

# Mathematics 2R3 Practice Test 2

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- The test is 50 minutes long.
- The test has 6 pages and 5 questions and is printed on BOTH sides of the paper.
- You are responsible for ensuring that your copy of the paper is complete. Bring any discrepancies to the attention of the invigilator.
- Attempt all questions and write your answers in the space provided.
- Marks are indicated next to each question; the total number of marks is 25.
- You may use a McMaster standard Casio fx-991 calculator (no communication capability); no other aids are not permitted.
- Use pen to write your test. If you use a pencil, your test will not be accepted for regrading (if needed).

**Good Luck!**

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1. (5 marks) Put your answer in the space provided for each part.

- (a) The range of a linear transformation is a vector space. True or False.

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- (b) If  $V$  is an  $n$ -dimensional vector space and  $T : V \rightarrow V$  is a linear operator with range  $V$  then  $T$  is one-to-one. True or False.

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- (c) The real vector spaces of  $2 \times 2$  real matrices and polynomials of degree at most 3 with real coefficients are isomorphic. True or False.

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- (d) Suppose that  $A$  is an  $n \times n$  matrix and for every  $x \in \mathbf{R}^n$ ,  $T(x) = x^T Ax$  then  $T$  is a linear transformation. True or False.

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- (e) Suppose that  $T : V \rightarrow W$  is a surjective linear transformation, the dimension of  $W$  is 4 and the dimension of  $V$  is 7. What is the dimension of the kernel of  $T$ ?

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2. (5 marks) Consider the inner product space  $C[-1, 1]$  with the inner product given by

$$\langle f, g \rangle = \int_{-1}^1 fg \, dx.$$

- (a) (3 marks) Apply the Gram-Schmidt process to the linearly independent set  $\{1, x, x^2\}$  in  $C[-1, 1]$  to obtain an orthogonal set.

- (b) (2 marks) If  $W$  is the subspace generated by  $\{1, x, x^2\}$ , determine the projection of  $x^3$  onto  $W$ .

3.  $P_2$  is the real vector space of polynomials of degree less than or equal to 2. Define  $T : P_2 \rightarrow P_2$  by  $T(p(x)) = p(x - 1)$ .

(a) (3 marks) Show that  $T$  is a linear transformation.

(b) (2 marks) Determine the range and kernel of  $T$

4. Suppose that  $P_2$  is the vector space of real polynomials of degree  $\leq 2$  and  $T : P_2 \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^3$  is a linear transformation satisfying

$$T(1) = (1, 0, 3), T(x + 1) = (2, -3, 0) \text{ and } T(x^2 + x + 1) = (1, 0, 1).$$

- (a) (2 marks) Compute  $T(1 - x + x^2)$ .

- (b) (3 marks) Write out a formula for  $T(a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2)$ .

5. Prove that if  $T : V \rightarrow W$  is a one-to-one linear transformation then  $T^{-1}$  is a linear transformation from  $R(T)$  to  $V$ .