

# **Tutorial letter 101/0/2024**

**Linear Algebra II**

**MAT2611**

**Year Module**

**Department of Mathematical Sciences**

**TUTORIAL RESOURCE FOR MAT2611**

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION:**

This tutorial letter contains Assignment 8 for the module MAT2611

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**ASSIGNMENT 08**  
**Due date: Friday, 26 July 2024**

**Problem 29.** Show the following:

- (a) If  $A$  is an orthogonal matrix, then  $A^{-1}$  is also orthogonal matrix.
- (b) If  $A$  and  $B$  are orthogonal matrices, then  $AB$  is also orthogonal matrix.

[10 marks]

**Problem 30.** What is the condition on  $a$  and  $b$  for which the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} a + 2b & 2b - a \\ a - 2b & 2b + a \end{bmatrix}$$

is orthogonal.

[10 marks]

**Problem 31.** Find a matrix  $P$  that orthogonally diagonalizes  $A$ , and determine  $P^{-1}AP$ ,

where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ .

[10 marks]

**Problem 32.** Find the spectral decomposition of matrix

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

[10 marks]

[Total: 40 marks]

– End of assignment –