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**FOURTH SEMESTER (CUCBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION
APRIL 2022**

Mathematics

MAT 4B 04—THEORY OF EQUATION, MATRICES AND VECTOR CALCULUS

(2014—2018 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Part A (Objective Type)

Answer all twelve questions.

Each question carries 1 mark.

1. State the fundamental theorem of theory of equations.
2. If α, β, γ are the roots of the equation $ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d = 0$, write the equation whose roots are $-\alpha, -\beta, -\gamma$.
3. Find the number of real roots of $x^4 - 1 = 0$.
4. Write the standard form of a cubic equation.
5. Find the rank of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.
6. If A and B are non-singular square matrices of order 5, find the rank of AB.
7. Find the number of solutions of the equation $x + 2y = 3$.
8. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \\ a & 6 & b \end{bmatrix}$ and the system of homogeneous linear equations $AX = 0$ has a non-zero solution, find the value of b .
9. Find the characteristic roots of $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$.
10. Find the parametric equations of the line through the point $(3, -4, -1)$ parallel to the vector $\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$.

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11. Find the angle between the planes $x + y = 1$, $2x + y - 2z = 2$.
12. Find the unit tangent vector to the curve $\mathbf{r}(t) = (\cos t) \mathbf{i} + (\sin t) \mathbf{j}$.

(12 × 1 = 12 marks)

Part B (Short Answer Type)

*Answer any nine questions.
Each question carries 2 marks.*

13. If α, β, γ are the roots of the equation $2x^3 + x^2 - 2x - 1 = 0$, find the value of $\alpha + \beta + \gamma$.
14. If α, β, γ are the roots of the equation $2x^3 + 3x^2 - x - 1 = 0$, find the equation whose roots are $\frac{1}{2\alpha}, \frac{1}{2\beta}, \frac{1}{2\gamma}$.
15. Show that the equation $x^4 + 4x^2 + 5x - 6 = 0$ has exactly one positive root.
16. Show that the rank of a matrix, every element of which is unity is 1.
17. Find the normal form of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 5 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$.
18. Find the values of λ so that the system of equations $\lambda x + y = 0$, $x + \lambda y = 0$ has zero solution only.
19. Prove that the characteristic roots of triangular matrix are the same as its diagonal elements.
20. Show that if λ is a characteristic root of a matrix A , then $\lambda + k$ is a characteristic root of the matrix $A + kI$.
21. Find the spherical co-ordinate equation for the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + (z - 1)^2 = 1$.
22. If $\mathbf{r}(t) = (3 \cos t) \mathbf{i} + (3 \sin t) \mathbf{j} + t^2 \mathbf{k}$ is the position vector of a particle in space at time t , at what times, if any, are the body's velocity and acceleration orthogonal?
23. If u is a differentiable vector function of t of constant magnitude, prove that $\mathbf{u} \cdot \frac{du}{dt} = 0$.
24. Show that the curvature of a straight line is zero.

(9 × 2 = 18 marks)

Part C (Short Essay Type)

*Answer any six questions.
Each question carries 5 marks.*

25. Solve $4x^3 - 24x^2 + 23x + 18 = 0$, given that the roots are in A.P.
26. If α, β, γ are the roots of the equation $x^3 + 3x^2 + 6x + 1 = 0$, find the value of $(\alpha^2 + 1)(\beta^2 + 1)(\gamma^2 + 1)$.
27. Obtain the real root of the equation $x^3 - 15x = 126$ by Cardan's method.

28. Reducing to the normal form, find the rank of $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & -3 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.

29. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$, find non-singular matrices P and Q such that PAQ is in normal form.

30. Test for consistency and solve the system of equations :

$$5x + 3y + 7z - 4 = 0$$

$$3x + 26y + 2z - 9 = 0$$

$$7x + 2y + 10z - 5 = 0.$$

31. If A is a non-singular matrix, prove that the eigenvalues of A^{-1} are the reciprocals of the eigenvalues of A.
32. Find the distance from the point $(1, 1, 5)$ to the line $x = 1 + t, y = 3 - t, z = 2t$.
33. Obtain the curvature of a circle of radius a .

