

**MATRICES****TRANSPOSE OF A MATRIX****EXERCISE**

- Q.1** Verify that  $(AB)' = B'A'$  for  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = [1 \ 3 \ -6]$ .
- Q.2** If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ , find the transpose of the product  $(AB)^T$
- (A)  $\begin{bmatrix} 11 & -2 \\ 5 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$                       (B)  $\begin{bmatrix} 11 & 5 \\ -2 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$
- (C)  $\begin{bmatrix} 7 & 1 \\ 0 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$                       (D)  $\begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 1 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$
- Q.3** If A and B are matrices of order  $m \times n$  and  $n \times m$  respectively, what is the order of the matrix  $B^T (A^T)^T$ .
- (A)  $m \times n$               (B)  $m \times m$               (C)  $n \times n$               (D) Not defined
- Q.4** If A, B, C, are three matrices, what does  $A^T + B^T + C^T$  equal to?
- (A) zero matrix                      (B)  $A + B + C$
- (C)  $-(A + B + C)$                       (D)  $(A + B + C)^T$
- Q.5** If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , which statement is correct?
- (A)  $AB = BA$                       (B)  $AA^T = A^2$
- (C)  $AB = B^2$                       (D) None of these

**Q.6** If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$ , what is the value of  $AA^T$ .

(A)  $\begin{bmatrix} \cos 2\theta & -\sin 2\theta \\ \sin 2\theta & \cos 2\theta \end{bmatrix}$

(B)  $\begin{bmatrix} \cos^2 \theta & \sin^2 \theta \\ \sin^2 \theta & \cos^2 \theta \end{bmatrix}$

(C)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

(D)  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

**Q.7** If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ b & a \end{bmatrix}$ , what is the determinant of  $|A + A^T|$ .

(A)  $4(a^2 - b^2)$

(B)  $2(a^2 - b^2)$

(C)  $a^2 - b^2$

(D)  $4ab$

**Q.8** Identify the false statement for suitable matrices A, B.

(A)  $(AB)^T = A^T B^T$

(B)  $(A^T)^T = A$

(C)  $(A - B)^T = A^T - B^T$

(D)  $(A^T)^{-1} = (A^{-1})^T$

**Q.9** If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ , what is the transpose of the product  $(AB)^T$

(A)  $\begin{bmatrix} 16 & 22 \\ 23 & 31 \end{bmatrix}$

(B)  $\begin{bmatrix} 16 & 23 \\ 22 & 31 \end{bmatrix}$

(C)  $\begin{bmatrix} 22 & 31 \\ 16 & 30 \end{bmatrix}$

(D)  $\begin{bmatrix} 23 & 16 \\ 31 & 20 \end{bmatrix}$

**Q.10** If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & x \\ y & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $A = A^T$ , then -

(A)  $x = 0, y = 3$

(B)  $x + y = 3$

(C)  $x = y$

(D)  $x = -y$

Q.11 If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha \\ -\sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{bmatrix}$ , what is the result of  $AA'$

- (A) I                      (B) A                      (C)  $A'$                       (D) 0

Q.12 If A is a matrix of order  $3 \times 4$ , then both  $AB^T$  and  $B^T A$  are defined if order of B is -

- (A)  $3 \times 3$                       (B)  $4 \times 4$                       (C)  $4 \times 3$                       (D)  $3 \times 4$

### ANSWER KEY

2. (C)  
3. (D)  
4. (D)  
5. (D)  
6. (C)  
7. (A)  
8. (A)  
9. (A)  
10. (C)  
11. (A)  
12. (D)