

11. Find the rank of matrix A where

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$$(a) A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \quad (b) B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ a & b & c \\ -1 & 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad (c) C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & \lambda & \lambda \end{pmatrix}$$

① Transform A into REF (or RREF).

$$A \xrightarrow{L_1 \leftrightarrow L_2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{L_3 \leftarrow L_3 - L_1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} L_3 \leftarrow L_3 + L_2 \\ L_2 \leftarrow (-1)L_2 \end{matrix}}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}. \text{ Therefore, } \text{Rank}(A) = 2.$$

14. Find the inverse of each matrix (if exists) below:

$$(a) \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(c) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\ (0) & \ddots & & 1 \\ & & & 1 \end{pmatrix}_n$$

$$(e) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \alpha & (0) \\ & 1 & \ddots \\ & & \ddots & \alpha \\ (0) & & & 1 \end{pmatrix}_n$$

$$(b) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(d) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \dots & \dots & 1 \\ \vdots & 2 & \dots & 2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ 1 & 2 & \dots & n \end{pmatrix}_n$$

$$(f) \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 & \dots & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & 2 \\ 2 & \dots & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}_n$$

$$AB = BA = I, \quad A^{-1} = B \text{ or } B^{-1} = A$$

$$(A \mid I) \rightarrow (A^{-1}A \mid A^{-1}I) \rightarrow (I \mid A^{-1})$$

$$(a) \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(A \mid I_3) = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 2 & -1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{L_1 \leftrightarrow L_2} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} L_2 \leftarrow L_2 - 2L_1 \\ L_3 \leftarrow L_3 + L_1 \end{matrix}} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{\begin{matrix} L_3 \leftarrow L_3 + 2L_2 \\ L_2 \leftarrow (-1)L_2 \end{matrix}} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 2 & -3 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 2 & -3 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{L_3 \leftarrow \frac{1}{3}L_3} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{2}{3} & -1 & \frac{1}{3} \end{array} \right)$$

$$\xrightarrow{L_2 \leftarrow L_2 + L_3} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -\frac{1}{3} & 1 & \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{2}{3} & -1 & \frac{1}{3} \end{array} \right) = (I | A^{-1})$$

Therefore, $A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{3} & 1 & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{2}{3} & -1 & \frac{1}{3} \end{pmatrix}$.

(b) $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ (Find its inverse) Method: $(B | I) \rightarrow (I | B^{-1}) \checkmark$

$$(B | I) = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & 3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 2 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{\substack{L_2 \leftarrow L_2 - 2L_1 \\ L_3 \leftarrow L_3 - 3L_1}} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & 3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -6 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -6 & -3 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\xrightarrow{\substack{L_3 \leftarrow L_3 - L_2 \\ L_2 \leftarrow L_2 (-1)}} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & 3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 6 & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & -1 & 1 \end{array} \right). \text{Therefore, } B \text{ has no inverse.}$$

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15. Solve the system of linear equation unknown

(a) $\begin{cases} x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 = 0 \\ -x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 = 4 \\ x_1 + 4x_3 = 3 \end{cases}$ (b) $\begin{cases} x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 1 \\ -x_1 + mx_2 + 2x_3 = 2 \\ 2x_1 + 2x_2 - x_3 = -1 \end{cases}$ (c) $\begin{cases} x_1 + x_3 - x_4 = 1 \\ x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 = 2 \\ x_1 - x_2 - 2x_4 = 0 \end{cases}$

(d) $\begin{cases} x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + \cdots + x_n = 1 \\ x_1 + 2x_2 + 2x_3 + \cdots + 2x_n = 1 \\ x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 + \cdots + 3x_n = 1 \\ \vdots \\ x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 + \cdots + nx_n = 1 \end{cases}$ (e) $\begin{cases} x_1 - x_2 - x_3 - \cdots - x_n = 1 \\ -x_1 + x_2 - x_3 - \cdots - x_n = 2 \\ -x_1 - x_2 + x_3 - \cdots - x_n = 3 \\ \vdots \\ -x_1 - x_2 - x_3 - \cdots + x_n = n \end{cases}$

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Solve for x_1, x_2 and x_3

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}, \quad X = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow AX = B \Rightarrow \bar{A}^{-1}AX = \bar{A}^{-1}B \Rightarrow \underline{X = \bar{A}^{-1}B}$$

$$(A|B) \rightarrow (\bar{A}^{-1}A | \bar{A}^{-1}B) \\ \rightarrow (I|X)$$

$$\begin{cases} 2x = 4 \\ \bar{2}^{-1} \cdot 2x = \bar{2}^{-1} \cdot 4 \\ x = 2 \end{cases}$$

We solve this problem using Gauss-Jordan elimination,

$$(A|B) = \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 0 & 4 & 3 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow[l_3 \leftarrow l_3 - l_1]{l_2 \leftarrow l_2 + l_1} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\xrightarrow[l_2 \leftrightarrow l_3]{l_2 \leftarrow \frac{1}{4}l_2} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow[l_2 \leftarrow l_2 - 2l_3]{l_1 \leftarrow l_1 - 2l_3} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

$$\xrightarrow{l_1 \leftarrow l_1 + l_2} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) = (I | \bar{A}^{-1}B) = (I | X).$$

$$\text{Therefore, } X = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ or } (x_1, x_2, x_3) = (-1, 1, 1)$$

$$\text{or } x_1 = -1, x_2 = 1, x_3 = 1.$$