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**MSS 212 – Further Linear Algebra**  
**[Aljabar Linear Lanjutan]**

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**Instructions :** Answer **all five** [5] questions.

**Arahan :** Jawab **semua lima** [5] soalan.]

In the event of any discrepancies, the English version shall be used.

*[Sekiranya terdapat sebarang percanggahan pada soalan peperiksaan, versi Bahasa Inggeris hendaklah diguna pakai].*

1. (a) (i) Let  $V$  be the set of points on a line that does not go through the origin in  $\mathbb{C}^2$  with the standard addition and scalar multiplication. Show that  $V$  is not a vector space.

- (ii) Let  $V$  denote the set of real polynomials

$$V = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \cdots + a_{n-1}x^{n-1} + a_nx^n.$$

Let  $W$  be the set of real polynomials of degree  $n$  or less. Is  $W$  a subspace of  $V$ ?

[10 marks]

- (b) Let  $W_1, W_2$ , and  $W_3$  be the  $x$ -axis, the  $y$ -axis, and the line  $y = -2x$  respectively. Show that

$$\mathbb{C}^2 \neq W_1 \oplus W_2 \oplus W_3.$$

[4 marks]

2. (a) Let

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 7 & 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 5 & -3 \\ -1 & 4 & -9 & 3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Using cofactor expansion, compute the determinant of  $A$ .

[5 marks]

- (b) Solve the simultaneous equations below using Cramer's Rule:

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + 2x_3 + 3x_4 &= 5 \\ x_2 + x_3 + 2x_4 &= 4 \\ -4x_1 + x_2 - 6x_3 - 5x_4 &= -13 \\ 2x_2 + 5x_3 + 21x_4 &= 21 \end{aligned}$$

[10 marks]

- (c) Let

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1+i & 1+2i \\ 1-i & 0 & 2-3i \\ 1-2i & 2+3i & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Using row reduction method, evaluate the determinant of  $B$ .

[8 marks]

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1. (a) (i) Biar  $V$  suatu set titik pada satu garisan yang tidak melalui titik asal pada  $\mathbb{C}^2$  dengan penambahan dan pendaraban skalar yang piawai. Tunjukkan bahawa  $V$  bukan suatu ruang vektor.

- (ii) Biar  $V$  suatu set polinomial nyata

$$V = a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + \cdots + a_{n-1} x^{n-1} + a_n x^n.$$

Biar  $W$  suatu set polinomial nyata dengan darjah  $n$  atau kurang. Adakah  $W$  suatu subruang bagi  $V$ ?

[10 markah]

- (b) Biar  $W_1, W_2$ , dan  $W_3$  adalah masing-masing paksi- $x$ , paksi- $y$  dan garisan  $y = -2x$ . Tunjukkan bahawa

$$\mathbb{C}^2 \neq W_1 \oplus W_2 \oplus W_3.$$

[4 markah]

2. (a) Biar

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 7 & 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 5 & -3 \\ -1 & 4 & -9 & 3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Dengan menggunakan kembangan kofaktor, kira penentu bagi  $A$ .

[5 markah]

- (b) Selesaikan persamaan serentak di bawah dengan menggunakan Petua Cramer:

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + 2x_3 + 3x_4 &= 5 \\ x_2 + x_3 + 2x_4 &= 4 \\ -4x_1 + x_2 - 6x_3 - 5x_4 &= -13 \\ 2x_2 + 5x_3 + 21x_4 &= 21 \end{aligned}$$

[10 markah]

- (c) Biar

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1+i & 1+2i \\ 1-i & 0 & 2-3i \\ 1-2i & 2+3i & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Menggunakan kaedah penurunan baris, nilaiakan penentu bagi  $B$ .

[8 markah]

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3. (a) Let  $T: M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{Q}) \rightarrow P_3(\mathbb{Q})$  be a linear transformation over  $\mathbb{Q}$  such that

$$T \begin{pmatrix} a_0 & a_1 \\ a_2 & a_3 \end{pmatrix} = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3.$$

(i) List down all the bases for  $M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{Q})$  over  $\mathbb{Q}$ .

(ii) List down all the bases for  $P_3(\mathbb{Q})$  over  $\mathbb{Q}$ .

(iii) Are  $M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{Q})$  and  $P_3(\mathbb{Q})$  isomorphic over  $\mathbb{Q}$ ?

[16 marks]

(b) Let  $V = \text{span}(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n)$  be a vector space over  $\mathbb{Q}$  and let  $W = \text{span}(w_1, w_2, \dots, w_m)$  be a vector space over  $\mathbb{Q}$ . Can  $V$  be isomorphic to  $W$ ? Verify your answer.

[4 marks]

(c) (i) Show that a linear operator  $T: V \rightarrow V$  on a vector space of finite dimension is invertible if and only if it is nonsingular.

(ii) Let  $T: \mathbb{Q}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}^2$  be a linear transformation such that

$$T(x, y) = (x+2y, 3x+2y).$$

Using the statement in 3.c.i), show that  $T$  is invertible.

