

## ◎ Matrix Operations

### ★ Example

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ -2 & 3 & 1 \\ -4 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = x \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + z \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} x + 2y + 4z \\ -2x + 5y + z \\ -4x + y + 2z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ -2 & 3 & 1 \\ -4 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 \\ y_1 & y_2 & y_3 \\ z_1 & z_2 & z_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 & c_2 & c_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$c_2 = x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} + y_2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + z_2 \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ -2 & 3 & 1 \\ -4 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = a[1 \ 2 \ 4] + b[-2 \ 3 \ 1] + c[-4 \ 1 \ 2]$$

$$= [a - 2b - 4c \quad 2a + 3b + c \quad 4a + b + 2c]$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ -2 & 3 & 1 \\ -4 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} r_1 \\ r_2 \\ r_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$r_3 = a_3[1 \ 2 \ 4] + b_3[-2 \ 3 \ 1] + c_3[-4 \ 1 \ 2]$$

$$A(BC) = (AB)C \quad (\text{Associative law holds})$$

$$AB \neq BA \quad (\text{Commutative law does not hold})$$

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$BA = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C(A+B) = CA + CB \quad (\text{Distributive laws hold})$$

$$(A+B)C = AC + BC$$

## ◎ Elimination Using Matrices

★ Example

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & -2 \\ 4 & 9 & -3 \\ -2 & -3 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 8 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\times 2 \leftarrow$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & -2 & | & 2 \\ 4 & 9 & -3 & | & 8 \\ -2 & -3 & 7 & | & 10 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & -2 & | & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 4 \\ -2 & -3 & 7 & | & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & -2 & | & 2 \\ 4 & 9 & -3 & | & 8 \\ -2 & -3 & 7 & | & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$E_{21}$  (subtract a multiple 2 of row 1 from row 2)

elementary matrix  
elimination matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & -2 & | & 2 \\ 4 & 9 & -3 & | & 8 \\ -2 & -3 & 7 & | & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & -2 & | & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 4 \\ -2 & -3 & 7 & | & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\times 1 \leftarrow$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & -2 & | & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 4 \\ -2 & -3 & 7 & | & 10 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & -2 & | & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 & | & 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & -2 & | & 2 \\ 4 & 9 & -3 & | & 8 \\ -2 & -3 & 7 & | & 10 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & -2 & | & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & | & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 & | & 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

$E_{31}$        $E_{21}$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 6 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 6 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 6 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$P_{23}$  (exchange rows 2 and 3)

permutation matrix  
(row exchange matrix)

$$x + 2y + 2z = 1$$

$$4x + 8y + 9z = 3$$

$$3y + 2z = 1$$

$$[A \underline{b}] = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 8 & 9 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -4 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] [A \underline{b}] = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \left[ \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -4 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] [A \underline{b}] = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 \end{array} \right]$$

$\overset{\text{II}}{P_{23}}$        $\overset{\text{II}}{E_{21}}$

## ◎ Inverse Matrices

Identity matrix  $I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & 0 \\ & 1 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & 1 \end{bmatrix}_{n \times n}$

$AI = IA = A$   
for any  $n \times n$  matrix  $A$

Def An  $n \times n$  matrix  $A$  is invertible if there exists a matrix  $B$  such that  $BA = I$  and  $AB = I$  ( $B$  is called an inverse of  $A$ )

Claim Suppose  $A$  is invertible. Then its inverse is unique

Proof Suppose  $A$  has two inverses  $B$  and  $C$ . Then  $BA = I$  and  $AC = I$ . We have  $B = BI = B(AC) = (BA)C = IC = C$ .

Remark The inverse of  $A$  is denoted as  $A^{-1}$ .

Remark The proof actually shows that if  $BA = AC = I$  then  $B = C = A^{-1}$ . "left inverse" = "right inverse" = "inverse"

Claim The inverse of  $A^{-1}$  is  $A$  itself.

Proof  $AA^{-1} = I$  (since  $A^{-1}$  is the inverse of  $A$ ) and  $A^{-1}A = I$  (since  $A^{-1}$  is the inverse of  $A$ ).  $\therefore A$  is the inverse of  $A^{-1}$ .

Claim If  $A$  is invertible, the one and only one solution to  $A\underline{x} = \underline{b}$  is  $\underline{x} = A^{-1}\underline{b}$

Proof  $A\underline{x} = \underline{b} \Leftrightarrow A^{-1}A\underline{x} = A^{-1}\underline{b} \Leftrightarrow I\underline{x} = A^{-1}\underline{b} \Leftrightarrow \underline{x} = A^{-1}\underline{b}$ .

Claim Suppose there is a nonzero solution  $\underline{z}$  to  $A\underline{z} = \underline{0}$ .  
Then  $A$  cannot have an inverse.

Proof If  $A$  is invertible,  $A\underline{z} = \underline{0} \Rightarrow (A^{-1}A)\underline{z} = A^{-1}\underline{0} \Rightarrow \underline{z} = \underline{0}$ . ■

Claim A diagonal matrix has an inverse provided no diagonal entries are zero.

Proof If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} d_1 & & & 0 \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & d_n \end{bmatrix}$  then  $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/d_1 & & & 0 \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & 1/d_n \end{bmatrix}$ . ■

Claim If  $A$  and  $B$  are invertible, then so is  $AB$ .  
 $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Proof } (B^{-1}A^{-1})(AB) &= B^{-1}(A^{-1}A)B \\ &= B^{-1}I B \\ &= B^{-1}B = I \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (AB)(B^{-1}A^{-1}) &= A(BB^{-1})A^{-1} \\ &= AIA^{-1} \\ &= AA^{-1} = I \end{aligned} \blacksquare$$

Claim  $(ABC)^{-1} = C^{-1}B^{-1}A^{-1}$

Example  $E_{21} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -4 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  elementary matrix  
(elimination matrix)

$$E_{21}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Example  $P_{21} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  permutation matrix  
(row exchange matrix)

$$P_{21}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = P_{21}$$