

Q1.) Complex conjugate of $(a+ib) = (a-ib)$ & vice versa.
Applying to every term of given matrix:

$$\text{Complex conjugate of } 1-i = 1+i$$

$$\text{Complex conjugate of } 1-3i = 1+3i$$

$$\text{Complex conjugate of } 6+4i = 6-4i$$

$$\text{Complex conjugate of } 35-2i = 35+2i$$

$$\therefore \text{Complex conjugate matrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1+i & 1+3i \\ 6-4i & 35+2i \end{bmatrix}$$

\Rightarrow option (B)

Q2.) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3-2i & 5+i \\ 1+4i & 7-2i \end{bmatrix}$

$$\bar{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 3+2i & 5-i \\ 1-4i & 7+2i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bar{A}^T = A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 3+2i & 1-4i \\ 5-i & 7+2i \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \text{option (D)}$$

Q3.) Inner product of x & $y = x \cdot y = \bar{x}^T y$
 $= \sum_{i=1}^n \bar{x}_i y_i$

$$x \cdot y = \underline{\underline{x^* y}}$$

$$x^* = \bar{x}^T \text{ or } \bar{x}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1+i & -2i \end{bmatrix}$$
$$x^* y = \begin{bmatrix} 1+i & -2i \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1-i \\ i \end{bmatrix} = (1+i)(-1-i) + (-2i)(i)$$

$$\text{Remember, } (a+ib)(c+id) = (ac-bd) + i(ad+bc)$$

$$\Rightarrow (1)(-1) - (1)(-1) + i((1)(-1) + (1)(-1)) + (-2i)^2$$

$$= \frac{-2i - 2(-1)}{2-2i} \Rightarrow \text{option (C)} \quad (i^2 = -1 \text{ as } i = \sqrt{-1})$$

Q4) $|x|^2 = x^* x = \bar{x}^T x \text{ or } \overline{x^T x}$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2+i & 4+i \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2-i \\ 4-i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= (2+i)(2-i) + (4+i)(4-i)$$

$$= (4+1) + i(-2+2) + (16+1) + i(-4+4)$$

$$= 5+17 = 22 \Rightarrow \text{option (D)}$$

Q5) A matrix is Unitary if $A^* A = I$.

$$A^* A = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1-i}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{-i}{\sqrt{3}} \\ \frac{1-i}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{-2i}{\sqrt{6}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1+i}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1+i}{\sqrt{6}} \\ \frac{i}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{2i}{\sqrt{6}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{(1-i)(1+i)}{3} + \frac{1}{3} & \frac{(1-i)(1+i)}{\sqrt{3} \cdot \sqrt{6}} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{3} \cdot \sqrt{6}} \\ \frac{(1-i)(1+i)}{\sqrt{3} \cdot \sqrt{6}} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{3} \cdot \sqrt{6}} & \frac{(1-i)(1+i)}{6} + \frac{4}{6} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2+1}{3} & \frac{2}{\sqrt{3} \cdot \sqrt{6}} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{3} \cdot \sqrt{6}} \\ \frac{2}{\sqrt{3} \cdot \sqrt{6}} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{3} \cdot \sqrt{6}} & \frac{2}{6} + \frac{4}{6} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\{ (1+i)(1-i) = (1+1) + i(-1+1) = 2 \}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ \sqrt{3}\sqrt{6} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \neq \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Hence A is NOT UNITARY \rightarrow Option (B)

Q6) A matrix is Hermitian if $A^* = A$.

$$Z^* = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 5 \\ 3 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} = Z$$

\therefore Since $Z^* = Z$, Z is Hermitian \rightarrow Option (A)

Q7) a) Diagonal elements are NOT Real.
Hence, A is not Hermitian.

$$b) A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3-2i \\ 3+2i & 4 \end{bmatrix}, A^* = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3+2i \\ 3-2i & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A \neq A^*$$

\therefore Hence, A is NOT Hermitian

$$c) A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2-i & -3i \\ 2+i & 0 & 1+i \\ 3i & 1+i & 0 \end{bmatrix}; A^* = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2-i & -3i \\ 2+i & 0 & 1-i \\ 3i & 1+i & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A = A^*$$

Hence, A is Hermitian.

$$d) A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 3 & -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}; A^* = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 3 & -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A = A^*$$

Hence, A is Hermitian.

Options C, D are Hermitian Matrices.

