

Answer on Question #55751 – Math – Linear Algebra

6. Solve the set of linear equations by Gaussian elimination method : $a+2b+3c=5$, $3a-b+2c=8$, $4a-6b-4c=-2$.

Find c

4;5;9;10

Solution

$$a+2b+3c=5, 3a-b+2c=8, 4a-6b-4c=-2$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 5 \\ 3 & -1 & 2 & 8 \\ 4 & -6 & -4 & -2 \end{array}\right) \xrightarrow{1} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 5 \\ 0 & \frac{7}{3} & \frac{7}{3} & \frac{7}{3} \\ 0 & \frac{7}{2} & 4 & \frac{22}{4} \end{array}\right) \xrightarrow{2} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 5 \\ 0 & \frac{7}{2} & \frac{7}{2} & \frac{7}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{4}{2} \end{array}\right)$$

1) The second and the third rows are multiplied by $-1/3$ and $-1/4$ respectively and added to the first line

2) The second row is multiplied by $3/2$ and the third line is subtracted from it

So, we get that: $-\frac{1}{2}c = -\frac{4}{2} \rightarrow c = 4$

Answer: $c = 4$

7. Solve the set of linear equations by the matrix method : $a+3b+2c=3$, $2a-b-3c=-8$, $5a+2b+c=9$. Solve for b

9;-3;5;-4

Solution

Method 1 (matrix method)

Let

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & -3 \\ 5 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, X = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix}, B = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -8 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

The solution of the system of equations is sought in the form

$$X = A^{-1} * B$$

Let's find A^{-1}

The determinant of the system is

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & -3 \\ 5 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} - 3 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ 5 & 1 \end{vmatrix} + 2 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 5 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 1(-1 + 6) - 3(2 + 15) + 2(4 + 5)$$

$$\Delta = 5 - 51 + 18 = -28$$

$$A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \begin{vmatrix} -1 & -3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -1 + 6 = 5, \quad A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ 5 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -(2 + 15) = -17,$$

$$A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 5 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (4 + 5) = 9,$$

$$A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -(3 - 4) = -(-1) = 1, \quad A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 5 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (1 - 10) = -9,$$

$$A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 5 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = -(2 - 15) = -(-13) = 13,$$

$$A_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ -1 & -3 \end{vmatrix} = -9 + 2 = -7, \quad A_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ -1 & -3 \end{vmatrix} = -(-9 + 2) = 7,$$

$$A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -1 - 6 = -7$$

$$\tilde{A} = \begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & A_{13} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & A_{23} \\ A_{31} & A_{32} & A_{33} \end{pmatrix}^T = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & -17 & 9 \\ 1 & -9 & 13 \\ -7 & 7 & -7 \end{pmatrix}^T = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 1 & -7 \\ -17 & -9 & 7 \\ 9 & 13 & -7 \end{pmatrix}$$

The inverse of A is

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\Delta} \tilde{A} = -\frac{1}{28} \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 1 & -7 \\ -17 & -9 & 7 \\ 9 & 13 & -7 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} = -\frac{1}{28} \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 1 & -7 \\ -17 & -9 & 7 \\ 9 & 13 & -7 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -8 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$b = -\frac{1}{28} * (-17 * 3 - 9 * (-8) + 7 * 9) = -\frac{84}{28} = -3$$

Method 2 (Gaussian elimination method)

$$a+3b+2c=3, 2a-b-3c=-8, 5a+2b+c=9$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & -1 & -3 & -8 \\ 5 & 2 & 1 & 9 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{1} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 7 & 7 & 7 \\ 0 & 13 & 9 & 6 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{2} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 3 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 13 & 13 & 26 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & 20 \end{array} \right)$$

1) The second and the third rows are multiplied by $-1/2$ and $-1/5$ respectively and added to the first row

2) The second row is multiplied by $26/35$ and the third row is subtracted from it

$$\text{So, we get that: } \frac{4}{5}c = \frac{20}{5} \rightarrow c = 5$$

$$\text{From the second row we get that: } \frac{13}{5}b + \frac{13}{5}c = \frac{26}{5} \rightarrow \frac{13}{5}b + \frac{13}{5}5 = \frac{26}{5} \rightarrow \frac{13}{5}b + 13 = \frac{26}{5} \rightarrow b = -3.$$

Answer: $b = -3$

8. Solve the set of linear equations by Gaussian elimination method : $a+2b+3c=5, 3a-b+2c=8, 4a-6b-4c=-2$.

Find b

4;-5;-3;5

Solution

$$a+2b+3c=5, 3a-b+2c=8, 4a-6b-4c=-2$$

From part 6 we got that $c = 4$.

$$\text{From the second row we get that } \frac{7}{2}b + \frac{7}{2}c = \frac{7}{2} \rightarrow \frac{7}{2}b + \frac{7}{2} * 4 = \frac{7}{2} \rightarrow \frac{7}{2}b + 14 = \frac{7}{2} \rightarrow b = -3.$$

Answer: $b = -3$

9. Solve the set of linear equations by Gaussian elimination method : $a+2b+3c=5, 3a-b+2c=8, 4a-6b-4c=-2$.

Find a

-1;4;5;-11

Solution

$$a+2b+3c=5, 3a-b+2c=8, 4a-6b-4c=-2$$

From part 8 we get that $b = -3, c = 4$.

From the first row of $\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 5 \\ 0 & \frac{7}{2} & \frac{7}{2} & \frac{7}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{4}{2} \end{array}\right)$ we get that

$$1a + 2b + 3c = 5 \rightarrow a + 2 * (-3) + 3 * 4 = 5 \rightarrow a - 6 + 12 = 5 \rightarrow a = -1.$$

Answer: $a = -1$.

10. Solve the set of linear equations by the matrix method : $a+3b+2c=3$, $2a-b-3c= -8$, $5a+2b+c=9$. Solve for a 2;4;7;3

Solution

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Let

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$$\begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} = -\frac{1}{28} \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 1 & -7 \\ -17 & -9 & 7 \\ 9 & 13 & -7 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -8 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$a = -\frac{1}{28} * (5 * 3 - 8 - 7 * 9) = \frac{56}{28} = 2.$$

Answer: a = 2.