

G2 (1) $a+b\sqrt{2}$ where a and b are rational numbers

- $(F, +)$ is an abelian group.

◦ (Identity): Let $e = 0+0\sqrt{2} = 0$ and $x = a+b\sqrt{2} \in F$

$$e+x \stackrel{?}{=} x \quad x+e \stackrel{?}{=} x$$

$$\Rightarrow 0+a+b\sqrt{2} \stackrel{?}{=} a+b\sqrt{2} \quad a+b\sqrt{2}+0 \stackrel{?}{=} a+b\sqrt{2} \quad (\text{substitution})$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b\sqrt{2} \stackrel{?}{=} a+b\sqrt{2} \quad a+b\sqrt{2} \stackrel{?}{=} a+b\sqrt{2} \quad (\text{simplify})$$

$$\Rightarrow e+x = x+e = x \quad (\text{equality})$$

∴ $e=0$ is the identity in $(F, +)$

• (Associativity): Let $x = a+b\sqrt{2}$, $y = c+d\sqrt{2}$, $z = e+f\sqrt{2} \in F$

$$x+(y+z) \stackrel{?}{=} (x+y)+z$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b\sqrt{2}+(c+d\sqrt{2}+e+f\sqrt{2}) \stackrel{?}{=} (a+b\sqrt{2}+c+d\sqrt{2})+e+f\sqrt{2} \quad (\text{substitution})$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b\sqrt{2}+c+\cancel{e}+(\cancel{d+f})\sqrt{2} \stackrel{?}{=} a+c+(b+d)\sqrt{2}+e+f\sqrt{2} \quad (\text{simplify})$$

$$\Rightarrow a+c+\cancel{e}+(\cancel{b+d+f})\sqrt{2} \stackrel{?}{=} a+c+\cancel{e}+(\cancel{b+d+f})\sqrt{2} \quad (\text{simplify})$$

$$\text{Let } a' = a+c+e \text{ and } b' = b+d+f$$

$$\Rightarrow a'+b'\sqrt{2} = a+c+e+(b+d+f)\sqrt{2} \quad (\text{substitution})$$

$$\Rightarrow a'+b'\sqrt{2} \in F$$

∴ F is associative under addition

• (Inverse): Let $x = a+b\sqrt{2}$, $y = -a-b\sqrt{2} \in F$

$$x+y \stackrel{?}{=} 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b\sqrt{2}-a-b\sqrt{2} \stackrel{?}{=} 0 \quad (\text{substitution})$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \stackrel{?}{=} 0 \quad (\text{simplify})$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall x \in F \exists y \in F \text{ st } x+y=0$$

∴ The inverse exists in $(F, +)$

• (Commutativity): Let $x = a+b\sqrt{2}$, $y = c+d\sqrt{2} \in F$

$$x+y \stackrel{?}{=} y+x$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b\sqrt{2}+c+d\sqrt{2} \stackrel{?}{=} c+d\sqrt{2}+a+b\sqrt{2} \quad (\text{substitution})$$

$$\Rightarrow a+\cancel{c}+(\cancel{b+d})\sqrt{2} \stackrel{?}{=} a+\cancel{c}+(\cancel{b+d})\sqrt{2} \quad (\text{simplification})$$

$$\text{Let } a' = a+c \text{ and } b' = b+d$$

$$\Rightarrow a'+b'\sqrt{2} = a+\cancel{c}+(\cancel{b+d})\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow a'+b'\sqrt{2} \in F$$

∴ F is commutative under addition

• Multiplicative identity: Let $e = 1+0\sqrt{2} = 1$ and $x = a+b\sqrt{2} \in F$

$$ex \stackrel{?}{=} x \quad xe \stackrel{?}{=} x$$

$$\Rightarrow 1(a+b\sqrt{2}) \stackrel{?}{=} a+b\sqrt{2} \quad (a+b\sqrt{2})1 \stackrel{?}{=} a+b\sqrt{2} \quad (\text{substitution})$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b\sqrt{2} \stackrel{?}{=} a+b\sqrt{2} \quad a+b\sqrt{2} \stackrel{?}{=} a+b\sqrt{2} \quad (\text{simplification})$$

$$\Rightarrow ex = xe = x \quad (\text{equality})$$

∴ $e=1$ is the identity in (F, \cdot)



• Multiplicative associative: Let $x = a+b\sqrt{2}$, $y = c+d\sqrt{2}$, $z = e+f\sqrt{2} \in F$

$$x(yz) = (xy)z$$

$$\Rightarrow (a+b\sqrt{2})(c+d\sqrt{2})(e+f\sqrt{2}) = ((a+b\sqrt{2})(c+d\sqrt{2}))(e+f\sqrt{2}) \text{ (substitution)}$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b\sqrt{2}(ce + (cf+de)\sqrt{2} + 2df) = (ac + (ad+bc)\sqrt{2} + 2bd)(e+f\sqrt{2}) \text{ (simplify)}$$

