

HW 2 solution

1.

$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \mathbf{I}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} * & * & * & * \\ * & * & * & * \\ * & * & * & * \\ * & * & * & * \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

First we focus on the first row of \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{I} . By multiplication of matrices, it's easy to see that

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} * & * & * & * \\ * & * & * & * \\ * & * & * & * \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now focus on the second row of \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{I} . By multiplication of matrices, it's easy to see that

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} * & * & * & * \\ * & * & * & * \\ 0 & 1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

The first row and the second row of \mathbf{A}^{-1} can be found in the same way.

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{A}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1/4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Let } \mathbf{B} = \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 7 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 5 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 8 & 5 \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} \mathbf{C} & \mathbf{0} \\ \hline \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{D} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\mathbf{C}^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(\mathbf{C})} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{D}^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(\mathbf{D})} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -3 \\ -8 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -3 \\ -8 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{B}^{-1} = \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} \mathbf{C}^{-1} & \mathbf{0} \\ \hline \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{D}^{-1} \end{array} \right] = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -2 & 0 & 0 \\ -3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 5 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & -8 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

2.

Use Gauss-Jordan method to solve this problem

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 3 & 1 & 1 & 9 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 2 & 6 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 1 & -2 & 3 & 5 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{R_{13}(-4) \\ R_2(\frac{1}{2})}} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 3 & 1 & 1 & 9 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2} & 1 & 3 & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & -11 & -3 & -6 & -23 & -3 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{R_{21}(-3) \\ R_{23}(11)}} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & -2 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2} & 1 & 3 & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{5}{2} & 5 & 10 & \frac{5}{2} \end{array} \right] \\
 & \xrightarrow{R_3(\frac{2}{5})} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & -2 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2} & 1 & 3 & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 4 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{R_{31}(\frac{1}{2}) \\ R_{32}(-\frac{1}{2})}} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 4 & 1 \end{array} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

∴ The solution is $X = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

3.

Assume the equality is true. Multiply both sides by A.

$$(\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B})^{-1} \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{I} + \mathbf{A}^{-1}(\mathbf{B}^{-1} - \mathbf{A}^{-1})^{-1}$$

Now we prove $(\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B})^{-1} \mathbf{A} - \mathbf{A}^{-1}(\mathbf{B}^{-1} - \mathbf{A}^{-1})^{-1} = \mathbf{I}$ is true.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B})^{-1} \mathbf{A} - \mathbf{A}^{-1}(\mathbf{B}^{-1} - \mathbf{A}^{-1})^{-1} \\
 & = [\mathbf{B}(\mathbf{B}^{-1} - \mathbf{A}^{-1})\mathbf{A}]^{-1} \mathbf{A} - \mathbf{A}^{-1}(\mathbf{B}^{-1} - \mathbf{A}^{-1})^{-1} \\
 & = \mathbf{A}^{-1}(\mathbf{B}^{-1} - \mathbf{A}^{-1})^{-1} \mathbf{B}^{-1} \mathbf{A} - \mathbf{A}^{-1}(\mathbf{B}^{-1} - \mathbf{A}^{-1})^{-1} \\
 & = \mathbf{A}^{-1}(\mathbf{B}^{-1} - \mathbf{A}^{-1})^{-1} [\mathbf{B}^{-1} \mathbf{A} - \mathbf{I}] \\
 & = \mathbf{A}^{-1}(\mathbf{B}^{-1} - \mathbf{A}^{-1})^{-1} [\mathbf{B}^{-1} - \mathbf{A}^{-1}] \mathbf{A} \\
 & = \mathbf{I}
 \end{aligned}$$

Q.E.D.

4.

According to Gauss-Jordan method , the question can be rewritten as

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -6 & f \\ d & -6 \\ e & -4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 3 & 0 \\ -4 & c \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} -6+3d+4e = a \\ -12+d+5e = 3 \\ 4d+2e = -4 \\ f-34 = b \\ 2f-26 = 0 \\ -32 = c \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore \text{We can get } \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \\ e \\ f \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{9} \\ -21 \\ -32 \\ -\frac{25}{9} \\ \frac{32}{9} \\ 13 \end{bmatrix}$$

5.

$$\mathbf{B} = (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A})(\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{A})^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{A}) + \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{I}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{A}) + (\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{A}) = 2\mathbf{I}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{A})(\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{B}) = 2\mathbf{I}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{B}) = (\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{A})^{-1} 2\mathbf{I}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{B})^{-1} = \frac{\mathbf{I}}{2}(\mathbf{I} + \mathbf{A}) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

6.

$(I + BA^{-1})$ is invertible \Leftrightarrow There exists a matrix X such that $(I + BA^{-1})X = I$

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$$\Rightarrow (AA^{-1} + BA^{-1})X = I$$

$$\Rightarrow (A + B)A^{-1}X = I$$

$$\Rightarrow X = A(A + B)^{-1} \dots \because A \text{ and } (A + B) \text{ are invertible}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{We can find a matrix } X = A(A + B)^{-1} \text{ such that } (I + BA^{-1})X = I$$

$\therefore (I + BA^{-1})$ is invertible Q.E.D

To show $A(A + B)^{-1}B = B(A + B)^{-1}A = (A^{-1} + B^{-1})^{-1}$, we find the inverse of $A^{-1} + B^{-1}$ first.

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

$$\text{or } A^{-1} + B^{-1} = A^{-1} + A^{-1}AB^{-1} = A^{-1}(I + AB^{-1}) = A^{-1}(BB^{-1} + AB^{-1}) = A^{-1}(B + A)B^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow A^{-1} + B^{-1} = B^{-1}(B + A)A^{-1} = A^{-1}(B + A)B^{-1}$$

$$\therefore A(A + B)^{-1}B = B(A + B)^{-1}A = (A^{-1} + B^{-1})^{-1} \quad \text{Q.E.D}$$