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M. SC. (MATHEMATICS WITH APPLICATIONS TO COMPUTER SCIENCE)

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Term-End Examination

December, 2024

MMT-002: LINEAR ALGEBRA

Time: 1½ Hours Maximum Marks: 25

Weightage: 70%

Note: (i) There are five questions in this paper.

- (ii) The **fifth** question is compulsory.
- (iii) Do any three questions from Q. No. 1 toQ. No. 4.
- (iv) Use of calculator is **not** allowed.
- 1. (a) Consider:

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$$T \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4x + 2y \\ x + 3y \end{bmatrix}$$

Find the matrix of T with respect to the standard basis of \mathbf{R}^2 and then use the change of basis formula to find its matrix with respect to the basis:

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1\\-1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2\\1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

(b) Find the QR decomposition of:

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

2. Solve the system of differential equations: 5

$$\frac{dy(t)}{dt} = Ay(t)$$

where:

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \ y(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

3. (a) Determine if the following matrix is positive definite or not:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b) The owl (O) and rat (R) populations in a forest are governed by the equations: 3

$$O_{k+1} = 0.5O_k + 0.4R_k$$

$$R_{k+1} = -0.104O_k + 1.1R_k$$

What is the ratio of the population in the long-run?

4. Find the singular value decomposition of: 5

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

- 5. Which of the following statements are true and which are false? Give reasons for your answer:
 - (i) If the characteristic polynomial of a matrix in $M_3(\mathbf{R})$ is (x-1)(x-2)(x-3), then its

Jordan canonical form is
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(ii) If a matrix A has spectral radius 0, then A = 0.

- (iii) If all the entries of matrix A are positive, then A is a positive definite matrix.
- (iv) The sum of any two unitary matrices is unitary.
- (v) The matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ has a unique generalised inverse.