

MATRICES

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EXERCISE 3.1 (Page 126)

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1. Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & -5 \\ -1 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 & -5 \\ -1 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find: (i)  $A + B$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } A + B &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & -5 \\ -1 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 & -5 \\ -1 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 2-1 & -3+3 & -5+5 \\ -1+1 & 4-3 & 5-5 \\ 1-1 & -3+3 & -4+3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

1.(ii)  $A - B$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } A - B &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & -5 \\ -1 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 & -5 \\ -1 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & -5 \\ -1 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 & -5 \\ -1 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 2+1 & -3-3 & -5-5 \\ -1-1 & 4+3 & 5+5 \\ 1+1 & -3-3 & -4-3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -6 & -10 \\ -2 & 7 & 10 \\ 2 & -6 & -7 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

1.(iii)  $2A + 3B$ 

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } 2A + 3B &= 2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & -5 \\ -1 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix} + 3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 & -5 \\ -1 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -6 & -10 \\ -2 & 8 & 10 \\ 2 & -6 & -8 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 9 & 15 \\ 3 & -9 & -15 \\ -3 & 9 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 4-3 & -6+9 & -10+15 \\ -2+3 & 8-9 & 10-15 \\ 2-3 & -6+9 & -8+9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & -1 & -5 \\ -1 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

1.(iv)  $3A - 5B$ 

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } 3A - 5B &= 3 \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & -5 \\ -1 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix} - 5 \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 & -5 \\ -1 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -9 & -15 \\ -3 & 12 & 15 \\ 3 & -9 & -12 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -15 & -25 \\ -5 & 15 & 25 \\ 5 & -15 & -15 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 6+5 & -9-15 & -15-25 \\ -3-5 & 12+15 & 15+25 \\ 3+5 & -9-15 & -12-15 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 11 & -24 & -40 \\ -8 & 27 & 40 \\ 8 & -24 & -27 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

1.(v)  $AB$ 

Sol.

$$\begin{aligned} AB &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & -5 \\ -1 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 & -5 \\ -1 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 2(-1)-3(1)-5(-1) & 2(3)-3(-3)-5(3) & 2(5)-3(-5)-5(3) \\ -1(-1)+4(1)+5(-1) & -1(3)+4(-3)+5(3) & -1(5)+4(-5)+5(3) \\ 1(-1)-3(1)-4(-1) & 1(3)-3(-3)-4(3) & 1(5)-3(-5)-4(3) \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -2-3+5 & 6+8-15 & 10+15-15 \\ 1+4-5 & -3-12+15 & -5-20+15 \\ -1-3+5 & 3+9-12 & 5+15-12 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 10 \\ 0 & 0 & -10 \\ 0 & 0 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

1.(vi)  $BA$ 

Sol.

$$\begin{aligned} BA &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 & -5 \\ -1 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & -5 \\ -1 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 \times 2 + 3 \times (-1) + 5 \times 1 & -1 \times (-3) + 3 \times 4 + 5 \times (-3) & -1 \times (-5) + 3 \times 5 + 5 \times (-4) \\ 1 \times 2 - 3 \times (-1) - 5 \times 1 & 1 \times (-3) - 3 \times 4 - 5 \times (-3) & 1 \times (-5) - 3 \times 5 - 5 \times (-4) \\ -1 \times 2 + 3 \times (-1) + 3 \times 1 & -1 \times (-3) + 3 \times 4 + 3 \times (-3) & -1 \times (-5) + 3 \times 5 + 3 \times (-4) \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -2-3+5 & 3+12-15 & 5+15-20 \\ 2+3-5 & -3-12+15 & -5-15+20 \\ -2-3+3 & 3+12-9 & 5+15-12 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 6 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

2. (i) Evaluate  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ 1 & 5 \\ -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ 

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } &\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ 1 & 5 \\ -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 2+2-2 & -4+10+2 \\ 8+0-4 & -16+0+4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 8 \\ 4 & -12 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

2.(ii)  $[x \ y \ z] \begin{bmatrix} a & h & g \\ h & b & f \\ g & f & c \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$ 

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } [x \ y \ z] \begin{bmatrix} a & h & g \\ h & b & f \\ g & f & c \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} &= [x \ y \ z] \begin{bmatrix} ax + hy + gz \\ hx + by + fz \\ gx + fy + cz \end{bmatrix} \\ &= [x(ax + hy + gz) + y(hx + by + fz) + z(gx + fy + cz)] \\ &= [ax^2 + hxy + gzx + hxy + by^2 + fyz + gzx + fyz + cz^2] \\ &= [ax^2 + by^2 + cz^2 + 2hxy + 2fyz + 2gzx] \end{aligned}$$

2.(iii)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}^2$ 

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}^2 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1+8 & 2-6 \\ 4-12 & 8+9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & -4 \\ -8 & 17 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$2.(iv) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}^3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}^3 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}^2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 9 & -4 \\ -8 & 17 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ From 2.(iii) above} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 9-16 & 18+12 \\ -8+68 & -16-51 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -7 & 30 \\ 60 & -67 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$2.(v) \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^2 &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1-0-0 & 1-1-0 & 1-0-1 \\ 0+0+0 & 0+1+0 & 0+0+0 \\ 0+0+0 & 0+0+0 & 0+0+1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$2.(vi) \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^3 &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

by 2.(v) above

3. Prove that the product of matrices

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \cos^2 \theta & \cos \theta \sin \theta \\ \cos \theta \sin \theta & \sin^2 \theta \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} \cos^2 \phi & \cos \phi \sin \phi \\ \cos \phi \sin \phi & \sin^2 \phi \end{bmatrix}$$

is the zero matrix when  $\theta$  and  $\phi$  differ by an odd multiple of  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } AB &= \begin{bmatrix} \cos^2 \theta & \cos \theta \sin \theta \\ \cos \theta \sin \theta & \sin^2 \theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos^2 \phi & \cos \phi \sin \phi \\ \cos \phi \sin \phi & \sin^2 \phi \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \cos^2 \theta \cos^2 \phi + \cos \theta \sin \theta \cos \phi \sin \phi & \cos^2 \theta \cos \phi \sin \phi + \cos \theta \sin \theta \sin^2 \phi \\ \cos \theta \sin \theta \cos^2 \phi + \sin^2 \theta \cos \phi \sin \phi & \cos \theta \sin \theta \cos \phi \sin \phi + \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \phi \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta \cos \phi (\cos \theta \cos \phi + \sin \theta \sin \phi) & \cos \theta \sin \phi (\cos \theta \cos \phi + \sin \theta \sin \phi) \\ \sin \theta \cos \phi (\cos \theta \cos \phi + \sin \theta \sin \phi) & \sin \theta \sin \phi (\cos \theta \cos \phi + \sin \theta \sin \phi) \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta \cos \phi \cos (\theta - \phi) & \cos \theta \sin \phi \cos (\theta - \phi) \\ \sin \theta \cos \phi \cos (\theta - \phi) & \sin \theta \sin \phi \cos (\theta - \phi) \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \cos (\theta - \phi) \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta \cos \phi & \cos \theta \sin \phi \\ \sin \theta \cos \phi & \sin \theta \sin \phi \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{0}, \text{ if and only if } \cos (\theta - \phi) = 0. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Hence } AB = \mathbf{0}, \Leftrightarrow \cos (\theta - \phi) = 0$$

$$\text{or } AB = \mathbf{0}, \Leftrightarrow \theta - \phi = (2n + 1)\frac{\pi}{2}, \text{ where } n \text{ is an integer.}$$

4. The direction cosines of two lines are  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3$  and  $\mu_1, \mu_2, \mu_3$ . Prove that the product

$$\begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1^2 & \lambda_1 \lambda_2 & \lambda_1 \lambda_3 \\ \lambda_1 \lambda_2 & \lambda_2^2 & \lambda_2 \lambda_3 \\ \lambda_1 \lambda_3 & \lambda_2 \lambda_3 & \lambda_3^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mu_1^2 & \mu_1 \mu_2 & \mu_1 \mu_3 \\ \mu_1 \mu_2 & \mu_2^2 & \mu_2 \mu_3 \\ \mu_1 \mu_3 & \mu_2 \mu_3 & \mu_3^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

