

**ASSIGNMENT 6**  
**MTH102A**

- (1) Let  $A$  and  $B$  be square matrices of same order. Prove that characteristic polynomials of  $AB$  and  $BA$  are same. Do  $AB$  and  $BA$  have same minimal polynomial ?
- (2) Let  $A$  be an  $n \times n$  matrix. Show that  $A$  and  $A^T$  have same eigen values. Do they have the same eigen vectors ?
- (3) Find the characteristic and minimal polynomial of the following matrix and decide if this matrix is diagonalizable.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -6 & -6 \\ -1 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & -6 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (4) Find the inverse of the matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$  using the Cayley-Hamilton theorem.
- (5) Diagonalize  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$  and compute  $A^{2019}$ .
- (6) Let  $W$  be the subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^4$  spanned by  $\{u_1 = (1, 1, 1, 1), u_2 = (2, 4, 1, 5), u_3 = (2, 0, 4, 0)\}$ . Using the standard Euclidean inner product on  $\mathbb{R}^4$  find an orthogonal basis for  $W$ .
- (7) Consider  $P_2(\mathbb{R})$  together with inner product:  $\langle p(x), q(x) \rangle = \int_0^1 p(x)q(x) dx$ . Find an orthogonal basis for  $P_2(\mathbb{R})$ .
- (8) Is the following matrix orthogonally diagonalizable ? If yes, then find  $P$  such that  $PAP^T$  is diagonal.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (9) Find a singular value decomposition of the matrix  $A = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 \\ 2 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$ .
- (10) Let  $M_{n \times n}$  be the vector space of all real  $n \times n$  matrices. Show that  $\langle A, B \rangle = Tr(A^T B)$  is an inner product on  $M_{n \times n}$ . Show that the orthogonal complement of the subspace of symmetric matrices is the subspace of skew-symmetric matrices, i.e.,  $\{A \in M_{n \times n} \mid A \text{ is symmetric}\}^\perp = \{A \in M_{n \times n} \mid A \text{ is skew-symmetric}\}$ .