

Computer Assignment 2

Chapter 2, section 1, problem 3

Matlab commands:

```
Apes = [70 50;30 60]  
Diet = [25 40 20;15 30 25]  
Result = Apes * Diet
```

Matlab results:

```
Apes =  
    70    50  
    30    60  
Diet =  
    25    40    20  
    15    30    25  
Result =  
    2500    4300    2650  
    1650    3000    2100
```

The meaning of the calculation:

$$\begin{array}{cc} \text{young} & \text{old} \\ \left[\begin{array}{cc} 70 & 50 \\ 30 & 60 \end{array} \right] & \begin{array}{l} \text{chimpanzees} \\ \text{gibbons} \end{array} \end{array}$$

$$\times \begin{array}{ccc} \text{prot.} & \text{carbo.} & \text{fat} \\ \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 25 & 40 & 20 \\ 15 & 30 & 25 \end{array} \right] & \begin{array}{l} \text{young} \\ \text{old} \end{array} \end{array}$$

$$= \begin{array}{ccc} \text{prot.} & \text{carbo.} & \text{fat} \\ \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 2500 & 4300 & 2650 \\ 1650 & 3000 & 2100 \end{array} \right] & \begin{array}{l} \text{young and old chimpanzees} \\ \text{young and old gibbons} \end{array} \end{array}$$

Chapter 2, section 1, problem 10a

Matlab commands:

```
A = randint(3,4,5,2)
% RANDINT(m,n,k,r) is an m by n matrix of rank r
% with integer entries in the interval [-k:k].
% If less than three arguments are used the default
% value of k is taken to be 9.
% If only one input argument is used then it is assumed
% that the matrix is square.
% If the last argument is left off, no attempt is made
% to determine the rank.
rref(A)
```

Matlab results:

```
A =
     0     3     0     3
    -3    -2     3     1
    -2     1     2     3
ans =
     1     0    -1    -1
     0     1     0     1
     0     0     0     0
```

```
x1 = [4;-2;2;2];  
x2 = [5;-2;3;2];  
a = 3; b = -2;  
x3 = a * x1 + b * x2  
Product1 = A*x1  
Product2 = A*x2  
Product3 = A*x3
```

Matlab results:

```
x3 =  
    2  
   -2  
    0  
    2  
Product1 =  
    0  
    0  
    0  
Product2 =  
    0  
    0  
    0  
Product3 =  
    0  
    0  
    0
```

$x1$ and $x2$ are two non-zero non-multiple solutions of $Ax = 0$. Two values for a and b were selected at random and $x3$ was formed by multiplying $x1$ by a and adding to the product of $x2$ and b . Then the products of $A*x1$, $A*x2$, and $A*x3$ were all found to be zero confirming that $x1$, $x2$, and $x3$ are all solutions of $Ax = 0$.

Therefore it appears that any sum of multiples of solutions of a homogeneous linear system is also a solution of that system.

Chapter 2, section 1, problem 10b

Matlab commands:

```
p = randint(4,1,5)
% RANDINT(m,n,k,r) is an m by n matrix of rank r
% with integer entries in the interval [-k:k].
% If less than three arguments are used the default
% value of k is taken to be 9.
% If only one input argument is used then it is assumed
% that the matrix is square.
% If the last argument is left off, no attempt is made
% to determine the rank.
B = A*p
C = p + 3*x1 + (-2)*x2
B2 = A*C
```

Matlab results:

```
p =
    4
    3
    0
   -5
B =
   -6
  -23
  -20
C =
    6
    1
    0
   -3
B2 =
   -6
  -23
  -20
```

A random vector p is created and $B = A * p$ is computed so that p is a solution of the nonhomogeneous system $Ax = B$. Using values from problem 10a, we compute $p + a*x1 + b*x2$ which is stored in C .

To check to see if C is also a solution of $Ax = B$, we compute $B2 = A * C$. It is found that $B2 = B$ so therefore $p + a*x1 + b*x2$ is also a solution of $Ax = B$.

Therefore it appears that any sum of multiples of solutions of a nonhomogeneous linear system is also a solution of that system.

Chapter 2, section 1, problem 14a

Matlab commands:

```
A = [3 2;4 3]
B = [3 -2;-4 3]
DeterminantA = det(A)
DeterminantB = det(B)
AB = A*B
BA = B*A
InverseA = inv(A)
InverseB = inv(B)
```

Matlab results:

```
A =
     3     2
     4     3
B =
     3    -2
    -4     3
DeterminantA =
     1
DeterminantB =
     1
AB =
     1     0
     0     1
BA =
     1     0
     0     1
InverseA =
     3    -2
    -4     3
InverseB =
     3     2
     4     3
```

The definition of an inverse matrix states that "if the transformation $y = Ax$ is invertible, its inverse is $x = A^{-1}y$." It follows that:

$$\begin{aligned} y &= AA^{-1}y & \text{and} & & x &= A^{-1}Ax \\ y/y &= AA^{-1} & & & x/x &= A^{-1}A \\ 1 &= AA^{-1} & & & 1 &= A^{-1}A \end{aligned}$$

and if $A^{-1} = B$ then:

$$1 = AB \quad \text{and} \quad 1 = BA$$

Both A and B are nonsingular and therefore invertible since their determinants are not equal to zero. The product of $A*B$ and $B*A$ both yield the identity matrix. So it is seen that A is the inverse matrix of B and that B is the inverse matrix of A . This is further confirmed by using the Matlab command `inv()` to find the inverse.

