

Topic: Elementary Row & Column's Operation on Matrix.

e.g $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -6 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$ $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

1. $R_i \leftrightarrow R_j$ (Interchanging i th row by j th row)

$R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2$ $A = \begin{bmatrix} -6 & 8 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

$C_i \leftrightarrow C_j$

$C_1 \leftrightarrow C_2$ $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 8 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$

2. Scalar Multiplication of row

$R_i \rightarrow kR_i$

$R_1 \rightarrow 2R_1$ $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 6 \\ -6 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$

$C_2 \rightarrow -3C_2$

$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -9 \\ -6 & -24 \end{bmatrix}$

3. Addition of two rows.

i $R_1 \rightarrow R_1 + R_2$
ii $R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 2R_1$
iii $R_1 \rightarrow R_1 + 3R_2$ } (A)

$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -6 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$

(i) $A = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 11 \\ -6 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$ $R_1 \rightarrow R + R_2$

(ii) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 6 \\ -6 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$ $2R_1$

$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -8 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ $R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 2R_1$

iii $A = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 11 \\ 2 & 30 \end{bmatrix}$ $A = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 11 \\ 6 & 90 \end{bmatrix}$ $3R_2$

$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 101 \\ 2 & 30 \end{bmatrix}$

$A = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 11 \\ -6 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$

$A = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 22 \\ -6 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$ $2R_1$

$A = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 11 \\ 2 & 30 \end{bmatrix}$ $R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 2R_1$

$$C_1 + 2C_2$$

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$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{array} \begin{array}{c} 2 \\ 0 \end{array}$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad C_1 \rightarrow C_1 + 2C_2$$

Rank of Matrix

→ The rank of a Matrix is the order of the highest ordered non-zero minor.

→ The maximum no. of linearly independent columns or rows of a matrix is called rank of a Matrix

The rank of 'A' is denoted by $\rho(A) = r$.

- 1) Minor method (determinant method)
- 2) Echelon form of matrix.
- 3) Canonical form or Normal form
- 4) Using row & column operation method

Rank of the identity Matrix is its order.

$$\text{e.g. } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \rho(A) = 2 \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \rho(B) = 3$$

Exple 1 Find The rank of Matrix.

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

Sol $|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 & -2 \\ 2 & 4 & -3 \end{vmatrix}_{3 \times 3}$

$$\begin{aligned} |A| &= 2(-9+8) - 1(0+4) - 1(0-6) \\ &= -2(-1) - 1(4) - 1(-6) \\ &= -2 - 4 + 6 \\ |A| &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

One of the property of determinant is that if the value of determinant is zero then it means that ^{at least} one of its row or column must be zero. Means ~~em~~ we can convert the above matrix with the help of row & column operation so that one of its row or column should be zero.

Means $\rho(A) \neq 3$.

So it must be < 3

If rank=2 we can take any minor whose determinat value is not zero

Taking a order two minors

$$\begin{aligned} m_{11} &= \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= 6 - 0 \neq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Rank of A or $\rho(A) = 2$.

Exp 2 Find the rank of matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -2 & 3 \\ -2 & 4 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & 7 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 3}$

Sol

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} -1 & -2 & 3 \\ -2 & 4 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & 7 \end{vmatrix}_{3 \times 3}$$

$$= -1(28+2) + 2(-14-1) + 3(-4+4)$$

$$= -30 + 30$$

$$|A| = -60 \neq 0$$

\therefore The rank of $A = 3$

The determinant method is useful in $3 \times 3, 3 \times 4, 4 \times 3$ or less than that; but if the order is 4×4 or 5×5 or more then we use elementary row or column operation.

Q1/ Find the Rank of Matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & a & b & 0 \\ 0 & c & d & 1 \\ 1 & a & b & 0 \\ 0 & c & d & 1 \end{bmatrix}_{4 \times 4}$

Sol AS we know that

$$R_1 = R_3 \quad \& \quad R_2 = R_4$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1 \quad \& \quad R_4 \rightarrow R_4 - R_2$$

$$A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & a & b & 0 \\ 0 & c & d & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

\Rightarrow Rank of matrix $A = 2$

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Find the rank of Matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 4}$

Sol Taking minors

$$|A| = 1(12-12) - 2(12-6) + 1(8-4)$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} \quad \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 4 & 6 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \quad \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \quad \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 6 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

Taking minor.

$$|A| = 1(12-12) + 2(12-6) + 1(8-4) + 1(12-6)$$

$$|A| = 0 = 0, 2 \neq 0, 4 \neq 0, 6 \neq 0$$

The rank of Matrix $A = 3$

Q Find the rank of Matrix using Echelon form

There should be a specific form.

$$\text{i.e. } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & & \\ 0 & 1 & & & \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & & \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ in which there is unity or 1} \\ \& \text{ below 1 there should be zero}$$

In Echelon form there is only row operation
no column operation is allowed.

