

Symmetric Matrix

A square matrix $A = [a_{ij}]_{n \times n}$ is called symmetric if $A^t = A$.

Skew Symmetric Matrix

A square matrix $A = [a_{ij}]_{n \times n}$ is called skew symmetric matrix if $A^t = -A$.

Hermitian Matrix

A square matrix $A = [a_{ij}]_{n \times n}$ with complex entries is called Hermitian matrix if $(\bar{A})^t = A$.

Skew Hermitian Matrix

A square matrix $A = [a_{ij}]_{n \times n}$ with complex entries is called skew Hermitian if $(\bar{A})^t = -A$.

Echelon Form of a Matrix

A matrix A is called in (row) echelon form if

- (i) in each successive non-zero row, the number of zeros before the leading entry is greater than the number of such zeros in the preceding row,
- (ii) the first non-zero entry (or leading entry) in each row is 1.

For example

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & -2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ is in echelon form.}$$

Reduced Echelon Form of a Matrix

A matrix A is in reduced echelon form if it is in echelon form and if the first non-zero entry in R_i lies in C_j then all other entries of C_j are zero.

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ is in reduced echelon form.}$$

Rank of a Matrix

If a matrix A is in reduced echelon form then the number of non-zero rows of matrix A is called the rank of the matrix A .

EXERCISE 3.4

Q.1 If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 5 \\ -2 & 3 & -1 \\ 5 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $B = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ -2 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

then show that $(A + B)$ is symmetric.

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} A + B &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 5 \\ -2 & 3 & -1 \\ 5 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ -2 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1-3 & -2+1 & 5-2 \\ -2+1 & 3+0 & -1-1 \\ 5-2 & -1-1 & 0+2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -1 & 3 \\ -1 & 3 & -2 \\ 3 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (A+B)^t &= \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -1 & 3 \\ -1 & 3 & -2 \\ 3 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}^t \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -1 & 3 \\ -1 & 3 & -2 \\ 3 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = A+B
 \end{aligned}$$

\Rightarrow $A+B$ is a symmetric matrix.

Q.2 If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ show that

(i) $A + A^t$ is symmetric

(ii) $A - A^t$ is skew symmetric

Solution:

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

$$A^t = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 A + A^t &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1+1 & 2+3 & 0-1 \\ 3+2 & 2+2 & -1+3 \\ -1+0 & 3-1 & 2+2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 & -1 \\ 5 & 4 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (A + A^t)^t &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 & -1 \\ 5 & 4 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}^t \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 & -1 \\ 5 & 4 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = A + A^t
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (A + A^t)^t = (A + A^t)$$

\Rightarrow $A + A^t$ is symmetric.

(ii) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$A^t = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (A - A^t) &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1-1 & 2-3 & 0+1 \\ 3-2 & 2-2 & -1-3 \\ -1-0 & 3-(-1) & 2-2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -4 \\ -1 & 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\
 (A - A^t)^t &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -4 \\ -1 & 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^t \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 4 \\ 1 & -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= -\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -4 \\ -1 & 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = -(A - A^t)
 \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow (A - A^t)$ is a skew symmetric.

Q.3 If A is any square matrix of order 3, show that

- (i) $A + A^t$ is symmetric
 (ii) $(A - A^t)$ is skew-symmetric.

Solution:

(i) **Let**

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \text{ is a square matrix of order 3, then}$$

$$A^t = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{21} & a_{31} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} & a_{32} \\ a_{13} & a_{23} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A + A^t = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{21} & a_{31} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} & a_{32} \\ a_{13} & a_{23} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} + a_{11} & a_{12} + a_{21} & a_{13} + a_{31} \\ a_{21} + a_{12} & a_{22} + a_{22} & a_{23} + a_{32} \\ a_{31} + a_{13} & a_{32} + a_{23} & a_{33} + a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (A + A^t)^t &= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} + a_{11} & a_{12} + a_{21} & a_{13} + a_{31} \\ a_{21} + a_{12} & a_{22} + a_{22} & a_{23} + a_{32} \\ a_{31} + a_{13} & a_{32} + a_{23} & a_{33} + a_{33} \end{bmatrix}^t \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} + a_{11} & a_{21} + a_{12} & a_{31} + a_{13} \\ a_{12} + a_{21} & a_{22} + a_{22} & a_{32} + a_{23} \\ a_{13} + a_{31} & a_{23} + a_{32} & a_{33} + a_{33} \end{bmatrix} = A + A^t
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (A + A^t)^t = A + A^t$$

