

Section 2.4, #4

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

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{\substack{-3(\text{III}) \\ -2(\text{III})}} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{-2(\text{II})} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

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

Check

$$A \cdot A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2+2 & 1-4+3 \\ 0 & 1 & -2+2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{I}$$

Note that the inverse of an upper-triangular matrix is always upper-triangular.

An upper-triangular matrix is invertible if and only if all diagonal entries are non-zero (exercise).

Section 2.4 # 8

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \begin{array}{l} -(\text{I}) \\ -(\text{I}) \end{array} \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \begin{array}{l} \\ -2(\text{II}) \end{array} \rightarrow$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & -2 & 1 \end{array} \right) \begin{array}{l} -(\text{III}) \\ -2(\text{III}) \end{array} \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -3 & 5 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & -2 & 1 \end{array} \right) \begin{array}{l} -(\text{II}) \\ \\ \end{array} \rightarrow$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 3 & -3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -3 & 5 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & -2 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

$$A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -3 & 1 \\ -3 & 5 & -2 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Check:

$$AA^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -3 & 1 \\ -3 & 5 & -2 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3-3+1 & -3+5-2 & 1-2+1 \\ 3-6+3 & -3+10-6 & 1-4+3 \\ 3-9+6 & -3+15-12 & 1-6+6 \end{pmatrix} =$$

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

Section 2.4 #32

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \quad ad - bc = 1, \quad A^{-1} = A$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det} \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{since } \det(A) = ad - bc = 1$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} a = d & b = -b \\ c = -c & d = a \end{matrix} \Rightarrow d = a, b = c = 0$$

since also  $ad - bc = 1 \Rightarrow a \cdot a = 1 \Rightarrow a = \pm 1$ .

2 solutions: 1)  $a = d = 1, b = c = 0$   $A = I$  identity matrix

2)  $a = d = -1, b = c = 0$   $A = -I$  minus identity matrix.

Section 3.1, #16

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

im  $A$  is spanned by both columns, since they are not proportional

$$\text{im}(A) = \text{span}\left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}\right).$$

#30. For example,  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$ , or  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 5 & 10 \end{pmatrix}$ .