

General Instructions (if any):  $\mathbb{R}$ =Set of all real numbers.

Answer any FIVE Questions

(5 X 20 = 100 Marks)

1. a) (i) Find three elementary matrices  $E_1, E_2, E_3$  such that  $E_3 E_2 E_1 A = U$ , where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 5 \\ 0 & 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . [10]

- (ii) Under what conditions on  $b$ ,  $Ax = C$ ,  $C = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ b \end{pmatrix}$  is solvable?

- b) (i) Find all possible values of  $a, b, c$  so that  $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  such that  $A^{-1} = A$ . [10]

- (ii) Find left and right inverse of  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$  and determine  $A$  is invertible or not.

2. a) (i) Show that set of non-singular  $2 \times 2$  matrices is not a vector space. [10]  
(ii) Prove or disprove set of all  $n \times n$  symmetric matrices forms subspace of  $M_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R})$ .

- b) Find a basis for the subspace  $V = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid Ax = 0\}$ , where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 & -1/2 \end{bmatrix}$ . [10]

Also, write down the dimension of  $V$ .

3. a) Find the bases for four fundamental subspaces of  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . [10]

- b) Find the polynomial which passes through  $(0, -5), (1, -3), (-1, -15), (2, 39), (-2, 9)$ . [10]

4. a) Let  $L: P_2 \rightarrow P_2$  defined by  $L(a + bx + cx^2) = ax + bx^2$  [10]

(i) Show that  $L$  is linear transformation.

(ii) Determine  $\text{Ker}(L)$  and  $\text{Range}(L)$ .

- b) Find the basis change matrix  $P$  from the basis  $\alpha$  to  $\beta$  where [10]

$\alpha = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$ ;  $\beta = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$  for  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . Use this result to find the basis change matrix from  $\beta$  to  $\alpha$ .

5. a) Let  $\langle, \rangle: P_2 \times P_2 \rightarrow R$  be defined by  $\langle a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2, b_0 + b_1x + b_2x^2 \rangle = a_0b_0 + a_1b_1 + a_2b_2$ . [10]

- (i) Prove that  $\langle, \rangle$  is an inner product on  $P_2(R)$ .  
 (ii) Find the angle between the vectors  $f(x) = 1 - x$  and  $g(x) = x^2$ .

- b) (i) Show that the vectors  $w_1 = (0, 2, 0)$ ,  $w_2 = (3, 0, 3)$ ,  $w_3 = (-4, 0, 4)$  form an orthogonal basis for  $R^3$  with Euclidean inner product and use that basis to an orthonormal basis by normalizing each vector. [10]  
 (ii) Express the vector  $u = (1, 2, 4)$  as a linear combination of the orthonormal basis vector obtained in part (i).

6. a) Find the matrix of the orthogonal projection  $Proj_W: R^3 \rightarrow R^3$  where  $W = \text{Span}\{(1, 1, 1), (1, -1, 0)\}$ . [10]

- b) Find all the least square solutions of  $Ax = b$  where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 3 & 2 \\ -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $b = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$  and find the orthogonal projection of  $b$  on the column space of  $A$ . [10]

7. a) Encrypt the message "MATHEMATICS" by using the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  (A-1, B-2, ..., Z-26). [15]  
 b) Find the standard matrix for an orthogonal projection on the y-axis, followed by a contraction with factor  $k = \frac{1}{2}$ . [5]

