

#### Individual Assignment 1 - Linear Algebra (100 points) Solution/Answers

#### Problem 1 (30 points)

Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

a)  $AB = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 4 & 1 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 3 + 2 \cdot 2 \\ 2 \cdot 1 + 1 \cdot 2 + 3 \cdot 4 & 2 \cdot 1 + 1 \cdot 3 + 3 \cdot 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1+4+8 & 1+6+4 \\ 2+2+12 & 2+3+6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 13 & 11 \\ 16 & 11 \end{bmatrix}$

b)  $BA = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \cdot 1 + 1 \cdot 2 & 1 \cdot 2 + 1 \cdot 1 & 1 \cdot 2 + 1 \cdot 3 \\ 2 \cdot 1 + 3 \cdot 2 & 2 \cdot 2 + 3 \cdot 1 & 2 \cdot 2 + 3 \cdot 3 \\ 4 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 2 & 4 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 1 & 4 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1+2 & 2+1 & 2+3 \\ 2+6 & 4+3 & 4+9 \\ 4+4 & 8+2 & 8+6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 3 & 5 \\ 8 & 7 & 13 \\ 8 & 10 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$

c)  $-B = -1 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ -2 & -3 \\ -4 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$

d)  $A + 2B =$  Not possible: Different dimensions

e)  $A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

f)  $B^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

#### Problem 2 (30 points)

a)  $3x_1 + x_2 = 2$   
 $-6x_1 - 2x_2 = -4 \rightarrow$  Infinite solutions since  $R_2 = -2 \cdot R_1$

b)  $2x_1 + x_2 = 4$   
 $x_1 + 2x_2 = 5 \rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 & 5 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_1=R_1-2 \cdot R_2} \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 0 & -3 & -6 \\ 1 & 2 & 5 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_1=\frac{R_1}{-3}} \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 5 \end{array} \right]$

$\xrightarrow{R_2=R_2-2 \cdot R_1} \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2} \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right]$

c)  $2x_1 + x_2 = 4$   
 $-4x_1 - 2x_2 = -5 \rightarrow$  No solution since  $\begin{matrix} -2 \cdot R_1 = -4x_1 - 2x_2 = -8 \\ R_2 = -4x_1 - 2x_2 = -5 \end{matrix} \neq$

### Problem 3 (40 points)

## Computing an inverse matrix

Consider a  $2 \times 2$  matrix:

$$A_{2 \times 2} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$$

The  $2 \times 2$  inverse matrix is then:

$$A_{2 \times 2}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{D} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$$

Where  $D = ad - bc$ .  $D$  is called the determinant of the matrix.

The  $3 \times 3$  matrix can be defined as:

$$B_{3 \times 3} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & k \end{bmatrix}$$

Then the inverse matrix is:

$$B_{3 \times 3}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & k \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(B)} \begin{bmatrix} (ek - fh) & -(bk - ch) & (bf - ce) \\ -(dk - fg) & (ak - cg) & -(af - cd) \\ (dh - eg) & -(ah - bg) & (ae - bd) \end{bmatrix}$$

Where  $\det(B)$  is equal to:

$$\det(B) = a(ek - fh) - b(dk - fg) + c(dh - eg)$$

**Figure 1:** <https://rpubs.com/aaronsc32/inverse-matrices>

$$\text{a) } C^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{(1 \cdot 2 - 4 \cdot 2)} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ -4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = -\frac{1}{6} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ -4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{2}{3} & -\frac{1}{6} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{b) } D^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 4 & 8 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \rightarrow \text{Not possible since } R_2 \text{ is linearly dependent of } R_1: R_2 = 2 \cdot R_1$$

$$\text{c) } E^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 4 & 2 & 6 \\ 5 & 4 & 10 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \rightarrow \text{Not possible since } R_3 \text{ is linearly dependent of } R_1 \text{ and } R_2: R_3 = R_1 + R_2$$

$$\text{d) } F^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 4 & 2 & 6 \\ 5 & 4 & 8 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{1 \cdot (2 \cdot 8 - 4 \cdot 6) - 2 \cdot (4 \cdot 8 - 6 \cdot 5) + 4 \cdot (4 \cdot 4 - 2 \cdot 5)} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} (2 \cdot 8 - 4 \cdot 6) & -(2 \cdot 8 - 4 \cdot 4) & (2 \cdot 6 - 2 \cdot 4) \\ -(4 \cdot 8 - 6 \cdot 5) & (1 \cdot 8 - 5 \cdot 4) & -(1 \cdot 6 - 4 \cdot 4) \\ (4 \cdot 4 - 2 \cdot 5) & -(1 \cdot 4 - 5 \cdot 2) & (1 \cdot 2 - 4 \cdot 2) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{3} & 0 & \frac{1}{3} \\ -\frac{1}{6} & -1 & \frac{5}{6} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$