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Note: In this assignment, R denotes a commutative ring.

Problem 1 Your signature below indicates you have:

(a.) I read up to §2.5 of Cook's lecture notes: _____.

(b.) I read Chapter 1 of Curtis' text: _____.

Problem 2 Let $S = \{a, b, c\}$ where a, b, c are **distinct** elements of S .

(a.) if we view S as a **set** then $S \cup \{a, b\}$ is:

(b.) if we view S as a **multiset** then $S \cup \{a, b\}$ is:

Problem 3 Let $z = 3 + i$ and $w = -3 + 4i$. Put the following into **Cartesian form**

(a) $\frac{1}{z} + \frac{1}{w}$

(b) $\frac{z^2 + 3wz - 4w^2}{z^2 - w^2}$

Problem 4 Following the example in my notes where I show the multiplication and addition table for $\mathbb{Z}/7\mathbb{Z}$, create the addition and multiplication tables for $\mathbb{Z}/5\mathbb{Z}$. Use your table to find the multiplicative inverse for each nonzero element in $\mathbb{Z}/5\mathbb{Z}$. Given that $\mathbb{Z}/5\mathbb{Z}$ is a ring, are your observations sufficient to prove $\mathbb{Z}/5\mathbb{Z}$ is a field ?

Problem 5 Following the example in my notes where I show the multiplication and addition table for $\mathbb{Z}/7\mathbb{Z}$, create the addition and multiplication tables for $\mathbb{Z}/8\mathbb{Z}$. Use your table to find multiplicative inverses for each unit in $\mathbb{Z}/8\mathbb{Z}$. Also, list all zero divisors in $\mathbb{Z}/8\mathbb{Z}$. Explain why $\mathbb{Z}/8\mathbb{Z}$ is **not** a field.

Problem 6 Show that if $a \in R$ is a zero divisor then a cannot have a multiplicative inverse.

Problem 7 Complete Problem 1(a) on page 14 of Curtis' text (basic induction problem).

Problem 8 Let $c, A_i \in R$ for all $i \in \mathbb{N}$. Use induction to prove that $\sum_{i=1}^n (cA_i) = c \sum_{i=1}^n A_i$.

Problem 9 Complete Problem 3 on page 15 of Curtis' text (binomial theorem).

Problem 10 Prove (3.) of Prop. 2.2.6 in my notes; that is, show $c_1(A + B) = c_1A + c_1B$ for $c_1 \in R$ and $A, B \in R^{m \times n}$.

Problem 11 Prove (1.) of Theorem 2.3.11 in my notes; that is, show $(AX)Z = A(XZ)$ for multipliable matrices A, X, Z over R .

Problem 12 Let $A \in R^{m \times n}$ and $B \in R^{n \times p}$. Prove that $(AB)^T = B^T A^T$.

Problem 13 The socks-shoes identity is easily generalized. Let $A_i \in R^{n \times n}$ for each $i \in \mathbb{N}$. Use induction to prove $(A_1 A_2 \cdots A_n)^T = A_n^T \cdots A_2^T A_1^T$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

Problem 14 Let us define the set of component-wise nonzero 2×2 matrices over $\mathbb{Z}/3\mathbb{Z}$ by

$$M = \{A \in (\mathbb{Z}/3\mathbb{Z})^{2 \times 2} \mid A_{ij} \neq 0 \text{ for all } (i, j) \in \mathbb{N}_2 \times \mathbb{N}_2\}$$

List all the matrices in M .

Problem 15 Find which of the matrices in M of the previous problem are invertible. Find the inverse of each invertible matrix in M and express them in the form $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$ where $a, b, c, d \in \{\bar{0}, \bar{1}, \bar{2}\}$. Notice, the formula in Example 2.4.6 works for any field $\mathbb{F}$ and $\mathbb{Z}/3\mathbb{Z}$ is a field.

Problem 16 Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{0} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{6} & \bar{4} \end{bmatrix}$ over $\mathbb{Z}/8\mathbb{Z}$. Calculate the following:

- (a) $A + A$
- (b) $A + 7A$
- (c) A^2
- (d) A^4

Problem 17 If $v = [1, 2, 3]$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ then calculate the following if possible (or explain why it is not possible)

- (a) vB
- (b) Bv
- (c) vBv^T
- (d) BB^T
- (e) $B^T B$

Problem 18 If $e_i^T A e_j = i^2 + j^2$ for all $(i, j) \in \mathbb{N}_3 \times \mathbb{N}_2$ then find A explicitly as an array of numbers.

