Note: There are four questions. Answer each question with justification. Your answer script format should be either pdf or jpg (convenient to you) but in a single file. You can use one of the following medium to send me your answer script. **Institute Email, MS team chat box.**

Any submission after 3:55 PM will not be considered for evaluation. You have 15 minutes to write the answer and 5 minutes to submit the answer.

1. Let $A \in M_5(\mathbb{C})$. The *ij*th entry of A is given by

$$a_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i+j=6\\ 0 & \text{othersise} \end{cases}$$

Find the minimal polynomial of A. Hence check whether A is diagonalizable or not. [3]

- 2. Let $A \in M_3(\mathbb{C})$ be Hermitian. Let 1, 1, 3 be the eigenvalues of A. Then write A^{-1} in the form $\alpha A + \beta B$ where $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$. [2]
- 3. Let $A \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$. Let trace(A) = 1 and det(A) = 1. Then show that $A^{-1} = P(A)$ where P is a polynomial of degree 1. [3]
- 4. Let $A \in \mathbb{M}_2(\mathbb{C})$ and let 2+i be an eigenvalue of A. Discuss about the diagonalizability of A. [2]