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Find those values of  $k$ , for which  $\begin{vmatrix} k & k \\ 4 & 2k \end{vmatrix} = 0$

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & -1 \\ 1 & 5 & -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 & 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 4 & -1 & 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 5 & -2 & 1 & 5 \end{vmatrix} \dots$$

$$2k^2 - 4k = 0 \rightarrow k(2k - 4) = 0$$

$$k = 0 \quad k = 2$$

$$\dots = (1)(4)(-2) + (2)(-1)(1) + (3)(2)(5) \dots$$

$$\dots - (1)(4)(3) - (5)(-1)(1) - (-2)(2)(-2) = 9$$

Evaluate the determinant of the following matrices:

$$\det I = 1$$

$$\det 3 = 3$$

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & -1 \\ 4 & 5 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = (-1)^{1+2}(1) \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 4 & 2 \end{vmatrix} + \dots$$

$$\dots + (-1)^{3+2}(5) \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = \dots$$

$$= -[3(2) - (-1)(4)] - 5[2(-1) - 3(1)] = \dots$$

$$\dots = -10 + 25 = 15$$

Evaluate the determinant of a given matrix by inspection

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 \end{pmatrix} = 24 = 1 \times 4 \times 6$$

$$= 24$$

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 8 & 4 & 0 \\ 3 & 7 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = 2(4)(-1) = (-1)^{1+1}(2) \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 7 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 2 \cdot [4(-1) - 7(0)] = 24$$

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix} = (1)(3)(5) = 15$$

(2)

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 4 & 1 & 8 \\ -2 & -6 & -4 \end{vmatrix} = (2) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 4 & 1 & 8 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \xrightarrow[R_3 - R_1]{R_3 =} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 4 & 1 & 8 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 7 \\ 1 & 4 & 13 \end{vmatrix} \xrightarrow[R_3 - R_1]{R_2 - R_1} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 2 & 10 \end{vmatrix} \xrightarrow[R_3 := -2R_2 + R_3]{R_3 =} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_3 = \frac{1}{2}R_3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

Don't reduce further for determinant

$$\det = (1)(1)(2) = 2$$

$\begin{matrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ c_2 & c_3 \end{matrix}$  (I guess you can swap columns...)

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = - \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = (-)(1)(3)(2)(4) = -24$$

$$\boxed{\det A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det A}}$$

$$\text{if } \det A = 5$$

$$\det A^{-1} = 1/5$$

$$\boxed{\det A = \det A^T}$$

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} c_1 & c_2 & c_3 \\ 5 & 5+1 & 5+2 \\ t & t+1 & t+2 \\ u & u+1 & u+2 \end{pmatrix} \dots$$

$$\dots \xrightarrow[c_3 - c_1]{c_2 - c_1} \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 1 & 2 \\ t & 1 & 2 \\ u & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = 2 \det \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ t & 1 \\ u & 1 \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

Is the matrix A invertible

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 6 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 6 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 6 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 6 & 9 \end{pmatrix} = (1) \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 6 & 9 \end{vmatrix} + (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ 4 & 9 \end{vmatrix} = 5 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 12 & 18 \end{vmatrix} + 4 \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ 4 & 9 \end{vmatrix} = 5(18 - 36) + 4(45 - 4) = -45 + 164 = 119 \neq 0$$

A is invertible.

$$x + y + z = 1$$

$$2x - 3z = 0$$

$$2y + z = 1$$

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

Cramer's rule cannot be used because  $\det A = 0$  and the system has no unique solution.

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

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

$$x + 5y - 3z = 3$$

$$\det A = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 5 & -3 \end{vmatrix} = -\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 3 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow[R_2 = R_2 - 2R_1, R_3 = R_3 - 3R_1]{} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5 & 3 \\ 0 & -9 & 5 \\ 0 & -16 & 10 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\dots - (1)^{11} (1) \begin{vmatrix} -9 & 5 \\ -16 & 10 \end{vmatrix} = [-9(10) - (-16)(5)] = 10 \neq 0$$

The system has a unique solution

$$x = \frac{\det A_1}{\det A}$$

$$y = \frac{\det A_2}{\det A}$$

$$z = \frac{\det A_3}{\det A}$$

$$\det A_1 = \det \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 3 & 5 & -3 \end{pmatrix} = 16$$

$$\det A_2 = \det \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 3 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = 19$$

$$\det A_3 = \det \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 5 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = 17$$