(6 × 5 = 30 marks)

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Part D (Essay Type)

*Answer any two questions.
Each question carries 10 marks.*

34. Solve $6x^5 + 11x^4 - 33x^3 - 33x^2 + 11x + 6 = 0$.

35. Find the characteristic roots and the corresponding characteristic vectors for the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 8 & -6 & 2 \\ -6 & 7 & -4 \\ 2 & -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

36. Find the binormal vector and torsion for the space curve $\mathbf{r}(t) = (3 \sin t) \mathbf{i} + (3 \cos t) \mathbf{j} + 4t\mathbf{k}$.

(2 × 10 = 20 marks)

**FOURTH SEMESTER (CUCBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION
APRIL 2021**

Mathematics

MAT 4B 04—THEORY OF EQUATION, MATRICES AND VECTOR CALCULUS

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Part A (Objective Type)

Answer all the twelve questions.

Each question carries 1 mark.

1. If α, β, γ are the roots of $2x^3 + 3x^2 - x - 1 = 0$. Find the equation whose roots are $\alpha^2, \beta^2, \gamma^2$.
2. State Descarte's rule of signs.
3. Find a cubic equation, two of whose roots are given by $1, 3 + 2i$.
4. What do you mean by reciprocal equation of first type ? Give example.
5. What is the rank of the identity matrix of order 101 ?
6. If $A = [a_{i,j}]$ is an $m \times n$ matrix and $a_{i,j} = 7$ for all i, j then rank of A is _____.
7. A system of m homogeneous linear equations in n unknowns has only trivial solution if _____.
8. For what values of a the system of equations $ax + y = 1, x + 2y = 3, 2x + 3y = 5$ are consistent.
9. If the number of variables in a non-homogeneous system $AX = B$ is n then the system possesses a unique solution if _____.
10. Find the parametric equation of a line through $P(1, 1, 1)$ and parallel to the z -axis.
11. Find the unit tangent vector of the helix $r(t) = (\cos t + t \sin t)i + (\sin t - t \cos t)j + tk, t > 0$.
12. Write equations relating spherical and cylindrical co-ordinates.

(12 × 1 = 12 marks)

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Part B (Short Answer Type)

Answer any **nine** questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

13. Solve $6x^3 - 11x^2 - 3x + 2 = 0$. Given that the roots are in harmonic progression.
14. Find the equation whose roots are the roots of $x^3 + 3x^2 - 2x - 4 = 0$ increased by 5.
15. If α, β, γ are the roots of $x^3 + qx + r = 0$. Find the equation whose roots are $(\beta - \alpha)^2, (\gamma - \alpha)^2, (\alpha - \beta)^2$.
16. If $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ -2 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$. Find A^{-1} .
17. Prove that the characteristic roots of Hermitian matrix are real.
18. If α is an eigen value of a non-singular matrix A , prove that $\frac{|A|}{\alpha}$ is an eigen value of $\text{adj } A$.
19. Show that the product of characteristic roots of a square matrix of order n is equal to the determinant of the matrix.
20. Find the value of a for which $r(A) = 3$ where $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 4 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & a \end{pmatrix}$.
21. Find the velocity and acceleration vectors of $r(t) = (t+1)i + (t^2 - 1)j + 2tk$ at $t = 1$.
22. Find the rectangular co-ordinates of the centre of the sphere $r^2 + z^2 = 4r \cos \theta + 6r \sin \theta + 2z$.
23. Evaluate $\int_0^\pi (\cos ti + j - 2tk) dt$.
24. Find the principal unit normal for the circular motion $r(t) = (\cos 2t)i + (\sin 2t)j$.

(9 × 2 = 18 marks)

Part C (Short Essay)

*Answer any six questions.
Each question carries 5 marks.*

25. If α, β, γ are the roots of $x^3 - x - 1 = 0$. Find the equation whose roots are $\frac{1+\alpha}{1-\alpha}, \frac{1+\beta}{1-\beta}, \frac{1+\gamma}{1-\gamma}$.

26. Solve the equation $x^2 - 12x - 65 = 0$ by Cardan's method.

27. Solve $x^3 + 6x^2 + 3x + 18 = 0$.

28. Prove that the rank of the transpose of a matrix is equal to the rank of the same matrix.

29. Find the rank of $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & -2 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & -3 & 2 \\ 3 & 3 & -3 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$.

