Determinant (5A)

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Determinant

Determinant of order 2

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 \\ b_1 & b_2 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & a_2 \\ b_1 & b_2 \end{vmatrix} = a_1 b_2 - a_2 b_1$$

Determinant of order 3

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \\ c_1 & c_2 & c_3 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} + & - & + \\ - & + & - \\ + & - & + \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_1 & & \\ & b_2 & b_3 \\ & c_2 & c_3 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} & a_2 & \\ b_1 & & b_3 \\ c_1 & & c_3 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} & & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & \\ c_1 & c_2 & \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} a_1 & & \\ & b_2 & b_3 \\ & c_2 & c_3 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} & a_2 & \\ b_1 & & b_3 \\ c_1 & & c_3 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} & & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & \\ c_1 & c_2 & \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \\ c_1 & c_2 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} = + a_1 \begin{vmatrix} b_2 & b_3 \\ c_2 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} - a_2 \begin{vmatrix} b_1 & b_3 \\ c_1 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} + a_3 \begin{vmatrix} b_1 & b_2 \\ c_1 & c_2 \end{vmatrix}$$

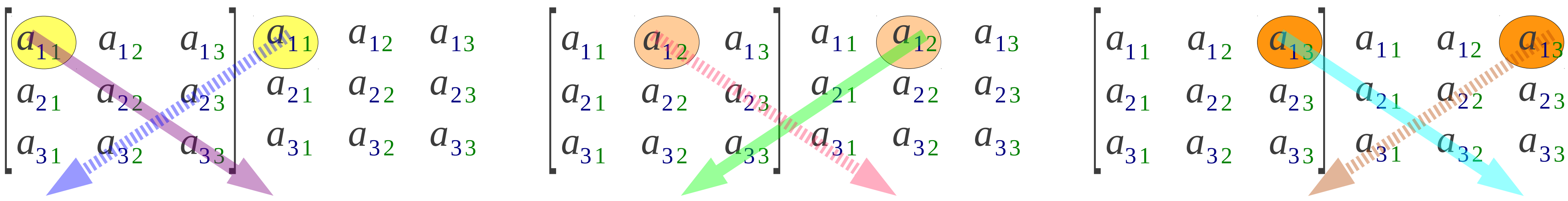
Determinant of order 3

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} = a_{11}\begin{vmatrix} a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} - a_{12}\begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} + a_{13}\begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= a_{11}(a_{22}a_{33} - a_{23}a_{32})$$

$$- a_{12}(a_{21}a_{33} - a_{23}a_{31})$$

$$+ a_{13}(a_{21}a_{32} - a_{22}a_{31})$$



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Minor

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Given matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} & & \\ & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$n \times n$$

Sub-matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(n-1) \times (n-1)$$

Minor

$$M_{11} = \begin{vmatrix} a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

Cofactor

The **cofactor** of entry a_{ij} $C_{ij} = (-1)^{i+j} M_{ij}$

The **minor** of entry a_{ij} M_{ij}

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Given matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} & & \\ & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$n \times n$

Sub-matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$(n-1)\times(n-1)$

Minor

$$M_{11} = \begin{vmatrix} a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

Cofactor

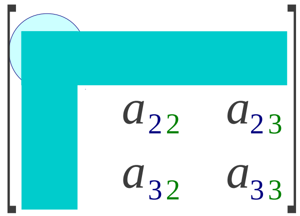
$$C_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \begin{vmatrix} a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} +1 & -1 & +1 \\ -1 & +1 & -1 \\ +1 & -1 & +1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} (-1)^{1+1} & (-1)^{1+2} & (-1)^{1+3} \\ (-1)^{2+1} & (-1)^{2+2} & (-1)^{2+3} \\ (-1)^{3+1} & (-1)^{3+2} & (-1)^{3+3} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} (-1)^{2} & (-1)^{3} & (-1)^{4} \\ (-1)^{3} & (-1)^{4} & (-1)^{5} \\ (-1)^{4} & (-1)^{5} & (-1)^{6} \end{bmatrix}$$

Minor Example (1)

Given matrix | Sub-matrix | Minor

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

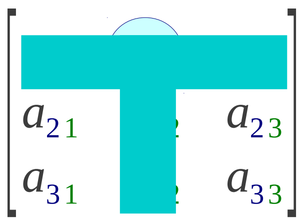


$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M_{11} = \begin{vmatrix} a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$C_{11} = +M_{11}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

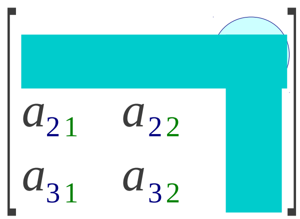


$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{21} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M_{12} = \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$C_{12} = -M_{12}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{bmatrix}$$

