



**Mahindra University Hyderabad**  
**École Centrale School of Engineering,**  
**Minor-1 Examination Program: B.Tech**  
**Branch: Computation & Mathematics Year: III Semester: I**  
**Subject: Advanced Linear Algebra (MA3117)**

**Date: 13/09/2024**  
**Time Duration: 1.5 Hours**

**Start Time: 02.00 PM**  
**Max. Marks: 20**

**Instructions:** All questions are compulsory.

**Q 1:**

**5 marks**

Find the null space of  $A$ , where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 & 5 \\ 5 & 15 & 20 \end{bmatrix}$ . Also find a basis of this null space.

**Q 2:**

**5 marks**

Prove that the null space of a matrix is orthogonal complement of its row space.

**Q 3 :**

**5 marks**

In the following matrix  $A$ , find the Schur complement of  $(1,1)$  element.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 6 & 2 & 4 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

**Q 4:**

**5 marks**

Prove that the diagonal elements and eigenvalues of a positive definite matrix  $A$  are all positive.