30. Using matrix method solve :

$$2x - y + 3z = 9$$

$$x + y + z = 6$$

$$x - y + z = 2.$$

31. Find the point in which the line $x = 1 + 2t, y = 1 + 5t, z = 3t$ intersects the plane $x + y + z = 2$.

32. Find the distance from the point $S(2, 1, 3)$ to the line $x = 2 + 2t, y = -1 + 6t, z = 3$.

33. Find the eigen values and eigen vectors of $\begin{pmatrix} 6 & -2 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$.

(6 × 5 = 30 marks)

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Part D

*Answer any two questions.
Each question carries 10 marks.*

34. Solve the equation $6x^5 - 41x^4 + 97x^3 - 97x^2 + 41x - 6 = 0$.

35. Verify Cayley-Hamilton theorem for the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & 5 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ and hence evaluate A^{-1} .

36. Find the binormal vector and torsion for the space curve $r(t) = \left(\frac{t^3}{3}\right)i + \left(\frac{t^2}{2}\right)j$.

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Mathematics

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Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Part A (Objective Type)

Answer all the twelve questions.

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1. If α, β, γ are the roots of $2x^3 + 3x^2 - x - 1 = 0$. Find the equation whose roots are $\frac{1}{2\alpha}, \frac{1}{2\beta}, \frac{1}{2\gamma}$.
2. State the Fundamental theorem of algebra.
3. Find a cubic equation, two of whose roots are given by 1, $3 + 2i$.
4. What do you mean by reciprocal equation. Give example.
5. What is the rank of the identity matrix of order n .
6. If $A = [a_{i,j}]$ is an $m \times n$ matrix and $a_{i,j} = 7$ for all i, j then rank of A is _____.
7. A system of m homogeneous linear equations $AX = 0$ in n unknowns has only trivial solution if _____.
8. For what values of a the system of equations $ax + y = 1, x + 2y = 3, 2x + 3y = 5$ are consistent.
9. If the number of variables in a non homogeneous system $AX = B$ is n then the system possesses a unique solution if _____.
10. Find the parametric equation of a line through $P(3, -4, -1)$ and parallel to the vector $i + j + k$.
11. Find the unit tangent vector of the helix $r(t) = \cos t i + \sin t j + t k$.
12. Write equations relating rectangular and cylindrical coordinates.

(12 × 1 = 12 marks)

Part B (Short Answer Type)

Answer any nine questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

13. Solve $4x^3 - 24x^2 + 23x + 18 = 0$. Given that the roots are in arithmetic progression.
14. Transform $x^3 - 6x^2 + 5x + 12 = 0$ into an equation lacking second term.

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15. If α, β, γ are the roots of $ax^3 + 3bx^2 + 3cx + d = 0$. Find the value of $(\alpha^2 + 1)(\beta^2 + 1)(\gamma^2 + 1)$.
16. If $A = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -1 \\ 5 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$. Find A^{-1} .
17. Prove that the characteristic roots of Hermitian matrix are real.
18. If α is an eigen value of a non singular matrix A , prove that $\frac{|A|}{\alpha}$ is an eigen value of $\text{adj } A$.
19. Show that the product of characteristic roots of a square matrix of order n is equal to the determinant of the matrix.
20. Find the value of a for which $r(A) = 3$ where $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 4 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & a \end{pmatrix}$
21. Find the velocity and acceleration vectors of $r(t) = (3\cos t)i + (3\sin t)j + t^2k$.
22. Find an equation for the circular cylinder $4x^2 + 4y^2 = 9$ in cylindrical coordinates.
23. Evaluate $\int_0^1 (t^3i + 7j + (t+1)k) dt$.
24. Find the unit tangent vector for the circular motion $r(t) = (\cos 2t)i + (\sin 2t)j$.

(9 × 2 = 18 marks)

Part C (Short Essay)

*Answer any six questions.
Each question carries 5 marks.*

25. If α, β, γ are the roots of $x^3 - x - 1 = 0$. Find the equation whose roots are $\frac{1+\alpha}{1-\alpha}, \frac{1+\beta}{1-\beta}, \frac{1+\gamma}{1-\gamma}$.
26. Solve the equation $x^2 - 12x - 65 = 0$ by cardan's method.
27. Solve $x^3 + 6x^2 + 3x + 18 = 0$.
28. Prove that the rank of a non singular matrix is equal to the rank of its reciprocal matrix.