is zero if and only if the lines are perpendicular to each other.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Sol. } AB &= \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1^2 & \lambda_1 \lambda_2 & \lambda_1 \lambda_3 \\ \lambda_1 \lambda_2 & \lambda_2^2 & \lambda_2 \lambda_3 \\ \lambda_1 \lambda_3 & \lambda_2 \lambda_3 & \lambda_3^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mu_1^2 & \mu_1 \mu_2 & \mu_1 \mu_3 \\ \mu_1 \mu_2 & \mu_2^2 & \mu_2 \mu_3 \\ \mu_1 \mu_3 & \mu_2 \mu_3 & \mu_3^2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1^2 \mu_1^2 + \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \mu_1 \mu_2 + \lambda_1 \lambda_3 \mu_1 \mu_3 & \lambda_1^2 \mu_1 \mu_2 + \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \mu_2^2 + \lambda_1 \lambda_3 \mu_2 \mu_3 & \lambda_1^2 \mu_1 \mu_3 + \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \mu_2 \mu_3 + \lambda_1 \lambda_3 \mu_3^2 \\ \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \mu_1^2 + \lambda_2^2 \mu_1 \mu_2 + \lambda_2 \lambda_3 \mu_1 \mu_3 & \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \mu_1 \mu_2 + \lambda_2^2 \mu_2^2 + \lambda_2 \lambda_3 \mu_2 \mu_3 & \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \mu_1 \mu_3 + \lambda_2^2 \mu_2 \mu_3 + \lambda_2 \lambda_3 \mu_3^2 \\ \lambda_1 \lambda_3 \mu_1^2 + \lambda_2 \lambda_3 \mu_1 \mu_2 + \lambda_3^2 \mu_1 \mu_3 & \lambda_1 \lambda_3 \mu_1 \mu_2 + \lambda_2 \lambda_3 \mu_2^2 + \lambda_3^2 \mu_2 \mu_3 & \lambda_1 \lambda_3 \mu_1 \mu_3 + \lambda_2 \lambda_3 \mu_2 \mu_3 + \lambda_3^2 \mu_3^2 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1\mu_1(\lambda_1\mu_1+\lambda_2\mu_2+\lambda_3\mu_3) & \lambda_1\mu_2(\lambda_1\mu_1+\lambda_2\mu_2+\lambda_3\mu_3) & \lambda_1\mu_3(\lambda_1\mu_1+\lambda_2\mu_2+\lambda_3\mu_3) \\ \lambda_2\mu_1(\lambda_1\mu_1+\lambda_2\mu_2+\lambda_3\mu_3) & \lambda_2\mu_2(\lambda_1\mu_1+\lambda_2\mu_2+\lambda_3\mu_3) & \lambda_2\mu_3(\lambda_1\mu_1+\lambda_2\mu_2+\lambda_3\mu_3) \\ \lambda_3\mu_1(\lambda_1\mu_1+\lambda_2\mu_2+\lambda_3\mu_3) & \lambda_3\mu_2(\lambda_1\mu_1+\lambda_2\mu_2+\lambda_3\mu_3) & \lambda_3\mu_3(\lambda_1\mu_1+\lambda_2\mu_2+\lambda_3\mu_3) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= (\lambda_1\mu_1 + \lambda_2\mu_2 + \lambda_3\mu_3) \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1\mu_1 & \lambda_1\mu_2 & \lambda_1\mu_3 \\ \lambda_2\mu_1 & \lambda_2\mu_2 & \lambda_2\mu_3 \\ \lambda_3\mu_1 & \lambda_3\mu_2 & \lambda_3\mu_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Hence  $AB = 0$  if and only if  $\lambda_1\mu_1 + \lambda_2\mu_2 + \lambda_3\mu_3 = 0$ ,  
i.e., if and only if the two lines are perpendicular.

5. Show that, in general, for any two matrices  $A$  and  $B$  which are conformable for addition and multiplication,

$$(A+B)^2 \neq A^2 + 2AB + B^2$$

and  $A^2 - B^2 \neq (A-B)(A+B)$

Under what conditions equality holds in each case?

Sol.  $(A+B)^2 = (A+B)(A+B) = A^2 + AB + BA + B^2$

Since  $AB \neq BA$  in general, so we must have

$$(A+B)^2 \neq A^2 + 2AB + B^2$$

$$(A-B)(A+B) = A^2 + AB - BA - B^2 \neq A^2 - B^2$$

since  $AB \neq BA$  is general

Equality holds in each case if  $AB = BA$ .

6. If

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ show that}$$

$$A^2 - 4A - 5I = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and}$$

$$A^3 - 3A^2 - 7A - 3I = 0$$

Sol.  $A^2 - 4A - 5I$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - 4 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - 5 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1+4+2 & 2+2+2 & 1+4+1 \\ 2+2+4 & 4+1+4 & 2+2+2 \\ 2+4+2 & 4+2+2 & 2+4+1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 8 & 4 \\ 8 & 4 & 8 \\ 8 & 8 & 4 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 6 & 6 \\ 8 & 9 & 6 \\ 8 & 8 & 7 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -9 & -8 & -4 \\ -8 & -9 & -8 \\ -8 & -8 & -9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^3 - 3A^2 - 7A - 3I = A \cdot A^2 - 3A^2 - 7A - 3I$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 6 & 6 \\ 8 & 9 & 6 \\ 8 & 8 & 7 \end{bmatrix} - 3 \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 6 & 6 \\ 8 & 9 & 6 \\ 8 & 8 & 7 \end{bmatrix} - 7 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - 3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 7+16+8 & 6+18+8 & 6+12+7 \\ 14+8+16 & 12+9+16 & 12+6+14 \\ 14+16+8 & 12+18+8 & 12+12+7 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 21 & 18 & 18 \\ 24 & 27 & 18 \\ 24 & 24 & 21 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$- \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 14 & 7 \\ 14 & 7 & 14 \\ 14 & 14 & 7 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 31 & 32 & 25 \\ 38 & 37 & 32 \\ 38 & 38 & 31 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -21 & -7 & -3 & -18 & -14 & -18 & -7 \\ -24 & -14 & -27 & -7 & -3 & -18 & -14 \\ -24 & -14 & -24 & -14 & -21 & -7 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 31 & 32 & 25 \\ 38 & 37 & 32 \\ 38 & 38 & 31 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -31 & -32 & -25 \\ -38 & -37 & -32 \\ -38 & -38 & -31 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

7. Show that the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -6 \\ -3 & 2 & 9 \\ 2 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ is periodic having period 2.}$$

Sol.  $A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -6 \\ -3 & 2 & 9 \\ 2 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -6 \\ -3 & 2 & 9 \\ 2 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1+6-12 & -2-4+0 & -6-18+18 \\ -3-6+18 & 6+4+0 & 18+18-27 \\ 2+0-6 & -4+0+0 & -12+0+9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & -6 & -6 \\ 9 & 10 & 9 \\ -4 & -4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 A^3 &= \begin{bmatrix} -5 & -6 & -6 \\ 9 & 10 & 9 \\ -4 & -4 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -6 \\ -3 & 2 & 9 \\ 2 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} -5+18-12 & 10-12+0 & 30-54+18 \\ 9-30+18 & -18+20+0 & -54+90-27 \\ -4+12-6 & 8-8+0 & 24-36+9 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -6 \\ -3 & 2 & 9 \\ 2 & 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix} = A
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $A$  is periodic having period 2.

8. Show that

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & -4 \\ -1 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \text{ is nilpotent. What is its nilpotency index?}$$

Sol. Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & -4 \\ -1 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 A^2 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & -4 \\ -1 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & -4 \\ -1 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1+3-4 & -3-9+12 & -4-12+16 \\ -1-3+4 & 3+9-12 & 4+12-16 \\ 1+3-4 & -3-9+12 & -4-12+16 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \theta.
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $A$  is nilpotent of index 2.

9. Show that

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 4 & -3 & 4 \\ 3 & -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \text{ is involutory.}$$

Sol. Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 4 & -3 & 4 \\ 3 & -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 A^2 &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 4 & -3 & 4 \\ 3 & -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 4 & -3 & 4 \\ 3 & -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} 0+4-3 & 0-3+3 & 0+4-4 \\ 0-12+12 & 4+9-12 & -4-12+16 \\ 0-12+12 & 3+9-12 & -3-12+16 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $A$  is involutory.

10. Show that every square matrix  $A$  with entries from  $R$ , can be written as a symmetric matrix  $B = \frac{1}{2}(A + A^T)$  and a skew symmetric matrix

$$D = \frac{1}{2}(A - A^T).$$

- Sol. Since we can write every square matrix  $A$  as

$$A = \frac{1}{2}(A + A^T) + \frac{1}{2}(A - A^T) = B + D,$$

where  $B = \frac{1}{2}(A + A^T)$ ,  $D = \frac{1}{2}(A - A^T)$ .

