

1. A square matrix A is said to be singular , if  $|A| = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$   
 a) 0      b) 1      c) 2      d) none of these
2.  $A^{-1} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$   
 a) 0      b)  $\frac{1}{|A|}$       c)  $\frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj } A$       d) adj A
3.  $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$  is a number associated to a square matrix.  
 a) element      b) determinant  
 c) unit matrix      d) singular matrix
4. B is the  $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$  matrix in Hawkins - Simon conditions.  
 a) square      b) technology  
 c) singular      d) non singular
5. If  $\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 5 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 2x & 4 \\ 6 & x \end{vmatrix}$  then the value of x is  
 a)  $\pm 3$       b)  $\pm 6$       c)  $\pm\sqrt{3}$       d) -3
6. The transpose of a column matrix is  
 a) zero matrix      b) diagonal matrix  
 c) column matrix      d) row matrix
7. If A is a symmetric matrix then  $A^T = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$   
 a) A      b)  $|A|$       c) 0      d) diagonal matrix
8. The transpose of a rectangular matrix is a  $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$   
 a) rectangular matrix      b) diagonal matrix  
 c) square matrix      d) scalar matrix
9. If  $|A| = 0$ , then A is  $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$   
 a) zero matrix      b) singular matrix  
 c) non - singular matrix      d) 0
10. Expand the determinant  $\begin{vmatrix} x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & x & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & x \end{vmatrix}$   
 a) x      b)  $x^2$       c)  $\underline{x^3}$       d) 0
11. Evaluate  $\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ -5 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$   
 a) 10      b)  $\frac{18}{5}$       c) 20      d) 10
12. Evaluate  $\begin{vmatrix} x & a & x+a \\ y & b & y+b \\ z & c & z+c \end{vmatrix}$   
 a) x      b) a+b      c) y+b      d) 0
13. If two rows or columns are proportional then  $\Delta = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$   
 a) 0      b) 1      c) -1      d) none of these

14. If A is any square matrix of order n, then  $A(\text{Adj } A) = (\text{Adj } A) A = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$   
 a)  $|A|$       b)  $I_n$       c)  $|A|I_n$       d)  $A(I_n)$
15. The inverse of the matrix A =  $\begin{pmatrix} 4 & 5 \\ 2 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$   
 a)  $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{22} & \frac{5}{22} \\ \frac{1}{11} & \frac{-2}{11} \end{pmatrix}$       b)  $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ -1 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$       c)  $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{22} & \frac{5}{22} \\ \frac{1}{11} & \frac{2}{11} \end{pmatrix}$       d)  $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{22} & \frac{5}{22} \\ \frac{1}{11} & \frac{-2}{11} \end{pmatrix}$
16. Matrix inversion method has a solution only when  $\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$   
 a)  $|A| = 0$       b)  $|A| \neq 0$       c)  $\text{adj } A = 0$       d) none of these
17. The formula for matrix inversion method is  
 a)  $X = \frac{1}{|A|}$       b)  $X = \text{Adj } A$       c)  $X = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj } A$       d)  $X = A^{-1}B$
18. The inverse of  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  is  
 a)  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{3} \\ -\frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \end{pmatrix}$       b)  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -\frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \end{pmatrix}$       c)  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$       d)  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -\frac{1}{3} & \frac{-2}{3} \end{pmatrix}$
19. The cofactor of  $a_{ij}$  is defined as  $C_{ij} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$   
 a)  $(1)^{i+j} M_{ij}$       b)  $(-1)^{i+j} M_{ij}$       c)  $(1)^{i+j}$       d)  $(1)^{ij} M_{ij}$
20. Hawkins Simon conditions are satisfied if  $|I - B|$  is  
 a) 0      b) positive      c) negative      d) none of these
21. The number of Hawkins - Simon conditions for the viability of an input output method is  
 a) 1      b) 3      c) 4      d) 2
22. If  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0.8 & 0.6 \\ -0.6 & 0.8 \end{pmatrix}$  then  $A^{-1}$  is  
 a)  $\begin{pmatrix} -0.8 & 0.6 \\ -0.6 & 0.8 \end{pmatrix}$       b)  $\begin{pmatrix} 0.8 & -0.6 \\ 0.6 & 0.8 \end{pmatrix}$   
 c)  $\begin{pmatrix} 0.8 & 0.6 \\ 0.6 & 0.8 \end{pmatrix}$       d)  $\begin{pmatrix} 0.2 & 0.4 \\ -0.4 & 0.2 \end{pmatrix}$
23. If A is a square matrix of order 3 then  $|\text{Adj } A|$  is  
 a)  $|A|^2$       b)  $|A|$       c)  $|A|^3$       d)  $|A|^4$
24. The adjoint of  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  is  
 a)  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$       b)  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ -2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$       c)  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$       d)  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$
25. If  $AB = BA = |A|I$  then the matrix B is  
 a) the inverse of A      b) the transpose of A  
 c) the adjoint of A      d)  $2A$
26. If  $|A| = 0$ , then  $|\text{Adj } A|$  is  
 a) 0      b) 1      c) -1      d)  $\pm 1$

