

Let A be an $n \times n$ -matrix with integer entries and b_1, \dots, b_k be integers satisfying $\det A = b_1 \cdot \dots \cdot b_k$. Prove that there exist $n \times n$ -matrices B_1, \dots, B_k with integer entries such that $A = B_1 \cdot \dots \cdot B_k$ and $\det B_i = b_i$ for all $i = 1, \dots, k$.