

The entries of any matrix M can be rearranged into a list $r(M)$ by forming the list row-by-row starting from the first row, and also into a list $c(M)$ by forming the list column-by-column starting from the first column. If m and n are positive integers and A is an $m \times n$ matrix give a careful specification of the lists $r(M)$ and $c(M)$. (Your specification should include a rule that for each index i in the list gives the value of the i th item of the list.

- Specification for $c(M)$

$$c(M) := \bigoplus_{j=1}^n (M_{1j}, \dots, M_{mj}) = (a_1, \dots, a_{mn}). \quad a_i \in c(M), a_i = M_{pq}, p = ((i-1 \bmod m) + 1), q = (\lceil \frac{i}{m} \rceil)$$

- Specification for $r(M)$

$$r(M) := \bigoplus_{j=1}^m (M_{j1}, \dots, M_{jn}) \quad a_i \in r(M), a_i = M_{qp}, p = ((i-1 \bmod n) + 1), q = (\lceil \frac{i}{n} \rceil)$$