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Question

Find inverse of the following matrix, using elementary transformation

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 5 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Solution

Construct the augmented matrix of A and I

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 2 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 5 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{R_1 \leftarrow \frac{1}{2}R_1} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 5 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \quad (1)$$

$$\xrightarrow{R_2 \leftarrow R_2 - 5R_1} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{5}{2} & -\frac{5}{2} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \quad (2)$$

$$\xrightarrow{R_3 \leftarrow R_3 - R_2} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{5}{2} & -\frac{5}{2} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{5}{2} & -1 & 1 \end{array} \right) \quad (3)$$

$$\xrightarrow{R_3 \leftarrow 2R_3} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{5}{2} & -\frac{5}{2} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 5 & -2 & 2 \end{array} \right) \quad (4)$$

$$\xrightarrow{R_2 \leftarrow R_2 - \frac{5}{2}R_3} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -15 & 6 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 5 & -2 & 2 \end{array} \right) \quad (5)$$

$$\xrightarrow{R_1 \leftarrow R_1 + \frac{1}{2}R_3} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 3 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -15 & 6 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 5 & -2 & 2 \end{array} \right) \quad (6)$$

$$A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 & 1 \\ -15 & 6 & -5 \\ 5 & -2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \quad (7)$$

Python Code

```
import numpy as np

# Define the matrix A
A = np.array([[2, 0, -1],
              [5, 1, 0],
              [0, 1, 3]])

# Calculate the inverse of A
A_inv = np.linalg.inv(A)

print( Inverse of the matrix A is: )
print(A_inv)
```

```
#include <stdio.h>

void invert_matrix(double A[3][3], double inv[3][3]) {
    int i, j, k;
    double aug[3][6];
    // Build augmented matrix [A | I]
    for (i = 0; i < 3; ++i) {
        for (j = 0; j < 3; ++j) {
            aug[i][j] = A[i][j];
            aug[i][j+3] = (i == j) ? 1.0 : 0.0;
        }
    }
}
```



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// Forward elimination
for (i = 0; i < 3; ++i) {
    double f = aug[i][i];
    for (j = 0; j < 6; ++j)
        aug[i][j] /= f;
    for (k = 0; k < 3; ++k) {
        if(k != i) {
            double f2 = aug[k][i];
            for (j = 0; j < 6; ++j)
                aug[k][j] -= f2 * aug[i][j];
        }
    }
}

// Extract inverse
for (i = 0; i < 3; ++i)
    for(j = 0; j < 3; ++j)
        inv[i][j] = aug[i][j+3];
}
```

Python and C Code

```
import ctypes
import numpy as np

# Load shared library
lib = ctypes.CDLL('./code.so')

# Prepare arguments
A = np.array([[2, 0, -1],
              [5, 1, 0],
              [0, 1, 3]], dtype=np.float64)
A_inv = np.zeros((3, 3), dtype=np.float64)

# Set up argtypes for the C function
lib.invert_matrix.argtypes = [ctypes.POINTER(ctypes.c_double * 3 * 3),
                               ctypes.POINTER(ctypes.c_double * 3 * 3)]
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# Create ctypes pointers
A_ct = (ctypes.c_double * 3 * 3)(*A.flatten())
A_inv_ct = (ctypes.c_double * 3 * 3)()

# Call C function
lib.invert_matrix(ctypes.byref(A_ct), ctypes.byref(
    A_inv_ct))

# Convert result back to numpy
A_inv_result = np.array(A_inv_ct).reshape((3, 3))
print( Inverse matrix from C:\n , A_inv_result)
```