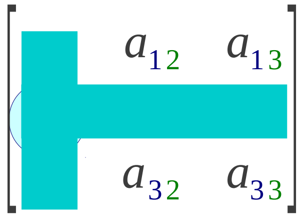
$$M_{13} = \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$C_{13} = +M_{13}$$

Minor Example (2)

Given matrix | Sub-matrix | Minor

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

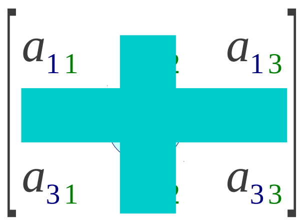


$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M_{21} = \begin{vmatrix} a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$C_{21} = -M_{21}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

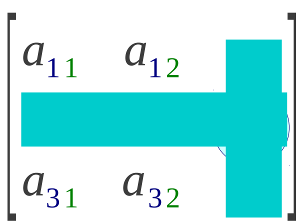


$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{13} \\ a_{31} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M_{22} = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{13} \\ a_{31} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$C_{22} = +M_{22}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{bmatrix}$$

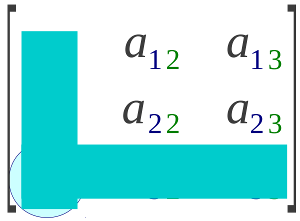
$$M_{23} = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$C_{23} = -M_{23}$$

Minor Example (2)

Given matrix | Sub-matrix | Minor / Cofactor

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

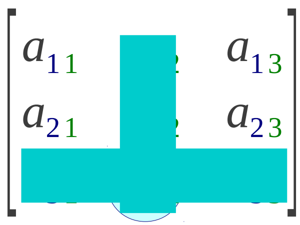


$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{22} & a_{23} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M_{31} = \begin{vmatrix} a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{22} & a_{23} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$C_{31} = +M_{31}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

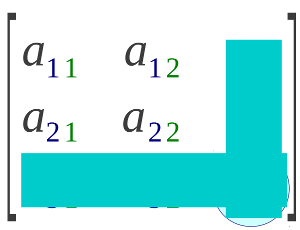


$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{23} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M_{32} = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{23} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$C_{32} = -M_{32}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M_{33} = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$C_{33} = +M_{33}$$

Determinant

The **determinant** of an $n \times n$ matrix $\boldsymbol{A}$ $\quad det(\boldsymbol{A})$

Cofactor exapansion along the i-th row
Cofactor exapansion along the j-th column

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} det(\boldsymbol{A}) &= a_{11}C_{11} + a_{12}C_{12} + a_{13}C_{13} \\ &= a_{21}C_{21} + a_{22}C_{22} + a_{23}C_{23} \\ &= a_{31}C_{31} + a_{32}C_{32} + a_{33}C_{33} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} det(\boldsymbol{A}) &= a_{11}C_{11} + a_{21}C_{21} + a_{31}C_{31} \\ &= a_{12}C_{12} + a_{22}C_{22} + a_{32}C_{32} \\ &= a_{13}C_{13} + a_{23}C_{23} + a_{33}C_{33} \end{aligned}$$

Adjoint

The **cofactor** of entry a_{ij} $\quad C_{ij} = (-1)^{i+j} M_{ij}$

The **minor** of entry a_{ij} $\quad M_{ij}$

The determinant of the submatrix
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Given matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$n \times n$

$$\begin{matrix} a_{11} \Leftrightarrow C_{11} & a_{12} \Leftrightarrow C_{12} & a_{13} \Leftrightarrow C_{13} \\ a_{21} \Leftrightarrow C_{21} & a_{22} \Leftrightarrow C_{22} & a_{23} \Leftrightarrow C_{23} \\ a_{31} \Leftrightarrow C_{31} & a_{32} \Leftrightarrow C_{32} & a_{33} \Leftrightarrow C_{33} \end{matrix}$$

Matrix of Cofactors

$$\begin{bmatrix} C_{11} & C_{12} & C_{13} \\ C_{21} & C_{22} & C_{23} \\ C_{31} & C_{32} & C_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$n \times n$

transpose →

Adjoint

$$\begin{bmatrix} C_{11} & C_{21} & C_{31} \\ C_{12} & C_{22} & C_{32} \\ C_{13} & C_{23} & C_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$n \times n$

Inverse Matrix

The **cofactor** of entry a_{ij} $\qquad C_{ij} = (-1)^{i+j} M_{ij}$

The **minor** of entry a_{ij} $\qquad M_{ij}$

The determinant of the submatrix
that remains after deleting i-th row and j-th column

Given matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$n \times n$

Matrix of Cofactors

$$\begin{bmatrix} C_{11} & C_{12} & C_{13} \\ C_{21} & C_{22} & C_{23} \\ C_{31} & C_{32} & C_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$n \times n$

transpose →

Adjoint

$$\begin{bmatrix} C_{11} & C_{21} & C_{31} \\ C_{12} & C_{22} & C_{32} \\ C_{13} & C_{23} & C_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$n \times n$

