

MATH 3333

Midterm II

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- Calculators are not allowed. The problems are set so that you should not need calculators at all.
- Show as much work as possible. Answers without explanation will not receive any credit.
- If you perform any row or column operations in a problem, record them using standard notations.
- Best of Luck.

i) Let $L : R_3 \rightarrow R_4$ be defined by

$$L([u_1 \ u_2 \ u_3]) = [u_1 - u_3 \ u_2 + 2u_1 \ -u_3 \ u_1 + u_3]$$

a) (10 Points) Show that L is a linear transformation.

b) (10 Points) Find a basis for and dimension of the Kernel of L .

c) (10 Points) Find a basis for and dimension of the Range of L .

d) (15 Points) Let $S = \{[1 \ 0 \ 1], [2 \ 1 \ 0], [0 \ -1 \ 1]\}$ be a basis for R_3 and T be the natural basis for R_4 . Find the matrix representing L with respect to the ordered basis S and T .

ii) Let $V = M_{22}$. Let W be the subset of V consisting of matrices of the form $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$ such that $a + d = 0$.

a) (10 Points) Show that W is a subspace of V .

b) (15 Points) Find a basis for and dimension of W .

iii) (15 Points) Let V be the set of all odd integers. Define the operations \oplus and \odot as follows:

$$\mathbf{u} \oplus \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{uv} \text{ (usual multiplication) and } c \odot \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{u}$$

Is V a vector space ? If Yes, then show that **all** the properties are satisfied. If No, then list **all** the properties that are not satisfied.

iv) (15 Points) Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Is $\text{Rank}(A) = 3$? Explain your answer. Also, find $\text{Nullity}(A)$.