We have to prove that  $B$  is symmetric and  $D$  is skew symmetric

$$\text{Now } B^T = \left[ \frac{1}{2}(A + A^T) \right]^T, \quad D^T = \left[ \frac{1}{2}(A - A^T) \right]^T$$

$$\text{or } B^T = \frac{1}{2}[A^T + (A^T)^T], \quad D^T = \frac{1}{2}[A^T - (A^T)^T]$$

$$\text{or } B^T = \frac{1}{2}[A^T + A], \quad D^T = \frac{1}{2}[A^T - A], \text{ as } (A^T)^T = A$$

$$\text{or } B^T = \frac{1}{2}(A + A^T) = B, \quad D^T = -\frac{1}{2}(A - A^T) = -D.$$

11. This shows that the matrix  $B$  is symmetric and  $D$  is skew symmetric. Show that every square matrix  $A$  with entries from  $C$ , can be written as a Hermitian matrix  $B = \frac{1}{2}(A + (\bar{A})^T)$ , and as a skew Hermitian matrix

$$D = \frac{1}{2}(A - (\bar{A})^T).$$

Sol. Since we can write every square matrix  $A$  as

$$A = \frac{1}{2}(A + (\bar{A})^T) + \frac{1}{2}(A - (\bar{A})^T) = B + D$$

$$\text{where } B = \frac{1}{2}(A + (\bar{A})^T), \quad D = \frac{1}{2}(A - (\bar{A})^T).$$

We prove that  $B$  is Hermitian and  $D$  is skew Hermitian.

$$\text{Now } \bar{B} = \frac{1}{2}\overline{(A + (\bar{A})^T)}, \quad \bar{D} = \frac{1}{2}\overline{(A - (\bar{A})^T)}.$$

$$\text{or } \bar{B} = \frac{1}{2}[\bar{A} + \overline{(\bar{A})^T}], \quad \bar{D} = \frac{1}{2}[\bar{A} - \overline{(\bar{A})^T}]$$

$$\text{or } \bar{B} = \frac{1}{2}[\bar{A} + A^T], \quad \bar{D} = \frac{1}{2}[\bar{A} - A^T]$$

$$\Rightarrow (\bar{B})^T = \frac{1}{2}[\bar{A} + A^T]^T, \quad (\bar{D})^T = \frac{1}{2}[\bar{A} - A^T]^T$$

$$\text{or } (\bar{B})^T = \frac{1}{2}[(\bar{A})^T + (A^T)^T], \quad (\bar{D})^T = \frac{1}{2}[(\bar{A})^T - (A^T)^T]$$

$$\text{or } (\bar{B})^T = \frac{1}{2}[(\bar{A})^T + A], \quad (\bar{D})^T = \frac{1}{2}[(\bar{A})^T - A]$$

$$\text{or } (\bar{B})^T = \frac{1}{2}(A + (\bar{A})^T) = B, \quad (\bar{D})^T = -\frac{1}{2}(A - (\bar{A})^T) = -D.$$

This shows that the matrix  $B$  is Hermitian and the matrix  $D$  is skew Hermitian.

12. If  $A$  and  $B$  are symmetric matrices, then prove that  $AB$  is symmetric if and only if  $A$  and  $B$  commute.

Sol. Since  $A$  and  $B$  are symmetric, we have

$$A^T = A, \quad B^T = B$$

Suppose  $AB$  is symmetric, then

$$(AB)^T = AB$$

$$\Rightarrow B^T A^T = AB$$

$$\Rightarrow BA = AB$$

showing that  $A$  and  $B$  commute.

Conversely, suppose  $AB = BA$ , then

$$(AB)^T = (BA)^T$$

$$\Rightarrow (AB)^T = A^T B^T = AB$$

showing that  $AB$  is symmetric.

13. If  $A$  is an  $m \times m$  symmetric (skew symmetric) matrix and  $P$  is an  $m \times n$  matrix, then prove that  $B = P^T A P$  is symmetric (skew symmetric).

Sol. Since  $P$  is an  $m \times n$  matrix,  $P^T$  is an  $n \times m$  matrix. So  $B = P^T A P$  is an  $n \times n$  matrix.

When  $A$  is symmetric, i.e.,  $A^T = A$ , then

$$B^T = (P^T A P)^T = P^T A^T (P^T)^T = P^T A P = B,$$

showing that  $B$  is symmetric.

When  $A$  is skew symmetric, i.e.,  $A^T = -A$ , then

$$B^T = (P^T A P)^T = P^T A^T (P^T)^T = P^T (-A) P = -P^T A P = -B,$$

showing that  $B$  is skew symmetric.

14. Show that  $AA^T$  and  $A^T A$  are symmetric for any square matrix  $A$ .

Sol. Using  $(AB)^T = B^T A^T$ , we have

$$(AA^T)^T = (A^T)^T A^T = AA^T.$$

Hence  $AA^T$  is symmetric.

Again,  $(A^T A)^T = A^T (A^T)^T = A^T A$ .

Therefore,  $A^T A$  is symmetric.

15. If  $A$  is a square matrix over  $C$ , then show that  $A + (\bar{A})^T$ ,  $A(\bar{A})^T$  and  $(\bar{A})^T A$  are all Hermitian.

Sol. Let  $B = A + (\bar{A})^T$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} (\bar{B})^T &= \left[ \overline{A + (\bar{A})^T} \right]^T = [\bar{A} + \overline{(\bar{A})^T}]^T \\ &= (\bar{A} + A^T)^T = (\bar{A})^T + (A^T)^T = (\bar{A})^T + A \end{aligned}$$

showing that  $B$  is Hermitian.

Finally, let  $E = (\bar{A})^T A$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{E}^T &= \overline{[(\bar{A})^T A]^T} = [(\bar{A})^T \bar{A}]^T = [(\bar{A})^T \bar{A}]^T = (A^T \bar{A})^T \\ &= [(\bar{A})^T (A^T)^T]^T = (\bar{A})^T A = E, \end{aligned}$$

showing that  $E$  is Hermitian.

16. Show that every square matrix over  $C$  can be expressed in a unique way as  $P + iQ$ , where  $P$  and  $Q$  are Hermitian.

Sol. Since we can write every square matrix  $A$  as

$$A = \frac{1}{2}(A + (\bar{A})^T) + \frac{1}{2}(A - (\bar{A})^T) = P + iQ$$

where  $P = \frac{1}{2}(A + (\bar{A})^T)$ ,  $Q = \frac{1}{2i}(A - (\bar{A})^T)$ .

We have to prove that  $P$  and  $Q$  are Hermitian.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } \bar{P} &= \frac{1}{2} \overline{(A + (\bar{A})^T)}, & \bar{Q} &= \frac{1}{-2i} \overline{(A - (\bar{A})^T)} \\ \text{or } \bar{P} &= \frac{1}{2} [\bar{A} + (\bar{A})^T], & \bar{Q} &= \frac{-1}{2i} [\bar{A} - (\bar{A})^T] \\ \text{or } \bar{P} &= \frac{1}{2} [\bar{A} + A^T], & \bar{Q} &= \frac{-1}{2i} [\bar{A} - A^T] \\ \Rightarrow (\bar{P})^T &= \frac{1}{2} [\bar{A} + A^T]^T, & (\bar{Q})^T &= \frac{-1}{2i} [\bar{A} - A^T]^T \\ \text{or } (\bar{P})^T &= \frac{1}{2} [(\bar{A})^T + (A^T)^T], & (\bar{Q})^T &= \frac{-1}{2i} [(\bar{A})^T - (A^T)^T] \\ \text{or } (\bar{P})^T &= \frac{1}{2} [(\bar{A})^T + A], & (\bar{Q})^T &= \frac{-1}{2i} [(\bar{A})^T - A] \\ \text{or } (\bar{P})^T &= \frac{1}{2} (A + (\bar{A})^T) = P, & (\bar{Q})^T &= \frac{1}{2i} (A - (\bar{A})^T) = -Q. \end{aligned}$$

This shows that  $P$  and  $Q$  are Hermitian.

Now we prove that  $A = P + iQ$  is unique.

On the contrary, suppose that there exist Hermitian matrices  $S$  and  $T$  such that  $A = S + iT$ . (1)

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow (\bar{A})^T &= \overline{[S + iT]^T} \\ \Rightarrow (\bar{A})^T &= \overline{[S + iT]^T} = [\bar{S} + i\bar{T}]^T = [\bar{S} - i\bar{T}]^T = (\bar{S})^T - i(\bar{T})^T \\ &= S - iT \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

as  $S$  and  $T$  are Hermitian.

Adding equations (1) and (2), we get

$$A + (\bar{A})^T = 2S \Rightarrow S = \frac{1}{2} (A + (\bar{A})^T) = P$$

Subtracting equation (2) from equation (1), we have

$$A - (\bar{A})^T = 2iT \Rightarrow T = \frac{1}{2i} (A - (\bar{A})^T) = Q$$

Thus the expression  $A = P + iQ$  is unique.

17. Show that every Hermitian matrix can be written as  $A + iB$ , where  $A$  is real and symmetric and  $B$  is real and skew symmetric.

Sol. Let  $P$  be a Hermitian matrix, then  $P$  is a square matrix over  $C$  and  $(\bar{P})^T = P$ .

Let  $P = [x_{ij}]_{n \times n}$ , where  $x_{ij} \in C$ , such that  $x_{ij} = a_{ij} + ib_{ij}$ , where  $a_{ij}, b_{ij} \in R, i = \sqrt{-1}$ . Then  $P = [a_{ij} + ib_{ij}] = [a_{ij}] + i[b_{ij}] = A + iB$ , where  $A = [a_{ij}]$  and  $B = [b_{ij}]$  are  $n \times n$  real matrices, and so  $\bar{A} = A, \bar{B} = B$ .

Since  $P$  is Hermitian, therefore  $P = (\bar{P})^T$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{or } A + iB &= \overline{(A + iB)^T} = (\bar{A} + i\bar{B})^T \\ &= (\bar{A} + i\bar{B})^T = (A^T - iB^T)^T, \text{ as } \bar{A} = A, \bar{B} = B \\ &= A^T - iB^T \end{aligned}$$

Equating real and imaginary parts, we have

$$A^T = A, B^T = -B$$

showing that  $A$  is real and symmetric and  $B$  is real and skew symmetric.

