

7. Solve the following system of equations and determine the value of the determinant, and the inverse of the matrix of coefficients.

$$16s + 32u + 33p + 13w = 91$$

$$5s + 11u + 10p + 8w = 16$$

$$9s + 7u + 6p + 12w = 5$$

$$34s + 14u + 15p + w = 43$$

8. Engineers use both English and SI (Système International d'Unités) units on a regular basis. Some fields use primarily one or the other, but many combine the two systems. For Example, the rate of energy input to a steam power plant from burning fossil fuels is usually measured in Btu/hour. However, the electricity produced by the same plant is usually measured in joules/s (Watts). Automobile engines, by contrast, are often rated in horse power or in ft lb<sub>f</sub>/s. Here are some conversion factors relating these different power measurements:

$$1 \text{ kW} = 3412.14 \text{ Btu/h} = 737.56 \text{ ft lb}_f/\text{s}$$

$$1 \text{ hp} = 550 \text{ ft lb}_f/\text{s} = 2544.5 \text{ Btu/h}$$

Generate a table of conversions from kW to hp. The table should start at 0kW and end at 15 kW. Use the input function to let the user define the increment between table entries. Use disp and fprintf to create a table with a title, column headings, and appropriate spacing.

9. Given the following relation:

$$X^2 = \sum_{i=1}^k \frac{(x_i - e_i)}{e_i}$$

Where  $e_i$  and  $x_i$  are independent vectors of length  $k$ . If  $e_i < 5$ , then  $e_i$  and  $x_i$  must be added to their respective  $e_{i+1}$  and  $x_{i+1}$  values. If the sum of  $e_i + e_{i+1}$  is still  $< 5$ , then  $e_{i+2}$  is added to the sum of  $e_i + e_{i+1}$ . This process is repeated until the sum is  $\geq 5$ . When  $e_i \geq 5$  and the sum of the remaining  $e_{i+1}, e_{i+2}, \dots, e_k$  is less than 5, then these remaining values are added to  $e_i$ . Write a script that computes  $X^2$  under the conditions described above. Check your results with the following vectors, which represent three different cases:

- $x=[1 \ 7 \ 8 \ 6 \ 5 \ 7 \ 3 \ 5 \ 4]; e=[2 \ 6 \ 10 \ 4 \ 3 \ 6 \ 1 \ 2 \ 3];$
- $x=[7 \ 11 \ 13 \ 6]; e=[6 \ 10 \ 15 \ 7];$
- $x=[3 \ 14 \ 20 \ 25 \ 14 \ 6 \ 2 \ 0 \ 1 \ 0]; e=[4 \ 12 \ 19 \ 19 \ 14 \ 8 \ 4 \ 2 \ 1 \ 1];$

HINT: The most compact script will be obtained by performing tests on the elements of *cumsum(e)*, where the length of  $e$  changes as the evaluation procedure progresses.