

**M.Sc. (MATHEMATICS WITH APPLICATIONS
IN COMPUTER SCIENCE)
M.Sc. (MACS)**

Term-End Examination

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MMT-002 : LINEAR ALGEBRA

Time : $1\frac{1}{2}$ hours

Maximum Marks : 25

(Weightage : 70%)

Note : Question no. 5 is *compulsory*. Answer any *three* questions from Questions no. 1 to 4. Use of calculators is *not* allowed.

1. (a) Let $T \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2x - y \\ 3x - 2y \end{bmatrix}$ be a linear operator on

\mathbb{R}^2 . Find the matrix of T with respect to the

basis $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$. 2

- (b) Find the best least squares fit by a linear function to the data 3

x	-1	0	1	2
y	0	1	3	9

2. (a) Check whether $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ is

diagonalizable or not. If it is, find an invertible matrix P so that $P^{-1}AP$ is a diagonal matrix. If A is not diagonalizable, find the Jordan form of A .

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- (b) Find all $b \in \mathbf{R}$ for which the following matrix is positive definite :

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & b \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ b & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

3. Find the singular value decomposition of

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

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4. (a) Write all possible Jordan canonical forms for a 4×4 matrix whose only distinct eigenvalues are 1 and 2, the geometric multiplicity of 1 is two and the minimal polynomial is of degree 3.

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- (b) Find a unitary matrix U so that U^*AU is a

diagonal matrix, where $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

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5. Which of the following statements are *True* and which are *False* ? Give reasons for your answers. Marks will only be given for valid reasons. $5 \times 2 = 10$

- (a) If T is a linear operator on a finite dimensional vector space with eigenvalue 0, then T is not onto.
 - (b) If A and B are $n \times n$ diagonalizable matrices, then $A + B$ is diagonalizable.
 - (c) A non-zero square matrix has non-zero eigenvalues.
 - (d) Any two different columns of a unitary matrix are linearly independent.
 - (e) If the trace of a square matrix A is positive, then A is normal.
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