

Chapter 2

Matrix Algebra

Determinant of Matrix

In linear algebra, the determinant is a value associated with a square matrix. It can be computed from the entries of the matrix by a specific arithmetic expression. The determinant provides important information when the matrix is that of the coefficients of a system of linear equations. The system has a unique solution if and only if the determinant is nonzero.

$$\text{Matrix } A = \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{square } m \times m \end{array} \right) = \left[\begin{array}{c} \text{square } n \times n \end{array} \right]$$
$$\text{Determinant } \det(A) = |A| = \left| \begin{array}{c} \text{square} \end{array} \right|$$

2x2 Matrix: $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times 2}$

$$\det(A) = |A| = \begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix} = ad - cb$$

Ex: Find the value of the determinant for the following matrices

(i) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned} \det(A) = |A| &= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (1)(3) - (-1)(2) \\ &= 3 - (-2) = \boxed{5} \end{aligned}$$

(ii) $B = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ 1 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned} \det(B) = |B| &= \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ 1 & 6 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (3)(6) - (1)(-5) \\ &= 18 - (-5) = 18 + 5 = 23 \end{aligned}$$

The Determinant for 3x3 Matrix:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} + & - & + \\ - & + & - \\ + & - & + \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\det(A) = |A| = \begin{vmatrix} +a & -b & +c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{vmatrix} = a \begin{vmatrix} e & f \\ h & i \end{vmatrix} - b \begin{vmatrix} d & f \\ g & i \end{vmatrix} + c \begin{vmatrix} d & e \\ g & h \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= a(ei - hf) - b(di - gf) + c(dh - ge)$$

$$= -b \begin{vmatrix} d & f \\ g & i \end{vmatrix} + e \begin{vmatrix} a & c \\ g & i \end{vmatrix} - h \begin{vmatrix} a & c \\ d & f \end{vmatrix}$$

Second Column

Ex: Find the determinant of the following matrices

$$(i) A = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & 6 \\ 3 & -5 & 4 \\ 9 & 1 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} \oplus -2 & \ominus 1 & \oplus 6 \\ 3 & -5 & 4 \\ 9 & 1 & -3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -2 \begin{vmatrix} -5 & 4 \\ 1 & -3 \end{vmatrix} - 1 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 9 & -3 \end{vmatrix} + 6 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ 9 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -2(15 - 4) - (-9 - 36) + 6(3 - (-45))$$

$$= -2(11) + 45 + 6(48) = +311$$

$$(ii) B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \\ 6 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|B| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \\ 6 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 0 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} + (1) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 6 & 1 \end{vmatrix} - 5 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 6 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 0 + 1 - 18 - 5(2 - (-6))$$

$$= 0 + 1 - 18 - 5(8)$$

$$= 1 - 18 - 40 = -57$$

$$3x = 9$$

Solve for x?

$$3x = 9$$

$$\frac{1}{3} \cdot 3x = \frac{1}{3} \cdot 9$$

$$(1)x = 3$$

$$3 \cdot \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{3} \cdot 3 = 1$$

Inverse Matrix

$$A(B) = BA = I$$

$$B = A^{-1}$$

$$AA^{-1} = A^{-1}A = I$$

$$A^{-1}$$

$$AB \neq BA$$

 $2 \times 3 \quad 3 \times 1$

$$AI = IA = A$$

Identity unit

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 5 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 5 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 5 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 5 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

A^{-1} exists
if $|A| \neq 0$

If $|A| = 0$
A has no inverse
Singular matrix
non invertible matrix

$$A^{-1} \rightarrow A \otimes = B$$

$$(A^{-1} A) X = A^{-1} B$$

$$I X = A^{-1} B$$

$$X = A^{-1} B$$

If $|A| \neq 0$
A has inverse
A is non singular
invertible

How to find A^{-1}

2x2 Matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$$

① Cofactors Method

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} (\text{Cofactors})^T$$

$$= \frac{1}{|A|} \text{Adjoint}(A)$$

$$\text{Adj}(A) = (\text{Cofactors})^T$$

$$\text{Adj}(A) = \begin{pmatrix} C_{11} & C_{12} \\ C_{21} & C_{22} \end{pmatrix}^T$$

$$C_{11} = +d$$

$$C_{12} = -c$$

$$C_{21} = -b$$

$$C_{22} = +a$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \begin{pmatrix} d & -c \\ -b & a \end{pmatrix}^T$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix}^{-3-}$$

