



QUESTION1: Use Cramer's Rule to solve the system of linear equation given below $2x - y + 3z = 0$; $x + 5y - 7z = 0$; $x - 6y + 10z = 0$

Solution

Evaluate Δ first. We have

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 & -7 \\ 1 & -6 & 10 \end{vmatrix}$$

Apply $R_1 \rightarrow R_1 - 2R_2$, $R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_3$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -11 & 17 \\ 0 & 11 & -17 \\ 1 & -6 & 10 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Delta = 0 \quad [\text{because } R_1 \text{ and } R_2 \text{ are proportional}]$$

Therefore, the given system of linear homogeneous equations has an infinite number of solutions.

Now, Rewrite the equation

$$2x - y = -3z$$

$$x + 5y = 7z$$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 5 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Delta = 10 + 1 = 11$$

$$\Delta \neq 0$$

Now we have,

$$\Delta x = \begin{vmatrix} -3z & -1 \\ 7z & 5 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -15z + 7z = -8z$$

$$\Delta x = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -3z \\ 1 & 7z \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 14z - (-3z) = 17z$$

BY using Cramer's Rule

$$x = \frac{\Delta x}{\Delta} = \frac{-8z}{11}$$

$$y = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta} = \frac{17z}{11}$$

QUESTION2: Find the inverse of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 5 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and verify that $A^{-1}A = I_3$

Ans

$$|A| = 1 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} - 2 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} + 5 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(3-1) - 2(2+1) + 5(2+3)$$

$$= 1 \times 2 - 2 \times 3 + 5 \times 5$$

$$= 21$$



Since $|A| \neq 0$, A is invertible.

Evaluating the cofactors of the elements

$$A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 2$$

$$A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -3$$

$$A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 5$$

$$A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 3$$

$$A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 6$$

$$A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -3$$

$$A_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -13$$

$$A_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 9$$

$$A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = -1$$

$$\text{Adj}A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 5 \\ 3 & 6 & -3 \\ -13 & 9 & -1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & -13 \\ -3 & 6 & 9 \\ 5 & -3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj}A = \frac{1}{21} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & -13 \\ -3 & 6 & 9 \\ 5 & -3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2/21 & 3/21 & -13/21 \\ -3/21 & 6/21 & 9/21 \\ 5/21 & -3/21 & -1/21 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1}A = \begin{bmatrix} 2/21 & 3/21 & -13/21 \\ -3/21 & 6/21 & 9/21 \\ 5/21 & -3/21 & -1/21 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 5 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{21} + \frac{6}{21} + \frac{13}{21} & \frac{4}{21} + \frac{9}{21} + \frac{13}{21} & \frac{10}{21} + \frac{3}{21} - \frac{13}{21} \\ -\frac{3}{21} + \frac{12}{21} - \frac{9}{21} & -\frac{6}{21} + \frac{18}{21} + \frac{9}{21} & -\frac{15}{21} + \frac{6}{21} + \frac{9}{21} \\ \frac{5}{21} - \frac{6}{21} + \frac{1}{21} & \frac{10}{21} - \frac{9}{21} - \frac{1}{21} & \frac{25}{21} - \frac{3}{21} - \frac{1}{21} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

QUESTION3: Solve the system of equation using matrix method $2x - y + 3z = 5$; $3x + 2y - z = 7$; $4x + 5y - 5z = 9$

Ans

We can rewrite the above system of equations as the single matrix equation $AX = B$, where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & -1 \\ 4 & 5 & -5 \end{bmatrix}, X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 7 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = 2 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 5 & -5 \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 4 & -5 \end{vmatrix} + 3 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 4 & 5 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$2(-10+5) + 1(-15+4) + 3(15-8)$$

$$-10-11+21=0$$



Here, $|A|=0$

A is a singular matrix.

