

$$\textcircled{1} \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & 4 & 2 \\ 6 & 9 & -3 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_3 - 3R_1} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & 4 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \det A = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & 4 & 2 \\ 6 & 9 & -3 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 3 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 & -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0, \text{ rank } A < 3$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = -9 \neq 0. \text{ Therefore Rank } A = 2$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 & 4 & 1 \\ 2 & 6 & 2 & 6 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{2}R_1} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 & 4 & 1 \\ 2 & 6 & 2 & 6 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{R_2 - 2R_1 \\ R_3 - 2R_1}}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 6 & 0 & 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{R_3 - 2R_2 \\ R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = R$$

~~R~~, R is a row reduced echelon matrix.

$$\textcircled{3} \textcircled{1} \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 & 6 & 5 \\ 5 & 2 & 10 & 7 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{2}R_1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 & 6 & 5 \\ 5 & 2 & 10 & 7 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{R_2 - 3R_1 \\ R_3 - 5R_1}}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{2}R_2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{R_3 - 2R_2 \\ R_4 - 3R_2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\xrightarrow{R_{34}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{2}R_3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1 - 2R_3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = R,$$

R is a row-echelon matrix.

And $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \neq 0$ and $\det R = 0 \therefore \text{Rank of } R = 3. \text{ Hence Rank } A = 3.$

④ $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x & x \\ x & 1 & x \\ x & x & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Then, $\det A = 0$

i.e. $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & x \\ x & 1 & x \\ x & x & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$

or, $\begin{vmatrix} 1+2x & x & x \\ 1+2x & 1 & x \\ 1+2x & x & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$ $C'_1 = C_1 + C_2 + C_3$

or, $(1+2x) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & x \\ 1 & 1 & x \\ 1 & x & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$

or, $(1+2x) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & x \\ 0 & 1-x & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1-x \end{vmatrix} = 0$ $R'_2 = R_2 - R_1$
 $R'_3 = R_3 - R_1$

or, $(1+2x)(1-x)^2 = 0$

$\therefore x = -1/2, 1, 1.$

⑤ α, β, γ are the roots of the equation $x^3 + px + q = 0$
 therefore, $\alpha + \beta + \gamma = 0$. [Coefficient of x^2 is zero]

Now, $\begin{vmatrix} \alpha & \beta & \gamma \\ \beta & \gamma & \alpha \\ \gamma & \alpha & \beta \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \alpha + \beta + \gamma & \beta & \gamma \\ \alpha + \beta + \gamma & \gamma & \alpha \\ \alpha + \beta + \gamma & \alpha & \beta \end{vmatrix}$ $C'_1 = C_1 + C_2 + C_3$

$= (\alpha + \beta + \gamma) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & \beta & \gamma \\ 1 & \gamma & \alpha \\ 1 & \alpha & \beta \end{vmatrix} = 0.$ Therefore, rank of $A < 3$.

Now, $\begin{vmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \beta & \gamma \end{vmatrix} = \alpha\gamma - \beta^2$ Since, α, β, γ are in A.P.
 $2\beta = \gamma + \alpha$
 α, β, γ
 $\beta - \alpha = \gamma - \beta$
 $2\beta = \gamma + \alpha$

$$= \alpha\gamma - \left(\frac{\gamma + \alpha}{2}\right)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} [\alpha\gamma - (\gamma + \alpha)^2]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{4} [(\gamma - \alpha)^2] \neq 0. \quad [\gamma \neq \alpha \text{ Since the roots are distinct}]$$

\therefore Rank of $A = 2$.

③ (ii) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2 - R_1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} R_1 - R_2 \\ R_3 + R_2 \end{matrix}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = R$

Now $\det R = 0$ and $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 \neq 0$
 Therefore Rank of $R = 2$ and hence Rank of $A = 2$.

(iii) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 6 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 - 2R_1 \end{matrix}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{2}R_2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -1/2 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} R_1 - 2R_2 \\ R_3 - 2R_2 \end{matrix}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & -1/2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = R$

R is row-echelon matrix.

Now, $\det R = 0$, $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 \neq 0$, Therefore rank of $R = 2$

and hence Rank of $A = 2$.

