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SCHOOL OF ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING



**ECEN 5713 Linear Systems  
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Midterm Exam #2**



**Choose any four out of five problems.**  
*Please specify which four listed below to be graded:*  
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**Problem 1:**

Let

$$V^\perp = \text{Span}\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 1 \\ 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}\right),$$

determine the original space,  $V$ . For  $x = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ , find its direct sum representation of

$x = x_1 \oplus x_2$ , such that  $x_1 \in V$ , and  $x_2 \in V^\perp$  (i.e., the direct sum of spaces  $V$  and  $V^\perp$  is the set of all  $2 \times 2$  matrices with real coefficients).

**Problem 2:**

Let  $V = F^3$ , and let  $F$  be the field of rational polynomials. Determine the representation of

$v = \begin{bmatrix} s+2 & \frac{1}{s} & -2 \end{bmatrix}^T$  in  $(V, F)$  with respect to the basis  $\{v^1, v^2, v^3\}$ , where

$v^1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^T, v^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}^T, v^3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^T$ .

**Problem 3:**

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

What are the rank and nullity of the above linear operator,  $A$  ? And find the bases of the range spaces and the null spaces of the operator,  $A$  ?

**Problem 4:**

Consider the subspace of  $\mathfrak{R}^4$  consisting of all  $4 \times 1$  column vector  $x = [x_1 \ x_2 \ x_3 \ x_4]^T$  with constraints  $x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 0$  and  $2x_1 + 2x_2 + 2x_3 = 0$ . Extend the following set (with only one element) to form a basis for THE subspace:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

**Problem 5:**

Show if the following sets

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

span the same subspace  $V$  of  $(\mathfrak{R}^4, \mathfrak{R})$ .