

## § 2.5 Solutions

(2)

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

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(3)  $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1_2 \\ -1_5 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\begin{bmatrix} t \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1_5 \\ 1_{10} \end{bmatrix}$   
 $\Rightarrow A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1_2 & -1_5 \\ -1_5 & 1_{10} \end{bmatrix}$ .

(4)

When solving

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Augmented matrix is

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 6 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2 \leftarrow -3R_1 + R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore 0 = -3, \text{ ABSURD!}$$

So  $A^{-1}$  cannot exist bc applying  
GJE to

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 6 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ yields } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

A ZERO instead of a  
2nd pivot!

5.  $U = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

6. (a) Multiply both sides on the left by  $A^{-1}$ .  
 (b) A just adds up components in columns.

So e.g.  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $C = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{4} \end{bmatrix}$

10.  $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0's & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{5} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{3} & 0's \end{bmatrix}, \quad B^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 0 & 0 \\ -4 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & -7 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$

11. E.g.  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

13.  $M^{-1} = (ABC)^{-1} = C^{-1}B^{-1}A^{-1}$   
 $\Rightarrow B^{-1} = CM^{-1}A$ .

19.  $a = \frac{2}{5}, \quad b = \frac{1}{5}$ .

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

25.  $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} \\ -\frac{1}{4} & \frac{3}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} \\ -\frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{4} & \frac{3}{4} \end{bmatrix}; \quad B^{-1} \text{ does not exist.}$

28.  $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .

(2) (A) TRUE, because a row of 0's yields a zero pivot,  $\det(\text{matrix}) = \text{product of pivots} = 0$

(B) FALSE,  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  is not invertible.

(C) TRUE, by properties of inverses

$$(A^{-1})^{-1} = A, (A^2)^{-1} = (A^{-1})^2.$$

30.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 2 & c & c & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ c & c & c & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 8 & 7 & c & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{R_2 \leftarrow \frac{1}{c}R_1 + R_2 \\ R_3 \leftarrow -4R_1 + R_3}} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 2 & c & c & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -\frac{1}{c} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 7-4c & -3c & -4 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 2 & c & c & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c - \frac{c^2}{2} & c - \frac{c^2}{2} & -\frac{1}{c} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 7-4c & -3c & -4 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right].$$

So if  $c - \frac{c^2}{2} = 0$ , there is a missing pivot in the 2nd row: this occurs when  $\boxed{c=0 \text{ or } 2}$

If  $c \neq 0$  and  $c \neq 2$ , then the next step is to

apply  $\frac{7-4c}{c-\frac{c^2}{2}} R_2 + R_3 \rightarrow R_3$ . the 3rd pivot

is  $(7-4c) + -3c = 7-7c$ . This pivot

is missing if  $\boxed{c=1}$

$$\underset{4 \times 4}{\sim} A^{-1} = \left[ \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right],$$

$$\underset{5 \times 5}{\sim} A^{-1} = \left[ \begin{array}{ccccc} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

So  $\underline{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  is solution of  $\underline{A}\underline{x} = \frac{1}{4 \times 1}$