

1. Gauss-Jordan Method

Gauss-Jordan method is base on elimination, I use built-in function “rref” to calculate the answer to $Ax = b$. The complexity of Gauss-Jordan is $O(n^3)$.

2. Cofactor Method

Cofactor method use determinant to calculate the inverse matrix A^{-1} . In each element of inverse matrix, it needs to calculate the minor determinant which size is $n - 1$. And the following determinant needs $(n - 1) * \text{smaller determinant which size if } n - 2$. Recursively to size 1. So the complexity of cofactor method is $O(n!)$ which is not polynomial.

Note: Because of the time consuming, I modify the size of matrix to 50, 100, 200, 300, 400.