Thus, $AX = B$ has an infinite number of solutions. To find these solutions, we write $2x - y = 5 - 3z$, $3x + 2y = 7 + z$ or as a single matrix equation

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 - 3z \\ 7 + z \end{bmatrix}$$

Here, $|A| = 7 \neq 0$

Since $|A| \neq 0$, A is an invertible matrix. Now,

$$A_{11}=2 \quad A_{12}=-3 \quad A_{21}=1 \quad A_{22}=2$$

$$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore, from $X = A^{-1}B$, we get

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{7} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 - 3z \\ 7 + z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{7} \begin{bmatrix} 10 - 6z + 7 + z \\ -15 + 9z - 21 + 2z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{7} \begin{bmatrix} 17 - 5z \\ -15 + 9z + 14 + 2z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{7} \begin{bmatrix} 17 - 6z \\ -1 + 11z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x = \frac{17-6z}{7}, y = \frac{-1+11z}{7}$$

Question4:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 & -3 & -4 \\ 4 & 7 & -4 & -3 \\ 6 & 9 & -5 & 2 \\ 0 & -9 & 6 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$



$$\text{Let } A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 & -3 & -4 \\ 4 & 7 & -4 & -3 \\ 6 & 9 & -5 & 2 \\ 0 & -9 & 6 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

Applying $R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 2R_1$ and $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 3R_1$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 & -3 & -4 \\ 0 & -3 & 2 & 5 \\ 0 & -6 & 4 & 14 \\ 0 & -9 & 6 & 15 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 & -3 & -4 \\ 0 & -3 & 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|B| = 0$$

So,

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 & -4 \\ 0 & -3 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \text{ is a square sub matrix}$$

$$|A| = 2(-3 \times 4 - 0 \times 5)$$

$$= -24 \neq 0$$

Rank of this matrix is 3

QUESTION5: Show that $x(x + 1)(2x + 1)$ is a multiple of 6 for every natural number x .

Solution : Let P_n denote the statement $X(X+ 1)(2X+ 1)$ is a multiple of 6.



When $X=1$, P_n becomes $1(1+1)((2)(1)+1) = (1)(2)(3) = 6$ is a multiple of 6.

This shows that the result is true for $n = 1$.

Assume that P_k is true for some $k \in \mathbb{N}$.

That is assume that $k(k+1)(2k+1)$ is a multiple of 6.

Let $k(k+1)(2k+1) = 6m$ for some $m \in \mathbb{N}$.

We now show that the truth of P_k implies the truth of P_{k+1} , where P_{k+1} is $(k+1)(k+2)[2(k+1)+1] = (k+1)(k+2)(2k+3)$ is a multiple of 6.

We have $(k+1)(k+2)(2k+3) = (k+1)(k+2)[(2k+1)+2]$

$$= (k+1)[k(2k+1) + 2(2k+1) + 4]$$

$$= (k+1)[k(2k+1) + 6(k+1)]$$

$$= k(k+1)(2k+1) + 6(k+1)^2 = 6m + 6(k+1)^2$$

$$= 6[m + (k+1)^2]$$

Thus $(k+1)(k+2)(2k+3)$ is multiple of 6.

QUESTION6: Find the sum of the series $1^2 + 3^2 + 5^2 + \dots + (2n-1)^2$

Solution-

Let t_r denote the r th term of $1^2 + 3^2 + 5^2 + \dots + (2n-1)^2$, then

$$t_r = (2r-1)^2 = 4r^2 - 4r + 1$$

$$\sum_{r=1}^n t_r = \sum_{r=1}^n 4r^2 - 4r + 1 = 4 \sum_{r=1}^n r^2 - 4 \sum_{r=1}^n r + \sum_{r=1}^n 1$$

$$\sum_{r=1}^n r^2 = \frac{1}{6} n(n+1)(2n+1), \sum_{r=1}^n r = \frac{1}{2} n(n+1) \text{ and } \sum_{r=1}^n 1 = n$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{r=1}^n t_r &= 4 \left\{ \frac{1}{6} n(n+1)(2n+1) \right\} - 4 \left\{ \frac{1}{2} n(n+1) \right\} + 2 \\ &= \frac{2}{3} n(n+1)(2n+1) - 2n(n+1) + n. \end{aligned}$$