$$\text{let } a' = ce + 2df, b' = cf+de, a'' = ac + 2bd, b'' = ad+bc$$

$$\Rightarrow (a+b\sqrt{2})(a'+b'\sqrt{2}) = (a''+b''\sqrt{2})(e+f\sqrt{2}) \text{ (substitution)}$$

$$\Rightarrow aa' + (ab' + a'b)\sqrt{2} + 2bb' = a''e + (a''f + b''e)\sqrt{2} + 2b''f \text{ (simplify)}$$

$$\text{let } a''' = aa' + 2bb', b''' = ab' + a'b, a'''' = a''e + 2b''f, b'''' = a''f + b''e$$

$$\Rightarrow a'''' + b''''\sqrt{2} = a'''' + b''''\sqrt{2} \text{ (substitution)}$$

$$\Rightarrow x(yz) \in F, (xy)z \in F$$

$$\Rightarrow a(ce + 2df) + 2b(cf+de) + (a(cf+de) + (ce + 2df)b)\sqrt{2} \stackrel{?}{=} \text{ (substitution)}$$

$$\Rightarrow ace + 2adf + 2bce + 2bdf + (acf + ade + bce + 2bdf)\sqrt{2} \stackrel{?}{=} \text{ (simplify)}$$

$$\Rightarrow = (ac + 2bd)e + 2(ad+bc)f + ((ac + 2bd)f + (ad+bc)e)\sqrt{2} \text{ (substitution)}$$

$$\Rightarrow = ace + 2bde + 2adf + 2bcf + (acf + 2bdf + ade + bce)\sqrt{2} \text{ (simplify)}$$

$$\Rightarrow a'''' + b''''\sqrt{2} \stackrel{?}{=} a'''' + b''''\sqrt{2} \text{ (simplify)}$$

• F is associative under multiplication

• Distributivity: Let $x = a+b\sqrt{2}$, $y = c+d\sqrt{2}$, $z = e+f\sqrt{2} \in F$

$$x(y+z) = xy + xz$$

$$\Rightarrow (a+b\sqrt{2})(c+d\sqrt{2} + e+f\sqrt{2}) = (a+b\sqrt{2})(c+d\sqrt{2}) + (a+b\sqrt{2})(e+f\sqrt{2}) \text{ (substitution)}$$

$$\Rightarrow (a+b\sqrt{2})(c+e+(d+f)\sqrt{2}) = (ac + (ad+bc)\sqrt{2} + 2bd) + (ae + (af+be)\sqrt{2} + 2bf) \text{ (simplify)}$$

$$\Rightarrow ac + ae + (ad+af+bc+be)\sqrt{2} + 2bd + 2bf = ac + ae + (ad+af+bc+be)\sqrt{2} + 2bd + 2bf \text{ (simplify)}$$

$$\text{let } a' = ac + ae + 2bd + 2bf \text{ and } b' = ad + af + bc + be$$

$$\Rightarrow a' + b'\sqrt{2} = ac + ae + (ad+af+bc+be)\sqrt{2} + 2bd + 2bf \text{ (substitution)}$$

$$\Rightarrow a' + b'\sqrt{2} \in F$$

$$(y+z)x = yx + zx$$

$$\Rightarrow (c+d\sqrt{2} + e+f\sqrt{2})(a+b\sqrt{2}) = (c+d\sqrt{2})(a+b\sqrt{2}) + (e+f\sqrt{2})(a+b\sqrt{2}) \text{ (substitution)}$$

$$\Rightarrow (c+e+(d+f)\sqrt{2})(a+b\sqrt{2}) = (ac + (ad+bc)\sqrt{2} + 2db) + (ae + (af+be)\sqrt{2} + 2bf) \text{ (simplify)}$$

$$\Rightarrow ac + ae + (ad+af+bc+be)\sqrt{2} + 2bd + 2bf = ac + ae + (ad+af+bc+be)\sqrt{2} + 2bd + 2bf \text{ (simplify)}$$

$$\Rightarrow x(y+z) = xy + xz \text{ and } (y+z)x = yx + zx$$

• $(F, +, \cdot)$ is distributive, $\therefore (F, +, \cdot)$ is a ring

• Commutative: Let $x = a+b\sqrt{2}, y = c+d\sqrt{2} \in F$

$$xy = yx$$

$$\Rightarrow (a+b\sqrt{2})(c+d\sqrt{2}) = (c+d\sqrt{2})(a+b\sqrt{2}) \text{ (substitution)}$$

$$\Rightarrow ac + (ad+bc)\sqrt{2} + 2bd = ac + (cd+bc)\sqrt{2} + 2bd \text{ (simplify)}$$

$$\text{let } a' = ac + 2bd, b' = (ad+bc)$$

$$\Rightarrow a' + b'\sqrt{2} = ac + (cd+bc)\sqrt{2} + 2bd \text{ (substitution)}$$

$$\Rightarrow a' + b'\sqrt{2} \in F$$

• $(F, +, \cdot)$ is a commutative ring

• Multiplicative Inverse: Let $x = a+b\sqrt{2}, y = c+d\sqrt{2} \in F$ and $x \neq 0$

$$xy = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow (a+b\sqrt{2})(c+d\sqrt{2}) = 1 \text{ (substitution)}$$

