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Advanced Algebra

Unit 6: Finding the Inverse of a 2 by 2 Matrix

Unit 6 Assignment #12

You will use this assignment to complete the next assignment #13

Find the inverse of the following matrices. Matrix $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$ will be your inverse matrix.

We know that $[A]^{-1} * [A]$ is the equivalent to 1 in a 2 by 2 matrix. Just like we know $\frac{1}{6} * 6 = 1$

You need to set up the system of equations to solve these matrices. This involves the skill of

- A) Multiplying matrices
- B) Solving a 2 by 2 system with the skill of elimination.

1) $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -9 \\ -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$b=3$ (circled)

$3a - b = 1$ (4)

$-9a + 4b = 0$

$12a - 4b = 4$

$-9a + 4b = 0$

$3a = 4$

$a = \frac{4}{3}$ (circled)

$3c - d = 0$ (4)

$-9c + 4d = 1$

$12a - 4d = 0$

$-9c + 4d = 1$

$3c = 1$

$c = \frac{1}{3}$ (circled)

$1-d=0$

$d=1$ (circled)

$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{4}{3} & 3 \\ \frac{1}{3} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

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

$a = \frac{1}{5}$ (circled)

$a + 2b = 1$ (2)

$-2a + b = 0$

$2a + 4b = 2$

$-2a + b = 0$

$b = \frac{2}{5}$ (circled)

$c + 2d = 0$ (2)

$-2c + d = 1$

$2c + 4d = 0$

$-2c + d = 1$

$5d = 1$

$d = \frac{1}{5}$ (circled)

$c = -\frac{2}{5}$ (circled)

$d = \frac{1}{5}$ (circled)

$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{5} & \frac{2}{5} \\ -\frac{2}{5} & \frac{1}{5} \end{bmatrix}$

3) $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 5 & -4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$3a = \frac{10}{22}$

$a = \frac{4}{22}$ (circled)

$3a + 5b = 1$ (2)

$2a - 4b = 0$ (3)

$6a + 10b = 2$

$-6a + 12b = 0$

$22b = 2$

$b = \frac{2}{22}$ (circled)

$3c + 5d = 0$ (2)

$2c - 4d = 1$ (3)

$3c = \frac{15}{22}$

$c = \frac{5}{22}$

$6c + 10d = 0$

$-6c + 12d = 3$

$22d = -3$

$d = -\frac{3}{22}$ (circled)

$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{4}{22} & \frac{2}{22} \\ \frac{5}{22} & -\frac{3}{22} \end{bmatrix}$

$$3a = \frac{15}{33} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \quad \left(\frac{5}{33} \right)$$

$$4) \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 9 & -5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$3a + 9b = 1 \quad (2)$$

$$2a - 5b = 0 \quad (3)$$

$$6a + 18b = 2$$

$$\underline{-6a + 15b = 0}$$

$$33b = 2$$

$$b = \frac{2}{33}$$

$$3c + 9d = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$2c - 5d = 1 \quad (3)$$

$$3c = \frac{9d}{33} \times \frac{1}{3}$$

$$c = \frac{d}{33}$$

$$6c + 18d = 0$$

$$\underline{-6c + 15d = -3}$$

$$33d = -3$$

$$d = -\frac{3}{33}$$

$$5) \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -4 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$5a + b = 1 \quad (4)$$

$$\underline{-4a + 3b = 0}$$

$$20a + 4b = 4$$

$$\underline{-20a + 15b = 0}$$

$$19b = 4$$

$$b = \frac{4}{19}$$

$$5c + d = 0 \quad (4)$$

$$\underline{-4c + 3d = 1 \quad (5)}$$

$$5c = -\frac{d}{19}$$

$$c = -\frac{d}{19}$$

$$20c + 4d = 0$$

$$\underline{-20c + 15d = 5}$$

$$d = \frac{5}{19}$$

$$6) \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ 7 & 12 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$4a + 7b = 1 \quad (3)$$

$$\underline{-3a + 12b = 0 \quad (4)}$$

$$4c + 7d = 0 \quad (3)$$

$$\underline{-3c + 12d = 1 \quad (4)}$$

$$12a + 21b = 3$$

$$\underline{-12a + 48b = 0}$$

$$69b = 3$$

$$b = \frac{3}{69}$$

$$4a = \frac{4b}{69}$$

$$a = \frac{12}{69}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} \frac{12}{69} \\ \frac{3}{69} \\ -\frac{7}{69} \\ \frac{4}{69} \end{array} \right]$$

$$7) \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$3a - 2b = 1$$

$$\underline{4a + 3b = 0}$$

$$12a - 8b = 4$$

$$\underline{-12a - 9b = 0}$$

$$b = -\frac{4}{17}$$

$$a = \frac{3}{17}$$

$$3c - 2d = 0 \quad (4)$$

$$4c + 3d = 1 \quad (3)$$

$$12c - 8d = 0$$

$$\underline{-12c - 9d = 3}$$

$$-17d = 3$$

$$d = -\frac{3}{17}$$

$$c = \frac{2}{17}$$

$$8) \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -2 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$5a + 4b = 1 \quad (2)$$

$$\underline{-2a + 3b = 0 \quad (5)}$$

$$10a + 8b = 2$$

$$\underline{-10a + 15b = 0}$$

$$23b = 2$$

$$b = \frac{2}{23}$$

$$5c + 4d = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$\underline{-2c + 3d = 1 \quad (5)}$$

$$10c + 8d = 0$$

$$\underline{-10c + 15d = 5}$$

$$23d = 5$$

$$d = \frac{5}{23}$$

$$9) \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 2 \\ 3 & -5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$7a + 3b = 1 \quad (2)$$

$$\underline{2a - 5b = 0 \quad (4)}$$

$$7c + 3d = 0 \quad (5)$$

$$\underline{2c - 5d = 1 \quad (3)}$$

$$14a + 6b = 2$$

$$\underline{-14a + 35b = 0}$$

$$41b = 2$$

$$b = \frac{2}{41}$$

$$35c + 15d = 0$$

$$\underline{6c - 15d = 3}$$

$$41c = 3$$

$$c = \frac{3}{41}$$