27. I is the \_\_\_\_\_ matrix

- a) scalar
- b) null
- c) diagonal
- d) unit

28. A square matrix A is said to be non - singular if \_\_\_\_\_

- a)  $|A|=0$
- b)  $|A| \neq 0$
- c)  $A^{-1} = 0$
- d)  $A^{-1} \neq 0$

29. The cofactor is a signed \_\_\_\_\_

- a) matrix
- b) determinant
- c) minor
- d) element

30.  $(AB)^{-1} =$  \_\_\_\_\_

- a)  $A^{-1}B^{-1}$
- b) AB
- c)  $B^{-1} A^{-1}$
- d) BA

31. The inverse of  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  is

- a)  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$
- b)  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 \end{pmatrix}$
- c)  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{-1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$
- d)  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

32. Evaluate  $\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 7 & 65 \\ 3 & 8 & 75 \\ 5 & 9 & 86 \end{vmatrix}$

- a) 0
- b) -1
- c) 1
- d) 2

33. Minors of the elements of  $\begin{vmatrix} 5 & 3 \\ -6 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$

- a) 2, 6, 3, 5
- b) 2, 6, -3, 5
- c) 2, -6, 3, 5
- d) 28

34. The inverse of A is denoted by

- a)  $A^{-1}$
- b) adjoint A
- c)  $|A|$
- d) none of these

35. Hawkins - Simon conditions ensure the \_\_\_\_\_ of the system.

- a) technology matrix
- b) viability
- c) non - viability
- d) solution

36.  $|\text{adj } A| =$  \_\_\_\_\_

- a)  $|A|$
- b)  $|A|^{n-1}$
- c)  $|A|^n$
- d)  $A^2$

37.  $(\text{adj } B)(\text{adj } A) =$  \_\_\_\_\_

- a) adj BA
- b) adj AB
- c) adj B+adj A
- d) adj A+adj B

38. Find x if  $\begin{vmatrix} x & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 5 & x \\ -1 & 2 & x \end{vmatrix} = 0$

- a) x=3 or 1
- b) x=-3 or -1
- c) x=3 or -1
- d) x=3 or 1

39. Evaluate  $\begin{vmatrix} 10041 & 10042 & 10043 \\ 10045 & 10046 & 10047 \\ 10049 & 10050 & 10051 \end{vmatrix}$  is

- a) 10045
- b) 10069
- c) 100045
- d) 0

40. If  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$  then  $A^{-1}$

- a)  $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{5} & \frac{1}{5} \\ -\frac{2}{5} & \frac{1}{5} \end{pmatrix}$
- b)  $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{5} & -\frac{1}{5} \\ \frac{2}{5} & \frac{1}{5} \end{pmatrix}$
- c)  $\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{5} & \frac{3}{5} \\ \frac{2}{5} & \frac{1}{5} \end{pmatrix}$
- d)  $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{5} & -\frac{1}{5} \\ \frac{2}{5} & -\frac{1}{5} \end{pmatrix}$

41. If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  then  $|2A|$  is

- a) -24
- b) 24
- c) -4
- d) 4

42. If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  then  $8|A|$  is

- a) 48
- b) -48
- c) -24
- d) 0

43. Using matrix method find x and y for  $2x+5y=1$  and  $3x+2y=7$

- a) x=3, 1
- b) x=1, -3
- c) x=3 and y=-1
- d) no solution

44. If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$  then  $|AB|$  is

- a) -30
- b) 30
- c) 26
- d) -26

45. If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix}$  then its  $|A| =$  \_\_\_\_\_

- a)  $\frac{a_{11}a_{22}-a_{21}a_{12}}{a_{11}a_{21}-a_{22}a_{12}}$
- b)  $a_{12}a_{22}-a_{21}a_{12}$
- c)  $a_{11}a_{21}-a_{22}a_{12}$
- d)  $a_{11}a_{22} + a_{21}a_{12}$

46. If any two rows (columns) of a determinant are proportional then the value of the determinant is \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) 3
- b) 0
- c) K
- d) 1

47. The adjoint of a square matrix A is defined as \_\_\_\_\_.

- a)  $A_{ij}=(\text{Adj } A)^T$
- b)  $\text{Adj}.A=A_{ij}$
- c)  $\text{Adj}.A=[A_{ij}]^T$
- d)  $A_{ij}=\text{Adj}.B$

48.  $\text{Adj } (KA)=$  \_\_\_\_\_, n is the order of matrix A.

- a)  $K^{n-1} \text{Adj}.A$
- b)  $K \text{ adj}.A$
- c)  $K^n \text{ adj}.A$
- d)  $K|A|$

49. The order of inverse of A will be the \_\_\_\_\_ as that of order of A.

- a) different
- b) unique
- c) same
- d) not equal

50. In the equation  $X=(I-B)^{-1}D$ , the matrix B is known as \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) Null Matrix
- b) Triangular Matrix
- c) Technology Matrix
- d) Identity Matrix

51. Hawkins-Simon conditions is satisfied only if main diagonal elements in  $I-B$  is \_\_\_\_\_ and  $|I - B|$  is \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) Positive & Negative
- b) Negative & Negative
- c) Positive & Positive
- d) Negative & Positive

52.  $(I-B)^{-1}=$  \_\_\_\_\_

- a)  $\frac{1}{|I-B|} \text{adj}(I-B)$
- b)  $\frac{\text{adj } (B-I)}{|B-I|}$
- c)  $\frac{|B|}{|B-I|}$
- d)  $\text{adj } (I-B)$