

WORK SHEET BASED ON THE FOCUS AREA
CHAPTER 3
MATRICES

1. (a) Find values of x, y, z, w satisfying the matrix equation

$$2 \begin{bmatrix} x & z \\ y & w \end{bmatrix} + 3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = 3 \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (b) If the matrices A and B are of orders $m \times n$ and $n \times m$ respectively,

Then find the order of AB and BA

- (c) The diagonal elements of a skew symmetric matrix are

2. Consider the matrices $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

- (a) Find $A + B$ (b) Find $A - B$ (c) Find $(A + B)(A - B)$

3. Consider a 3×2 matrix $A = [a_{ij}]_{3 \times 2}$ where $a_{ij} = |i - 2j|$

- (a) Write A (b) Find A'

4. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

- (a) Find AB (b) Is BA defined? Justify your answer

5. Consider the matrices $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -6 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ and $2A + B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -10 \\ -2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

- (a) Find matrix B (b) Find AB (c) Find B'

6. If $X + Y = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$, $X - Y = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$, then

- (a) Find X and Y (b) Find $2X + Y$

7. Consider the matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$

- (a) Find A^2 (b) Find k so that $A^2 = kA - 2I$

8. (a) Construct a 2×2 matrix $A = [a_{ij}]_{2 \times 2}$ where $a_{ij} = i + j$

- (i) Find A (ii) Find A^2

(b) Find x and y if $x \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$

9. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$, then

- (a) Find A^2 (b) Show that $A^2 - 5A + 10I = 0$ (c) Find A^{-1}

10. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, then

- (a) Find A' (b) Find $A + A'$ and $A - A'$

- (c) Express A as sum of a symmetric and skew-symmetric matrix.

11. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} \cos x & -\sin x \\ \sin x & \cos x \end{bmatrix}$

- (a) Find A' (b) Verify that $AA' = I$

12. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 5 & 4 \\ 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$

- (a) What is the order of AB

- (b) Find A' and B'

- (c) Verify that $(AB)' = B'A'$

13. (a) If A is a skew-symmetric matrix, then $A' = \dots$

(b) If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & a \\ b & 0 & -2 \\ 5 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is a skew-symmetric matrix, then find the values of a and b .

14. (a) If the matrix A is both symmetric and skew-symmetric, then A is a

(i) Diagonal matrix (ii) Zero matrix (iii) Square matrix (iv) Scalar matrix

(b) If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

(i) Find $A + B$

(ii) Find the matrix C such that $A + B + C = O$

15. (a) Which of the following values of x and y make the following matrices

$$\text{equal } \begin{bmatrix} 2x+4 & 5 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 5 \\ y+1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

(i) $x=1, y=2$ (ii) $x=2, y=1$ (iii) $x=-2, y=1$ (iv) $x=1, y=-2$

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1. (a) Given that $2\begin{bmatrix} x & z \\ y & w \end{bmatrix} + 3\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = 3\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2x & 2z \\ 2y & 2w \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 15 \\ 12 & 18 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2x+3 & 2z-3 \\ 2y & 2w \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 15 \\ 12 & 18 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore $2x+3=9 \Rightarrow 2x=6 \Rightarrow x=3$

$$2z-3=15 \Rightarrow 2z=18 \Rightarrow z=9$$

$$2y=12 \Rightarrow y=6 \quad \text{and} \quad 2w=18 \Rightarrow w=9$$

(b) Order of $AB = m \times m$ and Order of $BA = n \times n$

(c) The diagonal elements of a skew symmetric matrix are 0

2. (a) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A+B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b) $A-B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (c) (A+B)(A-B) &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \times 3 + 3 \times 4 & 1 \times -1 + 3 \times 0 \\ 0 \times 3 + 6 \times 4 & 0 \times -1 + 6 \times 0 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} 3+12 & -1+0 \\ 0+24 & 0+0 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} 15 & -1 \\ 24 & 0 \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

3. (a) Given that $A = [a_{ij}]_{3 \times 2}$ where $a_{ij} = |i - 2j|$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(b) A' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

4. (a) Given that $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2+0 & -2+8 & 0+4 \\ 1+0 & -1+6 & 0+3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 6 & 4 \\ 1 & 5 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b) no. of columns of $B = 3$ and no of rows of $A = 2$

