

## Chapter 4: DETERMINANTS

### Exercise - 4.1

**Q1.** Evaluate the determinants in Exercises 1 and 2.

$$\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ -5 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

**A.1.**  $\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ -5 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 2 \times (-1) - 4 \times (-5) = -2 + 20 = 18$

**Q2.** (i)  $\begin{vmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{vmatrix}$  (ii)  $\begin{vmatrix} x^2 - x + 1 & x - 1 \\ x + 1 & x + 1 \end{vmatrix}$

**A.2. (i)** 
$$\begin{vmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{vmatrix}$$
  
 $= \cos \theta \times \cos \theta - (-\sin \theta) \times \sin \theta$   
 $= \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta$   
 $= 1$

(ii) 
$$\begin{vmatrix} x^2 - x + 1 & x - 1 \\ x + 1 & x + 1 \end{vmatrix}$$
  
 $= (x^2 - x + 1)(x + 1) - (x - 1)(x + 1)$   
 $= x^3 + x^2 - x^2 - x + x + 1 - x^2 + 1$   
 $= x^3 - x^2 + 2$

**Q3.** If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ , then show that  $|2A| = 4 |A|$

**A.3.** Given,  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

So,  $2A = 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 8 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ .

L.H.S. =  $|2A| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 8 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = 2 \times 4 - 4 \times 8 = 8 - 32 = -24$

R.H.S. =  $4 |A| = 4 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 4(1 \times 2 - 2 \times 4)$

$= 4[2 - 8]$

$= 4[-6] = -24.$

L.H.S = R.H.S

**Q4.** If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ , then show that  $|3A| = 27|A|$

**A.4.** Given,  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

Then,  $|A| = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

$$= 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 4 \end{vmatrix} - 0 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 4 \end{vmatrix} + 0 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 4 \times 1 - 2 \times 0$$

$$= 4$$

And  $3A = 3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 12 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\text{L.H.S.} = |3A| = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 3 & 6 \\ 0 & 0 & 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= 3 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 6 \\ 0 & 12 \end{vmatrix} - 0 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 12 \end{vmatrix} + 0 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 3[36 - 6 \times 0]$$

$$= 108$$

$$\text{R.H.S.} = 27. |A| = 27 \times 4 = 108$$

$$\therefore \text{L.H.S.} = \text{R.H.S.}$$

**Q5.** Evaluate the determinants

<b>(i)</b>	$\begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 3 & -5 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$	<b>(ii)</b>	$\begin{vmatrix} 3 & -4 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$
<b>(ii)</b>	$\begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & -3 \\ -2 & 3 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$	<b>(iv)</b>	$\begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -5 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$

**A.5.** (i) 
$$\begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 3 & -5 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 3 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -5 & 0 \end{vmatrix} - (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 3 & 0 \end{vmatrix} + (-2) \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 3 & -5 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 3[0(-5)(-1)] + 1(0 - 3(-1)) - 2[0 \times (-5) - 0 \times 3]$$

$$= -15 + 3$$

$$= -12$$

(ii) 
$$\begin{vmatrix} 3 & -4 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

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

$$= 3[1 \times 1 - (-2) \times 3] + 4[1 \times 1 - (-2) \times 2] + 5[3 \times 1 - 2 \times 1]$$

$$= 3[1+6] + 4[1+4] + 5(3-2)$$

$$= 3 \times 7 + 4 \times 5 + 5 \times 1$$

$$= 21 + 20 + 5$$

$$= 46$$

(iii) 
$$\begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & -3 \\ -2 & 3 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -3 \\ 3 & 0 \end{vmatrix} - 1 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & -3 \\ -2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} + 2 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ -2 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 0 - 1 [-1 \times 0 - (-2) \times (-3)] + 2[-1 \times 3 - (-2) \times 0]$$

$$= (-1) \times (-6) + 2(-3)$$

$$= 6 - 6$$

$$= 0$$

(iv) 
$$\begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -5 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -5 & 0 \end{vmatrix} - 0 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -5 & 0 \end{vmatrix} + 3 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & -2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2[2 \times 0 - (-5) \times (-1)] + 3[(-1) \times (-1) - (-2) \times 2]$$

$$= 2(-5) + 3(1+4)$$

$$= 2(-5) + 3 \times (5)$$

$$= -10 + 15$$

$$= 5$$

**Q6.** If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & -3 \\ 5 & 4 & -9 \end{bmatrix}$ , find  $|A|$

$$A.6. A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & -3 \\ 5 & 4 & -9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } |A| &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & -3 \\ 5 & 4 & -9 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 4 & -9 \end{vmatrix} - 1 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ 5 & -9 \end{vmatrix} + (-2) \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 5 & 4 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= 1[1 \times (-9) - 4 \times (-3)] - 1[2 \times (-9) - 5 \times (-3)] - 2[2 \times 4 - 5 \times 1] \\ &= 1[-9 + 12] - 1[-18 + 15] - 2[8 - 5] \\ &= 3 + 3 - 6 \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

**Q7.** Find values of  $x$ , if

$$(i) \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 5 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 2x & 4 \\ 6 & x \end{vmatrix} \quad (ii) \quad \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} x & 3 \\ 2x & 5 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A.7. \quad (i) \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 5 & 1 \end{vmatrix} &= \begin{vmatrix} 2x & 4 \\ 6 & x \end{vmatrix} \\ \Rightarrow 2 \times 1 - 4 \times 5 &= 2x \times x - 6 \times 4 \\ \Rightarrow 2 - 20 &= 2x^2 - 24 \\ \Rightarrow 24 - 18 &= 2x^2 \\ \Rightarrow x^2 &= \frac{6}{2} \\ \Rightarrow x^2 &= 3 \\ \Rightarrow x &= \pm \sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (ii) \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 \end{vmatrix} &= \begin{vmatrix} x & 3 \\ 2x & 5 \end{vmatrix} \\ \Rightarrow 2 \times 5 - 4 \times 3 &= 5 \times x - 2x \times 3 \\ \Rightarrow 10 - 12 &= 5x - 6x \\ \Rightarrow -2 &= -x \\ \Rightarrow x &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

**Q8.** If  $\begin{vmatrix} x & 2 \\ 18 & x \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 6 & 2 \\ 18 & 6 \end{vmatrix}$ , then  $x$  is equal to

- (A) 6      (B)  $\pm 6$       (C) -6      (D) 0

$$\text{A.8. } \begin{vmatrix} x & 2 \\ 18 & x \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 6 & 2 \\ 18 & 6 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow x \times x - 18 \times 2 = 6 \times 6 - 18 \times 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = 36$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \pm \sqrt{36}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \pm 6$$

$\therefore$  Option B is correct

### Exercise - 4.2

**Using the property of determinants and without expanding in Exercises 1 to 7, prove that:**

$$\text{Q1. } \begin{vmatrix} x & a & x+a \\ y & b & y+b \\ z & c & z+c \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\text{A.1. L.H.S} = \begin{vmatrix} x & a & x+a \\ y & b & y+b \\ z & c & z+c \end{vmatrix}$$

Applying  $C_1 \rightarrow C_1 + C_2$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} x+a & a & x+a \\ y+b & b & y+b \\ z+c & c & z+c \end{vmatrix} \quad (\because C_1 \text{ and } C_2 \text{ are same or proportional})$$

$$= 0 = \text{R.H.S.}$$

$$\text{Q2. } \begin{vmatrix} a-b & b-c & c-a \\ b-c & c-a & a-b \\ c-a & a-b & b-c \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\text{A.2. L.H.S} = \begin{vmatrix} a-b & b-c & c-a \\ b-c & c-a & a-b \\ c-a & a-b & b-c \end{vmatrix}$$

Applying  $= C_1 \rightarrow C_1 + C_2 + C_3$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} a-b+b-c+c-a & b-c & c-a \\ b-c+c-a+a-b & c-a & a-b \\ c-a+a-b+b-c & a-b & b-c \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 0 & b-c & c-a \\ 0 & c-a & a-b \\ 0 & a-b & b-c \end{vmatrix} \quad (C_1=0 \therefore |A|=0)$$

$$= 0 = \text{R.H.S.}$$

**Q3.**  $\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 7 & 65 \\ 3 & 8 & 75 \\ 5 & 9 & 86 \end{vmatrix} = 0$

**A.3.** L.H.S. =  $\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 7 & 65 \\ 3 & 8 & 75 \\ 5 & 9 & 86 \end{vmatrix}$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 7 & 65-2 \\ 3 & 8 & 75-3 \\ 5 & 9 & 86-5 \end{vmatrix} \text{ applying } C_3 \rightarrow C_3 - C_1$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 7 & 63 \\ 3 & 8 & 72 \\ 5 & 9 & 81 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 9 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 7 & 7 \\ 3 & 8 & 8 \\ 5 & 9 & 9 \end{vmatrix} \text{ taking 9 common from } C_3.$$

$$= 9 \times 0 \quad (\because C_2 = C_3)$$

$$= 0$$

**Q4.**  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & bc & a(b+c) \\ 1 & ca & b(c+a) \\ 1 & ab & c(a+b) \end{vmatrix} = 0$

**A.4.** L.H.S. =  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & bc & a(b+c) \\ 1 & ca & b(c+a) \\ 1 & ab & c(a+b) \end{vmatrix}$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & bc & ab+ac \\ 1 & ca & bc+ab \\ 1 & ab & ac+bc \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & bc & ab+bc+ac \\ 1 & ca & ab+bc+ac \\ 1 & ab & ab+bc+ac \end{vmatrix} \text{ applying } C_3 \rightarrow C_3 + C_2.$$

$$= (ab+bc+ac) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & bc & 1 \\ 1 & ca & 1 \\ 1 & ab & 1 \end{vmatrix} \quad \{\text{taking } (ab+bc+ac) \text{ from } C_3\}$$

$$= (ab+bc+ac) \times 0 \quad (\because C_1 = C_3)$$

$$= 0 = \text{R.H.S}$$

$$\text{Q5. } \begin{vmatrix} b+c & q+r & y+z \\ c+a & r+p & z+x \\ a+b & p+q & x+y \end{vmatrix} = 2 \begin{vmatrix} a & p & x \\ b & q & y \\ c & r & z \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\text{A.5. L.H.S} = \begin{vmatrix} b+c & q+r & y+z \\ c+a & r+p & z-1x \\ a+b & p+q & x+y \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} b+c+c+a+a+b & q+r+r+p+p+q & y+z+z+x+x+y \\ c+a & r+p & z+x \\ a+b & p+q & x+y \end{vmatrix} \text{ applying } R_1 \rightarrow R_1 + R_2 + R_3$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 2(a+b+c) & 2(p+q+r) & 2(x+y+z) \\ c+a & r+p & z+x \\ a+b & p+q & x+y \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2 \begin{vmatrix} a+b+c & p+q+r & x+y+z \\ c+a & r+p & z+x \\ a+b & p+q & x+y \end{vmatrix} \text{ Taking 2 common from } R_1$$

$$= 2 \begin{vmatrix} a+b+c & p+q+r & x+y+z \\ c+a-(a+b+c) & (r+p)-(p+q+r) & z-x-(x+y+z) \\ a+b-(a+b+c) & (p+q)-(p+q+r) & x+y-(x+y+z) \end{vmatrix} \text{ } R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1, \text{ and } R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$$

$$= 2 \begin{vmatrix} a+b+c & p+q+r & x+y+z \\ -b & -q & -y \\ -c & -r & -z \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2 \begin{vmatrix} a+b+c-b-c & p+q+r-q-r & x+y+z-y-E \\ -b & -q & -y \\ -c & -r & -z \end{vmatrix} = R_1 \rightarrow R_2 + R_3 R_1$$

$$= 2 \begin{vmatrix} a & p & x \\ -b & -q & -y \\ -c & -r & -z \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2 \times (-1) \times (-1) \begin{vmatrix} a & p & x \\ b & q & y \\ c & r & z \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2 \begin{vmatrix} a & p & x \\ b & q & y \\ c & r & z \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\text{Q6. } \begin{vmatrix} a & a & -b \\ -a & 0 & -c \\ b & c & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{A.6 L.H.S.} &= \begin{vmatrix} a & a & -b \\ -a & 0 & -c \\ b & c & 0 \end{vmatrix} = \Delta \text{ Say} \\
 &= \begin{vmatrix} 0 & (-1)(-a) & (-1)b \\ (-1)a & 0 & (-1)(c) \\ (-1)(-b) & (-1)(-c) & 0 \end{vmatrix} \text{ Take } (-1) \text{ common from each row} \\
 &= (-1) \times (-1) \times (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -a & b \\ a & 0 & c \\ -b & -c & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\
 &= - \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -a & b \\ a & 0 & c \\ -b & -c & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\
 &= - \begin{vmatrix} 0 & a & -b \\ -a & 0 & -c \\ b & c & 0 \end{vmatrix} \because \det(A) = \det(A^T) \\
 &= -\Delta
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta + \Delta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\Delta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta = 0 = \text{R.H.S.}$$

$$\text{Q7. } \begin{vmatrix} -a^2 & ab & ac \\ ba & -b^2 & bc \\ ca & cb & -c^2 \end{vmatrix} = 4a^2b^2c^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{A.7. } \text{L.H.S.} &= \begin{vmatrix} -a^2 & ab & ac \\ ba & -b^2 & bc \\ ca & cb & -c^2 \end{vmatrix} \\
 &= abc \begin{vmatrix} -a & b & c \\ a & -b & c \\ a & b & -c \end{vmatrix} \text{ taking } a, b \& c \text{ common from R}_1, \text{R}_2 \text{ and R}_3 \text{ respectively} \\
 &= a^2b^2c^2 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} \text{ Taking } a, b, \&c, \text{ common from } c_1, c_2, \&c_3 \text{ respectively} \\
 &= a^2b^2c^2 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} \text{ R}_1 \Rightarrow R_1 + R_3 \\
 &= a^2b^2c^2 \times (-2) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} \text{ expand along R}_1 \\
 &= a^2b^2c^2 \times (-2)(1 \times (-1) - 1 \times 1)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= a^2 b^2 c^2 \times (-2) \times (-2)$$

$$= 4a^2 b^2 c^2$$

= R.H.S.

