



Note:

1. All parts of a question should be answered consecutively. Each answer should start from a new page.
2. The question paper has six questions.
3. Questions no. 1 a) is an open question, and the marks will be purely based on the justification and Mathematical explanations. You can use your own examples for the elaborated answer.

1. a) Define Rank of a matrix and discuss its use in Linear Algebra (4.5-11)
b) Define: Field, Vector Space and give one example of each (4)
c) List out any five properties (not obvious) of Eigen values and Eigen vectors (2.5)

2. Find the non-singular matrix P, Q such that the normal form of a given matrix is PAQ and find the rank of a matrix using it.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & -2 \\ 2 & -2 & 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 0 & 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

(6)

3. Find a inverse of the following matrix by using a Gauss-Jordan Method

(6)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 3 & 2 \\ 3 & 6 & 5 & 2 \\ 2 & 5 & 2 & -3 \\ 4 & 5 & 14 & 14 \end{pmatrix}$$

4. Solve the following system using Gauss-Jordan Elimination method (7.5)
 $10x_1 - 7x_2 + 3x_3 + 5x_4 = 6; -6x_1 + 8x_2 - x_3 - 4x_4 = 5;$
 $3x_1 + x_2 + 4x_3 + 11x_4 = 2; 5x_1 - 9x_2 - 2x_3 + 4x_4 = 7$

5. Find the eigen values and eigen vectors of the following matrix

(5)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 8 & -6 & 2 \\ -6 & 7 & -4 \\ 2 & -4 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

6. Find the values of b for which the system has non-trivial solutions and find them

(5.5)

$$\begin{aligned} 2x_1 + 3bx_2 + (3b+4)x_3 &= 0; \\ x_1 + (b+4)x_2 + (4b+2)x_3 &= 0; \\ x_1 + 2(b+1)x_2 + (3b+4)x_3 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

End of Question Paper**Best of Luck***