$$\Rightarrow A + A^t \text{ is symmetric.}$$

(ii) Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \text{ is a square matrix of order 3, then}$$

$$A^t = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{21} & a_{31} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} & a_{32} \\ a_{13} & a_{23} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A - A^t = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{21} & a_{31} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} & a_{32} \\ a_{13} & a_{23} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} - a_{11} & a_{12} - a_{21} & a_{13} - a_{31} \\ a_{21} - a_{12} & a_{22} - a_{22} & a_{23} - a_{32} \\ a_{31} - a_{13} & a_{32} - a_{23} & a_{33} - a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(A - A^t)^t = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} - a_{11} & a_{12} - a_{21} & a_{13} - a_{31} \\ a_{21} - a_{12} & a_{22} - a_{22} & a_{23} - a_{32} \\ a_{31} - a_{13} & a_{32} - a_{23} & a_{33} - a_{33} \end{bmatrix}^t$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} - a_{11} & a_{21} - a_{12} & a_{31} - a_{13} \\ a_{12} - a_{21} & a_{22} - a_{22} & a_{32} - a_{23} \\ a_{13} - a_{31} & a_{23} - a_{32} & a_{33} - a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= - \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} - a_{11} & a_{12} - a_{21} & a_{13} - a_{31} \\ a_{21} - a_{12} & a_{22} - a_{22} & a_{23} - a_{32} \\ a_{31} - a_{13} & a_{32} - a_{23} & a_{33} - a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow (A - A^t)^t = -(A - A^t)$$

$$\Rightarrow A - A^t \text{ is a skew symmetric matrix.}$$

Q.4 If the matrices **A** and **B** are symmetric and $AB = BA$, show that **AB** is symmetric.

Solution:

If the matrices **A** and **B** are symmetric then

$$A^t = A \quad \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

$$\text{and } B^t = B \quad \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

$$\text{also } AB = BA \quad \dots\dots\dots (3)$$

To show that **AB** is symmetric

We will prove that $(AB)^t = AB$

Now take $(AB)^t = B^t A^t$ by definition

$$= BA \quad \text{from (1) and (2)}$$

$$= AB \quad \text{from (3)}$$

$$\Rightarrow (AB)^t = AB$$

$$\Rightarrow AB \text{ is symmetric.}$$

Q.5 Show that AA^t and A^tA are symmetric for any matrix of order 2×3 .

Solution:

Consider a matrix A of order 2×3 such that

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^t = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{21} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} \\ a_{13} & a_{23} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} AA^t &= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{21} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} \\ a_{13} & a_{23} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} \cdot a_{11} + a_{12} \cdot a_{12} + a_{13} \cdot a_{13} & a_{11} \cdot a_{21} + a_{12} \cdot a_{22} + a_{13} \cdot a_{23} \\ a_{21} \cdot a_{11} + a_{22} \cdot a_{12} + a_{23} \cdot a_{13} & a_{21} \cdot a_{21} + a_{22} \cdot a_{22} + a_{23} \cdot a_{23} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}^2 + a_{12}^2 + a_{13}^2 & a_{11}a_{21} + a_{12}a_{22} + a_{13}a_{23} \\ a_{21}a_{11} + a_{22}a_{12} + a_{23}a_{13} & a_{21}^2 + a_{22}^2 + a_{23}^2 \end{bmatrix} \\ (AA^t)^t &= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}^2 + a_{12}^2 + a_{13}^2 & a_{21}a_{11} + a_{22}a_{12} + a_{23}a_{13} \\ a_{11}a_{21} + a_{12}a_{22} + a_{13}a_{23} & a_{21}^2 + a_{22}^2 + a_{23}^2 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$(AA^t)^t = AA^t$$