**By using properties of determinants, in Exercises 8 to 14, show that:**

Q8. (i)  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & a & a^2 \\ 1 & b & b^2 \\ 1 & c & c^2 \end{vmatrix} = (a-b)(b-c)(c-a)$

(ii)  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ a & b & c \\ a^3 & b^3 & c^3 \end{vmatrix} = (a-b)(b-c)(c-a)(a+b+c)$

A.8. (i) L.H.S =  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & a & a^2 \\ 1 & b & b^2 \\ 1 & c & c^2 \end{vmatrix}$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a & a^2 \\ 1-1 & b-a & b^2-a^2 \\ 1-1 & c-a & c^2-a^2 \end{vmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1 \end{array}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a & a^2 \\ 0 & (b-a) & b^2-a^2 \\ 0 & (c-a) & c^2-a^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\text{Expand along } C_1 = 1 \begin{vmatrix} (b-a) & b^2-a^2 \\ (c-a) & c^2-a^2 \end{vmatrix} - 0 \begin{vmatrix} a & a^2 \\ c-a & c^2-a^2 \end{vmatrix} + 0 \begin{vmatrix} a & a^2 \\ b-a & b^2-a^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} (b-a) & (b-a)(b+a) \\ (c-a) & (c-a)(c+a) \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (b-a)(c-a) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & b+a \\ 1 & c+a \end{vmatrix} \quad \text{Take } (b-a) \text{ & } (c-a) \text{ common from } R_1 \text{, & } R_2$$

$$= (b-a)(c-a)[(c+a)-(b+a)]$$

$$= (b-a)(c-a)[(c+a-b-a)]$$

$$= (b-a)(c-a)(c-b)$$

$$= (-1)(a-b) \times (-1)(b-c)(c-a)$$

$$= (a-b)(b-c)(c-a).$$

= R.H.S.

(ii) L.H.S =  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ a & b & c \\ a^3 & b^3 & c^3 \end{vmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1-1 & 1-1 \\ a & b-a & c-a \\ a^3 & b^3-a^3 & c^3-a^3 \end{vmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} c_2 \rightarrow c_2 - c_1 \\ c_3 \rightarrow c_3 - c_1 \end{array} \\
&= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ a & b-a & c-a \\ a^3 & (b-a)(b^2+a^2+ab) & (c-a)(c^2+a^2+ab) \end{vmatrix} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \because x^3-y^3 \\ = (x-y)(x^2+y^2+xy) \end{array} \right.
\end{aligned}$$

Expanding along R<sub>1</sub>

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \begin{vmatrix} b-a & c-a \\ (b-a)(b^2+a^2+ab) & (c-a)(c^2+a^2+ab) \end{vmatrix} \\
&= (b-a)(c-a) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ b^2+a^2+ab & c^2+a^2+ab \end{vmatrix} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Taking } (b-a) \text{ & } (c-a) \\ \text{common from } c_1 \text{ & } c_3 \end{array} \right. \\
&= (b-a)(c-a) \{(c^2+a^2+ab) - (b^2+a^2+ab)\} \\
&= (b-a)(c-a) \{c^2 + a^2 + ab - b^2 - a^2 - ab\} \\
&= (b-a)(c-a)(c^2 - b^2 + ac - ab) \\
&= (b-a)(c-a)(c-b)(c+b) + (c-b)a \\
&= (b-a)(c-a)(c-b)(a+c+b). \\
&= (-1)(a-b)(c-a)(-1)(b-c)(a+c+b) \\
&= (a-b)(b-c)(c-a)(a+c+b) \\
&= \text{R.H.S.}
\end{aligned}$$

**Q9.**  $\begin{vmatrix} x & x^2 & yz \\ y & y^2 & zx \\ z & z^2 & xy \end{vmatrix} = (x-y)(y-z)(z-x)(xy+yz+zx)$

**A.9.** L.H.S.  $\begin{vmatrix} x & x^2 & yz \\ y & y^2 & zx \\ z & z^2 & xy \end{vmatrix}$

$$= \frac{1}{xyz} \begin{vmatrix} x \cdot x & x \cdot x^2 & x \cdot yz \\ y \cdot y & y \cdot y^2 & y \cdot zx \\ z \cdot z & z \cdot z^2 & z \cdot xy \end{vmatrix} \quad \text{Multiplying R}_1, \text{R}_2 \& \text{R}_3 \text{ by } x, y \& z.$$

$$= \frac{1}{xyz} \begin{vmatrix} x^2 & x^3 & xyz \\ y^2 & y^3 & xyz \\ z^2 & z^3 & xyz \end{vmatrix}.$$

$$= \frac{xyz}{xyz} \begin{vmatrix} x^2 & x^3 & 1 \\ y^2 & y^3 & 1 \\ z^2 & z^3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \quad \text{Taking } xyz \text{ common from } c_3.$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} x^2 & x^3 & 1 \\ y^2 - x^2 & y^3 - x^3 & 1-1 \\ z^2 - x^2 & 2^3 - x^3 & 1-1 \end{vmatrix} \quad R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1.$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} x^2 & x^3 & 1 \\ (y-x)(y+x) & (y-x)(y^2 + x^2 + xy) & 0 \\ (z-x)(z+x) & (2-x)(z^2 + x^2 + 2x) & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

Expanding along  $C_3$  we get,

$$\begin{aligned} &= 1 \begin{vmatrix} (y-x)(y+x) & (y-x)(y^2 + x^2 + xy) \\ (z-x)(z+x) & (z-x)(z^2 + x^2 + zx) \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (y-x)(z-x) \cdot \begin{vmatrix} y+x & y^2 + x^2 + xy \\ z+x & z^2 + x^2 + zx \end{vmatrix} \text{ Taking } (y-x) \text{ & } (z-x) \text{ common from } R_1 \text{ and } R_2. \\ &= (y-x)(z-x)[(y+x)(z^2 + x^2 + zx) - (z+x)(y^2 + x^2 + xy)] \\ &= (y-x)(z-x)[yz^2 + yx^2 + xyz + xz^2 + x^3 + x^2z - zy^2 - zx^2 - xyz - xy^2 - x^3 - x^2y] \\ &= y-x)(z-x)[yz^2 - zy^2 + xz^2 - xy^2] \\ &= (y-x)(z-x)[yz(z-y) + x(z^2 - y^2)] \\ &= y-x)(z-x)(z-y)[yz + x(z+y)] \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \because z^2 - y^2 = \\ (z-y)(z+y) \end{array} \right\} \\ &= (-1)(x-y)(z-x)(-1)(y-z)[yz + xz + xy] \\ &= (x-y)(y-z)(z-x)(xy + yz + xz). = R.H.S. \end{aligned}$$

**Q10. (i)**  $\begin{vmatrix} x+4 & 2x & 2x \\ 2x & x+4 & 2x \\ 2x & 2x & x+4 \end{vmatrix} = (5x+4)(4-x)^2$

**(ii)**  $\begin{vmatrix} y+k & y & y \\ y & y+k & y \\ y & y & y+k \end{vmatrix} = k^2(3y+k)$

**A.10. (i)** L.H.S. =  $\begin{vmatrix} x+4 & 2x & 2x \\ 2x & x+4 & 2x \\ 2x & 2x & x+4 \end{vmatrix}$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} x+4+2x+2x & 2x+x+4+2x & 2x+2x+x+4 \\ 2x & x+4 & 2x \\ 2x & 2x & x+4 \end{vmatrix} \quad R_1 \rightarrow R_1 + R_2 + R_3$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 5x+4 & 5x+4 & 5x+4 \\ 2x & x+4 & 2x \\ 2x & 2x & x+4 \end{vmatrix}$$

Taking  $(5x+4)$  common from  $R_1$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (5x+4) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2x & x+4 & 2x \\ 2x & 2x & x+4 \end{vmatrix} \\
&= (5x+4) \begin{vmatrix} 1-1 & 1-1 & 1 \\ 2x-2x & x+4-2x & 2x \\ 2x-(x+4) & 2x-(x+4) & x+4 \end{vmatrix} \quad C_1 \rightarrow C_1 - C_3 \\
&= (5x+4) \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 4-x & 2x \\ x-4 & x-4 & x+4 \end{vmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

Expanding along R<sub>1</sub>, we get,

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (5x+4) \times 1 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 4-x \\ x-4 & x-4 \end{vmatrix} \\
&= (5x+4)[0 - (4-x)(x-4)] \\
&= (5x+4)(4-x)(4-x) \\
&= (5x+4)(4-x)^2 = R.H.S
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(ii) L.H.S} &= \begin{vmatrix} y+k & y & y \\ y & y+k & y \\ y & y & y+k \end{vmatrix} \\
&= \begin{vmatrix} y+k+y+y & y+y+k+y & y+y+y+k \\ y & y+k & y \\ y & y & y+k \end{vmatrix} \quad R_1 \rightarrow R_1 + R_2 + R_3 \\
&= \begin{vmatrix} 3y+k & 3y+k & 3y+k \\ y & y+k & y \\ y & y & y+k \end{vmatrix} \\
&= (3y+k) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ y & y+k & y \\ y & y & y+k \end{vmatrix} \\
&= (3y+k) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1-1 & 1-1 \\ y & y+k-y & y-y \\ y & y-y & y+k-y \end{vmatrix} \quad C_2 \rightarrow C_2 - C_1 \\
&\quad C_3 \rightarrow C_3 - C_1 \\
&= (3y+k) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ y & k & 0 \\ y & 0 & k \end{vmatrix} \\
&= (3y+k) \times 1 \cdot \begin{vmatrix} k & 0 \\ 0 & k \end{vmatrix} \quad \text{Expand along R}_1 \\
&= k^2 (3y+k) = R.H.S.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Q11. (i)} \begin{vmatrix} a-b-c & 2a & 2a \\ 2b & b-c-a & 2b \\ 2c & 2c & c-a-b \end{vmatrix} = (a+b+c)^3$$

$$\text{(ii)} \begin{vmatrix} x+y+2z & x & y \\ z & y+z+2x & y \\ z & x & z+x+2y \end{vmatrix} = 2(x+y+z)^3$$

$$\text{A.11.(i) L.H.S} = \begin{vmatrix} a-b-c & 2a & 2a \\ 2b & b-c-a & 2b \\ 2c & 2c & c-a-b \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} a-b-c+2b+2c & 2a+b-c-a+2c & 2a+2b+c-ab \\ 2b & b-c-a & 2b \\ 2c & 2c & c-a-b \end{vmatrix} \quad R_1 \rightarrow R_1 + R_2 + R_3$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} a+b+c & a+b+c & a+b+c \\ 2b & b-c-a & 2b \\ 2c & 2c & c-a-b \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (a+b+c) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2b & b-c-a & 2b \\ 2c & 2c & c-a-b \end{vmatrix} \quad \text{Taking } (a+b+c) \text{ common from } R_1$$

$$= (a+b+c) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1-1 & 1-1 \\ 2b & b-c-a-2b & 2b-2b \\ 2c & 2c-2c & c-a-b-2c \end{vmatrix} \quad C_2 \rightarrow C_2 - C_1 \\ C_3 \rightarrow C_3 - C_1$$

$$= (a+b+c) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2b & -b-c-a & 0 \\ 2c & 0 & -c-a-b \end{vmatrix}.$$

$$= (a+b+c) \times 1. \begin{vmatrix} -(a+b+c) & 0 \\ 0 & -(a+b+c) \end{vmatrix} \quad \text{Expand along } R_1$$

$$= (a+b+c) \{(a+b+c)^2 - 0\}$$

$$= (a+b+c)^3 = \text{R.H.S}$$

$$\text{(ii) L.H.S.} = \begin{vmatrix} x+y+2z & x & y \\ z & y+z+2x & y \\ z & x & z+x+2y \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} x+y+2z+x+y & x & y \\ z+y+z+2x+y & y+z+2x & y \\ z+x+z+x+2y & x & z+x+2y \end{vmatrix} \quad C_1 \rightarrow C_1 + C_2 + C_3.$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 2(x+y+z) & x & y \\ 2(x+y+z) & y+z+2x & y \\ 2(x+y+z) & x & z+x+2y \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= 2(k+y+z) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & y \\ 1 & y+z+2x & y \\ 1 & x & z+x+2y \end{vmatrix} \text{ Taking } 2(k+y+z) \text{ common from C}_1. \\
&= 2(k+y+z) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & y \\ 1-1 & y+z+2x-x & y-y \\ 1-1 & x-x & z+x+2y-y \end{vmatrix} \begin{array}{l} R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1 \end{array} \\
&= 2(k+y+z) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & y \\ 0 & x+y+z & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & x+y+z \end{vmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

Expand along  $C_1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
&= 2(k+y+z) \times 1 \begin{vmatrix} x+y+z & 0 \\ 0 & x+y+z \end{vmatrix} \\
&= 2(k+y+z) \times \{(k+y+z)^2 - 0\} \\
&= 2(k+y+z)^3 = L.H.S.
\end{aligned}$$

**Q12.**  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & x^2 \\ x^2 & 1 & x \\ x & x^2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (1-x^3)^2$

**A.12.**  $L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & x^2 \\ x^2 & 1 & x \\ x & x^2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \begin{vmatrix} 1+x^2+x & x+1+x^2 & x^2+x+1 \\ x^2 & 1 & x \\ x & x^2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \quad R_1 \rightarrow R_1 + R_2 + R_3. \\
&= (1+x^2+x) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ x^2 & 1 & x \\ x & x^2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \text{ Taking } (1+x^2+x) \text{ common from } R_1.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (1+x^2+x) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1-1 & 1-1 \\ x^2 & 1-x^2 & x-x^2 \\ x & x^2-x & 1-x \end{vmatrix} \\
&= (1+x^2+x) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ x^2 & (1-x)(1+x) & x(1-x) & \\ x & x(x-1) & (1-x) & \end{vmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

$$= (1+x^2+x) \times 1 \begin{vmatrix} -(1-x)(1+x) & x(1-x) \\ (-1)x(1-x) & (1-x) \end{vmatrix} \text{ Expand along } R_1.$$

$$= (1+x^2+x)(1-x)^2 \begin{vmatrix} 1+x & x \\ -x & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (1 + x^2 + x)(1 - x)^2 [(1 + x) \times 1 - (-x) x].$$

$$= (1 + x^2 + x)(1 - x)^2 (1 + x + x^2).$$

$$= \{(1 + x^2 + x)(1 - x)\}^2$$

$$= \{1 - x + x^2 - x^3 + x - x^2\}^2$$

$$= (1 - x^3)^2 = \text{R.H.S.}$$

**Q13.**  $\begin{vmatrix} 1+a^2-b^2 & 2ab & -2b \\ 2ab & 1-a^2+b^2 & 2a \\ 2b & -2a & 1-a^2-b^2 \end{vmatrix} = (1+a^2+b^2)^3$