Chapter 2, section 1, problem 14b

Matlab commands:

```
A = [1 0 1;1 1 0;-1 2 -2]
B = [-2 2 -1;2 -1 1;3 -2 1]
DeterminantA = det(A)
DeterminantB = det(B)
AB = A*B
BA = B*A
InverseA = inv(A)
InverseB = inv(B)
```

Matlab results:

```
A =
     1     0     1
     1     1     0
    -1     2    -2
B =
    -2     2    -1
     2    -1     1
     3    -2     1
DeterminantA =
     1
DeterminantB =
     1
AB =
     1     0     0
     0     1     0
     0     0     1
BA =
     1     0     0
     0     1     0
     0     0     1
InverseA =
    -2     2    -1
     2    -1     1
     3    -2     1
InverseB =
     1.0000     0.0000     1.0000
     1.0000     1.0000         0
    -1.0000     2.0000    -2.0000
```

Chapter 2, section 1, problem 14c

Matlab commands:

```
A = [0 0 0 0 1;1 0 0 0 0;0 1 0 0 0;0 0 0 1 0;0 0 1 0 0]
B = [0 1 0 0 0;0 0 1 0 0;0 0 0 0 1;0 0 0 1 0;1 0 0 0 0]
DeterminantA = det(A)
DeterminantB = det(B)
AB = A*B
BA = B*A
InverseA = inv(A)
InverseB = inv(B)
```

Matlab results:

```
A =
    0     0     0     0     1
    1     0     0     0     0
    0     1     0     0     0
    0     0     0     1     0
    0     0     1     0     0

B =
    0     1     0     0     0
    0     0     1     0     0
    0     0     0     0     1
    0     0     0     1     0
    1     0     0     0     0

DeterminantA =
   -1
DeterminantB =
   -1

AB =
    1     0     0     0     0
    0     1     0     0     0
    0     0     1     0     0
    0     0     0     1     0
    0     0     0     0     1

BA =
    1     0     0     0     0
    0     1     0     0     0
    0     0     1     0     0
    0     0     0     1     0
    0     0     0     0     1

InverseA =
    0     1     0     0     0
    0     0     1     0     0
    0     0     0     0     1
    0     0     0     1     0
    1     0     0     0     0

InverseB =
    0     0     0     0     1
    1     0     0     0     0
    0     1     0     0     0
    0     0     0     1     0
    0     0     1     0     0
```

Chapter 2, section 1, problem 14d

Matlab commands:

```
A = [1 1 1;1 1 0]
B = [1 1;-1 0;1 -1]
AB = A*B
InverseA = inv(A)
```

Matlab results:

```
A =
     1     1     1
     1     1     0
B =
     1     1
    -1     0
     1    -1
AB =
     1     0
     0     1
??? Error using → inv
Matrix must be square.
```

Although $A * B$ yields an identity matrix, B is not the inverse matrix of A because neither is a square matrix.

Chapter 2, section 1, problem 16a

Matlab commands:

```
A = [0.2 0.3 0.4;0.4 0.4 0.1;0.5 0.1 0.3]
I = [1 0 0;0 1 0;0 0 1]
IMinusA = I-A
Determinant = det(I-A)
Inverse = inv(I-A)
```

Matlab results:

```
A =
    0.2000    0.3000    0.4000
    0.4000    0.4000    0.1000
    0.5000    0.1000    0.3000
I =
     1     0     0
     0     1     0
     0     0     1
IMinusA =
    0.8000   -0.3000   -0.4000
   -0.4000    0.6000   -0.1000
   -0.5000   -0.1000    0.7000
Determinant =
    0.0930
Inverse =
    4.4086    2.6882    2.9032
    3.5484    3.8710    2.5806
    3.6559    2.4731    3.8710
```

$I - A$ is shown to be non-singular, $(I - A)^{-1}$ exists and has all non-negative entries, therefore $\mathbf{p} = (I - A)^{-1} \mathbf{y}$ exists and has all non-negative entries. This means that $(I - A)\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{y}$ has a solution for every possible demand vector \mathbf{y} .

Chapter 2, section 1, problem 16b

Matlab commands:

```
A = [4.5 0.3 0.4;0.4 0.4 0.1;0.5 0.1 0.3]
I = [1 0 0;0 1 0;0 0 1];
IMinusA = I-A
Determinant = det(I-A)
Inverse = inv(I-A)
```

Matlab results:

```
A =
    4.5000    0.3000    0.4000
    0.4000    0.4000    0.1000
    0.5000    0.1000    0.3000
IMinusA =
   -3.5000   -0.3000   -0.4000
   -0.4000    0.6000   -0.1000
   -0.5000   -0.1000    0.7000
Determinant =
   -1.6700
Inverse =
   -0.2455   -0.1497   -0.1617
   -0.1976    1.5868    0.1138
   -0.2036    0.1198    1.3293
```

With the (1,1) entry of A having a value of 4.5, A is no longer a realistic consumption matrix because this would mean that the input would be higher than the output.

As shown in Matlab, the determinant of $I - A$ is not non-negative.