$\Rightarrow AA^t$ is symmetric.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } A^tA &= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{21} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} \\ a_{13} & a_{23} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}a_{11} + a_{21}a_{21} & a_{11}a_{12} + a_{21}a_{22} & a_{11}a_{13} + a_{21}a_{23} \\ a_{12}a_{11} + a_{22}a_{21} & a_{12}a_{12} + a_{22}a_{22} & a_{12}a_{13} + a_{22}a_{23} \\ a_{13}a_{11} + a_{23}a_{21} & a_{13}a_{12} + a_{23}a_{22} & a_{13}a_{13} + a_{23}a_{23} \end{bmatrix} \\ A^tA &= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}^2 + a_{21}^2 & a_{11}a_{12} + a_{21}a_{22} & a_{11}a_{13} + a_{21}a_{23} \\ a_{12}a_{11} + a_{22}a_{21} & a_{12}^2 + a_{22}^2 & a_{12}a_{13} + a_{22}a_{23} \\ a_{13}a_{11} + a_{23}a_{21} & a_{13}a_{12} + a_{23}a_{22} & a_{13}^2 + a_{23}^2 \end{bmatrix} \\ (A^tA)^t &= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}^2 + a_{21}^2 & a_{12}a_{11} + a_{22}a_{21} & a_{13}a_{11} + a_{23}a_{21} \\ a_{11}a_{12} + a_{21}a_{22} & a_{12}^2 + a_{22}^2 & a_{13}a_{12} + a_{23}a_{22} \\ a_{11}a_{13} + a_{21}a_{23} & a_{12}a_{13} + a_{22}a_{23} & a_{13}^2 + a_{23}^2 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$(A^tA)^t = (A^tA)$$

$\Rightarrow A^tA$ is symmetric.

Q.6 If

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} i & 1+i \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ show that}$$

(i) $A + (\bar{A})^t$ is Hermitian**(ii) $A - (\bar{A})^t$ is skew Hermitian.****Solution:**

$$(i) \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} i & 1+i \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bar{A} = \begin{bmatrix} -i & 1-i \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\bar{A})^t = \begin{bmatrix} -i & 1 \\ 1-i & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A + (\bar{A})^t = \begin{bmatrix} i & 1+i \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -i & 1 \\ 1-i & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} i-i & 1+i+1 \\ 1+1-i & -1-1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A + (\bar{A})^t = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2+i \\ 2-i & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\overline{A + (\bar{A})^t} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2-i \\ 2+i & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\left(\overline{A + (\bar{A})^t} \right)^t = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2+i \\ 2-i & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\left(\overline{A + (\bar{A})^t} \right)^t = A + (\bar{A})^t$$

$$\Rightarrow A + (\bar{A})^t \text{ is Hermitian.}$$

$$(ii) \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} i & 1+i \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bar{A} = \begin{bmatrix} -i & 1-i \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\bar{A})^t = \begin{bmatrix} -i & 1 \\ 1-i & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 A - (\bar{A})^t &= \begin{bmatrix} i & 1+i \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} -i & 1 \\ 1-i & -1 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} i - (-i) & 1+i-1 \\ 1-(1-i) & -1-(-1) \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} i+i & i \\ 1-1+i & -1+1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2i & i \\ i & -2i \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$A - (\bar{A})^t = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & i \\ -i & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\overline{A + (\bar{A})^t} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -i \\ -i & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \left(\overline{A + (\bar{A})^t} \right)^t &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -i \\ -i & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= - \begin{bmatrix} 0 & i \\ i & 0 \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\left(\overline{A + (\bar{A})^t} \right)^t = - (A - (\bar{A})^t)$$

$\Rightarrow A - (\bar{A})^t$ is skew Hermitian.

Q.7 If A is symmetric or skew symmetric show that A^2 is symmetric.

Solution:

Let A is symmetric

$$\Rightarrow A^t = A \quad \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

To show that A^2 is symmetric, we will show that $(A^2)^t = A^2$

\Rightarrow Take

$$(A^2)^t = (A \cdot A)^t = A^t \cdot A^t = A \cdot A = A^2 \quad \text{from (1)}$$

$$(A^2)^t = A^2$$

$\Rightarrow A^2$ is symmetric.

Now let A is skew symmetric

$$\Rightarrow A^t = -A \quad \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

To show that $(A^2)^t = A^2$

Take

$$(A^2)^t = (A \cdot A)^t = A^t \cdot A^t = (-A) \cdot (-A) = A^2 \quad \text{from (2)}$$

$$\Rightarrow (A^2)^t = A^2$$

$\Rightarrow A^2$ is symmetric.

Q.8 If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1+i \\ i \end{bmatrix}$ find $A (\bar{A})^t$.