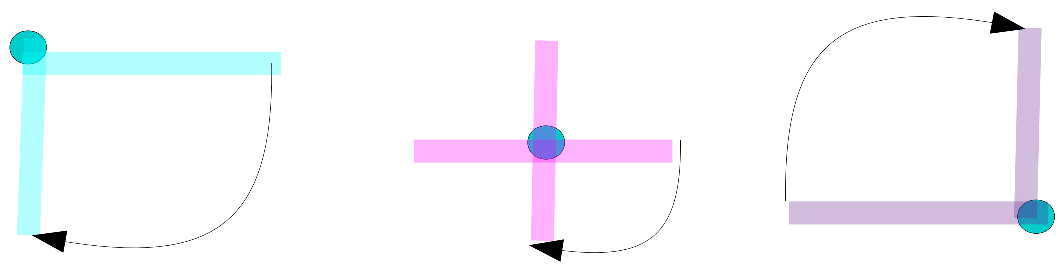
$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$

$$\boldsymbol{A}^{-1} = \frac{1}{det(\boldsymbol{A})} adj(\boldsymbol{A}) = \frac{1}{det(\boldsymbol{A})} \begin{bmatrix} C_{11} & C_{21} & C_{31} \\ C_{12} & C_{22} & C_{32} \\ C_{13} & C_{23} & C_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix Transpose

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \qquad A^T = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{21} & a_{31} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} & a_{32} \\ a_{13} & a_{23} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \qquad det(A) = det(A^T)$$

$$[a_{ij}] \qquad [a_{ji}]$$



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$\boldsymbol{A}$ $n \times n$ has

zero row: $\begin{bmatrix} & & \\ 0\ 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ & & \end{bmatrix}$ or zero col: $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & & \\ 0 & & \\ \vdots & & \\ 0 & & \end{bmatrix}$ ⇒ $det(\boldsymbol{A}) = 0$

$$det(\boldsymbol{A}) = a_{i1}C_{i1} + a_{i2}C_{i2} + a_{i3}C_{i3}$$ i-th row cofactor expansion

$$= a_{1j}C_{1j} + a_{2j}C_{2j} + a_{3j}C_{3j}$$ j-th column cofactor expansion

$$= 0$$

$\boldsymbol{A}$ $n \times n$: $\begin{bmatrix} & & \\ *\ * & \cdots & * \\ & & \end{bmatrix}$ i-th row

$\boldsymbol{A}^T$ $n \times n$: $\begin{bmatrix} * & & \\ * & & \\ \vdots & & \\ * & & \end{bmatrix}$ i-th col

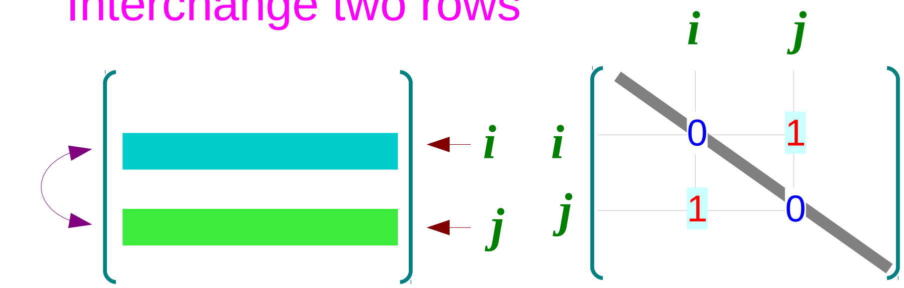
⇒ $det(\boldsymbol{A}^T) = det(\boldsymbol{A}) = 0$

$$det(\boldsymbol{A}) = a_{i1}C_{i1} + a_{i2}C_{i2} + a_{i3}C_{i3}$$ i-th row cofactor expansion of A

$$= a_{1i}C_{1i} + a_{2i}C_{2i} + a_{3i}C_{3i}$$ i-th column cofactor expansion of AT

Elementary Matrix and Determinant (1)

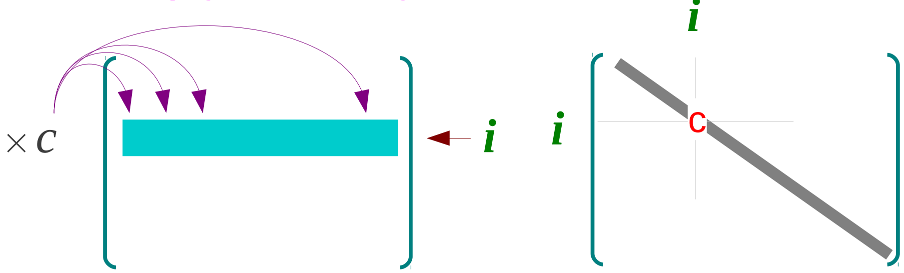
Interchange two rows



$$det(\boldsymbol{B}) = -\,det(\boldsymbol{A})$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} = - \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

