

Thm 5  
 If  $A$  invertible  $n \times n$ ,  
 then  $\forall b \in \mathbb{R}^n, Ax=b \Rightarrow \exists! x=A^{-1}b$   
 (has a unique soln.  $x=A^{-1}b$ )

pf show existence + uniqueness  
 let  $x=A^{-1}b \quad Ax=A(A^{-1}b)=Ib=b$   
 let  $u$  solve  $Ax=b \Rightarrow \exists x$   
 $\Rightarrow Au=b$  mult.  $\Rightarrow A^{-1}Au=A^{-1}b$  so  $u=A^{-1}b$   
 by  $A^{-1}$  on left  $\Rightarrow$  all solns  $=A^{-1}b$   
 so unique

EX4 using  $A+C$  from EX1

find the soln. to following 10 problems  
 (E.C. same?) count off 1-10  
 1st one to board/answer gets 2pts bonus  
 on today's meters quiz!  
 problem #

2i-1)  $Ax_{2i-1}=b_i$  for  $i \in \{1, \dots, 5\}$

2i)  $Cx_{2i}=b_i$  for  $i \in \{1, \dots, 4\}$

$Cx_{2i}=b_{i+1}$  for  $i=5$

problems

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 2i)  $Cx_{2i}=b_i$  for  $i=1, \dots, 4$   
 $Cx_{2i}=b_{i+1}$  for  $i=5$~~   
 $b_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad b_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad b_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad b_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad b_5 = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 19 \end{bmatrix}$   
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Thm 6

a) If  $A$  invertible  $n \times n$ , then  $A^{-1}$  invertible  $n \times n$   
 and  $(A^{-1})^{-1} = A$  (transpose anyway)

b) If  $A, B$  invertible  $n \times n$ , then so is  $AB$   
 (and  $BA$ )

$(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1} \quad (BA)^{-1} = A^{-1}B^{-1}$

What does  $A^{-1}B^{-1}$  equal? ~~is  $(BA)^{-1}$~~

c)  $A$  invertible  $n \times n$ , then so is  $A^T$  and  
 $(A^T)^{-1} = (A^{-1})^T$  order not important  
 when doing both operations

pf of thm 6 In the spirit of today's quiz...

a)  $A$  inv.  $n \times n \Rightarrow \exists C$   $n \times n$  s.t.  $AC=I=CA$   
 we call  $C=A^{-1}$

so  $A$  is inverse of  $A^{-1}$  by def. swap roles of  $A$  and  $B$

b)  $A, B$  inv.  $n \times n \Rightarrow \exists A^{-1}$  and  $B^{-1}$

$(BA)^{-1} = A^{-1}B^{-1}$

consider  $(B^{-1}A^{-1})(AB) = B^{-1}IB = I$

$I = I^T = (AA^{-1})^T = (A^{-1})^T A^T$

What does  $A^{-1}B^{-1}$  equal? ~~is  $(BA)^{-1}$~~

$(AB)(B^{-1}A^{-1}) = AIA^{-1} = I$

$A^T(A^{-1})^T = (A^{-1}A)^T = I^T = I$

for  $A$   $n \times n$ ,  $A$  invertible  $\iff$  row equivalent to the identity  
 (nonsingular)

i.e.  $A$  is singular  $\iff A$  is not row equivalent to the identity

$A$  is not invertible if  $REF \neq I_n$

Algorithm for computing  $A^{-1}$  (derived from thm 7)

Augment  $A$  w/  $I_n$   $[A \ I]$  row reduce  $A$  to  $I_n$   
 $[A \ I] \rightsquigarrow [I \ A^{-1}]$  REF if  $A$  is invertible  
 row equivalent to  $I$  then  $A$  has inverse,  $A$  is singular

Alternative view of matrix inversion

let  $I_n = [e_1 \dots e_n]$  row reduction of  $[A \ I]$  to  $[I \ A^{-1}]$  augmented  
 is simultaneous solns. to systems:  $Ax=e_1, \dots, Ax=e_n$  (2) cols to each sys  
 $[A \ e_1 \dots e_n] = [A \ I]$

b/c  $AA^{-1}=I$  w/ defn. of matrix product, show cols of  $A^{-1}$  solve  $Ax=e_i$  (2) cols to each sys  
 if you only need a few cols. of  $A^{-1}$  can solve just corresponding systems from (2)

Note: in practice almost never want to solve a system  
 $Ax=b$  by finding the inverse, only in rare  
 $2 \times 2$  cases is this easier than doing row reduction.

the inverse operation, just like transpose is order 2!

