

B.E. / B.Tech. - DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, NOV / DEC 2025

Third Semester

Electronics and Communication Engineering

(Common to Electrical and Electronics Engineering & Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering)

20BSMA301 - LINEAR ALGEBRA, PARTIAL DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS AND TRANSFORMS

Regulations - 2020

Duration: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

PART - A (MCQ) (10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

	Marks	K- Level	CO
1. If $S = \{v_1, v_2, v_3 \dots v_N\}$ is a set of vectors in a finite dimensional vector space V , then S is called a basis for V if (a) S spans V (b) S is linearly independent (c) either A or B (d) both A and B	1	K1	CO1
2. Does the vectors $v_1 = (-3,7)$ and $v_2 = (5, 5)$ form a basis for R^2 ? (a) Data not complete (b) No (c) Yes (d) Not in R^2	1	K2	CO1
3. Let $T(x,y,z) = (x,0,y)$ be a linear map. What is the null space of T ? (a) Generated by $(0,1,0)$ (b) Generated by $(0,0,1)$ (c) Generated by $(1,1,0)$ (d) none of these.	1	K2	CO2
4. Let $T: V \rightarrow W$ be a mapping and if $N(T) = \{0\}$, then T is (a) linear (b) one-one (c) onto (d) none of the above	1	K1	CO2
5. The Lagrange's multipliers for solving the partial differential equation are $px(y-z) + qy(z-x) = z(x-y)$ (a) x, y, z (b) $1, 1, 1$ (c) $y, z, 1$ (d) $x, y, 1$	1	K2	CO3
6. The partial differential equation corresponding to $z = ax + by + ab$ by eliminating the arbitrary constants, where $\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = p, \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = q$ is (a) $z = px+qy+pq$ (b) $z = qx+py+pq$ (c) $z = px-xy$ (d) $z = px+qy$	1	K2	CO3
7. $\cos x$ is a periodic function of period (a) π (b) 2π (c) $\frac{\pi}{2}$ (d) $\frac{3\pi}{2}$	1	K1	CO4
8. If $F(s)$ is the Fourier Transform of $f(x)$, then $F[f(x-a)]$ is (a) $e^{as} F(s)$ (b) $e^{-as} F(s)$ (c) $e^{ias} F(s)$ (d) $e^{-ias} F(s)$	1	K1	CO4
9. $Z[c]$ is (a) $\frac{z}{z-1}$ (b) $\frac{cz}{z-1}$ (c) $\frac{cz}{1-z}$ (d) $\frac{cz}{1-cz}$	1	K1	CO5
10. The Z-transform of a unit impulse function is (a) 1 (b) z (c) $\frac{1}{z}$ (d) Z^n	1	K1	CO5

PART - B (12 × 2 = 24 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

11. Define vector space.	2	K1	CO1
12. Is $(2,-5,4)$ a linear combination of $(1,-3,2)$ and $(2,-1,1)$ in $R^3(R)$.	2	K2	CO1
13. Define Range space.	2	K1	CO2
14. Is $T: R^3 \rightarrow R^3$ defined by $T(x, y, z) = (x, 0, 0)$ is a linear transformation?	2	K2	CO2
15. Form the partial differential equation of all spheres whose centre lie on the Z-axis.	2	K2	CO3
16. Solve : $(D^3 - 3DD'^2 + 2D'^3) z = 0$.	2	K3	CO3
17. Define Fourier Transform pair.	2	K1	CO4
18. Find the Fourier Cosine transform of $\frac{1}{a^2 + x^2}$.	2	K2	CO4

19. State and prove initial value theorem of Z Transform. 2 K1 CO5
 20. Form the difference equation from the relation $y_n = a + b \cdot 3^n$. 2 K2 CO5
 21. State modulation theorem in Fourier Transform. 2 K1 CO4
 22. Show that the vectors $(1, 2, 3)$, $(3, -2, 1)$, $(1, -6, -5)$ in R^3 are linearly dependent over R. 2 K3 CO1

PART - C (6 × 11 = 66 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

23. a) Let V be the set of all polynomials of degree $\leq n$, including the zero polynomial in $F[x]$. Then Prove that V is a vector space over F. 11 K3 CO1

OR

- b) Find the basis for the subspace 11 K3 CO1
 $W_1 = \{(a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5) \in F^5 / a_1 - a_3 - a_4 = 0\}$
 $W_2 = \{(a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5) \in F^5 / a_2 = a_3 = a_4 \text{ and } a_1 + a_5 = 0 \text{ of } F \text{ and dimensions of } W_1 \text{ and } W_2\}$.

24. a) Let $T: R^2 \rightarrow R^3$ be defined by $T(x, y) = (x + 3y, 0, 2x - 4y)$. Compute the matrix of the transformation with respect to the standard bases of R^2 and R^3 . Find N(T) and R(T). 11 K3 CO2

OR

- b) Find an orthonormal basis of the inner product space $R^3(R)$ with standard inner product, given the basis $B = \{(1, 0, 1), (1, 0, -1), (0, 3, 4)\}$ using Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization process. 11 K3 CO2

25. a) Find the singular integral of $z = px + qy + pq$. 11 K3 CO3

OR

- b) Solve : $(D^3 + D^2D' - DD'^2 - D'^3) z = e^{2x+y} + \cos(x + 2y)$. 11 K3 CO3

26. a) Find the Fourier transform f(x) given by $f(x) = \begin{cases} a - |x|, & \text{for } |x| < a \\ 0 & \text{for } |x| > a > 0 \end{cases}$. 11 K3 CO4

Hence show that $\int_0^\infty \left(\frac{\sin t}{t}\right)^2 dt = \frac{\pi}{2}$.

OR

- b) Evaluate $\int_0^\infty \frac{dx}{(x^2 + a^2)(x^2 + b^2)}$ using Fourier Cosine Transform. 11 K3 CO4

27. a) Find $Z^{-1} \left[\frac{z(z^2 - z + 2)}{(z + 1)(z - 1)^2} \right]$ using the method of partial fraction. 11 K3 CO5

OR

- b) Solve the difference equation $y_{n+2} + 6y_{n+1} + 9y_n = 2^n$ given that $y_0 = 0, y_1 = 0$. 11 K3 CO5

28. a) (i) Find the basis for the subspace 6 K3 CO1
 $W_2 = \{(a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4, a_5) \in F^5 / a_2 = a_3 = a_4 \text{ and } a_1 + a_5 = 0\}$ of F and hence find dimension of W_2 .

- (ii) If $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ is a linear transformation such that $T(1,1) = (1,0,2)$, 5 K3 CO2
 $T(2,3) = (1,-1,4)$
(a) Determine T .
(b) Find $T(2,5)$, $T(8,11)$.

OR

- b) (i) Determine if the set $\{x^3 + 2x^2, -x^2 + 3x + 1, x^3 - x^2 + 2x - 1\}$ is linearly 6 K3 CO1
dependent or linearly independent in $\mathbb{R}^3(\mathbb{R})$.
(ii) Let $V = P(\mathbb{R})$, the vector space of polynomials over \mathbb{R} with inner product defined 5 K3 CO2
by $\langle f, g \rangle = \int_0^1 f(t)g(t) dt$, where $f(t) = t + 2$, $g(t) = t^2 - 2t - 3$. Find $\|f\|$ and
 $\|g\|$.