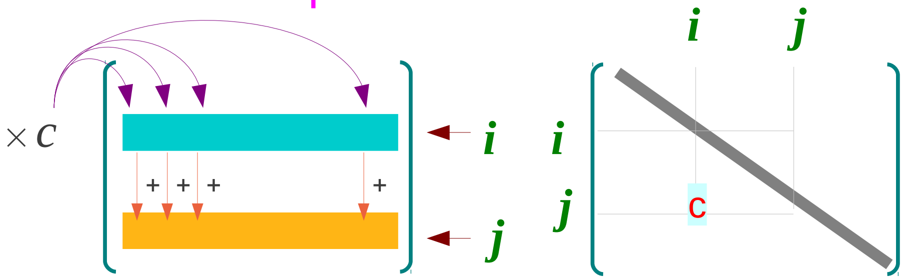
Multiply a row by a nonzero constant



$$det(\boldsymbol{B}) = c\;det(\boldsymbol{A})$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} c\,a_{11} & c\,a_{12} & c\,a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} = c \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

Add a multiple of one row to another

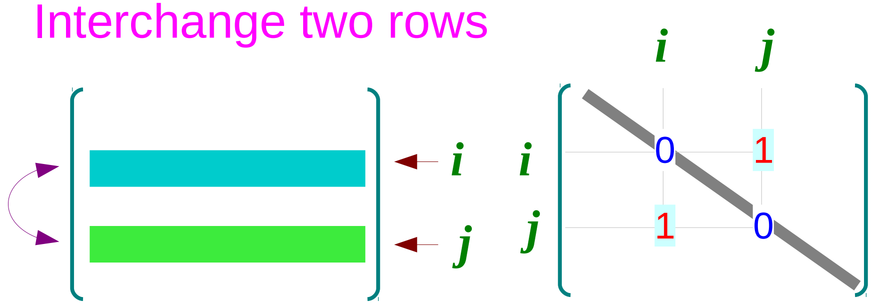


$$det(\boldsymbol{B}) = det(\boldsymbol{A})$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{11}+c\,a_{21} & a_{12}+c\,a_{22} & a_{13}+c\,a_{23} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

Elementary Matrix and Determinant (2)

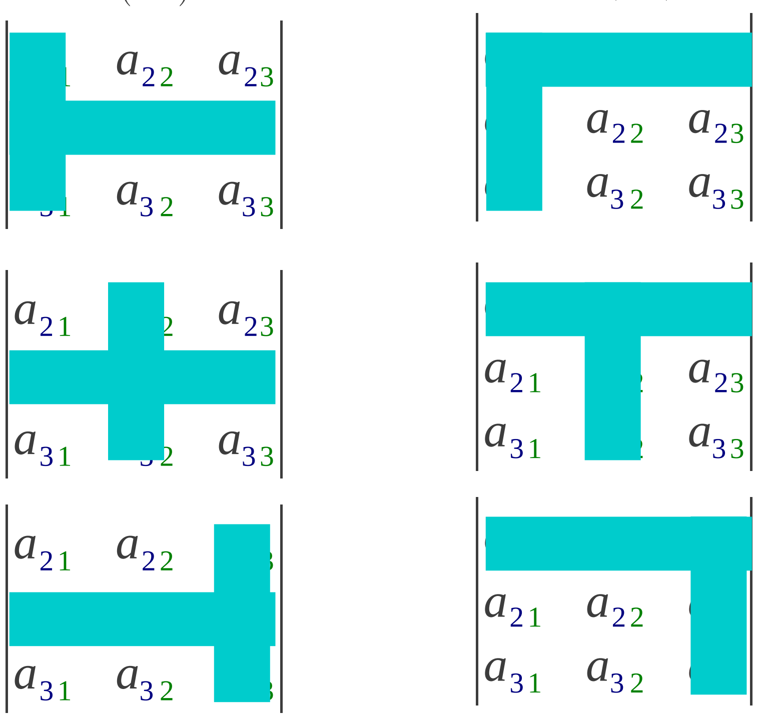
Interchange two rows



$$\det(\boldsymbol{B}) = -\det(\boldsymbol{A})$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} = - \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