29. Find the rank of $\begin{pmatrix} 4 & -2 & 3 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$.

30. Using matrix method solve,

$$x + 2y + z = 2$$

$$3x + y - 2z = 1$$

$$4x - 3y - z = 3$$

$$2x + 4y + 2z = 4$$

31. Find the point in which the line $x = 1 - t, y = 3t, z = 1 + t$ intersects the plane $2x - y + 3z = 6$.

32. Find the distance from the point S (0, 0, 1, 2) to the line $x = 4t, y = -2t, z = 2t$.

33. Find the eigen values and eigen vectors of
$$\begin{pmatrix} 8 & -6 & 2 \\ -6 & 7 & -4 \\ 2 & -4 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

(6 × 5 = 30 marks)

Part D

*Answer any two questions.
Each question carries 10 marks.*

34. Solve the equation $6x^5 - 41x^4 + 97x^3 - 97x^2 + 41x - 6 = 0$.

35. Verify Cayley Hamilton theorem for the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 7 \\ 3 & 6 & 10 \end{pmatrix}$.

36. Find the binormal vector and torsion for the space curve $r(t) = (3\sin t)i + (3\cos t)j + 4tk$.

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FOURTH SEMESTER B.A./B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2019

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Common Course for LRP

MA T4 B04—THEORY OF EQUATION, MATRICES AND VECTOR CALCULUS

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Part A (Objective Type)

Answer all twelve questions.

Each question carries 1 mark.

1. If α, β, γ are the roots of $x^3 - px^2 + qx - r = 0$ find the value of $\sum \alpha^2$.
2. Define a reciprocal equation.
3. State Descarte's rule of signs.
4. If α, β, γ are the roots of $f(x) = 0$, write the equation whose roots are $\frac{1}{\alpha}, \frac{1}{\beta}, \frac{1}{\gamma}$.
5. Rank of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 & 6 \\ 0 & 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$ is
6. If A is a non-zero column matrix and B is a non-zero row matrix then rank (AB) is
7. The system $AX = 0$ in n unknowns has a non-trivial solution if _____.
8. For what value of a the system of equations $ax + y = 1, x + 2y = 3, 2x + 3y = 5$ are consistent.
9. If A is an n -rowed non-singular matrix, X and B are $n \times 1$ matrices, then the system of equations $AX = B$ has _____ solution.
10. Find the parametric equation of a line through the point $(3, -4, -1)$ and parallel to the vector $\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$.

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11. Find the unit vector tangent to the curve $r(t) = (2 \cos t) \mathbf{i} + (2 \sin t) \mathbf{j} + \sqrt{5t} \mathbf{k}$, $0 \leq t \leq \pi$.
12. Write the equations relating rectangular and cylindrical co-ordinates.

(12 × 1 = 12 marks)

Part B (Short Answer Type)*Answer any nine questions.**Each question carries 2 marks.*

13. Solve $x^3 - 12x^2 + 39x^2 - 28 = 0$ whose roots are in arithmetic progression.
14. Transform $x^3 - 6x^2 + 5x + 12 = 0$ into an equation lacking the second term.
15. If $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ are the roots of $x^4 + px^3 + qx^2 + rx + s = 0$ evaluate $\sum \alpha^2 \beta \gamma$.

16. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, then rank of AB is :

17. Under what condition the rank of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & x \end{bmatrix}$ is 3.

18. Show that corresponding to a characteristic vector X of a square matrix A , there exist one and only one characteristic root.
19. If A is non-singular, prove that the eigen values of A^{-1} are the reciprocals of the eigen values of A .
20. Show that the characteristic roots of a Hermitian matrices are all real.
21. Find the velocity and acceleration vectors of $r(t) = (t+1) \mathbf{i} + (t^2-1) \mathbf{j}$ at $t = 1$.
22. Find a spherical co-ordinate equation for the sphere $x^2 + y^2 + (z-1)^2 = 1$.
23. Evaluate $\int_0^{\pi} ((\cos t) \mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - (2t) \mathbf{k}) dt$.
24. Find the curvature of $r(t) = t \mathbf{i} + (\ln \cos t) \mathbf{j}$, $-\pi/2 < t < \pi/2$.

