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LAST TIME: for $A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$, $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\boxed{ad-bc}} \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix}$

↑
inverse matrix

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det A - "determinant of A"

Thm (a) An $n \times n$ matrix A is invertible iff $A \sim I_n$ ← argument for (a): A invertible iff $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ has a sol. for each $\vec{b} \Rightarrow$ pivot in every row
sol. is unique \Rightarrow pivot in each column

(b) I_n in this case, any sequence of row operations that reduces A to I_n also transforms I_n to A^{-1} .
← argument - via elem. matrices (p.3)

Algorithm for finding A^{-1}

Row reduce the "augmented matrix" $[A | I]$ - $n \times 2n$ matrix
if A is invertible, RREF is: $[I | A^{-1}]$.

Ex: $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ $[A | I] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3/2 & -1/2 \end{bmatrix}$
 $\sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 3/2 & -1/2 \end{bmatrix}$

A I

I A^{-1}

2.3 Characterizations of invertible matrices

Thm ("The invertible matrix theorem")

Let A be a square, $n \times n$, matrix. The following are equivalent:

- (a) A is invertible
- (b) $A \sim I_n$
- (c)* A has n pivots ← most useful
- (d) $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$ has only the trivial solution
- (e) columns of A are lin. indep.
- (f) lin. transf. $\vec{x} \mapsto A\vec{x}$ is 1-1.
- (g) $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ has a sol. for each $\vec{b} \in \mathbb{R}^n \rightsquigarrow$ (g') $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ has a unique sol. $\forall \vec{b} \in \mathbb{R}^n$
- (h) columns of A span \mathbb{R}^n
- (i) lin. transf. $\vec{x} \mapsto A\vec{x}$ is onto \mathbb{R}^n

(j) there is C s.t. $CA = I$

(2)

(k) there is D s.t. $AD = I$

(l) A^T invertible.

If A, B $n \times n$ matrices and $AB = I$, then

A, B are both invertible, with $B = A^{-1}$, $A = B^{-1}$

Ex: $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 3 & 1 & -2 \\ -5 & -1 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$ invertible?

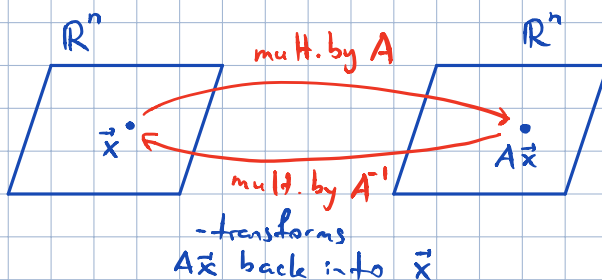
Sol: $A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

\Rightarrow A invertible
(c) of THM

Invertible linear transformations

for A invertible, we have

$$A^{-1}A\vec{x} = \vec{x}$$



• a lin. transf. $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ is invertible iff there exists $S: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ s.t.

$$S(T(\vec{x})) = \vec{x} \text{ for all } \vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$T(S(\vec{x})) = \vec{x} \text{ ———— " ————}$$

• if such S exists, it is unique and is "the inverse of T ", $S = T^{-1}$

• if T has stand. mat. A , then T is invertible iff A invertible.

In this case, S is given by $S(\vec{x}) = A^{-1}\vec{x}$

Ex: let $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ one-to-one. By Thm (l), A invertible $\Rightarrow T$ invertible

Practice questions:

(I) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 3 & 5 & 0 \\ -4 & -6 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ is it invertible?
If yes, find the inverse

(II) Is $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 7 \\ 1 & 2 & 7 \\ 1 & 2 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$ invertible?

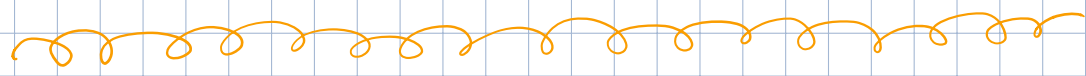
Is $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$ invertible?
(if yes, find the inverse)

(III) Assume A, B $n \times n$, invertible. Is $(AB)^T$ invertible? What is the inverse?
(in terms of A^{-1}, B^{-1})

Sol: I: $\left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 2 & 3 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 5 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -4 & -6 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 2 & 3 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & -\frac{3}{2} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & \frac{3}{2} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -\frac{3}{2} & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 5 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -3 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -3 & 0 \\ -3 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

I A⁻¹



• Elementary matrices

an elem. matrix is the result of a single elem. row operation on the identity matrix.

Ex: $E_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $E_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $E_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

\uparrow $r_2 \mapsto r_2 - 3r_1$ \uparrow $r_1 \leftrightarrow r_2$ \uparrow $r_2 \mapsto 5r_2$

for $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$, $E_1 A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c-3a & d-3b \end{bmatrix}$, $E_2 A = \begin{bmatrix} c & d \\ a & b \end{bmatrix}$, $E_3 A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 5c & 5d \end{bmatrix}$

• If an elem row op is performed on $m \times n$ mat. A , the resulting matrix is EA , where E is the $m \times m$ elem. mat. created by doing the same row op. on I_m .

$A \underset{p}{\sim} EA$ where $I \underset{p}{\sim} E$.

• Each E is invertible. The inverse is an elem. mat. of the same type.

Argument for (b) of Thm on p. 1:

$$A \sim E_1 A \sim E_2 (E_1 A) \sim \dots \sim \underbrace{E_p \dots E_1 A}_{A^{-1}} = I$$

$$I \sim E_1 I = E_1 \sim E_2 E_1 \sim \dots \sim E_p \dots E_1$$