MISSION 1 (HOMEWORK 1) SOLUTION

NOTE: DUE TO A DECREASE IN NARUTO KNOWLEDGE
THE ASSIGNMENT OF MISSIONS HAS BEEN RETIRED.
INDEED, THIS MAY BE THE FINAL MISSION.
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PROBLEM 2

(a.) as sets, $\{a, b, c\} \cup \{a, b\} = \{a, b, c\}$

(b.) as multisets, $\{a, b, c\} \cup \{a, b\} = \{a, a, b, b, c\}$
ordering can be altered.

PROBLEM 3

$z = 3+i$, $w = -3+4i$

(a.) $\frac{1}{z} + \frac{1}{w} = \frac{3-i}{10} + \frac{-3-4i}{25} = \frac{15-5i-6-8i}{50} = \boxed{\frac{9-13i}{50}}$

(b.) $\frac{z^2 + 3wz - 4w^2}{z^2 - w^2} = \frac{\cancel{(z-w)}(z+4w)}{\cancel{(z-w)}(\cancel{z+w})}$
 $= \frac{3+i-12+16i}{3+i-(-3+4i)}$
 $= \left(\frac{-9+17i}{6-3i} \right) \left(\frac{6+3i}{6+3i} \right)$
 $= \frac{-54 + 102i - 27i - 51}{36 + 9}$
 $= \frac{-105 + 75i}{45} = \boxed{-\frac{7}{3} + \frac{5}{3}i} = \frac{-7+5i}{3}$

PROBLEM 4 $\mathbb{Z}/5\mathbb{Z} = \{\bar{0}, \bar{1}, \bar{2}, \bar{3}, \bar{4}\}$

+	$\bar{1}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{3}$	$\bar{4}$
$\bar{1}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{3}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{0}$
$\bar{2}$	$\bar{3}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{0}$	$\bar{1}$
$\bar{3}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{0}$	$\bar{1}$	$\bar{2}$
$\bar{4}$	$\bar{0}$	$\bar{1}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{3}$

•	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{3}$	$\bar{4}$
$\bar{2}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{1}$	$\bar{3}$
$\bar{3}$	$\bar{1}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{2}$
$\bar{4}$	$\bar{3}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{1}$

We find that $\bar{2}\bar{3} = \bar{1}$ and $\bar{4}\bar{4} = \bar{1}$ thus,

$$\frac{1}{\bar{2}} = \bar{3} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{1}{\bar{4}} = \bar{4} \quad (*)$$

Of course, $\frac{1}{\bar{1}} = \bar{1}$ as well so every nonzero element in $\mathbb{Z}/5\mathbb{Z}$ has a multiplicative inverse.

Since we know $\mathbb{Z}/5\mathbb{Z}$ is a commutative ring it follows that $\mathbb{Z}/5\mathbb{Z}$ is indeed a field.

(YES * suffice to show $\mathbb{Z}/5\mathbb{Z}$ a field given its a ring)

PROBLEM 5 $\mathbb{Z}/8\mathbb{Z} = \{\bar{0}, \bar{1}, \bar{2}, \bar{3}, \bar{4}, \bar{5}, \bar{6}, \bar{7}\}$

+	$\bar{1}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{3}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{5}$	$\bar{6}$	$\bar{7}$
$\bar{1}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{3}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{5}$	$\bar{6}$	$\bar{7}$	$\bar{0}$
$\bar{2}$	$\bar{3}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{5}$	$\bar{6}$	$\bar{7}$	$\bar{0}$	$\bar{1}$
$\bar{3}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{5}$	$\bar{6}$	$\bar{7}$	$\bar{0}$	$\bar{1}$	$\bar{2}$
$\bar{4}$	$\bar{5}$	$\bar{6}$	$\bar{7}$	$\bar{0}$	$\bar{1}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{3}$
$\bar{5}$	$\bar{6}$	$\bar{7}$	$\bar{0}$	$\bar{1}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{3}$	$\bar{4}$
$\bar{6}$	$\bar{7}$	$\bar{0}$	$\bar{1}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{3}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{5}$
$\bar{7}$	$\bar{0}$	$\bar{1}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{3}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{5}$	$\bar{6}$

•	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{3}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{5}$	$\bar{6}$	$\bar{7}$
$\bar{2}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{6}$	$\bar{0}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{6}$
$\bar{3}$	$\bar{6}$	$\bar{1}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{7}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{5}$
$\bar{4}$	$\bar{0}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{0}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{0}$	$\bar{4}$
$\bar{5}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{7}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{1}$	$\bar{6}$	$\bar{3}$
$\bar{6}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{0}$	$\bar{6}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{2}$
$\bar{7}$	$\bar{6}$	$\bar{5}$	$\bar{4}$	$\bar{3}$	$\bar{2}$	$\bar{1}$