We now take $1/3n$ common from each on the right side, so that

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{r=1}^n t_r &= \frac{1}{3} n [2(n+1)(2n+1) - 6(n+1) + 3] \\ &= \frac{1}{3} n [2(2n^2 + 2n + n + 1) - (6n + 6) + 3] \\ &= \frac{1}{3} n [(4n^2 + 6n + 2 - 6n - 6 + 3)] = \frac{1}{3} n (4n^2 - 1) \end{aligned}$$

QUESTION7: If $1, \omega, \omega^2$ are three cube roots of unity. Show that :

$$(2-\omega)(2-\omega^2)(2-\omega^{10})(2-\omega^{11})=49$$

Ans-

Since ,

$$\omega^{10} = (\omega^3)^3 \omega$$

$$\omega^{11} = (\omega^3)^3 \omega^2$$

Thus,

$$(2-\omega)(2-\omega^2)(2-(\omega^3)^3 \omega)(2-(\omega^3)^3 \omega^2)$$

$$(2-\omega)(2-\omega^2)(2-\omega)(2-\omega^2)$$



$$\begin{aligned} & [(2-\omega)(2-\omega^2)]^2 \\ & [4-2\omega^2-2\omega+\omega^3]^2 \\ & [4-2(\omega^2+\omega)+\omega^3]^2 \\ & [4-2(-1)+1]^2 \\ & [4+2+1]^2 \\ & 49=\text{RHS} \end{aligned}$$

QUESTION9: Solve the inequality $\frac{2}{|x-3|} > 5$ and graph its solution.

Solution

The domain of the inequality is $\{x / x \neq 3\}$

For $x \neq 3$, $|x-3| > 0$

Thus, the given inequality

$$= \frac{2}{|x-3|} > 5$$

$$= 2 > 5|x-3|$$

$$= |x-3| < \frac{2}{5}$$

$$= \frac{-2}{5} < x-3 < \frac{2}{5}$$

$$= 3 - \frac{2}{5} < x-3+3 < \frac{2}{5}+3$$

$$= \frac{13}{5} < x < \frac{17}{5}$$

the solution set of the inequality is

$$\{x | 13/5 < x < 17/5\} = (13/5, 17/5)$$

The graph of this set is



QUESTION 10: Show that $f(x) = |x|$ is continuous at $x = 0$.

Solution

$$f(x) = |x| = \begin{cases} x, & x \geq 0 \\ -x, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

To show that f is continuous at $x = 0$, it is sufficient to show that

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (x) = f(0) \text{ and}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} (0 - h) = f(-h) \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} -(-h) \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} (h) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{And } \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (0 + h) = f(h) \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} (h) \\ &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} (h) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = 0$$

$F(0)=0$

Hence, f is continuous at $x = 0$.

QUESTION11: Find derivative of the following (i) x^2e^x (ii) $\ln x/x$

Solution

(i) x^2e^x

Using product rule,



$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx}(x^2 e^x) &= \frac{d}{dx}(x^2) e^x + x^2 \frac{d}{dx} e^x \\ &= 2x e^x + x^2 e^x \\ &= (2x + x^2) e^x\end{aligned}$$

(ii) $\ln x/x$

Using the quotient rule,

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d}{dx} \frac{\ln x}{x} &= \frac{x \frac{d}{dx}(\ln x) - \ln x \frac{d}{dx}(x)}{x^2} \\ &= \frac{x \cdot \frac{1}{x} - \ln x (1)}{x^2} \\ &= \frac{1 - \ln x}{x^2}\end{aligned}$$

QUESTION 12: If $Y = \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1})$, Prove that $(x^2 + 1) \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + x \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

Solution

$$\begin{aligned}Y &= \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1}) \\ \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{d}{dx} \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1}) \\ &= \frac{1}{x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1}} \frac{d}{dx} [x + (x^2 + 1)^{\frac{1}{2}}] \quad \text{[By using chain Rule]} \\ &= \frac{1}{x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1}} \left[1 + \frac{1}{2} (x^2 + 1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} 2x \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1}} \left[1 + \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1}} \left[\frac{\sqrt{x^2 + 1} + x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}} = (x^2 + 1)^{-1/2}\end{aligned}$$

