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Solutions

Each problem is worth 2 points. Show all your work.

1. Find the inverses if they exist:

(a) $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 5 & 8 \end{pmatrix}^{-1}$

(b) $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{-1}$

$\left(\begin{array}{cc|cc} 2 & 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 5 & 8 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \cdot \frac{5}{2}$

or,
using

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

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

then directly

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

$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 5 & 8 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{6-15} \begin{pmatrix} 8 & -3 \\ -5 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

$\left(\begin{array}{cc|cc} 2 & 0 & 16 & -6 \\ 0 & 1 & -5 & 2 \end{array} \right) \cdot 2$

$= \underline{\underline{\begin{pmatrix} 8 & -3 \\ -5 & 2 \end{pmatrix}}}$

$\left(\begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 0 & 8 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & -5 & 2 \end{array} \right)$

2. Find the product:

$(0 \ 0 \ 1) \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & k \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$(0 \ 0 \ 1) \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & k \end{pmatrix} = (g \ h \ k)$

$(g \ h \ k) \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \underline{\underline{h}}$

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

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

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

3. For the following matrices find A^2 , A^3 , and A^{1001} .

(a) $A = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = -1 \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ (b) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

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

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

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

$$A^{1001} = - \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = A$$

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

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

$$A^k = \begin{cases} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, & k \text{ odd} \\ \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, & k \text{ even} \end{cases}$$

$$A^{1001} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = A$$

4. Consider the transformation T from $\mathbb{R}^2$ to $\mathbb{R}^3$ given by

$$T \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = x_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + x_2 \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Is this transformation linear? If so, find its matrix.

$$x_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + x_2 \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = Ax$$

The transformation is linear (matrix times a vector!)

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 6 \end{pmatrix}.$$