

DPP - Daily Practice Problems

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MATHEMATICS (CM18)

SYLLABUS : Matrices

Max. Marks : 120 Marking Scheme : (+4) for correct & (–1) for incorrect answer

Time : 60 min.

INSTRUCTIONS : This Daily Practice Problem Sheet contains 30 MCQ's. For each question only one option is correct. Darken the correct circle/ bubble in the Response Grid provided on each page.

1. If $B^n - A = I$

$$\text{and } A = \begin{bmatrix} 26 & 26 & 18 \\ 25 & 37 & 17 \\ 52 & 39 & 50 \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 & 1 \\ 7 & 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix},$$

then $n =$

- (a) 2 (b) 3
(c) 4 (d) 5

2. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ then A^{100} :

- (a) $2^{100}A$ (b) $2^{99}A$
(c) $2^{101}A$ (d) None of these

3. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$, then $A^T + A = I_2$, if

- (a) $\theta = n\pi, n \in Z$ (b) $\theta = (2n+1)\frac{\pi}{2}, n \in Z$
(c) $\theta = 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{3}, n \in Z$ (d) None of these

4. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, I is the unit matrix of order 2 and a, b are

arbitrary constants, then $(aI + bA)^2$ is equal to

- (a) $a^2I + abA$ (b) $a^2I + 2abA$
(c) $a^2I + b^2A$ (d) None of these

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1. (a)(b)(c)(d) 2. (a)(b)(c)(d) 3. (a)(b)(c)(d) 4. (a)(b)(c)(d)

5. If A is a square matrix, then AA^{-1} is a
 (a) skew-symmetric matrix (b) symmetric matrix
 (c) diagonal matrix (d) None of these
6. If $f(\alpha) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha \\ -\sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{bmatrix}$ and if α, β, γ , are angle of a triangle, then $f(\alpha) \cdot f(\beta) \cdot f(\gamma)$ equals
 (a) I_2 (b) $-I_2$
 (c) 0 (d) None of these
7. Let A, B and C be $n \times n$ matrices. Which one of the following is a correct statement?
 (a) If $AB = AC$, then $B = C$
 (b) If $A^3 + 2A^2 + 3A + 5I = 0$; then A is invertible.
 (c) If $A^2 = 0$, then $A = 0$
 (d) None of these
8. If $A_\alpha = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha & -\sin \alpha \\ \sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{bmatrix}$, then
 (a) $A_\alpha \cdot A_{(-\alpha)} = I$ (b) $A_\alpha \cdot A_{(-\alpha)} = O$
 (c) $A_\alpha \cdot A_\beta = A_{\alpha\beta}$ (d) $A_\alpha \cdot A_\beta = A_{\alpha-\beta}$
9. If A is a square matrix such that $(A - 2I)(A + I) = O$, then $A^{-1} =$
 (a) $\frac{A - I}{2}$ (b) $\frac{A + I}{2}$
 (c) $2(A - I)$ (d) $2A + I$
10. A square matrix P satisfies $P^2 = I - P$, where I is the identity matrix. If $P^n = 5I - 8P$, then n is equal to
 (a) 4 (b) 5
 (c) 6 (d) 7
11. If $P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{bmatrix}$, $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $Q = PAP^T$, then $P(Q^{2005})P^T$ equal to
 (a) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2005 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ (b) $\begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{3}/2 & 2005 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
 (c) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2005 \\ \sqrt{3}/2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ (d) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \sqrt{3}/2 \\ 0 & 2005 \end{bmatrix}$
12. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ a & b & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ and I is the unit matrix of order 3, then $A^2 + 2A^4 + 4A^6$ is equal to
 (a) $7A^8$ (b) $7A^7$
 (c) $8I$ (d) $6I$
13. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{pmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & b \end{pmatrix}$, $a, b \in N$. Then
 (a) there cannot exist any B such that $AB = BA$
 (b) there exist more than one but finite number of B 's such that $AB = BA$
 (c) there exists exactly one B such that $AB = BA$
 (d) there exist infinitely many B 's such that $AB = BA$
14. Given that

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \omega & \omega^2 \\ \omega & \omega^2 & 1 \\ \omega^2 & 1 & \omega \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} k & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
 then $k =$
 (a) 6 (b) 1 (c) 8 (d) 9

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5. (a)(b)(c)(d) 6. (a)(b)(c)(d) 7. (a)(b)(c)(d) 8. (a)(b)(c)(d) 9. (a)(b)(c)(d)
 10. (a)(b)(c)(d) 11. (a)(b)(c)(d) 12. (a)(b)(c)(d) 13. (a)(b)(c)(d) 14. (a)(b)(c)(d)

15. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -\tan \frac{\alpha}{2} \\ \tan \frac{\alpha}{2} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ and I is the identity matrix of order

2, then $(I - A) \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha & -\sin \alpha \\ \sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{bmatrix}$ is equal to

- (a) $I + A$ (b) $I - A$ (c) $A - I$ (d) A

16. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 8 & 5 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \\ 9 & 7 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ is the sum of a symmetric matrix B and

skew-symmetric matrix C , then B is

(a) $\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 6 & 7 \\ 6 & 2 & 5 \\ 7 & 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ (b) $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & -2 \\ -2 & 5 & -2 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

(c) $\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 6 & 7 \\ -6 & 2 & -5 \\ -7 & 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ (d) $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 6 & -2 \\ 2 & 0 & -2 \\ -2 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

17. If A is a square matrix such that $A^2 = I$, then

$(A - I)^3 + (A + I)^3 - 7A$ is equal to

- (a) A (b) $I - A$ (c) $I + A$ (d) $3A$

18. If B is an idempotent matrix, and $A = I - B$, then

- (a) $A^2 = A$ (b) $A^2 = I$
(c) $AB = I$ (d) $BA = I$

19. Let $F(\alpha) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha & -\sin \alpha & 0 \\ \sin \alpha & \cos \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ then $F(\alpha) \cdot F(\beta)$ is equal to

- (a) $F(\alpha\beta)$ (b) $F\left(\frac{\alpha}{\beta}\right)$
(c) $F(\alpha + \beta)$ (d) $F(\alpha - \beta)$

20. For each real number x such that $-1 < x < 1$, let $A(x)$ be the

matrix $(1 - x)^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -x \\ -x & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $z = \frac{x + y}{1 + xy}$. Then

- (a) $A(z) = A(x) + A(y)$ (b) $A(z) = A(x)[A(y)]^{-1}$
(c) $A(z) = A(x)A(y)$ (d) $A(z) = A(x) - A(y)$

21. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, then A^{16} is equal to :

(a) $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ (b) $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

(c) $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ (d) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

22. If $\begin{bmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \gamma & -\alpha \end{bmatrix}$ is square root of identity matrix of order 2 then –

- (a) $1 + \alpha^2 + \beta\gamma = 0$ (b) $1 + \alpha^2 - \beta\gamma = 0$
(c) $1 - \alpha^2 + \beta\gamma = 0$ (d) $\alpha^2 + \beta\gamma = 1$

23. If A and B are matrices of same order, then $(AB' - BA')$ is a

- (a) skew symmetric matrix (b) null matrix
(c) symmetric matrix (d) unit matrix

24. If $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} A \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 2 \\ 5 & -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, then the matrix A equals

(a) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ (b) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

(c) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ (d) $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

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15. (a) (b) (c) (d)
20. (a) (b) (c) (d)

16. (a) (b) (c) (d)
21. (a) (b) (c) (d)

17. (a) (b) (c) (d)
22. (a) (b) (c) (d)

18. (a) (b) (c) (d)
23. (a) (b) (c) (d)

19. (a) (b) (c) (d)
24. (a) (b) (c) (d)

25. If A is symmetric as well as skew-symmetric matrix, then A is

- (a) Diagonal (b) Null
(c) Triangular (d) None of these

26. If $AB = A$ and $BA = B$, then B^2 is equal to

- (a) B (b) A
(c) 1 (d) O

27. If A and B are two square matrices such that $B = -A^{-1}BA$, then $(A+B)^2 =$

- (a) O (b) $A^2 + B^2$
(c) $A^2 + 2AB + B^2$ (d) $A+B$

28. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a \end{bmatrix}$, then A^n is equal to

- (a) $\begin{bmatrix} a^n & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a^n & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a \end{bmatrix}$ (b) $\begin{bmatrix} a^n & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a \end{bmatrix}$

(c) $\begin{bmatrix} a^n & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a^n & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a^n \end{bmatrix}$

(d) $\begin{bmatrix} na & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & na & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & na \end{bmatrix}$

29. If $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -7 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 7 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ then which statement is true ?