Solution:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1+i \\ i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\bar{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1-i \\ -i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\bar{A})^t = [1 \quad 1-i \quad -i]$$

$$\begin{aligned} A (\bar{A})^t &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1+i \\ i \end{bmatrix} [1 \quad 1-i \quad -i] \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} (1)(1) & (1)(1-i) & (1)(-i) \\ (1+i)(1) & (1+i)(1-i) & (1+i)(-i) \\ (i)(1) & (i)(1-i) & (i)(-i) \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1-i & -i \\ 1+i & 1-i^2 & -i-i^2 \\ i & i-i^2 & -i^2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1-i & -i \\ 1+i & 1-(-1) & -i-(-1) \\ i & i-(-1) & -(-1) \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1-i & -i \\ 1+i & 2 & 1-i \\ i & i+1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Q.9 Find the inverse of the following matrices. Also find their inverses by using row and column operations.

(i) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ -2 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ (ii) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ (iii) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Solution:

(i) **By Adjoint Method**

Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ -2 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned} |A| &= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ -2 & -2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= 1 \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ -2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} - 2 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} - 3 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ -2 & -2 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= 1((-2)(2) - 0) - 2((0)(2) - (-2)(0)) - 3((0)(-2) - (-2)(-2)) \\ &= -4 - 2(0) - 3(0 - 4) \end{aligned}$$

$$= -4 - 3(-4) = -4 + 12 = 8 \neq 0$$

$$|A| \neq 0 \Rightarrow A^{-1} \text{ exists.}$$

Now

$$A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ -2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^2 ((-2)(2) - (0)(-2)) = (1)(-4 + 0) = -4$$

$$A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^3 (0 - 0) = 0$$

$$A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ -2 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^4 (0 - (-2)(-2)) = -4$$

$$A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ -2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^3 (4 - 6) = -1(-2) = 2$$

$$A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ -2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^4 (2 - 6) = -4$$

$$A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -2 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^5 (-2 + 4) = -(2) = -2$$

$$A_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ -2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^4 (0 - 6) = 1(-6) = -6$$

$$A_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^5 (0 - 0) = 0$$

$$A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^6 (-2 - 0) = 1(-2) = -2$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{\text{adj } A}{|A|}$$

$$= \frac{1}{|A|} \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & A_{13} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & A_{23} \\ A_{31} & A_{32} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix}^t$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 0 & -4 \\ 2 & -4 & -2 \\ -6 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}^t$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 2 & -6 \\ 0 & -4 & 0 \\ -4 & -2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{4}{8} & \frac{2}{8} & -\frac{6}{8} \\ \frac{0}{8} & -\frac{4}{8} & \frac{0}{8} \\ -\frac{4}{8} & -\frac{2}{8} & -\frac{2}{8} \end{bmatrix}$$

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

To find A^{-1} by row operations:

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & -3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -2 & -2 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & -3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -2+2(1) & -2+2(2) & -2+2(-3) & 0+2(1) & 0+2(0) & 1+2(0) \end{array} \right] R_3+2R_1$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & -3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -4 & 2 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & -3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -4 & 2 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \text{By } -\frac{1}{2} R_2$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1+(-2)(0) & 2+(-2)(1) & -3+(-2)(0) & 1+(-2)(0) & 0+(-2)-\frac{1}{2} & 0+(-2)(0) \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0+(-2)(0) & 2+(-2)(1) & -4+(-2)(0) & 2+(-2)(0) & 0+(-2)\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) & 1+(-2)(0) \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} R_1+(-2)R_2 \\ R_3+(-2)R_2 \end{array}$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & -3 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -4 & 2 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & -3 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} \end{array} \right] \text{By } -\frac{1}{4} R_3$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & -3+3(1) & 1+3\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) & 1+3\left(-\frac{1}{4}\right) & 0+3\left(-\frac{1}{4}\right) \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} \end{array} \right] \text{By } R_1+3R_3$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & : & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{4} & -\frac{3}{4} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & : & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Thus } A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{4} & -\frac{3}{4} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} \end{bmatrix}$$

To find A^{-1} by using column operations.