**A.13.L.H.S.**  $= \begin{vmatrix} 1+a^2-b^2 & 2ab & -2b \\ 2ab & 1-a^2+b^2 & 2a \\ 2b & -2a & 1-a^2-b^2 \end{vmatrix}$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 1+a^2-b^2-b(-2b) & 2ab+a(-2b) & -2b \\ 2ab-b(2a) & 1-a^2+b^2+a(2a) & 2a \\ 2b-b(1-a^2-b^2) & -2a+a(1-a^2-b^2) & 1-a^2-b^2 \end{vmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} C_1 \rightarrow C_1 - bC_3 \\ C_2 \rightarrow C_2 - aC_3. \end{array}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 1+a^2-b^2+2b^2 & 2ab-2ab & -2b \\ 2ab-2ab & 1-a^2+b^2+2a^2 & 2a \\ 2b-b+a^2b+b^3 & -2a+a-a^3-ab^2 & 1-a^2-b^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 1+a^2+b^2 & 0 & -2b \\ 0 & 1+a^2+b^2 & 2a \\ b(1+a^2+b^2) & -a(1+a^2+b^2) & 1-a^2-b^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (1+a^2+b^2)^2 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2b \\ 0 & 1 & 2a \\ b & -a & 1-a^2+b^2 \end{vmatrix} \quad \text{Taking } (1+a^2+b^2) \text{ common from } C_1 \text{ and } C_2.$$

$$= (1+a^2+b^2)^2 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2b \\ 0 & 1 & 2a \\ b-b(1) & -a-b(0) & 1-a^2-b^2-b(-2b) \end{vmatrix} \quad R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - bR_1$$

$$= (1+a^2+b^2)^2 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2b \\ 0 & 1 & 2a \\ 0 & -a & 1-a^2+b^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (1+a^2+b^2)^2 \times 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2a \\ -a & 1-a^2+b^2 \end{vmatrix} \quad \text{Expand along } C_1$$

$$= (1+a^2+b^2)^2 [(1-a^2+b^2) - 2a(-a)]$$

$$= (1+a^2+b^2)^2 (1-a^2+b^2+2a^2)$$

$$= (1+a^2+b^2)^2 (1+a^2+b^2)$$

$$= (1+a^2+b^2)^3 = \text{R.H.S.}$$

$$\text{Q14.} \begin{vmatrix} a^2 + 1 & ab & ac \\ ab & b^2 + 1 & bc \\ ca & cb & c^2 + 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 + a^2 + b^2 + c^2$$

$$\text{A.14.L.H.S} = \begin{vmatrix} a^2 + 1 & ab & ac \\ ab & b^2 + 1 & bc \\ ca & cb & c^2 + 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{abc} \begin{vmatrix} a(a^2 + 1) & ab^2 & ac^2 \\ a^2b & b(b^2 + 1) & bc^2 \\ a^2c & b^2c & c(c^2 + 1) \end{vmatrix} \begin{array}{l} C_1 \rightarrow aC_1 \\ C_2 \rightarrow bC_3 \\ C_3 \rightarrow cC_3 \end{array}$$

$$= \frac{abc}{abc} \begin{vmatrix} a^2 + 1 & b^2 & c^2 \\ a^2 & b^2 + 1 & c^2 \\ a^2 & b^2 & c^2 + 1 \end{vmatrix} \text{ Taking } a, b \& c \text{ common from } R_1, R_2 \& R_3$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 1 + a^2 + b^2 + c^2 & b^2 & c^2 \\ a^2 + b^2 + 1 + c^2 & b^2 + 1 & c^2 \\ a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + 1 & b^2 & c^2 + 1 \end{vmatrix} C_1 \rightarrow C_2 + C_3.$$

$$= (1 + a^2 + b^2 + c^2) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & b^2 & c^2 \\ 1 & b^2 + 1 & c^2 \\ 1 & b^2 & c^2 + 1 \end{vmatrix} \text{ Taking } (1 + a^2 + b^2 c^2) \text{ common from } C_1.$$

$$= (1 + a^2 + b^2 + c^2) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & b^2 & c^2 \\ 1 - 1 & b^2 + 1 - b^2 & c^2 - c^2 \\ 1 - 1 & b^2 - b^2 & c^2 + 1 - c^2 \end{vmatrix} \begin{array}{l} R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1 \end{array}$$

$$= (1 + a^2 + b^2 + c^2) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & b^2 & c^2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (1 + a^2 + b^2 + c^2) \times 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \text{ Expand along } C_1$$

$$= (1 + a^2 + b^2 + c^2) (| \times | - 0 \times 0)$$

$$= 1 + a^2 + b^2 + c^2$$

$$= \text{R.H.S.}$$

Choose the correct answer in Exercises 15 and 16.

Q.15 Let A be a square matrix of order  $3 \times 3$ , then  $|kA|$  is equal to

- (A)  $k|A|$       (B)  $k^2|A|$       (C)  $k^3|A|$       (D)  $3k|A|$

**A.15.** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$  and  $|A| = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$

Then,  $KA = k \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$

 $= \begin{bmatrix} ka_{11} & ka_{12} & ka_{13} \\ ka_{21} & ka_{22} & ka_{23} \\ ka_{31} & ka_{32} & ka_{33} \end{bmatrix}$ 
 $\therefore |KA| = \begin{vmatrix} ka_{11} & ka_{12} & ka_{13} \\ ka_{21} & ka_{22} & ka_{23} \\ ka_{31} & ka_{32} & ka_{33} \end{vmatrix}$ 
 $= k^3 \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$ 
 $= k^3 |A|$

So, option c is correct.

### Q16. Which of the following is correct

- (A) Determinant is a square matrix.
- (B) Determinant is a number associated to a matrix.
- (C) Determinant is a number associated to a square matrix.
- (D) None of these

**A.16.** Option 'C' is correct as determinant is a number associated to a square matrix.

### Exercise - 4.3

#### Q1. Find area of the triangle with vertices at the point given in each of the following:

- (i)  $(1, 0), (6, 0), (4, 3)$
- (ii)  $(2, 7), (1, 1), (10, 8)$
- (iii)  $(-2, -3), (3, 2), (-1, -8)$

**A.1.(i)** Area of triangle is given by,

$$\Delta = \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 & 1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & 1 \\ x_3 & y_3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 6 & 0 & 1 \\ 4 & 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$
 $= \frac{1}{2} \left| [1 \times (0 \times 1 - 3 \times 1) - 0 \times (6 \times 1 - 4 \times 1) + 1 (6 \times 3 - 4 \times 0)] \right|$ 
 $= \frac{1}{2} \left| [-3 + 18] \right| = \frac{15}{2} = 7.5 \text{ sq. units.}$

(ii) Area of the triangle is given by,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Delta &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 7 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 10 & 8 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left| [2(1 \times 1) - 8 \times 1] - 7(1 \times 1 - 10 \times 1) + 1(8 \times 1 - 10 \times 1) \right| \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left| [2(1-8) - 7(1-10) + 1(8-10)] \right| \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left| (2 \times (-7) - 7 \times (-9) + 21 \times (-2)) \right| \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left| [-14 + 63 - 2] \right| = \frac{1}{2} |47| \\
 &= \frac{47}{2} = 23.5 \text{ sq. units}
 \end{aligned}$$

(iii) Area of triangle is given by,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Delta &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} -2 & -3 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \\ -1 & -8 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left| [-2(2 \times 1 - (-8) \times 1) - (-3)(3 \times 1 - (-1) \times 1) \times 1 (3 \times (-8) - (2) \times (-1))] \right| \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left| [-2 \times 10 + 3(4) + (-24 + 2)] \right| \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \left| [-20 + 12 - 22] \right| \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} |-30| = \frac{30}{2} = 15 \text{ sq. units.}
 \end{aligned}$$

**Q2.** Show that points  
 $A(a, b+c)$ ,  $B(b, c+a)$ ,  $C(c, a+b)$  are collinear.

**A.2.** The area of triangle formed by the given points is area ( $\Delta ABC$ ) =  $\frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} a & b+c & 1 \\ b & c+a & 1 \\ c & a+b & 1 \end{vmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} a+b+c+1 & b+c & 1 \\ b+c+a+1 & c+a & 1 \\ c+a+b+1 & a+b & 1 \end{vmatrix} C_1 \rightarrow C_1 + C_2 + C_3 \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} (a+b+c+1) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & b+c & 1 \\ 1 & c+a & 1 \\ 1 & a+b & 1 \end{vmatrix} \text{ Taking } (a+b+c+1) \text{ common from } C_1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{(a+b+c+1)}{2} \times 0 \quad \{ \because c = c_3 \}$$

$$= 0$$

Hence the points A, B C are collinear.

**Q3.** Find values of  $k$  if area of triangle is 4 sq. units and vertices are

- (i)  $(k, 0), (4, 0), (0, 2)$       (ii)  $(-2, 0), (0, 4), (0, k)$

**A.3(i)** Area of the triangle = 4 sq. units (given)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} k & 0 & 1 \\ 4 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} [k(0 - 2) - 0(4 - 0) + 1(8 - 0)] = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} [-2k + 8] = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{2} [-k + 4] = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow -k + 4 = \pm 4$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} r \mid x \mid = a \\ \Rightarrow x = \pm a \end{array} \right\}$$

When  $\Rightarrow k + 4 = 4$  and when  $-k + 4 = -4$

$$\Rightarrow -k = 4 - 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{k = 0} \Rightarrow \boxed{k = 8}$$

$$\Rightarrow -k = -4 - 4$$

**(ii)** Area of the triangle = 4 sq units

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 4 & 1 \\ 0 & k & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 4.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} [ -2(4 \times 1 - k \times 1) - 0 (0 \times 1 - k \times 1) + 0 (0 \times 1 - 4 \times 1) ] = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} [ -2(4 - k) ] = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-2}{2} [ -4 + k ] = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow -4 + k = \pm 4$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \because |x| = a \\ \Rightarrow x = \pm a. \end{array} \right\}$$

When  $-4 + k = 4$  and when  $-4 + k = -4$

$$\Rightarrow k = 4 + 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{k = 8} \Rightarrow \boxed{k = 0}$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 4 - 4$$

- Q4.** (i) Find equation of line joining (1, 2) and (3, 6) using determinants.  
(ii) Find equation of line joining (3, 1) and (9, 3) using determinants

**A.4.** (i) Let P (x, y) be any point on line joining A (1, 2) & B(3, 6)

Then, area of triangle (ABP) = 0 { ∵ the points are collinear}

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 6 & 1 \\ x & y & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 1(6 \times 1 - y \times 1) - 2(3 \times 1 - x \times 1) + 1(3 \times y - 6 \times x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 6 - y - 6 + 2x + 3y - 6x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2y - 4x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2y = 4x$$

$\Rightarrow y = 2x$ . Is the required equation of line

- (ii) Let P(k, y) be any point on line-joining A (3, 1) and B (9, 3)

Then area of triangle A B P = 0

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 9 & 3 & 1 \\ k & y & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(3 \times 1 - y \times 1) - 1(9 \times 1 - x \times 1) + 1(9 \times y - 3 \times x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 9 - 3y - 9 + x + 9y - 3x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 6y - 2x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 6y$$

$\Rightarrow x = 3y$ . is the required equation of line

- Q5.** If area of triangle is 35 sq units with vertices (2, -6), (5, 4) and (k, 4). Then k is  
(A) 12                      (B) -2                      (C) -12, -2                      (D) 12, -2

**A.5.** Given,

Area of triangle = 35 sq. Units

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -6 & 1 \\ 5 & 4 & 1 \\ k & 4 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 35.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} [2(4 \times 1 - 4 \times 1) - (-6)(5 \times 1 - k \times 1) + 1(5 \times 4 - k \times 4)] = 35.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} [2(4 - 4) + 6(5 - k) + 1(20 - 4k)] = 35.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} [50 - 10k] = 35$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2}{2} [25 - 5k] = 35.$$

$$\Rightarrow 25 - 5k = \pm 35 \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \because |x| = a \\ \Rightarrow x = \pm a \end{array} \right.$$

When  $25 - 5k = 35$ .

$$\Rightarrow -5k = 35 - 25 \text{ and } 25 - 5k = -35$$

$$\Rightarrow -5k = 10 \Rightarrow -5k = -35 - 25.$$

$$\Rightarrow k = \frac{10}{-5} \Rightarrow -5k = -60$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{k = -2} \Rightarrow k = \frac{-60}{-5}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{k = 12}$$

$\therefore$  Option D is correct.

#### Exercise – 4.4

**Write Minors and Cofactors of the elements of following determinants:**

**Q1.** (i)  $\begin{vmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$       (ii)  $\begin{vmatrix} a & c \\ b & d \end{vmatrix}$

**A.1.(i)** We know that,

Minor of element  $a_{ij}$  is  $m_{ij}$  and its co-factor is  $A_{ij} = (-1)^{i+j} M_{ij}$

So,

$$M_{11} = 3 \text{ and } A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} M_{11} = 1 \times 3 = 3$$

$$M_{12} = 0 \text{ and } A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} M_{12} = -1 \times 0 = 0$$

$$M_{21} = -4 \text{ and } A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} M_{21} = (-1) \times (-4) = 4$$

$$M_{22} = 2 \text{ and } A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} M_{22} = 1 \times 2 = 2$$

(ii) Given  $A = \begin{vmatrix} a & c \\ b & d \end{vmatrix}$

So,

$$M_{11} = d \text{ and } A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} M_{11} = 1 \times d = d$$

$$M_{12} = b \text{ and } A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} M_{12} = (-1) \times b = -b$$

$$M_{21} = c \text{ and } A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} M_{21} = (-1) \times c = -c$$

$$M_{22} = a \text{ and } A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} M_{22} = 1 \times a = a$$

**Q2.** (i)  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$       (ii)  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 3 & 5 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$

**A.2.(i)** Given,  $A = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$

So,

$$M_{11} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 - 0 = 1 \text{ and } A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} M_{11} = 1 \times 1 = 1$$

$$M_{12} = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \times 1 - 0 \times 0 = 0 \text{ and } A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} M_{12} = -1 \times 0 = 0$$

$$M_{13} = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \times 0 - 0 \times 1 = 0 \text{ and } A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} M_{13} = 1 \times 0 = 0$$

$$M_{21} = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \times 1 - 0 \times 0 = 0 \text{ and } A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} M_{21} = -1 \times 0 = 0.$$

$$M_{22} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 \times 1 - 0 \times 0 = 1 \text{ and } A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} M_{22} = 1 \times 1 = 1.$$

$$M_{23} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 1 \times 0 - 0 \times 0 = 0 \text{ and } A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} M_{23} = -1 \times 0 = 0$$

$$M_{31} = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \times 0 - 0 \times 1 = 0 \text{ and } A_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} M_{31} = 1 \times 0 = 0$$

$$M_{32} = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \times 0 - 0 \times 1 = 0 \text{ and } A_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} M_{32} = -1 \times 0 = 0$$

$$M_{33} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 \times 1 - 0 \times 0 = 1 \text{ and } A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} M_{33} = 1 \times 1 = 1$$

(ii) Given,  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 3 & 5 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$

$$M_{11} = \begin{vmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 5 \times 2 - (-1) \times 1 = 10 + 1 = 11 \text{ and } A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} M_{11} = 1 \times 11 = 11$$

$$M_{12} = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 3 \times 2 - (-1) \times 0 = 6 \text{ and } A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} M_{12} = -1 \times 6 = -6.$$

$$M_{13} = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 3 \times 1 - 5 \times 0 = 3 \text{ and } A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} M_{13} = 1 \times 3 = 3$$

$$M_{21} = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \times 2 - 4 \times 1 = -4 \text{ and } A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} M_{21} = -1 \times (-4) = 4$$

$$M_{22} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 1 \times 2 - 4 \times 0 = 2 \text{ and } A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} M_{22} = 1 \times 2 = 2$$

$$M_{23} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 \times 1 - 0 \times 0 = 1 \text{ and } A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} M_{23} = -1 \times 1 = -1.$$

$$M_{31} = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 4 \\ 5 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \times (-1) - 4 \times 5 = -20 \text{ and } A_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} M_{31} = 1 \times (-20) = -20.$$

$$M_{32} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 3 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 \times (-1) - 4 \times 3 = -1 - 12 = -13 \text{ and } A_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} M_{32} = -1 \times (-13) = 13$$

$$M_{33} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = 1 \times 5 - 3 \times 0 = 5 \text{ and } A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} M_{33} = 1 \times 5 = 5.$$

