

Test 3

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3.4-3.6, 4.1-4.2

(6 Questions)

Bring calculator

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Practice Problems on website

Fact: Cramer's Rule

Let A be an $n \times n$ matrix. When $\det A \neq 0$, the system $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ has a unique solution:

$$i\text{-th variable} = \frac{|A_i|}{|A|}$$

where $A_i = A$ with the i -th column replaced by \vec{b} .

Example: Solve using Cramer's Rule:

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

$$2x + 3y + 2z = -11$$

$$3x + 5z = 23$$

$$4x + y + z = 1$$

$$A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -11 & 2 \\ 3 & 23 & 5 \\ 4 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = 47$$

$$|A_2| = -329$$

$$|A_1| = \begin{vmatrix} -11 & 3 & 2 \\ 23 & 0 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \quad \text{expand along 2nd column}$$

$$= -3 \begin{vmatrix} 23 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} - 1 \begin{vmatrix} -11 & 2 \\ 23 & 5 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -3(18) - 1(-101)$$

$$= 47$$

$$|A_3| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & -11 \\ 3 & 0 & 23 \\ 4 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \quad \text{expand along 2nd column}$$

$$= -3 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 23 \\ 4 & 1 \end{vmatrix} - 1 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -11 \\ 3 & 23 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -3(-89) - 1(79)$$

$$= 188$$

$$\begin{cases} x = \frac{|A_1|}{|A|} = 1 \\ y = \frac{|A_2|}{|A|} = -7 \\ z = \frac{|A_3|}{|A|} = 4 \end{cases}$$

Definition: A **cofactor** is the signed determinant in the cofactor expansion that's associated with a matrix entry. It's written C_{ij} .

The sign is given by the checkerboard pattern:
$$\begin{bmatrix} + & - & + & \dots \\ - & + & - & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \end{bmatrix}.$$

Example: Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$.

Calculate the cofactors C_{11} , C_{12} and C_{32} .

$$C_{11} = + \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = +(-3) = -3$$

$$C_{12} = - \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = -(2) = -2$$

$$C_{32} = - \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = -2$$

Definition: The **cofactor matrix** is the matrix whose entries are the cofactors of A .

Example: Find the cofactor matrix for $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$.

$$\text{Cofactor Matrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & -2 & 1 \\ 11 & 4 & -3 \\ -6 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Definition: The **adjoint** of A is the transpose of the cofactor matrix. It's written $\text{adj}(A)$.

Fact: For an $n \times n$ matrix with $|A| \neq 0$:

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj}(A).$$

Example: Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 3 & -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$. Find A^{-1} using the adjoint formula.

$$\text{Cofactor Matrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & -2 & -9 \\ -14 & 2 & 12 \\ 2 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{adj}(A) = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & -14 & 2 \\ -2 & 2 & 0 \\ -9 & 12 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \leftarrow \text{transpose}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |A| &= 2 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -3 & 4 \end{vmatrix} - 2 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{vmatrix} + 2 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & -3 \end{vmatrix} \\ &\quad \text{(expand along 1st row)} \\ &= 2(10) - 2(2) + 2(-9) \\ &= -2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A^{-1} &= \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj}(A) \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \text{adj}(A) \end{aligned}$$

Example: Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$. Find A^{-1} using the adjoint formula.

$$\text{Cofactor Matrix} = \begin{bmatrix} d & -c \\ -b & a \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{adj}(A) = \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$$

transpose

$$|A| = ad - bc$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad - bc} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$$

4.3 Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors, $n \times n$ Matrices

Example: Find all the eigenvalues of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -4 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$.

$$\text{Solve, } |A - \lambda I| = 0$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -4-\lambda & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 7-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$(1-\lambda)(-4-\lambda)(7-\lambda) = 0$$

because the matrix is upper triangular

$$\lambda = 1, -4, 7$$

Fact: The eigenvalues of an upper triangular, lower triangular or diagonal matrix are the diagonal entries.

Integer Roots Theorem

If a polynomial has integer coefficients and the leading coefficient is 1 then any integer roots divide the constant.

Example: Find all the eigenvalues of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 1 \\ 7 & -5 & 1 \\ 6 & -6 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$.

Solve $|A - \lambda I| = 0$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3-\lambda & -1 & 1 \\ 7 & -5-\lambda & 1 \\ 6 & -6 & 2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

expand along 1st row:

$$(3-\lambda) \begin{vmatrix} -5-\lambda & 1 \\ -6 & 2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 1 \\ 6 & 2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 7 & -5-\lambda \\ 6 & -6 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$(3-\lambda) [(-5-\lambda)(2-\lambda) + 6] + [7(2-\lambda) - 6] + [-42 - 6(-5-\lambda)] = 0$$

$$(3-\lambda) [\lambda^2 + 3\lambda - 4] + [8 - 7\lambda] + [-12 + 6\lambda] = 0$$

Example Continued...

$$\begin{array}{r}
 3\lambda^2 + 9\lambda - 12 \\
 -\lambda^3 - 3\lambda^2 + 4\lambda \\
 - 7\lambda + 8 \\
 + 6\lambda - 12 \\
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 -\lambda^3 + 12\lambda - 16 = 0
 \end{array}$$

$$\lambda^3 - 12\lambda + 16 = 0$$

Possible Roots : $\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 4, \pm 8, \pm 16$

$$\lambda = -1 : (-1)^3 - 12(-1) + 16 = 0? \quad \text{No}$$

$$\lambda = 1 : 1^3 - 12(1) + 16 = 0? \quad \text{No}$$

$$\lambda = -2 : (-2)^3 - 12(-2) + 16 = 0? \quad \text{No}$$

$$\lambda = 2 : 2^3 - 12(2) + 16 = 0? \quad \text{YES}$$

$\lambda = 2$ is a root of $\lambda^3 - 12\lambda + 16 = 0$
 $\Rightarrow \lambda - 2$ " factor " $\lambda^3 - 12\lambda + 16$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \lambda^2 + 2\lambda - 8 \\
 (\lambda - 2) \overline{) \lambda^3 + 0\lambda^2 - 12\lambda + 16} \\
 \underline{-(\lambda^3 - 2\lambda^2)} \\
 2\lambda^2 - 12\lambda + 16 \\
 \underline{-(2\lambda^2 - 4\lambda)} \\
 -8\lambda + 16 \\
 \underline{-(-8\lambda + 16)} \\
 0
 \end{array}$$

$$(\lambda - 2)(\lambda^2 + 2\lambda - 8) = 0$$

$$(\lambda - 2)(\lambda + 4)(\lambda - 2) = 0$$

$$(\lambda - 2)^2(\lambda + 4) = 0$$

$$\lambda = 2, -4 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{or } \lambda = 2, 2, -4 \quad \checkmark$$