$$\Rightarrow (ac + 2bd) + (ad+bc)\sqrt{2} = 1 \text{ (simplify)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} ac + 2bd = 1 \\ ad+bc = 0 \end{cases} \text{ (linear equations)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} & & R_1 \\ \begin{matrix} a & 2b \\ b & a \end{matrix} & \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & \frac{2b}{a} & \frac{1}{a} \\ b & a & 0 \end{array} \right] & = \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & \frac{2b}{a} & \frac{1}{a} \\ 0 & \frac{a^2-2b^2}{a} & 0 \end{array} \right] \right. \begin{matrix} R_2 \leftarrow a \\ -R_1(b) \end{matrix} \left. \begin{array}{l} R_2 \leftarrow a \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{b}{a^2-2b^2} \end{array} \right] \begin{matrix} R_2 \leftarrow a \\ -R_2(b) \end{matrix} \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 0 & \frac{1}{a} + \frac{2b^2}{a(a^2-2b^2)} \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{b}{a^2-2b^2} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow c = \frac{1}{a} + \frac{2b^2}{a(a^2-2b^2)}, d = -\frac{b}{a^2-2b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \exists x \neq 0 \in F, \exists y \text{ st } xy = 1$$

\therefore The multiplicative inverse exists for $(F, +, \cdot)$

$\therefore (F, +, \cdot)$ is a field

Q1(2) $a+b\sqrt{-1}$ where a and b are real numbers. The field is $(\mathbb{C}, +, \cdot)$, the set of complex numbers.

- $(F, +)$ is an abelian group:

- (Identity): Let $e=0+0\sqrt{-1}=0$ and $x=a+b\sqrt{-1} \in F$

$$e+x = x \quad x+e = x$$

$$\Rightarrow 0+a+b\sqrt{-1} = a+b\sqrt{-1} \quad a+b\sqrt{-1}+0 = a+b\sqrt{-1} \text{ (substitution)}$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b\sqrt{-1} = a+b\sqrt{-1} \quad a+b\sqrt{-1} = a+b\sqrt{-1} \text{ (simplify)}$$

$$\Rightarrow e+x = x+e = x \text{ (equality)}$$

- $e=0$ is the identity in $(F, +)$

- (Associativity): Let $x=a+b\sqrt{-1}$, $y=c+d\sqrt{-1}$, $z=e+f\sqrt{-1} \in F$

$$x+(y+z) = (x+y)+z$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b\sqrt{-1} + (c+d\sqrt{-1} + e+f\sqrt{-1}) = (a+b\sqrt{-1} + c+d\sqrt{-1}) + e+f\sqrt{-1} \text{ (substitution)}$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b\sqrt{-1} + (c+e+(d+f)\sqrt{-1}) = (a+c+(b+d)\sqrt{-1}) + e+f\sqrt{-1} \text{ (simplify)}$$

$$\Rightarrow a+c+e+(b+d+f)\sqrt{-1} = a+c+e+(b+d+f)\sqrt{-1} \text{ (simplify)}$$

$$\text{Let } a' = a+c+e \quad b' = b+d+f$$

$$\Rightarrow a'+b'\sqrt{-1} = a+c+e+(b+d+f)\sqrt{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow a'+b'\sqrt{-1} \in F$$

- F is associative under addition

- (Inverse): Let $x=a+b\sqrt{-1}$, $y=-a-b\sqrt{-1} \in F$

$$x+y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b\sqrt{-1} - a-b\sqrt{-1} = 0 \text{ (substitution)}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = 0 \text{ (simplify)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall x \in F \exists y \text{ s.t. } x+y=0$$

- The inverse exists in $(F, +)$

- (Commutativity): Let $x=a+b\sqrt{-1}$, $y=c+d\sqrt{-1} \in F$

$$x+y = y+x$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b\sqrt{-1} + c+d\sqrt{-1} = c+d\sqrt{-1} + a+b\sqrt{-1} \text{ (substitution)}$$

$$\Rightarrow a+c+(b+d)\sqrt{-1} = a+c+(b+d)\sqrt{-1} \text{ (simplify)}$$

$$\text{Let } a' = a+c \quad b' = b+d$$

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$$ex = x \quad xe = x$$

$$\Rightarrow 1(a+b\sqrt{-1}) = a+b\sqrt{-1} \quad (a+b\sqrt{-1})1 = a+b\sqrt{-1} \text{ (substitution)}$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b\sqrt{-1} = a+b\sqrt{-1} \quad a+b\sqrt{-1} = a+b\sqrt{-1} \text{ (simplify)}$$