$\det(\boldsymbol{B})$ $\det(\boldsymbol{A})$

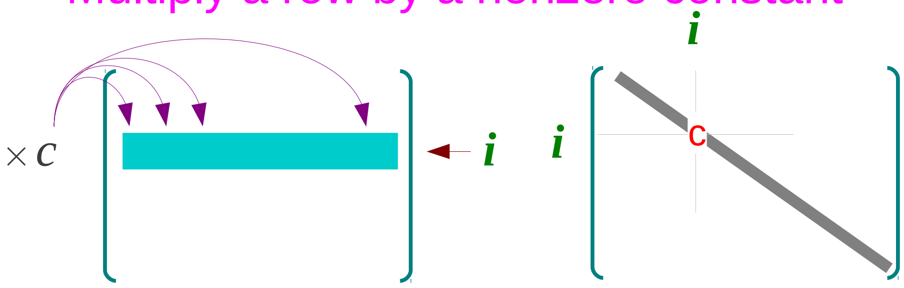


$$\det(\boldsymbol{B}) = b_{21}C_{21} + b_{22}C_{22} + b_{23}C_{23}$$
$$= -a_{11}M_{21} + a_{12}M_{22} - a_{13}M_{23}$$

$$\det(\boldsymbol{A}) = a_{11}C_{11} + a_{12}C_{12} + a_{13}C_{13}$$
$$= a_{11}M_{11} - a_{12}M_{12} + a_{13}M_{13}$$

Elementary Matrix and Determinant (3)

Multiply a row by a nonzero constant



$$\det(\boldsymbol{B}) = c\,\det(\boldsymbol{A})$$

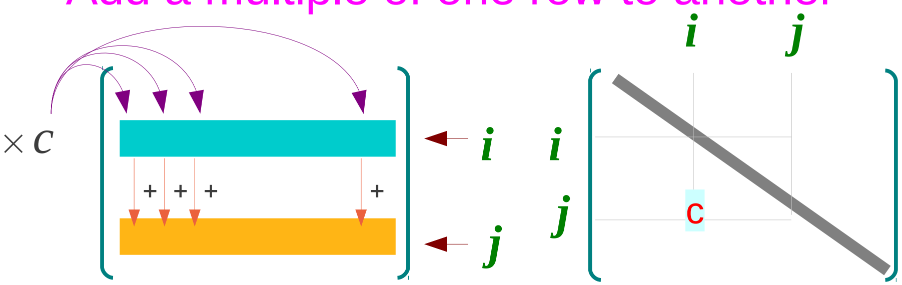
$$\begin{vmatrix} c\,a_{11} & c\,a_{12} & c\,a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} = c \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\det(\boldsymbol{B}) = \begin{vmatrix} c\,a_{11} & c\,a_{12} & c\,a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \det(\boldsymbol{B}) &= b_{11}C_{11} + b_{12}C_{12} + b_{13}C_{13} \\ &= c\cdot a_{11}C_{11} + c\cdot a_{12}C_{12} + c\cdot a_{13}C_{13} \\ &= c\,(a_{11}C_{11} + a_{12}C_{12} + a_{13}C_{13}) \\ &= c\cdot\det(\boldsymbol{A}) \end{aligned}$$

Elementary Matrix and Determinant (4)

Add a multiple of one row to another



$$\det(\mathbf{B}) = \det(\mathbf{A})$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{11}+c\,a_{21} & a_{12}+c\,a_{22} & a_{13}+c\,a_{23} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

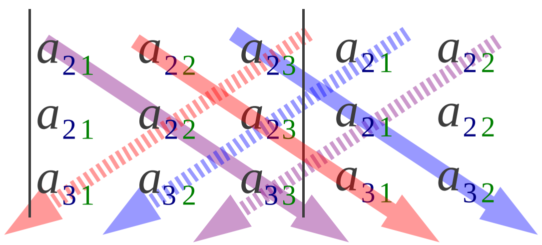
$$\det(\mathbf{B}) \quad \begin{vmatrix} a_{11}+c\,a_{21} & a_{12}+c\,a_{22} & a_{13}+c\,a_{23} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\det(\mathbf{B}) = b_{\mathbf{1}1}C_{\mathbf{1}1} + b_{\mathbf{1}2}C_{\mathbf{1}2} + b_{\mathbf{1}3}C_{\mathbf{1}3}$$

$$= (a_{\mathbf{1}1}+c\,a_{\mathbf{2}1})C_{\mathbf{1}1} + (a_{\mathbf{1}2}+c\,a_{\mathbf{2}2})C_{\mathbf{1}2} + (a_{\mathbf{1}3}+c\,a_{\mathbf{2}3})C_{\mathbf{1}3}$$

$$= (a_{\mathbf{1}1}C_{\mathbf{1}1} + a_{\mathbf{1}2}C_{\mathbf{1}2} + a_{\mathbf{1}3}C_{\mathbf{1}3}) \Rightarrow \det(\mathbf{A})$$

$$+\ c(a_{\mathbf{2}1}C_{\mathbf{1}1} + a_{\mathbf{2}2}C_{\mathbf{1}2} + a_{\mathbf{2}3}C_{\mathbf{1}3}) \Rightarrow 0$$



$$(a_{\mathbf{2}1}C_{\mathbf{1}1} + a_{\mathbf{2}2}C_{\mathbf{1}2} + a_{\mathbf{2}3}C_{\mathbf{1}3}) = 0$$

