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**Uppgift 1.1** (Task1). Solve the below linear equation using Gaussian elimination.

$$5x_1 - 2x_2 + 3x_3 = -1$$
$$-3x_1 + 9x_2 + x_3 = 2$$
$$2x_1 - x_2 - 7x_3 = 3.$$

**Lösning 1.1.1.** Let us first reformulate the equation as an augmented matrix:

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c}
5 & -2 & 3 & -1 \\
-3 & 9 & 1 & 2 \\
2 & -1 & -7 & 3
\end{array}\right).$$

Let us first normalise the first row, that yields:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -\frac{2}{5} & \frac{3}{5} & | -\frac{1}{5} \\ -3 & 9 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & -7 & 3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Let us now eliminate the second row of the first column by adding 3 times the first row:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -\frac{2}{5} & \frac{3}{5} & | & -\frac{1}{5} \\ 0 & \frac{39}{5} & \frac{14}{5} & \frac{7}{5} \\ 2 & -1 & -7 & 3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Let us now eliminate the third row of the first column by adding -2 times the first row:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 - \frac{2}{5} & \frac{3}{5} & | -\frac{1}{5} \\ 0 & \frac{39}{5} & \frac{14}{5} & \frac{7}{5} \\ 0 - \frac{1}{5} - \frac{41}{5} & \frac{17}{5} \end{pmatrix}.$$

Let us now normalise the second row of the second column by multiplying with  $\frac{5}{39}$ :

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 - \frac{2}{5} & \frac{3}{5} & | -\frac{1}{5} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{14}{39} & \frac{7}{39} \\ 0 - \frac{1}{5} - \frac{41}{5} & | \frac{17}{5} \end{pmatrix}.$$

In the normal algorithm we would now add a  $\frac{1}{5}$  times the second row to the third row, in order to eliminate the third row in the second column. But we will instead first scale the third row by 5, in order to make it more readable:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -\frac{2}{5} & \frac{3}{5} & | & -\frac{1}{5} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{14}{39} & | & \frac{7}{39} \\ 0 & -1 & -41 & | & 17 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Now we can simply add the second row to the third row in order to eliminate the third row of the second column:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -\frac{2}{5} & \frac{3}{5} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{14}{39} \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{14-41\cdot39}{39} \\ \frac{7+17\cdot39}{39} \end{pmatrix}.$$

From the third row we get that:

$$\frac{14 - 41 \cdot 39}{39} x_3 = \frac{7 + 17 \cdot 39}{39}$$

$$\implies (14 - 41 \cdot 39) x_3 = 7 + 17 \cdot 39$$

$$\implies x_3 = \frac{7 + 17 \cdot 39}{14 - 41 \cdot 39}$$

$$= \frac{7 + 663}{14 - 1599}$$

$$= \frac{670}{-1585} = -\frac{134}{317}.$$

From the second row of the augmented matrix we get that:

$$x_{2} + \frac{14x_{3}}{39} = \frac{7}{39}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_{2} = \frac{7 - 14x_{3}}{39}$$

$$\Rightarrow 39x_{2} = 7 - 14x_{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 39x_{2} = 7 + \frac{14 \cdot 134}{317}$$

$$\Rightarrow 39x_{2} = \frac{7 \cdot 317 + 14 \cdot 134}{317}$$

$$\Rightarrow 39x_{2} = \frac{2219 + 1876}{317}$$

$$\Rightarrow 39x_{2} = \frac{4095}{317}$$

$$\Rightarrow 39x_{2} = \frac{819 \cdot 5}{317}$$

$$\Rightarrow 39x_{2} = \frac{273 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{317}$$

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$$\Rightarrow 13x_{2} = \frac{91 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}{317}$$

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From the first row we get that:

$$x_{1} - \frac{2x_{2}}{5} + \frac{3x_{3}}{5} = -\frac{1}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_{1} = \frac{2x_{2}}{5} - \frac{3x_{3}}{5} - \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x_{1} = 2x_{2} - 3x_{3} - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 5x_{1} = \frac{2 \cdot 105}{317} + \frac{3 \cdot 134}{317} - 1$$

$$= \frac{210}{317} + \frac{402}{317} - 1$$

$$= \frac{210 + 402 - 317}{317} = \frac{295}{317}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_{1} = \frac{59}{317}.$$

So to summarise the solution is:

$$x_1 = \frac{59}{317}$$

$$x_2 = \frac{105}{317}$$

$$x_3 = -\frac{134}{317}.$$