

Ques Let $A = (a_{ij})$ be an $n \times n$ matrix of real numbers such that $\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} = 1$, for each i , Then $A - I$ is an invertible matrix. (T/F).

Also:

$$\left. \begin{aligned} a_{11} + a_{12} + \dots + a_{1n} &= 1 \\ a_{21} + a_{22} + \dots + a_{2n} &= 1 \\ \vdots \\ a_{n1} + a_{n2} + \dots + a_{nn} &= 1 \end{aligned} \right\} \textcircled{1}$$

Soln. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & a_{n3} & \dots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$

Consider $X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}_{n \times 1}$

Now consider matrix AX .

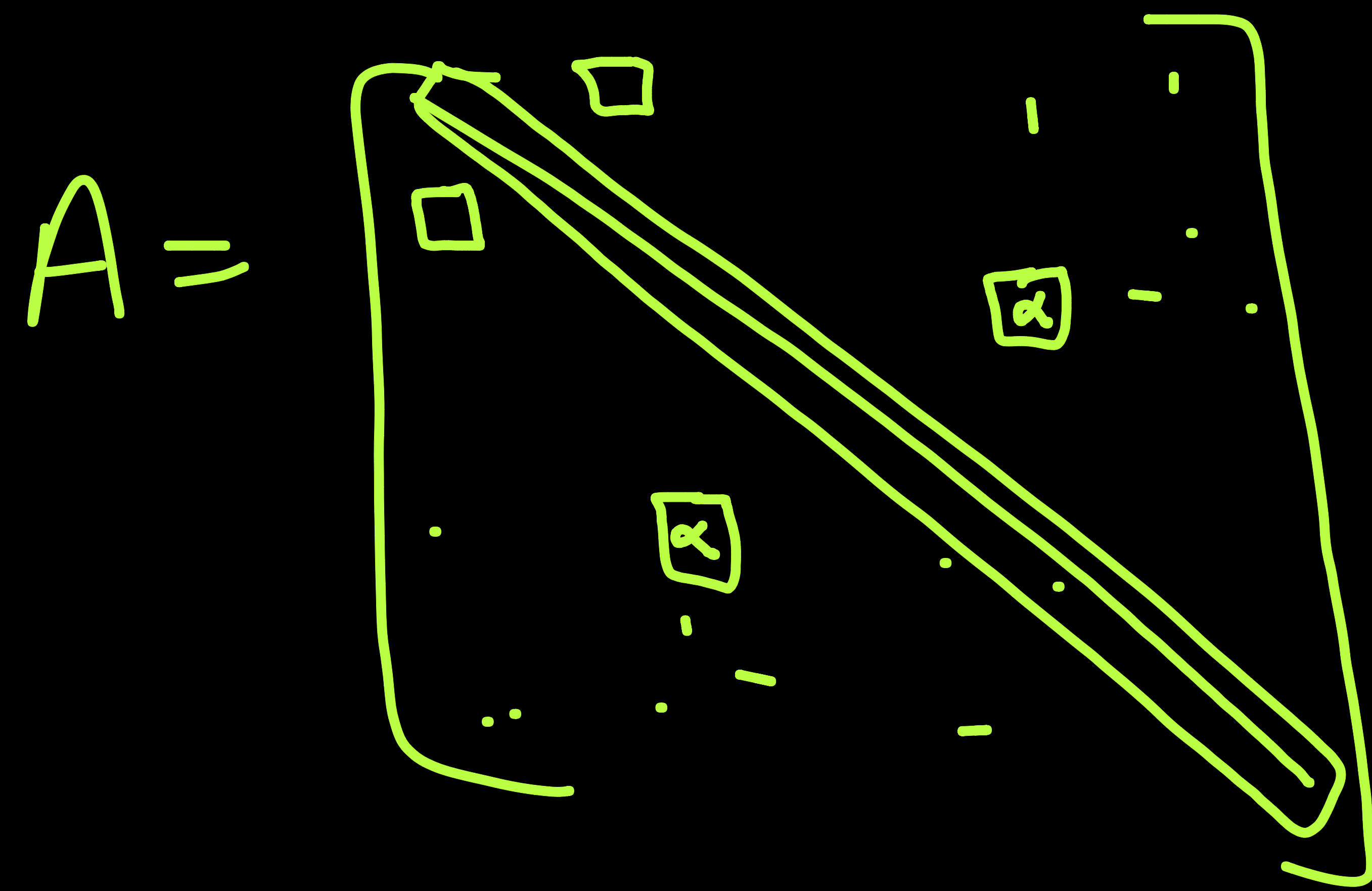
$$AX = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \dots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}_{n \times n} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}_{n \times 1} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} + a_{12} + \dots + a_{1n} \\ a_{21} + a_{22} + \dots + a_{2n} \\ a_{31} + a_{32} + \dots + a_{3n} \\ \vdots \\ a_{n1} + a_{n2} + \dots + a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}_{n \times 1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}_{n \times 1} \leftarrow \text{(from } \textcircled{1})$$