(9 × 2 = 18 marks)

Part C (Short Essay Type)

Answer any six questions.
Each question carries 5 marks.

25. If α, β, γ are roots of $x^3 - x - 1 = 0$, find the equation whose roots are

$$\frac{1+\alpha}{1-\alpha}, \frac{1+\beta}{1-\beta}, \frac{1+\gamma}{1-\gamma}. \text{ Hence write down the values of } \sum \left(\frac{1+\alpha}{1-\alpha} \right).$$

26. If α, β, γ are roots of $x^2 + qx + r = 0$, find the equation whose roots are $(\beta - \gamma)^2, (\gamma - \alpha)^2, (\alpha - \beta)^2$.

27. Solve the equation $x^4 + 6x^3 - 5x^2 + 6x + 1 = 0$.

28. Reduce the matrix A to its normal form and hence find the rank of A where :

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & -3 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

29. Show that $\text{rank}(AA') = \text{rank}(A)$.

30. Find the latent roots and latent vectors of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & h & g \\ 0 & b & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & c \end{bmatrix}$.

31. Find the point where the line $x = \frac{8}{3} + 2t, y = -2t, z = 1 + t$ intersects the plane $3x + 2y + 6z = 6$.

32. Find the distance from the point S (1, 1, 5) to the line L : $x = 1 + t, y = 3 - t, z = 2t$.

33. Using matrix method solve the equations :

$$x + y + z = 6$$

$$x - y - z = 2$$

$$2x + y - z = 1.$$

(6 × 5 = 30 marks)

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Part D (Essay Type)

Answer any two questions.
Each question carries 10 marks.

34. Solve the equation $x^3 - 3x^2 + 12x + 16 = 0$ by Cardan's method.

35. Show that the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ satisfies Cayley-Hamilton theorem. Hence obtain A^{-1} .

36. Find the binormal vector and torsion for the space curve $r(t) = (3 \sin t) \mathbf{i} + (3 \cos t) \mathbf{j} + 4t \mathbf{k}$.
(2 × 10 = 20 marks)

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

39. Show that $\text{rank}(AA) = \text{rank}(A)$.

30. Find the latent roots and latent vectors of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.

31. Find the point where the line $x = \frac{2}{3} + 2t, y = -1 + t$ intersects the plane $2x - 3y = 1$.

32. Find the distance from the point $P(1, 1, 1)$ to the line $l: x = 1 + t, y = 2 - t, z = 3 + t$.

33. Using matrix method solve the equations

$$x + y + z = 6$$

$$x - y - z = 2$$

$$2x + y - z = 1$$

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FOURTH SEMESTER B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2018

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Mathematics

MAT 4B 04—THEORY OF EQUATIONS MATRICES AND VECTOR CALCULUS

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Part A (Objective Type)

Answer all the twelve questions.

Each question carries 1 mark.

1. If α, β, γ are the roots of $2x^3 + 3x^2 - x - 1 = 0$. Find the equation whose roots are $\frac{1}{2\alpha}, \frac{1}{2\beta}, \frac{1}{2\gamma}$.
2. State the Fundamental theorem of algebra.
3. If α, β, γ are the roots of $ax^3 + 3bx^2 + 3cx + d = 0$. Find the value of :
 $(\beta - \gamma)(\gamma - \alpha) + (\gamma - \alpha)(\alpha - \beta) + (\alpha - \beta)(\beta - \gamma)$.
4. What do you mean by reciprocal equation of second type ? Give example.
5. What is the rank of the identity matrix of order 20 ?
6. If $A = [a_{ij}]$ is an $m \times n$ matrix and $a_{ij} = 7$ for all i, j then rank of A is _____.
7. A system of m homogeneous linear equations in n unknowns has only trivial solution if _____.
8. For what values of a the system of equations $ax + y = 1, x + 2y = 3, 2x + 3y = 5$ are consistent.
9. If the number of variables in a non-homogeneous system $AX = B$ is n then the system possesses a unique solution if _____.
10. Find the parametric equation of a line through P (3, -4, -1) and parallel to the vector $i + j + k$.
11. Find the unit vector tangent to the curve $r(t) = (\cos^3 t)j + (\sin^3 t)k, 0 \leq t \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$.
12. Write equations relating rectangular and cylindrical co-ordinates.