Q8.) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2-i & -3i \\ 2+i & 0 & 1-i \\ 3i & 1+i & 0 \end{bmatrix}$; $A^* = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2-i & -3i \\ 2+i & 0 & 1-i \\ 3i & 1+i & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$A = A^* \Rightarrow A$ is Hermitian
(Has real eigenvalues)

Characteristic polynomial for 3x3 matrix :

$$\lambda^3 - [\text{trace}(A)]\lambda^2 + \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{Minors of} \\ \text{diagonal elements} \\ \text{of } A \end{array} \right) \lambda - \det(A) = 0$$

$$\text{trace}(A) = 3 + 0 + 0 = \boxed{3}$$

$$M_{11} = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1-i \\ 1+i & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0 - (1-i)(1+i) = [1 - (-1) + i \cancel{(1-i)}] = \boxed{-2}$$

$$M_{22} = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -3i \\ 3i & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0 - 3i(-3i) = \boxed{-9}$$

$$M_{33} = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2-i \\ 2+i & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0 - (2+i)(2-i) = 0 - [(4+1) + i \cancel{(-2+2)}] = \boxed{-5}$$

$$\det(A) = 3(- (1-i)(1+i)) - (2-i)(-3i(1+i)) - 3i(2+i)(1+i)$$

$$= 3(-2) + 9 + \cancel{3i} + 9 - \cancel{3i} = \boxed{12}$$

Plugging the values into eq. ① we get

$$\lambda^3 - 3\lambda^2 + (-2 - 9 - 5)\lambda - (12) = 0$$

$$\lambda^3 - 3\lambda^2 - 16\lambda - 12 = 0$$

Solutions are $\boxed{6, -1, -2}$.

\therefore Eigenvalues are $-1, 6, -2 \Rightarrow$ Option (b)

Q9) $A^* = k \begin{bmatrix} 1-i & 1+i \\ 1+i & 1-i \end{bmatrix}$

for a matrix to be Unitary, $A^*A = I$

$$A^*A = k \begin{bmatrix} 1-i & 1+i \\ 1+i & 1-i \end{bmatrix} k \begin{bmatrix} 1+i & 1-i \\ 1-i & 1+i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= k^2 \begin{bmatrix} (1-i)(1+i) + (1+i)(1-i) & (1-i)^2 + (1+i)^2 \\ (1+i)^2 + (1-i)^2 & (1+i)(1-i) + (1-i)(1+i) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= k^2 \begin{bmatrix} 2+2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2+2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(1+i)(1+i) = (1)(1) - (1)(1) + i[(1)(1) + (1)(1)] = 2i$$

$$(1-i)(1-i) = (1)(1) - (-1)(1) + i[(1)(1) + (-1)(1)] = 2$$

$$(a+ib)(c+id) = (ac-bd) + i(ad+bc)$$

$$(1-i)(1-i) = (1)(1) - (-1)(1) + i[(1)(1) + (-1)(1)] = 2i$$

$$(1+i)^2 + (1-i)^2 = 2i - 2i = \boxed{0}$$

$$\Rightarrow A^*A = k^2 \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{or} \quad 4k^2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^*A = I$$

$$4k^2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$4k^2 = 1$$

$$k^2 = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\text{or } \boxed{k = \frac{1}{2}} \rightarrow \text{Option (A)}$$

Q10)

$$A^* = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1-i}{2} & \frac{1+i}{2} \\ \frac{\sqrt{k}}{2} & \frac{-\sqrt{k}i}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^*A = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1-i & 1+i \\ \sqrt{k} & -\sqrt{k}i \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1+i & \sqrt{k} \\ 1-i & \sqrt{k}i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} (1-i)(1+i) + (1+i)(1-i) & (1-i)(\sqrt{k}) + (1+i)(\sqrt{k}i) \\ \sqrt{k}(1+i) - \sqrt{k}i(1-i) & \sqrt{k} \cdot \sqrt{k} + (-\sqrt{k}i)(\sqrt{k}i) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 2 + 2 & \cancel{\sqrt{k}} - \cancel{\sqrt{k}i} + \cancel{\sqrt{k}i} - \cancel{\sqrt{k}} \\ \cancel{\sqrt{k}} + \cancel{\sqrt{k}i} - \cancel{\sqrt{k}i} - \cancel{\sqrt{k}} & k + k \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 2k \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{k}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^*A = I$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & k/2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Equating both sides:

$$\frac{k}{2} = 1$$

$$\therefore \boxed{k=2} \Rightarrow \text{Option (C)}$$

Q11) ~~Q11)~~

Characteristic polynomial of $A_{2 \times 2}$:

