## Experiment:3 Introduction to Python for Linear Algebra and Matrix Operations

## 1. Function and NumPy

- (a) Write a Python function (naming string reverse) to reverse the given string and then, check whether the string is palindrome or not.
- (b) Write a function that takes a list of three numbers and returns the largest number that can be obtained by adding any two numbers.
- (c) Create the below two matrices:

(i) 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 5 & 7 & 9 \\ -4 & 2 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$
,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 7 & 4 \\ -1 & 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 8 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ 

- (d) Find  $AB B^2A$ ,
  - (i) Display the second row and third column of  $AB B^2A$ .
  - (ii) Find the max and min entry of  $AB B^2A$ .
  - (iii) Compute the sum of the diagonal entries of  $AB B^2A$ .
- (e) Show that

$$A^3 - 16A^2 + 70A - 228I = O$$
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(f) Write a Python function that takes two matrices as input, then check whether they are compatible with matrix multiplication. If yes, then find their product. {Do it first by using in-build function and then without using in-build function(Means explicitly).}