**Q3.** Using Cofactors of elements of second row, evaluate  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 3 & 8 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$

**A.3.** Given,  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 3 & 8 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$

Co-factors of elements of second row,

$$A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \times \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 8 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = (-1) \times (3 \times 3 - 8 \times 2) = (-1)(9 - 16) = (-1) \times (-7) = 7.$$

$$A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \times \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 8 \\ 1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 1 \times (5 \times 3 - 8 \times 1) = 15 - 8 = 7.$$

$$A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \times \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1) \times (5 \times 2 - 3 \times 1) = (-1)(10 - 3) = (-1)(7) = -7.$$

$$\therefore \Delta = a_{21}A_{21} + a_{22}A_{22} + a_{23}A_{23}$$

$$= 2 \times 7 + 0 \times 7 + 1 \times (-7) = 14 + 0 - 7 = 7.$$

**Q4.** Using Cofactors of elements of third column, evaluate  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & yz \\ 1 & y & zx \\ 1 & z & xy \end{vmatrix}$

**A.4.** Given,  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & yz \\ 1 & y & zx \\ 1 & z & xy \end{vmatrix}$

Co-factor of elements of third column

$$A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & y \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^4 (1 \times z - y \times 1) = (z - y)$$

$$A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x \\ 1 & z \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^5 (1 \times z - 1 \times x) = (-1) \times (z - x) = -(z - x)$$

$$A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x \\ 1 & y \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^6 (1 \times y - 1 \times x) = (y - x)$$

$$\therefore \Delta = a_{13}A_{13} + a_{23}A_{23} + a_{33}A_{33}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= yz(z-y) + zx[-(z-x)] + xy(y-x) \\
&= yz^2 - y^2z - z^2x + zx^2 + xy^2 - x^2y. \\
&= yz^2 - y^2z + (xy^2 - xz^2) + (zx^2 - x^2y) \\
&= yz(z-y) + x(y^2 - z^2) - x^2(y-z) \\
&= -yz(y-z) + x(y+z)(y-z) - x^2(y-z) \\
&= (y-z)[-yz + x(y+z) - x^2] \\
&= (y-z)[-yz + xy + xz - x^2] \\
&= (y-z)[-y(z-x) + x(z-x)] \\
&= (y-z)(z-x)(x-y)
\end{aligned}$$

**Q5.** If  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$  and  $A_{ij}$  is Cofactors of  $a_{ij}$  then value of  $\Delta$  is given by

- (A)  $a_{11}A_{31} + a_{12}A_{32} + a_{13}A_{33}$       (B)  $a_{11}A_{11} + a_{12}A_{21} + a_{13}A_{31}$   
 (C)  $a_{21}A_{11} + a_{22}A_{12} + a_{23}A_{13}$       (D)  $a_{11}A_{11} + a_{21}A_{21} + a_{31}A_{31}$

**A.5.** Option D is correct.

#### Exercise – 4.5

**Find adjoint of each of the matrices in Exercise 1 and 2.**

**Q1.**  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

**A.1.** We have,

$$A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \times 4 = 4$$

$$A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \times 3 = -3$$

$$A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \times 2 = -2$$

$$A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \times 1 = 1.$$

$$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix}' = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{21} \\ A_{12} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Q2.**  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 & 5 \\ -2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

**A.2.** We have,

$$A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \times \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (3 \times 1 - 5 \times 0) = 3$$

$$A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \times \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(2 \times 1 - 5 \times (-2)) = -1(2 + 10) = -12$$

$$A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} \times \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = [2 \times 0 - (-2) \times 3] = 6$$

$$A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \times \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(-1 \times 1 - 2 \times 0) = 1$$

$$A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (1 \times 1 - (2) \times (-2)) = (1 + 4) = 5$$

$$A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(1 \times 0 - (-1) \times (-2)) = (-1)(0 - 2) = 2$$

$$A_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = (-1 \times 5 - 3 \times 2) = (-5 - 6) = -11 \quad A_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(1 \times 5 - 2 \times 2) = (-1)(5 - 4) = -1.$$

$$A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = (1 \times 3 - (-1) \times 2) = (3 + 2) = 5$$

$$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{21} & A_{31} \\ A_{12} & A_{22} & A_{32} \\ A_{13} & A_{23} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & -11 \\ -12 & 5 & -1 \\ 6 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}.$$

**Verify  $A(\text{adj } A) = (\text{adj } A)A = |A|I$  in Exercise 3 and 4**

Q3.  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -4 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$

A.3. Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -4 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then,  $|A| = (2 \times (-6) - 3 \times (-4)) = -12 + 12 = 0$

So,  $A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \times (-6) = -6$   
 $A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \times (-4) = 4$

$$A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \times (3) = -3$$

$$A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \times 2 = 2$$

$$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{21} \\ A_{12} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -6 & -3 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\text{So, } A \cdot (\text{adj } A) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -4 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -6 & -3 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \\ = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \times (-6) + 3 \times 4 & 2 \times (-3) + 3 \times 2 \\ (-4) \times (-6) + (-6) \times 4 & (-4) \times (-3) + (-6) \times 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -12 + 12 & -6 + 6 \\ 24 - 24 & 12 - 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\text{adj } A) \cdot A = \begin{bmatrix} -6 & -3 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -4 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -6 \times 2 + (-3) \times (-4) & -6 \times 3 + (-3) \times (-6) \\ 4 \times 2 + 2 \times (-4) & 4 \times 3 + 2 \times (-6) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -12 + 12 & -18 + 18 \\ 8 - 8 & 12 - 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| I = 0 \times \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A(\text{adj } A) = (\text{adj } A)A = |A|I$$

**Q4.**  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

**A.4.** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  Then,  $|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$

$$|A| = 1 \times \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix} - (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} + 2 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1 \times (0 \times 3 - 0 \times (-2)) + 1(3 \times 3 - (-2) \times 1) + 2(3 \times 0 - 0 \times 1) = 9 + 2 = 11$$

$$A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = (0 \times 3 - (-2) \times 0) = 0$$

$$A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = (-1) \times (3 \times 3 - (-2) \times 1) = (-1)(9 + 2) = -11$$

$$A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (3 \times 0 - 0 \times 1) = 0$$

$$A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)[-1 \times 3 - 2 \times 0] = 3$$

$$A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = (1 \times 3 - 2 \times 1) = 1$$

$$A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(1 \times 0 - (-1) \times 1) = -1$$

$$A_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 0 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1 \times (-2) - 2 \times 0) = 2$$

$$A_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)[1 \times (-2) - 2 \times 3] = (-1)(-2 - 6) = 8$$

$$A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 3 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (1 \times 0 - (-1) \times 3) = 3$$

$$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{21} & A_{31} \\ A_{12} & A_{22} & A_{32} \\ A_{13} & A_{23} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & 2 \\ -11 & 1 & 8 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{So, } A \cdot (\text{adj } A) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & 2 \\ -11 & 1 & 8 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \times 0 + (-1)(-11) + 2 \times 0 & 1 \times 3 + (-1) \times 1 + 2 \times (-1) & 1 \times 2 + (-1) \times 8 + 2 \times 3 \\ 3 \times 0 + 0 \times (-11) + (-2) \times 0 & 3 \times 3 + 0 \times 1 + (-2)(-1) & 3 \times 2 + 0 \times 8 + (-2) \times 3 \\ 1 \times 0 + 0 \times (-11) + 3 \times 0 & 1 \times 3 + 0 \times 1 + 3 \times (-1) & 1 \times 2 + 0 \times 8 + 3 \times 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 11 & 3-1-2 & 2-8+6 \\ 0 & 9+2 & 6-6 \\ 0 & 3-3 & 2+9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 11 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 11 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 11 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\text{adj } A)A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 & 2 \\ -11 & 1 & 8 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 \times 1 + 3 \times 3 + 2 \times 1 & 0 \times (-1) + 3 \times 0 + 2 \times 0 & 0 \times 2 + 3 \times (-2) + 3 \times 2 \\ -11 \times 1 + 1 \times 3 + 8 \times 1 & -11 \times (-1) + 1 \times 0 + 8 \times 0 & -11 \times 2 + 1 \times (-2) + 8 \times 3 \\ 0 \times 1 + (-1) \times 3 + 3 \times 1 & 0 \times (-1) + (-1) \times 0 + 3 \times 0 & 0 \times 2 + (-1) \times (-2) + 3 \times 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 9+2 & 0 & -6+6 \\ -11+3+8 & 11 & -22-2+24 \\ -3+3 & 0 & 2+9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 11 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 11 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 11 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{And } |A|I = 11 \times \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 11 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 11 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 11 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A \cdot (\text{adj } A) = (\text{adj } A)A = |A|I$$

**Find the inverse of each of the matrices (if it exists) given in Exercise 5 to 11.**

Q5.  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

A.5. Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then  $|A| = 2 \times 3 - (-2) \times 4 = 6 + 8 = 14 \neq 0$

So,  $A^{-1}$  exist

$$\therefore \text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ -4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \left\{ \because \text{Adj of } \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$\text{Now, } A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj } A = \frac{1}{14} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ -4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Q6.**  $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 5 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

**A.6.** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 5 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then  $|A| = (-1 \times 2 - 5 \times -3) = -2 + 15 = 13 \neq 0$

So,  $A^{-1}$  exist

And  $\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -5 \\ 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\therefore A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj } A = \frac{1}{13} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -5 \\ 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Q7.**  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

**A.7.** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then  $|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{vmatrix}$

$$\Rightarrow |A| = 1 \times \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 5 \end{vmatrix} - 0 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 5 \end{vmatrix} + 0 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1 \times (2 \times 5 - 4 \times 0) = 10 \neq 0$$

So,  $A^{-1}$  exist

$$A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = (10 - 0) = 0$$

$$A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(0 - 0) = 0.$$

$$A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (0 - 0) = 0.$$

$$A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(10 - 0) = -10.$$

$$A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = (5 - 0) = 5.$$

$$A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(0 - 0) = 0$$

$$A_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = (8 - 6) = 2$$

$$A_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(4 - 0) = -4.$$

$$A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (2 - 0) = 2.$$

$$\text{So, } \text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{21} & A_{31} \\ A_{12} & A_{22} & A_{32} \\ A_{13} & A_{23} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & -10 & 2 \\ 0 & 5 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj } A = \frac{1}{10} \begin{bmatrix} 10 & -10 & 2 \\ 0 & 5 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Q8.**

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

**A.8.** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 3 & 0 \\ 5 & 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then  $|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 3 & 0 \\ 5 & 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$

$$\Rightarrow |A| = 1 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} - 0 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 5 & -1 \end{vmatrix} + 0 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 3 \\ 5 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (-3 - 0) = -3 \neq 0$$

So,  $A^{-1}$  exist

Now,  $A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -3 - 0 = -3$

$$A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 5 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(-3 - 0) = 3$$

$$A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 3 \\ 5 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (6 - 15) = -9$$

$$A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(0 - 0) = 0$$

$$A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 5 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1 - 0) = -1$$

$$A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 5 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(2 - 0) = -2$$

$$A_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (0 - 0) = 0$$

$$A_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(0 - 0) = 0$$

$$A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 3 - 0 = 3$$

$$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{21} & A_{31} \\ A_{12} & A_{22} & A_{32} \\ A_{13} & A_{23} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & -1 & 0 \\ -9 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj } A = \frac{1}{-3} \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & -1 & 0 \\ -9 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Q9.**  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 4 & -1 & 0 \\ -7 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

**A.9.** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 4 & -1 & 0 \\ -7 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then,  $|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 4 & -1 & 0 \\ -7 & 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$

$$|A| = 2 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} - 1 \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ -7 & 1 \end{vmatrix} + 3 \begin{vmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ -7 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(-1 - 0) - 1(4 - 0) + 3(8 - 7)$$

$$= -2 - 4 + 3 = -3 \neq 0.$$

So,  $A^{-1}$  exist

$$\text{Now, } A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -1 - 0 = -1$$

$$A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ -7 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(4 - 0) = -4$$

$$A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} \begin{vmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ -7 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (8 - 7) = 1$$

$$A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(-6) = 5.$$

$$A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -7 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (2 - (21)) = 2 + 21 = 23$$

$$A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -7 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(4 - (-7)) = (-1)(4 + 7) = -11$$

$$A_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ -1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (0 - (-3)) = 3$$

$$A_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(0 - 12) = 12$$

$$A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 4 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (-2 - 4) = -6.$$

$$\text{So, } A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{41} & A_{31} \\ A_{12} & A_{22} & A_{32} \\ A_{13} & A_{23} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 5 & 3 \\ -4 & 23 & 12 \\ 1 & -11 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj } A = \frac{1}{-3} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 5 & 3 \\ -4 & 23 & 12 \\ 1 & -11 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Q10.**  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & -3 \\ 3 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

**A.10.** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & -3 \\ 3 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$  Then  $|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & -3 \\ 3 & -2 & 4 \end{vmatrix}$

$$\Rightarrow |A| = 1 \times \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ -2 & 4 \end{vmatrix} - (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -3 \\ 3 & 4 \end{vmatrix} + 2 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 3 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (8 - 6) + (0 - (-9)) + 2(0 - 6)$$

$$= 2 + 9 - 12 = -1 \neq 0$$

So,  $A^{-1}$  exist

$$A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ -2 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = (8 - 6) = 2$$

$$A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -3 \\ 3 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(0 - (-9)) = -9$$

$$A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 3 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = (0 - 6) = -6.$$

$$A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -2 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(-4 - (-4)) = 0$$

$$A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = (4 - 6) = -2$$

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

$$A_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 2 & -3 \end{vmatrix} = (3 - 4) = -1$$

$$A_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -3 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(-3 - 0) = 3$$

$$A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (2 - 0) = 2$$

$$\text{So, adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{21} & A_{31} \\ A_{12} & A_{22} & A_{32} \\ A_{13} & A_{23} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & -1 \\ -9 & -2 & 3 \\ -6 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\because A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj } A = \frac{1}{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & -1 \\ -9 & -2 & 3 \\ -6 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 9 & 2 & -3 \\ 6 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Q11.**  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha \\ 0 & \sin \alpha & -\cos \alpha \end{bmatrix}$

**A.11.** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha \\ 0 & \sin \alpha & -\cos \alpha \end{bmatrix}$ . Then  $|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha \\ 0 & \sin \alpha & -\cos \alpha \end{vmatrix}$

$$\Rightarrow |A| = 1 \begin{vmatrix} \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha \\ \sin \alpha & -\cot \alpha \end{vmatrix} - 0 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & \sin \alpha \\ 0 & -\cos \alpha \end{vmatrix} + 0 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & \cos \alpha \\ 0 & \sin \alpha \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -\cos^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha = -(\cos^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \alpha) = -1 \neq 0$$

So,  $A^{-1}$  exist

$$\text{Now } A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \begin{vmatrix} \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha \\ \sin \alpha & -\cos \alpha \end{vmatrix} = -\cos^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha = -(\cos^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \alpha) = -1$$

$$A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & \sin \alpha \\ 0 & -\cot \alpha \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(0 - 0) = 0$$

$$A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & \cos \alpha \\ 0 & \sin \alpha \end{vmatrix} = (0 - 0) = 0.$$

$$A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ \sin \alpha & -\cos \alpha \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(0 - 0) - 0.$$

$$A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -\cos \alpha \end{vmatrix} = -\cos \alpha - 0 = -\cos \alpha$$

$$A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \sin \alpha \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(\sin \alpha) = -\sin \alpha.$$

$$A_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha \end{vmatrix} = 0 - 0 = 0$$

$$A_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \sin \alpha \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(\sin \alpha - 0) = -\sin \alpha.$$

$$A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \alpha \end{vmatrix} = \cos \alpha. -0 = \cos \alpha.$$

$$\text{So, adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{21} & A_{31} \\ A_{12} & A_{22} & A_{32} \\ A_{13} & A_{23} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\cos \alpha & -\sin \alpha \\ 0 & -\sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj } A = \frac{1}{-\sin \alpha} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\cos \alpha & -\sin \alpha \\ 0 & -\sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \alpha & \sin \alpha \\ 0 & \sin \alpha & -\cos \alpha \end{bmatrix}$$

**Q12.** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 7 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 8 \\ 7 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$ . Verify that  $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$ .