We find zero divisors are $\bar{2}, \bar{4}, \bar{6}$ as $\bar{2}\bar{4} = \bar{0}$ and $\bar{4}\bar{6} = \bar{0}$.
The units of $\mathbb{Z}/8\mathbb{Z}$ are $\bar{3}, \bar{5}, \bar{7}$ as $\bar{3}\bar{3} = \bar{1}$, $\bar{5}\bar{5} = \bar{1}$ and $\bar{7}\bar{7} = \bar{1}$.

$\mathbb{Z}/8\mathbb{Z}$ is not a field since $\bar{2}, \bar{4}, \bar{6}$ have no multiplicative inverses.

PROBLEM 6 Show if $a \in R$ is zero divisor then a cannot have a multiplicative inverse (that is; a not a unit)

Suppose $a \in R$ is a zero divisor. It follows $a \neq 0$ and $\exists b \neq 0$ such that $ab = 0$. Next, suppose $a^{-1} \in R$ exists such that $a^{-1}a = 1$.

Consider, $ab = 0 \Rightarrow a^{-1}ab = a^{-1}(0) = 0$

Thus, $1 \cdot b = 0$ or $b = 0$. But, $b = 0$ contradicts $b \neq 0$ hence $\nexists a^{-1} \in R$. That is, a does not have a multiplicative inverse. //

PROBLEM 7 Show $1+3+5+\dots+(2k-1) = k^2 \quad \forall k \in \mathbb{N}$

Let $P(k) : 1+3+5+\dots+(2k-1) = k^2$. Consider, $P(1)$ is true since $1 = 1^2$. Suppose inductively for $k \in \mathbb{N}$ $P(k)$ true; $1+3+5+\dots+(2k-1) = k^2$. Consider

$$1+3+5+\dots+(2k-1)+[2(k+1)-1] =$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 + [2(k+1)-1] : \text{by induction hypothesis } P(k).$$

$$= k^2 + 2k + 1 : \text{algebra.}$$

$$= (k+1)^2$$

Thus $P(k+1)$ is true. Hence, by Proof By Mathematical Induction (or we could just say "by induction")

$P(k)$ true $\forall k \in \mathbb{N}$. //

PROBLEM 8 Let $c, A_i \in R \quad \forall i \in \mathbb{N}$.

Observe $\sum_{i=1}^1 (cA_i) = cA_1 = c(A_1) = c\left(\sum_{i=1}^1 A_i\right)$ hence

$\sum_{i=1}^n cA_i = c \sum_{i=1}^n A_i$ for $n=1$. Suppose inductively

that $\sum_{i=1}^n cA_i = c \sum_{i=1}^n A_i$ for some $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Consider,

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} cA_i &= cA_{n+1} + \sum_{i=1}^n cA_i \quad : \text{def}^n \text{ of } \sum \\ &= cA_{n+1} + c \sum_{i=1}^n A_i \quad : \text{by induction hypothesis.} \\ &= c \left(A_{n+1} + \sum_{i=1}^n A_i \right) \quad : \text{dist. prop. of ring multiplication.} \\ &= c \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} A_i \quad : \text{def}^n \text{ of } \sum. \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $\sum_{i=1}^n cA_i = c \sum_{i=1}^n A_i \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ by induction. //

PROBLEM 9 (Binomial Th^m). Define $\binom{n}{k}$ recursively by:

$$\binom{1}{0} = \binom{1}{1} = 1, \quad \binom{n}{0} = \binom{n}{n} = 1 \quad \text{for } n \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$\text{and } \binom{n}{k} = \binom{n-1}{k-1} + \binom{n-1}{k} \quad \text{for } k=1, 2, \dots, n-1.$$

Show: for $\alpha, \beta \in R$ ($\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{F}$ in CURTIS, BUT, I'll be greedier here)

$$(\alpha + \beta)^n = \binom{n}{0} \alpha^n + \binom{n}{1} \alpha^{n-1} \beta + \dots + \binom{n}{n} \beta^n = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} \alpha^{n-k} \beta^k$$

$\mathcal{P}(n)$.

Observe $\mathcal{P}(1)$ true as $(\alpha + \beta)^1 = \alpha + \beta = \binom{1}{0} \alpha^1 + \binom{1}{1} \beta^1$.