$$AX = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = X \Rightarrow AX = \underbrace{X}_{\leftarrow} \\ \Rightarrow AX - X = \mathbf{0} \\ \Rightarrow (A - I) \cdot X = \mathbf{0}$$

$\Rightarrow |A - I| = 0 \Rightarrow A - I$ is non-invertible
 (ii) The given statement is false.

Ques Let $A = (a_{ij})_{n \times n}$ is a symmetric matrix, where n is odd and each row of the matrix is a permutation of the integers $1, 2, 3, \dots, n$, then find possible range of $\text{tr}(A)$.

Soln. Symmetric matrix means $a_{ij} = a_{ji}$
 $= \alpha \left(\in \{1, 2, 3, \dots, n\} \right)$



Note that α is present in 1st row & in 2nd row
 & in 3rd row - - -
 $\Rightarrow$ In matrix A , element α is present exactly n -times.

Now if it is present at the position i^{th} row & j^{th} column then it will also be present at the position j^{th} row and i^{th} -column.
 (for $\forall i \neq j$)

So α will be present ^{in total} even times at non-diagonal positions $\Rightarrow$ It will be present odd times at diagonal position. (if n is odd) $\Rightarrow$ Now as it is true for all $\alpha \in \{1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}$

and there are total n -diagonal entries
 $\Rightarrow$ Each number out of $1, 2, 3, \dots, n$ must be present exactly at one of the diagonal position
 $\Rightarrow$ diagonal is also one of the permutation of $1, 2, 3, \dots, n$.

$$\Rightarrow \text{tr}(A) = \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

Ques Let A is a square matrix and let $\exists$ two distinct natural numbers m and n such that $A^m = I$ and $A^n \neq I$ then find possible value(s) of $|I + A + A^2 + \dots + A^{m-1}|$.

Soln Given $A^m = I$ (1) $A^n \neq I$
 $\Rightarrow I - A^m = O$ $\Rightarrow I - A^n \neq O$
 $\Rightarrow (I - A)(I + A + A^2 + \dots + A^{m-1}) = O$ $\Rightarrow (I - A)(I + A + A^2 + \dots + A^{n-1}) \neq O$

$\Rightarrow (I - A)(I + A + A^2 + \dots + A^{m-1}) = O$

$\Rightarrow \text{Det}(I + A + A^2 + \dots + A^{m-1}) = \boxed{0}$

Ans

$\Downarrow$
 $I - A \neq O$

NOTE

$A \cdot B = O$

& if $A \neq O$ then B must be singular.

Que Let A be a 2×3 matrix where B is a 3×2 matrix. If $|AB| = 4$ then find possible value(s) of $|BA|$.

Soln

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ a_4 & a_5 & a_6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 & b_2 \\ b_3 & b_4 \\ b_5 & b_6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|AB| = 4 = \left| \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ a_4 & a_5 & a_6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b_1 & b_2 \\ b_3 & b_4 \\ b_5 & b_6 \end{bmatrix} \right|$$

$2 \times 3 \quad 3 \times 2$

$$= \left| \begin{bmatrix} \text{---} & \text{---} \\ \text{---} & \text{---} \end{bmatrix} \right|$$

2×2

$$|AB| = |A| \cdot |B|$$

$$\text{Det}(BA) = \text{Det} \left(\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} b_1 & b_2 \\ b_3 & b_4 \\ b_5 & b_6 \end{bmatrix}}_{3 \times 2} \cdot \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ a_4 & a_5 & a_6 \end{bmatrix}}_{2 \times 3} \right)$$

$$= \text{Det} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 b_1 + b_2 a_4 & b_1 a_2 + b_2 a_5 & \text{---} \\ a_1 b_3 + b_4 a_4 & \text{---} & \text{---} \\ a_1 b_5 + b_6 a_4 & \text{---} & \text{---} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \text{Det} \begin{bmatrix} b_1 & b_2 & 0 \\ b_3 & b_4 & 0 \\ b_5 & b_6 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ a_4 & a_5 & a_6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \left(\text{Det} \begin{bmatrix} b_1 & b_2 & 0 \\ b_3 & b_4 & 0 \\ b_5 & b_6 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) \cdot \left(\text{Det} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ \text{---} & \text{---} & \text{---} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