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Find the rank of Matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 4}$

Sol: Finding the rank by E.F

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 2R_1$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$$

$$A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} \rightarrow R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 2R_1 \\ \rightarrow R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{cccc} 2 & 4 & 6 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 & 2 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array}$$

$$A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & (-1) & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{making this} \\ \text{+ve xing by } (-) \end{array}$$

$$A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} R_2 \rightarrow -R_2$$

Now Matrix A is converted to echelon form.

& There are two non-zero rows

\Rightarrow Rank of Matrix A = 2.

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Find Rank of Matrix by E.F.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 4 & 8 & 7 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

 a_{11} should be equal to zero.

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 2R_1, \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 3R_1, \quad R_4 \rightarrow R_4 - 6R_1$$

$$A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 & 2 \\ 0 & -4 & -8 & 3 \\ 0 & -4 & -11 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \leftrightarrow R_4$$

$$A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & -4 & -11 & 5 \\ 0 & -4 & -8 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 / -4$$

$$A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 11/4 & -5/4 \\ 0 & -4 & -8 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$1 \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 + 4R_2$$

$$A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 11/4 & -5/4 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_4 \rightarrow R_4 + R_3$$

$$A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 11/4 & -5/4 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 / 3$$

$$A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 11/4 & -5/4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2/3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Non-zero rows

are 3

 \therefore Rank of $A = 3$ Nullity= order of square matrix - $\rho(A)$

$$= 4 - 3$$

$$= 1$$

Nullity means how many rows are "0"

$$\begin{array}{r} R_2 \quad 2 \quad 4 \quad 3 \quad 2 \\ 2R_1 \quad 2 \quad 4 \quad 6 \quad 0 \\ \hline 0 \quad 0 \quad -3 \quad 2 \\ R_3 \quad 3 \quad 2 \quad 1 \quad 3 \\ 3R_2 \quad 3 \quad 6 \quad 9 \quad 6 \\ \hline 0 \quad -4 \quad -8 \quad 3 \\ 4 \quad 8 \quad 7 \quad 5 \\ 6 \quad 12 \quad 18 \quad 6 \\ \hline 0 \quad -4 \quad -11 \quad 5 \end{array}$$

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Rank by determinant Method of order 3×3

Q. Find the rank of the Matrix $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 6 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

Sol $|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 6 & 5 \end{vmatrix},$

$$= 1(20-12) - 2(5-4) + 3(6-8)$$

$$= 8 - 2 - 6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho(A) \neq 0 \text{ but } \rho(A) < 3$$

Now choosing a minor of A of order 2.

$$\text{Say } \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = 4 - 2 = 2 \neq 0$$

It means we find a minor of order 2 whose value is not zero. So the order of 2 which is not 0 & its higher order which is 3 & it is 0, so then we say that the rank of the given Matrix is 2.

If all the minors are equal to zero then the rank of the given matrix is 1

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Rank by row & column operations

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

Note: Column operation is not allowed in Echelon form

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1 \text{ \& } R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 2R_1$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 - 2R_1 \end{matrix}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} R_2 \rightarrow R_2/2 \\ R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2 \end{matrix}$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -1/2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} R_2/2$$

$\therefore \rho(A) = \text{no. of non-zero rows}$

$$\rho(A) = 2$$

Nullity of $A = N(A)$

$$= \text{order of matrix } A - \rho(A)$$

$$= 3 - 2$$

$$= 1$$

Find the rank of Matrix A

$$\text{where } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1^2 & 2^2 & 3^2 & 4^2 \\ 2^2 & 3^2 & 4^2 & 5^2 \\ 3^2 & 4^2 & 5^2 & 6^2 \\ 4^2 & 5^2 & 6^2 & 7^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 9 & 16 \\ 4 & 9 & 16 & 25 \\ 9 & 16 & 25 & 36 \\ 16 & 25 & 36 & 49 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1, \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2, \quad R_4 \rightarrow R_4 - R_3$$

Ans

$$A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 9 & 16 \\ 3 & 5 & 7 & 9 \\ 5 & 7 & 9 & 11 \\ 7 & 9 & 11 & 13 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 9 & 16 \\ 3 & 5 & 7 & 9 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_2 \\ R_4 \rightarrow R_4 - R_3 \end{array}$$

$$R_4 \rightarrow R_4 - R_3, \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3/2$$

$$A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 9 & 16 \\ 3 & 5 & 7 & 9 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 9 & 16 \\ 3 & 5 & 7 & 9 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad R_3 \leftrightarrow R_1$$

$$A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 0 & 3 & 8 & 15 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 3R_1 \\ R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1 \end{array}$$

$$A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 8 & 15 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} R_2 \rightarrow R_2/2 \\ R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 3R_2 \end{array}$$

$$A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 3R_2$$

$$A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3/2$$

\therefore Rank = no. of non-zero rows

$$\Rightarrow \rho(A) = 3$$

$$\& \text{ Nullity} = 4 - 3 = 1$$

Means 1 row must be completely 0.