

- Matrix-Matrix Multiplication:  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$   
 $B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p} \Rightarrow AB \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times p}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 5 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} m & \boxed{n} & P \\ \text{---} & \text{---} & \text{---} \\ m \times n & \boxed{n} & n \times p \\ A & B & \end{matrix} = \begin{matrix} P \\ \text{---} \\ m \times p \\ AB \end{matrix}$$

- Rules of Matrix-Matrix Multiplication:

① For  $A, B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ , usually  $AB \neq BA$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 7 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

② For three matrices  $A, B, C$ , if  $ABC$  is well-defined (sizes match), then

$$(AB)C = A(BC)$$

Example:  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

③  $A(B+C) = AB+AC$

$$(A+B)C = AC + BC$$

- Definition: Identity matrix is a square matrix with  $\begin{cases} a_{ii} = 1, \forall i \\ a_{ij} = 0, \text{ if } i \neq j \end{cases}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

or  $I_{2 \times 2}$   $I_{3 \times 3}$   $I_{4 \times 4}$   
 $I_2$   $I_3$   $I_4$

- The  $j$ -th col in  $AB$  is a linear combination of all cols of  $A$  with  $j$ -th col of  $B$  as coef

$$\begin{array}{c} n \\ m \end{array} \xrightarrow[m \times n]{\quad} A \quad \begin{array}{c} P \\ n \\ n \times P \end{array} \xrightarrow{\quad} B \quad \begin{array}{c} \downarrow j\text{-th col} \\ = \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} P \\ m \\ m \times p \end{array} \xrightarrow{\quad} AB \quad \begin{array}{c} \downarrow j\text{-th col} \\ \rightarrow i\text{-th row} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 7 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- The  $i$ -th row in  $AB$  is a linear combination of all rows of  $B$  with  $i$ -th row of  $A$  as coef

- $\forall A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ , for the identity matrix  $I$  of the same size, we have
 
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{pmatrix}$$

$$AI = A \quad IA = A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
- Definition:  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  is invertible if there is a matrix  $B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  st.  $AB = I$  and  $BA = I$ .

If  $A$  is invertible,  $B$  is called the inverse matrix of  $A$ , usually denoted as  $A^{-1}$ .

$$AA^{-1} = I \text{ and } A^{-1}A = I$$

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

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{ad-bc} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Remark: ① it can be proven that  $AB = I \Rightarrow BA = I$   
and  $BA = I \Rightarrow AB = I$

② So only need to check  $AB = I$  (or  $BA = I$ )

- Linear System

$$\begin{cases} 2x + 4y - 2z = 2 \\ 4x + 9y - 3z = 8 \\ -2x - 3y + 7z = 10 \end{cases}$$

Matrix Form  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & -2 \\ 4 & 9 & -3 \\ -2 & -3 & 7 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 8 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix}$$

Augmented Matrix  $[A | \vec{b}]$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 4 & -2 & 2 \\ 4 & 9 & -3 & 8 \\ -2 & -3 & 7 & 10 \end{array} \right)$$

RREF is

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right)$$

$\Rightarrow$  There is a unique sol  $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

Facts for an  $n \times n$  linear system  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$

① Number of leading ones in RREF of  $[A | \vec{b}]$

is  $n \Leftrightarrow$  There is a unique sol.

② If  $A$  is invertible, then

$$A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$$

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

$$\Leftrightarrow I\vec{x} = A^{-1}\vec{b}$$

$\Leftrightarrow \vec{x} = A^{-1}\vec{b}$  is a sol, and the only sol.

③ If number of leading ones in RREF of  $[A|\vec{b}]$  is  $n$ , then  $A$  is invertible.

In other words, the following are equivalent:

①  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  has a unique sol

② REF or RREF of  $[A|\vec{b}]$  has  $n$  pivots.

③  $A$  is invertible

Example: If  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  has many sols (or no sol), then  $A$  is not invertible.

- Gaussian Elimination for computing  $A^{-1}$ :

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 & -2 \\ 4 & 9 & -3 \\ -2 & -3 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 0: set up  $[A | I]$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 2 & 4 & -2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 9 & -3 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -2 & -3 & 7 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Step I: use row ops to transform it to  
RREF

Step II: ① if we get

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & * & * & * \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & * & * & * \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & * & * & * \end{array} \right]$$

inverse of A

② if we can't get n pivots, then  
A is not invertible.

Example:

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 2 & 4 & -2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 9 & -3 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -2 & -3 & 7 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left( \frac{1}{2}r1 \rightarrow r1 \right) \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & -1 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 9 & -3 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -2 & -3 & 7 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left( -4r1 + r2 \rightarrow r2 \right) \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & -1 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ -2 & -3 & 7 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left( 2r1 + r3 \rightarrow r3 \right) \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & -1 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$(-2r_2+r_1 \rightarrow r_1) \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & -3 & 9/2 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$(-r_2+r_3 \rightarrow r_3) \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & -3 & 9/2 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & 3 & -1 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{4}r_3 \rightarrow r_3\right) \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & -3 & 9/2 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3/4 & -1/4 & 1/4 \end{array} \right]$$

$$(r_2-r_3 \rightarrow r_3) \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & -3 & 9/2 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -11/4 & 5/4 & -1/4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3/4 & -1/4 & 1/4 \end{array} \right]$$

$$(3r_3+r_1 \rightarrow r_1) \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 27/4 & -11/4 & 3/4 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -11/4 & 5/4 & -1/4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3/4 & -1/4 & 1/4 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow A^{-1} = \frac{1}{4} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc} 27 & -11 & 3 \\ -11 & 5 & -1 \\ 3 & -1 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & -2 \\ 4 & 9 & -3 \\ -2 & -3 & 7 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{4}} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 & -2 \\ -11 & 5 & -1 \\ 3 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$


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$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- Elementary matrices of Type I/II/III  
are generated by using <sup>the</sup> row/cell operation of the same type on identity matrix.

Type I:  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

Type II:  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Type III:  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

- The inverse of an Elementary Matrix is generated by opposite operation on identity.

• Let E be an Elementary Matrix.

EA is equivalent to do the row op on A.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ g & h & i \\ d & e & f \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2a & 2b & 2c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d+2a & e+2b & f+2c \\ g & h & i \end{pmatrix}$$

AE is equivalent to do the same col op;

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & c & b \\ d & f & e \\ g & i & h \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a+2b & b & c \\ d+2e & e & f \\ g+2h & h & i \end{pmatrix}$$