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Part B (Short Answer Type)

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13. Solve $4x^3 - 24x^2 + 23x + 18 = 0$. Given that the roots are in arithmetic progression.
14. Transform $x^3 - 6x^2 + 5x + 12 = 0$ into an equation lacking second term.
15. If α, β, γ are the roots of $x^3 + qx + r = 0$. Find the equation whose roots are $(\beta - \alpha)^2, (\gamma - \alpha)^2, (\alpha - \beta)^2$.
16. If $A = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -1 \\ 5 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$. Find A^{-1} .
17. Prove that the characteristic roots of Hermitian matrix are real.
18. If α is an eigen value of a non-singular matrix A , prove that $\frac{|A|}{\alpha}$ is an eigen value of $\text{adj } A$.
19. Show that the product of characteristic roots of a square matrix of order n is equal to the determinant of the matrix.
20. Find the value of a for which $r(A) = 3$ where $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & 4 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & a \end{pmatrix}$.
21. Find the velocity and acceleration vectors of $r(t) = (3\cos t)i + (3\sin t)j + t^2k$.
22. Find a Cartesian equation for the surface $z = r^2$. And identify the surface.
23. Evaluate $\int_{-\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} [(\sin t)i + (1 + \cos t)j + (\sec^2 t)k] dt$.
24. Find the normal vector for $r(t) = (a \cos t)i + (a \sin t)j + bk$.

(9 × 2 = 18 marks)

Part C (Short Essays)

Answer any **six** questions.
Each question carries 5 marks.

25. If α, β, γ are the roots of $x^3 - x - 1 = 0$. Find the equation whose roots are $\frac{1+\alpha}{1-\alpha}, \frac{1+\beta}{1-\beta}, \frac{1+\gamma}{1-\gamma}$.
26. Solve the equation $x^2 - 12x - 65 = 0$ by Cardan's method.
27. Solve $x^3 + 6x^2 + 3x + 18 = 0$.
28. Prove that the rank of a non-singular matrix is equal to the rank of its reciprocal matrix.

29. Find the rank of $\begin{pmatrix} 4 & -2 & 3 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$.

30. Using matrix method solve :

$$\begin{aligned} x + 2y + z &= 2 \\ 3x + y - 2z &= 1 \\ 4x - 3y - z &= 3 \\ 2x + 4y + 2z &= 4. \end{aligned}$$

31. Find the point in which the line $x = 1 - t, y = 3t, z = 1 + t$ intersects the plane $2x - y + 3z = 6$.
32. Find the distance from the point S (0, 0, 1, 2) to the line $x = 4t, y = -2t, z = 2t$.

33. Find the eigen values and eigen vectors of $\begin{pmatrix} 8 & -6 & 2 \\ -6 & 7 & -4 \\ 2 & -4 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$.

(6 × 5 = 30 marks)

Turn over

Part D

Answer any two questions.
Each question carries 10 marks.

34. Solve the equation $x^5 - 5x^4 + 9x^3 - 9x^2 + 5x - 1 = 0$.

35. Verify Cayley-Hamilton theorem for the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ and hence evaluate A^{-1} .

36. Find the binormal vector and torsion for the space curve $r(t) = (e^t \cos t)i + (e^t \sin t)j + 2k$.

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Maximum : 80 Marks

Section A

Answer all questions.

1. If $2 + \sqrt{3}$ is a root of $x^4 - 2x^3 - 22x^2 + 62x - 15 = 0$, without solving the equation completely, state the other root.
2. If $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \dots$ are the roots of $f(x) = 0$, then what is the equation whose roots are $-\alpha, -\beta, -\gamma \dots$?
3. If α and β are the roots of $lx^2 + mx + n = 0$ find $\alpha^2 + \beta^2$.
4. Remove the second term from the equation $x^3 - 6x^2 + 4x - 7 = 0$.
5. What is the rank of a non-singular matrix of order n ?
6. Find the row reduced Echelon form of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 5 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$.
7. Find the characteristic root of $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$.
8. State Cayley-Hamilton theorem.
9. Fill in the blanks :
The characteristic roots of a diagonal matrix are the same as its _____.
10. Find a vector parallel to the line of intersection of the planes $3x - 6y - 2z = 15$, $2x + y - 2z = 5$.
11. Find a Cartesian equation for the surface $z = r^2$ and identify the surface.
12. Find the unit tangent vector of :

$$r(t) = (2\cos t)i + (2\sin t)j + \sqrt{5} t k.$$

(12 × 1 = 12 marks)

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Section B

Answer all questions.

