

Test Average = 70%  
We'll go over #5.

⑤ How many solutions?

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & k & 1 \\ k & 81 & 9 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_2 - kR_1 \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & k & 1 \\ 0 & 81 - k^2 & 9 - k \end{array} \right]$$

$$81 - k^2 \neq 0$$

$$\frac{R_2}{81 - k^2} \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & k & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{9 - k}{81 - k^2} \end{array} \right]$$

1 solution

$$81 - k^2 = 0$$

$$(9 - k)(9 + k) = 0$$

$$k = 9$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 9 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

↑  
As many solutions

$$k = -9$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & -9 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 18 \end{array} \right]$$

no solution

### 3.1 Matrix Operations

**Fact:** To multiply two matrices:

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} r_1 \cdot c_1 & r_1 \cdot c_2 & \dots & r_1 \cdot c_n \\ r_2 \cdot c_1 & r_2 \cdot c_2 & \dots & r_2 \cdot c_n \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ r_n \cdot c_1 & r_n \cdot c_2 & \dots & r_n \cdot c_n \end{bmatrix}$$

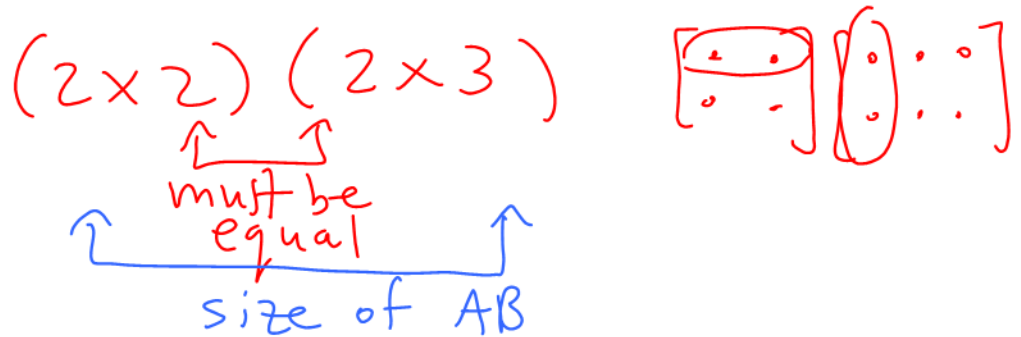
where  $r_i$  is row  $i$  of matrix  $A$  and  $c_j$  is column  $j$  of matrix  $B$ .

**Example:** Find  $AB$  where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ .

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 9 & 27 \\ -2 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$[1 \ 4] \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 1(1) + 4(0)$   
 $[-2 \ 1] \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = 0$

**Example:** Let's consider the sizes of  $A$  and  $B$  in the example above. Which two numbers must be equal to make  $AB$  defined? Which two numbers predict the size of  $AB$ ?



**Example:** Let  $A$  be a  $2 \times 3$  matrix and let  $B$  be a  $3 \times 1$  matrix. Calculate the sizes of  $AB$  and  $BA$ .

$AB = (2 \times 3)(3 \times 1) = 2 \times 1$        $AB$  is  $2 \times 1$

$BA = (3 \times 1)(2 \times 3) \neq$        $BA$  is undefined

**Fact:**  $AB \neq BA$  in general.

**Example:** Find  $BC$  and  $CB$  where  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ .

$$BC = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 7 \\ 11 & 13 \\ 17 & 19 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$CB = \begin{bmatrix} & \\ & \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} & \end{bmatrix}$$

$CB$  is undefined

**Example:** Expand the following:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1x + 2y \\ 3x + 4y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{cases} 1x + 2y = 5 \\ 3x + 4y = 6 \end{cases}$$

**Comment:** Matrix multiplication was reverse-engineered to solve systems of equations.

**Fact:** A system of equations can be written as  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  where:

$A$  is the coefficient matrix

$\vec{x}$  is the vector of variables, written as a column

$\vec{b}$  is the vector of constants, written as a column

**Example:** Consider the data below:

	Al	Bob
Test1 Mark	50	60
Test2 Mark	90	80
Exam Mark	75	70
Test1 Weight	Test2 Weight	Exam Weight
0.2	0.2	0.6

Let  $A$  be a matrix containing the course marks for the two students. Let  $B$  be a matrix containing the weightings of the coursework. Find Al and Bob's final grades using a matrix multiplication.

$$A = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} \text{Al} & \text{Bob} \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} \text{T1} \\ \text{T2} \\ \text{E} \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 50 & 60 \\ \dots & \dots \\ & \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix} \quad B = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} \text{T1} & \text{T2} & \text{E} \end{matrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0.2 & 0.2 & 0.6 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

Need compatible sizes  
and compatible categories.

$$BA = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} \text{T1} & \text{T2} & \text{E} \end{matrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0.2 & 0.2 & 0.6 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} \text{Al} & \text{Bob} \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} \text{T1} \\ \text{T2} \\ \text{E} \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 50 & 60 \\ 90 & 80 \\ 75 & 70 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

$$= \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} \text{Al} & \text{Bob} \end{matrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 73 & 70 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

**Definition:** The **outer product expansion** of  $AB$  is:

$$AB = A_1B_1 + A_2B_2 + \dots + A_nB_n$$

where  $A_i$  is column  $i$  of  $A$  and  $B_j$  is row  $j$  of  $B$ .

**Comment:** Normal matrix multiplication involves **rows** of the first matrix and **columns** of the second matrix.

The outer product expansion involves **columns** of the first matrix and **rows** of the second matrix.

**Example:** Find the outer product expansion of  $AB$  given:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 7 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} AB &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 7 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 12 & 6 \\ -8 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 13 & 13 \\ -8 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

**Example:** Confirm the result in the previous example using normal matrix multiplication.

$$\begin{aligned} AB &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 7 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 13 & 13 \\ -8 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

**Comment:** The outer product expansion will be used further in Section 5.4.

**Definition:** The expression  $A^n$  means multiply  $A$  with itself  $n$  times. For example:

$$A^2 = AA$$

$$A^3 = A^2A \text{ or } A^3 = AA^2 \text{ or } A^3 = AAA$$

**Example:** Express  $A^{12}$  as the cube of a matrix.

$$A^{12} = (A^4)^3$$

**Example:** Compute  $A^2$  for  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

$$A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -4 \\ 8 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Fact:** Recall that  $I$  is the identity matrix. For any matrix  $A$ :

$$AI = A \text{ and } IA = A$$

**Example:** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ . Confirm that  $AI = A$  and  $IA = A$ .

$$\begin{aligned} AI &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= A \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

$$IA = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} = A \quad \checkmark$$

**Example:** Simplify  $B^{2018}$  given that  $B^3 = I$ .

$$2018 = ?(3) + ?$$

$$\frac{2018}{3} \approx 672.7$$

$$2018 = 672(3) + ?$$

$$2018 = 672(3) + 2$$

$$2018 = 3(672) + 2$$

$$B^{2018} = B^{3(672) + 2}$$

$$= B^3(672) B^2$$

$$= (B^3)^{672} B^2$$

$$= (B^3)^{672} B^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \checkmark 672 \\ & = I B^2 \\ & = I B^2 \\ & = B^2 \end{aligned}$$

**Definition:** Let  $\mathbf{O}$  be the zero matrix. For example  $\mathbf{O} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  or  $\mathbf{O} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  etc.

**Example:** Find a  $2 \times 2$  matrix  $A$  so that  $A^2 = \mathbf{O}$  but  $A \neq \mathbf{O}$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \checkmark$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \checkmark$$

Many possible answers. 82