

(4) Multiplication & Inverse matrices

Multiplication of matrices (4 ways):

① Rows times columns:

$$\text{row 3} \begin{bmatrix} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{bmatrix}_{m \times n} \begin{bmatrix} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{bmatrix}_{n \times p} = \begin{bmatrix} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{bmatrix}_{m \times p}$$

Col. 4

$C_{34} = (\text{Row 3}) \cdot (\text{Col. 4})$

$$C_{34} = (\text{Row 3 of } A) \cdot (\text{Column 4 of } B)$$

$$= a_{31}b_{14} + a_{32}b_{24} + \dots + a_{3n}b_{n4} = \sum_{k=1}^n a_{3k}b_{k4}$$

② By columns:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{bmatrix}_A \begin{bmatrix} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{bmatrix}_B = \begin{bmatrix} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{bmatrix}_C$$

$A \vec{b}_1 \quad A \vec{b}_p$

These columns of C are linear combinations of columns of A.

③ By rows:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{bmatrix}_A \begin{bmatrix} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{bmatrix}_B = \begin{bmatrix} \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \end{bmatrix}_C$$

$\vec{a}_1^T B \quad \vec{a}_m^T B$

← each row is a linear combin. of the rows of B.

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(4) Sum of (Columns of A) \times (Rows of B).

Ex: $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix}_{1 \times 2} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 12 \\ 3 & 18 \\ 4 & 24 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 2}$

$$\left[\begin{array}{c} | \\ | \dots | \\ | \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{c} \text{A} \\ \text{B} \\ \hline \vdots \\ \hline \end{array} = \sum_{j,k=1}^n \underbrace{\vec{a}_j^T \vec{b}_k}_{m \times p \text{ matrix}}$$

n columns n rows
Sum of n^2 terms.

Inverses: (square matrices only).

The inverse of a matrix A , denoted A^{-1} satisfies

$$A^{-1}A = I = AA^{-1}$$

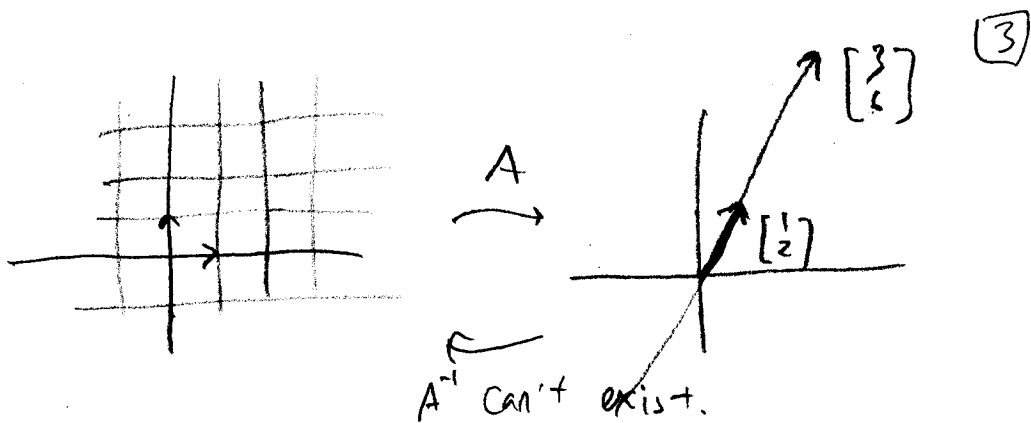
If A^{-1} exists, A is said to be invertible or nonsingular.

Singular case:

Ex: $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ has no inverse.

Why? (1) You can't get $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ from a linear combination of the columns, $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$.

② "Grid" picture:



③ There is a vector $\vec{x} \neq \vec{0}$ with $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$: $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

* Anytime this happens, A^{-1} can't exist!

Why: Suppose A^{-1} existed, and $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$, with $\vec{x} \neq \vec{0}$.

Then $\vec{x} = I\vec{x} = A^{-1}A\vec{x} = A\vec{0} = \vec{0}$. (Contradiction). —

Now, consider a matrix that has an inverse

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a & c \\ b & d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

Get 2 eqns (doing this by columns):

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c \\ d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Make an "augmented" matrix:

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 7 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{E_{21}} \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{E_{12}} \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 0 & 7 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$[A \mid I]$$

$$[I \mid A^{-1}] \quad (\text{why?})$$