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MAT/MAS 2442 / 2512

LINEAR ALGEBRA AND LATTICES /ALGEBRA III

TIME: 3 HRS

MAX: 75

ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTION:

5 × 15 = 75

1. Let V be the vector space of all functions from $R \rightarrow R$. Let $V_e = \{f \in V / f \text{ is even}\}$,
 $V_o = \{f \in V / f \text{ is odd}\}$. Prove that V_e and V_o are subspaces of V and $V = V_e \oplus V_o$.
2. Let V be a vector space over F and W a subspace of V . Let $V/W = \{W + v / v \in V\}$. Prove that V/W is a vector space over F under the following operations.
(i) $(W + v_1) + (W + v_2) = W + v_1 + v_2$
(ii) $\alpha(W + v_1) = W + \alpha v_1$.
3. Let V be a vector space over a field F . Let $S, T \subseteq V$ then prove that the following:
(i) $S \subseteq T \Rightarrow L(S) \subseteq L(T)$
(ii) $L(S \cup T) = L(S) + L(T)$
(iii) $L(S) = S$ iff S is a subspace of V
4. Let V be a finite dimensional vector space over a field F . Let A and B be subspace of V . Then prove that $\dim(A + B) = \dim A + \dim B - \dim(A \cap B)$.
5. State and prove the fundamental theorem of homomorphism for groups.
6. State and prove Schwartz's and triangle inequality
7. Prove that every finite dimensional inner product space has an orthonormal basis.