**A.12.** Given,  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 7 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then  $|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 7 \\ 2 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = (15 - 14) = 1 \neq 0$

So,  $A^{-1}$  exist.

$$\text{Adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -7 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \left\{ \because \text{adj of } \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$\therefore A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj } A = \frac{1}{1} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -7 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -7 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

And  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 8 \\ 7 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then,  $|B| = \begin{vmatrix} 6 & 8 \\ 7 & 9 \end{vmatrix} = 54 - 56 = -2 \neq 0$

So  $B^{-1}$  exist

$$\text{adj } B = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & -8 \\ -7 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore B^{-1} = \frac{1}{|B|} \text{adj } B = \frac{1}{-2} \begin{bmatrix} 9 & -8 \\ -7 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Now, } AB = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 7 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 8 \\ 7 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \times 6 + 7 \times 7 & 3 \times 8 + 7 \times 9 \\ 2 \times 6 + 5 \times 7 & 2 \times 8 + 5 \times 9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 18 + 49 & 24 + 63 \\ 12 + 35 & 16 + 45 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 67 & 87 \\ 47 & 61 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|AB| = \begin{vmatrix} 67 & 87 \\ 47 & 61 \end{vmatrix} = 67 \times 61 - 87 \times 47 = 4087 - 4089 = -2 \neq 0$$

So,  $(AB)^{-1}$  exist

$$\text{adj } (AB) = \begin{bmatrix} 61 & -87 \\ -47 & 67 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore (AB)^{-1} = \frac{1}{|AB|} \text{adj } (AB) = \frac{1}{-2} \begin{bmatrix} 61 & -87 \\ -47 & 67 \end{bmatrix} = \text{L.H.S.}$$

$$\text{And R.H.S} = B^{-1} A^{-1} = \frac{1}{-2} \begin{bmatrix} 9 & -8 \\ -7 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -7 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{-2} \begin{bmatrix} 9 \times 5 + (-8)(-2) & 9 \times (-7) + (-8) \times 3 \\ -7 \times 5 + 6 \times (-2) & -7 \times (-7) + 6 \times 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{-2} \begin{bmatrix} 45 + 16 & -63 - 24 \\ -35 - 12 & 49 + 18 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{-2} \begin{bmatrix} 61 & -87 \\ -47 & 67 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore$  L.H.S. = R.H.S.

**Q13.** If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ , show that  $A^2 - 5A + 7I = 0$ . Hence find  $A^{-1}$

**A.13.** Given,  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\text{we have, } A^2 = A \cdot A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 3 \times 3 + 1 \times (-1) & 3 \times 1 + 1 \times 2 \\ (-1) \times 3 + (-1) \times 2 & (-1) \times 1 + 2 \times 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 9 - 1 & 3 + 2 \\ -3 - 2 & -1 + 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 5 \\ -5 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Hence, } A^2 - 5A + 7I = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 5 \\ -5 & 3 \end{bmatrix} - 5 \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} + 7 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 8 - 5 \times 3 + 7 \times 1 & 5 - 5 \times 1 + 7 \times 0 \\ -5 - 5 \times (1) + 7 \times 0 & 3 - 5 \times 2 + 7 \times 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

Now,  $A^2 - 5A + 7I = 0$ .

$$A \cdot A - 5A = -7I$$

$$\Rightarrow A \cdot A(A^{-1}) - 5(AA^{-1}) = -7I(A^{-1}) \quad (\text{Multiplying by } A^{-1} \text{ on both sides})$$

$$\Rightarrow AI - 5I = -7A^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow 7A^{-1} = -(AI - 5I)$$

$$\Rightarrow A^{-1} = \frac{1}{7}[-A + 5I]$$

$$= \frac{1}{7} \left\{ (-1) \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} + 5 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{7} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} (-1) \times 3 + 5 \times 1 & -1 + 5 \times 0 \\ (-1) \times (-1) + 5 \times 0 & (-1) \times 2 + 5 \times 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

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

**Q14.** For the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , find the numbers  $a$  and  $b$  such that  $A^2 + aA + bI = O$ .

**A.14.** Given,  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\text{We have, } A^2 = A \cdot A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \times 3 + 2 \times 1 & 3 \times 2 + 2 \times 1 \\ 1 \times 3 + 1 \times 1 & 1 \times 2 + 1 \times 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 11 & 8 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$As \ A^2+a \ A+bI=0.$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 11 & 8 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} + a \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + b \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 11+3a+b & 8+2a+0 \\ 4+a+0 & 3+a+b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Equating the (Corresponding) elements of the matrices,

$$11+3a+b=0 \quad \dots \dots \dots \text{(i)}$$

$$8+2a=0 \quad \text{---(ii)}$$

$$4+a=0 \quad \text{----- (iii)}$$

$$3+a+b=0 \quad \dots \dots \text{---(iv)}$$

Foreq<sup>n</sup>(iii),

$$4+a=0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{a = -4}$$

Put a value of a in equation (iv) we gets,

$$3+(-4)+b=0$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 + b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow b = 1$$

**Q15.** For the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ .

**A.15.** Given,  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ .

$$15A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^2 = A \cdot A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1+1+2 & 1+2-1 & 1-3+3 \\ 1+2-6 & 1+4+3 & 1-6-9 \\ 2-1+6 & 2-2-3 & 2+3+9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & 1 \\ -3 & 8 & -14 \\ 7 & -3 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^3 = A^2 \cdot A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & 1 \\ -3 & 8 & -14 \\ 7 & -3 & 14 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 4+2+2 & 4+4-1 & 4-6+3 \\ -3+8-28 & -3+16+14 & -3-24-42 \\ 7-3+28 & 7-6-14 & 7+9+42 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 7 & 1 \\ -23 & 27 & -69 \\ 32 & -13 & 58 \end{bmatrix}$$

Then,  $A^3 - 6A^2 + 5A + 11I$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 7 & 1 \\ -23 & 27 & -69 \\ 32 & -13 & 58 \end{bmatrix} - 6 \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & 1 \\ -3 & 8 & -14 \\ 7 & -3 & 14 \end{bmatrix} + 5 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} + 11 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 8-24+5+11 & 7-12+5+0 & 1-6+5+0 \\ -23+18+5+0 & 27-48+10+11 & -69+84-15 \\ 32-42+10+0 & -13+18-5+0 & 58-84+15+11 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0.$$

$$\therefore A^{-1} \times (A^3 - 6A^2 + 5A + 11I) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A^2 - 6A + 5I + 11A^{-1} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 11A^{-1} = 6A - 5I - A^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 11A^{-1} = 6 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} - 5 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & 1 \\ -3 & 8 & -14 \\ 7 & -3 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 6-5-4 & 6-2 & 6-1 \\ 6+3 & 12-5-8 & -18+14 \\ 12-7 & -6+3 & 18-5-14 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 4 & 5 \\ 9 & -1 & -4 \\ 5 & -3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow A^{-1} = \frac{1}{11} \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 4 & 5 \\ 9 & -1 & -4 \\ 5 & -3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Q16.** If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

Verify that  $A^3 - 6A^2 + 9A - 4I = 0$  and hence find  $A^{-1}$ .

**A.16.** We have,  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

Then,  $A^2 = A \cdot A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 4+1+1 & -2-2-1 & 1+1+2 \\ -2-2-1 & 1+4+1 & -1-2-2 \\ 2+1+2 & -1-2-2 & 1+1+4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -5 & 5 \\ -5 & 6 & -5 \\ 5 & -5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$A^3 = A^2 \cdot A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -5 & 5 \\ -5 & 6 & -5 \\ 5 & -5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 12+5+5 & -6-10-5 & 6+5+10 \\ -10-6-5 & 5+12+5 & -5-6-10 \\ 10+5+6 & -5-10-6 & 5+5+12 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 22 & -21 & 21 \\ -21 & 22 & -21 \\ 21 & -21 & 22 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore A^3 - 6A^2 + 9A - 4I$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 22 & -21 & 21 \\ -21 & 22 & -21 \\ 21 & -21 & 22 \end{bmatrix} - 6 \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -5 & 5 \\ -5 & 6 & -5 \\ 5 & -5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} + 9 \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} - 4 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 22-36+18-4 & -21+30-9-0 & 21-30+9-0 \\ -21+30-9-0 & 22-36+18-4 & -21+30-9-0 \\ 21-30+9-0 & -21+30-9-0 & 22-36+18-4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0.$$

$$\text{Now, } A^{-1} [A^3 - 6A^2 + 9A - 4I] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A^2 - 6A + 9I - 4A^{-1} = 0.$$

$$\Rightarrow 4A^{-1} = A^2 - 6A + 9I$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -5 & 5 \\ -5 & 6 & -5 \\ 5 & -5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} - 6 \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} + 9 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 6-12+9 & -5+6+0 & 5-6+0 \\ -5+6+0 & 6-12+9 & -5+6+0 \\ 5-6+0 & -5+6+0 & 6-12+9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A^{-1} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Let A be a nonsingular square matrix of order  $3 \times 3$ . Then  $|adj A|$  is equal to

- Q17.** (A)  $|A|$     (B)  $|A|^2$     (C)  $|A|^3$     (D)  $3|A|$

**A.17.** As A is a non-singular matrix of order  $3 \times 3$ .

$$|adj A| = |A|^{3-1} = |A|^2$$

$\therefore$  Option (B) is correct.

As A is an invertible matrix of order 2, then  $\det(A^{-1})$  is equal to

- Q18.** (A)  $\det(A)$     (B)  $\frac{1}{\det(A)}$     (C) 1    (D) 0

**A.18.** Given, A is an invertible matrix of order 2.

$$AA^{-1} = I.$$

$$\Rightarrow |AA^{-1}| = |I|.$$

$$\Rightarrow |A||A^{-1}| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow |A^{-1}| = \frac{1}{|A|}$$

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

$\therefore$  Option (B) is correct.

### Exercise 4.6

Examine the consistency of the system of equations in Exercise 1 to 6.

**Q1.** 
$$\begin{aligned}x + 2y &= 2 \\2x + 3y &= 3\end{aligned}$$

**A.1.** The given system of equation can be written in the form of  $AK = B$

Where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $K = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$

Now,  $|A| = 3 \times 1 - 2 \times 2 = 3 - 4 = -1 \neq 0$ .

$\therefore$  The system has unique sol<sup>n</sup> and hence equation are consistent

**Q2.** 
$$\begin{aligned}2x - y &= 5 \\x + y &= 4\end{aligned}$$

**A.2.** The given system of eq<sup>n</sup> can be written in the form  $AK = B$  where

$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $K = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$ .

Now,  $|A| = 2 - (-1) = 2 + 1 = 3 \neq 0$ .

$\therefore$  The system of eq<sup>n</sup>is consistent.

**Q3.** 
$$\begin{aligned}2x + 3y &= 5 \\2x + 6y &= 8\end{aligned}$$

**A.3.** The given system of equation can be written in the form  $AK = B$

Where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $K = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$

Now,  $|A| = 6 - 6 = 0$

$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -3 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$\therefore (\text{adj } A) B = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -3 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 30 - 24 \\ -10 + 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \neq 0$ .

Hence the given system of eq<sup>n</sup> are inconsistent.

$x + y + z = 1$

**Q4.**  $2x + 3y + 2z = 2$

$ax + ay = 2az = 4$

**A.4.** The given system of eq<sup>n</sup> using matrix method can be expressed as

$AK = B$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 2 \\ a & a & 2a \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Now, } |A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 2 \\ a & a & 2a \end{vmatrix} = 1 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ a & 2a \end{vmatrix} - 1 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ a & 2a \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ a & a \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (6a - 2a) - (4a - 2a) + (2a - 3a) \\ = 4a - 2a - a \\ = a \neq 0.$$

Hence, the given system of eq<sup>n</sup> is consistent

$$3x - y - 2z = 2$$

$$\text{Q5. } \begin{aligned} 2y - z &= -1 \\ 3x - 5y &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

**A.5.** The given system of eq<sup>n</sup> using matrix form can be written as  $AK = B$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -5 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Now, } |A| = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -5 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\ = 3 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -5 & 0 \end{vmatrix} - (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 3 & 0 \end{vmatrix} + (-2) \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 3 & -5 \end{vmatrix} \\ = 3(0 - 5) + 1(0 + 3) - 2(0 - 6) \\ = -15 + 3 + 12 \\ = -15 + 15 \\ = 0$$

$$A_{11} = (-1)^2 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -5 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (0 - 5) = -5.$$

$$A_{12} = (-1)^3 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 3 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = -(0 + 3) = -3$$

$$A_{13} = (-1)^4 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 3 & -5 \end{vmatrix} = (0 - 6) = -6.$$

$$A_{21} = (-1)^3 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & -2 \\ -5 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = -(0 - 10) = 10.$$

$$A_{22} = (-1)^4 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 3 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (0 + 6) = 6.$$

$$A_{23} = (-1)^5 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 3 & -5 \end{vmatrix} = -(-15 + 3) = 12.$$

$$A_{31} = (-1)^4 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & -2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (1 + 4) = 5.$$

$$A_{32} = (-1)^5 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 0 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -(-3 - 0) = 3.$$

$$A_{33} = (-1)^6 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (6 - 0) = 6$$

$$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 10 & 5 \\ -3 & 6 & 3 \\ -6 & 12 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore (\text{adj } A).B = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 10 & 5 \\ -3 & 6 & 3 \\ -6 & 12 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -10 - 10 + 15 \\ -6 - 6 + 9 \\ -12 - 12 + 18 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ -3 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix} \neq 0$$

$\therefore$  The given system of equation is inconsistent.

