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**[Aljabar Linear Lanjutan]**

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**Instructions :** Answer all nine [9] questions.

***[Arahan :*** *Jawab semua sembilan [9] soalan.]*

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1. (a) Let  $A = (a_{i,j})$  be an  $n \times n$  matrix such that

$$a_{i,j} = -a_{j,i}$$

If  $n$  is an odd number, show that  $\det(A) = 0$

[35 marks]

(b) Find

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x_1 & x_2 & \cdots & \cdots & x_n \\ 1 & x & x_2 & \cdots & \cdots & x_n \\ \vdots & x_1 & x & x_3 & \cdots & x_n \\ & & x_2 & & & \vdots \\ & & \vdots & & & x_n \\ 1 & x_1 & x_2 & & & x \end{pmatrix} \quad [15 \text{ marks}]$$

1. (a) Biar  $A = (a_{i,j})$  suatu matriks  $n \times n$  sedemikian hingga

$$a_{i,j} = -a_{j,i}$$

Jika  $n$  ialah nombor ganjil, tunjukkan  $\det(A) = 0$

[35 markah]

(b) Cari

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x_1 & x_2 & \cdots & \cdots & x_n \\ 1 & x & x_2 & \cdots & \cdots & x_n \\ \vdots & x_1 & x & x_3 & \cdots & x_n \\ & & x_2 & & & \vdots \\ & & \vdots & & & x_n \\ 1 & x_1 & x_2 & & & x \end{pmatrix} \quad [15 \text{ markah}]$$

2. Let  $M_{2 \times 1}(\mathbb{C}) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \mid x = a_1 + b_1 i, y = a_2 + b_2 i, a_1, a_2, b_1, b_2 \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$

Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 + b_1 i \\ a_2 + b_2 i \end{pmatrix}, B = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 + d_1 i \\ c_2 + d_2 i \end{pmatrix} \in M_{2 \times 1}(\mathbb{C}), r \in \mathbb{R}$ .

Define  $A + B = \begin{pmatrix} (a_1 + c_1) + (b_1 + d_1)i \\ (a_2 + c_2) + (b_2 + d_2)i \end{pmatrix}$

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and  $rA = \begin{pmatrix} ra_1 + rb_1i \\ ra_2 + rb_2i \end{pmatrix}$ .

Show that  $M_{2x1}(\mathbb{C})$  is a vector space over  $\mathbb{R}$  with  $\dim(M_{2x1}(\mathbb{C})) = 4$ .

[120 marks]

2. Biar  $M_{2x1}(\mathbb{C}) = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \mid x = a_1 + b_1i, y = a_2 + b_2i, a_1, a_2, b_1, b_2 \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$

Biar  $A = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 + b_1i \\ a_2 + b_2i \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 + d_1i \\ c_2 + d_2i \end{pmatrix} \in M_{2x1}(\mathbb{C})$ ,  $r \in \mathbb{R}$ .

Takrifkan  $A + B = \begin{pmatrix} (a_1 + c_1) + (b_1 + d_1)i \\ (a_2 + c_2) + (b_2 + d_2)i \end{pmatrix}$

dan  $rA = \begin{pmatrix} ra_1 + rb_1i \\ ra_2 + rb_2i \end{pmatrix}$ .

Tunjukkan  $M_{2x1}(\mathbb{C})$  ialah suatu ruang vektor atas  $\mathbb{R}$  sedemikian hingga  $\dim(M_{2x1}(\mathbb{C})) = 4$ .

[120 markah]

3. Let  $S$  and  $T$  be finite sets such that  $|S| = |T|$ . Construct an isomorphism to show that  $\text{Fun}(S, \mathbb{R})$  is isomorphic to  $\text{Fun}(T, \mathbb{R})$ .

[100 marks]

3. Biar  $S$  dan  $T$  merupakan set terhingga sedemikian hingga  $|S| = |T|$ . Bentukkan suatu isomorfisme untuk menunjukkan  $\text{Fun}(S, \mathbb{R})$  adalah berisomorfik dengan  $\text{Fun}(T, \mathbb{R})$ .

[100 markah]

4. Let  $T : P_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow P_2(\mathbb{R})$  be a linear transformation such that

$$(a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2)T = a_0 - a_1 + (a_1 - a_2)x + (a_2 - a_0)x^2.$$

- (a) Show that  $T_{\alpha, \alpha}$  and  $T_{\beta, \beta}$  are similar matrices where  $\alpha = \{1, x, x^2\}$  and  $\beta = \{1 + x^2, x + x^2, x^2\}$ .

[120 marks]

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(b) Find  $\det(T)$ .

