

Linear Algebra I E2

Tutorial 3

Problem 1

Find conditions that the b 's must satisfy for the system to be consistent.

$$\begin{aligned}x_1 - 4x_2 + 6x_3 &= b_1 \\13x_1 - 16x_2 + 18x_3 &= b_2 \\-4x_1 + 4x_2 - 4x_3 &= b_3\end{aligned}$$

Problem 2

Solve the following matrix equation for X .

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} X = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 5 & 7 & 8 \\ 4 & 0 & -3 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 5 & -7 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Problem 3

Solve the system by inverting the coefficient matrix and using the following theorem:

If A is an invertible $n \times n$ matrix, then for each $n \times 1$ matrix \mathbf{b} , the system of equations $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ has exactly one solution, namely, $\mathbf{x} = A^{-1}\mathbf{b}$.

$$\begin{aligned}x + y + z &= 9 \\x + y - 8z &= 18 \\-8x + y + z &= 0\end{aligned}$$

ANSWERS

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Problem 1

$$b_1 = 1 b_2 + 3 b_3$$

Problem 2

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} 11 & 12 & -3 & 27 & 26 \\ -6 & -8 & 1 & -18 & -17 \\ -15 & -21 & 9 & -38 & -35 \end{array}$$

Problem 3

$$x = 1$$

$$y = 9$$

$$z = -1$$