

MAT 22A Problem Set 3 (Due 7/1, 8 AM)

1. Find the multipliers ℓ_{ij} to reduce the following systems to an upper triangular system:

(a)

$$2x + 3y + z = 1$$

$$2x + 3y - z = 2$$

$$3x + y + 2z = 1$$

(b)

$$ax + by = c$$

$$dx + ey = f$$

2. Solve the following system using elimination to reduce the system to a triangular system. Then use back substitution to find the solution.

$$x + y + z = -1$$

$$2x - y - 3z - t = 1$$

$$x + y + t = 2$$

$$4x - z + 2t = -1$$

3. Find c so that the linear system below

(a) requires a row exchange.

(b) is singular.

(c) does not require a row exchange.

$$x + 2y + z = 4$$

$$3x + cy + 3z = 2$$

$$-y + z = 1$$

Finally, find the solution to the system in terms of c .

4. Let $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$. Use the matrix-matrix multiplication definition to show that $AI = A$ where I is the identity matrix.
5. Let $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ and $B, C \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times \ell}$. Use the matrix-matrix multiplication definition to show that $A(B + C) = AB + AC$.
6. Find an example of A and B (4×4 matrices) such that
- (a) $AB = BA$.
- (b) $AB \neq BA$.

Assume A and B are not the zero matrix or the identity matrix.

7. Consider the following system of linear equations

$$\begin{aligned}2y - z + t &= 1 \\3x + 4y - z &= 1 \\x - 2y + t &= 1 \\x + t &= 1.\end{aligned}$$

Solve the system using a sequence of elimination matrices E_{ij} and permutation matrices P_{ij} . Let C be the product of the matrices used to reduce the system to triangular form. Compute C and show that CA is an upper triangular matrix where A is the coefficient matrix.

8. Let

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

Compute A^n .

9. Let $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ with entries

$$a_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & i = j - 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Compute

- (a) A^2 ,
 - (b) A^{n-1} ,
 - (c) A^n .
10. Compute AB using the 4 different perspectives of matrix-matrix multiplication

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