13. If α, β, γ are the roots of $x^3 - x - 1 = 0$, find the equation whose roots are $\frac{1+\alpha}{1-\alpha}, \frac{1+\beta}{1-\beta}, \frac{1+\gamma}{1-\gamma}$.
14. Solve $x^4 - 8x^3 + 14x^2 + 8x - 15 = 0$, given that the roots are in A.P.
15. Form an equation whose roots are increased by 2 of the equation $2x^3 + 3x^2 - x - 1 = 0$.
16. Find the rank of the matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$.
17. Compute the inverse of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.
18. State Sylvester's Law of Nullity.
19. Show the characteristic roots of a Hermitian matrix are all real.
20. Find an equation for the circular cylinder $4x^2 + 4y^2 = 9$ in cylindrical co-ordinates.
21. Find the principal unit normal vector \hat{N} for a curve $r(k) = (2t+3)i + (5-t^2)j$.

(9 × 2 = 18 marks)

Section C

Answer any six questions.

22. Find the rational roots of the equation $2x^3 - 3x^2 - 11x + 6 = 0$.
23. Solve the equation $x^3 - 7x^2 + 36 = 0$, given that the difference between two of its roots is 5.
24. Solve the reciprocal equation $x^4 - 10x^3 + 26x^2 - 10x + 1 = 0$.
25. Reduce to the normal form and find the rank of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 4 & 3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

26. Obtain the row reduced echelon form to find the rank of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 & 5 \\ -1 & -2 & 6 & -7 \end{bmatrix}$.

27. Solve the system of equations :

$$x + 3y - 2z = 0$$

$$2x - y + 4z = 0$$

$$x - 11y + 14z = 0.$$

28. Find the characteristic equation of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ and verify Cayley-Hamilton theorem.

29. The vector $r(t) = (2\cos t)i + (3\sin t)j + 4t k$ gives the position of a moving body at time t . Find the body's speed and acceleration. When $t = \pi/2$ find speed.

30. Find curvature for the helix :

$$r(t) = (a\cos t)i + (a\sin t)j + btk ; a, b \geq 0, a^2 + b^2 \neq 0.$$

(6 × 5 = 30 marks)

Section D

Answer any two questions.

31. (a) Discuss the nature of roots of the equation :

$$x^9 + 5x^8 - x^3 + 7x + 2 = 0 \text{ using Descarte's rule of signs.}$$

- (b) Solve $6x^6 - 25x^5 + 31x^4 - 31x^2 + 25x - 6 = 0$, which is a reciprocal equation of second type.

32. (a) Find characteristic vectors of the matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 8 & -6 & 2 \\ -6 & 7 & -4 \\ 2 & -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ corresponding to any one characteristic root.

- (b) Obtain the inverse of the above matrix using Cayley-Hamilton theorem.

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33. (a) Find the length of the indicated portion of the curve :

$$r(t) = ti + \frac{2}{3}t^{3/2}k; 0 \leq t \leq 8.$$

(b) Show that the curvature of a circle of radius a is $\frac{1}{a}$.

(2 × 10 = 20 marks)

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MAT AB 04—THEORY OF EQUATIONS, MATRICES AND VECTOR CALCULUS

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Part A (Objective Type)

Answer all twelve questions.