② Gauss - Jordan Method

$$\textcircled{1} (A | I)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b & | & 1 & 0 \\ c & d & | & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

② Elementary row operations

- ① Multiplying any row by value
- ② Adding any two rows
- ③ interchanging any two rows

$$\textcircled{3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & | & A^{-1} \\ 0 & 1 & | & \end{pmatrix}$$

Find the inverse Matrix of the following Matrices:

(i) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 5 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{Adj}(A)$

$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 5 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = (1)(4) - (3)(5) = -11$

$\text{Adj}(A) = \begin{pmatrix} +4 & -5 \\ -3 & +1 \end{pmatrix}^T = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ -5 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{-11} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ -5 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Augmented matrix for finding the inverse of A :

$$\left(\begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 5 & 4 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{-5R_1} \left(\begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -11 & -5 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{-11}R_2} \left(\begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{5}{11} & -\frac{1}{11} \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{-3R_2} \left(\begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 0 & -\frac{4}{11} & \frac{3}{11} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{5}{11} & -\frac{1}{11} \end{array} \right)$$

$A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{4}{11} & \frac{3}{11} \\ \frac{5}{11} & -\frac{1}{11} \end{pmatrix}$

(ii) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ 4 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$

$|A| = 15 - (-4) = 19$

$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{19} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ -4 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{pmatrix}$$

① Cofactors:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{Adj}(A) = (\text{cofactors})^T$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} C_{11} & C_{12} & C_{13} \\ C_{21} & C_{22} & C_{23} \\ C_{31} & C_{32} & C_{33} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$C_{11} = +ei - hf$$

$$C_{12} = -(di - gf)$$

$$C_{13} = +dh - ge$$

$$C_{21} = -(bi - hc)$$

$$C_{22} = +ai - gc$$

$$C_{23} = -(ah - gb)$$

$$C_{31} = +bf - ec$$

$$C_{32} = -(af - dc)$$

$$C_{33} = +ae - bd$$

Gauss Jordan

$$\textcircled{1} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} a & b & c & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ d & e & f & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ g & h & i & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

② Elementary row operations

$$\textcircled{3} (I | A^{-1})$$

Ex: $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5 & 3 \\ 4 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

+ - +

$$|A| = (-1)(-1) - 3(-11) + 0 = 34$$

$$\text{Adj}(A) = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 & 14 \\ 9 & +3 & -8 \\ -1 & +11 & -18 \end{pmatrix}^T$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{34} \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 9 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 & 11 \\ 14 & -8 & -18 \end{pmatrix}$$

Solving the linear system using the inverse matrix

Method:

unique solution

$$a_1x + b_1y + c_1z = d_1$$

$$a_2x + b_2y + c_2z = d_2$$

$$a_3x + b_3y + c_3z = d_3$$

① no. of eq
= no. of unknowns

② $|A| \neq 0$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} d_1 \\ d_2 \\ d_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} d_1 \\ d_2 \\ d_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A \cdot X = B$$

$$A^{-1} A X = A^{-1} B$$

$$X = A^{-1} B$$

Solve the following system using the inverse matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 5 \\ 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}, B = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, X = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Adj}(A) = \begin{pmatrix} +3 & -4 & +5 \\ -3 & +8 & -1 \\ +6 & +14 & +4 \end{pmatrix}^T$$

$$|A| = -18$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{-18} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -3 & -6 \\ -4 & -8 & 14 \\ -5 & -1 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{cases} x - y + 5z = 5 \\ 3x + y + z = 5 \\ 2x - y + 2z = 3 \end{cases}$$

$$A X = B$$

$$X = A^{-1} B$$

$$= \frac{1}{-18} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -3 & -6 \\ -4 & -8 & 14 \\ -5 & -1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$