**Q6.**  $5x - y + 4z = 5$   
 $2x + 3y + 5z = 2$   
 $5x - 2y + 6z = -1$

**A.6.** The given system of eq<sup>n</sup> in matrix form is  $AK = B$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 & 4 \\ 2 & 3 & 5 \\ 5 & -2 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Then } |A| = \begin{vmatrix} 5 & -1 & 4 \\ 2 & 3 & 5 \\ 5 & -2 & 6 \end{vmatrix} = 5(18 + 10) - (-1)(12 - 25) + 4(-4 - 15)$$

$$= 5 \times 28 - 13 + 4 \times (-9)$$

$$= 140 - 13 - 76$$

$$= 51 \neq 0.$$

The given system of eq<sup>n</sup> are consistent

**Solve system of linear equations, using matrix method, in Exercise 7 to 14.**

**Q7.**  $5x + 2y = 4$   
 $7x + 3y = 5$

**A.7.** The given system of eq<sup>n</sup> in matrix form is  $AK = B$ .

$$\text{i.e., } \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 7 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

Then,  $|A| = 5 \times 3 - 7 \times 2 = 15 - 14 = 1 \neq 0$

$\therefore$  The system has a unique solution.

$$\text{And } X = A^{-1}B = \frac{\text{adj}(A)}{|A|} \cdot B$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{1} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ -7 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 12 - 10 \\ -28 + 25 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore k = 2$  and  $y = -3$

**Q8.**  $2x - y = -2$   
 $3x + 4y = 3$

**A.8.** The given system of eq<sup>n</sup> in matrix form is  $AK = B$

$$\text{i.e., } \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Then, } |A| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = 8 + 3 = 11 \neq 0$$

$\therefore$  The system has a unique solution.

$$\text{And } X = A^{-1}B = \frac{\text{adj}(A)}{|A|} \cdot B$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{11} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{11} \begin{bmatrix} -8 + 3 \\ 6 + 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -5/11 \\ 12/11 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore k = \frac{-5}{11} \text{ and } y = \frac{12}{11}$$

**Q9.**  $4x - 3y = 3$   
 $3x - 5y = 7$

**A.9.** The given system of eq<sup>n</sup> can be written in matrix form as

$$AK = B$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ 3 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Now, } |A| = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ 3 & -5 \end{vmatrix} = -20 + 9 = -11 \neq 0$$

So, the system has a unique solution

$$\text{And } K = A^{-1}B = \frac{\text{adj}(A)}{|A|} \cdot B = \frac{1}{-11} \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 3 \\ -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{-11} \begin{bmatrix} -15+21 \\ -9+28 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{-11} \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 19 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -6/11 \\ -19/11 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore k = \frac{-6}{11} \text{ and } y = \frac{-19}{11}$$

**Q10.**  $5x + 2y = 3$   
 $3x + 2y = 5$

**A.10.** The given system of equation in matrix form is

$$AK = B$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

Then  $|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 10 - 6 = 4 \neq 0$ .

Hence, the system has unique solution

i.e.,  $X = A^{-1}B = \frac{\text{adj}(A)}{|A|} \cdot B$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -2 \\ -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 6+0 \\ -9+25 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 16 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\therefore x = -1 \text{ and } y = 4$$

$$2x + y + z = 1$$

**Q11.**  $x - 2y - z = \frac{3}{2}$

$$3y - 5z = 9$$

**A.11.** The given system of solution in matrix form is  $AK = B$ .

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3/2 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now,  $|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 & -5 \end{vmatrix} = 2(10+3) - 1(-5-0) + 1(3-0) = 26 + 5 + 3 = 34 \neq 0$ .

So, the system has a unique solution.

Now,  $A_{11} = (-1)^2 \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 3 & -5 \end{vmatrix} = 10 + 3 = 13$

$$A_{12} = (-1)^3 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -5 \end{vmatrix} = -(-5 - 0) = 5$$

$$A_{13} = (-1)^4 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = (3 - 0) = 3$$

$$A_{21} = (-1)^3 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & -5 \end{vmatrix} = -(-5 - 3) = 8.$$

$$A_{22} = (-1)^4 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & -5 \end{vmatrix} = (-10 - 0) = -10.$$

$$A_{23} = (-1)^5 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = -(6 - 0) = -6.$$

$$A_{31} = (-1)^4 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1 + 2) = 1.$$

$$A_{32} = (-1)^5 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -(-2 - 1) = 3$$

$$A_{33} = (-1)^6 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = (-4 - 1) = -5.$$

$$\text{So, } A^{-1} = \frac{\text{adj}(A)}{|A|} = \frac{1}{34} \begin{bmatrix} 13 & 8 & 1 \\ 5 & -10 & 3 \\ 3 & -6 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore K = A^{-1}B = \frac{1}{34} \begin{bmatrix} 13 & 8 & 1 \\ 5 & -10 & 3 \\ 3 & -6 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3/2 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{34} \begin{bmatrix} 13+12+9 \\ 5-15+27 \\ 3-9-45 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{34} \begin{bmatrix} 34 \\ 17 \\ -51 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1/2 \\ -3/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore x = 1, y = 1/2 \text{ and } z = -3/2.$

$$x - y + z = 4$$

$$\text{Q12. } 2x + y - 3z = 0$$

$$x + y + z = 2$$

**A.12.** The given system of eq<sup>n</sup> can be written in matrix form as  $AK = B$ .

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -3 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Then, } |A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -3 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1(1+3) - (-1)(2+3) + 1(2-1) = 4 + 5 + 1 = 10 \neq 0.$$

$\therefore$  The sol<sup>n</sup> of the system is unique.

$$\text{Now, } A_{11} = (1) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 + 3 = 4$$

$$A_{12} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -(2 + 3) = -5$$

$$A_{13} = (1) \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (2 - 1) = 1$$

$$A_{21} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -(-1 - 1) = +2$$

$$A_{22} = (1) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 - 1 = 0$$

$$A_{23} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -(1 + 1) = -2$$

$$A_{31} = (1) \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 \end{vmatrix} = (3 - 1) = 2$$

$$A_{32} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & -3 \end{vmatrix} = -(-3 - 2) = 5$$

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

$$\text{So, } A^{-1} = \frac{\text{adj}(A)}{|A|} = \frac{1}{10} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & 2 \\ -5 & 0 & 5 \\ 1 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore K = A^{-1}B$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{10} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & 2 \\ -5 & 0 & 5 \\ 1 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{10} \begin{bmatrix} 16 + 0 + 4 \\ -20 + 0 + 10 \\ 4 - 0 + 6 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{10} \begin{bmatrix} 20 \\ -10 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore x = 2, y = -1 \text{ and } z = 1.$$

$$2x + 3y + 3z = 5$$

$$\text{Q13. } x - 2y + z = -4$$

$$3x - y - 2z = 3$$

**A.13.** The given system of equation can be represented in matrix form as  $AK = B$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Then  $|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = 2(4+1) - 3(-2-3) + 3(-1+6) = 10 + 15 + 15 = 40 \neq 0$ .

Now,  $A_{11} = \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = 4+1=5$

$$A_{12} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = -(-2-3)=5$$

$$A_{13} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 3 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -1+6=5$$

$$A_{21} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 3 \\ -1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = -(-6+3)=3$$

$$A_{22} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = -4-9=-13$$

$$A_{23} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -(-2-9)=11$$

$$A_{31} = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 3 \\ -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 3+6=9$$

$$A_{32} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -(2-3)=1$$

$$A_{33} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = -4-3=-7$$

So,  $A^{-1} = \frac{\text{adj}(A)}{|A|} = \frac{1}{40} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 & 9 \\ 5 & -13 & 1 \\ 5 & 11 & -7 \end{bmatrix}$

So,  $K = A^{-1}B$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{40} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 3 & 9 \\ 5 & -13 & 1 \\ 5 & 11 & -7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{40} \begin{bmatrix} 25-12+27 \\ 25+52+3 \\ 25-44-21 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{40} \begin{bmatrix} 40 \\ 80 \\ -40 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore x=1, y=2 \text{ and } z=-1$ .

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

**Q14.**  $3x + 4y - 5z = -5$

$$2x - y + 3z = 12$$

**A.14.** The given system of eq<sup>n</sup> can be written in matrix form as

$$AK = B$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 & -5 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ -5 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now,  $|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 & -5 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 1(12-5) - (-1)(9+10) + 2(-3-8) = 7 + 19 - 22 = 4 \neq 0.$

$\therefore$  The system has a unique solution.

$$\text{So, } A_{11} = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & -5 \\ -1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 12 - 5 = 7$$

$$A_{12} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = -(9+10) = -19$$

$$A_{13} = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -3 - 8 = -11$$

$$A_{21} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = -(-3+2) = 1$$

$$A_{22} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 3 - 4 = -1$$

$$A_{23} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -(-1+2) = -1$$

$$A_{31} = \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 4 & -5 \end{vmatrix} = 5 - 8 = -3$$

$$A_{32} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & -5 \end{vmatrix} = -(-5-6) = 11$$

$$A_{33} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 3 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = 4 + 3 = 7$$

$$\text{ie, } A^{-1} = \frac{\text{adj}(A)}{|A|} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 1 & -3 \\ -19 & -1 & 11 \\ -11 & -1 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{So, } K = A^{-1}B$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 1 & -3 \\ -19 & -1 & 11 \\ -11 & -1 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ -5 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 49 - 5 - 36 \\ -133 + 5 + 132 \\ -77 + 5 + 84 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 4 \\ 12 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore x=2, y=1$  and  $z=3$ .

**Q15.** If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 5 \\ 3 & 2 & -5 \\ 1 & 1 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$ , find  $A^{-1}$ . Using  $A^{-1}$  solve the system of equations

$$2x - 3y + 5z = 11$$

$$3x + 2y - 4z = -5$$

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

**A.15.** Given,  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 5 \\ 3 & 2 & -4 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\text{Then, } |A| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -3 & 5 \\ 3 & 2 & -4 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(-4+4) - (-3)(-6+4) + 5(3-2)$$

$$= 0 + 3(-2) + 5(1)$$

$$= -6 + 5 = -1 \neq 0$$

$\therefore A^{-1}$  exist and  $A^{-1} = \frac{\text{adj}(A)}{|A|}$

$$\text{Now, } A_{11} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = (-4+4) = 0$$

$$A_{12} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -4 \\ 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = -(-6+4) = 2$$

$$A_{13} = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 3-2 = 1$$

$$A_{21} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} -3 & 5 \\ 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = -(6-5) = -1$$

$$A_{22} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = -4-5 = -9$$

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

$$A_{31} = \begin{vmatrix} -3 & 5 \\ 2 & -4 \end{vmatrix} = 12-10 = 2.$$

$$A_{32} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 3 & -4 \end{vmatrix} = -(-8-15) = 23$$

$$A_{33} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ 3 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 4+9 = 13.$$

$$\therefore A^{-1} = \frac{\text{adj}(A)}{|A|} = \frac{1}{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & -9 & 23 \\ 1 & -5 & 13 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & -2 \\ -2 & 9 & -23 \\ -1 & 5 & -13 \end{bmatrix}$$

The given system of eq<sup>n</sup> in the matrix form is  $AX = B$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 5 \\ 3 & 2 & -4 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 11 \\ -5 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore$  The solution is unique we have,

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

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & -2 \\ -2 & 9 & -23 \\ -1 & 5 & -13 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 11 \\ -5 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 - 5 + 6 \\ -22 - 45 + 69 \\ -11 - 25 + 39 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore x = 1, y = 2$  and  $z = 3$ .

**Q16.** The cost of 4 kg onion, 3 kg wheat and 2 kg rice is `60. The cost of 2 kg onion, 4 kg wheat and 6 kg rice is `90. The cost of 6 kg onion 2 kg wheat and 3 kg rice is `70. Find cost of each item per kg by matrix method.

**A.16.** Let  $k$ ,  $y$  and  $z$  be the cost per kg of onion, wheat and rice. Then, we form a system of equations as follows

$$4k + 3y + 2z = 60$$

$$2k + 4y + 6z = 90$$

$$6k + 2y + 3z = 70$$

In matrix form we can write,

$$AX = B$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 6 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 60 \\ 90 \\ 70 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Then, } |A| = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 6 & 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 4(12 - 12) - 3(6 - 36) + 2(4 - 24)$$

$$= 0 - 3(-30) + 2(-20)$$

$$= 90 - 40$$

$$= 50 \neq 0.$$

$\therefore$  The system has a unique solution.

$$\text{Now, } A_{11} = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 6 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 12 - 12 = 0$$

$$A_{12} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 6 \\ 6 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = -(6 - 36) = 30$$

$$A_{13} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 6 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 4 - 24 = -20$$

$$A_{21} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = -(9 - 4) = -5$$

$$A_{22} = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 6 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 12 - 12 = 0$$

$$A_{23} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 6 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = -(8 - 18) = 10$$

$$A_{31} = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 4 & 6 \end{vmatrix} = 18 - 8 = 10$$

$$A_{32} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 6 \end{vmatrix} = -(24 - 4) = -20$$

$$A_{33} = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = 16 - 6 = 10$$

$$\text{So, } A^{-1} = \frac{\text{adj}(A)}{|A|} = \frac{1}{50} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -3 & 10 \\ 30 & 0 & -20 \\ -20 & 10 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

Hence,  $X = A^{-1}B$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{50} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -5 & 10 \\ 30 & 0 & -20 \\ -20 & 10 & 10 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 60 \\ 90 \\ 70 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{850} \begin{bmatrix} -450 + 700 \\ 1800 - 1400 \\ -1200 + 900 + 700 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{850} \begin{bmatrix} 250 \\ 400 \\ 400 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 8 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore x = 5, y = 8 \text{ and } z = 8$

The cost of onion, wheat and rice per kg are ₹ 5, ₹ 8 and ₹ 8 respectively.