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• Multiplicative associativity: let $x = a + b\sqrt{-1}$, $y = c + d\sqrt{-1}$, $z = e + f\sqrt{-1} \in F$

$$x(yz) = (xy)z$$

$$\Rightarrow (a+b\sqrt{-1})(c+d\sqrt{-1})(e+f\sqrt{-1}) = ((ac+b\sqrt{-1})(c+d\sqrt{-1}))(e+f\sqrt{-1}) \quad (\text{substitution})$$

$$\Rightarrow (ac+b\sqrt{-1})(ce+(cf+de)\sqrt{-1}-df) = (ac+(ad+bc)\sqrt{-1}+bd)(e+f\sqrt{-1}) \quad (\text{simplify})$$

$$\text{let } a' = ce - df, b' = cf + de, a'' = ac - bd, b'' = ad + bc$$

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$$\Rightarrow aa' + (ab' + a'b)\sqrt{-1} - bb'' = a''e + (a''f + b''e)\sqrt{-1} - b''f \quad (\text{simplify})$$

$$\text{let } a''' = aa' - bb', b''' = ab' + a'b, a''' = a''e - b''f, b''' = a''f + b''e$$

$$\Rightarrow a''' + b'''\sqrt{-1} = a''' + b''' \sqrt{-1} \quad (\text{substitution})$$

$$\Rightarrow x(yz) \in F, (xy)z \in F$$

$$\Rightarrow a(cce - df) - b(cf + de) + (a(cf + de) + (ce - df)b)\sqrt{-1} = (\text{substitution})$$

$$\Rightarrow ace - adf - bcf - bde + (acf + ade + bce - bdf)\sqrt{-1} = (\text{simplify})$$

$$\Rightarrow (ac - bd)e + (ad + bc)f + ((ac - bd)f + (ad + bc)e)\sqrt{-1} = (\text{substitution})$$

$$\Rightarrow (ac - bd)e - adf - bcf + (acf - bdf + ade + bce)\sqrt{-1} = (\text{simplify})$$

$$\Rightarrow a''' + b'''\sqrt{-1} = a''' - b''' \sqrt{-1}$$

$\therefore F$ is associative under multiplication

• Distributivity: let $x = a + b\sqrt{-1}$, $y = c + d\sqrt{-1}$, $z = e + f\sqrt{-1} \in F$

$$x(y+z) = xy + xz$$

$$\Rightarrow (a+b\sqrt{-1})(c+d\sqrt{-1} + e+f\sqrt{-1}) = (a+b\sqrt{-1})(c+d\sqrt{-1}) + (a+b\sqrt{-1})(e+f\sqrt{-1}) \quad (\text{substitution})$$

$$\Rightarrow (a+b\sqrt{-1})(c+e + (d+f)\sqrt{-1}) = (ac + (ad+bc)\sqrt{-1} - bd) + (ae + (af+be)\sqrt{-1} - bf) \quad (\text{simplify})$$

$$\Rightarrow ac - ae + (ad + af + bd + be)\sqrt{-1} - bd - bf \stackrel{?}{=} ac + ae + (ad + af + bc + be)\sqrt{-1} - bd - bf \quad (\text{simplify})$$

$$\text{let } a' = ac + ae - bd - bf, b' = ad + af + bc + be$$

$$\Rightarrow a' + b'\sqrt{-1} = ac + ae + (ad + af + bc + be)\sqrt{-1} - bd - bf \quad (\text{substitution})$$

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$$(y+z)x = yx + zx$$

$$\Rightarrow (c+d\sqrt{-1} + e+f\sqrt{-1})(a+b\sqrt{-1}) = (c+d\sqrt{-1})(a+b\sqrt{-1}) + (e+f\sqrt{-1})(a+b\sqrt{-1}) \quad (\text{substitution})$$

$$\Rightarrow (c-e - (d-f)\sqrt{-1})(a+b\sqrt{-1}) = (ac - (ad+bc)\sqrt{-1} - db) + (ae + (af+be)\sqrt{-1} - bf) \quad (\text{simplify})$$

$$\Rightarrow ac + ae - (ad + af + bc + be)\sqrt{-1} - bd - bf \stackrel{?}{=} ac + ae + (ad + af + bc + be)\sqrt{-1} - bd - bf \quad (\text{simplify})$$

$$\Rightarrow x(y+z) = xy + xz \text{ and } (y+z)x = yx + zx$$

$(F, +, \cdot)$ is distributive $\because (F, +, \cdot)$ is a ring

• Commutativity: let $x = a + b\sqrt{-1}$, $y = c + d\sqrt{-1} \in F$

$$xy = yx$$

$$\Rightarrow (a+b\sqrt{-1})(c+d\sqrt{-1}) = (c+d\sqrt{-1})(a+b\sqrt{-1}) \quad (\text{substitution})$$

$$\Rightarrow ac + (ad+bc)\sqrt{-1} - bd \stackrel{?}{=} ac + (ad+bc)\sqrt{-1} - bd \quad (\text{simplify})$$

$$\text{let } a' = ac - bd, b' = ad + bc$$

$$\Rightarrow a' + b'\sqrt{-1} = ac + (ad+bc)\sqrt{-1} - bd \quad (\text{substitution})$$

$$\Rightarrow a' + b'\sqrt{-1} \in F$$

$\therefore (F, +, \cdot)$ is a commutative ring

• Multiplicative inverse: let $x = a + b\sqrt{-1}$, $y = c + d\sqrt{-1} \in F$ and $x \neq 0$

