

(This is the coversheet for the homework. The actual solutions should be worked out neatly on single-sided with each problem labeled (for example: Problem 1, 1.1 #14 ) and the answer boxed. Those additional sheets are then to be stapled with a metal staple in the upper left corner in such a way that no work is obscured. Failure to follow the style outlined here will result in a loss of credit. The problems refer to Anton and Rorres 10th ed. of *Elementary Linear Algebra: applications version.* )

**Problem 13** Suppose that  $AB = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Calculate  $A$ .

**Problem 14** § 1.4 # 8 (hint:  $\cos(-\theta) = \cos(\theta)$ ,  $\sin(-\theta) = -\sin(\theta)$  makes answer neat)

**Problem 15** § 1.4 # 30 (symbolic matrix algebra problem)

**Problem 16** § 1.5 # 14 (find the inverse, do not use technology for solution, show work)

**Problem 17** § 1.5 # 26a (find the inverse, do not use technology for solution, show work)

**Problem 18** § 1.5 # 32 (inverse is product of elementary matrices)

**Problem 19** § 1.6 # 4 (you can use technology to find the inverse)

**Problem 20** § 1.6 # 12 (you can use technology to calculate the rref)

**Problem 21** § 1.6 # 14 (find conditions on  $b_1, b_2$  to make  $Ax = b$  consistent)

**Problem 22** § 1.7 # 34 (matrix algebra problem, involves powers of diagonal matrices)

**Problem 23** § 1.8 # 2 (you can use tech. to find an rref here)

**Problem 24** § 1.8 # 8 (you can use tech. to find an rref here)

**Problem 25** § 1.8 # 10 (you can use tech. to find an rref here)

**Problem 26** supplementary exercise # 16 on page 92 (you can use tech. to find an rref here)

**Problem 27** Let  $Z = \begin{bmatrix} a & c \\ b & d \end{bmatrix}$ . Recall that there are no real solutions of the equation  $x^2 + 1 = 0$ .

The same is not true for matrices. Show that  $J = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  solves  $Z^2 + I = 0$ . Let  $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R}$  and define  $Z = aI + bJ$  and  $W = cI + dJ$ . Calculate  $ZW$  and interpret what this calculation represents. Hint: use your *imagination*.

# PROBLEM SET 2 SOLUTION, MATH 221

**PROBLEM 13**  $AB = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , find A.

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

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ -2 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \boxed{\begin{bmatrix} -3 & 13 \\ -8 & 27 \end{bmatrix}}$$

check:  $\begin{bmatrix} -3 & 13 \\ -8 & 27 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -21+26 & -9+13 \\ -56+54 & -24+27 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

**PROBLEM 14** (§1.4 #8) Find inverse of  $\begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$$

rotation by  $-\theta$  gives the inverse matrix, make sense?

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \cos(-\theta) & \sin(-\theta) \\ -\sin(-\theta) & \cos(-\theta) \end{bmatrix}$$

**PROBLEM 15** (§1.4 #30) Assume A, B, C, D are invertible. Solve  $ABC^T D B A^T C = AB^T$  for D.

$$ABC^T D B A^T C = AB^T \Rightarrow (C^T)^{-1} B^{-1} A^{-1} (ABC^T D B A^T C) = (C^T)^{-1} B^{-1} A^{-1} A B^T$$

$$\Rightarrow D B A^T C = (C^T)^{-1} B^{-1} B^T$$

$$\Rightarrow (D B A^T C) C^{-1} (A^T)^{-1} B^{-1} = (C^T)^{-1} B^{-1} B^T C^{-1} (A^T)^{-1} B^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{D = (C^T)^{-1} B^{-1} B^T C^{-1} (A^T)^{-1} B^{-1}}$$

**PROBLEM 16** (§1.5 #14) find inverse of  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = A$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{r_2 - 2r_1} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 & 2 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{3r_2 \\ 3r_3}} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 3 & 6 & 0 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -6 & 4 & -4 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 & 3 & 0 & 0 & 3 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow{\substack{r_1 + r_2 \\ r_3 + r_2}} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 3 & 0 & 4 & -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -6 & 4 & -4 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 & -4 & 2 & 3 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{7r_1 \\ 7r_2 \\ 4r_3}} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 21 & 0 & 28 & -7 & 14 & 0 \\ 0 & -42 & 28 & -28 & 14 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 28 & -16 & 8 & 12 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{r_1 - r_3 \\ r_2 - r_3}} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 21 & 0 & 0 & 9 & 6 & -12 \\ 0 & -42 & 0 & -12 & 6 & -12 \\ 0 & 0 & 28 & -16 & 8 & 12 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{ref}(A|I) = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 9/21 & 6/21 & -12/21 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -12/42 & 6/42 & -12/42 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -16/28 & 8/28 & 12/28 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{A^{-1} = \frac{1}{7} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & -4 \\ -2 & -1 & 2 \\ -4 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}}$$