Now Second Derivative we need to calculate

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} &= (x^2 + 1)^{-1/2} \\ &= \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) (x^2 + 1)^{-\frac{3}{2}} \frac{d}{dx} [x^2 + 1] \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{(x^2 + 1)^{\frac{3}{2}}} 2x = -\frac{x}{(x^2 + 1)^{\frac{3}{2}}}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Now, } (x^2 + 1) \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + x \frac{dy}{dx} &= (x^2 + 1) \frac{-x}{(x^2 + 1)^{\frac{3}{2}}} + (x^2 + 1)^{-1/2} \\ &= (x^2 + 1) \frac{-x}{(x^2 + 1)^{\frac{3}{2}}} + x \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}} \\ &= -\frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}} + \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 + 1}} = 0\end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$(x^2 + 1) \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + x \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

QUESTION 13 If a camphor ball evaporates at a rate proportional to its surface area $4\pi r^2$. Show that its radius decreases at a constant rate.

Solution

Let r be the radius V be the volume of the camphor ball at time t . Then

$$V = \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$$



We are given that the camphor ball evaporates at a rate proportional to its surface area. This means that the rate of decrease of volume V of the camphor ball is proportional to $4\pi r^2$

$$\text{So that, } \frac{dv}{dt} = -k(4\pi r^2)$$

where $k > 0$ is a constant.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dv}{dt} &= (4\pi r^2) \frac{dr}{dt} \\ &= (4\pi r^2) \frac{dr}{dt} = -k4\pi r^2 \\ &= \frac{dr}{dt} = -k \end{aligned}$$

[Negative sign has been introduced to show that the volume is decreasing.]

QUESTION 14: Determine the intervals in which the function $f(x) = e^{1/x}$ ($x \neq 0$) is increasing or decreasing .

Solution

$$\text{We have, for } x \neq 0 \quad f'(x) = e^{1/x} \left(-\frac{1}{x^2}\right) = -\frac{1}{x^2} e^{\frac{1}{x}}$$

As $e^{\frac{1}{x}} > 0$ and $x^2 > 0 \quad \forall x \neq 0$ we get $f'(x) < 0 \quad \forall x \neq 0$.

Thus, $f(x)$ decreases on $(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$

QUESTION 15: Find local maximum and local minimum values for $f(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 9x + 1$. ($x \in \mathbb{R}$).

Solution

$$\text{Thus, } f'(x) = 3x^2 - 12x + 9 = 3(x^2 - 4x + 3) = 3(x-3)(x-1).$$

To obtain critical number of f , we set $f'(x) = 0$ this yields $x = 1, 3$.

Therefore, the critical number of f are $x = 1, 3$.

$$\text{Now } f''(x) = 6x - 12 = 6(x-2)$$

$$\text{We have } f''(1) = 6(1-2) = -6 < 0 \text{ and } f''(3) = 6(3-2) = 6 > 0.$$

Using the second derivative test, we see that $f(x)$ has a local maximum at $x = 1$ and a local minimum at $x = 3$.

The value of local maximum at $x = 1$ is

$$f(1) = 1 - 6 + 9 + 1 = 5$$

and the value of local minimum at $x = 3$ is

$$f(3) = 3^3 - 6(3)^2 + 9(3) + 1 = 27 - 54 + 27 + 1 = 1.$$

QUESTION 16: Evaluate the integral

$$(ii) \quad I = \int x^3 (\log x)^2 dx$$

Sol: See Block-3, Unit-3, Example-24, Page 93.

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QUESTION 17: Find the area bounded by curve

Solution: Block -3, Unit-4, Example-13, Page-115

QUESTION 18. Find the length of the curve $Y = 2x + 3$

Solution: Block -3, Unit-4, Example-17, Page-117

QUESTION 19: Prove that the straight line joining the mid points of two non-parallel sides of a trapezium is parallel to the parallel sides and half of their sum.



Sol: See Block-4, Unit-1, Page 20, Example-11

QUESTION 20: Find maximum values of $5x + 2y$, subject to the following constraints. $-2x - 3y \leq -6$; $x - 2y \leq 2$; $6x + 4y \leq 24$; $-3x + 2y \leq 3$; $x \geq 0$, $y \geq 0$.

Sol: See IGNOU Block-4, Page-84, Unit-4, Example-1



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