\therefore no. of columns of $B \neq$ no. of rows of B

$\therefore BA$ is not defined

5. (a) Given that $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -6 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ and $2A + B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -10 \\ -2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 2A + B &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -10 \\ -2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -10 \\ -2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} - 2A \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -10 \\ -2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} - 2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -6 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -10 \\ -2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -12 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 2 \\ -4 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(b) AB = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -6 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 2 \\ -4 & -5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -6+24 & 4+30 \\ -3+-8 & 2+-10 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 18 & 34 \\ -11 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(c) B' = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & -4 \\ 2 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$6. (a) X + Y = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow (1)$$

$$X - Y = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow (2)$$

$$(1) + (2) \Rightarrow 2X = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 0 \\ 2 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow X = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 0 \\ 2 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(1) - (2) \Rightarrow 2Y = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow Y = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(b) 2X + Y = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 0 \\ 2 & 8 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 12 & 0 \\ 3 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$7. (a) A^2 = AA = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 9+/-8 & -6+4 \\ 12+/-8 & -8+4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 4 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(b) A^2 = kA - 2I \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 4 & -4 \end{bmatrix} = k \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix} - 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 4 & -4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3k & -2k \\ 4k & -2k \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 4 & -4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3k-2 & -2k \\ 4k & -2k-2 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow 4k = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 1$$

8. (a) Given that $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{ij} \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times 2}$ where $a_{ij} = i + j$

$$(i) \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(ii) \quad A^2 = AA = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4+9 & 6+12 \\ 6+12 & 9+16 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 13 & 18 \\ 18 & 25 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(b) \quad x \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2x \\ 3x \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -y \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2x-y \\ 3x+y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$2x - y = 10 \rightarrow (1)$$

$$3x + y = 5 \rightarrow (2)$$

$$(1) + (2) \Rightarrow 5x = 15 \Rightarrow x = 3$$

$$3x + y = 5 \Rightarrow 3 \times 3 + y = 5 \Rightarrow y = -4$$

$$9. (a) \quad A^2 = AA = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1+(-6) & 3+12 \\ -2+(-8) & -6+16 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 15 \\ -10 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(b) \quad A^2 - 5A + 10I = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 15 \\ -10 & 10 \end{bmatrix} - 5 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} + 10 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 15 \\ -10 & 10 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 15 \\ -10 & 20 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 0 \\ 0 & 10 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$(c) \quad A^2 - 5A + 10I = 0$$

Multiplying by A^{-1}

$$A^{-1}A^2 - 5A^{-1}A + 10A^{-1}I = A^{-1}0$$

$$A - 5I + 10A^{-1} = 0 \Rightarrow 10A^{-1} = 5I - A$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{10}(5I - A) = \frac{1}{10} \left(\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \frac{1}{10} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

10. (a) $A' = A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

(b) $A + A' = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 & 4 \\ 3 & 6 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$A - A' = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

11 (a) $A = \begin{bmatrix} \cos x & -\sin x \\ \sin x & \cos x \end{bmatrix}$ and $A' = \begin{bmatrix} \cos x & \sin x \\ -\sin x & \cos x \end{bmatrix}$

(b) $AA' = \begin{bmatrix} \cos x & -\sin x \\ \sin x & \cos x \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos x & \sin x \\ -\sin x & \cos x \end{bmatrix}$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \cos^2 x + \sin^2 x & \cos x \sin x - \sin x \cos x \\ \sin x \cos x - \cos x \sin x & \sin^2 x + \cos^2 x \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I$$

12. (a) Order of AB is 2×2

(b) $A' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \\ -3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $B' = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$

(c) $AB = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 5 & 4 \\ 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2+10+(-3) & 3+8+(-18) \\ 4+5+(-1) & 6+4+(-6) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & -7 \\ 8 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

$$(AB)' = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 8 \\ -7 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow (1)$$

$$B'A' = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \\ -3 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2+10+(-3) & 4+5+(-1) \\ 3+8+(-18) & 6+4+(-6) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 8 \\ -7 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow (2)$$

From (1) and (2), we have $(AB)' = B'A'$

13. (a) If A is a skew-symmetric matrix, then $A' = -A$

(b) Since A is skew-symmetric, we have $A' = -A$

$$\therefore \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b & 5 \\ 3 & 0 & 2 \\ a & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = -\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & a \\ b & 0 & -2 \\ 5 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{i.e., } \begin{bmatrix} 0 & b & 5 \\ 3 & 0 & 2 \\ a & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -3 & -a \\ -b & 0 & 2 \\ -5 & -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

So $a = -5$ and $b = -3$

14. (a) Zero matrix

$$(b) A + B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(c) A + B + C = O \Rightarrow C = -(A + B) = -\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & -1 & 0 \\ -3 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

15. (a) Given that $\begin{bmatrix} 2x+4 & 5 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 5 \\ y+1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow 2x+4=0 \text{ and } y+1=2$
 $\Rightarrow x=-2 \text{ and } y=1$