$$xy = e$$

$$\Rightarrow (a+b\sqrt{-1})(c+d\sqrt{-1}) = 1 \quad (\text{substitution})$$

$$\Rightarrow (ac - bd) + (ad + bc)\sqrt{-1} = 1 \quad (\text{simplify})$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} ac - bd = 1 \\ ad + bc = 0 \end{cases} \quad (\text{linear equations})$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} a & b & 1 \\ b & a & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\text{R}_1 \leftrightarrow \text{R}_2} \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & b & a \\ b & a & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\text{R}_2 - b\text{R}_1} \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & b & a \\ 0 & a^2+b^2 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\text{R}_2 \cdot \frac{1}{a^2+b^2}} \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & b & a \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{b^2}{a^2+b^2} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow c = \frac{1}{a} - \frac{b^2}{a(a^2+b^2)}, d = -\frac{b}{a^2+b^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \exists x \neq 0 \in F, \exists y \text{ s.t. } xy = e = 1$$

The multiplicative inverse exists for $(F, +, \cdot)$

$(F, +, \cdot)$ is a field

Q2 In order to be a field, all non-zero elements in F must have a multiplicative inverse. For the set of all $n \times n$ matrices $\mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ if $n > 1$, not all elements have a multiplicative inverse. The condition for a matrix to be invertible is if its determinant is not equal to zero.

Example of matrix that is not invertible: $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 1 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = A$ where $n=2$

$$\det(A) = 5 - 5 = 0 \Rightarrow \text{non-invertible}$$

FIVE STAR.

$$Q3. + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$QA. z = a + bi \text{ where } i = \sqrt{-1} \text{ and } a, b \text{ are real numbers}$$

- $(\mathbb{C}, +)$ is an abelian group: see Q1(2) for proof.
- Multiplicative identity: see Q1(2) for proof that $e=1$ is the identity.
- Multiplicative associative: see Q1(2) for proof.
- Distributivity: see Q1(2) for proof.
- Commutative: See Q1(2) for proof.
- Multiplicative inverse: see Q1(2) for proof.

FIVE STAR.

$$Q5. B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Q6. A+B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ in } \mathbb{Z}_2$$

FIVE STAR.

$$A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ in } \mathbb{Z}_2$$

FIVE STAR.

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ in } \mathbb{Z}_2$$

FIVE STAR.

$$Q7. A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -1 & 1 \\ t & 0 & 1 \\ t & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow[t+1]{t+1} \begin{bmatrix} t & 0 & 1 \\ 6-t & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow[t+1]{t+1} \begin{bmatrix} t & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow[t+1]{t+1} \begin{bmatrix} t & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow[t+1]{t+1} \begin{bmatrix} t+1 & -6 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det(A) = 0 = t \cdot 1 \cdot \frac{t^2 + t - 6}{t}$$

$$0 = t^2 + t - 6$$

$$0 = (t+3)(t-2)$$

$$t = -3, 2$$

Q8 a $\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & h & 4 \\ 3 & 6 & 8 \end{array} \right] + R(3) \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 6-3h & 4 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \exists \text{ a solution when } 6-3h \neq 0$

$$6 \neq 3h$$

$$h \neq 2$$

b $\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} -4 & 12 & h & -4 \\ 2 & -6 & -3 \end{array} \right] - R\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & \frac{h}{4} & -4 \\ 2 & -6 & -3 \end{array} \right] + R(-2) \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -3 & -\frac{h}{4} & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & -3+\frac{h}{2} & 0 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \exists \text{ a solution when } -3+\frac{h}{2} \neq 0$

$$\frac{h}{2} = 3$$

$$h = 6$$

Rank 2 Rank 1

Q9 (1) 3×2 matrices: $\left[\begin{array}{cc} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right], \left[\begin{array}{cc} 1 & * \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right], \left[\begin{array}{cc} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$ 3 types

Rank 2 Rank 1

(2) 2×3 matrices: $\left[\begin{array}{cc} 1 & 0 & * \\ 0 & 1 & * \end{array} \right], \left[\begin{array}{cc} 1 & * & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right], \left[\begin{array}{cc} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right], \left[\begin{array}{cc} 0 & 1 & * \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right], \left[\begin{array}{cc} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$ 5 types

Rank 1

(3) 4×1 matrices: $\left[\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{array} \right]$ 1 type

Q10. $A = \left[\begin{array}{ccccc} 1 & a & b & 3 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & c & 1 & d & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right]$ $a = *$ $d = 0$
 $b = 0$ $e = 0$ \Rightarrow $\left[\begin{array}{ccccc} 1 & * & 0 & 3 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right]$

Q11 (1) $A = \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & -3 & -2 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right] - R_1 \quad \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 4 & -5 & -6 \end{array} \right] - R_2 \quad \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & -4 & -5 & -1 \end{array} \right] + R_3 \quad \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 & 2 \end{array} \right] + 3R_2 \quad \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 7 \end{array} \right] + 3R_3 =$