- (a) $AA^T = I$ (b) $BB^T = I$
(c) $AB \neq BA$ (d) $(AB)^T = I$

30. If A is any square matrix, then which of the following is skew-symmetric?

- (a) $A + A^T$ (b) $A - A^T$ (c) AA^T (d) $A^T A - A$

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25. (a)(b)(c)(d)
30. (a)(b)(c)(d)

26. (a)(b)(c)(d)

27. (a)(b)(c)(d)

28. (a)(b)(c)(d)

29. (a)(b)(c)(d)

DAILY PRACTICE PROBLEM DPP CHAPTERWISE 18 - MATHEMATICS

Total Questions	30	Total Marks	120
Attempted		Correct	
Incorrect		Net Score	
Cut-off Score	40	Qualifying Score	55
Success Gap = Net Score – Qualifying Score			
Net Score = (Correct $\times$ 4) – (Incorrect $\times$ 1)			

1. (a) $\therefore B^n - A = I$
 $\therefore B^n = I + A$

$$B^n = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 26 & 26 & 18 \\ 25 & 37 & 17 \\ 52 & 39 & 50 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B^n = \begin{bmatrix} 27 & 26 & 18 \\ 25 & 38 & 17 \\ 52 & 39 & 51 \end{bmatrix}$$

or $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 & 1 \\ 7 & 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix}^n = \begin{bmatrix} 27 & 26 & 18 \\ 25 & 38 & 17 \\ 52 & 39 & 51 \end{bmatrix}$ (i)

$\therefore n \neq 1$
 Now put $n = 2$, then

$$B^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 & 1 \\ 7 & 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix}^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 & 1 \\ 7 & 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 & 1 \\ 7 & 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1+12+14 & 4+20+2 & 2+4+12 \\ 3+15+7 & 12+25+1 & 6+5+6 \\ 7+3+42 & 28+5+6 & 14+1+36 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 27 & 26 & 18 \\ 25 & 38 & 17 \\ 52 & 39 & 51 \end{bmatrix}$$

Which is equal to R.H.S. of eq. (i).

$\therefore n = 2$

2. (b) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = 2A$$

$$A^3 = 2^2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, A^4 = 2^3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^3 = 2^2 A, A^4 = 2^3 A$$

$$\therefore A^n = 2^{n-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow A^{100} = 2^{100-1} A$$

$$\therefore A^{100} = 2^{99} A$$

3. (c) We have, $A = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$

$$\therefore A^T = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$$

Now, $A^T + A = I_2$ (given)

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 \cos \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \cos \theta = 1 \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = 2n\pi + \frac{\pi}{3}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

4. (b) $(aI + bA)^2 = a^2 I^2 + b^2 A^2 + 2ab AI$
 $= a^2 I^2 + b^2 A^2 + 2ab A$

But $A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \therefore (aI + bA)^2 = a^2 I + 2ab A.$

5. (b) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$, then $A' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\therefore AA' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 5 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

6. (b) Hence $f(\alpha)f(\beta) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha \\ -\sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \beta & \sin \beta \\ -\sin \beta & \cos \beta \end{bmatrix}$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha \cos \beta - \sin \alpha \sin \beta & \cos \alpha \sin \beta + \sin \alpha \cos \beta \\ -\sin \alpha \cos \beta - \cos \alpha \sin \beta & -\sin \alpha \sin \beta + \cos \alpha \cos \beta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\alpha + \beta) & \sin(\alpha + \beta) \\ -\sin(\alpha + \beta) & \cos(\alpha + \beta) \end{bmatrix}$$

similarly $f(\alpha)f(\beta)f(\gamma) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) & \sin(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) \\ -\sin(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) & \cos(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) \end{bmatrix}$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \cos \pi & \sin \pi \\ -\sin \pi & \cos \pi \end{bmatrix} \text{ as } \alpha + \beta + \gamma = \pi$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = -\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = -I_2$$

7. (b) We have a theorem that if a square matrix A satisfies the equation

$$a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots + a_nx^n = 0,$$

where $a_0 \neq 0$ then A is invertible.

Since A, B and C are $n \times n$ matrices and A satisfies the equation $x^3 + 2x^2 + 3x + 5 = 0$ as

$$A^3 + 2A^2 + 3A + 5I = 0, \text{ therefore, A is invertible.}$$

8. (a) $A_\alpha \cdot A_{(-\alpha)} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha & -\sin \alpha \\ \sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha \\ -\sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{bmatrix}$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \cos^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \alpha & \sin \alpha \cos \alpha - \sin \alpha \cos \alpha \\ \sin \alpha \cos \alpha - \sin \alpha \cos \alpha & \cos^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \alpha \end{bmatrix}$$

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

9. (a) $(A - 2I)(A + I) = 0$
 $\Rightarrow AA - A - 2I = 0 \quad (\because AI = A)$
 $\Rightarrow A\left(\frac{A - I}{2}\right) = I \quad \therefore \frac{A - I}{2} = A^{-1}$

