

## Lecture 3

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### I) LINEAR ALGEBRA

### LECTURE 3

#### REVISION:

#### THEOREM

IF  $B$  AND  $C$  ARE BOTH INVERSES OF THE MATRIX  $A$ , THEN  $B=C$

PROOF:  $\because B$  IS AN INVERSE OF  $A$ , WE HAVE  $BA=I \rightarrow ①$

MULTIPLYING BOTH SIDES (OF ①) ON THE RIGHT BY  $C$  GIVES

$$(BA)C = IC = C. \rightarrow ②$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{BUT } (BA)C &= B(AC), \because AC=I \\ &= B(I)=B, \rightarrow ③ \end{aligned}$$

SO THAT  $C=B$  FROM  
② AND ③.

RESULT: INVERSE OF A  
NONSINGULAR MATRIX IS  
UNIQUE.

There is only one inverse

antonyms  
invertible  
singular

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### THEOREM

IF  $A$  AND  $B$  ARE INVERTIBLE MATRICES OF THE SAME SIZE,  
THEN  $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$

PROOF:

CONSIDER

$$\begin{aligned}\rightarrow (AB)(B^{-1}A^{-1}) &= A(BB^{-1})A^{-1} = AIA^{-1} \\ &= AA^{-1} = I. \quad \textcircled{1}\end{aligned}$$

ALSO

$$\begin{aligned}\rightarrow (B^{-1}A^{-1})(AB) &= B^{-1}(A^{-1}A)B = B^{-1}B \\ &= B^{-1}B = I \quad \textcircled{2}\end{aligned}$$

FROM  $\textcircled{1}$  AND  $\textcircled{2}$

$$(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$$

RESULT: IF  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n$  ARE  
INVERTIBLE MATRICES OF  
SAME SIZE THEN

$$\begin{aligned}&(A_1A_2 \dots A_n)^{-1} \\ &= A_n^{-1}A_{n-1}^{-1} \dots A_2^{-1}A_1^{-1}\end{aligned}$$

$A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n$   $(A_n^{-1} A_{n-1}^{-1} \dots A_1^{-1})$

### 3) IN SHORT

(1) A PRODUCT OF ANY NUMBER OF INVERTIBLE MATRICES IS INVERTIBLE.

(2) THE INVERSE OF THE PRODUCT IS THE PRODUCT OF THE INVERSES IN THE REVERSE ORDER.

NOTATION:  $A^n = \underbrace{A \cdot A \cdot A \cdots A}_{\substack{\text{SQUARE} \\ \text{MATRIX}}} \quad (n > 0)$

TRY THE FOLLOWING:

(1) IF A IS AN INVERTIBLE MATRIX, THEN:

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

PROOF:  $\because AA^{-1} = A^{-1}A = I$

$$\Rightarrow (A^{-1})^{-1} = A$$

(2)  $(A^n)^{-1} = (A^{-1})^n$  FOR  $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

HINT:  $A^n = \underbrace{AA \cdots A}_{\substack{\text{n TIMES}}} \rightarrow n \text{ TIMES}$

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

$$(A^n)^{-1}$$

$$(A \underbrace{A \cdots A}_{\substack{\text{n-times}}})^{-1}$$

$$= (\underbrace{A^{-1} A^{-1} \cdots A^{-1}}_{\substack{\text{n times}}})$$

$$= (A^{-1})^n$$

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## TRANSPOSE OF A MATRIX.

IF  $A$  IS  $m \times n$  MATRIX THEN  
TRANSPOSE OF  $A$  (DENOTED BY  
 $A^T$ ) IS OBTAINED BY INTERCH-  
ANGING ROWS AND COLUMNS  
OF  $A$ . ORDER (SIZE) OF  $A^T$   
=  $n \times m$ .

order of  $A$   
 $m \times n$   
 $\rightarrow$   
order  $A^T$  =  $n \times m$

EXAMPLE:  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \end{bmatrix}$   $2 \times 3$

$$A^T = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{21} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} \\ a_{13} & a_{23} \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow 3 \times 2$$

NOTICE THAT FIRST ROW OF  
 $A$  BECOMES FIRST COLUMN  
OF  $A^T$  ETC.

ALSO  $(A^T)^T = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \end{bmatrix}$

$$= A.$$

RESULT:  $(A^T)^T = A$  i.e.  
INTERCHANGING ROWS AND

illustrates, does not

prove

5) COLUMNS TWICE LEAVES A MATRIX UNCHANGED.

RESULT: IF  $A$  AND  $B$  ARE MATRICES OF SAME SIZE THEN

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

EXAMPLE: LET  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix}$   
 $B = \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} \end{bmatrix}$

$$\stackrel{\text{LHS}}{\rightarrow} (A+B)^T = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}+b_{11} & a_{12}+b_{12} \\ a_{21}+b_{21} & a_{22}+b_{22} \end{bmatrix}^T$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}+b_{11} & a_{21}+b_{21} \\ a_{12}+b_{12} & a_{22}+b_{22} \end{bmatrix} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

ALSO  $\stackrel{\text{RHS}}{\rightarrow} A^T + B^T$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{21} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{21} \\ b_{12} & b_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}+b_{11} & a_{21}+b_{21} \\ a_{12}+b_{12} & a_{22}+b_{22} \end{bmatrix} \quad \textcircled{2}$$

$$\therefore (A+B)^T = A^T + B^T \text{ FROM } \textcircled{1} \text{ AND } \textcircled{2}$$

induction  
 base case  $k=1$   
 $k=n+m$   
 assume it is true for  $k$   
 show using this that it is true for  $k+1$

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DEFINITION:

A SQUARE MATRIX  $A$  IS CALLED  
SYMMETRIC IF  $A^T = A$

Why is a symmetric matrix  
a square matrix?