Taking I_3 as

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ -2 & -2 & 2 \\ \hline 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 + (-2)(1) & -3 + 3(1) \\ 0 & -2 + (-2)(0) & 0 + 3(0) \\ -2 & -2 + (-2)(-2) & 2 + 3(0) \\ \hline 1 & 0 + (-2)(1) & 0 + 3(1) \\ 0 & 1 + (-2)(0) & 0 + 3(0) \\ 0 & 0 + (-2)(0) & 1 + 3(0) \end{bmatrix}$$

By
 $C_2 + (-2)C_1$
 $C_3 + 3C_1$

$$C \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ -2 & 2 & -4 \\ \hline 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -2 & -1 & -4 \\ \hline 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{By } \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)C_2$$

$$C \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -2 & -1 & 1 \\ \hline 1 & 1 & -\frac{3}{4} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{4} \end{bmatrix} \text{ By } \left(-\frac{1}{4}\right) C_3$$

$$C \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -2+2(1) & -1+1 & 1 \\ \hline 1+2\left(-\frac{3}{4}\right) & 1-\frac{3}{4} & -\frac{3}{4} \\ 0+2(0) & -\frac{1}{2}+0 & 0 \\ 0+2\left(-\frac{1}{4}\right) & 0-\frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} \end{bmatrix} \text{ By } \begin{matrix} C_1 + 2C_3 \\ C_2 + C_3 \end{matrix}$$

$$C \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \hline -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{4} & -\frac{3}{4} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus

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

$$(ii) \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow |A| = 1(-2-0) + 1(6-1) = -2+5 = 3 \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow |A| \neq 0 \Rightarrow \text{inverse of } A \text{ exists.}$$

$$\text{Now } A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^2 (-2 + 0) = -2$$

$$A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^3 (0 - 3) = -(-3) = 3$$

$$A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^4 (0 + 1) = 1$$

$$A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^3 (4 - 0) = -4$$

$$A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^4 (2 + 1) = 3$$

$$A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^5 (0 - 2) = 2$$

$$A_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^4 (6 - 1) = 1(5) = 5$$

$$A_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^5 (3 - 0) = -3$$

$$A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^6 (-1 - 0) = -1$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{\text{adj } A}{|A|}$$

$$= \frac{1}{|A|} \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & A_{13} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & A_{23} \\ A_{31} & A_{32} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix}^t$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 3 & 1 \\ -4 & 3 & 2 \\ 5 & -3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}^t = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -4 & 5 \\ 3 & 3 & -3 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

To find A^{-1} by using row operations. Take I_3 as

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1-1 & 0-2 & 2+1 & 0-1 & 0-0 & 1-0 \end{array} \right] \quad \text{By } R_3 - R_1$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 3 & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \\
& \sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 3 & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \quad \text{By } (-1) R_2 \\
& \sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2-2(1) & -1-2(-3) & 1-2(0) & 0-2(-1) & 0-2(0) \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2+2(1) & 3+2(-3) & -1+2(0) & 0+2(-1) & 1+2(0) \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{By } R_1 - 2R_2 \\ R_3 + 2R_2 \end{array} \\
& \sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 5 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 & -1 & -2 & 1 \end{array} \right] \\
& \sim = \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 5 & : & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & : & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} \end{array} \right] \quad \text{By } \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) R_3 \\
& \sim = \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 5-5(1) & : & 1-5\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) & 2-5\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) & 0-5\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) \\ 0 & 1 & -3+3(1) & : & 0+3\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) & -1+3\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) & 0+3\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{By } R_1 - 5R_3 \\ R_2 + 3R_3 \end{array} \\
& \sim = \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & : & -\frac{2}{3} & -\frac{4}{3} & \frac{5}{3} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & : & 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} \end{array} \right] \\
\Rightarrow A^{-1} = \left[\begin{array}{ccc} -\frac{2}{3} & -\frac{4}{3} & \frac{5}{3} \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} \end{array} \right]
\end{aligned}$$

To find A^{-1} by using column operations.

Taking I_3 as

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 2-2(1) & -1+1 \\ 0 & -1-2(0) & 3+0 \\ 1 & 0-2(1) & 2+1 \\ \hline 1 & 0-2(1) & 0+1 \\ 0 & 1-2(0) & 0+0 \\ 1 & 0-2(0) & 1+(0) \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{By} \\ C_2 + (-2)C_1 \\ C_3 + C_1 \end{array}$$

$$C \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 & 3 \\ \hline 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ \hline 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{By } (-1) C_2$$

$$C \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3-3(1) \\ 1 & 2 & 3-3(2) \\ \hline 1 & 2 & 1-3(2) \\ 0 & -1 & 0-3(-1) \\ 0 & 0 & 1-3(0) \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{By } C_3 - 3 C_2$$