PROBLEM 17 (§1.5 # 26a) Find inverse of  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & k_1 \\ 0 & 0 & k_2 & 0 \\ 0 & k_3 & 0 & 0 \\ k_4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

Observe  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1/k_4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/k_3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/k_2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1/k_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & k_1 \\ 0 & 0 & k_2 & 0 \\ 0 & k_3 & 0 & 0 \\ k_4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Thus,  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & k_1 \\ 0 & 0 & k_2 & 0 \\ 0 & k_3 & 0 & 0 \\ k_4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1/k_4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/k_3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/k_2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1/k_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

To derive this you could do row reduction

by  $E_{r_1 \leftrightarrow r_4}$ ,  $E_{r_2 \leftrightarrow r_3}$ ,  $E_{\frac{1}{k_4} r_1}$ ,  $E_{\frac{1}{k_3} r_2}$ ,  $E_{\frac{1}{k_2} r_3}$ ,  $E_{\frac{1}{k_1} r_4}$ .

$E_{r_4/k_1} E_{r_3/k_2} E_{r_2/k_3} E_{r_1/k_4} E_{r_2 \leftrightarrow r_3} E_{r_1 \leftrightarrow r_4} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & k_1 \\ 0 & 0 & k_2 & 0 \\ 0 & k_3 & 0 & 0 \\ k_4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

inverse, same as I guessed by examination.

PROBLEM 18 (§1.5 # 32) write  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  as product of elementary matrices.

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{r_2 - r_1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{r_3 - r_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{r_1 - r_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

Hence,

(\*)  $E_{1 \leftrightarrow 2} E_{r_1 - r_3} E_{r_3 - r_2} E_{r_2 - r_1} A = I$

$\xrightarrow{r_2 \leftrightarrow r_3} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$\Rightarrow A = E_{r_2 + r_1} E_{r_3 + r_2} E_{r_1 + r_3} E_{r_1 \leftrightarrow r_2}$

These are inverses of those in (\*). I solved for A.

PROBLEM 19 (§1.6#4) Solve  $5x_1 + 3x_2 + 2x_3 = 4$   
 $3x_1 + 3x_2 + 2x_3 = 2$   
 $x_2 + x_3 = 5$

by multiplication by inverse matrix of coeff. matrix

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 & 2 \\ 3 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_A \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}}_V = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}}_b$$

Calculate  $\text{rref}(A|I) = (I|A^{-1}) \Rightarrow A^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ -3 & 5 & -4 \\ 3 & -5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$

Therefore,

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ -3 & 5 & -4 \\ 3 & -5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -22 \\ 32 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -11 \\ 16 \end{bmatrix}$$

PROBLEM 20 (§1.6#12) Solve systems by aug. coeff. technique

$$\text{rref} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 & | & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & -2 & 0 & | & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 5 & 4 & | & -1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 18 & -23 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & -9 & 11 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 2 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore, I find sol<sup>s</sup> to systems (i), (ii) and (iii) all at once!

(i.) $x_1 = 18$	(ii.) $x_1 = -23$	(iii.) $x_1 = 5$
$x_2 = -9$	$x_2 = 11$	$x_2 = -2$
$x_3 = 2$	$x_3 = -2$	$x_3 = 0$

PROBLEM 21 (§1.6#14) Find conditions on  $b_1, b_2$  to solve  $6x_1 - 4x_2 = b_1$   
 $3x_1 - 2x_2 = b_2$   
 if it is possible!

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 6 & -4 & b_1 \\ 3 & -2 & b_2 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{r_2 - \frac{1}{2}r_1} \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 6 & -4 & b_1 \\ 0 & 0 & b_2 - \frac{1}{2}b_1 \end{array} \right]$$

thus, for consistency we must require  $b_2 - \frac{1}{2}b_1 = 0$

PROBLEM 22 (§1.7#34) Find all  $3 \times 3$  diagonal matrices solving  $A^2 - 3A - 4I = 0$

Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & z \end{bmatrix}$  then  $A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} x^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & z^2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$A^2 - 3A - 4I = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} x^2-3x-4 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y^2-3y-4 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & z^2-3z-4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] = 0$$

We find  $(x-4)(x+1) = 0$ ,  $(y-4)(y+1) = 0$ ,  $(z-4)(z+1) = 0$   
 thus  $x, y, z \in \{-1, 4\}$ .

$$\left[ \begin{bmatrix} -1 & & \\ & -1 & \\ & & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 & & \\ & -1 & \\ & & 4 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 & & \\ & 4 & \\ & & 4 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 4 & & \\ & -1 & \\ & & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 4 & & \\ & -1 & \\ & & 4 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 4 & & \\ & 4 & \\ & & 4 \end{bmatrix} \right]$$

Or,  $\begin{bmatrix} i & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & j & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & k \end{bmatrix}$  where  $i, j, k = -1, 4$ .

PROBLEM 23 (§1.8#2) See text for problem.

