


## ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

The following resources are available to help review the material in this chapter.

- Chapter Review Games and Activities (*Chapter 4 Resource Book*, p. 80)
- *Instant Replay: Video Review Games*
-  *Personal Student Tutor*
- Cumulative Review, Chs. 1–4 (*Chapter 4 Resource Book*, p. 92)

2. Not possible; the two matrices do not have the same dimensions.  
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$$5. \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 12 & -2 \\ 20 & -10 & 4 \\ 0 & 22 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

## VOCABULARY

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## MATRIX OPERATIONS

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**EXAMPLES** You can add or subtract matrices that have the same dimensions by adding or subtracting corresponding entries.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & -2 \\ 0 & 6 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 1 \\ -4 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5+9 & -2+1 \\ 0+(-4) & 6+4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 14 & -1 \\ -4 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

You cannot subtract these matrices because they have different dimensions.

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

To do scalar multiplication, multiply each entry in the matrix by the scalar.

$$-3 \begin{bmatrix} -12 & -6 \\ 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} (-3)(-12) & (-3)(-6) \\ (-3)(3) & (-3)(1) \\ (-3)(2) & (-3)(8) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 36 & 18 \\ -9 & -3 \\ -6 & -24 \end{bmatrix}$$

To solve this matrix equation, equate corresponding entries and solve for  $x$  and  $y$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} x+2 & 2 \\ -1 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -6 & 2 \\ -1 & 3y \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} x+2 = -6 \quad 3y = 9 \\ x = -8 \quad y = 3 \end{array}$$

Perform the indicated operation if possible. If not possible, state the reason.

$$1. \begin{bmatrix} 15 & 4 \\ 3 & 12 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 9 \\ 2 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 15 & -5 \\ 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \quad 2. \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ -4 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{See margin.} \quad 3. \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 10 \\ 9 & 6 \\ 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 7 \\ 4 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 11 \\ 9 & 13 \\ 8 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$4. \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 5 \\ -2 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 4 & 1 \\ 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 6 & -1 \\ 10 & -5 & 2 \\ 0 & 11 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{4 and 5. See margin.} \quad 5. 2 \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 6 & -1 \\ 10 & -5 & 2 \\ 0 & 11 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad 6. \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 4 & 8 \\ -6 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 \\ -3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solve the matrix equation for  $x$  and  $y$ .

$$7. \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 14 \\ -5x & 10 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y-9 & 14 \\ 5 & 10 \end{bmatrix} \quad x = -1, y = 10 \quad \text{8. } \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4y \\ -1 & 13 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -6 & 5 \\ 8 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & -7 \\ x & 13 \end{bmatrix} \quad x = 7, y = -3$$

$$9. \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3y \\ 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -4 \\ x & -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 11 \\ 3 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \quad x = -1, y = 5 \quad 10. \begin{bmatrix} 7y & -2 \\ -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ x & -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -7 \\ -2 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \quad x = -1, y = 1$$

**EXAMPLE** You can multiply a matrix with  $n$  columns by a matrix with  $n$  rows.

$$\begin{bmatrix} -6 & 1 \\ 5 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} (-6)(6) + (1)(0) & (-6)(3) + (1)(1) \\ (5)(6) + (-2)(0) & (5)(3) + (-2)(1) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -36 & -17 \\ 30 & 13 \end{bmatrix}$$

Write the product. If it is not defined, state the reason.

11.  $\begin{bmatrix} 12 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -10 & -7 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -120 & -84 \\ 40 & 28 \end{bmatrix}$$

12.  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 15 \\ -3 & 10 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 12 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 24 \\ 25 & -36 \end{bmatrix}$$

13.  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 7 \\ 0 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 8 \\ 2 & -4 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 17 & -29 & 64 \\ 18 & -36 & 72 \end{bmatrix}$$

## DETERMINANTS AND CRAMER'S RULE

**EXAMPLES** You can evaluate the determinant of a  $2 \times 2$  or a  $3 \times 3$  matrix. Find products of the entries on the diagonals and subtract.

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -6 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} -2 & -6 \\ 1 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = -2(4) - 1(-6) = -8 + 6 = -2$$

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 5 \\ -1 & 6 & 3 \\ 2 & -4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & 5 \\ -1 & 6 & 3 \\ 2 & -4 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 6 \\ 2 & -4 \end{matrix} = (24 + 6 + 20) - [60 + (-24) + (-2)] = 16$$

You can find the area of a triangle with vertices  $(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $(x_2, y_2)$ , and  $(x_3, y_3)$  using

$$\text{Area} = \pm \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & 1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & 1 \\ x_3 & y_3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

where  $\pm$  indicates you should choose the sign that yields a positive value.