$rref(A) = \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{6}{7} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \frac{8}{7} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{2}{7} \end{array} \right]$ $x_1 + \frac{6}{7}x_4 = 0 \Rightarrow x_1 = -\frac{6}{7}x_4$ $\vec{x} = x_4 \left[\begin{array}{c} \frac{6}{7} \\ \frac{8}{7} \\ \frac{2}{7} \\ 1 \end{array} \right]$
 $x_2 + \frac{8}{7}x_4 = 0 \Rightarrow x_2 = -\frac{8}{7}x_4$
 $x_3 + \frac{2}{7}x_4 = 0 \Rightarrow x_3 = -\frac{2}{7}x_4$

(2) $A = \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & 5 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right] + 6R_1 \quad \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & 5 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 & 1 \end{array} \right] + 6R_1 \quad \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 & 1 \end{array} \right] + 4R_2 \quad \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] + 5R_2 + 5R_3$

$rref(A) = \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$

(3) Verified (2) using: $GF7 = \text{galois.GF}(7)$
 $GF7.\text{row-reduce}(A)$

Using similar method I converted A to be in \mathbb{Z}_2 and \mathbb{Z}_3 and got

$rref(A) = \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right]$ for \mathbb{Z}_2 and $rref(A) = \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right]$ for \mathbb{Z}_3

(4) No, by calculation in (3) we saw \mathbb{Z}_7 , \mathbb{Z}_2 , and \mathbb{Z}_3 share the same rank for A.

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Q12 (1) Using Python, rref($A|b$) over field $\mathbb{Z}_7 =$

$$(2) \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{c|ccccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array}$$

Q13 $\begin{cases} 3x_1 + 11x_2 + 19x_3 = -2 \\ 7x_1 + 23x_2 + 39x_3 = 10 \\ -4x_1 - 3x_2 - 2x_3 = 6 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{c|ccccc} 3 & 11 & 19 & -2 \\ 7 & 23 & 39 & 10 \\ -4 & -3 & -2 & 6 \end{array}$ using python $\begin{array}{c|ccccc} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \Rightarrow$ Row 3 is inconsistent. No solution exists.

Q14 $\begin{cases} 3x_1 + 6x_2 + 9x_3 + 5x_4 + 25x_5 = 53 \\ 7x_1 + 14x_2 + 21x_3 + 9x_4 + 53x_5 = 105 \\ -4x_1 - 8x_2 - 12x_3 + 5x_4 - 10x_5 = 11 \\ x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 + 5x_4 = 6 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{c|ccccc} 3 & 6 & 9 & 5 & 25 & 53 \\ 7 & 14 & 21 & 9 & 63 & 105 \\ -4 & -8 & -12 & 5 & -10 & 11 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 & 5 & 6 \end{array}$ using python $\begin{array}{c|ccccc} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array}$

 $x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 + 5x_4 = 6 \Rightarrow x_1 = 6 - 2x_2 - 3x_3 - 5x_4$
 $x_4 + 2x_5 = 7 \quad x_2 = x_2$
 $x_3 = x_3$
 $x_4 = \frac{7}{2}x_5$
 $x_5 = x_5$

$$\begin{array}{c|ccccc} \vec{x} = & x_1 & = & 6 & + & x_2 \\ & x_2 & = & 0 & + & x_2 \\ & x_3 & = & 0 & + & 0 \\ & x_4 & = & 0 & + & \frac{7}{2}x_5 \\ & x_5 & = & 0 & + & 1 \end{array}$$

Q15. $\begin{array}{c|ccccc} 2 & 4 & 3 & 5 & 6 & 37 \\ 4 & 8 & 7 & 5 & 2 & 74 \\ -2 & -4 & 3 & 4 & -5 & 20 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 & -1 & 2 & 26 \\ 5 & -10 & 4 & 6 & 4 & 24 \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{c|ccccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -8221/4340 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 8591/8680 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 4695/434 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -459/434 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 699/434 \end{array} \Rightarrow \vec{x} = \begin{array}{c} -8221/4340 \\ 8591/8680 \\ 4695/434 \\ -459/434 \\ 699/434 \end{array}$

Q16 (1) Yes, since they are square matrices, we know that $AB = X$, X is a square matrix as well. Therefore, if $XC = I$, then $(AB)^{-1} = C$. Since they are square matrices, $CX = I$, or $C(AB)^{-1} = I$. So, it follows that
If $ABC = I$, then $A^{-1} = BC$, $C^{-1} = (AB)^{-1}$ and $B^{-1} = (CA)^{-1}$ by using associativity of matrix multiplication.

(2) Yes, since AB is invertible, $\exists C$ s.t. $C(AB) = I$, and applying the associativity of matrix multiplication, we see that $(CA)B = I$, and that B is invertible. We can say the same for A since these are square matrices and are right-invertible and left-invertible.