18. Show that, for any matrices  $A$  and  $B$  over  $C$  and  $k \in C$ ,

(i)  $\overline{\bar{A}} = A$

Sol. Let  $A = [a_{ij}]_{m \times n}$ , then  $\bar{A} = [\bar{a}_{ij}]_{m \times n}$

Thus  $\overline{\bar{A}} = [\overline{\bar{a}_{ij}}]_{m \times n} = [a_{ij}]_{m \times n} = A$

18.(ii)  $\overline{kA} = \bar{k} \bar{A}$

Sol. Let  $A = [a_{ij}]_{m \times n}$ , then

$$kA = [ka_{ij}]_{m \times n}$$

Thus  $\overline{kA} = [\overline{ka_{ij}}]_{m \times n} = \bar{k} [\bar{a}_{ij}]_{m \times n} = \bar{k} \bar{A}$

18.(iii)  $\overline{A + B} = \bar{A} + \bar{B}$

Sol. Let  $A = [a_{ij}]_{m \times n}, B = [b_{ij}]_{m \times n}$ , then  $A + B = [a_{ij} + b_{ij}]_{m \times n}$

Thus  $\overline{(A + B)} = [\overline{a_{ij} + b_{ij}}]_{m \times n} = [\bar{a}_{ij} + \bar{b}_{ij}]_{m \times n} = [\bar{a}_{ij}]_{m \times n} + [\bar{b}_{ij}]_{m \times n} = \bar{A} + \bar{B}$

18.(iv)  $\overline{AB} = \bar{A} \bar{B}$

Sol. Let  $A = [a_{ij}]_{m \times n}, B = [b_{ij}]_{m \times n}$ , then

$$AB = \left[ \sum_{k=1}^n a_{ik} b_{kj} \right]_{m \times p}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\overline{A+B}) &= \left[ \sum_{\lambda=1}^n a_{i\lambda} b_{\lambda j} \right]_{m \times p} \\ &= \left[ \sum_{\lambda=1}^n \overline{a_{i\lambda} b_{\lambda j}} \right]_{m \times p}, \text{Distributivity of conjugation over sum} \\ &= \left[ \sum_{\lambda=1}^n \overline{a_{i\lambda}} \overline{b_{\lambda j}} \right]_{m \times p} = \overline{A} + \overline{B} \end{aligned}$$

18.(v)  $(\overline{A})^T = \overline{(A)^T}$ .

Sol. Let  $A = [a_{ij}]_{m \times n}$ , then  $\overline{A} = [\overline{a_{ij}}]_{m \times n}$   
 $= [\alpha_{ij}]_{m \times n}$  where  $\alpha_{ij} = \overline{a_{ij}}$   
 $(\overline{A})^T = [x_{ij}]_{n \times m}$  where  $x_{ij} = \overline{a_{ji}}$

Now  $\overline{a_{ij}}$  is the entry lying in the  $i$ th row and  $j$ th column of  $(\overline{A})^T$ .

Hence  $(\overline{A})^T = [x_{ij}]_{n \times m} = \overline{(A)^T}$ .

19. If  $A$  is a matrix over  $R$  and  $AA^T = 0$ , show that  $A = 0$ .

Sol. Let  $A = [a_{ij}]_{m \times n}$ , then  $A^T = [b_{ij}]_{n \times m}$ , where  $b_{ij} = a_{ji}$  (1)

Now  $0 = AA^T = \left[ \sum_{\lambda=1}^n a_{i\lambda} b_{\lambda j} \right]_{m \times m}$   
 $\Rightarrow \sum_{\lambda=1}^n a_{i\lambda} b_{\lambda j} = 0$ , for all  $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m; j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m$ .

Replacing  $i$  by  $\lambda$  in equation (1), we get  $b_{\lambda j} = a_{j\lambda}$ , so the above equation becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{\lambda=1}^n a_{i\lambda} b_{\lambda j} &= 0, \text{ for all } i = j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m \\ \text{or } \sum_{\lambda=1}^n (a_{i\lambda})^2 &= 0, \text{ for all } i = j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m \\ \Rightarrow (a_{i\lambda})^2 &= 0, \text{ for all } i = j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m; \lambda = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n \\ \Rightarrow a_{i\lambda} &= 0, \text{ for all } i = j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m; \lambda = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n \end{aligned}$$

Hence every entries of the matrix  $A$  is zero, so  $A = 0$ .

20. If  $A$  is a matrix over  $C$  and  $A(\overline{A})^T = 0$ , then show that  $\overline{A} = 0 = A$ .

Sol. Let  $A = [a_{ij}]_{m \times n}$ , for  $a_{ij} \in C$ , then  $\overline{A} = [\overline{a_{ij}}]_{m \times n}$   
 and  $(\overline{A})^T = [b_{ij}]_{n \times m}$ , where  $b_{ij} = \overline{a_{ji}}$  (1)

Now  $0 = A(\overline{A})^T = \left[ \sum_{\lambda=1}^n a_{i\lambda} b_{\lambda j} \right]_{m \times m}$   
 $\Rightarrow \sum_{\lambda=1}^n a_{i\lambda} b_{\lambda j} = 0$ , for all  $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m; j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m$

Replacing  $i$  by  $\lambda$  in equation (1), we get  $b_{\lambda j} = \overline{a_{j\lambda}}$ , so the above equation becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{\lambda=1}^n a_{i\lambda} b_{\lambda j} &= 0, \text{ for all } i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m; j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m \\ \Rightarrow \sum_{\lambda=1}^n a_{i\lambda} \overline{a_{j\lambda}} &= 0, \text{ for all } i = j = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m \end{aligned}$$

or  $\sum_{\lambda=1}^n |a_{i\lambda}|^2 = 0$ , for all  $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m$

$\Rightarrow |a_{i\lambda}|^2 = 0$ , for all  $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m; \lambda = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$

$\Rightarrow a_{i\lambda} = 0$ , for all  $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m; \lambda = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$

and so  $\overline{a_{i\lambda}} = 0$ , for all  $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, m; \lambda = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$

Hence every entry of the entire  $A$  as well as of  $\overline{A}$  is zero, so  $A = 0$  and  $\overline{A} = 0$ .

21. Show that for any matrix  $A$ ,  $(A^p)^T = (A^T)^p$ , where  $p$  is a positive integer.

Sol.  $A^p = A \cdot A \cdot \dots \cdot A$   $p$  times  
 $\Rightarrow (A^p)^T = (A \cdot A \cdot \dots \cdot A)^T$   
 $= A^T \cdot \dots \cdot A^T$   $p$  times  
 $= (A^T)^p$

22. Let  $x = [x_1 \ x_2 \ x_3]$ ,  $y = [y_1 \ y_2 \ y_3]$  be two  $1 \times 3$  matrices. Define a product  $x \times y$  (called a vector product of  $x$  and  $y$ ), as follows:

$x \times y = [x_2 y_3 - y_2 x_3 \quad x_3 y_1 - y_3 x_1 \quad x_1 y_2 - y_1 x_2]$

Show that

- (i)  $y \times x = -(x \times y)$
- (ii)  $x \times x = 0$  for all  $x$ .
- (iii)  $(x \times y) \times z \neq x \times (y \times z)$ , where  $z = [z_1 \ z_2 \ z_3]$



Sol. (i)  $x = [x_1 \ x_2 \ x_3]$ ,  $y = [y_1 \ y_2 \ y_3]$   
 $x \times y = [x_2y_3 - x_3y_2 \ x_3y_1 - x_1y_3 \ x_1y_2 - x_2y_1]$   
 $y \times x = [y_2x_3 - y_3x_2 \ y_3x_1 - y_1x_3 \ y_1x_2 - y_2x_1]$   
 $= [-(x_2y_3 - x_3y_2) \ -(x_3y_1 - x_1y_3) \ -(x_1y_2 - x_2y_1)] = -(x \times y)$   
 $= [0 \ 0 \ 0] = 0$   
 (ii)  $x \times x = [x_2x_3 - x_3x_2 \ x_3x_1 - x_1x_3 \ x_1x_2 - x_2x_1] \times [z_1 \ z_2 \ z_3]$   
 (iii)  $(x \times y) \times z = [x_2y_3 - x_3y_2 \ x_3y_1 - x_1y_3 \ x_1y_2 - x_2y_1] \times [z_1 \ z_2 \ z_3]$   
 $= [(x_1y_1 - x_1y_3)z_3 - (x_1y_2 - x_2y_1)z_2 \ (x_1y_2 - x_2y_1)z_1 - (x_2y_3 - x_3y_2)z_3$   
 $\quad (x_2y_3 - x_3y_2)z_2 - (x_3y_1 - x_1y_3)z_1]$  (1)  
 $x \times (y \times z) = [x_1 \ x_2 \ x_3] \times [y_2z_3 - y_3z_2 \ y_3z_1 - y_1z_3 \ y_1z_2 - y_2z_1]$   
 $= [x_2(y_1z_2 - y_2z_1) - x_3(y_3z_1 - y_1z_3) \ x_3(y_2z_3 - y_3z_2) - x_1(y_1z_2 - y_2z_1)$   
 $\quad x_1(y_3z_1 - y_1z_3) - x_2(y_2z_3 - y_3z_2)]$  (2)

From (1) and (2) it is clear that  $(x \times y) \times z \neq x \times (y \times z)$ .

23. Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

Define inner product of A and B by:

$$A \cdot B = a_{11}b_{11} + a_{12}b_{12} + a_{21}b_{21} + a_{22}b_{22}$$

Show that:

(i)  $A \cdot B = 0$  but neither  $A = 0$  nor  $B = 0$

(ii)  $A \cdot B = B \cdot A$

(iii)  $(\alpha A + \beta B) \cdot C = \alpha A \cdot C + \beta B \cdot C$ ,  $C = \begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} \end{bmatrix}$

(iv)  $A \cdot A \geq 0$  and  $A \cdot A = 0 \iff A = 0$ .

Sol. (i) Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

then  $A \cdot B = 2 - 2 - 12 + 12 = 0$ , but neither  $A = 0$  nor  $B = 0$ .

23.(ii)  $B \cdot A = b_{11}a_{11} + b_{12}a_{12} + b_{21}a_{21} + b_{22}a_{22}$   
 $= a_{11}b_{11} + a_{12}b_{12} + a_{21}b_{21} + a_{22}b_{22} = A \cdot B$

23.(iii)  $\alpha A + \beta B = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha a_{11} + \beta b_{11} & \alpha a_{12} + \beta b_{12} \\ \alpha a_{21} + \beta b_{21} & \alpha a_{22} + \beta b_{22} \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned} (\alpha A + \beta B) \cdot C &= (\alpha a_{11} + \beta b_{11})c_{11} + (\alpha a_{12} + \beta b_{12})c_{12} + (\alpha a_{21} + \beta b_{21})c_{21} \\ &\quad + (\alpha a_{22} + \beta b_{22})c_{22} \\ &= \alpha a_{11}c_{11} + \alpha a_{12}c_{12} + (\alpha a_{22} + \beta b_{22})c_{22} \\ &= \alpha a_{11}c_{11} + \alpha a_{12}c_{12} + \alpha a_{21}c_{21} + \alpha a_{22}c_{22} \\ &\quad + \beta b_{11}c_{11} + \beta b_{12}c_{12} + \beta b_{21}c_{21} + \beta b_{22}c_{22} \\ &= \alpha \cdot C + \beta \cdot C \end{aligned}$$

23.(iv)  $A \cdot A = a_{11}^2 + a_{12}^2 + a_{21}^2 + a_{22}^2 \geq 0$

and  $A \cdot A = 0 \iff$

$$a_{11}^2 + a_{12}^2 + a_{21}^2 + a_{22}^2 = 0$$

$$\iff a_{11} = a_{12} = a_{21} = a_{22} = 0$$

$$\iff A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \theta$$

24. Let

$\times$

$$A = \left[ \begin{array}{cc|c} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 2 \end{array} \right]$$

and  $B = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 4 & 3 & 6 & 1 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$

Compute AB using the indicated partitionings.

Sol. Let  $P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $Q = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\theta_{12} = [0 \ 0]$ ,  $S = [2]$ . Then

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} P & Q \\ \theta_{12} & S \end{bmatrix}$$

Suppose  $C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $D = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\theta_{13} = [0 \ 0 \ 0]$ ,  $I = [1]$ . Then

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 4 & 3 & 6 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} C & D \\ \theta_{13} & I \end{bmatrix}$$

Now  $AB = \begin{bmatrix} P & Q \\ \theta_{12} & S \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} C & D \\ \theta_{13} & I \end{bmatrix}$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} PC + Q\theta_{13} & PD + QI \\ \theta_{12}C + S\theta_{13} & \theta_{12}D + SI \end{bmatrix}$$

$$PC + Q\theta_{13} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} [0 \ 0 \ 0]$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 8 & 15 \\ 19 & 18 & 33 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 8 & 15 \\ 19 & 18 & 33 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$PD + QI = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} [1] = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \theta_{12}C + S\theta_{13} &= [0 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix} + [2] [0 \ 0 \ 0] \\ &= [0 \ 0 \ 0] + [0 \ 0 \ 0] = [0 \ 0 \ 0] \end{aligned}$$

$$\theta_{12}D + SI = [0 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + [2] [1] = [0] + [2] = [2]$$

$$\text{Hence } AB = \begin{bmatrix} PC + Q\theta_{13} & PD + QI \\ \theta_{12}C + S\theta_{13} & \theta_{12}D + SI \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 8 & 15 & 4 \\ 19 & 18 & 33 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 8 & 15 & 4 \\ 19 & 18 & 33 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

25. Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find  $AB$  using the indicated partitionings.

$$\text{Sol. Let } P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \theta_{21} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \theta_{32} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

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

$$\text{Also } S = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, Q = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Thus } A = \begin{bmatrix} P & \theta_{23} \\ \theta_{32} & I \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} \theta_{23} & Q \\ S & \theta_{32} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} AB &= \begin{bmatrix} P & \theta_{23} \\ \theta_{32} & I \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \theta_{23} & Q \\ S & \theta_{32} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} P\theta_{23} + \theta_{23}S & PQ + \theta_{23}\theta_{32} \\ \theta_{32}\theta_{23} + IS & \theta_{32}Q + I\theta_{32} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \theta_{23} + \theta_{23} & PQ + \theta_{22} \\ \theta_{33} + S & \theta_{32} + \theta_{32} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \theta_{23} & PQ \\ S & \theta_{32} \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$PQ = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

## EXERCISE 3.2 (Page 144)

- 1.(i) Show that the inverse of a diagonal matrix, with all diagonal elements nonzero, is a diagonal matrix.

$$\text{Sol. Let } A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & a_{22} & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a_{33} & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

be a diagonal matrix of order  $n \times n$ . We have

$$a_{ij} = 0, \text{ for all } i \neq j \quad \text{and} \quad a_{ij} \neq 0, \text{ for all } i = j.$$

$$\text{Let } B = \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & b_{13} & \dots & b_{1n} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & b_{23} & \dots & b_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ b_{n1} & b_{n2} & b_{n3} & \dots & b_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

be the inverse of  $A$ . Then  $AB = BA = I_n$ .

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & a_{22} & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & b_{13} & \dots & b_{1n} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & b_{23} & \dots & b_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ b_{n1} & b_{n2} & b_{n3} & \dots & b_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}b_{11} & a_{11}b_{12} & a_{13}b_{13} & \dots & a_{11}b_{1n} \\ a_{22}b_{21} & a_{22}b_{22} & a_{22}b_{23} & \dots & a_{22}b_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ a_{nn}b_{n1} & a_{nn}b_{n2} & a_{nn}b_{n3} & \dots & a_{nn}b_{nn} \end{bmatrix} = I_n$$

$\Rightarrow a_{ii} b_{ii} = 1, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$  (1)

and  $a_{ii} b_{ij} = 0, \quad i \neq j \text{ and } i, j = 1, 2, \dots, n$  (2)

From (1), we have  $b_{ii} = (a_{ii})^{-1}$

and from (2), we get  $b_{ij} = 0$  as  $a_{ii} \neq 0$ .

Hence  $B = A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} (a_{11})^{-1} & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & (a_{22})^{-1} & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & (a_{33})^{-1} & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & (a_{nn})^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$

showing that the inverse of a diagonal matrix is also a diagonal matrix.

1.(ii) Show that the inverse of a scalar matrix is a scalar matrix.

Sol. Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} h & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & h & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & h \end{bmatrix}$

be a scalar matrix of order  $n, h \neq 0$ . Let  $B = [a_{ij}]_{n \times n}$  be inverse of  $A$ . Then

$AB = I_n$  i.e.,

$$\begin{bmatrix} h & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & h & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & h \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \dots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix} = I_n$$

or  $\begin{bmatrix} ha_{11} & ha_{12} & \dots & ha_{1n} \\ ha_{21} & ha_{22} & \dots & ha_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ ha_{n1} & ha_{n2} & \dots & ha_{nn} \end{bmatrix} = I_n$

$\Rightarrow ha_{ii} = 1 \quad \text{for } i = 1, 2, \dots, n$

and  $ha_{ij} = 0 \quad \text{for } i \neq j \text{ and } i, j = 1, 2, \dots, n$

Thus  $a_{ii} = \frac{1}{h}$  since  $h \neq 0$  and  $a_{ij} = 0$  if  $i \neq j$ .

Hence  $B = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{h} & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{h} & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & \frac{1}{h} \end{bmatrix}$

which is a scalar matrix.

2. For a nonsingular matrix  $A$ , show that

(i)  $(A^n)^{-1} = (A^{-1})^n$ , here  $n$  is a positive integer.

(ii)  $(kA)^{-1} = k^{-1}A^{-1}$ ,  $k$  is any nonzero scalar.

