

East West University

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Course Title: Linear Algebra and Complex Variables, Course Code: MAT 205

Time: 30 Minutes

Quiz 2

Marks: 10

- Q1. Find the characteristic equation of the matrix [5]

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Hence verify Cayley-Hamilton theorem for A.

- Q2. Consider the vector space \mathbb{R}^2 with the Euclidean inner product. Apply the Gram-Schmidt process to transform the basis $u_1=(1, 1)$ and $u_2=(1, 0)$. [5]