Thm 7  $A$   $n \times n$  invertible iff  $A$  row equiv. to  $I_n$   
 and any seq. of row ops that reduces  $A$  to  $I_n$   
 also turns  $I_n$  into  $A^{-1}$

Thm 5  $\Rightarrow Ax=b$  has soln  $\forall b \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , so  $A$  has pivots every row  
 since  $A$  is  $n \times n$  pivots are on main diag. by thm 4 (1.4) (and col.)  
 $\iff REF(A) = I_n$  or  $A \sim I_n$  (one direction)

if  $A \sim I_n$ , each step of row reduction corresponds to left mult. by some  $E_i$   
 $\Rightarrow \exists E_1, \dots, E_p$  s.t.  $A \sim E_p \dots E_1 A = I_n$   
 thus if  $E = E_p \dots E_1$ , then  $EA = I$   
 and so  $A^{-1} = E$  and  $A = E^{-1} = (E_p \dots E_1)^{-1}$

$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$      $C = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

find AC and CA,    Solns. to Exs

$AC = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$CA = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

EX4 using A and C from previous ex, solve each of the following systems for x.

- 1)  $Ax_1 = b_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$  Sheridan
- 2)  $Cx_2 = b_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$
- 3)  $Ax_3 = b_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
- 4)  $Cx_4 = b_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  Cheryl & Lyn 1/2
- 5)  $Ax_5 = b_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  Jeff J.

$A \begin{bmatrix} x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$      $C \begin{bmatrix} x_5 \\ x_6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$   
 $C \begin{bmatrix} x_7 \\ x_8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$      $A \begin{bmatrix} x_9 \\ x_{10} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$   
 $A \begin{bmatrix} x_{11} \\ x_{12} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$      $C \begin{bmatrix} x_{13} \\ x_{14} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$   
 $C \begin{bmatrix} x_{15} \\ x_{16} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$      $A \begin{bmatrix} x_{17} \\ x_{18} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 19 \end{bmatrix}$   
 $C \begin{bmatrix} x_{19} \\ x_{20} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 19 \end{bmatrix}$

- 6)  $Cx_7 = b_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
- 7)  $Ax_8 = b_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$

- 8)  $Cx_9 = b_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$  Kathryn
- 9)  $Ax_{10} = b_5 = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 19 \end{bmatrix}$  William
- 10)  $Cx_{11} = b_5 = \begin{bmatrix} 24 \\ 19 \end{bmatrix}$  Emma

**EX5** perform 3 types of <sup>elem.</sup> row ops. on  $\mathbb{F}_3$

$2R_2 + R_1$      $R_1 \leftrightarrow R_3$      $-R_2$

$E_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$      $E_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$      $E_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{bmatrix}$  find  $E_1 A, E_2 A, E_3 A$

$E_1 A = \begin{bmatrix} a & 2b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{bmatrix}$      $E_2 A = \begin{bmatrix} g & h & i \\ d & e & f \\ a & b & c \end{bmatrix}$      $E_3 A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ -d & -e & -f \\ g & h & i \end{bmatrix}$

add mult. of row to another  
 swap rows, mult. row by  $\alpha$

result of elem. row op. performed on  $A, m \times n$  is  $E_1 A$ , where  $E_1$  is result of the same row op applied to  $I_m$

row ops. "reversible" (can be undone)  $\Rightarrow$  elementary matrices are invertible.

for every  $E, \exists F$  s.t.  $EF = I = FE$

If  $A$  is invertible repeated use of this fact leads to thm 7.

represent elem. row ops. represent on ANY  $3 \times n$  matrix.

$E_i^{-1} I = E_i$  shows this for the identity

**EX6** find  $E_1^{-1}, E_2^{-1}, E_3^{-1}$

$F_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$      $F_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$   
 $-2R_2 + R_1$      $R_1 \leftrightarrow R_3$

$F_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$      $-R_2$  again order 2

own inverse order 2 object! (all row swaps + corresponding matrices)

but in general  $CR_i$  has inverse  $\frac{1}{c}R_i$

row  $i$ :  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & c & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & \dots & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = E$      $F = \begin{bmatrix} \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & \dots & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  row  $i$

exercise for HW

verify that these are fact inverses by computing the matrix products  $E_i F_i$  and  $F_i E_i$

practical challenge HW for weekend! for  $i=1,2,3$

Can you prove this for arbitrary row operations and arbitrary elementary matrices? Try it!

Hint: split into 3 cases 1/1 type of row op!

maybe (if idea) define mats. in terms of rows formulas for  $(AB)_{ij} = a_{ij}(AB) = a_{ij}(AB) =$

**Weekend Challenge (optional)**

If you can prove  $\exists E_1^{-1}, E_2^{-1}, E_3^{-1}$  elem. mats. associated to the elem. row ops.

$cR_i + R_j, R_i \leftrightarrow R_j, \text{ and } cR_i$

I will grade it as an extra part for you!

? for the 3 cases express  $E_1, E_2, E_3$  explicitly, and show these are invert. then give  $E$  and then inverse explicitly.