Determinant of Diagonal Matrix

Lower Triangular Matrix

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & 0 & 0 \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & 0 \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} a_{11} & 0 \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{matrix}$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{A}) = a_{11} a_{22} a_{33}$$

Upper Triangular Matrix

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ 0 & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ 0 & 0 & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ 0 & a_{22} \\ 0 & 0 \end{matrix}$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{A}) = a_{11} a_{22} a_{33}$$

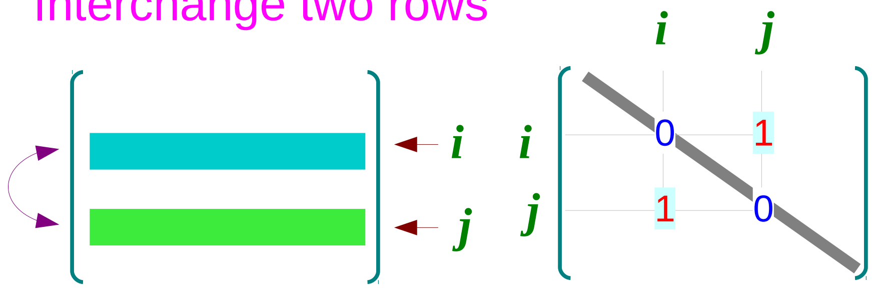
Diagonal Triangular Matrix

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a_{22} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ 0 & a_{22} \\ 0 & 0 \end{matrix}$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{A}) = a_{11} a_{22} a_{33}$$

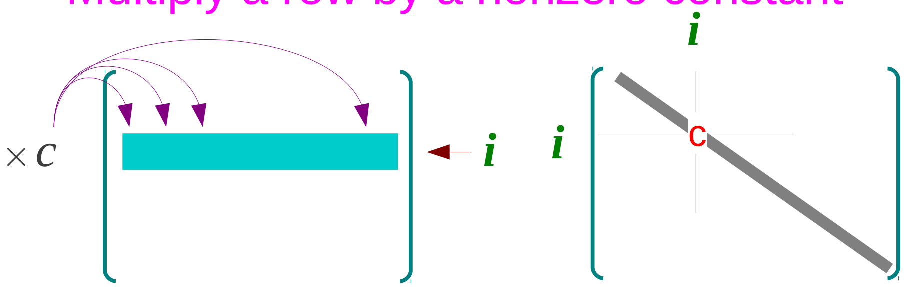
Determinant of an Elementary Matrix

Interchange two rows



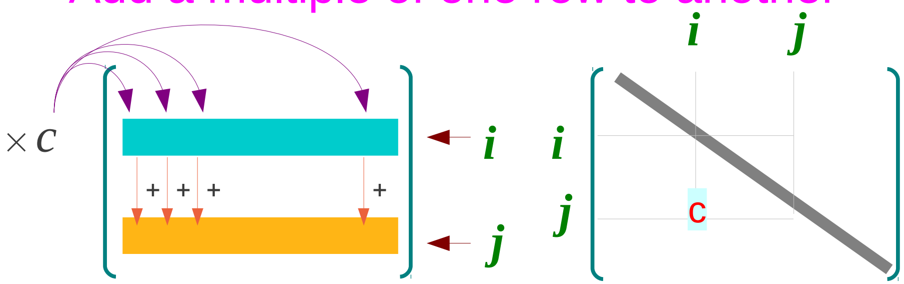
$$det(\boldsymbol{E}_k) = -1$$

Multiply a row by a nonzero constant



$$det(\boldsymbol{E}_k) = c$$

Add a multiple of one row to another



$$det(\boldsymbol{E}_k) = 1$$

Properties of Determinants

$$det(k\,\boldsymbol{A}) \;=\; k^n\,det(\boldsymbol{A})$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{A}+\boldsymbol{B}) \;\neq\; det(\boldsymbol{A})+det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{A}\,\boldsymbol{B}) \;=\; det(\boldsymbol{A})\,det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

Proof of det(kA) = k^n det(A)

$$det(k\boldsymbol{A}) \; = \; k^n det(\boldsymbol{A})$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{A}+\boldsymbol{B}) \; \neq \; det(\boldsymbol{A})+det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{B}) \; = \; det(\boldsymbol{A})\,det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} k a_{11} & k a_{12} & k a_{13} \\ k a_{21} & k a_{22} & k a_{23} \\ k a_{31} & k a_{32} & k a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} k a_{11} & k a_{12} \\ k a_{21} & k a_{22} \\ k a_{31} & k a_{32} \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{matrix}$$

Proof of det(A+B) ≠ det(A) + det(B)

