

**1**  $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{3} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ -1 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$  and  $C^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -4 \\ -5 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ .

**2** For the first, a simple row exchange has  $P^2 = I$  so  $P^{-1} = P$ . For the second,

$P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Always  $P^{-1}$  = “transpose” of  $P$ , coming in Section 2.7.

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1. Row Operation

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 4 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{cc|cc} 0 & 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{\text{Exchange}} \left( \begin{array}{cc|cc} 4 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$\times \frac{1}{4}$  in the first row

$$\left( \begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{4} \\ 0 & 3 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

$\times \frac{1}{3}$  in the 2nd row

$$\left( \begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{4} \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{3} & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

For others, the same way.

2.  $P^T P = I$

row operation to P

P needs a row exchange between the 1st row and the 3rd row

$$\Rightarrow P^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

( $\therefore P^T = P$ ).

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2) \quad P &= P_{23} P_{13} \\
 \therefore P^{-1} &= (P_{23} P_{13})^{-1} \\
 &= P_{23}^{-1} P_{13}^{-1} \\
 &= P_{23} P_{13} \\
 &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

4 The equations are  $x + 2y = 1$  and  $3x + 6y = 0$ . No solution because 3 times equation 1 gives  $3x + 6y = 3$ .

$$6. \quad AB - AC = 0$$

$$A(B - C) = 0$$

Set  $B - C = M = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$

$$\therefore \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \begin{cases} a + c = 0 \\ b + d = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ -a & -b \end{pmatrix}$$

6 (a) Multiply  $AB = AC$  by  $A^{-1}$  to find  $B = C$  (since  $A$  is invertible) (b) As long as

$$B - C \text{ has the form } \begin{bmatrix} x & y \\ -x & -y \end{bmatrix}, \text{ we have } AB = AC \text{ for } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

7 (a) In  $Ax = (1, 0, 0)$ , equation 1 + equation 2 - equation 3 is  $0 = 1$  (b) Right sides must satisfy  $b_1 + b_2 = b_3$  (c) Row 3 becomes a row of zeros—no third pivot.

8 (a) The vector  $x = (1, 1, -1)$  solves  $Ax = 0$  (b) After elimination, columns 1 and 2 end in zeros. Then so does column 3 = column 1 + 2: no third pivot.

9 Yes,  $B$  is invertible ( $A$  was just multiplied by a permutation matrix  $P$ ). If you exchange rows 1 and 2 of  $A$  to reach  $B$ , you exchange **columns** 1 and 2 of  $A^{-1}$  to reach  $B^{-1}$ . In matrix notation,  $B = PA$  has  $B^{-1} = A^{-1}P^{-1} = A^{-1}P$  for this  $P$ .

$$8. \quad A = (\vec{\beta}_1 \ \vec{\beta}_2 \ \vec{\beta}_3) \quad \vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A\vec{x} = (\vec{\beta}_1 \ \vec{\beta}_2 \ \vec{\beta}_3) \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= x_1 \vec{\beta}_1 + x_2 \vec{\beta}_2 + x_3 \vec{\beta}_3$$

$$\because \vec{\beta}_1 + \vec{\beta}_2 = \vec{\beta}_3$$

$$\text{when } \vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A\vec{x} = \vec{\beta}_1 + \vec{\beta}_2 - \vec{\beta}_3 = \vec{0}$$

$$10 \quad A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1/5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/4 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/3 & 0 & 0 \\ 1/2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and } B^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 0 & 0 \\ -4 & 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & -7 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad (\text{invert each block of } B)$$

∴ Elimination keeps  
column 1 + column 2 = column 3.  
( $\vec{x}_1 + \vec{x}_2 = \vec{x}_3$ )

∴ for the last row after the elimination  
 $a_{31} = 0, a_{32} = 0$ .

∴  $a_{33} = a_{31} + a_{32} = 0$   
∴ no pivot.

for

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

Guess

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

10.  $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & & & & \\ & \frac{1}{3} & & & \\ & & \frac{1}{4} & & \\ & & & \frac{1}{5} & \\ & & & & 1 \end{pmatrix} A = \begin{pmatrix} D & & & & \\ & I & & & \\ & & I & & \\ & & & I & \\ & & & & D \end{pmatrix}$  ∴

It's obvious that

$$E_{14} E_{32} D_2 = E$$

$$\Rightarrow E_{14} E_{32} (D_1 A) = E$$

$$A^{-1} = E_{14} E_{32} D_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{5} \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{4} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{3} & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$E_{12} (E_{34} A) = I$$

in which

$$\begin{cases} E_{12}(1,2) = a \\ E_{23}(2,3) = b \\ E_{34}(3,4) = c \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow A^{-1} = E_{12} E_{23} E_{34}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & a & 0 \\ & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ & 1 & b \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ & 1 & c \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & a & 0 \\ & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & bc \\ 0 & 0 & 1+c \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & a & abc \\ 0 & 1 & bc \\ 0 & 0 & 1+c \end{pmatrix}$$

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

$$\therefore A \vec{x} = (1, 1, 1, 1)^T$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{x} = A^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

**13**  $M^{-1} = C^{-1}B^{-1}A^{-1}$  so multiply on the left by  $C$  and the right by  $A$  :  $B^{-1} = CM^{-1}A$ .

**15** If  $A$  has a column of zeros, so does  $BA$ . Then  $BA = I$  is impossible. There is no  $A^{-1}$ .

**22** 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 7 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 7 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = [I \ A^{-1}];$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 9 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -3 & 4/3 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -1/3 \end{bmatrix} = [I \ A^{-1}].$$

**29** (a) True (If  $A$  has a row of zeros, then every  $AB$  has too, and  $AB = I$  is impossible).

(b) False (the matrix of all ones is singular even with diagonal 1's).

(c) True (the inverse of  $A^{-1}$  is  $A$  and the inverse of  $A^2$  is  $(A^{-1})^2$ ).

**30** Elimination produces the pivots  $a$  and  $a-b$  and  $a-b$ .  $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{a(a-b)} \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & -b \\ -a & a & 0 \\ 0 & -a & a \end{bmatrix}$ .

The matrix  $C$  is not invertible if  $c = 0$  or  $c = 7$  or  $c = 2$ .

**31**  $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . When the triangular  $A$  has 1, -1, 1, -1, ... on successive

diagonals,  $A^{-1}$  is *bidagonal* with 1's on the diagonal and first superdiagonal.

**39** The inverse of  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -a & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -b & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -c \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  is  $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & a & ab & abc \\ 0 & 1 & b & bc \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & c \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . (This would

be a good example for the cofactor formula  $A^{-1} = C^T / \det A$  in Section 5.3)