[10 marks]

4. Biar  $T : P_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow P_2(\mathbb{R})$  suatu transformasi linear sedemikian hingga
- $$(a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2) T = a_0 - a_1 + (a_1 - a_2)x + (a_2 - a_0)x^2.$$

(a) Tunjukkan  $T_{\alpha, \alpha}$  dan  $T_{\beta, \beta}$  adalah matriks setara jika  $\alpha = \{1, x, x^2\}$  dan  $\beta = \{1+x^2, x+x^2, x^2\}$ .

[120 markah]

(b) Cari  $\det(T)$ .

[10 markah]

5. Suppose  $V$  is a finite dimensional vector space, and  $T : V \rightarrow V$  is a linear transformation. Let  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$  is an eigenvalue of  $T$ , and suppose  $E_\lambda$  is the set containing all eigenvectors corresponding to  $\lambda$  together with the vector 0.

(a) Check that  $E_\lambda$  is a subspace of  $V$ .

[20 marks]

(b) Suppose that  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n$  are distinct eigenvalues of  $T$  and  $v_{\lambda_i}$  are the corresponding eigenvectors. Show that  $v_{\lambda_1}, v_{\lambda_2}, \dots, v_{\lambda_n}$  are linearly independent.

[40 marks]

(c) Suppose that  $S : V \rightarrow V$  is a linear transformation satisfying  $S \circ T = T \circ S$ . Prove  $(E_\lambda)S \subseteq E_\lambda$  for every  $\lambda$ .

[20 marks]

5. Katakan  $V$  suatu ruang vektor berdimensi terhingga, dan  $T : V \rightarrow V$  suatu transformasi linear. Biar  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$  suatu nilai eigen bagi  $T$ , dan katakan  $E_\lambda$  merupakan set yang mengandungi semua vektor eigen yang sepadan dengan  $\lambda$  berserta dengan vektor 0.

(a) Tunjukkan bahawa  $E_\lambda$  merupakan suatu subruang bagi  $V$ .

[20 markah]

(b) Katakan  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n$  merupakan nilai-nilai eigen yang berlainan bagi  $T$  dan  $v_{\lambda_i}$  merupakan vektor-vektor eigen yang sepadan. Tunjukkan bahawa  $v_{\lambda_1}, v_{\lambda_2}, \dots, v_{\lambda_n}$  tak bersandar secara linear.

[40 markah]

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- (c) Katakan  $S : V \rightarrow V$  suatu transformasi linear sedemikian hingga  $S \circ T = T \circ S$ . Tunjukkan bahawa  $(E_\lambda)S \subseteq E_\lambda$  bagi setiap  $\lambda$ .

[20 markah]

6. Suppose  $M$  is a subspace of a finite dimensional inner product space  $V$ . Show that

(a)  $V = M \oplus M^\perp$  (i.e  $V = M + M^\perp$  and  $M \cap M^\perp = \{0\}$ ) .

[45 marks]

(b)  $(M^\perp)^\perp = M$ .

[45 marks]

6. Katakan  $M$  merupakan suatu subruang bagi suatu ruang hasildarab terkedalam berdimensi terhingga  $V$ . Tunjukkan bahawa

(a)  $V = M \oplus M^\perp$  (i.e  $V = M + M^\perp$  dan  $M \cap M^\perp = \{0\}$ ) .

[45 markah]

(b)  $(M^\perp)^\perp = M$ .

[45 markah]

7. Investigate the following problem: What happens if the Gram-Schmidt procedure is applied to a list of vectors that are not linearly independent? Prove your answer.

[40 marks]

7. Kaji masalah berikut : Apakah yang akan berlaku jika proses Gram-Schmidt digunakan ke atas suatu senarai vektor-vektor yang bukan tak bersandar secara linear? Buktikan jawapan anda.

[40 markah]

8. Prove that for every non-zero  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ , the matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & a \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  cannot be diagonalized.

[30 marks]

8. Buktikan bahawa bagi setiap nilai tak-sifar  $a \in \mathbb{R}$ , matriks  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & a \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  tak terpepenjurukan.

[30 markah]

9. Consider the linear transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$  given by

$$(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)T = (0, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}).$$

- (a) Compute the adjoint of  $T$ .
- (b) Is  $T$  self adjoint? Prove your answer.

[60 marks]

9. Pertimbangkan transformasi linear  $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$  yang diberi oleh

$$(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)T = (0, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}).$$

- (a) Kirakan adjoint bagi  $T$ .
- (b) Adakah  $T$  adjoint-sendiri? Buktikan jawapan anda.

[60 markah]

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