

### Review Problems # 3

(1) Given  $E = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ d & e & f \end{pmatrix}$ ;  $F = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ a & b & c \\ d & e & f \end{pmatrix}$ ;  $K = \begin{pmatrix} 2a & 2b & 2c \\ 3 & 6 & 9 \\ d & e & f \end{pmatrix}$ , if  $\det E = 31$ ,

find ( a )  $\det F$  ; ( b )  $\det K$  ; ( c )  $\det (2E)$  ; ( d )  $\det (E^{-1})$  ; ( e )  $\det (EF)$  ; ( f )  $\det (K - E)$

(2) Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ r & s & t \\ x & y & z \end{pmatrix}$  and  $\det A = 2$  ;

(i) find: ( a )  $\det (AA^t)$  ; ( b )  $\det (-A^2)$  ; ( c )  $\det (3A)^{-1}$  ; ( d )  $\det \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ 3x & 3y & 3z \\ r + 2x & s + 2y & t + 2z \end{pmatrix}$  ; ( e )  $C_{32}$

(ii) what is the solution to  $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$  ?

(iii) What is the rank of  $A$  ?

(3) Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & -6 \\ -4 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $X = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -3 \\ 12 \end{pmatrix}$

( a ) find  $\det A$ ,  $\text{adj } A$  and  $A^{-1}$ ,  $(A)(\text{adj } A)$ ,  $\det (\text{adj } A)$

( b ) find  $A^{-1}$  using the  $[A | I]$  process

( c ) use  $A^{-1}$  to  $AX = B$  where  $B = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -3 \\ 12 \end{pmatrix}$

( d ) find  $x, y, z$  using Cramer's Rule

(4) Evaluate  $\det \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 & -2 & 4 \\ 1 & -2 & -3 & 2 \\ -2 & 4 & 8 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & -2 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$

(5) Given  $C = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 6 & 0 & -2 \\ 3 & -1 & 0 & 5 \\ -2 & 2 & -4 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ , find ( a )  $C_{43}$ , ( b )  $\det C$

(6) Find the following by inspection.

( a )  $\det \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 5 & 7 & -3 & 0 \\ 2 & 9 & 8 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$  ; ( b )  $\det \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  ; ( c )  $\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 5 \\ 2 & 4 & 7 & 8 \\ -1 & -2 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 8 & 9 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$

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(7) Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 10k \\ 2 & 1 & -5 \\ 1 & -2 & 7 \end{pmatrix}$  , ( a ) find  $K$  such that  $\det A = 0$   
 ( b ) find  $K$  such that  $AX = 0$  has nontrivial solutions  
 ( c ) find  $K$  such that  $AX = B$  has a unique solution

(8) Let  $A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  ;  $B^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$  , find ( a )  $A$  , ( b )  $(AB)^{-1}$  , ( c )  $(AB)^t$  , ( d )  $A^2$  ; ( e )  $B^{-2}$

(9) Given  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$  , find  $A^{-2} - 3A + 4I$  ; (10) Find  $A$  if  $(I + A)^{-1} = 3 \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

(11) Simplify: ( a )  $(3C^{-1}AB)^{-1}(C^{-1}A^2)$  , ( b )  $\det(3C^{-1}A^tB)$  ; ( c )  $(3C^{-1}A^tB)^t$

Assume  $A, B, C$  are  $3 \times 3$  invertible matrices

(12) ( a )  $ABX = A + B$  for  $X$  assuming  $A^{-1}, B^{-1} \exists$  ; ( b )  $AX + B = X$  , assuming  $(I - A)^{-1} \exists$

(13) Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -5 \\ 2 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$  ;  $B = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -4 \\ 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$  , show ( a )  $(A + B)^{-1} \neq A^{-1} + B^{-1}$  , ( b )  $A^2 - B^2 \neq (A - B)(A + B)$

(14) If  $A^2 = A^t$  , find all possible values for  $\det A$  ; (15) Prove  $(KA)^{-1} = \frac{1}{k} A^{-1}$

(16) Find  $A, B$  such that  $A^{-1}, B^{-1} \exists$  but  $(A + B)^{-1} \nexists$

(17) Find  $A, B$  such that  $\det(A + B) \neq \det A + \det B$

#### Answers:

(1 a)  $-31$  ; ( b )  $186$  ; ( c )  $248$  ; ( d )  $\frac{1}{31}$  ; ( e )  $(\det E)(\det F) = -961$  ; ( f )  $0$

(2 i) ( a )  $4$  ; ( b )  $(-1)^3 (\det A)^2 = -4$  ; ( c )  $\frac{1}{54}$  ; ( d )  $-6$  ; ( e )  $-M_{32} = -(at - cr)$

