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END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

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**TIME: 2 HOURS**

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**Instructions to Candidates**

You should have the following for this examination

-Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID

This paper consists of **FIVE** questions.

Attempt question ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO questions.

**Do not write on the question paper.**

### Question ONE (COMPULSORY)

- (a) Calculate the product  $[A][B][C]$  by
- finding  $[T] = [A][B]$  and then  $[T][C]$ , and
  - finding  $[T] = [B][C]$  and then  $[A][T]$  where:

$$[A] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}, \quad [B] = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 5 \\ 4 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad [C] = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 \\ -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Calculate  $[A][B]$  of the two matrices given above and then take the transpose of product matrix. Is it equal to the product of  $[B]^T[A]^T$ ? (18 marks)

- (b) Prove that the triangle formed by the points  $(-3; 5; 6)$ ;  $(-2; 7; 9)$  and  $(2; 1; 7)$  is a  $30^\circ$ ;  $60^\circ$ ;  $90^\circ$  triangle. (12 marks)

### Question TWO

- (a) Define the following terms as used in matrices:
- Null Matrix
  - Transpose Matrix
  - Identity matrix
  - Singular matrix

(4 marks)

- (b) For the system of equations

$$x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 = 14$$

$$x_1 + 3x_2 + 4x_3 = 19$$

$$x_1 + 4x_2 + 3x_3 = 18$$

compute the unknowns  $x_1$ ,  $x_2$  and  $x_3$  using the inverse matrix method. (16 marks)

### Question THREE

- (a) Use Cramer's rule to solve the equations:

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

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

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

(12 marks)

- (b) If  $p = 2i + j - k$  and  $q = i - 3j + 2k$  determine:

(i)  $p \cdot q$

(ii)  $p + q$

(iii)  $|p + q|$

(iv)  $|p| + |q|$

(8 marks)

#### Question FOUR

(a) If  $\mathbf{p} = 4\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}$ ,  $\mathbf{q} = 3\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$  and  $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{k}$  find

i).  $(\mathbf{p} - 2\mathbf{q}) \times \mathbf{r}$

ii).  $\mathbf{p} \times (2\mathbf{r} \times 3\mathbf{q})$

(12 marks)

(b) Find the direction cosines of  $3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k}$  hence show that  $\cos^2\alpha + \cos^2\beta + \cos^2\gamma = 1$

(8 marks)

#### Question FIVE

(a) Evaluate, in polar form  $2\angle 30^\circ + 5\angle -45^\circ - 4\angle 120^\circ$

(8 marks)

(b) Given  $Z_1 = 2 + j4$  and  $Z_2 = 3 - j$  determine

i).  $Z_1 + Z_2$ ,

ii).  $Z_1 - Z_2$ ,

iii).  $Z_2 - Z_1$  and show the results on an Argand diagram

(12 marks)