You can use Cramer's rule to solve a system of linear equations. First find the determinant of the coefficient matrix and then use Cramer's rule to solve for  $x$  and  $y$ .

$$\begin{matrix} 3x - 4y = 12 \\ x + 2y = 14 \end{matrix} \quad \det \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -4 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -4 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 3(2) - 1(-4) = 6 + 4 = 10$$

$$x = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 12 & -4 \\ 14 & 2 \end{vmatrix}}{10} = \frac{12(2) - 14(-4)}{10} = \frac{80}{10} = 8 \quad y = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 12 \\ 1 & 14 \end{vmatrix}}{10} = \frac{3(14) - 1(12)}{10} = \frac{30}{10} = 3$$

Evaluate the determinant of the matrix.

14.  $\begin{bmatrix} -9 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  **-21**

15.  $\begin{bmatrix} 6 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  **12**

16.  $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$  **-5**

17.  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$  **4**

18. Find the area of a triangle with vertices  $A(0, 1)$ ,  $B(2, 4)$ , and  $C(1, 8)$ .  **$\frac{11}{2}$  square units**

Use Cramer's rule to solve the linear system.

19.  $7x - 4y = -3$

$2x + 5y = -7$   **$(-1, -1)$**

20.  $2x + y = -2$

$x - 2y = 19$   **$(3, -8)$**

21.  $5x - 4y + 4z = 18$

$-x + 3y - 2z = 0$   **$(6, 0, -3)$**

$4x - 2y + 7z = 3$

**EXAMPLES** You can find the inverse of an  $n \times n$  matrix provided its determinant does not equal zero.

$$\text{The inverse of } A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \text{ is } A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\text{If } A = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 3 \\ 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ then } A^{-1} = \frac{1}{7(2) - 5(3)} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ -5 & 7 \end{bmatrix} = -1 \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ -5 & 7 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 3 \\ 5 & -7 \end{bmatrix}.$$

You can use the inverse of a matrix  $A$  to solve a matrix equation  $AX = B$ :  $X = A^{-1}B$ .

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

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{7-6} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -3 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -3 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -3 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -6 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find the inverse of the matrix.

$$22. \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 7 & 11 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 11 & -3 \\ -7 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad 23. \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{4} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \quad 24. \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 6 \\ 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \text{ no inverse} \quad 25. \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -1 \\ -5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solve the matrix equation.

$$26. \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} X = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 9 \\ -1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 6 \\ -5 & -7 \end{bmatrix} \quad 27. \begin{bmatrix} -7 & -5 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} X + \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -2 \\ 6 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & -3 \\ 6 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -3 & -2 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

**EXAMPLE** You can use inverse matrices to solve a system of linear equations.

$$\begin{array}{l} x + 3y = 10 \\ 2x + 5y = -2 \end{array} \quad \text{Write in matrix form.} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \\ A \quad X = B \end{array}$$

$$\text{Then } X = A^{-1}B = \frac{1}{1(5) - 2(3)} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -3 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} = -1 \begin{bmatrix} 56 \\ -22 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -56 \\ 22 \end{bmatrix}.$$

The solution is  $(-56, 22)$ .

Use an inverse matrix to solve the linear system.

$$28. \begin{array}{l} 9x + 8y = -6 \\ -x - y = 1 \end{array} \quad (2, -3) \quad 29. \begin{array}{l} x - 3y = -2 \\ 5x + 3y = 17 \end{array} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 3 \\ 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \quad 30. \begin{array}{l} 4x - 14y = -15 \\ 18x - 12y = 9 \end{array} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 3 \\ 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Use an inverse matrix and a graphing calculator to solve the linear system.

$$31. \begin{array}{l} x - y - 4z = 3 \\ -x + 3y - z = -1 \\ x - y + 5z = 3 \end{array} \quad (4, 1, 0) \quad 32. \begin{array}{l} 4x + 10y - z = -3 \\ 11x + 28y - 4z = 1 \\ -6x - 15y + 2z = -1 \end{array} \quad (19, -9, -11) \quad 33. \begin{array}{l} 5x - 3y + 5z = -1 \\ 3x + 2y + 4z = 11 \\ 2x - y + 3z = 4 \end{array} \quad (-3, 2, 4)$$