

ASSIGNMENT -2

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Problem 1: Using matrices, solve the following system of equations:-

$$\begin{aligned} 2x - 3y + 5z &= 11 \\ 3x + 2y - 4z &= -5 \\ x + y - 2z &= -3 \end{aligned}$$

Solution:-

1. Three equations provided in the question are:-

$$\begin{aligned} 2x - 3y + 5z &= 11 & (1) \\ 3x + 2y - 4z &= -5 & (2) \\ x + y - 2z &= -3 & (3) \end{aligned}$$

The augmented matrix of the system :-

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & -3 & 5 & 11 \\ 3 & 2 & -4 & -5 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \quad (4)$$

Reduction of augmented into row reduced ma-

$$R_1 \rightarrow R_1 - R_3 \quad (5)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -4 & 7 & 14 \\ 3 & 2 & -4 & -5 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \quad (6)$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 3R_1 \quad (7)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -4 & 7 & 14 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \quad (8)$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1 \quad (9)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -4 & 7 & 14 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \quad (10)$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1 \quad (11)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -4 & 7 & 14 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 5 & -9 & -17 \end{pmatrix} \quad (12)$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + 5R_2 \quad (13)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -4 & 7 & 14 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \quad (14)$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_3 \quad (15)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -4 & 7 & 14 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \quad (16)$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow -R_2 \quad (17)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -4 & 7 & 14 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \quad (18)$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 + R_3, \text{ we get} \quad (19)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -4 & 7 & 14 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \quad (20)$$

$$R_1 \rightarrow R_1 + 4R_2 \quad (21)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 7 & 22 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \quad (22)$$

$$R_1 \rightarrow R_1 - 7R_3 \quad (23)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \quad (24)$$

By rewriting the system using row reduced matrix, we get $x=1, y=2, z=3$

\therefore Solutions of the given equations are $x = 1, y = 2$ and $z = 3$.