• Matrix Inverse

Matrix B is an inverse of n x n matrix A such that

$$AB = BA = I$$

If matrix A has an inverse then we say that A is invertible.

Theorem. If an inverse of a matrix exists it is unique.

• Procedure to Find the Inverse Matrix A Form the Matrix [A|I] and perform elementary row operations to obtain [C|D] such that matrix C = I

Theorem. If A and B are $n \times n$ invertible matrix then AB is also invertible and

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

Theorem. For an $n \times n$ matrix A, the following statement are equivalent

- A is invertible
- A is row equivalent to I
- For every n vector b, the system Ax = b has a unique solution
- the homogeneous system Ax = 0 has only trivial solution
- 1. Determine whether matrix A is an inverse of B?

a)
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

b)
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 0 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 7 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 3 \\ 14 & 1 & 8 \\ -7 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

2. Find the inverse of each matrix

a)
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

b)
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- 3. Prove or provide a counter example to the following statement
 - a) If A is invertible and B is invertible then A + B is invertible

b) If A is invertible and B is invertible then AB is also invertible