

**SOLUTION KEY: 1443/Semester-1/Math-244/Final Exam**

**Solution of Question 1:**

**a)**  $adj(A) = C^T = \begin{bmatrix} 30 & -12 & 4 \\ -16 & 6 & -2 \\ 18 & -7 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  (2 marks)

and  $|A| = -2$ . (1 mark)

Hence,  $A^{-1} = |A|^{-1}adj(A) = \begin{bmatrix} -15 & 6 & -2 \\ 8 & -3 & 1 \\ -9 & 7/2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  (1 mark)

**b)**  $det(det(A)B^2A^{-1}) = (det(A))^2(det(B))^2(det(A))^{-1} = (det(A))(det(B))^2 = 36$  (2 marks)

**c)**  $|A| = -2$  and  $|B| = 0 \Rightarrow A$  is invertible but  $B$  is non-invertible  $\Rightarrow A$  and  $B$  are not row equivalent. (2 marks)

**Solution of Question 2:**

**a)**  $[A: B] \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 & : & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & \alpha-6 & : & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 8-2\alpha & : & \beta-6 \end{bmatrix}$ . (2 marks)

Hence, the linear system has:

- i) no solution if  $\alpha = 4$  and  $\beta \neq 6$ ; (1.5 marks)
- ii) infinitely many solutions if  $\alpha = 4$  and  $\beta = 6$ . (1.5 marks)

**b)**  $a = 2, b = -3, c = 1, d = 4$ . (3 marks)

**Solution of Question 3:**

**a) i)**  $[u_1 \ u_2 \ u_3 \ u_4] \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  (R.E.F.) (1 mark)

$\Rightarrow F = span\{u_1, u_2, u_3\} \Rightarrow dim(F) = 3$ . (1 mark)

ii)  $\{u_1, u_2, u_3, (1,1,0,-1)\}$  is linearly independent and  $F = span\{u_1, u_2, u_3\}$ . So,  $(1,1,0,1) \notin F$  (2 marks)

**b)**  $APC = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = [ [u_1]_B \ [u_2]_B \ [u_3]_B ]$ . (1 mark)

Hence,  $u_1 = 1v_1 + 1v_2 - 1v_3 = (2,2,-2)$ . Similarly,  $u_2 = (1,1,8)$  and  $u_3 = (3,2,7)$ . (3 marks)

**Solution of Question 4:**

**a) i)**  $\theta = \cos^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \approx 0.955 \text{ rad}$  (1 mark)

ii)  $u_1 = w_1 = (0, 0, 1)$ .  $u_2 = w_2 - \frac{\langle w_2, u_1 \rangle}{\|u_1\|^2} u_1 = (0, 1, 0)$

and  $u_3 = w_3 - \frac{\langle w_3, u_1 \rangle}{\|u_1\|^2} u_1 - \frac{\langle w_3, u_2 \rangle}{\|u_2\|^2} u_2 = (1, 0, 0)$ . (3 marks)

So,  $\{e_1 = u_1 = (0,0,1), e_2 = u_2 = (0,1,0), e_3 = u_3 = (1,0,0)\}$  is an orthonormal basis of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

**b) i)**  $Ker(T) = \{(0,0)\}$  (1 mark)

ii) From Part i),  $T$  is one-one and so  $Im(T) = \mathbb{R}^2$ . Hence,  $dim Im(T) = 2$ . (1 mark)

**c)**  $[T]_B^C = [T(1,0)]_C \ [T(0,1)]_C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . (2 marks)

**Solution of Question 5:**

**a)** Eigenvalues = 1, 1, 1 (1 mark)

$E_1 = span\{(0,0,1)\}$  (1 mark)

So, the algebraic multiplicity of the eigenvalue 1 is 3 which is different from its geometric multiplicity 1.

Hence, the given matrix  $A$  is not diagonalizable. (2 mark)

**b)**  $P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ , so that  $D = P^{-1}AP = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ . Thus,  $A^{-1} = PD^{-1}P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1/2 & 1 & 1/2 \\ -1/2 & 0 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$ . (1+1+2 marks)

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