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MATH 225, LINEAR ALGEBRA and DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS,
Solution of Homework set¹ # 9

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Homework problems from the 2nd Edition, SECTION 3.5

3(3)²

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -7 \\ -5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -7 \\ -5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 33 \\ -28 \end{bmatrix}.$$

5(5)

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ -5 & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \vec{x} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ -5 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}.$$

7(7)

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -9 \\ -5 & 7 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \vec{x} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -9 \\ -5 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

11(11) Let

$$[A|I] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 7 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Then do the following row operations $R_2 - 2R_1$, $R_3 - 2R_1$, $R_1 + R_3$, $R_2 - 2R_3$, $R_3 + 3R_2$, $(-1)R_3, \dots, R_1 - 2R_2$ and obtain

$$[A|I] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -5 & -2 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 2 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -4 & -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Therefore,

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & -2 & 5 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ -4 & -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

17(17) Let

$$[A|I] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Then do the following row operations $R_2 + R_1$, $(-1)R_2$, $R_3 + 2R_2$, $(1/4)R_2$, $R_3 + 2R_2$, $(1/4)R_3, \dots$, and obtain

$$[A|I] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -(1/2) & -(3/2) & -(3/4) \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -(1/2) & -(1/2) & -(1/4) \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -(1/2) & -(1/2) & (1/4) \end{bmatrix}.$$

¹I made every effort to avoid the calculation errors and/or typos while I prepared the solution set. **You are responsible to check all the solutions and correct the errors if there is any.** If you find any errors and/or misprints, please notify me.

²The number in the parenthesis denotes the problem number in the International Edition of the textbook

Therefore,

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -6 & -3 \\ -2 & -2 & -1 \\ -2 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

23(23) Since

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ -5 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

then

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ -5 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -5 \\ -1 & -2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 18 & -35 \\ -9 & -23 & 45 \end{bmatrix}.$$

41(41) This follows immediately from the fact that the ij^{th} element of \mathbf{AB} is the product of the i^{th} row of \mathbf{A} and the j^{th} column of \mathbf{B} .

42(42) Let \vec{e}_i denote the i^{th} row of \mathbf{I} . Then, $\vec{e}_i \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{B}_i$, the i^{th} row of \mathbf{B} . Hence the result in Problem 41 yields

$$\mathbf{IB} = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{e}_1 \\ \vec{e}_2 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \vec{e}_m \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{e}_1 \mathbf{B} \\ \vec{e}_2 \mathbf{B} \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \vec{e}_m \mathbf{B} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{B}_1 \\ \mathbf{B}_2 \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ \mathbf{B}_m \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{B}.$$

43(43) Let $\mathbf{E}_1, \mathbf{E}_2, \dots, \mathbf{E}_k$, be the elementary matrices corresponding to the elementary row operations that reduce \mathbf{A} to \mathbf{B} . Then Theorem 5 (*If any elementary row operation is performed on the $m \times n$ matrix \mathbf{A} , then the result is the product matrix \mathbf{EA} , where \mathbf{E} is the elementary matrix obtained by performing the same row operation on the $m \times m$ identity matrix \mathbf{I} .*) gives $\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{E}_k \mathbf{E}_{k-1} \dots \mathbf{E}_2 \mathbf{E}_1 \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{EA}$, where $\mathbf{E} = \mathbf{E}_k \mathbf{E}_{k-1} \dots \mathbf{E}_2 \mathbf{E}_1$.