$$C \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \\ \hline 1 & 2 & -5 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ \hline 1 & 2 & \frac{5}{3} \\ 0 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{By } \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) C_3$$

$$C \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1-1 & 2-2(1) & 1 \\ \text{---} & \text{---} & \text{---} \\ 1-\frac{5}{3} & 2-2\left(\frac{5}{3}\right) & \frac{5}{3} \\ 0+1 & -1-2(-1) & -1 \\ 0+\frac{1}{3} & 0-2\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) & -\frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{By } \begin{matrix} C_1 - C_3 \\ C_2 - 2C_3 \end{matrix}$$

$$C \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \text{---} & \text{---} & \text{---} \\ -\frac{2}{3} & -\frac{4}{3} & \frac{5}{3} \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus

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

$$(iii) \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

To find inverse by adjoint method

$$\text{Let } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(1-0) + 3(2-0) + 2(-2-0) = 1 + 6 - 4 = 3 \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow |A| \neq 0 \Rightarrow \text{inverse of } A \text{ exists.}$$

Now

$$A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^2 (1-0) = 1$$

$$A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^3 (2-0) = -2$$

$$A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^4 (-2-0) = -2$$

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

$$A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^4 (1-0) = 1$$

$$A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 0 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^5 (-1-0) = 1$$

$$A_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} \begin{vmatrix} -3 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^4 (0-2) = -2$$

$$A_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^5 (0-4) = 4$$

$$A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^6 (1+6) = 7$$

As

$$\begin{aligned} A^{-1} &= \frac{\text{AdJ } A}{|A|} \\ &= \frac{1}{|A|} \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & A_{13} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & A_{23} \\ A_{31} & A_{32} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix}^t = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -2 & 4 & 7 \end{bmatrix}^t \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 \\ -2 & 1 & 4 \\ -2 & 1 & 7 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{2}{3} \\ -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{4}{3} \\ -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{7}{3} \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

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

To find A^{-1} by using row operations.

Take I_3 as

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 & : & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & : & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & : & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 & : & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2-2(1) & 1-2(-3) & 0-2(2) & : & 0-2(1) & 1-2(0) & 0-2(0) \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & : & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ By } R_2 - 2R_1$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 & : & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 & -4 & : & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & : & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 & : & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{-4}{7} & : & \frac{-2}{7} & \frac{1}{7} & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & : & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ By } \left(\frac{1}{7}\right) R_2$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3+3(1) & 2+3\left(-\frac{4}{7}\right) & : & 1+3\left(-\frac{2}{7}\right) & 0+3\left(\frac{1}{7}\right) & 0+3(0) \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{-4}{7} & : & \frac{-2}{7} & \frac{1}{7} & 0 \\ 0 & -1+1 & 1-\frac{4}{7} & : & 0-\frac{2}{7} & 0+\frac{1}{7} & 1+0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ By } \begin{matrix} R_1 + 3 R_2 \\ R_3 + R_2 \end{matrix}$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{2}{7} & : & \frac{1}{7} & \frac{3}{7} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{4}{7} & : & \frac{-2}{7} & \frac{1}{7} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{3}{7} & : & \frac{-2}{7} & \frac{1}{7} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{2}{7} & : & \frac{1}{7} & \frac{3}{7} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{4}{7} & : & \frac{-2}{7} & \frac{1}{7} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & \frac{-2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{7}{3} \end{bmatrix} \text{ By } \left(\frac{7}{3}\right) R_3$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{2}{7}-\frac{2}{7}(1) & : & \frac{1}{7}-\frac{2}{7}\left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) & \frac{3}{7}-\frac{2}{7}\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) & 0-\frac{2}{7}\left(\frac{7}{3}\right) \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{4}{7}+\frac{4}{7}(1) & : & -\frac{2}{7}+\frac{4}{7}\left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) & \frac{1}{7}+\frac{4}{7}\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) & 0+\frac{4}{7}\left(\frac{7}{3}\right) \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{7}{3} \end{bmatrix} \text{ By } \begin{matrix} R_1 - \left(\frac{2}{7}\right) R_3 \\ R_2 + \left(\frac{4}{7}\right) R_3 \end{matrix}$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & : & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{2}{3} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & : & -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{4}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{7}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{2}{3} \\ -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{4}{3} \\ -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{7}{3} \end{bmatrix}$