(6) (a) $x + y - z = 0$
 $2x - 3y + z = 0$
 $x - 4y + 2z = 0$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -3 & 1 \\ 1 & -4 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow[R_3 - R_1]{R_2 - 2R_1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -5 & 3 \\ 0 & -5 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2 + R_3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -5 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The reduced system of equations is

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x + y - z = 0 \\ -5y + 3z = 0 \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{No of eqn}^n = 2 \\ \text{No. of var} = 3 \end{array} \left| \begin{array}{l} \text{So. No of eqn}^n < \\ \text{No of var.} \\ \text{and Difference} = 1 \\ \text{So put,} \\ 1 \text{ var} = c \end{array} \right.$$

The system has infinitely many solutions.

let $z = c$, then $y = \frac{3}{5}c$, $x + \frac{3}{5}c - c = 0$
 or, $x = \frac{2}{5}c$

Then, $(\frac{2}{5}c, \frac{3}{5}c, c)$ is the solⁿ of the given system of equations, where c is an arbitrary constant.

(b) $x + y - z = 0$
 $2x + 4y - z = 0$
 $3x + 2y + 2z = 0$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 4 & -1 \\ 3 & 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow[R_3 - 3R_1]{R_2 - 2R_1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_3 + \frac{1}{2}R_2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 5\frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

The reduced system of equations is

$$\begin{aligned}x + y - z &= 0 \\2y + z &= 0 \\ \frac{11}{2}z &= 0\end{aligned}$$

The system of eqns has many solutions.

let $z = c$, then $y = -c/2$, $x = c/2 + c = \frac{3}{2}c$

$\therefore (\frac{3}{2}c, -\frac{c}{2}, c)$ is the solⁿ of the given system of equations where c is an arbitrary constant

(C)
$$\begin{aligned}x_1 - 3x_2 + 2x_3 - x_4 + 2x_5 &= 2 \\3x_1 - 9x_2 + 7x_3 - x_4 + 3x_5 &= 7 \\2x_1 - 6x_2 + 7x_3 + 4x_4 + 5x_5 &= 7\end{aligned}$$

The augmented matrix,

$$\tilde{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 & -1 & 2 & 2 \\ 3 & -9 & 7 & -1 & 3 & 7 \\ 2 & -6 & 7 & 4 & -5 & 7 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\substack{R_2 - 3R_1 \\ R_3 - 2R_1}}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 & -1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 6 & -9 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_3 - 3R_2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 & -1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & -3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The system of eqns is reduced to

$$\begin{aligned}x_1 - 3x_2 + 2x_3 - x_4 + 2x_5 &= 2 \\x_3 + 2x_4 - x_5 &= 1\end{aligned}$$

Let $x_2 = a$, $x_4 = b$, $x_5 = c$ where a, b, c are arbitrary constants, then $x_3 = 1 - 2b + 3c$, $x_1 = 3a + 5b - 8c$. P. 6

The general solution is

$$x_1 = 3a + 5b - 8c$$

$$x_2 = a, \quad x_3 = 1 - 2b + 3c, \quad x_4 = b, \quad x_5 = c.$$

(7) (a) $x - y + z = 1$

$$x + 2y + 4z = a$$

$$x + 4y + 6z = a^2$$

The augmented matrix is

$$\left(\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 4 & a \\ 1 & 4 & 6 & a^2 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow[R_3 - R_1]{R_2 - R_1} \left(\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 3 & a-1 \\ 0 & 5 & 5 & a^2-1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow[\frac{1}{5}R_3]{\frac{1}{3}R_2}$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & \frac{a-1}{3} \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & \frac{a^2-1}{5} \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{R_3 - R_2} \left(\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & \frac{a-1}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{a^2-1}{5} - \frac{a-1}{3} \end{array} \right)$$