Suppose inductively $\mathcal{P}(n-1)$ true for some $(n-1) \in \mathbb{N}$.

Consider,

$$(\alpha + \beta)^n = (\alpha + \beta)(\alpha + \beta)^{n-1}$$

$$= (\alpha + \beta) \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \binom{n-1}{k} \alpha^{n-1-k} \beta^k$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \binom{n-1}{k} \alpha^{n-k} \beta^k + \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \binom{n-1}{k} \alpha^{n-1-k} \beta^{k+1}$$

$$= \binom{n-1}{0} \alpha^n + \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \binom{n-1}{k} \alpha^{n-k} \beta^k + \sum_{k=0}^{n-2} \binom{n-1}{k} \alpha^{n-1-k} \beta^{k+1} + \beta^n$$

$$= \alpha^n + \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \binom{n-1}{k} \alpha^{n-k} \beta^k + \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \binom{n-1}{j-1} \alpha^{n-j} \beta^j + \beta^n$$

$$= \alpha^n + \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \left(\binom{n-1}{k} + \binom{n-1}{k-1} \right) \alpha^{n-k} \beta^k + \beta^n$$

(j = k+1) ↗ swap j to k to add sums.

$$= \alpha^n + \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \binom{n}{k} \alpha^{n-k} \beta^k + \beta^n$$

Continuing Problem 9,

$$\begin{aligned}(\alpha + \beta)^n &= \alpha^n + \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \binom{n}{k} \alpha^{n-k} \beta^k + \beta^n \\&= \binom{n}{0} \alpha^{n-0} \beta^0 + \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \binom{n}{k} \alpha^{n-k} \beta^k + \binom{n}{n} \alpha^{n-n} \beta^n \\&= \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} \alpha^{n-k} \beta^k\end{aligned}$$

Thus we've shown $(n-1) \Rightarrow n$ true for the Binomial Th^m.
Hence, by induction, $\sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} \alpha^{n-k} \beta^k = (\alpha + \beta)^n \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}_0 //$

PROBLEM 10 Prove $c_1(A+B) = c_1 A + c_1 B \quad \forall c_1 \in R, \forall A, B \in R^{m \times n}$

Let $(i, j) \in \mathbb{N}_m \times \mathbb{N}_n$ and $c_1 \in R$ and $A_{ij}, B_{ij} \in R \quad \forall (i, j)$.

Consider, the following argument holds $\forall (i, j) \in \mathbb{N}_m \times \mathbb{N}_n$,

$$\begin{aligned}(c_1(A+B))_{ij} &= c_1(A+B)_{ij} && : \text{def}^n \text{ of scalar mult.} \\&= c_1(A_{ij} + B_{ij}) && : \text{def}^n \text{ of matrix add.} \\&= c_1 A_{ij} + c_1 B_{ij} && : \text{prop. of ring add and} \\&&& \text{multiplication: the} \\&&& \text{distributive prop for } R, \\&= (c_1 A)_{ij} + (c_1 B)_{ij} && : \text{def}^n \text{ of scalar mult.} \\&= (c_1 A + c_1 B)_{ij} && : \text{def}^n \text{ of matrix add.}\end{aligned}$$

Thus, $c_1(A+B) = c_1 A + c_1 B //$

PROBLEM 11 Let $A \in R^{m \times n}$, $B \in R^{n \times p}$, $C \in R^{p \times q}$

Consider, for $(i, j) \in \mathbb{N}_m \times \mathbb{N}_q$

$$\begin{aligned}
 ((AB)C)_{ij} &= \sum_{k=1}^p (AB)_{ik} C_{kj} && : \text{def}^n \text{ of mat. mult.} \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^p \left(\sum_{l=1}^n A_{il} B_{lk} \right) C_{kj} && : \text{def}^n \text{ of mat. mult.} \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^p \left(\sum_{l=1}^n (A_{il} B_{lk}) C_{kj} \right) && : \text{prop. of } \sum \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^p \left(\sum_{l=1}^n A_{il} (B_{lk} C_{kj}) \right) && : \text{associativity of } R\text{-multiplication} \\
 &= \sum_{l=1}^n \left(\sum_{k=1}^p A_{il} (B_{lk} C_{kj}) \right) && : \text{prop of finite sums. Can swap order.} \\
 &= \sum_{l=1}^n A_{il} \left(\sum_{k=1}^p B_{lk} C_{kj} \right) && : \text{using PROBLEM 10 actually. Notice } \nexists \text{ a } k\text{-dependence on } A_{il}. \\
 &= \sum_{l=1}^n A_{il} (BC)_{lj} && : \text{def}^n \text{ of matrix mult.} \\
 &= (A(BC))_{ij} && : \text{def}^n \text{ of mat. mult.}
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $(AB)C = A(BC)$, $\forall A, B, C$ multipliable over the commutative ring R (although, I don't see of course, $(A\mathbb{X})Z = A(\mathbb{X}Z)$ as we needed commutative here...)
follows. //