$$= 0 \cdot 0 = \boxed{0}$$

Ques If A satisfy $x^2 + 4x - 5 = 0$ T.P.T. (i) A^{-1} exists (ii) If $A^{-1} = \alpha A + \beta I$ then find $\alpha + \beta$ (iii) If $A^3 = \alpha_1 A + \beta_1 I$ then find $\alpha_1 + \beta_1$.

Soln
Given $x^2 + 4x - 5 = 0$
 $\Rightarrow A^2 + 4A - 5I = 0$
 $\Rightarrow A^2 + 4A = 5I$
 $\downarrow \text{det}$
 $|A^2 + 4A| = |5I|$
 $\Rightarrow |A(A + 4I)| = 5^n |I| = 5^n$
 $= |A| \cdot |(A + 4I)|$
 $\Rightarrow |A| \neq 0 \Rightarrow A^{-1} \text{ exists.}$

(ii) A^{-1}
 $A^2 + 4A = 5I$
 $A + 4I = 5A^{-1}$
 $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{5}A + \frac{4}{5}I$
 $\Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{1}{5} \text{ \& } \beta = \frac{4}{5}$
 $\Downarrow$
 $\alpha + \beta = \frac{1}{5} + \frac{4}{5} = \boxed{1}$
 (ii)

(iii) $A^2 = 5I - 4A$
Consider
 $A^3 = A(A^2) = A(5I - 4A)$
 $= 5A - 4A^2$
 $= 5A - 4(5I - 4A)$
 $= 5A - 20I + 16A$
 $= 21A - 20I$
 $\Downarrow$
 $\alpha_1 = 21 \text{ \& } \beta_1 = -20.$
 $\Rightarrow \alpha_1 + \beta_1 = \boxed{1}$

Que If A and B are two orthogonal matrices of order n such that $|A| + |B| = 0$, then identify true statement.

(A) $|A+B| = |A| + |B|$

(B) $|A+B| = 0$

(C) A and B are singular matrices

(D) $A+B = O$

Soln.

Given

$AA' = I$ (E) $BB' = I$

$\Downarrow$
 $|AA'| = |I|$

$|A| \cdot |A'| = 1$

$|A|^2 = 1$

$|A| = \pm 1$

$\Downarrow$
 $|B| = \pm 1$

Now given

$|A| + |B| = 0$

$\Rightarrow |A| = 1$ & $|B| = -1$

Consider,

$|A+B| = |A| \cdot |A+B| = |A'| \cdot |A+B|$

$= |A'A + A'B|$

$= |I + A'B| = |I + B'A|$

$= |B'B + B'A| = |B'| \cdot |B+A|$

$= -1 \cdot |A+B| = -|A+B|$

$\Rightarrow |A+B| = 0$

(A) ✓

(B) ✓

(C) ✗

(D) ✗

Que If $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $|A^n - I| = 1 - \lambda^n$ for $n \in \mathbb{N}$ then find λ .

Sol

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = 2 \cdot A.$$

$$A^3 = A \cdot A^2 = A \cdot 2A = 2A^2 = 2 \cdot (2A)$$

$$A^3 = 2^2 A$$

$$\Rightarrow A^n = 2^{n-1} \cdot A = \begin{bmatrix} 2^{n-1} & 2^{n-1} \\ 2^{n-1} & 2^{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^n - I = \begin{bmatrix} 2^{n-1} & 2^{n-1} \\ 2^{n-1} & 2^{n-1} \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2^{n-1} - 1 & 2^{n-1} \\ 2^{n-1} & 2^{n-1} - 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \det(A^n - I) &= (2^{n-1} - 1)^2 - (2^{n-1})^2 \\ &= (\cancel{2^{n-1}} - 1 - \cancel{2^{n-1}}) (2^{n-1} - 1 + 2^{n-1}) \\ &= -1 \cdot (2^n - 1) = 1 - 2^n = 1 - \lambda^n \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\lambda = 2}$$

Ques Let A and B are square matrices of order n such that $A+B=AB$, then identify correct statement(s): $\rightarrow$

- (A) $(A+B)^3 = A^3 + B^3 + 3A^2B + 3AB^2$ (B) $A+B = B+A$
 (C) $(A+B)^3 = A^3 + B^3 + ABA + A^2B + BA^2 + BAB + B^2A + AB^2$ (D) $A=B$.

