

注意事項：

- (1) 本試題共分 PART I (Linear Algebra), PART II (Probability) 及 PART III (Numerical Analysis) 三部分。每部分 50 分。
- (2) 請選兩部分作答 (請將題號標示清楚)。

PART I (Linear Algebra)

(I). Let $V = \mathbb{R}^2$ and define $f_1, f_2 \in V^*$, the dual space of V , by $f_1(x, y) = x - 2y$ and $f_2(x, y) = x + y$

- (i) Prove that $\{f_1, f_2\}$ is a basis for V^* . (4%)
- (ii) Find a basis for V for which it is the dual. (8%)

(II). Given $A = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -2 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$.

- (i) Find all the eigenvalues of A . (6%)
- (ii) Determine all the eigenspaces corresponding to the eigenvalues in (i). (6%)
- (iii) Find a matrix Q such that $Q^t A Q$ is a diagonal matrix (Q^t is the transpose of Q). (10%)
- (iv) compute A^{20} . (6%)

(III) Let V be the vector space of functions that are linear combinations of e^x, xe^x, x^2e^x and e^{2x} . Define $T: V \rightarrow V$ via $T(f) = \frac{d}{dx}(f)$. Find a Jordan canonical form for T . (10%)

Part I (Probability Theory)

1. Let X_1, X_2 be independent random variables with Poisson distribution $P(\lambda_1)$ and $P(\lambda_2)$.

(a) Show that $X_1 + X_2$ has the Poisson distribution $P(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2)$. (7%)

(b) Find the conditional probability $P(X_1 = k | X_1 + X_2 = n)$. (7%)

2. Let the random variable θ be distributed uniformly $U(-\pi/2, \pi/2)$ with p.d.f.

$$f(\theta) = \begin{cases} 1/\pi & -\pi/2 \leq \theta \leq \pi/2, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

(a) Find the p.d.f. of the variable $Y = 3\cos\theta$. (6%)

(b) Find $E(Y) = ?$ (6%)

3. Let X, Y be two random variables and let Φ_X denote the characteristic function of random variable X .

(a) Prove or disprove: If $E(XY) = E(X) \cdot E(Y)$ then X, Y are independent. (please give the reason) (6%)

(b) Prove or disprove: If $\Phi_{X+Y}(t) = \Phi_X(t) \cdot \Phi_Y(t)$, for every t , then X, Y are independent. (please give the reason) (6%)

4. If X_1, \dots, X_n, \dots are i.i.d random variables with $P(X_i = 0) = 1/6$, $P(X_i = 1) = 2/6$, $P(X_i = 2) = 3/6$, let $S_n = X_1 + \dots + X_n$, for $n \geq 1$, $S_0 = 0$; and let $N(t) =$ number of positive integer n for which $S_n \leq t$ (i.e. $N(t) = n$ iff $S_n \leq t$ and $S_{n+1} > t$).

(a) Find the probability $P(N(1) = 4) = ?$ (6%)

(b) Find the expectation $E(N(1)) = ?$ (6%)

PART III (Numerical Analysis) (50%)

(A) In the iterative methods to solve the problem $Ax = b$, $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$, we split

$A = D - C$ for Jacobi process:

$$x_i^{(k+1)} = \frac{-\sum_{j \neq i} a_{ij} x_j^{(k)} + b_i}{a_{ii}}, \quad 1 \leq i \leq n, \quad k = 0, 1, 2, \dots,$$

and split $A = D(L + U)$ for Gauss-Seidel process:

$$x_i^{(k+1)} = \frac{-\sum_{j=1}^{i-1} a_{ij} x_j^{(k+1)} - \sum_{j=i+1}^n a_{ij} x_j^{(k)} + b_i}{a_{ii}}.$$

Let $x^{(0)}$ be arbitrary and let $x^{(k+1)} = Bx^{(k)} + R$, $B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$. Let v be a norm on \mathbb{R}^n and let $\|B\|_v = \max_{v(x)=1} v(Bx)$.

(1) If λ is the eigenvalue of B , then $|\lambda| \leq \|B\|_v$. (5%)

(2) If $\|B\|_v < 1$, then $\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} x^{(k)} = x$. (10%)

(3) Find B in Jacobi iteration and in Gauss-Seidel iteration. (5%)

(4) Discuss the convergence of the Jacobi and Gauss-Seidel process for the solution of $Ax = b$ when $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 \\ -2 & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and when $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$. (10%)

(B)

(1) Use three steps of the second order Taylor series method with $h = 0.5$

to compute an approximation to the solution $y(x)$ at $x = 2.5$ for the

differential equation $y'(x) = y^2 + 2x$, $y(1) = 1$ (20%)