

2 $\frac{1}{2}$ Hours]

[Total Marks: 75

N.B.: (1) All questions are compulsory.

(2) Figures to the right indicate marks for respective subquestions.

1. (a) Answer any **ONE**

i. Let V be a finite dimensional inner product space. If $f : V \rightarrow V$ is a function such that (p) $f(0) = 0$ (q) $\|f(X) - f(Y)\| = \|X - Y\|$, $\forall X, Y \in V$, then show that f is an orthogonal linear transformation. (8)

ii. State and prove the Cayley-Hamilton theorem. (8)

(b) Answer any **TWO**

i. Let W be a subspace of a finite dimension real vector space V . Show that $\dim V/W = \dim V - \dim W$. (6)

ii. Show that a 2×2 orthogonal matrix with determinant = 1 is a matrix of rotation. (6)

iii. Find an orthogonal transformation in \mathbb{R}^3 which represents reflection with respect to the plane $x - y + z = 0$. (6)

iv. If $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is a linear transformation such that $\langle u, v \rangle = 0 \Rightarrow \langle T(u), T(v) \rangle = 0 \forall u, v \in \mathbb{R}^2$ then show that $T = \alpha S$, where $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ and $S : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is an orthogonal transformation. (6)

2. (a) Answer any **ONE**

i. Define the minimal polynomial of a square matrix A . Show that - (8)

(p) the minimal polynomial of a real matrix A divides every polynomial which annihilates A .

(q) λ is a root of the minimal polynomial of A if and only if λ is a characteristic root of A .

ii. Let A be an $n \times n$ matrix having n eigenvalues then prove that A is similar to an upper triangular matrix with the n eigen values on the diagonal of the upper triangular matrix. (8)

(b) Answer any **TWO**

i. Let $A_{n \times n}$ be a real matrix. Show that λ is an eigenvalue of A if and only if $(\lambda I_n - A)$ is singular. Hence or otherwise show that 0 is not an eigen value of an injective linear transformation $T : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$. (6)

ii. Let A and B be $n \times n$ real matrices. Prove that characteristic polynomial of AB = characteristic polynomial of BA . (6)

iii. Find the characteristic polynomial and the minimal polynomial of $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 6 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$. (6)

iv. Prove that if every non-zero vector of \mathbb{R}^n is an eigenvector of A , then A is a $n \times n$ scalar matrix. (6)

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3. (a) Answer any **ONE**

- i. Show that an $n \times n$ matrix A is diagonalizable if and only if sum of dimensions of eigen spaces of A is n . (8)
- ii. Show that characteristic roots of a real symmetric matrix are real. (8)

(b) Answer any **TWO**

- i. Let A be any $n \times n$ diagonalizable matrix. Show that
 - (p) For any positive integer k , A^k is also diagonalizable. (6)
 - (q) $f(A)$ is diagonalizable where $f(t)$ is any polynomial over \mathbb{R} . (6)
- ii. Show that every quadratic form $Q(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$ over \mathbb{R} can be reduced to standard form $\sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i y_i^2$ by an orthogonal change of variables $X = PY$, $X = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)^t$, $y = (y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n)^t$ and P is an $n \times n$ orthogonal matrix. (6)
- iii. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$. Find a non-singular matrix P such that $P^{-1}AP$ is a diagonal matrix and hence find A^{100} . (6)
- iv. Find the rotation of coordinate axes which reduces the conic $x^2 + 2xy + y^2 - 2 = 0$ to standard form. Give its equation in the standard form in the rotated system and identify the conic. (6)

4. Answer any **THREE**

- (a) Let $A_{3 \times 3}$ be an upper triangular matrix whose diagonal entries are 1, 2, 3. If $A^{-1} = aA^2 + bA + cI$, then find a, b, c . (5)
- (b) If $\alpha : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ given by $\alpha(x, y) = (ax + by + e, cx + dy + f)$ for real numbers a, b, c, d, e, f is an isometry, then prove that $a^2 + c^2 = 1$, $b^2 + d^2 = 1$ and $ab + cd = 0$. (5)
- (c) Find the eigenvalues and the bases of the corresponding eigen spaces for a 3×3 matrix A having all its entries equal to 1. (5)
- (d) Let V be a finite dimensional inner product space over \mathbb{R} and $T : V \rightarrow V$ be a linear transformation. Define an invariant subspace under T . Prove that for $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$,
 - (i) $E_\lambda = \{X \in V / T(X) = \lambda X\}$ is a subspace of V .
 - (ii) E_λ is an invariant subspace under T .
- (e) Let A and B be positive definite matrices. Show that $A + B$ is also positive definite. Is the converse true? Justify your answer. (5)

- (f) Find the rank and signature of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. (5)