The reduced system of equations is

$$x - y + z = 1$$

$$y + z = \frac{a-1}{3}$$

$$0 = \frac{a^2-1}{5} - \frac{a-1}{3}$$

for consistency of the above system of equations,

$$\frac{a^2-1}{5} - \frac{a-1}{3} = 0$$

$$\text{or, } 3a^2 - 5a + 2 = 0$$

$$\text{or, } (a-1)(3a-2) = 0$$

$$\text{or, } a = 1, 2/3$$

When $a = 1$, system of equations takes the

$$\text{form } x - y + z = 1$$

$$y + z = 0$$

$$\text{let } z = c, \text{ then } y = -c, x = 1 - 2c$$

The general solution is $(1 - 2c, -c, c)$

$$\text{or i.e. } c(-2, -1, 1) + (1, 0, 0),$$

$$c \in \mathbb{R}.$$

When $a = 2/3$

$$x - y + z = 1$$

$$y + z = -\frac{1}{3}$$

$$\text{let } z = c, \text{ then } y = -\frac{1}{3} - c, x = \frac{8}{3} - 2c$$

The general solution is $(\frac{8}{3} - 2c, -\frac{1}{3} - c, c)$

$$\text{or, i.e. } c(-2, -1, 1) + (\frac{8}{3}, -\frac{1}{3}, 0),$$

$$c \in \mathbb{R}.$$

(b)

$$x + y + z = 1$$

$$2x + 3y - z = a + 1$$

$$2x + y + 5z = a^2 + 1.$$

The augmented matrix is,

$$\bar{A} = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & -1 & a+1 \\ 2 & 1 & 5 & a^2+1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow[R_3 - 2R_1]{R_2 - 2R_1} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & a-1 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 & a^2-1 \end{array} \right)$$

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$$\xrightarrow{R_3+R_2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & a-1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a^2+a-2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Therefore, the reduced system of equations is

$$x+y+z=1$$

$$0.x+y-3z=a-1$$

$$0.x+0.y+0.z=a^2+a-2$$

For the consistency of the above ~~eq~~ system of equations,

$$a^2+a-2=0$$

$$\text{or, } (a+2)(a-1)=0$$

$$\text{or, } a=-2, 1$$

for $a=1$,

$$\begin{aligned} x+y+z &= 1 \\ y-3z &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Take, $z=c$, $y=3c$, $x=1-4c$

The general solⁿ is $(1-4c, 3c, c)$

ie. $c(-4, 3, 1) + (1, 0, 0)$,
 $c \in \mathbb{R}$

for $a=-2$,

$$\begin{aligned} x+y+z &= 1 \\ y-3z &= -3 \end{aligned}$$

Take, $z=c$, $y=-3+3c$, $x=4-4c$.

\therefore The general solⁿ is $(4-4c, -3+3c, c)$

ie. $c(-4, 3, 1) + (4, -3, 0)$
 $c \in \mathbb{R}$.

8. (a) $x + y + z = 1$
 $x + 2y - z = b$
 $5x + 7y + az = b^2$

The system has a unique solution if the coefficient determinant be non-zero.

The coefficient determinant = $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 5 & 7 & a \end{vmatrix} = a - 1$

If $a - 1 \neq 0$, i.e. if $a \neq 1$, the system has only one solution.

If $a = 1$, the system has either no solution or many solutions.

When $a = 1$, the coefficient matrix of the system is $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 5 & 7 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and the augmented matrix

of the system is $\vec{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 & b \\ 5 & 7 & 1 & b^2 \end{pmatrix}$

$\xrightarrow[\vec{A}]{\begin{matrix} R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 - 5R_1 \end{matrix}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & b-1 \\ 0 & 2 & -4 & b^2-5 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow[\vec{A}]{\begin{matrix} R_1 - R_2 \\ R_3 - 2R_2 \end{matrix}}$

$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 & -b+2 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & b-1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & b^2-2b-3 \end{pmatrix}$

If $b^2 - 2b - 3 = 0$, then $\text{rank of } \vec{A} = \text{rank of } A$ and therefore the system is consistent.

If $b^2 - 2b - 3 \neq 0$, then rank of $\bar{A} = 3$, rank of $A = 2$ and since rank of $A \neq$ rank of \bar{A} , the system is inconsistent.