PROBLEM 12 Let $A \in R^{m \times n}$ and $B \in R^{n \times p}$. Consider,

$$\begin{aligned}
 (AB)^T_{ij} &= (AB)_{ji} : \text{def}^n \text{ of transpose} \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^n A_{jk} B_{ki} : \text{def}^n \text{ of matrix mult.} \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^n (A^T)_{kj} (B^T)_{ik} : \text{def}^n \text{ of transpose} \\
 &= \sum_{k=1}^n (B^T)_{ik} (A^T)_{kj} : R \text{ is commutative ring, } ab=ba \forall a, b \in R. \\
 &= (B^T A^T)_{ij} : \text{def}^n \text{ of matrix mult.}
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $(AB)^T_{ij} = (B^T A^T)_{ij} \quad \forall (i, j) \in \mathbb{N}_m \times \mathbb{N}_p$

thus $(AB)^T = B^T A^T \quad \forall A, B \text{ multipliable over } R. //$

PROBLEM 13 Let $A_i \in R^{n \times n}$ for each $i \in \mathbb{N}$. Consider,

$n=1$ and $n=2$ are notation and PROBLEM 12 for the following claim:

$$(A_1 A_2 \cdots A_n)^T = A_n^T \cdots A_2^T A_1^T. \quad (*)$$

Suppose inductively $(*)$ is true for some $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Consider,

$$\begin{aligned}
 (A_1 A_2 \cdots A_n A_{n+1})^T &= (B A_{n+1})^T : \text{for } B = A_1 \cdots A_n \in R^{n \times n} \\
 &= A_{n+1}^T B^T : \text{by PROBLEM 12.} \\
 &= A_{n+1}^T A_n^T \cdots A_2^T A_1^T : \text{by induct. hypo.}
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $(*)$ holds for $(n+1)$ and we conclude $(*)$ is true $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ by induction on $n. //$

PROBLEM 14 $M = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \mid a, b, c, d \in \{1, \bar{1}\} \right\}$

this gives 16 possible matrices in M :

$$\begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

Remark: The underlining stems from PROB. 15. The underlined matrices are invertible.

PROBLEM 15 We have $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad-bc} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$

provided $ad-bc \neq 0$. If $ad-bc = 0$ then

no inverse for $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$ exists. (You can

prove this a variety of ways, for instance

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}}_A \begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ thus } Ax=0 \not\Rightarrow x=0 \therefore A^{-1} \text{ d.n.e. })$$

① Observe, $\begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix}$ are not invertible, you can check $ad-bc = 0$ and for each of these we can solve $Ax = 0$ for $x \neq 0$.

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{\bar{2}-\bar{1}} \begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & -\bar{1} \\ -\bar{1} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix} \quad \textcircled{1} \quad \therefore \begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix} \quad \textcircled{2}$$

while we're at it,
 $A^{-1} = A \Rightarrow (A^{-1})^{-1} = A.$

continued $\rightarrow$

PROBLEM 15 continued : $-\bar{1} = \overline{-1+3} = \bar{2}$, $-\bar{2} = \overline{-2+3} = \bar{1}$ etc.

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} &= \frac{1}{\bar{1}-\bar{2}} \begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & -\bar{1} \\ -\bar{2} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{\bar{2}} \begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix} & \bar{2}\bar{2} = \bar{4} = \bar{1} \\ & & \therefore \frac{1}{\bar{2}} = \bar{2} \\ &= \bar{2} \begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, $\underline{\begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix}} \quad \& \quad \underline{\begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}} \quad (3) \quad (4)$

Next,

$$\begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{\bar{1}-\bar{2}} \begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & -\bar{2} \\ -\bar{1} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix} = \bar{2} \begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{2} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

Hence, $\underline{\begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix}} \quad \text{and} \quad \underline{\begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{2} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{1} & \bar{2} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}} \quad (5) \quad (6)$

Next,

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{1-4} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{oops!} \quad 1-4 = -3 = \bar{0}$$