To find A^{-1} by using column operations:

Take I_3 as

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ \hline 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \sim C \\ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3+3(1) & 2-2(1) \\ 2 & 1+3(2) & 0-2(2) \\ 0 & -1+3(0) & 1-2(0) \\ \hline 1 & 0+3(1) & 0-2(1) \\ 0 & 1+3(0) & 0-2(0) \\ 0 & 0+3(0) & 1-2(0) \end{bmatrix} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \\ \text{By } \begin{array}{l} C_2 + 3C_1 \\ C_3 - 2C_1 \end{array} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \sim C \\ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 7 & -4 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ \hline 1 & 3 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \sim C \\ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & -4 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{7} & 1 \\ \hline 1 & \frac{3}{7} & -2 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{7} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{array} \quad \text{By } \left(\frac{1}{7}\right)C_2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2-2(1) & 1 & -4+4(1) \\ 0-2\left(-\frac{1}{7}\right) & -\frac{1}{7} & 1+4\left(-\frac{1}{7}\right) \\ \text{---} & \text{---} & \text{---} \\ 1-2\left(+\frac{3}{7}\right) & \frac{3}{7} & -2+4\left(\frac{3}{7}\right) \\ 0-2\left(\frac{1}{7}\right) & \frac{1}{7} & 0+4\left(\frac{1}{7}\right) \\ 0-2(0) & 0 & 1+4(0) \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{By } \begin{matrix} C_1 - 2C_2 \\ C_3 + 4C_2 \end{matrix} \\
 & \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{2}{7} & -\frac{1}{7} & \frac{3}{7} \\ \text{---} & \text{---} & \text{---} \\ \frac{1}{7} & \frac{3}{7} & -\frac{2}{7} \\ -\frac{2}{7} & \frac{1}{7} & \frac{4}{7} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\
 & \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{2}{7} & -\frac{1}{7} & 1 \\ \text{---} & \text{---} & \text{---} \\ \frac{1}{7} & \frac{3}{7} & -\frac{2}{3} \\ -\frac{2}{7} & \frac{1}{7} & \frac{4}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{7}{3} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{By } \left(\frac{7}{3}\right)C_3 \\
 & \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \frac{2}{7}-\frac{2}{7}(1) & -\frac{1}{7}+\frac{1}{7}(1) & 1 \\ \text{---} & \text{---} & \text{---} \\ \frac{1}{7}-\frac{2}{7}\left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) & \frac{3}{7}+\frac{1}{7}\left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) & -\frac{2}{3} \\ -\frac{2}{7}-\frac{2}{7}\left(\frac{4}{3}\right) & \frac{1}{7}+\frac{1}{7}\left(\frac{4}{3}\right) & \frac{4}{3} \\ 0-\frac{2}{7}\left(\frac{7}{3}\right) & 0+\frac{1}{7}\left(\frac{7}{3}\right) & \frac{7}{3} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{By } \begin{matrix} C_1 - \left(\frac{2}{7}\right)C_3 \\ C_2 + \left(\frac{1}{7}\right)C_3 \end{matrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$C \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \hline \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{2}{3} \\ -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{4}{3} \\ -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{7}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{2}{3} \\ -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{4}{3} \\ -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{7}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

Q.10 Find the rank of the following matrices

$$(i) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & -6 & 5 & 1 \\ 3 & 5 & 4 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \quad (ii) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4 & -7 \\ 2 & -5 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 3 & -7 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(iii) \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 3 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 & -3 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 & 2 & 5 \\ 2 & 5 & -2 & -3 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solution:

$$(i) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & -6 & 5 & 1 \\ 3 & 5 & 4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2-2(1) & -6-2(-1) & 5-2(2) & 1-2(1) \\ 3-3(1) & 5-3(-6) & 4-3(5) & -3-3(1) \end{bmatrix} \text{ By } \begin{matrix} R_2 - 2R_1 \\ R_3 - 3R_1 \end{matrix}$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & -4 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 8 & -2 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ 0 & 8 & -2 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \text{ By } \left(-\frac{1}{4}\right)R_2$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ 0 & 8-8(1) & -2-8\left(-\frac{1}{4}\right) & -6-8\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{By } R_3 - 8R_2$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1+1 & 2-\frac{1}{4} & 1+\frac{1}{4} \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -8 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{By } R_1 + R_2$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{7}{4} & \frac{5}{4} \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$$

