

(FOR THE CANDIDATES ADMITTED

24UAI1A1

DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2024 ONLY)

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N.G.M.COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) : POLLACHI

END-OF-SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS : NOVEMBER - 2024

B.Sc (Computer Science with AI &amp; ML)

MAXIMUM MARKS: 75

SEMESTER: I

TIME : 3 HOURS

## PART - III

## 24UAI1A1– INTRODUCTION TO LINEAR ALGEBRA

## SECTION – A

(10 X 1 = 10 MARKS)

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.

- If a system of simultaneous equations has infinite solutions, then that system of equations is called \_\_\_\_\_.  
(a) Opposite (b) Independent (c) Dependent (d) Same
- A matrix A with n rows and n columns is called a \_\_\_\_\_ matrix of order n.  
(a) Square (b) Row (c) Column (d) Diagonal
- A square matrix whose determinant is equal to zero is called a \_\_\_\_\_ matrix.  
(a) Singular (b) Non – Singular (c) Invertible (d) Transpose
- The characteristic space of a matrix A corresponding to a characteristic root  $\lambda$  is just the null space of the matrix \_\_\_\_\_.  
(a)  $(A-\lambda I)$  (b)  $A^{-1}$  (c)  $A^{-1}A$  (d)  $(A+\lambda I)$
- A set of two vectors  $\{V_1 \ V_2\}$  is linearly dependent if at-least one of the vector is \_\_\_\_\_.  
(a) a multiple of the other (b) Both vectors are equal  
(c) Both vectors are different (d) Not a multiple of the other

ANSWER THE FOLLOWING IN ONE (OR) TWO SENTENCES

- What is a system of linear equations?
- Define matrix.
- What is the meant by rank matrix?
- Define characteristic polynomial.
- What is meant by vector space?

## SECTION – B

(5 X 5 = 25 MARKS)

ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.

- a) Explain Linear dependence and independence.

(OR)

(CONT...2)

b) Solve the matrix equation  $Ax = b$  if  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $b = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$

12. a) Explain the following matrices. i) Square matrix ii) Row matrix iii) Column matrix iv) Zero matrix v) Equal matrices.

(OR)

b) Prove that the matrix  $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1+i}{2} & \frac{-1+i}{2} \\ \frac{1+i}{2} & \frac{1-i}{2} \end{bmatrix}$  is unitary

13. a) Find the inverse matrix of  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

(OR)

b) Determine the rank of the following matrices:  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 4 & 3 \\ 3 & 9 & 12 & 9 \\ 1 & 3 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

14. a) Prove that  $\lambda$  is a characteristic root of a matrix  $A$  if and only if there exists a non – zero vector  $X$  such that  $AX = \lambda X$ .

(OR)

b) Determine the characteristic roots of a matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .

15. a) Show that  $v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots, v_p$  are the vectors in  $V$  then  $\text{span} \{ v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots, v_p \}$  is a subspace of  $V$ .

(OR)

- b) Explain i) Linear transformation ii) Basis and dimension of vector space.

### SECTION – C

(5 X 8 = 40 MARKS)

**ANSWER EITHER (a) OR (b) IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.**

16. a) Solve the linear system using elementary row operations

$$-3x_1 + 2x_2 + 4x_3 = 12$$

$$x_1 - 2x_3 = -4$$

$$2x_1 - 3x_2 + 4x_3 = -3 \quad (\text{OR})$$

- b) Does the linear homogenous system have any nontrivial solutions?

$$3x_1 + x_2 - 9x_3 = 0$$

$$x_1 + x_2 - 5x_3 = 0$$

$$2x_1 + x_2 - 7x_3 = 0$$

17. a) Show that the every square matrix is uniquely expressible as the sum of a symmetric matrix and a skew-symmetric matrix. (OR)
- b) Show that if  $\bar{A}$  and  $\bar{B}$  be the conjugates of  $A$  and  $B$  respectively then show that i)  $(\overline{kA}) = \bar{k} \bar{A}$ ,  $k$  being any complex numbers. ii)  $(\overline{A+B}) = \bar{A} + \bar{B}$ .

(CONT...3)

18. a) Find the adjoint of the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  and verify the theorem  $A(\text{adj } A) = (\text{adj } A)A = |A|I_n$ .

(OR)

- b) Find the inverse of  $\begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & O \end{bmatrix}$ , where B, C are singular..

19. a) Determine the characteristic roots and corresponding characteristic vectors of the given matrix.  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -6 & 2 \\ -6 & 7 & -4 \\ 2 & -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

(OR)

- b) Prove that Cayley Hamilton theorem.

20. a) If S is any subset of a finite dimensional vector space, then prove that  $\langle S^\circ \rangle$  is the subspace spanned by S.

(OR)

- b) Let V and W be vector spaces over the field F and let t be a linear transformation from V into W. The null space of  $T^t$  is the annihilator of the range of T. If V and W are finite dimensional then prove that i)  $\text{rank } (T^t) = \text{rank } (T)$  ii) the range of  $T^t$  is the annihilator of the null space of T.

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