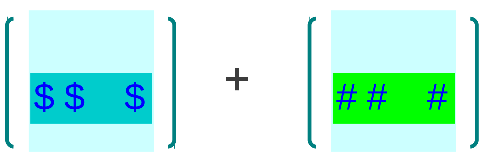
$$det(k\boldsymbol{A}) = k^n det(\boldsymbol{A})$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{A}+\boldsymbol{B}) \neq det(\boldsymbol{A})+det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{B}) = det(\boldsymbol{A})\,det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11}+b_{11} & a_{12}+b_{12} & a_{13}+b_{13} \\ a_{21}+b_{21} & a_{22}+b_{22} & a_{23}+b_{23} \\ a_{31}+b_{31} & a_{32}+b_{32} & a_{33}+b_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} a_{11}+b_{11} & a_{12}+b_{12} \\ a_{21}+b_{21} & a_{22}+b_{22} \\ a_{31}+b_{31} & a_{32}+b_{32} \end{matrix}$$

$\boldsymbol{A}$ $n \times n$ $\boldsymbol{B}$ $n \times n$



$$\boldsymbol{C} = \boldsymbol{A} + \boldsymbol{B} \Rightarrow det(\boldsymbol{C}) = det(\boldsymbol{A}) + det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11}+b_{11} & a_{12}+b_{12} & a_{13}+b_{13} \\ 2a_{21} & 2a_{22} & 2a_{23} \\ 2a_{31} & 2a_{32} & 2a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} a_{11}+b_{11} & a_{12}+b_{12} \\ 2a_{21} & 2a_{22} \\ 2a_{31} & 2a_{32} \end{matrix}$$

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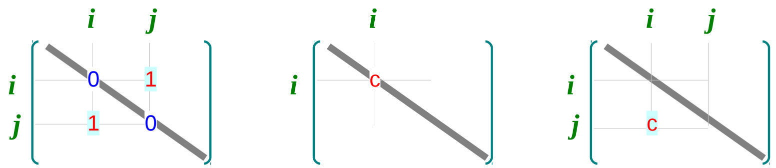
Proof of det(AB) = det(A) det(B)   (1)

$\boldsymbol{E}_k$ (Elementary Matrices)



$$det(\boldsymbol{E}_k \boldsymbol{B}) = det(\boldsymbol{E}_k)\, det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

$\boldsymbol{A}$ $n \times n$: invertible

$\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{A}^{-1} = \boldsymbol{A}^{-1}\boldsymbol{A} = \boldsymbol{I}$

$\Leftrightarrow$ $det(\boldsymbol{A}) \neq 0$

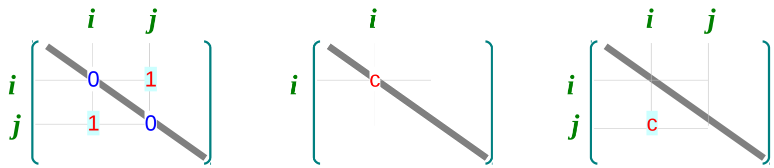
$\boldsymbol{A}$ $n \times n$: invertible

$\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{A}^{-1} = \boldsymbol{A}^{-1}\boldsymbol{A} = \boldsymbol{I}$

$\Rightarrow$ $$det(\boldsymbol{A}^{-1}) = \frac{1}{det(\boldsymbol{A})}$$

Proof of det(AB) = det(A) det(B)   (2)

$\boldsymbol{E}_k$ (Elementary Matrices)



$$det(\boldsymbol{E}_k \boldsymbol{B}) = det(\boldsymbol{E}_k)\, det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{E}_k \boldsymbol{B}) = c \cdot det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{E}_k) = c$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{E}_k \boldsymbol{B}) = det(\boldsymbol{E}_k)\, det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{E}_k \boldsymbol{B}) = -det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{E}_k) = -1$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{E}_k \boldsymbol{B}) = det(\boldsymbol{E}_k)\, det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{E}_k \boldsymbol{B}) = det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{E}_k) = 1$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{E}_k \boldsymbol{B}) = det(\boldsymbol{E}_k)\, det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

Proof of det(AB) = det(A) det(B) (3)

$\boldsymbol{A}$ $n \times n$: invertible

$\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{A}^{-1} = \boldsymbol{A}^{-1}\boldsymbol{A} = \boldsymbol{I}$

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$det(\boldsymbol{A}) \neq 0$

$\boldsymbol{E}_r \cdots \boldsymbol{E}_2\boldsymbol{E}_1\boldsymbol{A} = \boldsymbol{R}$ Reduced Row Echelon Form

$det(\boldsymbol{E}_r) \cdots det(\boldsymbol{E}_2) det(\boldsymbol{E}_1) det(\boldsymbol{A}) = det(\boldsymbol{R})$

non-zero

$\boldsymbol{A}$ $n \times n$: invertible ⇒ $\boldsymbol{R} = I$ $det(\boldsymbol{R}) = 1 (\neq 0)$