1. If α, β, γ are the roots of $2x^3 + 3x^2 - x - 1 = 0$ find the equation whose roots are $\alpha - 1, \beta - 1, \gamma - 1$.
2. State Descarte's rule of signs.
3. If α, β, γ are the roots of $x^3 - px^2 + qx - r = 0$ find the value of $\sum \alpha^2$.
4. If $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \dots$ are the roots of $f(x) = 0$, write the equation whose roots are $\frac{1}{\alpha}, \frac{1}{\beta}, \frac{1}{\gamma}, \dots$
5. What is the rank of a unit matrix of order n ?
6. If $A = [a_{ij}]$ is an $m \times n$ matrix and $a_{ij} = 4$, for all i, j then rank of A is _____.
7. A system of m homogeneous linear equations $AX = 0$ in n unknowns has only trivial solution if _____.
8. For what value of a the system of equations $ax + y = 1, x + 2y = 3, 2x + 3y = 5$ are consistent.
9. If the number of variables in a non-homogeneous system $AX = B$ is n , then the system possesses a unique solution if _____.
10. Find the parametric equation of a line through the point $(-2, 0, 4)$ and parallel to the vector $2i + 4j - 2k$.
11. Find the unit vector tangent to the curve $r(t) = ti + (2/3)t^{3/2}k$.
12. Write the equations relating rectangular and spherical co-ordinates.

(12 × 1 = 12 marks)

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Part B (Short Answer Type)

Answer any nine questions.

13. Solve $8x^3 - 14x^2 + 7x - 1 = 0$ whose roots are in geometric progression.
14. Find the equation whose roots are the roots of $x^3 + 3x^2 - 2x - 4 = 0$ increased by 3.
15. If $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ are the roots of $x^4 + px^3 + qx^2 + rx + s = 0$ evaluate $\sum \alpha^2 \beta$.

16. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ then rank of A^2 is :

17. Under what condition the rank of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & x \end{bmatrix}$ is 3.

18. Show that the product of the characteristic roots of a square matrix of order n is equal to the determinant of the matrix.
19. If α is a characteristic root of a non-singular matrix A , then prove that $\frac{|A|}{\alpha}$ is a characteristic root of $\text{adj } A$.
20. Show that the characteristic roots of a Hermitian matrices are all real.
21. Find the velocity and acceleration vectors of $r(t) = e^t \mathbf{i} + \frac{2}{9} e^{2t} \mathbf{j}$ at $t = \ln 3$.
22. Find the equation for the cylinder $x^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 9$ in cylindrical co-ordinates.
23. Evaluate $\int_0^1 ((3t^2) \mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} - (t - 3) \mathbf{k}) dt$.
24. Find the curvature of $r(t) = (a \cos t) \mathbf{i} + (a \sin t) \mathbf{j}$.

(9 × 2 = 18 marks)

Part C (Short Essay Type)

Answer any **six** questions.

25. If α, β, γ are roots of $x^3 - x - 1 = 0$, find the equation whose roots are $\frac{1+\alpha}{1-\alpha}, \frac{1+\beta}{1-\beta}, \frac{1+\gamma}{1-\gamma}$. Hence

write down the values of $\sum \left(\frac{1+\alpha}{1-\alpha} \right)$.

26. If α, β, γ are roots of $x^2 + qx + r = 0$, find the equation whose roots are $(\beta - \gamma)^2, (\gamma - \alpha)^2, (\alpha - \beta)^2$.

27. Solve the equation $x^2 - 12x - 65 = 0$ by Cardan's method.

28. For the matrix A, find non-singular matrices P and Q such that PAQ is in normal form, where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

29. Prove that rank of a non-singular matrix is equal to the rank of its reciprocal matrix.

30. Using matrix method solve the equations :

$$x + 2y + 3z = 14$$

$$3x + y + 2z = 11$$

$$2x + 3y + z = 11.$$

31. Find the point where the line $x = \frac{8}{3} + 2t, y = -2t, z = 1 + t$ intersects the plane $3x + 2y + 6z = 6$.

32. Find the distance from the point S (1, 1, 5) to the line L : $x = 1 + t, y = 3 - t, z = 2t$.

33. Find the latent roots and latent vectors of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & h & g \\ 0 & b & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & c \end{bmatrix}$.

(6 × 5 = 30 marks)

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Part D (Essay Type)

Answer any two questions.

34. Solve the equation $x^5 - 5x^4 + 9x^3 - 9x^2 + 5x - 1 = 0$.

35. Find the characteristic equation of the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -3 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ and verify that it is satisfied by A

and hence obtain A^{-1} .

36. Find the binormal vector and torsion for the space curve

$$r(t) = (a \cos t) \mathbf{i} + (a \sin t) \mathbf{j} + btk, \quad a, b \geq 0, \quad a^2 + b^2 = 1.$$

(2 × 10 = 20 marks)