Therefore, if $a = 1$, $b \neq 1, -3$ the system has no solution; and if $a = 1$, $b = -1$, or if $a = 1$, $b = 3$ the system has many solutions.

$$\begin{aligned} (6) \quad & 2x + 3y + 5z = 9 \\ & 7x + 3y - 2z = 8 \\ & 2x + 3y + az = b \end{aligned}$$

The system has a unique solution if the coefficient determinant be non-zero.

$$\text{The coefficient determinant} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & 5 \\ 7 & 3 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 & a \end{vmatrix} = 15(5-a)$$

If $a \neq 5$, the system has only one solution.

If $a = 5$, the ~~coefficient matrix~~ system has either no solution or many solutions.

When $a = 5$, the coefficient matrix of the system is

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & 5 \\ 7 & 3 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 & a \end{pmatrix}$$

and the augmented matrix of the system is, $\bar{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & 5 & 9 \\ 7 & 3 & -2 & 8 \\ 2 & 3 & a & b \end{pmatrix}$

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$$\vec{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & 5 & 9 \\ 7 & 3 & -2 & 8 \\ 2 & 3 & 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow[R_3 - R_1]{R_2 - \frac{7}{2}R_1} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & 5 & 9 \\ 0 & -\frac{15}{2} & -\frac{39}{2} & -\frac{47}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 6-9 \end{pmatrix}$$

If $6-9=0$ i.e. $6=9$, then rank of $\vec{A} = \text{rank of } A$
and therefore the system is consistent.

If $6-9 \neq 0$, then rank of $\vec{A} = 3$, and rank of $A = 2$
and since rank $A \neq \text{rank } \vec{A}$, the system is inconsistent.

Therefore, if $a=5$, $b \neq 9$, the system of equations has
no solutions and if $a=5$, $b=9$ the system of
equations has infinitely many solutions.

9. $(3k-8)x + 3y + 3z = 0$
 $3x + (3k-8)y + 3z = 0$
 $3x + 3y + (3k-8)z = 0$

For the given system of equations to have a non-trivial solutions, the determinant of the coefficient matrix should be zero.

i.e. $\begin{vmatrix} 3k-8 & 3 & 3 \\ 3 & 3k-8 & 3 \\ 3 & 3 & 3k-8 \end{vmatrix} = 0$

or, $\begin{vmatrix} 3k-2 & 3 & 3 \\ 3k-2 & 3k-8 & 3 \\ 3k-2 & 3 & 3k-8 \end{vmatrix} = 0$ $[c'_1 = c_1 + c_2 + c_3]$

$$\text{or, } (3K-2) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 3 \\ 1 & 3K-8 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 3K-8 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\text{or, } (3K-2) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & 3K-11 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3K-11 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad \left[\begin{array}{l} R'_2 = R_2 - R_1 \\ R'_3 = R_3 - R_1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\text{or, } (3K-2)(3K-11)^2 = 0$$

$$\text{or, } K = 2, \frac{11}{3}, \frac{11}{3}$$

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$$ax + by + cz = 0$$

$$bx + cy + az = 0$$

$$cx + ay + bz = 0$$

For the given system of equations to have non-trivial solution, the determinant of the coefficient matrix is zero.

$$\text{i.e. } \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ b & c & a \\ c & a & b \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\text{or, } \begin{vmatrix} a+b+c & a+b+c & a+b+c \\ b & c & a \\ c & a & b \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad [R'_1 = R_1 + R_2 + R_3]$$

$$\text{or, } (a+b+c) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ b & c & a \\ c & a & b \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\text{or, } (a+b+c) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ b & c-b & a-b \\ c & a-c & b-c \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad \left[\begin{array}{l} C'_2 = C_2 - C_1 \\ C'_3 = C_3 - C_1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\text{or, } (a+b+c) \left\{ (c-b)(b-c) - (a-b)(a-c) \right\} = 0$$

$$\text{or, } (a+b+c) (-a^2 - b^2 - c^2 + ab + bc + ca) = 0$$

$$\text{ie. } a+b+c=0 \quad \text{or, } a^2+b^2+c^2 = ab+bc+ca$$

$$\text{or, } a^2+b^2+c^2 - ab - bc - ca = 0$$

$$\text{or, } \frac{1}{2} [(a-b)^2 + (b-c)^2 + (c-a)^2] = 0$$

$$\text{or, } a=b, b=c, c=a$$

$$\text{or, } a=b=c$$

Hence the given system has a non-trivial solution
if $a+b+c=0$ or $a=b=c$.