(2 ii)  $X = 0$  , trivial solution only since  $A^{-1}$  exists ;

(2 iii) rank  $A = 3$  since  $A$  is reducible to  $I$  and  $I$  has 3 leading ones

(3 a)  $\det A = 9$  ;  $\text{adj } A = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & -6 & -6 \\ 9 & 12 & 21 \\ -3 & -3 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$  ;  $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{9} \begin{pmatrix} -3 & -6 & -6 \\ 9 & 12 & 21 \\ -3 & -3 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$  ;  $A(\text{adj } A) = \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 9 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$  ;

$\det(\text{adj } A) = 9^2 = 81$  ; (3 b)  $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{9} \begin{pmatrix} -3 & -6 & -6 \\ 9 & 12 & 21 \\ -3 & -3 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$  as in parts ( a )

(3 c)  $X = A^{-1}B = \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ 30 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$  ; ( d ) same as ( c ) ; (4)  $-260$  ; (5 a)  $44$  ; (5 b)  $-524$

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Answers:

(6) (a)  $-120$  ( $\Delta$  matrix) ;

(b)  $(-1)(-2) = 2$  ( row interchange  $\rightarrow$  diagonal matrix ) ; (c)  $0$  ( $c_1$  and  $c_2$  are multiples )

(7) (a)  $k = -\frac{6}{5}$  ; (b) when  $\det A = 0$ , i.e.  $k = -\frac{6}{5}$  ; (c)  $\det A \neq 0$ ,  $k \neq -\frac{6}{5}$

(8) (a)  $A = \frac{1}{11} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -4 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$  ; (b)  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & -5 \\ 9 & -6 \end{pmatrix}$  ; (c)  $\frac{1}{33} \begin{pmatrix} -6 & -9 \\ 5 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$  ; (d)  $\frac{1}{121} \begin{pmatrix} -7 & 8 \\ -16 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  ; (e)  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 6 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$

(9)  $\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{11}{4} & -13 \\ \frac{13}{4} & 7 \end{pmatrix}$  ; (10)  $\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{4}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{4}{3} \end{pmatrix}$  ; (11 a)  $\frac{1}{3} B^{-1} A^{-1} (CC^{-1}) A^2 = \frac{1}{3} B^{-1} A^{-1} (IA^2) = \frac{1}{3} B^{-1} A$  ;

(11 b)  $\frac{27 (\det A) (\det B)}{\det C}$  ; (11 c)  $3B^t A (C^{-1})^t$

(12 a)  $X = B^{-1} + B^{-1} A^{-1} B$  or  $B^{-1} (I + A^{-1} B)$  or  $B^{-1} + (AB)^{-1} B$

(12 b)  $X = (I - A)^{-1} B$  or  $-(A - I)^{-1} B$  ; (13 a)  $(A + B)^{-1} = \frac{1}{45} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 9 \\ -4 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \neq A^{-1} + B^{-1} = \frac{1}{10} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 13 \\ -6 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$

(13 b)  $A^2 - B^2 = \begin{pmatrix} -11 & -12 \\ 4 & 13 \end{pmatrix} \neq (A - B)(A + B) = \begin{pmatrix} -13 & 24 \\ 20 & 15 \end{pmatrix}$

(14)  $(\det A^2) = \det A^t$  ( take the "det" of both sides ) ;  $(\det A)^2 = \det A$  ( similar  $x^2 = x$  )

$(\det A)^2 - \det A = 0$  ( factor ) ;  $\det A (\det A - 1) = 0 \Rightarrow \det A = 0$  or  $1$

(15)  $(kA) \left( \frac{1}{k} A^{-1} \right) = \left( k \cdot \frac{1}{k} \right) AA^{-1} = I$  ; also  $\left( \frac{1}{k} A^{-1} \right) (kA) = I$  so that  $(kA)^{-1} = \frac{1}{k} A^{-1}$

" Study " your Inverse theorems  $\rightarrow$  this is only one of them!

(16)  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$  ;  $B = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -2 \\ -3 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$  ;  $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{-2} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  ;  $B^{-1} = \frac{1}{-2} \begin{pmatrix} -4 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$  ;

but  $A + B = 0$  ;  $0^{-1} \nexists$

(17) almost any  $A, B$  will do! , for example :

$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$  ;  $B = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 4 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  ,  $\det A = -2$  ,  $\det B = -14$

$\det (A + B) = \det \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 6 \\ 6 & 5 \end{pmatrix} = -41 \neq \det A + \det B$