

UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MALAYSIA
SSCE 1693 ENGINEERING MATHEMATICS I
TUTORIAL 7: MATRIX ALGEBRA

1. Calculate the determinant of the following matrices.

(a) $\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 & 4 \\ 2 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 5 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$.

(b) $\begin{vmatrix} 2 & -4 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$.

(c) $\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & -4 \\ 4 & 0 & 5 \\ 5 & 1 & 6 \end{vmatrix}$.

(d) $\begin{vmatrix} 4 & 3 & 0 \\ 6 & 5 & 2 \\ 9 & 7 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$.

2. Given that

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & p \\ 0 & q & r \end{pmatrix}.$$

Calculate AB and BA . Hence, find the values of p , q , and r if $AB = BA$.

3. Given that

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Show that

$$M^3 = M^2 + 6M + I,$$

where I is an identity matrix. Deduce that

$$M^{-1} = M^2 - M - 6I,$$

and hence find M^{-1} .

4. Given that

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 & -3 \\ 4 & 1 & 5 \\ 2 & -1 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad Q = \begin{pmatrix} -11 & 9 & -13 \\ 14 & 0 & 7 \\ 6 & -3 & 9 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Calculate PQ . Hence, deduce the inverse matrix of P .

5. Find the values of k for the following equations.

(a) $\begin{vmatrix} k & 5 & 3 \\ 5 & k+1 & 1 \\ -3 & -4 & k-2 \end{vmatrix} = 0.$

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

6. Given that

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & -4 \\ 3 & -2 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \text{and} \quad C = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 8 & -12 \\ -5 & -1 & 7 \\ 1 & -2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Calculate AB and AC . Hence, determine the inverse matrix of A .

7. Calculate the inverse of the following matrices by using

- (i) elementary row operations method,
 (ii) adjoint method.

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{(a)} \quad \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ -4 & 2 & 5 \end{pmatrix}. & \text{(b)} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}. \\ \text{(c)} \quad \begin{pmatrix} -3 & -1 & 6 \\ 2 & 1 & -4 \\ -5 & -2 & 11 \end{pmatrix}. & \text{(d)} \quad \begin{pmatrix} -4 & 3 & 4 \\ 12 & -9 & -11 \\ -1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}. \\ \text{(e)} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & -4 \\ -5 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}. & \text{(f)} \quad \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}. \end{array}$$

8. Given that

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Show that $A^2 - 4A - 5I = 0$. Hence, determine the inverse matrix of A .

9. Solve the following system linear equations by using

- (i) inverse matrix method,
 (ii) Cramer's rule.

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{(a)} \quad 2x_1 + 3x_2 + x_3 = 11, & \text{(b)} \quad x_1 - x_2 - 3x_3 = 2, \\ \quad \quad 2x_1 - 2x_2 - 3x_3 = 5, & \quad \quad x_1 - 3x_2 - 13x_3 = 14, \\ \quad \quad 3x_1 - 5x_2 + 2x_3 = -3. & \quad \quad -3x_1 - 4x_2 + 4x_3 = 0. \\ \text{(c)} \quad x_1 + 2x_2 - 3x_3 = -4, & \text{(d)} \quad 3x_1 + 4x_2 - 5x_3 = -2, \\ \quad \quad 2x_1 - x_2 + x_3 = 3, & \quad \quad 2x_1 - x_2 - x_3 = -9, \\ \quad \quad 3x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 = 10. & \quad \quad 4x_1 - 3x_3 = -13. \end{array}$$

10. Determine whether the following system of linear equations has a trivial solution.

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \text{(a)} & x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 = 0, \\
 & 2x_2 + 2x_3 = 0, \\
 & x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 = 0. \\
 \text{(b)} & 2x_1 + x_2 - x_3 = 0, \\
 & x_1 - 2x_2 - 3x_3 = 0, \\
 & -3x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 = 0. \\
 \text{(c)} & 3x_1 + x_2 + 3x_3 = 0, \\
 & -2x_1 + 2x_2 - 4x_3 = 0, \\
 & 2x_1 - 3x_2 + 5x_3 = 0. \\
 \text{(d)} & x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 = 0, \\
 & -x_1 - 2x_2 - 2x_3 = 0, \\
 & -x_1 - x_2 = 0.
 \end{array}$$

11. Solve the following system of linear equations by using

- (i) Gauss elimination method,
(ii) Gauss–Jordan elimination method.