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$$\begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ b & c & a \\ c & a & b \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a(bc - a^2) - b(b^2 - ac) + c(ab - c^2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow abc - a^3 - b^3 + abc + abc - c^3 = 0$$

$$\text{w. } 3abc - (a^3 + b^3 + c^3) = 0$$

$$\text{w. } (a+b+c)(a^2+b^2+c^2-ab-bc-ca) = 0$$

$$\text{w. } (a+b+c) \left\{ \frac{1}{2} [(a-b)^2 + (b-c)^2 + (c-a)^2] \right\} = 0$$

$$\text{w. } (a+b+c) = 0$$

$$\text{w. } \frac{1}{2} [(a-b)^2 + (b-c)^2 + (c-a)^2] = 0$$

$$\text{w. } a+b+c = 0 \quad \text{w. } \begin{cases} (a-b) = 0 \\ (b-c) = 0 \\ (c-a) = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{w. } a+b+c = 0 \quad \text{w. } a=b=c$$

Ans.

⑦

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2+i & 3 & -1+3i \\ -5 & i & 4-2i \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\bar{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 2-i & 3 & -1-3i \\ -5 & -i & 4+2i \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A^* = \bar{A}^T = \begin{pmatrix} 2-i & -5 \\ 3 & -i \\ -1-3i & 4+2i \end{pmatrix}$$

$$AA^* = \begin{pmatrix} 2+i & 3 & -1+3i \\ -5 & i & 4-2i \end{pmatrix}_{2 \times 3} \begin{pmatrix} 2-i & -5 \\ 3 & -i \\ -1-3i & 4+2i \end{pmatrix}_{3 \times 2}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 5+9+10 & -5(2-i)-3i+(4+2i)(-1+i) \\ -5(2-i)+3i-(1+3i)(4-2i) & +25+1+20 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 24 & -20+2i \\ -20-2i & 46 \end{pmatrix}$$

Now $(AA^*)^T = \begin{pmatrix} 24 & -20+2i \\ -20-2i & 46 \end{pmatrix}$

$$= AA^*$$

Hence AA^* is Hermitian matrix.

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Express any matrix A as the sum of Hermitian matrix and skew-Hermitian matrix

$$\text{as } A = \frac{1}{2}[A + A^*] + \frac{1}{2}[A - A^*]$$

$\frac{1}{2}[A + A^*]$ is Hermitian part

$\frac{1}{2}[A - A^*]$ is skew-Hermitian part.

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Let A is a real and non-symmetric matrix of order 3.

$$\text{Then let } A = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ a_4 & a_5 & a_6 \\ a_7 & a_8 & a_9 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } A - A^T &= \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ a_4 & a_5 & a_6 \\ a_7 & a_8 & a_9 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & a_4 & a_7 \\ a_2 & a_5 & a_8 \\ a_3 & a_6 & a_9 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & a_2 - a_4 & a_3 - a_7 \\ a_4 - a_2 & 0 & a_6 - a_8 \\ a_7 - a_3 & a_8 - a_6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & b_1 & b_2 \\ -b_1 & 0 & b_3 \\ -b_2 & -b_3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

where $b_1 = a_2 - a_4$, $b_2 = a_3 - a_7$, $b_3 = a_6 - a_8$,

Now, $(A - A^T)$ is skew-symmetric matrix of odd order
hence its determinant is 0.

Hence $\text{rank}(A - A^T) \leq 2$.