We see $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and, now that I see it, $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ are not invertible! (thus 8 total non invertible)

Next,

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{\bar{2}-\bar{4}} \begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & -\bar{2} \\ -\bar{2} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore \underline{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}} \quad \text{and} \quad \underline{\begin{bmatrix} \bar{2} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{1} & \bar{1} \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}} \quad (7) \quad (8)$

PROBLEM 16 over $\mathbb{Z}/8\mathbb{Z}$. $A = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{0} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{6} & \bar{4} \end{bmatrix}$

$$(a.) \quad A + A = \left[\frac{\bar{0} + \bar{0}}{\bar{6} + \bar{6}} \mid \frac{\bar{1} + \bar{1}}{\bar{4} + \bar{4}} \right] = \left[\frac{\bar{0}}{\bar{4}} \mid \frac{\bar{2}}{\bar{0}} \right].$$

$$(b.) \quad A + 7A = \bar{8}A = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{8} \cdot \bar{0} & \bar{8} \cdot \bar{1} \\ \bar{8} \cdot \bar{6} & \bar{8} \cdot \bar{4} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{0} & \bar{0} \\ \bar{0} & \bar{0} \end{bmatrix} = \underline{0}.$$

$$(c.) \quad A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{0} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{6} & \bar{4} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \bar{0} & \bar{1} \\ \bar{6} & \bar{4} \end{bmatrix} = \left[\frac{\bar{0} + \bar{6}}{\bar{0} + 2\bar{4}} \mid \frac{\bar{0} + \bar{4}}{\bar{6} + \bar{16}} \right] = \left[\frac{\bar{6}}{\bar{24}} \mid \frac{\bar{4}}{\bar{22}} \right] = \left[\frac{\bar{6}}{\bar{0}} \mid \frac{\bar{4}}{\bar{6}} \right].$$

$$(d.) \quad A^4 = A^2 A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{-2} & \bar{4} \\ \bar{0} & \bar{-2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \bar{-2} & \bar{4} \\ \bar{0} & \bar{-2} \end{bmatrix} = \left[\frac{\bar{4}}{\bar{0}} \mid \frac{\bar{0}}{\bar{4}} \right].$$

Remark: sometimes using $\mathbb{Z}/8\mathbb{Z} = \{-\bar{3}, -\bar{2}, -\bar{1}, \bar{0}, \bar{1}, \bar{2}, \bar{3}, \bar{4}\}$ makes for easier calculation. Same goes for $\mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}$.

PROBLEM 17 $V = [1 \ 2 \ 3]$, $B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$

$$(a.) \quad V B = [1, 2, 3] \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix} = \underline{[6, 7]}.$$

(1x3) (3x2) (1x2)

(b.) BV is $(3 \times 2)(1 \times 3)$ not multipliable.

(c.) $V B V^T = [6, 7] \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ again, not multipliable.
(dimension mismatch)

$$(d.) \quad B B^T = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 & 0 \\ 5 & 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix} = \left[\begin{array}{c|c|c} 4^2 + 5^2 & 9 & 30 \\ \hline 4 + 5 & 2 & 6 \\ \hline 30 & 6 & 6^2 \end{array} \right]$$

(3x2)(2x3)

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PROBLEM 17 continued

$$(d.) \quad B B^T = \begin{bmatrix} 41 & 9 & 30 \\ 9 & 2 & 6 \\ 30 & 6 & 36 \end{bmatrix}$$

Remark: $(B B^T)^T = B B^T$.

$$(e.) \quad B^T B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 & 0 \\ 5 & 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 17 & 21 \\ 21 & 62 \end{bmatrix},$$

again symmetric

Remark: If $\text{trace}(M) = M_{11} + M_{22} + \dots + M_{nn}$ for $M \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$
then we can also appreciate
 $\text{trace}(B B^T) = \text{trace}(B^T B) = 41 + 2 + 36 = 17 + 62 = \underline{79}$.
Observe $4^2 + 1^2 + 0^2 + 5^2 + 6^2 = 17 + 25 + 36 = 79$. Curious.

PROBLEM 18

$$e_i^T A e_j = A_{ij} = i^2 + j^2 \quad \forall (i, j) \in \mathbb{N}_3 \times \mathbb{N}_2$$

$$\therefore A = \begin{bmatrix} 1^2 + 1^2 & 1^2 + 2^2 \\ 2^2 + 1^2 & 2^2 + 2^2 \\ 3^2 + 1^2 & 3^2 + 2^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 5 & 8 \\ 10 & 13 \end{bmatrix}.$$