$$\lambda^2 - (2+3)\lambda + [(2)(3) - (1-i)(1+i)] = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 5\lambda + (6-2) = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - 5\lambda + 4 = 0$$

$$\lambda^2 - \lambda - 4\lambda + 4 = 0$$

$$\lambda(\lambda-1) - 4(\lambda-1) = 0$$

$$(\lambda-1)(\lambda-4) = 0$$

$$\boxed{\lambda = 1, 4}$$

D = diagonal matrix of λ values

$$\therefore \boxed{D = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}}$$

For $\lambda = 1$,

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1+i \\ 1-i & 3 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1+i \\ 1-i & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_1 + (1+i)x_2 = 0 \quad \times (1-i)$$

$$(1-i)x_1 + 2x_2 = 0$$



$$(1-i)x_1 + 2x_2 = 0$$

$$\text{let } x_2 = k$$

$$(1-i)x_1 = -2k$$

$$x_1 = \frac{-2k}{(1-i)} = \frac{-2(1+i)k}{(1-i)(1+i)} = \frac{-2(1+i)k}{+2} = \underline{\underline{-(1+i)k}}$$

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = k \begin{bmatrix} -1-i \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\|x\| = \sqrt{(-1)^2 + (-1)^2 + (1)^2} = \sqrt{1+1+1} = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{for } \lambda = 4,$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1+i \\ 1-i & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1+i \\ 1-i & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$-2x_1 + (1+i)x_2 = 0 \quad \times (1-i)$$

$$(1-i)x_1 - x_2 = 0 \quad \times (-2)$$



$$-2(1-i)x_1 + 2x_2 = 0$$

$$\text{let } x_2 = k$$

$$2(1-i)x_1 = k$$

$$x_1 = \frac{k}{(1-i)} \times \frac{(1+i)}{(1+i)} = \frac{(1+i)k}{2}$$

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = k \begin{bmatrix} (1+i)/2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\|x\| = \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + (1)^2} = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{2}$$

$$\therefore U = \begin{bmatrix} | & | \\ v_1 & v_2 \\ | & | \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-1-i}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1+i}{\sqrt{6}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}} \end{bmatrix}$$

\Rightarrow Option (A)

Q12.) For a matrix to be Unitary, $U^* U = I$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Option A)} \quad U^* U &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{-1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & i \\ -i & 1 \end{bmatrix} \neq \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

\therefore Option (A) is NOT Unitary.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Option B)} \quad U^* U &= \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1+i}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{i}{2} + \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -i \\ i & 1 \end{bmatrix} \neq \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

\therefore Option (B) is NOT Unitary.

$$\text{Option C)} \quad U^*U = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{i}{2} - \frac{i}{2} \\ \frac{i}{2} + \frac{i}{2} & \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -i \\ i & 1 \end{bmatrix} \neq \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

\therefore Option (C) is NOT Unitary

$$\text{Option D)} \quad U^*U = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} & \frac{i}{2} - \frac{i}{2} \\ -\frac{i}{2} - \frac{i}{2} & \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & i \\ -i & 1 \end{bmatrix} \neq \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

\therefore Option (D) is NOT Unitary

$$\text{Option E)} \quad U^*U = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} & \frac{i}{2} - \frac{i}{2} \\ -\frac{i}{2} + \frac{i}{2} & \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} (I)$$

\therefore Option (E) is Unitary.

Correct options : Option (E)

Q13.) 1) Sum of 2 symmetric matrices is symmetric
i.e., if A is symmetric ($A^T = A$) and
 B is symmetric ($B^T = B$) matrix,
then $(A+B)^T = A+B$

$$\underline{(A+B)^T = A^T + B^T = A+B}$$

2) Multiplication of a scalar with a symmetric matrix is symmetric.

3) If A and B are symmetric matrices then
 $AB+BA$ is a symmetric matrix.

4) Any power A^n of A is symmetric.

5) Let U : symmetric matrix i.e., $U^T = U$
and V : symmetric matrix i.e., $V^T = V$
~~then~~ Check if $(UV)^T = UV$.

$$\text{then } (UV)^T = V^T U^T = VU \neq UV$$

$\therefore UV$ is NOT symmetric.

Product would be symmetric only if $UV=VU$

(if both matrices share eigenvectors)

6) If A is an invertible symmetric matrix, then A^{-1} is also symmetric

Using ① & ⑤ ; Statement 1 is FALSE

Statement 2 is TRUE.

\therefore Option (C) is correct.