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

(iv)  $(\bar{A})^{-1} = \overline{(A^{-1})}$

(v)  $\left(\overline{A^T}\right)^{-1} = \overline{(A^{-1})^T}$

2.(i)  $(A^n)^{-1} = (A^{-1})^n$ , where  $n$  is a positive integer.

Sol.  $A^n = A \cdot A \cdot \dots \cdot A, n \text{ times}$   
 $\Rightarrow (A^n)^{-1} = (A \cdot A \cdot \dots \cdot A)^{-1} = A^{-1} \cdot \dots \cdot A^{-1} \cdot A^{-1}, n \text{ times}$   
 $= (A^{-1})^n$ .

Here we have used the extended form of the following:

$(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1} \cdot A^{-1}$ .

2.(ii)  $(kA)^{-1} = k^{-1}A^{-1}$ ,  $k$  is any nonzero scalar.

Sol. Consider  $(kA)(k^{-1}A^{-1}) = kk^{-1}(AA^{-1}) = 1I = I$  (1)

Again,  $(kA^{-1})(kA) = k^{-1}k(A^{-1}A) = 1I = I$  (2)

From (1) and (2), we have  $(kA)(kA^{-1}) = (k^{-1}A^{-1})(kA) = I$

Hence  $(kA)^{-1} = k^{-1}A^{-1}$ .

$$2.(iii) (A^{-1})^T = (A^T)^{-1}$$

$$\text{Sol. We have } (A^{-1})^T A^T = (AA^{-1})^T, \text{ as } (AB)^T = B^T A^T$$

$$= I^T = I$$

$$\text{Again, } A^T (A^{-1})^T = (A^{-1} A)^T, \text{ as } (AB)^T = B^T A^T$$

$$= I^T = I$$

From (1) and (2), we get

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

$$\text{Hence } (A^{-1})^T = (A^T)^{-1}$$

$$2.(iv) (\bar{A})^{-1} = \overline{(A^{-1})}$$

$$\text{Sol. } \bar{A}(\overline{A^{-1}}) = \overline{(AA^{-1})}, \text{ as } (\overline{AB}) = \bar{A}\bar{B} = \bar{I} = I$$

$$\text{Again, } (\overline{A^{-1}})\bar{A} = \overline{(A^{-1}A)}, \text{ as } (\overline{AB}) = \bar{A}\bar{B} = \bar{I} = I$$

From (1) and (2), we have

$$\bar{A}(\overline{A^{-1}}) = \overline{A^{-1}}\bar{A} = I$$

$$\text{Hence } (\bar{A})^{-1} = \overline{(A^{-1})}$$

$$2.(v) (\overline{A^T})^{-1} = \overline{(A^{-1})^T}$$

Sol. We have

$$(\overline{A^T})(\overline{A^{-1}})^T = \overline{(A^T)(A^{-1})^T}, \text{ as } (\overline{A^T}) = (\bar{A})^T$$

$$= \overline{(A^{-1}\bar{A})^T} = \overline{(A^{-1}A)^T}, \text{ as } (\overline{A\bar{B}}) = \bar{A}\bar{B}$$

$$= \overline{(I)^T} = I \quad (1)$$

Again,

$$(\overline{A^{-1}})^T(\overline{A^T}) = \overline{(A^{-1})^T(\bar{A})^T}, \text{ as } (\overline{A^T}) = (\bar{A})^T$$

$$= \overline{(A\bar{A}^{-1})^T} = \overline{(AA^{-1})^T}, \text{ as } (\overline{A\bar{B}}) = \bar{A}\bar{B}$$

$$= \overline{(I)^T} = I \quad (2)$$

From (1) and (2), we obtain

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

$$\text{Hence } (\overline{A^T})^{-1} = \overline{(A^{-1})^T}$$

3. If  $A$  is invertible and  $AB = 0$ , then show that  $B = 0$ .

Sol. Since  $A$  is invertible, so  $AA^{-1} = I, A^{-1}A = I$ .

$$\text{Now } AB = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A^{-1}(AB) = A^{-1}0 = 0$$

$$\text{or } (A^{-1}A)B = 0, \quad \text{by the Associative Law}$$

$$\text{or } IB = 0$$

$$\text{or } B = 0, \text{ since } IB = B.$$

4. Let  $A$  and  $B$  be distinct  $n \times n$  matrices with real entries. If  $AB^2 = BA^2$  and  $A^3 = B^3$ , show that  $A^2 + B^2$  is not invertible.

Sol. Suppose  $A^2 + B^2$  is invertible and  $C$  is its inverse. Then

$$I = (A^2 + B^2)C$$

We have

$$A = AI = A(A^2 + B^2)C = A^3C + AB^2C$$

$$= B^3C + AB^2C, \text{ since } A^3 = B^3$$

$$= (B + A)B^2C = (A + B)B^2C \quad (1)$$

$$\text{and } B = BI = B(A^2 + B^2)C = BA^2C + B^3C$$

$$= AB^2C + B^3C, \text{ since } BA^2 = AB^2$$

$$= (A + B)B^2C \quad (2)$$

From (1) and (2), we have  $A = B$  contrary to the hypothesis. Thus  $A^2 + B^2$  is not invertible.

5. Find the inverse of each of the following matrices:

$$(i) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & k \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Sol. Let } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & k \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

We apply an elementary row operation on  $A$  and simultaneously the same row operation on  $I_3$ .

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & k \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad I_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A \xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_1 - kR_3 \quad I_3 \xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -k \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_1 - kR_3$$

$$\text{Hence } A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -k \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$5.(ii) \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Sol.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A \xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{13}$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{23}$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } -R_2$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } -R_3$$

$$\text{Hence } A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$5.(iii) \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & -2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

Sol.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & -2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A \xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & -2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } -R_1$$

$$I_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$I_3 \xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{13}$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{23}$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } -R_2$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } -R_3$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 0 & 5 & -6 \\ 4 & -2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_2 - 2R_1$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 0 & 5 & -6 \\ 0 & 6 & -7 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_3 - 4R_1$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 0 & 5 & -6 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_3 - R_2$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 5 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{23}$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 5 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_1 + 2R_2$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_3 - 5R_2$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } -R_2$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_2 + R_3$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_1 - R_3$$

$$\text{Hence } A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 4 & -3 \\ 10 & -7 & 6 \\ 8 & -6 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_2 - 2R_1$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_3 - 4R_1$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_3 - R_2$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{23}$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_1 + 2R_2$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \\ -8 & 6 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_3 - 5R_2$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 8 & -6 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } -R_3$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 2 \\ 10 & -7 & 6 \\ 8 & -6 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_2 + R_3$$

$$\xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 4 & -3 \\ 10 & -7 & 6 \\ 8 & -6 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_1 - R_3$$

$$5.(iv) \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 5 & 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Sol.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 5 & 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_3 - 2R_1$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_1 - 2R_3$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_1 - R_2$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_2 + 2R_1$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } -R_1 \text{ and } R_3 + R_2$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{13}$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{23}$$

$$\text{Thus } A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -1 & -3 \\ -5 & 1 & 2 \\ 10 & -1 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$I_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_3 - 2R_1$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_1 - 2R_3$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_1 - R_2$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 & -2 \\ 10 & -1 & -4 \\ -2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_2 + 2R_1$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 1 & 2 \\ 10 & -1 & -4 \\ 8 & -1 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } -R_1 \text{ and } R_3 + R_2$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -1 & -3 \\ 10 & -1 & -4 \\ -5 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{13}$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -1 & -3 \\ -5 & 1 & 2 \\ 10 & -1 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{23}$$

$$5.(v) \begin{bmatrix} i & 1 \\ -1 & i \end{bmatrix}, (i = \sqrt{-1})$$

Sol.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} i & 1 \\ -1 & i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} i & 1 \\ i & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{12}$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} i & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_2 - iR_1$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} i & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } \frac{1}{2}R_2$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_1 - iR_2$$

$$\text{Thus } A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{i}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{i}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$5.(vi) \begin{bmatrix} i & -1 & 2i \\ 2 & 0 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, (i = \sqrt{-1})$$

Sol.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} i & -1 & 2i \\ 2 & 0 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 2 \\ i & -1 & 2i \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{13}$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 & 2 \\ i & -1 & 2i \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } -R_1$$

$$I_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{12}$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -i \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_2 - iR_1$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{i}{2} \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } \frac{1}{2}R_2$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -\frac{i}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{i}{2} \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_1 - iR_2$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \\ i & -1 & 2i \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_2 - 2R_1$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 & 3i \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_3 - iR_1$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & -3i \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } -R_3$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -3i \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } \frac{1}{4}R_2$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -3i \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_1 + R_2$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_3 + 3iR_2$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{23}$$

$$\text{Hence } A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ -1 & \frac{3i}{4} & \frac{i}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_2 - 2R_1$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & i \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_3 - iR_1$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & -i \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } -R_3$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -1 & 0 & -i \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } \frac{1}{4}R_2$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -1 & 0 & -i \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_1 + R_2$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -1 & 0 & -i \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_3 + 3iR_2$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ -1 & \frac{3i}{4} & \frac{i}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{23}$$

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{4} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ -1 & \frac{3i}{4} & \frac{i}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{23}$$

$$5.(vii) \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Sol.

