigen vectors of the matrix  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ . (8)

- (ii) Reduce the matrix  $A = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  to the diagonal form. (8)

13. (a) (i) Explain the Gram-Schmidt process. (8)
- (ii) In  $\mathbb{R}^4$  the set  $\{(1, 0, 1, 0), (1, 1, 1, 1), (0, 1, 2, 1)\}$  is linear independent. Using Gram-Schmidt process, obtain an orthonormal set. (8)

Or

- (b) (i) Let  $V$  be a finite dimensional inner product space over  $F$ , and  $g: V \rightarrow F$  be a linear transformation. Then prove that there exists a unique vector  $y \in V$  such that  $g(x) = \langle x, y \rangle$  for all  $x \in V$ . (8)
- (ii) Let  $A = M_{m \times n}(F)$ . Then prove that  $\text{rank}(A^* A) = \text{rank}(A)$ . (8)

14. (a) (i) Solve  $x^2 p^2 + y^2 q^2 = z^2$  (4)
- (ii) Solve  $\frac{\partial^3 z}{\partial x^3} - 2 \frac{\partial^3 z}{\partial x^2 \partial y} = 2e^{2x} + 3x^2 y$ . (12)

Or

(b) (i) Solve  $(D^2 + 2DD' + D'^2 - 2D - 2D')z = \sin(x+2y)$ . (12)

(ii) Classify the partial differential equation

$$x^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + (1-y^2) \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = 0, -\infty < x < \infty, -1 < y < 1. \quad (4)$$

15. (a) (i) Find the Fourier series of (8)

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 & \text{if } 0 \leq x \leq \pi \\ -x^2 & \text{if } -\pi \leq x \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

(ii) Using the method of separation of variables, solve the partial differential equation  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2 \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + u$  where  $u(x, 0) = 6e^{-3x}$ . (8)

Or

(b) (i) A tightly stretched flexible string has its ends fixed at  $x=0$  and  $x=l$ . At time  $t=0$ , the string is given a shape defined by  $f(x) = \mu x(l-x)$ , where  $\mu$  is a constant, and then released. Find the displacement of any point  $x$  of the string at any time  $t > 0$ . (8)

(ii) Solve the equation  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x^2}$  with boundary conditions  $u(x, 0) = 3 \sin n \pi x$ ,  $u(0, t) = 0$  and  $u(1, t) = 0$ , where  $0 < x < 1, t > 0$ . (8)