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## Continuous Internal Assessment Test II- April 2025

### II Semester

Class : I PG

Time : 2 Hours

Branch : Mathematics

Max.Marks : 60

### 23MMAC07 – Advanced Algebra II

#### Course Outcomes:

CO1: Demonstrate knowledge of conjugacy relation and class equation

CO2: Apply Sylow theorem to determine the nature of subgroups

CO3: Identify the irreducibility of polynomials

CO4: Develop the concepts of extension fields

CO5: Find the splitting field for a given polynomial.

#### Part A

6 x 1 = 6

#### Choose the Correct Answer

- Two nilpotent transformations are similar if and only if they have the ..... invariants.  
a. same                      b. different                      c. invertible                      d. primitive      CO3K1
- If the matrix of dimension  $m$ , is cyclic with respect to  $T$  then the dimension of  $MT^k$  is  
a.  $m-k$                       b.  $m+k$                       c.  $m-n$                       d.  $m+n$       CO3K1
- If  $\dim(V) = n$  then the characteristic polynomial of  $T$  is the ..... of its elementary divisor.  
CO4K2  
a. multiplicity                      b. product                      c. additive                      d. both (a) and (b)
- If the multiplicity of each characteristic root of  $T$  is 1 and if all the characteristic roots of  $T$  are in  $F$  then  $T$  is ..... over  $F$ .  
CO4K3  
a. diagonalizable      b. Canonical      c. commute      d. not commute
- If the field  $F$  has  $p^m$  elements then  $F$  is the splitting field of the polynomial .....  
a.  $x^{p^m} - x$                       b.  $x^{p^m} + x$                       c.  $x^{p^m} - m$                       d.  $x^{p^m} + m$       CO5K2
- The multiplicative group of non zero elements of a finite field is.....  
CO5K1  
a. cyclic                      b. isomorphic                      c. field                      d. ring

#### Part B

3 x 6 = 18

#### Answer ALL questions

7.a. Prove that there exists a subspace  $W$  of  $V$  which is invariant under  $T$  such that

$$V = V_1 \oplus W.$$

(or)

7.b. If  $T \in A(V)$  is nilpotent then prove that  $\alpha_0 + \alpha_1 T + \alpha_2 T^2 + \dots + \alpha_m T^m$  is invertible if  $\alpha_0 \neq 0$ .

8.a. If  $V = V_1 \oplus V_2$ , where  $V_1$  and  $V_2$  are subspaces of  $V$  invariants under  $T$ . Let  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  be the linear transformations induced by  $T$  on  $V_1$  and  $V_2$  respectively. If the minimal polynomial of  $T_1$  over  $F$  is  $P_1(x)$  while that of  $T_2$  is  $P_2(x)$  then show that the minimal polynomial for  $T$  over  $F$  is the least common multiple of  $P_1(x)$  and  $P_2(x)$ .

(or)

8. b. Prove that the elements  $S$  and  $T$  in  $A_F(V)$  are similar if and only if they have the same elementary divisors.

9.a. For every prime number  $P$  and for every positive integer  $m$ , prove that there exists a field having  $P^m$  elements.

(or)

9. b. Let  $G$  be a finite abelian group satisfying the relation  $x^n = e$  is solved by at most  $n$  elements of  $G$  for every integer  $n$  then prove that  $G$  is a cyclic group.

### Part C

3 x 12 = 36

#### Answer ALL questions

10.a. Prove that the two nilpotent linear transformations are similar if and only if they have the same invariants.

(or)

10.b. If  $T \in A(V)$  is nilpotent is of index of nilpotence  $n_1$  then show that a basis of  $V$  can

formed such that the matrix of  $T$  in this basis has the form

$$\begin{bmatrix} M_{n_1} & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & M_{n_2} & & & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & \dots & M_{n_r} \end{bmatrix}$$

where  $n_1 \geq n_2 \geq \dots \geq n_r$  and  $n_1 + n_2 + \dots + n_r = \dim V$

11.a. Let  $V$  and  $W$  be two vector spaces over  $F$  and suppose that  $\psi$  is a vector space isomorphism of  $V$  onto  $W$ . Suppose that  $S \in A_F(V)$  and  $T \in A_F(W)$  are such that for any  $v \in V$ ,  $(v\psi)\psi = (v\psi)T$  then show that  $S$  and  $T$  have same elementary divisors.

(or)

11.b. Let  $V_i \neq (0)$  and  $V = V_1 \oplus V_2 \oplus \dots \oplus V_k$  then prove that the minimal polynomial of  $T_i$  is  $q_i(x)^{l_i}$ .

12.a. Summarize and prove Jacobson theorem.

(or)

12. b. State and prove Wedderburn's theorem.

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