Now consider the minor

$$\begin{vmatrix} 0 & b_1 \\ -b_1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = b_1^2, \quad \begin{vmatrix} 0 & b_3 \\ -b_3 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = b_3^2, \quad \begin{vmatrix} 0 & b_2 \\ -b_2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = b_2^2$$

Now if $\text{rank}(A - A^T) = 1$ then.

$$b_1^2 = 0, b_2^2 = 0, b_3^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow b_1 = b_2 = b_3 = 0$$

Hence A become a symmetric matrix which is a contradiction to the fact A is non-symmetric

$$\text{Hence rank } (A-A^t) = 2 \quad \underline{\text{P.T.}}$$

(4)

Consider the product

$$\begin{aligned} & A^t(A+B)B^t \\ &= (A^tA + A^tB)B^t \\ &= (I + A^tB)B^t \quad [\because A^tA = I] \\ &= B^t + A^tBB^t \\ &= [B^t + A^t] \quad [\because BB^t = I] \\ &= (A+B)^t \end{aligned}$$

Now taking det both side we get,

$$\det \{ A^t(A+B)B^t \} = \det (A+B)^t = \det (A+B)$$

$$\text{or, } \det A^t \cdot \det (A+B) \det B^t = \det (A+B)$$

$$\text{or, } \det A \cdot \det (A+B) \cdot \det B = \det (A+B)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{or, } \det A \cdot \det (A+B) (-\det A) &= \det (A+B) \\ & [\because \det A + \det B = 0] \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{or, } \det [A+B] \{ 1 + (\det A)^2 \} = 0$$

Since A is orthogonal matrix

$$|\det A| = 1$$

$$2 \det (A+B) = 0 \Rightarrow \det (A+B) = 0 \quad \underline{\text{P.T.}}$$

15) Same as (14).

16) Since A is skew-Hermitian matrix $A = -\bar{A}^T$.
Now it is given that $(I+A)$ is non-singular
hence $(I+A)^{-1}$ exist.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{Now, } (I+A)^{-1} (I-A) \{ \overline{(I+A)^{-1} (I-A)} \}^T \\
 &= (I+A)^{-1} (I-A) \{ (\bar{I}-\bar{A})^T (I+\bar{A})^{-T} \} \\
 &= (I+A)^{-1} (I-A) (I-\bar{A}^T) (I+\bar{A}^T)^{-1} \\
 &= (I+A)^{-1} \{ I + A\bar{A}^T - A - \bar{A}^T \} \{ I + \bar{A}^T \}^{-1} \\
 &= (I+A)^{-1} \{ I + A\bar{A}^T \} \{ I + \bar{A}^T \}^{-1} \\
 &= \{ (I+A)^{-1} + (I+A)^{-1} A\bar{A}^T \} \{ I + \bar{A}^T \}^{-1} \\
 &= \{ (I+\bar{A}^T) (I+A)^{-1} + (I+A)^{-1} A\bar{A}^T (I+\bar{A}^T)^{-1} \} \\
 &= \{ I + A\bar{A}^T \}^{-1} + (I+A)^{-1} A\bar{A}^T (I+\bar{A}^T)^{-1} \\
 &= \{ I - A^2 \}^{-1} + (I+A)^{-1} (-A^2) (I-A)^{-1} \\
 &= \{ (I-A)(I+A) \}^{-1} + (I+A)^{-1} (-A^2) (I-A)^{-1} \\
 &= (I+A)^{-1} (I-A)^{-1} + (I+A)^{-1} (-A^2) (I-A)^{-1} \\
 &= (I+A)^{-1} \{ (I-A)^{-1} - A^2 (I-A)^{-1} \} \\
 &= (I+A)^{-1} (I-A^2) (I-A)^{-1} \\
 &= (I+A)^{-1} (I+A) (I-A) (I+A)^{-1} = I \quad \text{RHS}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$(7) \quad (I+A)^{-1} (I-A) \{ \overline{(I+A)^{-1} (I-A)} \}^T = I$$

$$\text{or, } (I+A)^{-1} (I-A) (I-\bar{A})^T ((I+A)^{-1})^T = I$$

$$\text{or, } (I+A)^{-1} (I-A) (I-\bar{A}^T) (I+\bar{A}^T)^{-1} = I$$

$$\text{or, } (I+A)^{-1} (I-A) (I-\bar{A}^T) = (I+\bar{A}^T)$$

$$\text{or, } (I-A) (I-\bar{A}^T) = (I+A) (I+\bar{A}^T)$$

$$\text{or, } I - A - \bar{A}^T + A\bar{A}^T = I + A + \bar{A}^T + A\bar{A}^T$$

$$\text{or, } 2(A + \bar{A}^T) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A = -\bar{A}^T$$

Hence A is skew-Hermitian.

