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B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION – STATISTICS

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UST 3502 – MATRIX AND LINEAR ALGEBRA

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SECTION A - K1 (CO1)

Answer ALL the Questions

(10 x 1 = 10)

1. **Define the following**
 - a) Triangular matrix.
 - b) Linear Span.
 - c) Orthogonal Matrix.
 - d) Eigen roots and Eigen vectors.
 - e) Index and signature of the matrix.
2. **Fill in the blanks**
 - a) A matrix A such that $A^2 = A$ is called_____.
 - b) If two rows (or two columns) of a matrix are identical, the value of the determinate is _____.
 - c) Any infinite set is linearly independent if it's every finite subset is_____.
 - d) The Eigen value of A is 3, -4 and 0 . Then, the Eigen Value of A^2 is _____.
 - e) A real symmetric matrix is positive definite if and only if all its eigen values are _____.

SECTION A - K2 (CO1)

Answer ALL the Questions
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3. **True or False**
 - a) The Addition of matrices is not always commutative.
 - b) The interchange of a pair of columns does not change the rank of a matrix.
 - c) If all the elements of a row (or a column) of a matrix are zero, the value of the determinant is non zero.
 - d) The characteristic vectors corresponding to distinct characteristic roots of a matrix are linearly independent.
 - e) The number of negative square terms in the Q.F is called the Index of Q.F.
4. **Answer the following**
 - a) Write the association between rank of a matrix and its linear independence.
 - b) Write the importance of similar matrix in finding the Eigen values.
 - c) What is meant by Basis?
 - d) Write the Matrix form for the following quadratic form.
 $Q(x_1, x_2, x_3) = x_1^2 + 2x_2^2 - 7x_3^2 - 4x_1x_2 + 8x_1x_3.$
 - e) Write any two properties of Eigen values and Eigen vectors.

SECTION B - K3 (CO2)

Answer any TWO of the following
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5.	<p>(i) Prove that</p> $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 7 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ -7 & 5 \end{bmatrix}.$ <p>are inverse of each other under multiplication.</p> <p>(ii) If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ -4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ then find $A^2 - 5A - 14I$ and hence obtain A^3. (5+5)</p>
6.	If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, show that $(A+B)(A-B) \neq A^2 - B^2$.
7.	Examine, if A and B be matrices such that $AB = BA$, then show that for every positive integer n
	(i) $AB^n = B^n A$, (ii) $(AB)^n = A^n B^n$
8.	<p>Determine the characteristic roots and the corresponding characteristic vectors of the matrix.</p> $A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -2 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}.$
SECTION C – K4 (CO3)	
	Answer any TWO of the following (2 x 10 = 20)
9.	Explain the properties of addition of matrices.
10.	<p>Suppose T is a linear transformation, $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$</p> <p>and $T(1,1)^T = (1,2)^T$, $T(0,-1)^T = (3,2)^T$. Find the matrix A of T such that $T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x}$ for all \vec{x}.</p>
11.	<p>Determine a non-singular matrix P such that $P'AP$ is a diagonal matrix, where,</p> $A = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 & -3 \\ -9 & -2 & 3 \\ 18 & 0 & -8 \end{bmatrix}.$ <p>Interpret the result in terms of quadratic forms.</p>
12.	<p>(i) Describe Cramer's rule of finding solutions of simultaneous equations in four unknowns.</p> <p>(ii) Check whether the system of equations $x+2y-z=3$, $3x-y+2z=1$, $2x-2y+3z=2$, $x-y+z=-1$ are consistent and solve them.</p>
SECTION D – K5 (CO4)	
	Answer any ONE of the following (1 x 20 = 20)
13.	<p>(i) Prove that the following matrix satisfies Cayley-Hamilton theorem.</p> $\begin{bmatrix} 6 & -2 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ <p>(II) Compute A^{-1} for the matrix</p> $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 5 \\ 2 & -3 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ <p>And hence solve the following system of equations</p> $\begin{aligned} -x+2y+5z &= 2 \\ 2x-3y+z &= 15 \\ -x+y+z &= -3 \end{aligned}$ <p>(10+10)</p>
14.	<p>(i) Prove that if A be any n-rowed square matrix, then $(\text{Adj } A) A = A (\text{Adj } A) = AI_n$, where I_n is the n-rowed unit matrix.</p>

	(ii) Prove that	$\begin{vmatrix} a-b-c & 2a & 2a \\ 2b & b-c-a & 2b \\ 2c & 2c & c-a-b \end{vmatrix} = (a + b + c)^3$	(10+10)
SECTION E – K6 (CO5)			
	Answer any ONE of the following		(1 x 20 = 20)
15.	<p>(i) Find the number of values of t for which the system of equations</p> $\begin{aligned} (a-t)x + by + cz &= 0 \\ bx + (c-t)y + az &= 0 \\ cx + ay + (b-t)z &= 0 \end{aligned}$ <p>has non-trivial solution.</p> <p>(ii) Find all the Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors of the matrix $\begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 & -6 \\ -1 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.</p>		
16.	<p>(i) $v_1=(1,3,-1,0)^T$, $v_2=(2,9,-1,3)^T$, $v_3=(4,5,6,11)^T$, $v_4=(1,-1,2,5)^T$, $v_5=(3,-2,6,7)^T$. Is $\{v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4\}$ linear dependent or linearly independent?</p> <p>(ii) Reduce the Quadratic form $Q(x_1, x_2, x_3) = x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 - 2x_1x_2$ to canonical form through an orthogonal transformation. Find the nature rank, index, signature and also find the non-zero set of values which makes this Quadratic form as zero.</p>		

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