

entries are equal. Thus

$$\begin{aligned} 2x - 3y &= 8 \\ -y &= 2 \\ x - y &= 3 \\ x + y &= -1 \\ -x + y &= -3 \\ x + 2y &= -3. \end{aligned}$$

We find that $x = 1$, $y = -2$.

90. Equating (2,1) entries gives $a + x = -3$. Equating (1,2) entries gives $-2(a + x) = 2$, so $a + x = -1$. No x, y, a, b exist.

91. (a) Since $2A - B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2x \\ 2y & 2 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} z & -4 \\ -1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4-z & 2x+4 \\ 2y+1 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$, we must have $4 - z = 0$, $2x + 4 = 7$, and $2y + 1 = 2$, so $x = \frac{3}{2}$, $y = \frac{1}{2}$, and $z = 4$.

- (b) Since $AB = \begin{bmatrix} 2z-x & -8+5x \\ yz-1 & -4y+5 \end{bmatrix}$, we need $2z - x = 0$, $-8 + 5x = 7$, $yz - 1 = 2$, and $-4y + 5 = -3$. The second equation says $5x = 15$, so $x = 3$. Then the first equation gives $z = \frac{1}{2}x = \frac{3}{2}$. The third equation says $yz = 3$, so $y = \frac{2}{3}(3) = 2$. Since $y = 2$ satisfies the last equation, we have a solution.

92. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$.

93. $A + B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 & 5 \\ -4 & 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$; $A - B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 & -3 \\ 2 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$; $2A - B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 & -2 \\ 1 & -3 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$.

94. AB is not defined; $BA = \begin{bmatrix} -27 & 26 & 16 \\ -34 & 52 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$.

95. The (1,1) and (2,2) entries of AB are, respectively, $ax + by + cz$ and $du + ev + fw$.

96. $3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 4 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$.

97. $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 5 \\ -1 & 1 \\ 2 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 7 \\ -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

98. Substituting $x = 1$, $y = 4$ gives $a + b + c = 4$. Substituting $x = 2$, $y = 8$ gives $4a + 2b + c = 8$. These two equations correspond to the single matrix equation

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}.$$

99. A linear combination of the columns of a matrix A is $A\mathbf{x}$ for some vector \mathbf{x} (whose components are the coefficients in the linear combination).

100. $\mathbf{b} = -4 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} + 7 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix}.$

101. We seek a and b so that $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = a \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + b \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$. We need $2 = a + b$ and $3 = b$, so $a = -1$.
Thus $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = (-1) \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$; that is, $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}.$

102. $\mathbf{x} = 20 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 35 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 47 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$

103. $AX = \begin{bmatrix} A\mathbf{x}_1 & A\mathbf{x}_2 & A\mathbf{x}_3 \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$

104. This is like Example 6.5. The first column of AD is A times the first column of D . By that important fact expressed in **6.3**, this is

$$-7 \times \text{first column of } A + 0 \times \text{second column of } A + 0 \times \text{third column of } A,$$

which is $\begin{bmatrix} -7 \\ -7 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}$. The second and third columns of AD are obtained by similar means,

giving $AD = \begin{bmatrix} -7 & 16 & 15 \\ -7 & 16 & 15 \\ -7 & 16 & 15 \end{bmatrix}.$

105. $AB = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 5 & 0 \\ 16 & -5 & 20 \end{bmatrix}, \quad AC = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & -2 & 10 \\ -1 & 6 & 20 \end{bmatrix}, \quad AB + AC = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 & 10 \\ 15 & 1 & 40 \end{bmatrix},$

$$B + C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 4 \\ 3 & 1 & 7 \end{bmatrix}, \quad A(B + C) = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 & 10 \\ 15 & 1 & 40 \end{bmatrix}.$$

106. The answer is “no.” With $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$, we find $A - 3I = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 0 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$ and $A + 2I = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, so that $(A - 3I)(A + 2I) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$. Yet $A \neq 3I$ and $A \neq -2I$.

107. Let A be $m \times n$. Since $A\mathbf{x}$ exists, \mathbf{x} is $n \times 1$ and $A\mathbf{x}$ is $m \times 1$. Thus $\mathbf{x} + A\mathbf{x}$ is the sum of a vector in \mathbb{R}^n and a vector in \mathbb{R}^m , so $m = n$. The matrix A is square.

108. We use the fact that $A\mathbf{e}_i$ is column i of A . (See **5.20**.) Since $A\mathbf{x} = B\mathbf{x}$ for all \mathbf{x} , then certainly $A\mathbf{e}_1 = B\mathbf{e}_1$, so the first columns of A and B are the same. Similarly, $A\mathbf{e}_i = B\mathbf{e}_i$ implies that the i th columns of A and B are equal, for every i . Thus $A = B$ by **5.9**.

109. Since $\mathbf{x} \neq \mathbf{0}$, some component of \mathbf{x} is not 0. Without loss of generality, $x_1 \neq 0$. [The reader should see how to adapt quickly our argument for any other x_i .] Let \mathbf{v} be the vector $\frac{1}{x_1}\mathbf{y}$ and let $A = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v} & \mathbf{0} & \cdots & \mathbf{0} \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & & \downarrow \end{bmatrix}$. By the fundamental 6.3, $A\mathbf{x}$ is a linear combination of the columns of A , the coefficients being x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n . Thus $A\mathbf{x} = x_1\mathbf{v} + x_2\mathbf{0} + \cdots + x_n\mathbf{0} = x_1\mathbf{v} = x_1(\frac{1}{x_1}\mathbf{y}) = \mathbf{y}$.
110. $AB = BA = I_3$, so these matrices are inverses.
111. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$ and $ad - bc \neq 0$, then we saw in Example 8.8 that $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad - bc} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$. Here then, $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & -5 \\ -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$. The system is $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ with $\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$ and $\mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}$, so the solution is $\mathbf{x} = A^{-1}\mathbf{b} = -\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -44 \\ -17 \end{bmatrix}$.
112. (a) $AB = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -7 & 1 \\ 2 & -9 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$;
 $BA = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -7 & 1 \\ 2 & -9 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -20 & 2 \\ 2 & -9 & 1 \\ 10 & -50 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$.
- (b) A is not invertible since $BA \neq I$. Only square matrices can be invertible.
113. $A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$, $B^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$, $AB = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & -3 \\ 6 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$, $BA = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 2 \\ 15 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$,
 $(AB)^T = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 6 \\ -3 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$, $(BA)^T = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 15 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$, $A^TB^T = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 15 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$, $B^TA^T = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 6 \\ -3 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$.
114. We are asked to show that $(A^T)^{-1}$, which is the inverse of A^T , is the matrix $X = (A^{-1})^T$. Since both matrices are square, it suffices to prove that the product of A^T and X (in either order) is the identity matrix. Using the fact that $(BC)^T = C^TB^T$, we have $A^TX = A^T(A^{-1})^T = (A^{-1}A)^T = I^T = I$.
115. Since $AB = BA$, we have $(AB)^T = (BA)^T = A^TB^T$, as desired.
116. Multiplying $AC = BC$ on the right by C^{-1} gives $ACC^{-1} = BCC^{-1}$, so $AI = BI$ and $A = B$.
117. This follows immediately from 5.17: $\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{u}^T\mathbf{v}$ for any vectors \mathbf{u} and \mathbf{v} .
118. Multiplying $AXB = A + B$ on the left by A^{-1} gives $XB = I + A^{-1}B$ and multiplying this on the right by B^{-1} gives $X = B^{-1} + A^{-1}$.
119. No, because the leading nonzero entries do not step to the right as you read down the matrix.