Soln. $A+B=AB \Rightarrow AB=BA$.

$\Rightarrow AB - A - B = 0$

$+I \Rightarrow AB - A - B + I = I$

$\Rightarrow (A-I)(B-I) = I \Rightarrow A-I$ and $B-I$ are inverse of each other

$\Rightarrow (B-I)(A-I) = I$

$\Rightarrow BA - A - B + I = I \Rightarrow BA = A+B$

(A) (B) (C) (D)

Concept

$PQ = \lambda \cdot I$

$\Downarrow$

P & Q will be commutable

P^{-1} matrices:
 $P^{-1}P \cdot Q = \lambda P^{-1}I$
 $I \cdot Q = \lambda P^{-1} \Rightarrow Q = \lambda P^{-1}$

$QP = \lambda I \leftarrow \cdot P$

Ques If $A \neq A^2 = I$ then $\det(I+A) =$
(A) 0 (B) 1 (C) -1 (D) 2.

Soln Given $A^2 \neq A$
 $\Rightarrow A^2 - A \neq 0$
 $\Rightarrow A(A-I) \neq 0$
 $\Rightarrow A-I \neq 0$

Now $A^2 = I \Rightarrow A^2 - I = 0$
 $A \neq 0$ $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} (A-I) \cdot (A+I) = 0 \\ A-I \neq 0 \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow A+I \text{ will be singular matrix}$
 $\Rightarrow |A+I| = 0.$
 $\Rightarrow \textcircled{A} \checkmark$

Que Let $A, B (\neq I)$ are commutable square matrices such that $A^n - B^n$ is invertible for some $n (\in \mathbb{N})$, also $A^n - B^n = A^{n+1} - B^{n+1} = A^{n+2} - B^{n+2}$ then identify the correct statement(s).

$[S_1] |I - A| = 0$

$[S_2] |I - B| = 0$

$[S_3] A + B = AB + I$

$[S_4] A^2 = B^2$

Soln $A, B \rightarrow$ square matrices of same order.

$|A^n - B^n| \neq 0$

$A^n - B^n = A^{n+1} - B^{n+1} = A^{n+2} - B^{n+2} = C \text{ (say)}$

$\Rightarrow |C| \neq 0 \Rightarrow C^{-1} \text{ exists}$

$\textcircled{8} AB = BA$

Consider $X^2 - (A+B)X + AB = 0 \rightarrow A, B$

$A^n \Rightarrow A^2 - (A+B)A + AB = 0$

$\Rightarrow A^{n+2} - (A+B)A^{n+1} + AB \cdot A^n = 0$

$\Rightarrow B^{n+2} - (A+B)B^{n+1} + AB \cdot B^n = 0$

$\frac{(A^{n+2} - B^{n+2}) - (A+B)(A^{n+1} - B^{n+1}) + AB(A^n - B^n) = 0}{\subseteq C \quad \subseteq C \quad \subseteq C}$

$$C - (A+B) \cdot C + AB \cdot C = 0$$

$$(I - (A+B) + AB) \cdot C = 0$$

$$\cdot C^{-1} \rightarrow I - (A+B) + AB = 0 \Rightarrow A+B = AB + I$$

$$\Rightarrow (I-A) \cdot (I-B) = 0$$

$$\text{as } I-A \neq 0$$

$I-B$ will be singular

$$\text{as } I-B \neq 0$$

$I-A$ " " " "

$$\Rightarrow |I-A| = 0 = |I-B|$$

S_1 S_2 S_3 S_4

$$\text{let } U_n = \alpha^n - \beta^n$$

Row

$$a n^4 b n + c = 0 \text{ in } \alpha, \beta$$

$$\alpha^n \cdot \begin{cases} a \alpha^2 + b \alpha + c = 0 \\ a \alpha^{n+2} + b \alpha^{n+1} + c \cdot \alpha^n = 0 \\ a \cdot \beta^{n+2} + b \cdot \beta^{n+1} + c \cdot \beta^n = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{a(\alpha^{n+2} - \beta^{n+2}) + b(\alpha^{n+1} - \beta^{n+1}) + c(\alpha^n - \beta^n) = 0}{\Rightarrow a \cdot U_{n+2} + b U_{n+1} + c U_n = 0}$$