Q17. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad AB = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 5 \\ 5 & 10 \end{bmatrix} \quad A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 4 \\ 6 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \quad B^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 4 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \quad A^2 B^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 65 & 70 \\ 70 & 85 \end{bmatrix}$

$$(AB)^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 50 & 75 \\ 75 & 125 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow (AB)^2 \neq A^2 B^2$$

$$Q18. A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \quad A^T = \begin{bmatrix} a & c \\ b & d \end{bmatrix} \quad A' = \frac{1}{ad-bc} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{bmatrix}$$

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} ad-bc=1 \\ a=d \\ c=-b \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow a^2+b^2=1 = \cos^2\theta + \sin^2\theta$

Orthogonal matrix

Q19 (1) Symmetric

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

Skew-Symmetric

$$2 \times 2 : \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = A \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = A^T = -A$$

$$3 \times 3 : \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 5 \\ 3 & 5 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

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

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

$$4 \times 4 : \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$4 \times 4 : \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & -2 & -3 \\ -1 & 0 & 4 & 5 \\ 2 & 4 & 0 & -6 \\ 3 & -5 & 6 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = A$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 & 4 & -5 \\ -2 & -4 & 0 & 6 \\ -3 & 5 & -6 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = A^T = -A$$

Generally, $\begin{bmatrix} a & e & i & m \\ b & f & j & n \\ c & g & k & o \\ d & h & l & p \end{bmatrix} = A^T$

(2) The main diagonal of a skew-symmetric matrix is made up of zeroes.

(3) Any $n \times n$ matrix made up of zeroes:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

since $A = A^T = -A \Rightarrow A = -A$

$$(A + A^T)^T = A + A^T$$

$$\Rightarrow A^T + (A^T)^T = A + A^T \quad (\text{Property 2 of Matrix Transposition})$$

$$\Rightarrow A^T + A \stackrel{?}{=} A + A^T \quad (\text{Property 1 of Matrix Transposition and commutative property})$$

\therefore Since $(A + A^T)^T = A + A^T$, $A + A^T$ is a symmetric matrix

$$(AA^T)^T = AAT$$

$$\Rightarrow (A^T)^T A^T = AAT \quad (\text{Property 4 of Matrix Transposition})$$

$$\Rightarrow AAT \stackrel{?}{=} AA^T \quad (\text{Property 1 of Matrix Transposition})$$

\therefore Since $(AA^T)^T = AA^T$, AA^T is a symmetric matrix

$$(A^TA)^T = A^TA$$

$$\Rightarrow AT(A^T)^T = AT^T A \quad (\text{Property 4 of Matrix Transposition})$$

$$\Rightarrow ATA \stackrel{?}{=} A^TA \quad (\text{Property 1 of Matrix Transposition})$$

\therefore Since $(A^TA)^T = A^TA$, A^TA is a symmetric matrix

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

$$AT - (AT)^T = -A + A^T \quad (\text{Property 2 of Matrix Transposition and Distributivity})$$

$$AT - A = -A + A^T \quad (\text{Property 1 of Matrix Transposition and commutative property})$$

\therefore Since $(A - A^T)^T = -(A - A^T)$, $A - A^T$ is a skew-symmetric matrix

(5) Let X be the symmetric matrix $A + A^T$ (proved above) and Y be the skew-symmetric matrix

$$A - A^T \quad (\text{proved above}).$$

Want to show that $X + Y$ yields an $n \times n$ matrix

$$X + Y$$

$$\Rightarrow A + A^T + A - A^T \quad (\text{substitution})$$

$$\Rightarrow 2A \quad (\text{simplify})$$

Let B be the $n \times n$ matrix $2A$, since addition holds the matrices dimensions.

\therefore An $n \times n$ matrix B can be written as $2A$, the sum of a symmetric matrix $(A + A^T)$ and a skew-symmetric matrix $(A - A^T)$.

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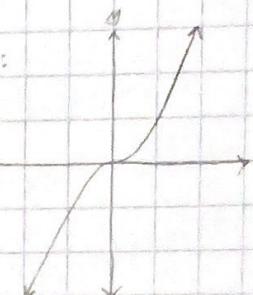
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Q20(a) $F(x) = x^2$ is neither injective (because $f(2) = 4$ and $f(-2) = 4$, so it is not one-to-one), surjective (because the codomain \mathbb{R} includes negative numbers, so $f(x) = -1$ wouldn't include a value for x in the domain \mathbb{R}), and therefore is also not bijective.

(b) $F(x) = x^3/(x^2+1)$ is the continuous function that looks like:

It is clear from the graph that the function is injective because each value corresponds to one value from the domain. $F(x)$ is also surjective since we see there is a solution across the whole co-domain that exists in the domain. Thus, $F(x) = x^3/(x^2+1)$ is bijective.

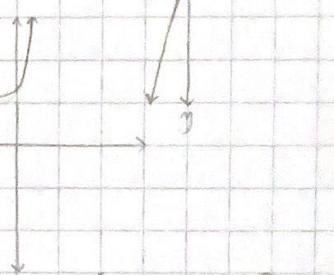


(c) $F(x) = x(x-1)(x-2)$ is the continuous function that looks like:

It is clear from the graph that this function is not injective. $f(0) = f(1) = f(2) = 0$. The function is surjective since we see the solutions to $F(x)$ span the domain \mathbb{R} . However, since it is not injective, it is not bijective.

