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First Degree Programme under CBCSS

Mathematics

Core Course XII

MM 1644 : LINEAR ALGEBRA

(2018 and 2019 Admission)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

SECTION – A

Answer all questions. Each carries 1 mark.

1. Write the following system of equations in column form.

$$2x + 3y = 10$$

$$4x - 5y = 11$$

2. Describe the intersection of the three planes $u + v + w + z = 6$, $u + w + z = 4$ and $u + w = 2$, all in four dimensional space.
3. Define a skew symmetric matrix.
4. Define column space of a matrix.
5. If v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n are linearly independent, the space they span has dimension
6. Write the rotation matrix that turns all vectors in the xy plane through 90° .

7. If a 4 by 4 matrix A has $\det A = \frac{1}{2}$, find $\det(2A)$.
8. State whether true or false : If $\det A = 0$, then at least one of the cofactors must be zero.
9. The eigen values of a projection matrix are _____.
10. State principal axis theorem.

SECTION – B

Answer **any eight** questions. Each carries **2** marks.

11. Draw the two pictures in two planes for the equations $x - 2y = 0$, $x + y = 6$.
12. Find the inner product $[1 \ -2 \ 7] \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}$.
13. Write a 2 by 2 matrix A such that $A^2 = -I$.
14. Prove that $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$.
15. Describe the column space of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$.
16. Determine whether the vectors $(1, 0, 0)$, $(-1, 2, 1)$ and $(2, 1, 1)$ are linearly independent.
17. Describe the subspace of R^3 spanned by the three vectors $(0, 1, 1)$, $(1, 1, 0)$ and $(0, 0, 0)$.
18. Prove that a linear transformation leaves the zero vector fixed.

19. Find the determinant of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} [2 \ -1 \ 2]$.

20. Using the big formula, compute the determinant of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ from six terms.

Are rows independent.

21. Find the area of the parallelogram with edges $v = (3, 2)$ and $w = (1, 4)$.

22. Suppose the permutation p takes $(1, 2, 3, 4, 5)$ to $(5, 4, 1, 2, 3)$. What does p^2 do to $(1, 2, 3, 4, 5)$?

23. Suppose A and B have the same eigen values $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_m$ with the same independent eigen vectors x_1, \dots, x_m . Show that $A = B$.

24. Describe all matrices S that diagonalize the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$.

25. Prove that every third Fibonacci number in $0, 1, 1, 2, 3, \dots$ is even.

26. Prove that if $A = A^H$, then every eigen value is real.

SECTION – C

Answer **any six** questions. Each carries **4** marks.

27. Find a coefficient 'b' that makes the following system singular. Then choose a right hand side 'g' that makes it solvable. Find two solutions in that singular case.

28. The parabola $y = a + bx + cx^2$ goes through the points $(x, y) = (1, 4), (2, 8)$ and $(3, 14)$. Find and solve a matrix equation for the unknowns (a, b, c) .

29. Solve $Lc = b$ to find c . Then solve $Ux = c$ to find x .

$$L = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, U = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } b = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}.$$

30. Reduce to echelon form and find the rank $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 5 & 5 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$.

31. What are the special solutions to $Rx = 0$ and $R^T y = 0$ for the given R .

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

32. Find the range and kernel of T .

$$T(v_1, v_2, v_3) = (v_1 + v_2, v_2 + v_3, v_1 + v_3)$$

33. By applying row operations, produce an upper triangular matrix u and compute

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 6 & 6 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix}.$$

34. Find x , y and z by Cramer's rule.

$$x - 3y + z = 2$$

$$3x + y + z = 6$$

$$5x + y + 3z = 3$$

35. If every row of a matrix A adds to 1, prove that $\det(A - I) = 0$. Show by an example that this doesn't imply $\det A = 1$.

36. Find the eigen values and eigen vectors of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.

37. Prove that Diagonalizable matrices share the same eigen vector matrix S if and only if $AB = BA$.

38. Write out the matrix A^H and compute $C = A^H A$ if $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & i & 0 \\ j & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

SECTION – D

Answer any two questions. Each carries 15 marks.

39. (a) Reduce the system to upper triangular form and solve by back substitution for z, y, x .

$$2x - 3y = 3$$

$$4x - 5y + z = 7$$

$$2x - y + 3z = 5$$

(b) Use Gauss Jordan method to find A^{-1}

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 4 & -6 & 0 \\ -2 & 7 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

40. (a) What are L and D for the matrix A . What is U in $A = Lu$ and what is the new U in $A = LDU$?

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 8 \\ 0 & 3 & 9 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b) Compute LDL^T factorisation of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$.

41. (a) Find the value of c that makes it possible to solve $Ax = b$ and solve it :

$$u + v + 2w = 2$$

$$2u + 3v - w = 5$$

$$3u + 4v + w = c$$

- (b) Find the dimensions of the column space and row space of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$.

42. (a) Find the dimensions and a basis for the four fundamental subspaces for

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

- (b) Check whether the mapping $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ given by

$$T(v_1, v_2) = (v_1 + v_2, v_1 - v_2, v_2)$$
 is linear.

43. Find the determinant and compute the cofactor matrix C . Verify that $AC^T = (\det A)I$. What is A^{-1} ?

44. (a) Test the Cayley Hamilton theorem on $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & -2 \\ -3 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.

- (b) Find a suitable P such that the matrix $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ is similar to $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.