

## Problems of the matrix

1. Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 5 & -2 \\ 2 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ . Find  $A+B$ ,  $3B$ ,  $2A+B$ ,  $A-2B$ ,  $A^T$ ,  $(A+B)^T$ .
2. Write down the row vectors and column vectors of matrices  $A$ ,  $B$  in problem 1.
3. Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ . Find  $AB$  and  $BA$ .
4. Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 3 & 1 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ . Find  $(AB)C$  and  $A(BC)$ .
5. Let  $A$  be an  $n \times n$  matrix. Define the trace of  $A$  to be the sum of the diagonal elements. Thus, if  $A = (a_{ij})$ , then

$$\text{tr}(A) = \sum_{i=1}^n a_{ii}$$

Compute the trace of the matrix  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 7 & 3 \\ -1 & 5 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$ .

6. Find the rank of the following matrices:

$$(1) \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 7 & 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad (2) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ -1 & -2 & 3 \\ 4 & 8 & -12 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad (3) \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \end{pmatrix}$$

7. Computer the following determinants:

$$(1) \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & -1 \\ 4 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \quad (2) \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 & 3 \\ -1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \quad (3) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 3 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 2 & 5 \end{vmatrix} \quad (4) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a & a^2 \\ 1 & b & b^2 \\ 1 & c & c^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

8. Solve the following systems of linear equations:

$$(1) \begin{cases} 2x - y + z = 1 \\ x + 3y - 2z = 0 \\ 4x - 3y + z = 2 \end{cases} \quad (2) \begin{cases} 4x + y + z + w = 1 \\ x - y + 2z - 3w = 0 \\ 2x + y + 3z + 5w = 0 \\ x + y - z - w = 2 \end{cases}$$

9. Find the inverse of the following matrices:

$$(1) \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \quad (2) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & -2 \\ 2 & 5 & -3 \\ -3 & 2 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \quad (3) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 & 2 & -1 \\ 4 & 2 & 1 & 16 \end{pmatrix}$$

10. Find the relation between  $b_1$ ,  $b_2$ , and  $b_3$  such that the system  $\begin{cases} x_1 + 5x_2 + 2x_3 = b_1 \\ 2x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = b_2 \\ x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 = b_3 \end{cases}$  has a solution.