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \text{(a)} & 2x_1 - 4x_2 = 3, \\
 & -6x_1 + 12x_2 = -9, \\
 & 4x_1 - 8x_2 = 6. \\
 \text{(b)} & x_1 + 2x_2 = -7, \\
 & -x_1 - x_2 = 1, \\
 & 2x_1 + x_2 = 5.
 \end{array}$$

Could you solve these system of linear equations by using inverse matrix method or Cramer's rule?

12. Solve the following system of linear equations by using

- (i) Gauss elimination method, (ii) Gauss–Jordan elimination method.

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \text{(a)} & x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = -2, \\
 & -x_1 + x_2 = 0, \\
 & x_2 + x_3 = -1. \\
 \text{(b)} & x_1 + 3x_2 = 19, \\
 & x_2 + 3x_3 = 10, \\
 & 3x_1 + x_3 = -5. \\
 \text{(c)} & 4x_1 + 5x_2 + 6x_3 = 24, \\
 & 2x_1 + 7x_2 + 12x_3 = 40, \\
 & x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 = 6. \\
 \text{(d)} & x_1 + 2x_2 + 2x_3 = 9, \\
 & 2x_1 + 5x_2 - 2x_3 = 14, \\
 & x_1 + 3x_2 - 4x_3 = 5.
 \end{array}$$

13. Solve the following system of linear equations by using

- (i) Gauss elimination method, (ii) Gauss–Jordan elimination method.

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \text{(a)} & 5\sqrt{x} - \frac{3}{y} + 2z^2 = 13, \\
 & 4\sqrt{x} - \frac{2}{y} + 5z^2 = 13, \\
 & 2\sqrt{x} + \frac{4}{y} - 3z^2 = -9. \\
 \text{(b)} & \frac{2}{x} + \frac{1}{y} - \frac{1}{z} = 8, \\
 & \frac{3}{x} + \frac{2}{y} = 11, \\
 & \frac{3}{y} + \frac{1}{z} = 10.
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \text{(c)} & \frac{2}{x} + \frac{1}{y} - \frac{2}{z} = 10, \\
 & \frac{6}{x} + \frac{4}{y} + \frac{4}{z} = 2, \\
 & \frac{10}{x} + \frac{8}{y} + \frac{6}{z} = 8. \\
 \text{(d)} & \frac{1}{x} + \frac{3}{y} + \frac{4}{z} = 8, \\
 & \frac{2}{x} + \frac{9}{y} + \frac{6}{z} = 27, \\
 & \frac{1}{x} + \frac{5}{y} + \frac{6}{z} = 15.
 \end{array}$$

14. Show that each of the following matrix has distinct roots of characteristic equation.

$$\text{(a)} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \qquad \text{(b)} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Hence find all the eigenvectors.

15. Determine whether W is a subspace of V .

$$\text{(a)} \quad V = \mathbb{R}^3, \quad W = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a \\ -a \\ 2a \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

$$\text{(b)} \quad V = M_{2 \times 2}, \quad W = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} : ad \geq bc \right\}$$

16. Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$. Determine whether $C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ is in $\text{span}(A, B)$.

17. Determine the eigenvalues of the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -3 & 6 \\ 0 & 2 & -8 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$

(a) Show that $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ is an eigenvector of A .

(b) Show that $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ is also an eigenvector of $B = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & -6 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & -3 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ and write down the corresponding eigenvalues.

(c) Hence, or otherwise, write down an eigenvector of matrix AB and state the corresponding eigenvalue.