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

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2011**

**MMT-002 : LINEAR ALGEBRA**

*Time : 1½ hours*

*Maximum Marks : 25*

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

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1. (a) Let T be a linear operator from  $\mathbb{R}^3$  to itself 3

$$\text{given by } T \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 + 2x_2 \\ 2x_2 \\ -2x_1 - 2x_2 - x_3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Find the matrix of T with respect to the

$$\text{ordered basis } \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

- (b) Show that, if U is a Unitary matrix with 2  
integer entries then each row and each  
column of U will have exactly one non-zero  
entry which is 1 or -1.

2. (a) Write the Jordan canonical form for 2

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

- (b) Find the least square solution of the smallest norm for the system  $Ax = y$  where 3

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } y = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

3. (a) Why is the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  not 3

unitarily diagonalisable? Find a unitary matrix  $U$  such that  $U^*AU$  is upper triangular.

- (b) Find  $e^A$  if  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ . 2

4. Find the singular value decomposition of 5

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

5. Which of the following statements are true and which are false? Give reasons for your answer. 2x5=10
- (a) If  $u$  and  $v$  are eigen vectors of a matrix  $A$ ,  $u - v$  is also an eigen vector of  $A$ .
  - (b) Two similar matrices have the same minimal polynomial.
  - (c) All the entries of a positive semi-definite matrix are non-negative.
  - (d) If  $A$  is a Hermitian matrix, then singular values of  $A$  are its eigen values.
  - (e) If  $D$  is a diagonalisable  $n \times n$  matrix and  $N$  is a nilpotent  $n \times n$  matrix, then  $D$  and  $N$  commute.
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