(8)

Since A is unitary matrix

$$\therefore A\bar{A}^T = \bar{A}^T A = I.$$

$$\text{Let } B = (I+A)^{-1} (I-A).$$

$$\therefore \bar{B}^T = \overline{(I+A)^{-1} (I-A)}^T.$$

$$= ((I+\bar{A})^{-1} (I-\bar{A}))^T.$$

$$\Rightarrow (I-\bar{A}^T) (I+\bar{A}^T)^{-1}$$

$$= (A\bar{A}^T - \bar{A}^T) (A\bar{A}^T + \bar{A}^T)^{-1}$$

$$= (A-I) \bar{A}^T (\bar{A}^T)^{-1} (A+I)^{-1}$$

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

Now $A^2 = I = (A+I)(A-I) = (A-I)(A+I)$

$\therefore (A+I)(A-I) = (A-I)(A+I)$

or $(A-I) = (A+I)^{-1}(A-I)(A+I)$

or, $(A-I)(A+I)^{-1} = (A+I)^{-1}(A-I)$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{B}^T &= (A+I)^{-1}(A-I) \\ &= -(I+A)^{-1}(I-A) \\ &= -B \end{aligned} \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} \text{Hence } B \text{ is skew-} \\ \text{Hermitian matrix.} \end{array} \right.$$

Q19 Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha + i\gamma & -\beta + i\delta \\ \beta + i\delta & \alpha - i\gamma \end{pmatrix}$, $(\bar{A})^T = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha - i\gamma & \beta - i\delta \\ -\beta - i\delta & \alpha + i\gamma \end{pmatrix}$

Now $A\bar{A}^T = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha + i\gamma & -\beta + i\delta \\ \beta + i\delta & \alpha - i\gamma \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \alpha - i\gamma & \beta - i\delta \\ -\beta - i\delta & \alpha + i\gamma \end{pmatrix}$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \alpha^2 + \gamma^2 + \beta^2 + \delta^2 & (\alpha + i\gamma)(\beta - i\delta) - (\alpha + i\gamma)(\beta + i\delta) \\ (\beta + i\delta)(\alpha - i\gamma) - (\alpha - i\gamma)(\beta + i\delta) & \beta^2 + \delta^2 + \alpha^2 + \gamma^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2 + \delta^2 & 0 \\ 0 & \alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2 + \delta^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{Since} \\ A \text{ is unitary} \end{array} \right]$$

Hence $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2 + \delta^2 = 1$ of

20. $M = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & a^2 & a \\ 1 & a & a^2 \end{bmatrix}$, where $a = e^{\frac{2i\pi}{3}}$.

Now. $M\bar{M} = 3I$ we have to show.

$$\bar{M} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & \bar{a}^2 & \bar{a} \\ 1 & \bar{a} & \bar{a}^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now. $M\bar{M} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & a^2 & a \\ 1 & a & a^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & \bar{a}^2 & \bar{a} \\ 1 & \bar{a} & \bar{a}^2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 + \bar{a}^2 + \bar{a} & 1 + \bar{a} + \bar{a}^2 \\ 1 + a + \bar{a}^2 & 1 + a^2 \bar{a}^2 + a \bar{a} & 1 + a^2 \bar{a} + a \bar{a}^2 \\ 1 + a + a^2 & 1 + a \bar{a}^2 + a^2 \bar{a} & 1 + a \bar{a} + a^2 \bar{a}^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now. $\bar{a} = e^{-\frac{2i\pi}{3}}$, $\bar{a}^2 = e^{-\frac{4i\pi}{3}}$.

$a^3 = 1$, hence: a is the cube root of unity
 $\therefore 1 + a + a^2 = 0$
 $\bar{a}^3 = 1$ hence $1 + \bar{a} + \bar{a}^2 = 0$.

$$M\bar{M} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = 3I$$

hence $\frac{\bar{M}}{3} = \bar{M}^{-1}$ (R.H.S.).

