## CHAPTER-III

## **MATRICES**

## **2 MARK QUESTIONS**

### 1. Define Square Matrix.

Ans: A square matrix is a matrix in which the number of rows is equal to the number of columns, ie., m=n.

### 2. What is the Value of Every Diagonal Element of a Skew Matrix?

Ans: Zero.

### 3. What Are the Possible Orders If a Matrix Has 28 Elements?

Ans: The possible orders are denoted by

1 x 28,

2 x 14,

4 x 7,

7 x 4,

14 x 2,

28 x 1

### MATHEMATICS

4.If [2x+y03y4]=[6004], then find the value of x. (All India 2010C) Answer:

$$x = 3$$

5.If [3y-x3-2x7]=[53-27], then find the value of y. (All India 2010C)

### Answer:

$$y = 2$$

## **4 MARK QUESTIONS**

### 1: Matrices A and B will be inverse of each other only if

- AB=BA
- AB=0,BA=1
- 3. AB=BA=0
- 4. AB=BA=I

**Answer:** We know that if A is a square of order m, and if there exists another square matrix B of the same order m, such that AB=I, then B is said to be the inverse of A.

In this case, it is clear that A is the inverse of B.

Thus, matrices A and B will be inverses of each other only if AB=BA=I.

## 2: If a matrix has 24 elements, what are the possible order it can have? What, if it has 13 elements?

Answer: We know that if a matrix is of the order  $m \times n$ , it has mn elements.

Thus to find all the possible orders of a matrix having 24 elements, we have to find all the ordered pairs of natural numbers whose product is 24.

The ordered pairs are(1,24),(24,1),(2,12),(12,2),(3,8),(8,3),(4,6) and (6,4)

Hence, the possible orders of a matrix having 24 elements are:

1×24,24×1,2×12,12×2,3×8,8×3,4×6,6×4

(1,13) and (13,1) are the ordered pairs of natural numbers whose product is 13.

Hence, the possible orders of a matrix having 13 elements are 1×13 and 13×1

## 3: If n=p, then the order of the matrix 7X-5Z is:

- p×2
- 2×n
- n×3
- p×n

**Answer:** In this, order of  $X=2\times n$ 

and order of  $Z=2\times p$ 

Therefore, n=p

Hence order of  $7X-5Z=2\times n$ .

Thus option (B) is correct.

4: If A,B are symmetric matrices of same order, then AB-BA is a, A. Skew symmetric matrix

- 1. Symmetric matrix
- 2. Zero matrix
- 3. Identity matrix

Answer: Given, A and B are symmetric matrices, therefore, we have:

$$A'=A \text{ and } B'=B.....(i)$$

Consider

$$(AB-BA)'=(AB)'-(BA)',[\because (A-B)'=A'-B']$$
  
=B'A'-A'B',[:\((AB)'=B'A')\)

$$=-(AB-BA)$$

$$\therefore (AB-BA)'=-(AB-BA)$$

Thus, (AB-BA) is a skew-symmetric matrix.

### MATHEMATICS

Write the number of all possible matrices of order 2 × 2 with each entry 1, 2 or

### Answer:

We know that, a matrix of order  $2 \times 2$  has 4 entries. Since, each entry has 3 choices, namely 1, 2 or 3, therefore number of required matrices  $3^4 = 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 = 81$ .

## **7 MARK QUESTIONS**

1...If 3A – B = [5101] and B = [4235] then find the value of matrix A. (Delhi 2019) Answer:

Given, 
$$3A - B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$
  

$$\Rightarrow 3A - \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \qquad 3A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3A = \begin{bmatrix} 5+4 & 0+3 \\ 1+2 & 1+5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3A = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 3 \\ 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 3 \\ 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

## 2.Find the value of x - y, if (Delhi 2019) 2[103x]+[y102]=[5168]

#### Answer:

Given that,

$$2\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & x \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} y & 0 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ 1 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 6 \\ 0 & 2x \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} y & 0 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ 1 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2+y & 6+0 \\ 0+1 & 2x+2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 \\ 1 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

Here, both matrices are equal, so we equate the corresponding elements, 2 + y = 5 and 2x + 2 = 8

$$\Rightarrow$$
 y = 3 and 2x = 6  $\Rightarrow$  x = 3  
Therefore, x - y = 3 - 3 = 0

# 3.If A is a square matrix such that $A^2 = I$ , then find the simplified value of $(A - I)^3 + (A + I)^3 - 7A$ . (Delhi 2016)

### Answer:

Given, 
$$A^2 = 7$$
 ...... (i)  
Now,  $(A - I)^3 + (A + I)^3 - 7A$   
=  $(A^3 - 3A^2I + 3AI^2 - I) + (A^3 + 3A^2I + 3AI^2 + I^3) - 7A$   
=  $A^3 - 3A^2 + 3AI - I + A^3 + 3A^2 + 3AI + I - 7A$   
[:  $A^2I = A^2$  and  $I^3 = I^3 = I$ ]  
=  $2A^3 + 6AI - 7A = 2A^2A + 6A - 7A$  [:  $AI = A$ ]  
=  $2IA - A$  [from Eq. (1)]

## 

We have, 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$
  

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -2-1 & 1+3 & -2+3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -3-1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \end{bmatrix}_{1\times 1}$$

$$\therefore \text{ Order of matrix A is } 1\times 1.$$

5.Let A = [23–14], B = [5724], C = [2358], find a matrix D such that CD – AB = 0.
Answer:

Given, 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$
,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 7 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $C = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$ 

Let matrix 
$$D = \begin{bmatrix} x & y \\ z & w \end{bmatrix}$$

According to the questions, CD - AB = 0

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x & y \\ z & w \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 7 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2x + 5z & 2y + 5w \\ 3x + 8z & 3y + 8w \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 10 - 7 & 4 - 4 \\ 15 + 28 & 6 + 16 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2x + 5z & 2y + 5w \\ 3x + 8z & 3y + 8w \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 43 & 22 \end{bmatrix}$$

On equating corresponding elements both sides, we get

$$2x + 5z = 3$$
,  $3x + 8z = 43$ 

and 
$$2y + 5w = 0$$
,  $3y + 8w = 22$ 

After solving, we get

$$x = -191$$
,  $y = -110$ ,  $z = 77$  and  $w = 44$ 

$$\therefore D = \begin{bmatrix} x & y \\ z & w \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -191 & -110 \\ 77 & 44 \end{bmatrix}$$