

**PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE  
(AUTONOMOUS)**

**BSc DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2025  
(Second Semester)**

**Branch - BIOCHEMISTRY**

**MATHEMATICS**

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

**SECTION-A (10 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

(10 × 1 = 10)

Module No.	Question No.	Question	K Level	CO
1	1	If the eigen values of $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ x & y \end{bmatrix}$ are 4 and 8, then x & y = ____ a) 4, 10                      b) 5, 8                      c) -3, 9                      d) -4, 10	K1	CO1
	2	If Two eigen values of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -2 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ are 2 and 8, then the eigen values of $A^2$ is ____ a) 1, 4                      b) 2, 8                      c) 4, 64                      d) 4, 16	K1	CO1
2	3	If the sum of the roots of the equation $\lambda x^2 + 2x + 3\lambda = 0$ be equal to their product, then $\lambda =$ ____ a) 4                      b) -4                      c) 2/3                      d) -2/3	K1	CO2
	4	The transformed equation whose roots are negative of the roots of $x^3 - x^2 + x - 4 = 0$ is ____ a) $-x^3 + x^2 - x + 4 = 0$ b) $x^3 - x^2 - x - 4 = 0$ c) $-x^3 - x^2 - x - 4 = 0$ d) $x^3 + x^2 + x + 4 = 0$	K2	CO2
3	5	In Gauss Seidel method, the coefficient matrix is transformed into ____ matrix. a) triangular                      b) unit                      c) square                      d) diagonal	K2	CO3
	6	Which of the following is an assumption of Jacobi's method? a) The rate of convergence is quite slow compared with other methods b) The coefficient matrix has no zeros on its main diagonal c) Iteration involved in Jacobi's method converges d) The coefficient matrix has zeroes on its main diagonal	K1	CO3
4	7	The relationship between E and $\nabla$ is ____ a) $E = 1 - \nabla$ b) $E = 1 + \nabla$ c) $E = \nabla - 1$ d) $E = 1/\nabla$	K2	CO4
	8	The process of finding the values inside the interval $(x_0, x_n)$ is called ____ a) Interpolation b) Extrapolation c) Iterative d) Polynomial equation	K2	CO4
5	9	Let h be the finite difference, then the forward difference operator is defined by ____ a) $f(x) = f(x/h)$ b) $f(x) = f(x \cdot h)$ c) $f(x) = f(x-h) - f(x)$ d) $f(x) = f(x+h) - f(x)$	K1	CO5
	10	Trapezoidal and Simpson's rule can be used to evaluate ____ a) Multiple integrals b) Differentiation c) Double integrals d) Divided difference	K2	CO5

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