EXAMPLES:

(1) IDENTITY MATRIX IS  
SYMMETRIC  $\because I^T = I$  (ALWAYS)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(2) EVERY DIAGONAL MATRIX  
IS SYMMETRIC e.g.

$$\begin{bmatrix} d_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & d_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & d_3 \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} d_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & d_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & d_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

(3)  ~~$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$~~  =  $A$  IS SYMMETRIC SINCE

$$A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = A, \text{ HERE}$$

AND  $a_{12} = a_{21} = 1$ ,

$$a_{13} = a_{31} = 2$$

$$\text{AND } a_{23} = a_{32} = 3.$$

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NOTE: WHILE TAKING THE TRANSPOSE, DIAGONAL ENTRIES OF A SQUARE MATRIX DON'T CHANGE THEIR POSITIONS.

IF  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$

$A^t = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{21} & a_{31} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} & a_{32} \\ a_{13} & a_{23} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$

$$\left( \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a_{22} & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & a_{21} & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right)^T$$

### DEFINITION:

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A SQUARE MATRIX  $A$  IS CALLED  
SKEW-SYMMETRIC IF  $A^T = -A$

### EXAMPLE:

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & 3 \\ -2 & -3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

IS  
SKEW-SYMMETRIC

$$\therefore B^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & -3 \\ 2 & 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = - \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & 3 \\ -2 & -3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = -B$$

HERE  $a_{12} = +1 = -a_{21}$ ,  $a_{21} = 1 \Rightarrow = -1$  ETC.

DIAGONAL ENTRIES IN A SKEW-SYMMETRIC MATRIX ARE ALWAYS  
= ZERO,  $\therefore a_{11} = -a_{11} \Rightarrow a_{11} = 0$ , ETC.

### ASSIGNMENT NO. 1

Q.no.1

(a) LET  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ , FIND  $A^2$  AND  $A^3$

(i) Given  $A^3 = A^2 + A - 5I$   
pre multiply both sides by  $A$

$$A^4 = A^3 + A^2 - 5A$$

$$\begin{aligned} A^4 &= (A^2 + A - 5I) + A^2 - 5A \\ &= 2A^2 - 4A - 5I \end{aligned}$$

(b) SHOW THAT  $A^3 = A^2 + A - 5I$  (9)

(c) USING (b) WITHOUT DOING ANY MORE  
MULTIPLICATION PROVE THAT

→ (i)  $A^4 = 2A^2 - 4A - 5I$ ,

(ii)  $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{5}(I + A - A^2)$

Q.no.2

SHOW THAT THE MOST GENERAL  
MATRIX THAT COMMUTES WITH

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{1}{5}(I + A - A^2) A \\ &\frac{1}{5}(A + A^2 - A^3) \\ &\frac{1}{5}(A + A^2 - A^2 - A + 5I) \\ &\frac{1}{5}(5I) = I \end{aligned}$$

SHOW THAT THE MOST GENERAL MATRIX THAT COMMUTES WITH

$P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  IS OF THE FORM

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ 0 & a & b \\ 0 & 0 & a \end{bmatrix}.$$

[Q.no.3]

DON'T USE  
MATRIX  
ENTRIES.

(a) IF  $A$  BE A SQUARE MATRIX THEN

$A + A^T$  IS SYMMETRIC AND  $A - A^T$  IS SKEW SYMMETRIC.

(b) IF  $A$  IS  $m \times n$  MATRIX THEN PROVE THAT  $A^T A$  AND  $A A^T$  ARE BOTH SYMMETRIC. (SEE Q.no.7)

(c) IF  $A^2 = A$ ,  $A^{-1}$  EXISTS THEN  $A = I$ .

(d) IF  $A$  IS INVERTIBLE THEN PROVE THAT  $(A^{-1})^T = (A^T)^{-1}$

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**Q.no.4**

Question 2 from Exercise 1.3

**Q.no.5**

LET  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  AND  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,

SHOW THAT IF THE MATRIX

$X = \begin{bmatrix} x & y \\ z & t \end{bmatrix}$  SATISFIES THE

EQUATION  $AX = XB$  THEN  $X$  IS  
A SCALAR MULTIPLE OF  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

**Q.no.6**

IF  $A$  IS A SQUARE MATRIX OF  
ORDER 3 s.t.  $A^t = -A$  THEN  
PROVE THAT THE DIAGONAL ENTR-  
IES OF  $A = 0$ .

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Q.no.7

IMPORTANT RESULT:

IF  $\boxed{A}, \boxed{B}$  ARE MATRICES S.T.  
 $AB$  IS DEFINED THEN

$$(AB)^T = \boxed{B^T A^T}$$

CHECK THIS RESULT FOR  $\boxed{2 \times 2}$   
 MATRICES BY TAKING GENERAL  
ENTRIES.

NOTE: THE TRANSPOSE OF A  
PRODUCT OF ANY NUMBER  
OF MATRICES IS EQUAL TO  
THE PRODUCT OF THEIR  
TRANSPOSES IN THE REVER-  
SE ORDER.

i.e.

$$\boxed{(A_1 A_2 \dots A_n)^T = A_n^T \dots A_2^T A_1^T}$$

Exercise Set 1.4

Question 11 (Hint: remember  $\cos^2 + \sin^2 = 1$ ), Q 13, Q15, Q16 (It's not. Why?), Q 17, Q29