### Miscellaneous Exercise

**Q1.** Prove that the determinant  $\begin{vmatrix} x & \sin\theta & \cos\theta \\ -\sin\theta & -x & 1 \\ \cos\theta & 1 & x \end{vmatrix}$  is independent of  $\theta$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{A.1.} \quad \Delta &= \begin{vmatrix} x & \sin\theta & \cos\theta \\ -\sin\theta & -x & 1 \\ \cos\theta & 1 & x \end{vmatrix} \\ &= x(-x^2 - 1) - \sin\theta(-x\sin\theta - \cos\theta) + \cos\theta(-\sin\theta + x\cos\theta) \\ &= -x^3 - x + x\sin^2\theta + \sin\theta\cos\theta - \cos\theta\sin\theta + x\cos^2\theta \\ &= -x^3 - x + x(\sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta) \\ &= -x^3 - x + x \\ &= -x^3, \text{ which is independent of } \theta.\end{aligned}$$

**Q2.** Without expanding the determinants, prove that

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & a^2 & bc \\ b & b^2 & ca \\ c & c^2 & ab \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & a^3 \\ 1 & b^2 & b^3 \\ 1 & c^2 & c^3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{Solution. L.H.S.} = \begin{vmatrix} a & a^2 & bc \\ b & b^2 & ca \\ c & c^2 & ab \end{vmatrix}$$

Multiplying R<sub>1</sub> by a, R<sub>2</sub> by b and R<sub>3</sub> by c

$$= \frac{1}{abc} \begin{vmatrix} a^2 & a^3 & abc \\ b^2 & b^3 & abc \\ c^2 & c^3 & abc \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\text{Taking } abc \text{ common from } c_3 = \frac{abc}{abc} \begin{vmatrix} a^2 & a^3 & 1 \\ b^2 & b^3 & 1 \\ c^2 & c^3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\text{Inter changing } c_1 \text{ and } c_3 = - \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^3 & a^2 \\ 1 & b^3 & b^2 \\ 1 & c^3 & c^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

Inter changing  $c_2$  and  $c_3 = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & a^3 \\ 1 & b^2 & b^3 \\ 1 & c^2 & c^3 \end{vmatrix} = R.H.S$

**Q3.** Evaluate  $\begin{vmatrix} \cos\alpha \cos\beta & \cos\alpha \sin\beta & -\sin\alpha \\ -\sin\beta & \cos\beta & 0 \\ \sin\alpha \cos\beta & \sin\alpha \sin\beta & \cos\alpha \end{vmatrix}$

**A.3**  $\begin{vmatrix} \cos\alpha \cos\beta & \cos\alpha \sin\beta & -\sin\alpha \\ -\sin\beta & \cos\beta & 0 \\ \sin\alpha \cos\beta & \sin\alpha \sin\beta & \cos\alpha \end{vmatrix}$

$$= -\sin\alpha(-\sin^2\beta \sin\alpha - \sin\alpha \cos^2\beta) - 0(\cos\alpha \cos\beta \sin\alpha \sin\beta - \cos\alpha \sin\beta \sin\alpha \cos\beta) + \cos\alpha(\cos\alpha \cos^2\beta + \cos\alpha \sin^2\beta)$$

$$= \sin^2\alpha(\sin^2\beta + \cos^2\beta) + \cos^2\alpha(\cos^2\beta + \sin^2\beta)$$

$$= \sin^2\alpha + \cos^2\alpha$$

$$= 1$$

**Q4.** If  $a, b$  and  $c$  are real numbers and

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} b+c & c+a & a+b \\ c+a & a+b & b+c \\ a+b & b+c & c+a \end{vmatrix} = 0 \text{ Show that either } a+b+c=0 \text{ or } a=b=c=0$$

**Solution.**  $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} b+c & c+a & a+b \\ c+a & a+b & b+c \\ a+b & b+c & c+a \end{vmatrix} = 0$

$$R_1 \rightarrow R_1 + R_2 + R_3$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 2(a+b+c) & 2(a+b+c) & 2(a+b+c) \\ c+a & a+b & b+c \\ a+b & b+c & c+a \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Taking  $2(a+b+c)$  common from  $R_1$

$$\Rightarrow 2(a+b+c) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ c+a & a+b & b+c \\ a+b & b+c & c+a \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Either  $2(a+b+c) = 0$  i.e.  $a+b+c=0$  or

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ c+a & a+b & b+c \\ a+b & b+c & c+a \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$c_2 \rightarrow c_2 - c_1 \text{ and } c_3 \rightarrow c_3 - c_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ c+a & b-c & b-a \\ a+b & c-a & c-b \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Expanding along  $R_1$

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} b-c & b-a \\ c-a & c-b \end{vmatrix} = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow (b-c)(c-b) - (b-a)(c-a) = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow bc - b^2 - c^2 + cb - bc + ab + ac - a^2 = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow -a^2 - b^2 - c^2 + ab + bc + ca = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Multiplying by -2

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow 2a^2 + 2b^2 + 2c^2 - 2ab - 2bc - 2ca = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow a^2 + a^2 + b^2 + b^2 + c^2 + c^2 - 2ab - 2bc - 2ca = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow (a^2 + b^2 - 2ab) + (a^2 + c^2 - 2ac) + (b^2 + c^2 - 2bc) = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow (a-b)^2 + (a-c)^2 + (b-c)^2 = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow a-b=0, b-c=0, c-a=0 \\ &\left[ \because x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 0 \Rightarrow x=0, y=0, z=0 \right] \\ &\Rightarrow a=b, b=c, c=a \\ &\Rightarrow a=b=c \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  Either  $a+b+c=0$  or  $a=b=c$

**Q5. Solve the equation**  $\begin{vmatrix} x+a & x & x \\ x & x+a & x \\ x & x & x+a \end{vmatrix} = 0, a \neq 0$

**Solution.**

$$\begin{vmatrix} x+a & x & x \\ x & x+a & x \\ x & x & x+a \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$R_1 \rightarrow R_1 + R_2 + R_3$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3x+a & 3x+a & 3x+a \\ x & x+a & x \\ x & x & x+a \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Taking  $3x+a$  common from  $R_1$

$$(3x+a) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ x & x+a & x \\ x & x & x+a \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Either  $3x+a=0 \Rightarrow x=-\frac{a}{3}$

Or

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ x & x+a & x \\ x & x & x+a \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$c_2 \rightarrow c_2 - c_1, c_3 \rightarrow c_3 - c_1$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ x & a & 0 \\ x & 0 & a \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

Expanding along  $R_1$ ,  $a^2=0$

$$\Rightarrow a=0$$

 ∴  $x=-\frac{a}{3}$  is the only solution.

**Q6. Prove that**  $\begin{vmatrix} a^2 & bc & ac+c^2 \\ a^2+ab & b^2 & ac \\ ab & b^2+bc & c^2 \end{vmatrix} = 4a^2b^2c^2$

**Solution.** L.H.S =  $\begin{vmatrix} a^2 & bc & ac+c^2 \\ a^2+ab & b^2 & ac \\ ab & b^2+bc & c^2 \end{vmatrix}$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} a^2 & bc & c(a+c) \\ a(a+b) & b^2 & ac \\ ab & b(b+c) & c^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

Taking a, b, c common from  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$  and  $c_3$  respectively

$$= abc \begin{vmatrix} a & c & a+c \\ a+b & b & a \\ b & b+c & c \end{vmatrix}$$

$$R_1 \rightarrow R_1 - R_2 - R_3$$

$$= abc \begin{vmatrix} -2b & -2b & 0 \\ a+b & b & a \\ b & b+c & c \end{vmatrix}$$

$$c_2 \rightarrow c_2 - c_1$$

$$= abc \begin{vmatrix} -2b & 0 & 0 \\ a+b & -a & a \\ b & c & c \end{vmatrix}$$

Expanding along  $R_1$

$$abc(-2b)(-2ac) = 4a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = R.H.S.$$

**Q7.** If  $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 1 \\ -15 & 6 & -5 \\ 5 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -2 \\ -1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  find  $(AB)^{-1}$

**A.7.**

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 1 \\ -15 & 6 & -5 \\ 5 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -2 \\ -1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -2 \\ -1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|B| = 1(3-0) - 2(-1-0) - 2(2-0) = 1 \neq 0$$

$\Rightarrow B^{-1}$  exists.

$$B_{11} = 3 \quad B_{12} = 1 \quad B_{13} = 2$$

$$B_{21} = 2 \quad B_{22} = 1 \quad B_{23} = 2$$

$$B_{31} = 6 \quad B_{32} = 2 \quad B_{33} = 5$$

$$\text{Hence, adj } B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 6 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Thus, } B^{-1} = \frac{1}{|B|} \text{adj } B = \frac{1}{1} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 6 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 6 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

We know that:  $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$ , then

$$\begin{aligned}
 (AB)^{-1} &= B^{-1}A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 6 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 1 \\ -15 & 6 & -5 \\ 5 & -2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} 9-30+30 & -3+12-12 & 3-10+12 \\ 3-15+10 & -1+6-4 & 1-5+4 \\ 6-30+25 & -2+12-10 & 2-10+10 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} 9 & -3 & 5 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

**Q8.** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ . Verify that

$$(i) [\text{adj } A]^{-1} = \text{adj } (A^{-1}) \quad (ii) (A^{-1})^{-1} = A$$

**A.8. (i)**  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\text{SO, } |A| = 1(15-1) - 2(10-1) + 1(2-3)$$

$$= 14 - 18 - 1$$

$$= -5 \neq 0$$

$\therefore A^{-1}$  exist.

$$A_{11} = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = 15 - 1 = 14$$

$$A_{12} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = -(10 - 1) = -9$$

$$A_{13} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 2 - 3 = -1$$

$$A_{21} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = -(10 - 1) = -9$$

$$A_{22} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = 5 - 1 = 4$$

$$A_{23} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -(1 - 2) = 1$$

$$A_{31} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 2 - 3 = -1$$

$$A_{32} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -(1 - 2) = 1$$

$$A_{33} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 3 - 4 = -1$$

So,  $\text{adj}(A) = \begin{bmatrix} 14 & -9 & -1 \\ -9 & 4 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

Let  $B = \text{adj}(A) = \begin{bmatrix} 14 & -9 & -1 \\ -9 & 4 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\text{So, } |B| = 14(-4 - 1) - (-9)(9 + 1) - 1(-9 + 4)$$

$$= -70 + 90 + 5 = 25 \neq 0$$

$\therefore B^{-1}$  exist

$$B_{11} = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -4 - 1 = -5$$

$$B_{12} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} -9 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -(9 + 1) = -10$$

$$B_{13} = \begin{vmatrix} -9 & 4 \\ -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -9 + 4 = -5$$

$$B_{21} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} -9 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -(9 + 1) = -10$$

$$B_{22} = \begin{vmatrix} 14 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (-14 - 1) = -15$$

$$B_{23} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 14 & -9 \\ -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -(14 - 9) = -5$$

$$B_{31} = \begin{vmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ 4 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -9 + 4 = -5$$

$$B_{32} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 14 & -1 \\ -9 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -(14 - 9) = -5$$

$$B_{33} = \begin{vmatrix} 14 & -9 \\ -9 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = 56 - 81 = -25$$

$$\text{So, } B^{-1} = \frac{1}{|B|} \text{adj } B$$

$$= \frac{1}{25} \begin{bmatrix} -5 & -10 & -5 \\ -10 & -15 & -5 \\ -5 & -5 & -25 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -1/5 & -2/5 & -1/5 \\ -2/5 & -3/5 & -1/5 \\ -1/5 & -1/5 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Let } C = A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj } A = \frac{1}{-5} \begin{bmatrix} 14 & -9 & -1 \\ -9 & 4 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} -14/5 & 9/5 & 1/5 \\ 9/5 & -4/5 & -1/5 \\ 1/5 & -1/5 & 1/5 \end{bmatrix}$$

So,

$$C_{11} = \begin{vmatrix} -4/5 & -1/5 \\ -1/5 & 1/5 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{-4}{25} - \frac{1}{25} = \frac{-5}{25} = -\frac{1}{5}$$

$$C_{12} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 9/5 & -1/5 \\ 1/5 & 1/5 \end{vmatrix} = -\left(\frac{9}{25} + \frac{1}{25}\right) = -\frac{10}{25} = -\frac{2}{5}$$

$$C_{13} = \begin{vmatrix} 9/5 & -4/5 \\ 1/5 & -1/5 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{-9}{25} + \frac{4}{25} = \frac{-5}{25} = -\frac{1}{5}$$

$$C_{21} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 9/5 & 1/5 \\ -1/5 & 1/5 \end{vmatrix} = (-1) \left(\frac{9}{25} + \frac{1}{25}\right) = -\frac{10}{25} = -\frac{2}{5}$$

$$C_{22} = \begin{vmatrix} -14/5 & 1/5 \\ 1/5 & 1/5 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{-14}{25} - \frac{1}{25} = \frac{-15}{25} = -\frac{3}{5}$$

$$C_{23} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} -14/5 & 9/5 \\ 1/5 & -1/5 \end{vmatrix} = -\left(\frac{14}{25} - \frac{9}{25}\right) = -\frac{5}{25} = -\frac{1}{5}$$

$$C_{31} = \begin{vmatrix} 9/5 & 1/5 \\ -4/5 & -1/5 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{-9}{25} + \frac{4}{25} = \frac{-5}{25} = -\frac{1}{5}$$

$$C_{32} = (-1) \begin{vmatrix} -14/5 & 1/5 \\ 9/5 & -1/5 \end{vmatrix} = -\left(\frac{14}{25} - \frac{9}{25}\right) = -\frac{5}{25} = -\frac{1}{5}$$

$$C_{33} = \begin{vmatrix} -14/5 & 9/5 \\ 9/5 & -4/5 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{56}{25} - \frac{81}{25} = \frac{-25}{25} = -1.$$

$$\text{So, adj } C = \begin{bmatrix} -1/5 & -2/5 & -1/5 \\ -2/5 & -3/5 & -1/5 \\ -1/5 & -1/5 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Hence,  $B^{-1} = \text{adj } C$

$$\Rightarrow (\text{adj } A)^{-1} = \text{adj}(A^{-1}) .$$

$$\text{(ii) Then, } C^{-1} = \frac{1}{|C|} \text{adj } (C)$$

$$|C| = \frac{-14}{5} \left( \frac{-4}{25} - \frac{1}{25} \right) - \frac{9}{5} \left( \frac{9}{25} + \frac{1}{25} \right) + \frac{1}{5} \left( \frac{-9}{25} + \frac{4}{25} \right)$$

$$= \frac{-14}{5} \left( \frac{-5}{25} \right) - \frac{9}{5} \left( \frac{10}{25} \right) + \frac{1}{5} \left( \frac{-5}{25} \right)$$

$$= \frac{14}{25} - \frac{18}{25} - \frac{1}{25} = -\frac{5}{25} = -\frac{1}{5}$$

$$\text{So, } C^{-1} = \frac{1}{(-1/5)} \begin{bmatrix} -1/5 & -2/5 & -1/5 \\ -2/5 & -3/5 & -1/5 \\ -1/5 & -1/5 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = A$$

$$\text{Hence, } (C^{-1}) = A \Rightarrow (A^{-1})^{-1} = A$$

**Q9.** Evaluate  $\begin{vmatrix} x & y & x+y \\ y & x+y & x \\ x+y & x & y \end{vmatrix}$

**A.9.  $\Delta$**  =  $\begin{vmatrix} x & y & x+y \\ y & x+y & x \\ x+y & x & y \end{vmatrix}$

Applying  $C_1 \rightarrow C_1 + C_2 + C_3$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 2(x+y) & y & x+y \\ 2(x+y) & x+y & x \\ 2(x+y) & x & y \end{vmatrix}$$

Taking  $2(x+y)$  as common from  $C_1$

$$= 2(x+y) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & y & x+y \\ 1 & x+y & x \\ 1 & x & y \end{vmatrix}$$

Applying  $R_1 \rightarrow R_1 - R_2$  &  $R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_3$

$$= 2(x+y) \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -x & y \\ 0 & y & x-y \\ 1 & y & y+k \end{vmatrix}$$