since There are three non-zero rows

\Rightarrow Rank = 3

$$(ii) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4 & -7 \\ 2 & -5 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 3 & -7 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4 & -7 \\ 2-2(1) & -5-2(-4) & 1-2(-7) \\ 1-1 & -2+4 & 3+7 \\ 3-3(1) & -7-3(-4) & 4-3(-7) \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} R_2 - 2R_1 \\ R_3 - R_1 \\ R_4 - 3R_1 \end{matrix}$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4 & -7 \\ 0 & 3 & 15 \\ 0 & 2 & 10 \\ 0 & 5 & 25 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4 & -7 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 2 & 10 \\ 0 & 5 & 25 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{By } \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)R_2$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -4+4(1) & -7+4(5) \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 2-2(1) & 10-2(5) \\ 0 & 5-5(1) & 25-5(5) \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} R_1 + 4R_2 \\ \text{By } R_3 - 2R_2 \\ R_4 - 5R_2 \end{array}$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 13 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Since there are two non-zero rows

$$\Rightarrow \text{Rank} = 2$$

$$(iii) \quad \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 3 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 & -3 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 & 2 & 5 \\ 2 & 5 & -2 & -3 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & -3 & -2 \\ 3 & -1 & 3 & 0 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 & 2 & 5 \\ 2 & 5 & -2 & -3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{interchanging } R_1 \text{ \& } R_2$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & -3 & -2 \\ 3-3(1) & -1-3(2) & 3-3(-1) & 0-3(-3) & -1-3(-2) \\ 2-2(1) & 3-2(2) & 4-2(-1) & 2-2(-3) & 5-2(-2) \\ 2-2(1) & 5-2(2) & -2-2(-1) & -3-2(-3) & 3-2(-2) \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} R_2 - 3R_1 \\ \text{By } R_3 - 2R_1 \\ R_4 - 2R_1 \end{array}$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & -3 & -2 \\ 0 & -7 & 6 & 9 & 5 \\ 0 & -1 & 6 & 8 & 9 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & -3 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 & 7 \\ 0 & -1 & 6 & 8 & 9 \\ 0 & -7 & 6 & 9 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{Interchanging } R_2 \text{ \& } R_4$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2-2(1) & -1-2(0) & -3-2(3) & -2-2(7) \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 & 7 \\ 0 & -1+1 & 6+0 & 8+3 & 9+7 \\ 0 & -7+7(1) & 6+7(0) & 9+7(3) & 5+7(7) \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} R_1 - 2R_2 \\ \text{By } R_3 + R_2 \\ R_4 + 7R_1 \end{array}$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & -9 & -16 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 & 11 & 16 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 & 30 & 54 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & -9 & -16 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 & 30 & 54 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 & 11 & 16 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & -9 & -16 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 5 & 9 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 & 11 & 16 \end{bmatrix} \text{ By } \left(\frac{1}{6}\right) R_3$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1+1 & -9+5 & -16+9 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 5 & 9 \\ 0 & 0 & 6-6(1) & 11-6(5) & 16-6(9) \end{bmatrix} \text{ By } \begin{matrix} R_1 + R_3 \\ R_4 - 6R_3 \end{matrix}$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -4 & -7 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 5 & 9 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -19 & -38 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -4 & -7 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 5 & 9 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ By } \left(-\frac{1}{19}\right) R_4$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -4+4(1) & -7+4(2) \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3-3(1) & 7-3(2) \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 5-5(1) & 9-5(2) \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ By } \begin{matrix} R_1 + 4R_4 \\ R_2 - 3R_4 \\ R_3 - 5R_4 \end{matrix}$$

$$R \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

There are four non-zero rows

\Rightarrow Rank = 4

EXERCISE 3.5

Q.1 Solve the following systems of linear equations by Cramer rule.

(i) $2x + 2y + z = 13$

$3x - 2y - 2z = 1$

$5x + y - 3z = 2$

(iii) $2x_1 - x_2 + x_3 = 8$

$x_1 + 2x_2 + 2x_3 = 6$

$x_1 - 2x_2 - x_3 = 1$

(ii) $2x_1 - x_2 + x_3 = 5$

$4x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 = 8$

$3x_1 - 4x_2 - x_3 = 3$