



# COURSE ON MATRICES

## LESSON 1

Introduction to Matrices.  
Basic Operations on Matrices.

*HOMEWORK*



## Part 1: TEST

Select the correct answer (only one is true).

### Question 1

A matrix is:

- a) A mathematical operation on numbers
- b) A rectangular table filled with numbers
- c) A sequence of numbers (not necessarily integers)
- d) A system of linear equations with a larger number of unknowns

### Question 2

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -7 & 1 \\ 2 & -10 & 5 \\ 1 & 3 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

The number 5 is an element of:

- a) 2nd column and 3rd row
- b) 3rd row and 3rd column
- c) The sixth element
- d) 2nd row and 3rd column

### Question 3

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & -2 \\ -4 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \boxed{?} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & -3 \\ -4 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

What operation was performed on these matrices?

- a) addition
- b) subtraction
- c) multiplication
- d) impossible to determine

**Question 4**

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & -2 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 5 & 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 6 \\ 0 & 3 & \boxed{?} \\ 9 & 7 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Which number should be in the square with the question mark?

- a) -5
- b) 1
- c) 5
- d) 6

**Question 5**

$$-3 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & -3 & 0 \\ -4 & 2 & -5 & 5 \\ -1 & 4 & 4 & 8 \\ 2 & -3 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \boxed{?} & -6 & 9 & 0 \\ 12 & -6 & 15 & -15 \\ 3 & -12 & -12 & -24 \\ -6 & 9 & -6 & -15 \end{bmatrix}$$

Which number should be in the square with the question mark?

- a) -3
- b) 3
- c) -4
- d) -2

**Question 6**

$$\begin{array}{c|cc} & \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ -1 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \\ \hline \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 \\ -2 & -4 \\ 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} & \begin{array}{cc} -7 & -18 \\ \boxed{?} & 14 \\ 19 & 10 \end{array} \end{array}$$

Which number should be in the square with the question mark?

- a) -12
- b) -4
- c) 12
- d) 4



### Question 7

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Is this operation feasible?

- a) Impossible to determine
- b) Yes
- c) No

### Question 8

How can we describe Matrix Transposition?

- a) As multiplying the rows by the columns of a matrix
- b) As an operation that is not always feasible
- c) As an operation used to solve systems of linear equations
- d) As swapping rows with columns

### Question 9

$$2 + \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 1 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Does this operation make sense?

- a) Yes
- b) No
- c) Not always
- d) Impossible to determine



**Question 10**

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 & 2 & 1 \\ & No.1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ & 1 & 0 \\ & & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ No.3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ No.4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Which of the objects above is NOT a matrix?

- a) No. 1
- b) No. 2
- c) No. 3
- d) No. 4



## Part 2: EXERCISES

### Ex .1

Perform the operations:

$$1) \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & 5 \\ -2 & 3 & 3 \\ -1 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 5 & 5 & 8 \\ -4 & 2 & 7 \end{bmatrix} =$$

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

$$3) 2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} - 3 \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} + 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$4) 3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}^T - 2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 8 & 2 \\ 4 & -1 \\ -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$5) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 4 & 7 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}^T + 2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 & 1 & 1 \\ -3 & 3 & -4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$6) \left( \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^T + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}^T \right) - \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}^T =$$

$$7) \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 3 & 1 \\ 2 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & -4 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$8) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & -4 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 3 & 1 \\ 2 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$9) \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}^2 =$$

$$10) \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 0 \\ -2 & 4 & 5 \\ 3 & 3 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 4 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} =$$



$$11) \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 2 & 3 \\ -2 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$12) \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 4 & 5 \\ -3 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -2 \\ 1 & 3 \\ -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^T \right)^T =$$

$$13) 3 \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 & 2 \\ -3 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 5 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$14) \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + 2 \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 4 & 5 \\ 8 & 1 \end{bmatrix} =$$

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