Expanding along  $C_1$

$$= 2(x+y) \{ (-x)(x-y) - y.y \}$$

$$= 2(x+y)(-x^2 + xy - y^2)$$

$$= -2(x+y)(x^2 - xy + y^2)$$

$$= -2 \{ x^3 - x^2y + xy^2 + x^2y - xy^2 + y^3 \}$$

$$= -2(x^3 + y^3)$$

**Q10.** Evaluate  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & y \\ 1 & x+y & y \\ 1 & x & x+y \end{vmatrix}$

**A.10.**  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & y \\ 1 & x+y & y \\ 1 & x & x+y \end{vmatrix}$

Applying  $R_1 \rightarrow R_1 - R_2$  and  $R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_3$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -y & 0 \\ 0 & y & -x \\ 1 & x & x+y \end{vmatrix}$$

Expanding along  $C_1$ ,

$$= \{(-y)(-x) - y \cdot 0\} \\ = xy$$

**Using properties of determinants in Exercise 11 to 15, prove that:**

**Q11.**  $\begin{vmatrix} \alpha & \alpha^2 & \beta+\gamma \\ \beta & \beta^2 & \gamma+\alpha \\ \gamma & \gamma^2 & \alpha+\beta \end{vmatrix} = (\beta-\gamma)(\gamma-\alpha)(\alpha-\beta)(\alpha+\beta+\gamma)$

**Solution**

$$L.H.S. = \begin{vmatrix} \alpha & \alpha^2 & \beta+\gamma \\ \beta & \beta^2 & \gamma+\alpha \\ \gamma & \gamma^2 & \alpha+\beta \end{vmatrix}$$

$$c_3 \rightarrow c_3 + c_1$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} \alpha & \alpha^2 & \alpha+\beta+\gamma \\ \beta & \beta^2 & \alpha+\beta+\gamma \\ \gamma & \gamma^2 & \alpha+\beta+\gamma \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (\alpha+\beta+\gamma) \begin{vmatrix} \alpha & \alpha^2 & 1 \\ \beta & \beta^2 & 1 \\ \gamma & \gamma^2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1 \text{ and } R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$$

$$= (\alpha+\beta+\gamma) \begin{vmatrix} \alpha & \alpha^2 & 1 \\ \beta-\alpha & \beta^2-\alpha^2 & 0 \\ \gamma-\alpha & \gamma^2-\alpha^2 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

Expanding along  $C_3$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (\alpha + \beta + \gamma) \begin{vmatrix} \beta - \alpha & \beta^2 - \alpha^2 \\ \gamma - \alpha & \gamma^2 - \alpha^2 \end{vmatrix} \\
&= (\alpha + \beta + \gamma) \begin{vmatrix} \beta - \alpha & (\beta - \alpha)(\beta + \alpha) \\ \gamma - \alpha & (\gamma - \alpha)(\gamma + \alpha) \end{vmatrix} \\
&\Rightarrow (\alpha + \beta + \gamma)(\beta - \alpha)(\gamma - \alpha) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & \beta + \gamma \\ 1 & \gamma + \alpha \end{vmatrix} \\
&\Rightarrow (\alpha + \beta + \gamma)(\beta - \alpha)(\gamma - \alpha) \{ \gamma + 2 - (\beta - \gamma) \} \\
&\Rightarrow (\alpha + \beta + \gamma)(\beta - \alpha)(\gamma - \alpha)(\gamma - \beta) \\
&\Rightarrow (\alpha + \beta + \gamma)(\alpha - \beta)(\beta - \gamma)(\gamma - \alpha) = R.H.S.
\end{aligned}$$

**Q12.**  $\begin{vmatrix} x & x^2 & 1 + px^3 \\ y & y^2 & 1 + py^3 \\ z & z^2 & 1 + pz^3 \end{vmatrix} = (1 + pxyz)(x - y)(y - z)(z - x)$

**Solution.**

$$\begin{aligned}
L.H.S. &= \begin{vmatrix} x & x^2 & 1 + px^3 \\ y & y^2 & 1 + py^3 \\ z & z^2 & 1 + pz^3 \end{vmatrix} \\
&= \begin{vmatrix} x & x^2 & 1 \\ y & y^2 & 1 \\ z & z^2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} x & x^2 & px^3 \\ y & y^2 & py^3 \\ z & z^2 & pz^3 \end{vmatrix} \\
&= \Delta_1 + \Delta_2 \quad \text{--- --- (1)}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Now } \Delta_2 &= \begin{vmatrix} x & x^2 & px^3 \\ y & y^2 & py^3 \\ z & z^2 & pz^3 \end{vmatrix} \\
&= pxyz \begin{vmatrix} 1 & x & x^2 \\ 1 & y & y^2 \\ 1 & z & z^2 \end{vmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
c_1 &\leftrightarrow c_3 \\
&= -pxyz \begin{vmatrix} x^2 & x & 1 \\ y^2 & y & 1 \\ z^2 & z & 1 \end{vmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
c_1 &\leftrightarrow c_2 \\
&= pxyz \begin{vmatrix} x & x^2 & 1 \\ y & y^2 & 1 \\ z & z^2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = pxyz \Delta_1
\end{aligned}$$

Putting value in (1)

$$\Rightarrow \Delta_1 + pxyz\Delta_1 \\ = (1 + pxyz)\Delta_1 \quad \text{---(2)}$$

$$\text{Now } \Delta_1 = \begin{vmatrix} x & x^2 & 1 \\ y & y^2 & 1 \\ z & z^2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1$  and  $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} x & x^2 & 1 \\ y-x & y^2-x^2 & 0 \\ z-x & z^2-x^2 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

Expanding along  $C_3$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_1 &= \begin{vmatrix} (y-x) & (y-x)(y+x) \\ (z-x) & (z-x)(z+x) \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (y-x)(z-x) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & y+x \\ 1 & z+x \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (y-x)(z-x)(z+x-y-x) \\ &= (x-y)(y-z)(z-x) \end{aligned}$$

Putting  $\Delta_1$  in (2)

$$L.H.S. = (1 + pxyz)(x-y)(y-z)(z-x) = R.H.S$$

$$\text{Q13. } \begin{vmatrix} 3a & -a+b & -a+c \\ -b+a & 3b & -b+c \\ -c+a & -c+b & 3c \end{vmatrix} = 3(a+b+c)(ab+bc+ca)$$

**Solution.**

$$L.H.S. = \begin{vmatrix} 3a & -a+b & -a+c \\ -b+a & 3b & -b+c \\ -c+a & -c+b & 3c \end{vmatrix}$$

$$c_1 \rightarrow c_1 + c_2 + c_3$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \begin{vmatrix} a+b+c & -a+b & -a+c \\ a+b+c & 3b & -b+c \\ a+b+c & -c+b & 3c \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (a+b+c) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -a+b & -a+c \\ 1 & 3b & -b+c \\ 1 & -c+b & 3c \end{vmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - R_1$  and  $R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - R_1$

$$= (a+b+c) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -a+b & -a+c \\ 0 & 3b+a-b & -b+a \\ 0 & -a+b+a-b & 3c+a-c \end{vmatrix}$$

Expanding along  $c_1$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (a+b+c) \begin{vmatrix} 2b+a & a-b \\ a-c & 2c+a \end{vmatrix} \\ &= (a+b+c) [4bc + 2ab + 2ac + a^2 + ac + ab - bc] \\ &= (a+b+c)(3ab + 3bc + 3ac) \\ &= 3(a+b+c)(ab + bc + ac) \\ &= R.H.S. \end{aligned}$$

**Q14.** Using properties of determinants,

Prove that:  $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1+p & 1+p+q \\ 2 & 3+2p & 4+3p+2q \\ 3 & 6+3p & 10+6p+3q \end{vmatrix} = 1$

**Solution.**

$$L.H.S. = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1+p & 1+p+q \\ 2 & 3+2p & 4+3p+2q \\ 3 & 6+3p & 10+6p+3q \end{vmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \rightarrow R_2 - 2R_1$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 3R_1$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1+p & 1+p+q \\ 0 & 1 & 2+p \\ 0 & 3 & 7+3p \end{vmatrix}$$

$$R_3 \rightarrow R_3 - 3R_2$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1+p & 1+p+q \\ 0 & 1 & 2+p \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

Expanding along  $c_1$

$$\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2+p \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 1 = R.H.S.$$

**Q15.**  $\begin{vmatrix} \sin \alpha & \cos \alpha & \cos(\alpha+\delta) \\ \sin \beta & \cos \beta & \cos(\beta+\delta) \\ \sin \gamma & \cos \gamma & \cos(\gamma+\delta) \end{vmatrix} = 0$

**Solution.**

$$\begin{aligned}
 L.H.S. &= \begin{vmatrix} \sin \alpha & \cos \alpha & \cos(\alpha + \delta) \\ \sin \beta & \cos \beta & \cos(\beta + \delta) \\ \sin \gamma & \cos \gamma & \cos(\gamma + \delta) \end{vmatrix} \\
 &= \frac{1}{\sin \delta \cos \delta} \begin{vmatrix} \sin \alpha \sin \delta & \cos \alpha \cos \delta & \cos(\alpha + \delta) \\ \sin \beta \sin \delta & \cos \beta \cos \delta & \cos(\beta + \delta) \\ \sin \gamma \sin \delta & \cos \gamma \cos \delta & \cos(\gamma + \delta) \end{vmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

Applying  $\cos(A+B) = \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$  in  $c_3$

$$c_1 \rightarrow c_1 + c_3$$

$$\Delta = \frac{1}{\sin \delta \cos \delta} \begin{vmatrix} \cos \alpha \cos \delta & \cos \alpha \cos \delta & \cos \alpha \cos \delta - \sin \alpha \sin \delta \\ \cos \beta \cos \delta & \cos \beta \cos \delta & \cos \beta \cos \delta - \sin \beta \sin \delta \\ \cos \gamma \cos \delta & \cos \gamma \cos \delta & \cos \gamma \cos \delta - \sin \gamma \sin \delta \end{vmatrix}$$

$$c_1 = c_2$$

$$\therefore \Delta = 0 = R.H.S.$$

**Q16. Solve the system of equations**

$$\frac{2}{x} + \frac{3}{y} + \frac{10}{z} = 4$$

$$\frac{4}{x} - \frac{6}{y} + \frac{5}{z} = 1$$

$$\frac{6}{x} + \frac{9}{y} - \frac{20}{z} = 2$$

**A.16.** Given equations are :-

$$\frac{2}{x} + \frac{3}{y} + \frac{10}{z} = 4$$

$$\frac{4}{x} - \frac{6}{y} + \frac{5}{z} = 1$$

$$\frac{6}{x} + \frac{9}{y} - \frac{20}{z} = 2$$

This system of equation can be written, in matrix form, as  $AX = B$ , Where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 10 \\ 4 & -6 & 5 \\ 6 & 9 & -20 \end{bmatrix}, \quad X = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{x} \\ \frac{1}{y} \\ \frac{1}{z} \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = 2(120 - 45) - 3(-80 - 30) + 10(36 + 36)$$

$$= 150 + 330 + 720$$

$$= 1200 \neq 0$$

i.e.,  $A^{-1}$  exists.

Now, we find adj A.

$$A_{11} = 75$$

$$A_{12} = 110$$

$$A_{13} = 72$$

$$A_{21} = 150$$

$$A_{22} = -100$$

$$A_{23} = 0$$

$$A_{31} = 75$$

$$A_{32} = 30$$

$$A_{33} = -24$$

Since,

$$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} 75 & 150 & 75 \\ 110 & -100 & 30 \\ 72 & 0 & -24 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Thus, } A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj } A = \frac{1}{1200} \begin{bmatrix} 75 & 150 & 75 \\ 110 & -100 & 30 \\ 72 & 0 & -24 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{x} \\ \frac{1}{y} \\ \frac{1}{z} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{1200} \begin{bmatrix} 75 & 150 & 75 \\ 110 & -100 & 30 \\ 72 & 0 & -24 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{x} \\ \frac{1}{y} \\ \frac{1}{z} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{1200} \begin{bmatrix} 300 + 150 + 150 \\ 440 - 100 + 60 \\ 288 + 0 - 48 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{x} \\ \frac{1}{y} \\ \frac{1}{z} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{1200} \begin{bmatrix} 600 \\ 400 \\ 240 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{5} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \Rightarrow \frac{1}{x} = \frac{1}{2}, \quad \frac{1}{y} = \frac{1}{3}, \quad \frac{1}{z} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2, y = 3, z = 5.$$

**Q17. Choose the correct answer**

If  $a, b, c$  are in AP, then the determinant

$$\begin{vmatrix} x+2 & x+3 & x+2a \\ x+3 & x+4 & x+2b \\ x+4 & x+5 & x+2c \end{vmatrix}$$

- A. 0
- B. 1
- C. Z
- D.  $2x$

Answer A

$$\begin{vmatrix} x+2 & x+3 & x+2a \\ x+3 & x+4 & x+2b \\ x+4 & x+5 & x+2c \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

**Q18.** If  $x, y, z$  are nonzero real numbers, then the inverse of matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & z \end{bmatrix}$  is

$$(A) \begin{bmatrix} x^{-1} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & z^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(B) xyz \begin{bmatrix} x^{-1} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & z^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(C) \frac{1}{xyz} \begin{bmatrix} x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(D) \frac{1}{xyz} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**A.8.**  $A = \begin{bmatrix} x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & z \end{bmatrix}$

$$|A| = x(yz - 0) - 0(0 - 0) + 0(0 - 0)$$

$$= xyz \neq 0$$

i.e.,  $A^{-1}$  exists.

$$\text{Therefore, } A_{11} = yz$$

$$A_{12} = 0$$

$$A_{13} = 0$$

$$A_{21} = 0$$

$$A_{22} = xz$$

$$A_{23} = 0$$

$$A_{31} = 0$$

$$A_{32} = 0$$

$$A_{33} = xy$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj } A = \frac{1}{xyz} \begin{bmatrix} yz & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & xz & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & xy \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1/x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} x^{-1} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & y^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & z^{-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

Hence, option (A) is correct.

**Q19.** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \sin\theta & 1 \\ -\sin\theta & 1 & \sin\theta \\ -1 & -\sin\theta & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , where  $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$ . Then

$$(A) \text{Det}(A) = 0 \quad (B) \text{Det}(A) \in (2, \infty)$$

$$(C) \text{Det}(A) \in (2, 4) \quad (D) \text{Det}(A) \in [2, 4]$$

**A.19.**  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \sin\theta & 1 \\ -\sin\theta & 1 & \sin\theta \\ -1 & -\sin\theta & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Expanding along  $C_1$

$$= 1(1 + \sin^2 \theta) + \sin \theta(-\sin \theta + \sin \theta) + 1(\sin^2 \theta + 1)$$

$$= 2(1 + \sin^2 \theta)$$

Given that :  $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq \sin \theta \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq \sin^2 \theta \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 \leq 1 + \sin^2 \theta \leq 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \leq 2(1 + \sin^2 \theta) \leq 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \det(A) \in [2, 4]$$

Therefore, the correct option is (D).