10. (c) $\because P^3 = P(I - P)$
 $= PI - P^2 = PI - (I - P)$
 $= P - I + P = 2P - I$
 Now, $P^4 = P \cdot P^3$
 $\Rightarrow P^4 = P(2P - I)$
 $\Rightarrow P^4 = 2P^2 - P$
 $\Rightarrow P^4 = 2I - 2P - P$
 $\Rightarrow P^4 = 2I - 3P$
 and $P^5 = P(2I - 3P)$
 $\Rightarrow P^5 = 2P - 3(I - P)$
 $\Rightarrow P^5 = 5P - 3I$

Also, $P^6 = P(5P - 3I)$
 $\Rightarrow P^6 = 5P^2 - 3P$
 $\Rightarrow P^6 = 5(I - P) - 3P$
 $\Rightarrow P^6 = 5I - 8P$
 So, $n = 6$

11. (a) Given $Q = PAP^T$
 $\Rightarrow P^TQ = AP^T, (\because PP^T = I)$
 $\Rightarrow P^TQ^{2005}P = AP^TQ^{2004}P = AP^TQ^{2003}PA$
 $(\because Q = PAP^T \Rightarrow QP = PA)$
 $= AP^TQ^{2002}PA^2 = AP^TQA^{2004}$
 $= AIA^{2004} = A^{2005} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{2005} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2005 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

12. (a) $A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ a & b & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ a & b & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$A^2 = A^4 = A^6 = I_3 \Rightarrow A^2 + 2A^4 + 4A^6$$

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

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix} = 7I_3 = 7A^8$$

13. (d) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & b \end{bmatrix}$

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} a & 2b \\ 3a & 4b \end{bmatrix}$$

$$BA = \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & 2a \\ 3b & 4b \end{bmatrix}$$

Hence, $AB = BA$ only when $a = b$

$\therefore$ There can be infinitely many B's for which $AB = BA$

14. (b) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \omega & \omega^2 \\ \omega & \omega^2 & 1 \\ \omega^2 & 1 & \omega \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} k & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} k + \omega + \omega^2 & 1 + \omega + \omega^2 & 1 + \omega + \omega^2 \\ k\omega + \omega^2 + 1 & \omega + \omega^2 + 1 & \omega + \omega^2 + 1 \\ k\omega^2 + 1 + \omega & \omega^2 + 1 + \omega & \omega^2 + 1 + \omega \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 + \omega + \omega^2 + k - 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 + \omega + \omega^2 + k\omega - \omega & 0 & 0 \\ 1 + \omega + \omega^2 + k\omega^2 - \omega^2 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} k - 1 & 0 & 0 \\ (k - 1)\omega & 0 & 0 \\ (k - 1)\omega^2 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Which gives $k - 1 = 0$ or $k = 1$

15. (a) Here, $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -t \\ t & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, where $t = \tan\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right)$

$$\text{Now, } \cos \alpha = \frac{1 - \tan^2\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right)}{1 + \tan^2\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right)} = \frac{1 - t^2}{1 + t^2}$$

$$\text{and } \sin \alpha = \frac{2 \tan\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right)}{1 + \tan^2\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}\right)} = \frac{2t}{1 + t^2}$$

$$= (I - A) \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha & -\sin \alpha \\ \sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -t \\ t & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2} & \frac{-2t}{1+t^2} \\ \frac{2t}{1+t^2} & \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & t \\ -t & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2} & \frac{-2t}{1+t^2} \\ \frac{2t}{1+t^2} & \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2} \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1+t^2}{1+t^2} & \frac{-2t+t-t^3}{1+t^2} \\ \frac{-t+t^3+2t}{1+t^2} & \frac{2t^2+1-t^2}{1+t^2} \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$\text{Also, } I + A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -t \\ t & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -t \\ t & 1 \end{bmatrix} = (I - A) \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha & -\sin \alpha \\ \sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{bmatrix}$$

16. (a) If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 8 & 5 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \\ 9 & 7 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ is the sum of a symmetric matrix B

and skew symmetric matrix C,

$$\text{Transpose of } A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 4 & 9 \\ 8 & 2 & 7 \\ 5 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{So that } B = \frac{1}{2} \left[\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 8 & 5 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \\ 9 & 7 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 4 & 9 \\ 8 & 2 & 7 \\ 5 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right]$$

$$B = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 12 & 12 & 14 \\ 12 & 4 & 10 \\ 14 & 10 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore B = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 6 & 7 \\ 6 & 2 & 5 \\ 7 & 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

17. (a) $A^2 = I$

$$\text{Now, } (A - I)^3 + (A + I)^3 - 7A$$

$$= A^3 - I^3 - 3A^2I + 3AI^2 + A^3 + I^3 + 3A^2I + 3AI^2 - 7A$$

$$= 2A^3 + 6AI^2 - 7A = 2A^2A + 6AI - 7A$$

$$= 2IA + 6A - 7A = 2A + 6A - 7A = A \quad [\because A^2 = I]$$

18. (a) Since B is an idempotent matrix, $\therefore B^2 = B$.

$$\text{Now, } A^2 = (I - B)^2 = (I - B)(I - B)$$

$$= I - IB - BI + B^2 = I - B - B + B^2 = I - 2B + B^2$$

$$= I - 2B + B = I - B = A$$

$\therefore A$ is idempotent.

