

Course Name: Matrix Algebra

Course Code: MATH106

General Information						
Course Code	MATH106	Level/Year	2/1	Required (R) / Selected Elective (SE)		R
Credit Hours	Theory	3	Lab	-	Total	3
Prerequisites	Nil	Course Coordinator		Dr. Elkhateeb Sabahi		
Corequisites	Nil					
Course Description						
<p>This course is designed to provide concept of matrix, types of matrices, basic algebraic operations on matrices, inverse of square matrix $A_{2 \times 2}$ and $A_{3 \times 3}$, Determinants and their properties and methods of calculation which will facilitate them for further studies.</p>						
Course Objectives: On completion of the course, the student will be able to:						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Perform matrix operations and apply fundamental algebraic techniques. • Solve systems of linear equations using appropriate methods such as Gaussian elimination and matrix inversion. • Explain the concepts of linear spaces and subspaces and illustrate these with relevant examples. 						
Course Contents						
List of Topics						
<p>1) Matrices and algebraic operations 2) Inverses Rules of Matrix Arithmetic 3) Elementary Matrices and a Method for Finding A-1 4) Diagonal, Triangular and Symmetric Matrices 5) Systems of Linear Equations 6) Determinants and Vector Space</p>						
Textbook						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Howard Anton and Chris Rorres, Elementary Linear Algebra, Wiley, 2019. 						
Reference Materials						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Barnett, Ziegler and Blenn –Precalculus, McGraw-Hill Education, 2010. • R.E.Larson, R.P. Hostetler -Algebra and Trigonometry, Cengage Learning, 2006 • R. Aufmann, V. Baker and R.Nation - College Algebra and Trigonometry, Cengage Learning, 2010 						
Course Learning Outcomes						

CLO#01	Distinguishing mathematical concepts relevant to Matrices and Matrix Operations, Definitions and its Properties, Types of Matrices, Operations on Matrices (Addition-Subtraction-Multiplication), Linear Combinations, Transpose and Trace.
CLO#02	Identify background science, features and structures of Mathematics problems in Inverses. Rules of Matrix Arithmetic, Properties of Matrix Operations, Inverse of 2 by 2 Matrix and its properties, Powers of a Matrix, Matrix polynomial.
CLO#03	Explain notations and concepts required for the solution of basic Elementary Matrices and a Method for Finding A-1:Elementary Matrices and Row Operations, Using Row Operations to Find A-1.
CLO#04	Apply theoretical, computational or practical aspect relevant to basic Diagonal, Triangular and Symmetric Matrices.
CLO#05	Compute numerical quantities for various parameters to approximate the solution in Linear Equations and Consistent and inconsistent linear systems.
CLO#06	Apply various mathematical rules, techniques and theorems in Application in Gaussian Elimination and Gauss–Jordan elimination, linear equations, A Basic Theorem, Elementary Row Operations.
CLO#07	Solve mathematical problem using critical thinking for Vector Space Axioms, examples and exercises.