$det(\boldsymbol{A}) \neq 0$ ⇒ $det(\boldsymbol{R}) \neq 0$

No zero row $\boldsymbol{R} = I$

$\boldsymbol{A}$ $n \times n$: invertible

Proof of det(AB) = det(A) det(B) (4)

$$det(\boldsymbol{A}\,\boldsymbol{B}) = det(\boldsymbol{A}) + det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

$\boldsymbol{A}$ $n \times n$: not invertible ⇒ $\boldsymbol{AB}$ $n \times n$: not invertible

$det(\boldsymbol{A}) = 0$ ⇒ $det(\boldsymbol{AB}) = 0$

$\boldsymbol{A}$ $n \times n$: invertible ⇒

$$\boldsymbol{A} = \boldsymbol{E}_r \cdots \boldsymbol{E}_2 \boldsymbol{E}_1$$

$$\boldsymbol{AB} = \boldsymbol{E}_r \cdots \boldsymbol{E}_2 \boldsymbol{E}_1 \boldsymbol{B}$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{AB}) = det(\boldsymbol{E}_r) \cdots det(\boldsymbol{E}_2) det(\boldsymbol{E}_1) det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{AB}) = det(\boldsymbol{E}_r \cdots \boldsymbol{E}_2 \boldsymbol{E}_1) det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{AB}) = det(\boldsymbol{A}) det(\boldsymbol{B})$$

Proof of det(AB) = det(A) det(B) (5)

$\boldsymbol{A}$ $\quad n \times n$: invertible

$$\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{A}^{-1} = \boldsymbol{A}^{-1}\boldsymbol{A} = \boldsymbol{I}$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad det(\boldsymbol{A}^{-1}) = \frac{1}{det(\boldsymbol{A})}$$

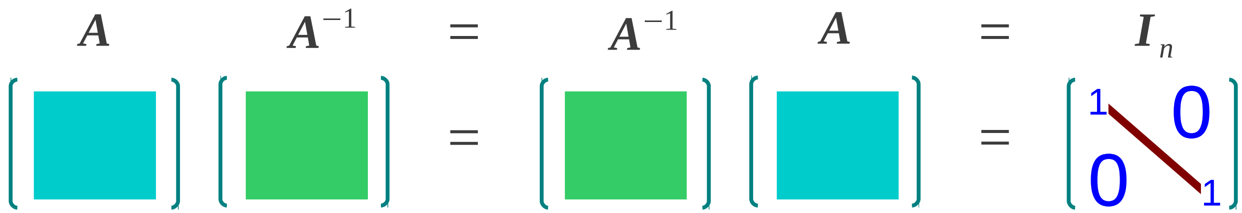
$$\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{A}^{-1} = \boldsymbol{I}$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{A}^{-1}) = det(\boldsymbol{I})$$

$$det(\boldsymbol{A})det(\boldsymbol{A}^{-1}) = 1$$

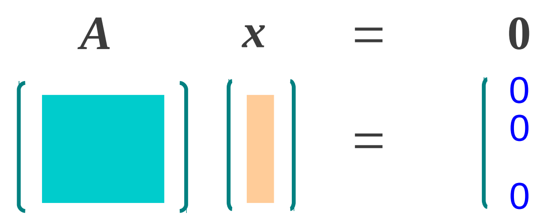
Equivalent Statements

A : invertible



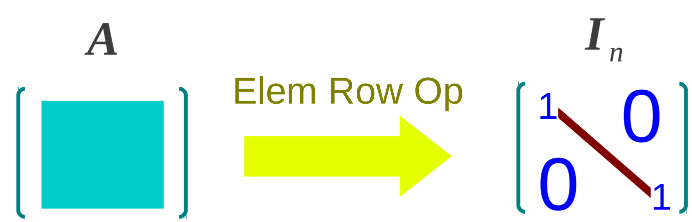
$Ax = 0$

only the trivial solution



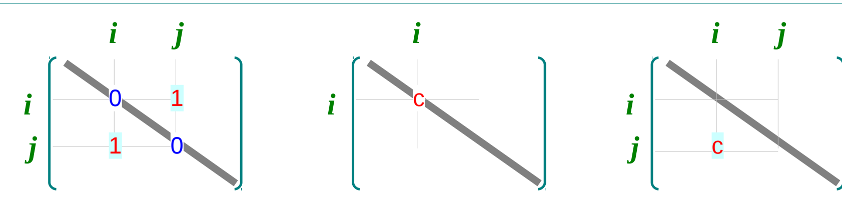
A the RREF is I_n

(Reduced Row Echelon Form)



A can be written as a product of E_k

(Elementary Matrices)



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