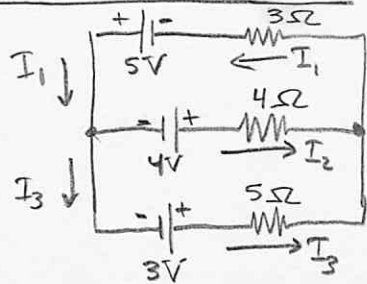
a.)  $\begin{cases} x_1 + x_3 = 200 \\ x_2 = x_1 + 25 \\ x_4 + x_5 = x_3 + 150 \\ x_2 + x_4 = x_6 + 175 \\ x_5 + x_6 = 200 \end{cases}$  Conservation of flows.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccccc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 200 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 25 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 150 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 175 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 200 \end{array} \right] \rightarrow \left[ \begin{array}{cccccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 150 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 175 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 50 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 200 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

b.)  $\begin{cases} x_1 = -t + s + 150 \\ x_2 = -t + s + 175 \\ x_3 = t - s + 50 \\ x_5 = -s + 200 \end{cases}$   
 where  $x_4 = t, x_6 = s$

c.) Given  $\underbrace{x_4 = 50}_{t=50}$  and  $\underbrace{x_6 = 0}_{s=0}$  the flow rates are  $\begin{cases} x_1 = 100 \\ x_2 = 125 \\ x_3 = 100 \\ x_5 = 200 \end{cases}$

PROBLEM 24 (§1.8#8)



$$5 - 3I_1 + 4 - 4I_2 = 0$$

$$4 - 4I_2 + 5I_3 - 3 = 0$$

$$I_1 = I_2 + I_3$$

$$\text{ref } \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 3 & 4 & 0 & 9 \\ 0 & 4 & -5 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right] = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 77/47 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 48/47 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 29/47 \end{array} \right]$$

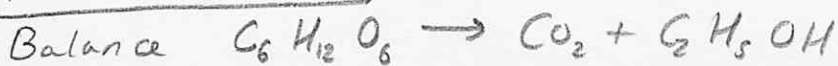
$\Rightarrow$

$$I_1 = \frac{77}{47} \text{ A}$$

$$I_2 = \frac{48}{47} \text{ A}$$

$$I_3 = \frac{29}{47} \text{ A}$$

PROBLEM 25 (§1.8#10)



We have C, H, O atoms, we need to find  $x_1, x_2, x_3$

$$x_1 \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 12 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 6 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (x_1 C_6H_{12}O_6 \rightarrow x_2 CO_2 + x_3 C_2H_5OH)$$

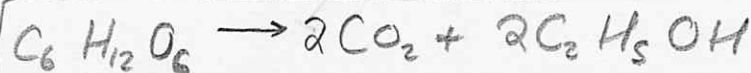
$$\text{ref } \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 6 & -1 & -2 & 0 \\ 12 & 0 & -6 & 0 \\ 6 & -2 & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right] = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1/2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$x_1 = \frac{1}{2} x_3$$

$$x_2 = x_3$$

We seek integer sol<sup>ns</sup>.  choose  $x_3 = 2$

Hence  $x_1 = 1$  and  $x_2 = 2$



PROBLEM 26 (Supp. ex. #16 on pg. 92)

Find  $a, b, c$  such that  $p(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$  passes through  $(-1, 0)$  and has horizontal tangent at  $(2, -9)$

$$p(-1) = 0$$

$$p(2) = -9$$

$$p'(2) = 0$$

implies  $y = -9$   
for  $x = 2$  in  
 $y = p(x)$  and  
 $\underline{p'(2) = 0}$   
horizontal.

Note,  $p'(x) = 2ax + b$ . We find,

$$a - b + c = 0$$

$$4a + 2b + c = -9$$

$$4a + b = 0$$

$$\text{rref} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 2 & 1 & -9 \\ 4 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -5 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \boxed{p(x) = x^2 - 4x - 5}$$

PROBLEM 27

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow J^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = -I \therefore \underline{J^2 + I = 0}$$

Let  $Z = aI + bJ$  and  $W = cI + dJ$

$$\text{Thus } Z = \begin{bmatrix} a & -b \\ b & a \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } W = \begin{bmatrix} c & -d \\ d & c \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} ZW &= \begin{bmatrix} a & -b \\ b & a \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c & -d \\ d & c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ac - bd & -ad - bc \\ bc + ad & -bd + ac \end{bmatrix} \\ &= (ac - bd) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + (ad + bc) \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Note } (a + ib)(c + id) &= ac + iad + ibc + i^2 bd \\ &= ac - bd + i(ad + bc) \end{aligned}$$

The matrices  $Z$  and  $W$  correspond to complex numbers  $a + ib$  and  $c + id$  respectively. Moreover  $ZW$  likewise corresponds to  $(a + ib)(c + id)$ .

Remark:  $\mathbb{C} \xrightarrow{\psi} M < \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2} \quad \psi(x + iy) = \begin{bmatrix} x & -y \\ y & x \end{bmatrix}$   
makes  $\psi$  an isomorphism. Same algebra, different notation.