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

$$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{13}$$

$$\text{Hence } A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$5.(viii) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

Sol. We partition the given matrix as under:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$I_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \theta_{3 \times 2} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \theta_{2 \times 3} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus  $A = \begin{bmatrix} I_3 & \theta_{3 \times 2} \\ \theta_{2 \times 3} & P \end{bmatrix}$

$P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$

$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  by  $R_2 - 3R_1$

$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  by  $R_1 - 2R_2$

$I_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  by  $R_2 - 3R_1$

$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  by  $R_1 - 2R_2$

Hence  $P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  Also  $I^{-1} = I$ .

Now,  $\begin{bmatrix} I_3 & \theta_{3 \times 2} \\ \theta_{2 \times 3} & P \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_3 & \theta_{3 \times 2} \\ \theta_{2 \times 3} & P^{-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} I_3 + \theta_{3 \times 2} \theta_{2 \times 3} & I_3 \theta_{3 \times 2} + \theta_{3 \times 2} P^{-1} \\ \theta_{2 \times 3} I_3 + P \theta_{2 \times 3} & \theta_{2 \times 3} \theta_{3 \times 2} + P P^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$

$= \begin{bmatrix} I_3 + \theta_{33} & \theta_{3 \times 2} + \theta_{3 \times 2} \\ \theta_{2 \times 3} I_3 + \theta_{2 \times 3} & \theta_{2 \times 2} + I_2 \end{bmatrix}$

$= \begin{bmatrix} I_3 & \theta_{3 \times 2} \\ \theta_{2 \times 3} & I_2 \end{bmatrix}$

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

Hence  $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} I_3^{-1} & \theta_{3 \times 2} \\ \theta_{2 \times 3} & P^{-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 7 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Alternatively

$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 3 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \quad I_5 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$A \underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  by  $R_5 - 3R_4$

$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  by  $R_4 - 2R_5$

$I_5 \underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  by  $R_5 - 3R_4$

$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 7 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  by  $R_4 - 2R_5$

Hence  $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 7 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

6. Reduce each of the following matrices into the indicated form:

(i)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  reduced echelon form

Sol.  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 & -4 & 4 \\ 0 & 7 & -7 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$  by  $R_2 - 2R_1$  and  $R_3 - 3R_1$

$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 3 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 & -4 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$  by  $R_3 - 2R_2$

$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 5 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & -7 & 10 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$  by  $R_1 + 2R_3$  and  $R_2 - 3R_3$

$\underline{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 5 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & -7 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$  by  $R_{23}$



$$\underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 5 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{10}{7} \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } -\frac{1}{7}R_3$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{15}{7} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -\frac{4}{7} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{10}{7} \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_1 - 5R_3 \text{ and } R_2 - R_3$$

which is the required reduced echelon form of the given matrix.

$$6.(ii) \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 3 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & -4 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ reduced echelon form}$$

$$\text{Sol. } \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 3 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & -4 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 3 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & -4 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 6 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_3 - R_2$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 3 & -2 \\ 2 & 0 & -7 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_2 - R_1 \text{ and } R_3 - 2R_1$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & -7 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_{12}$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -\frac{7}{2} & \frac{5}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } \frac{1}{2}R_1$$

is the required reduced echelon form of the given matrix.

$$6.(iii) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 3 & 6 & 2 & -6 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ echelon form}$$

$$\text{Sol. } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 1 & -2 & 3 \\ 3 & 6 & 2 & -6 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & -6 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 & -12 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_2 - 2R_1 \text{ and } R_3 - 3R_1$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{12}{5} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } \frac{1}{3}R_2 \text{ and } \frac{1}{5}R_3$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{2}{5} & -\frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_3 - R_2$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{5}{6} \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } -\frac{5}{2}R_3$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -1 & 0 & -\frac{2}{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{5}{6} \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_2 + 2R_3 \text{ and } R_1 - 2R_3$$

is the required echelon form of the given matrix.

$$6.(iv) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 11 & -5 & 3 \\ 2 & -5 & 3 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \text{ reduced echelon form.}$$

$$\text{Sol. } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 11 & -5 & 3 \\ 2 & -5 & 3 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 11 & -5 & 3 \\ 0 & -11 & 5 & -3 \\ 0 & -11 & 5 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_3 - 2R_1 \text{ and } R_4 - 4R_1$$

$$\underset{\sim}{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 11 & -5 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ by } R_3 + R_2 \text{ and } R_4 + R_2$$

$$\overset{R}{\sim} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{5}{11} & \frac{3}{11} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ by } \frac{1}{11}R_2$$

$$\overset{R}{\sim} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{4}{11} & \frac{13}{11} \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{5}{11} & \frac{3}{11} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ by } R_1 - 3R_2$$

is the required reduced echelon form of the given matrix.

7. Show that

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \overset{R}{\sim} I_3.$$

$$\text{Sol. } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \overset{R}{\sim} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & -5 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ by } R_2 - 3R_1$$

$$\overset{R}{\sim} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -5 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ by } R_{23}$$

$$\overset{R}{\sim} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 9 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ by } R_1 - 2R_2 \text{ and } R_3 + 5R_2$$

$$\overset{R}{\sim} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ by } \frac{1}{9}R_3$$

$$\overset{R}{\sim} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ by } R_1 + 3R_3 \text{ and } R_2 - 2R_3$$

$$= I_3.$$

8. Find the rank of each of the following matrices:

$$(i) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & -2 \\ 5 & -1 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Sol. } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & -2 \\ 5 & -1 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \overset{R}{\sim} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & -2 \\ 0 & -16 \\ 0 & 9 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ by } R_3 - 5R_1 \text{ and } R_4 + 2R_1$$

$$\overset{R}{\sim} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ by } \frac{-1}{2}R_2, \frac{-1}{16}R_2 \text{ and } \frac{1}{9}R_4$$

$$\overset{R}{\sim} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ by } R_3 - R_2 \text{ and } R_4 - R_2$$

Thus the rank of the given matrix is 2.

$$8.(ii) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ -2 & -1 & 3 \\ -1 & 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Sol. } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \\ -2 & -1 & 3 \\ -1 & 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \overset{R}{\sim} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & -3 & 6 \\ 0 & 3 & -3 \\ 0 & 6 & -5 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ by } R_2 - 2R_1, R_3 + 2R_1 \text{ and } R_4 + R_1$$

$$\overset{R}{\sim} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 6 & -5 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ by } -\frac{1}{3}R_2 \text{ and } \frac{1}{3}R_3$$

$$\overset{R}{\sim} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & -17 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ by } R_3 - R_2 \text{ and } R_4 - 6R_2$$

$$\tilde{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{by } -\frac{1}{3}R_3 \text{ and } -\frac{1}{17}R_4$$

$$\tilde{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{by } R_4 - R_3$$

The given matrix is row equivalent to a matrix in echelon form, having three nonzero rows. Hence the rank of the given matrix is 3.

$$8.(\text{iii}) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & -2 & -3 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 & -1 & -4 \\ 2 & 3 & -4 & -7 & -3 \\ 3 & 8 & 1 & -7 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Sol.} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & -2 & -3 \\ 1 & 4 & 3 & -1 & -4 \\ 2 & 3 & -4 & -7 & -3 \\ 3 & 8 & 1 & -7 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & -2 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -3 & -6 & -3 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & -2 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{by } R_2 - R_1, R_3 - 2R_1 \text{ and } R_4 - 3R_1$$

$$\tilde{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & -2 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{by } R_3 + 3R_2 \text{ and } R_4 + R_2$$

The given matrix is row equivalent to a matrix in echelon form, having two nonzero rows. Hence the rank of the given matrix is 2.

$$8.(\text{iv}) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -2 & 5 & 4 \\ 1 & 4 & 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 & 4 & 3 \\ 2 & 7 & -3 & 6 & 13 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Sol.} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -2 & 5 & 4 \\ 1 & 4 & 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 & 4 & 3 \\ 2 & 7 & -3 & 6 & 13 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -2 & 5 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 4 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{by } R_2 - R_1, R_3 - R_1 \text{ and } R_4 - 2R_1$$

$$\tilde{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -2 & 5 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{by } R_3 - R_2 \text{ and } R_4 - R_2$$

$$\tilde{R} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -2 & 5 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{by } R_4 + 2R_3$$

The given matrix is row equivalent to a matrix in echelon form, having three nonzero rows. Hence the rank of the given matrix is 3.

$$8.(\text{v}) \begin{bmatrix} ar^{(1-1)n} & ar^{(1-1)n+1} & \dots & ar^{(1-1)n+(n-1)} \\ ar^{(2-1)n} & ar^{(2-1)n+1} & \dots & ar^{(2-1)n+(n-1)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ ar^{(n-1)n} & ar^{(n-1)n+1} & \dots & ar^{(n-1)n+(n-1)} \end{bmatrix}, \quad (a \text{ and } r \text{ are nonzero}).$$

Sol. The given matrix is row equivalent to

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & ar & \dots & ar^{n-1} \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{by } R_2 - r^n R_1, R_3 - r^{2n} R_1, \dots \text{ and } R_n - r^{(n-1)n} R_1.$$

This is an echalon matrix with one nonzero row.

