

Mid-West University  
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End Semester Examination-2080

Level: B.Ed./ II Semester

Time: 3.00 hrs.

FM: 60

PM: 30

Sub: Matrix Algebra (MATH 424/325)

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Attempt all the questions.

Group "B"

6×5 = 30

1. Define trace matrix with an example.

If  $A = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{pmatrix}$  Verify that,  $AA^T = I = A^T A$ .

2. Prove that:

$$\begin{vmatrix} x & y & z \\ x^2 & y^2 & z^2 \\ yz & zx & xy \end{vmatrix} = (x-y)(y-z)(z-x)(xy+yz+zx)$$

3. Define nilpotent matrix. If A is a skew-symmetric matrix of odd order, then  $|A| = 0$ .

Or

Verify that the inverse of a transpose of matrix is the inverse for the matrix. If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

4. Reduce the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  to echelon form and find rank of A.

5. Let V be a vector space over a field F and Let U and W be its subspaces. If  $U+W=V$  and  $U \cap W = \{0\}$ , then V is the direct sum of U and W.

space in terms of its basis.

information. The product of a scalar and a transformation.

Or

Define linear functional with an example. The composition of two linear transformations is linear.

Group "C"

2×10=20

7. State and prove Cayley-Hamilton theorem.

8. Let V and W be vector space over a field F and assume that  $\dim V = \dim W$ . If  $T: V \rightarrow W$  is a linear transformation, then the following statement are equivalent.

- (I) T is a invertible.  
(II) T is one-one and onto and,  
(III) T is non-singular

Or

Define orthogonal vectors with example. The application of Gram-Schmidt process of Orthogonalization to  $V_1 = (1,2,2)$ ,  $V_2 = (-1,0,2)$ ,  $V_3 = (0,0,1)$  yields.

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Group "A"

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Tick (✓) the best answer.

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- (a)  $\overline{AB} = \overline{A}\overline{B}$  (b)  $(A+B)^\theta = A^\theta + B^\theta$   
(c)  $\overline{(A+B)} = \overline{A+B}$  (d)  $(AB)^\theta = B^\theta A^\theta$

2. If A is a unit matrix, then its determinant is...

- (a) Unity (b) Trace (c) Hermitian (d) Congugate

3. A square matrix A is said to be.....if  $A^2 = A$ .

- (a) Nilpotent matrix (b) Idempotent matrix  
(c) Involutery matrix (d) Symmetric matrix

4. If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 4 & 6 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$  Rank of A = ?

- (a) 0 (b) 1 (c) 2 (d) 3

5. The rank of a matrix the following condition is not satisfied.

- (a) The rank of a matrix is invariant under elementary row or column operations  
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6. An orthogonal basis consisting of unit vectors is called an ...

- (a) Orthogonal basis (b) Orthogonal vector  
(c) Orthonormal basis (d) Orthonormal vector

7. A non-empty set  $V=\{u,v,w,\dots\}$  is said to be a vector space over a field F if it is satisfies the following condition:

- (a) Closure (b) Commutative  
(c) Associative (d) All of the above

8. The inverse of a linear transformation is...

- (a) linear (b) Non-linear  
(c) Singular (d) Non-singular

9. The system of linear equation are inconsistent is...

- (a) Infinite solution (b) Unique solution  
(c) No solution (d) all of the above

10. Which one of the following conditions is true?

- (a) The square matrix A and its transpose  $A^T$  have the same eigen values.  
(b) If  $\lambda$  is an eigen value of an orthogonal matrix then  $\frac{1}{\lambda}$  is an eigen vector.  
(c) If  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n$  are the eigen values of a matrix A, then  $A^m$  has the eigen values  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_n$ .  
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