19. (c) $F(\alpha) \cdot F(\beta) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha & -\sin \alpha & 0 \\ \sin \alpha & \cos \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \beta & -\sin \beta & 0 \\ \sin \beta & \cos \beta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$F(\alpha) \cdot F(\beta) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\alpha + \beta) & -\sin(\alpha + \beta) & 0 \\ \sin(\alpha + \beta) & \cos(\alpha + \beta) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = F(\alpha + \beta)$$

20. (c) $A(z) = A\left(\frac{x+y}{1+xy}\right) = \left[\frac{1+xy}{(1-x)(1-y)}\right]$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\left(\frac{x+y}{1+xy}\right) \\ -\left(\frac{x+y}{1+xy}\right) & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A(x) \cdot A(y) = A(z).$$

21. (d) We have $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\text{Now, } A^2 = A \cdot A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

where $I = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ is identity matrix

$$(A^2)^8 = (-I)^8 = I$$

$$\text{Hence, } A^{16} = I$$

$$22. \text{ (d)} \quad \begin{bmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \gamma & -\alpha \end{bmatrix} = \sqrt{I_2} ; \begin{bmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \gamma & -\alpha \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \gamma & -\alpha \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha^2 + \beta\gamma = 1$$

$$23. \text{ (a)} \quad (AB' - BA')' = (AB')' - (BA')'$$

$$= (B')' A' - (A')' B' = BA' - AB' = -(AB' - BA')$$

Hence, $(AB' - BA')$ is a skew-symmetric matrix.

$$24. \text{ (a)} \quad \text{Let } B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } C = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 2 \\ 5 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Given } BAC = I \Rightarrow B^{-1}(BAC) = B^{-1}I$$

$$\Rightarrow I(AC) = B^{-1} \Rightarrow AC = B^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow ACC^{-1} = B^{-1}C^{-1} \Rightarrow AI = B^{-1}C^{-1} \therefore A = (B^{-1})(C^{-1})$$

$$\text{Now } B^{-1} = \frac{1}{4-3} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C^{-1} = \frac{1}{9-10} \begin{bmatrix} -3 & -2 \\ -5 & -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 5 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore (B^{-1})(C^{-1}) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 5 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

25. (b) Let $A = [a_{ij}]_{n \times m}$. Since A is skew-symmetric $a_{ii} = 0$
 $(i = 1, 2, \dots, n)$ and $a_{ji} = -a_{ij} (i \neq j)$
 Also, A is symmetric so $a_{ji} = a_{ij} \forall i$ and j
 $\therefore a_{ji} = 0 \forall i \neq j$
 Hence $a_{ij} = 0 \forall i$ and $j \Rightarrow A$ is a null zero matrix

$$26. \text{ (a)} \quad \text{Since } BA = B, \therefore (BA)B = BB = B^2$$

$$\Rightarrow B(AB) = B^2 \Rightarrow BA = B^2 \quad (\because AB = A)$$

$$\Rightarrow B = B^2 \quad (\because BA = B)$$

$$27. \text{ (b)} \quad B = -A^{-1}BA \Rightarrow AB = -BA \Rightarrow AB + BA = 0$$

$$\therefore (A+B)^2 = A^2 + AB + BA + B^2 = A^2 + B^2$$

$$28. \text{ (c)} \quad A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^3 = \begin{bmatrix} a^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a^3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a^3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a^3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$29. \text{ (d)} \quad \text{Here } AA^T = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -7 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -7 \\ -1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \neq \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(BB^T)_{11} = (d)^2 + (a)^2 \neq 1$$

$$(AB)_{11} = 8 - 7 = 1, (BA)_{11} = 8 - 7 = 1$$

$\therefore AB \neq BA$ may be not true

$$\text{Now } AB = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -7 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 7 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 8-7 & 2-2 \\ -28+28 & -7+8 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}; (AB)^T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = I$$

$$30. \text{ (b)} \quad (A - A^T)^T = A^T - (A^T)^T = A^T - A = -(A - A^T)$$

Hence, $(A - A^T)$ is skew-symmetric.