[15 marks]

3. (a) Biar  $T: M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{Q}) \rightarrow P_3(\mathbb{Q})$  suatu transformasi linear atas  $\mathbb{Q}$  sedemikian

$$T \begin{pmatrix} a_0 & a_1 \\ a_2 & a_3 \end{pmatrix} = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_3x^3.$$

(i) Senaraikan semua asas bagi  $M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{Q})$  atas  $\mathbb{Q}$ .

(ii) Senaraikan semua asas bagi  $P_3(\mathbb{Q})$  atas  $\mathbb{Q}$ .

(iii) Adakah  $M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{Q})$  dan  $P_3(\mathbb{Q})$  isomorfik atas  $\mathbb{Q}$ ?

[16 markah]

(b) Biar  $V = \text{rentang}(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n)$  suatu ruang vektor atas  $\mathbb{Q}$  dan biar  $W = \text{rentang}(w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n)$  suatu ruang vektor atas  $\mathbb{Q}$ . Adakah  $V$  isomorfik dengan  $W$ ? Tentusahkan jawapan anda.

[4 markah]

(c) (i) Tunjukkan bahawa suatu operator linear  $T: V \rightarrow V$  bagi suatu ruang vektor yang berdimensi terhingga adalah tersongsangkan jika dan hanya jika ianya tak singular.

(ii) Biar  $T: \mathbb{Q}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}^2$  suatu transformasi linear sedemikian

$$T(x, y) = (x+2y, 3x+2y).$$

Dengan menggunakan pernyataan 3.c.i), tunjukkan bahawa  $T$  adalah tersongsangkan.

[15 markah]

4. (a) Let

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Determine whether  $A$  can be diagonalised

(i) over  $\mathbb{C}$ ?

(ii) over  $\mathbb{R}$ ?

[8 marks]

(b) Let

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} i & 0 \\ 1 & i \end{pmatrix}.$$

Find the Jordan canonical form for  $B$ . Then, compute

(i)  $B^{-1}$ .

(ii)  $B^k$ ,  $k$  is a positive integer.

[14 marks]

(c) Determine whether the following statements are true or false in general, and justify your answers.

(i) Any square matrix is similar to a triangular matrix.

(ii) If a matrix  $A$  has exactly  $k$  linearly independent eigenvectors, then the Jordan canonical form of  $A$  has  $k$  Jordan blocks.

(iii) If a matrix  $A$  has  $k$  distinct eigenvalues, then the Jordan canonical form of  $A$  has  $k$  Jordan blocks.

[6 marks]

4. (a) Biar

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Tentukan sama ada  $A$  boleh dipepenjurukan

(i) atas  $\square$  ?

(ii) atas  $\square$  ?

[8 markah]

(b) Biar

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} i & 0 \\ 1 & i \end{pmatrix}.$$

Cari bentuk berkanun Jordan bagi  $B$ . Kemudian, hitung

(i)  $B^{-1}$ .

(ii)  $B^k$ ,  $k$  suatu integer positif.

[14 markah]

(c) Tentukan sama ada pernyataan berikut adalah benar atau palsu secara am, dan jelaskan jawapan anda.

(i) Sebarang matriks segiempat sama adalah serupa dengan suatu matriks segitiga.

(ii) Jika suatu matriks  $A$  mempunyai  $k$  vektor eigen yang tak bersandar linear, maka bentuk berkanun Jordan bagi  $A$  mempunyai  $k$  blok Jordan.

(iii) Jika suatu matriks  $A$  mempunyai  $k$  nilai eigen yang berbeza, maka bentuk berkanun Jordan bagi  $A$  mempunyai  $k$  blok Jordan.

[6 markah]

5. (a) Let  $T$  be a linear operator on  $\mathbb{C}^3$  defined by

$$T(x, y, z) = (2x + (1-i)y - iz, (3+2i)x + y - 4iz, 2ix + (4-3i)y - 3z).$$

Find  $T^*(x, y, z)$ .

[5 marks]

- (b) Let

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1+i}{2} & \frac{1+i}{2} \\ \frac{1-i}{2} & \frac{-1+i}{2} \end{pmatrix}.$$

Show that  $A$  is unitary but neither Hermitian nor skew-Hermitian.

[6 marks]

- (c) Show that  $T^*T$ ,  $TT^*$  and  $T^* + T$  are self-adjoint for any operator  $T$  on any vector space  $V$ .

[9 marks]

5. (a) Biar  $T$  suatu operator linear pada  $\mathbb{C}^3$  ditakrifkan sebagai

$$T(x, y, z) = (2x + (1-i)y - iz, (3+2i)x + y - 4iz, 2ix + (4-3i)y - 3z).$$

Cari  $T^*(x, y, z)$ .

[5 markah]

- (b) Biar

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1+i}{2} & \frac{1+i}{2} \\ \frac{1-i}{2} & \frac{-1+i}{2} \end{pmatrix}.$$

Tunjukkan bahawa  $A$  adalah unitari tetapi tidak Hermitean dan tidak Hermitean pencong.

[6 markah]

- (c) Tunjukkan bahawa  $T^*T$ ,  $TT^*$  dan  $T^* + T$  adalah swadampingan bagi sebarang operator  $T$  pada sebarang ruang vektor  $V$ .

[9 markah]