Hence Rank  $A = 1$ .

9. Reduce each of the following matrices to the canonical form. In each case also find nonsingular matrices  $P$  and  $Q$ .

(i) 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Sol.

$A$	$I_2$ Row Operations	$I_2$ Column Operations
$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $R_{12}$ ;	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $R_2 - 2R_1$ ;	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $C_2 - 2C_1$ ;	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $-\frac{1}{3}C_2$ ;	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{2}{3} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix}$

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad Q = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{2}{3} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} PAQ &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{2}{3} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{2}{3} \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

9.(ii) 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Sol.

$A$	$I_2$ Row Operations	$I_2$ Column Operations
$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $R_1 - R_2$ ;	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $R_2 - R_1$ ;	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $C_3 - C_2$ ;	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad Q = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} PAQ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = [I_2 \ 0_{2 \times 1}] \end{aligned}$$

9.(iii)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 2 & -4 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

Sol. Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 2 & -4 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  We write  $A = I_3 A I_3$

and perform the same elementary row or column operation on  $A$  and indicated identity matrix simultaneously.

	$A$	$I_3$ Row Operations	$I_3$ Column Operations
	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 2 & -4 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $R_2 - 2R_1$ :	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 0 & -2 & -5 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $C_2 + C_1$ :	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & -2 & -5 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $C_3 - 3C_1$ :	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & -5 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -6 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $R_2 + R_3$ :	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 0 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -6 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $R_3 - 3R_2$ :	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 11 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 6 & -3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -6 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $C_3 + 3C_2$ :	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 11 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 1 \\ 6 & -3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $\frac{1}{11}C_3$ :	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 1 \\ 6 & -3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3/11 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/11 \end{bmatrix}$

Hence the required normal form of  $A$  is

$I_3, P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 1 \\ 6 & -3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}, Q = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 3/11 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/11 \end{bmatrix}$

9.(iv)  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 3 & 4 & 1 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

Sol. Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 3 & 4 & 1 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$  We write  $A = I_3 A I_4$

and perform the same elementary row or column operation on  $A$  and the identity matrix simultaneously.

	$A$	$I_3$ Row Operations	$I_4$ Column Operations
	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 3 & 4 & 1 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $C_2 - 2C_1$ :	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 & 1 & 2 \\ -2 & 7 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $C_4 + C_1$ :	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & -2 & 1 & 5 \\ -2 & 7 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $R_2 - 3R_1$ and $R_3 + 2R_1$ :	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 7 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -3 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $C_2 + 2C_3$ and $C_4 - 5C_3$ :	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 11 & 2 & -7 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -3 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
by $R_{23}$ :	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 11 & 2 & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \\ -3 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

by  $R_2 - 2R_1$   $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 11 & 0 & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$   $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 8 & -2 & 1 \\ -3 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$   $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

by  $\frac{1}{11}C_2$  and  $\frac{1}{7}C_4$   $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$   $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 8 & -2 & 1 \\ -3 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$   $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2/11 & 0 & 1/7 \\ 0 & 1/11 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2/11 & 1 & -5/7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1/7 \end{bmatrix}$

by  $C_4 + C_2$   $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$   $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 8 & -2 & 1 \\ -3 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$   $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2/11 & 0 & -3/77 \\ 0 & 1/11 & 0 & 1/11 \\ 0 & 2/11 & 1 & -4/77 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1/7 \end{bmatrix}$

Hence the required normal form is  $[I_3 \ 0_{3,1}]$ , where

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 8 & -2 & 1 \\ -3 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, Q = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2/11 & 0 & -3/77 \\ 0 & 1/11 & 0 & 1/11 \\ 0 & 2/11 & 1 & -4/77 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1/7 \end{bmatrix}$$

10. (i) Using the row operations, show that the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 5 & -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$
 has no inverse.

Sol.  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 5 & -2 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2 - R_1, R_3 - 5R_1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & -4 & 4 \\ 0 & -12 & 12 \end{bmatrix}$ , by  $R_2 - R_1$  and  $R_3 - 5R_1$

$$\xrightarrow{R_3 - 3R_2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & -4 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
, by  $R_3 - 3R_2$

Thus  $A$  is singular and so it has no inverse.

10. (ii) If  $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ , compute  $(AB)^{-1}$ .

Sol. Since  $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$ , we have

$$(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 6 & 5 \\ -2 & 2 & -8 \\ 0 & 5 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

11. Let  $x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}$  and  $y = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix}$  be  $n \times 1$  matrices.

Then the products  $x^T y$  and  $xy^T$  are  $1 \times 1$  and  $n \times n$  matrices respectively. The products  $x^T y$  and  $xy^T$  are respectively called the inner (or scalar) and outer products of  $x$  and  $y$ .

- (i) Write the inner and outer products of  $x$  and  $y$ .
- (ii) Show that the inner product of  $x$  and  $y$  is equal to the inner product of  $y$  and  $x$  (i.e.,  $x^T y = y^T x$ ).
- (iii) Prove that  $\text{rank}(xy^T) = 1$ .

Sol. (i)  $x^T y = [x_1 \ x_2 \ \dots \ x_n] \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix} = [x_1 y_1 + x_2 y_2 + \dots + x_n y_n]$

$$xy^T = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} [y_1 \ y_2 \ \dots \ y_n] = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 y_1 & x_1 y_2 & \dots & x_1 y_n \\ x_2 y_1 & x_2 y_2 & \dots & x_2 y_n \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ x_n y_1 & x_n y_2 & \dots & x_n y_n \end{bmatrix}$$

(ii)  $x^T y = [y_1 \ y_2 \ \dots \ y_n] \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = [y_1 x_1 + y_2 x_2 + \dots + y_n x_n] = x^T y$

(iii)  $xy^T = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 y_1 & x_1 y_2 & \dots & x_1 y_n \\ x_2 y_1 & x_2 y_2 & \dots & x_2 y_n \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ x_n y_1 & x_n y_2 & \dots & x_n y_n \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{R} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 y_1 & x_1 y_2 & \dots & x_1 y_n \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \dots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

by  $R_2 - \frac{x_2}{x_1} R_1, R_3 - \frac{x_3}{x_1} R_1, \dots, R_n - \frac{x_n}{x_1} R_1$

$\Rightarrow \text{Rank}(xy^T) = 1$ .

12. Let  $A$  and  $B$  be idempotent matrices i.e.  $A^2 = A, B^2 = B$ . Show that:

(i) if  $AB = BA$  then  $AB$  is idempotent.

(ii) if  $A^T$  is idempotent so is  $A$ .

Is the sum of two idempotent matrices idempotent? Justify your answer.

Sol.(i)  $(AB)^2 = (AB)(AB)$   
 $= ABAB$ , by the Associative Law  
 $= AABB$ , since  $AB = BA$  (given)  
 $= A^2B^2 = AB$  as  $A^2 = A$  and  $B^2 = B$

Thus  $AB$  is idempotent.

12.(ii)  $(A^T)^2 = A^T$  since  $A^T$  is idempotent.  
 $A^2 = AA = (A^T)^T (A^T)^T$   
 $= B^T B^T$ , where  $B = A^T = (BB)^T$   
 $= (B^2)^T = ((A^T)^2)^T = (A^T)^T = A$

showing that  $A$  is idempotent.

Let  $A$  and  $B$  be two idempotent matrixes of the same order.

Then  $A^2 = A$ ,  $B^2 = B$  and  $A + B$  is defined.

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} (A+B)^2 &= (A+B)(A+B) \\ &= A^2 + AB + BA + B^2 \\ &= A + B + AB + BA \\ &= A + B \text{ if and only if } AB = -BA. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $A + B$  is not idempotent in general.

13. If  $A$  is an  $n \times n$  nilpotent matrix, show that  $I_n - A$  is nonsingular.

Sol.  $A$  is a nilpotent square matrix of order  $n$  and suppose  $A^p = 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned} (I_n - A)(I_n - A)^{-1} &= (I_n - A)(I_n + A + A^2 + \dots + A^{p-1} + \dots) \\ &\text{by the binomial theorem} \\ &= (I_n - A)(I_n + A + A^2 + \dots + A^{p-1}) \\ &\text{since } A^p = 0. \\ &= (I_n + A + A^2 + \dots + A^{p-1}) - (A + A^2 + \dots + A^{p-1} + A^p) \\ &= I_n \end{aligned}$$

Again,

$$\begin{aligned} (I_n - A)^{-1}(I_n - A) &= (I_n + A + A^2 + \dots + A^{p-1} + \dots)(I_n - A) \\ &= (I_n + A + A^2 + \dots + A^{p-1})(I_n - A) \\ &= (I_n + A + A^2 + \dots + A^{p-1}) - (A + A^2 + \dots + A^{p-1} + A^p) \\ &= I_n \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $(I_n - A)(I_n - A)^{-1} = (I_n - A)^{-1}(I_n - A) = I_n$

Thus  $(I_n - A)^{-1}$  is the inverse of  $I_n - A$  and so  $I_n - A$  is nonsingular.