(d) $F(x) = e^x + 2$ is the continuous function that looks like:

It is clear from the graph that $F(x)$ is injective. However, it is not surjective because there is no x in the domain that could satisfy $F(x) = 0$ since the left-side approaches 2. Therefore, it isn't bijective.



$$Q21 \quad A = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 4 \end{vmatrix} \quad d_1 = 4 \Rightarrow p_1 = 1 = 1l_1 \Rightarrow q_1 = \frac{1}{4}(1) + d_2 = 4 \quad L = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{4} & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{4}{15} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{15}{56} & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$u_1 = 1 \Rightarrow l_1 = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow d_2 = \frac{14}{4}$$

$$p_2 = \frac{15}{4}l_2 = 1 \Rightarrow l_2 = \frac{4}{15} \Rightarrow d_3 = \frac{66}{15}$$

$$q_2 = \frac{4}{15}(1) + d_3 = 4 \Rightarrow d_3 = \frac{66}{15}$$

$$p_3 = \frac{66}{15}l_3 = 1 \Rightarrow l_3 = \frac{15}{66} \Rightarrow d_4 = \frac{209}{56} \quad U = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{15}{4} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{56}{15} & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{209}{56} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$Q22 \quad LU = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \quad d_1, u_1, 0, 0 = \begin{vmatrix} d_1 & u_1 & 0 & 0 \\ d_2, 2, 2u_2 + d_2, u_2 & 0 \\ 0 & d_3, 2, 2u_3 + d_3, u_3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & d_4, 2, 2u_4 + d_4, u_4 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{4} & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{4}{15} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{15}{56} & 1 \end{matrix}$$

$q_i = l_{i-1}u_{i-1} + d_i$
$r_i = u_i$
$p_i = d_i l_i$

$$Q23 \quad L = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{4} & & 0 & & \\ 0 & \frac{1}{d_2} & 0 & & \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{d_4} & 1 \end{vmatrix} \quad U = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4-2, u_2 & 0 & & \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \Rightarrow l_1 = \frac{1}{d_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow d_2 = 4 - l_{i-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow u_1 = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 Q24 (1) (H_n)^T &= H_n \\
 \Rightarrow (I_n - 2\vec{u}\vec{u}^T)^T &= I_n - 2\vec{u}\vec{u}^T \quad (\text{substitution}) \\
 \Rightarrow I_n^T - (2\vec{u}\vec{u}^T)^T &= I_n - 2\vec{u}\vec{u}^T \quad (\text{Property 2 of Matrix Transposition}) \\
 \Rightarrow I_n - 2(\vec{u}^T)\vec{u}^T &\stackrel{?}{=} I_n - 2\vec{u}\vec{u}^T \quad (\text{Identity matrix is symmetric, and Property 4 of Matrix Transposition}) \\
 \Rightarrow I_n - 2\vec{u}\vec{u}^T &\stackrel{?}{=} I_n - 2\vec{u}\vec{u}^T \quad (\text{Property 1 of Matrix Transposition}) \\
 \Rightarrow (H_n)^T &= H_n
 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore H_n$ is a symmetric matrix.

$$(2) H_n^T H_n \stackrel{?}{=} I_n$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Rightarrow (I_n + 2\vec{u}\vec{u}^T)(I_n - 2\vec{u}\vec{u}^T) &\stackrel{?}{=} I_n \quad (\text{substitution and } H_n^T = H_n \text{ proved above}) \\
 \Rightarrow (I_n)^2 - 4\vec{u}\vec{u}^T + 4(\vec{u}\vec{u}^T)(\vec{u}\vec{u}^T) &\stackrel{?}{=} I_n \quad (\text{Distributivity}) \\
 \Rightarrow I_n - 4\vec{u}\vec{u}^T + 4\vec{u}(\vec{u}^T\vec{u})\vec{u}^T &\stackrel{?}{=} I_n \quad (\text{Associativity in vector space}) \\
 \Rightarrow I_n - 4\vec{u}\vec{u}^T + 4\vec{u}\vec{u}^T &\stackrel{?}{=} I_n \quad (\text{using } \vec{u}^T\vec{u} = \vec{u} \text{ and } \vec{u} \cdot \vec{u} = 1) \\
 \Rightarrow I_n &\stackrel{!}{=} I_n \quad (\text{simplify}) \\
 \Rightarrow H_n^T H_n &= I_n
 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore H_n$ is an orthogonal matrix.

$$(3) H_n^{-2} = I_n \quad (\text{calculation shown above using } H_n^T = H_n)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (4) H_n \vec{u} &= (I_n - 2\vec{u}\vec{u}^T) \vec{u} \\
 &= I_n \vec{u} - 2\vec{u}\vec{u}^T \vec{u} \\
 &= \vec{u} - 2\vec{u} \\
 H_n \vec{u} &= -\vec{u}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (5) H_3 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -2(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}) & 1 & (\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}) \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad H_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -2(\frac{1}{\sqrt{4}}) & 1 & (\frac{1}{\sqrt{4}}) \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\
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 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} & -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$H_4 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$