Step-1

We have to fill the following blanks:

If the columns of A are linearly independent (A has m by n), then the rank is ——, the null space is ——, the row space is ———, and there exists a ———-inverse.

Step-2

If the columns of A are linearly independent (A has m by n), then the rank is number of linearly independent columns. So we have the rank of A is n, and we know that and if full column rank r = n then A has a left inverse B such that $BA = I_n$ and this is possible only if $m \ge n$

Step-3

Therefore we have the following:

If the columns of *A* are linearly independent (*A* has *m* by *n*), then the rank is *n*, the null space is ${0 \choose i}$, the row space is ${\bf R}^n$, and there exists a <u>left-inverse</u>.