

MATRIX REVIEW SHEET

DEFINITION:

Matrix **A** is a rectangular array of numbers (elements), arranged in m rows and n columns, referred to as an m x n matrix.

Each element is indicated by its position (i^{th} row, j^{th} column) as $a_{i,j}$.

Ex: $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -6 & 11 \\ 0 & 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ is a ___ x ___ matrix. The element -6 is a $a_{_,_}$ and $a_{2,2} = ______.$

TRANSPOSE: The transpose of a matrix (\mathbf{A}^T) is found by interchanging rows and columns.

Ex. If $\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -6 & 11 \\ 0 & 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$, then $\mathbf{A}^T =$

COMPLEX CONJUGATE: The complex conjugate of a matrix ($\bar{\mathbf{A}}$) is found by replacing each element of the matrix with its complex conjugate.

TRANSPOSE OF THE CONJUGATE: The transpose of the conjugate (\mathbf{A}^*) is also called the **adjoint** of the matrix.

Ex: $\mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 3+2i & -2 \\ 0 & -2-i \end{bmatrix}$

What is $\bar{\mathbf{B}}$?

What is \mathbf{B}^* ?

MATRIX PROPERTIES & OPERATIONS

Equality of Matrices: $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{B}$ if each element of A is equal to the corresponding element in B

Addition of Matrices: $\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}$ A and B must be the same size. Add corresponding elements of the matrices.

Scalar Multiplication: A scalar is any real number (or variable representing a real number). Multiply each element of the matrix by the scalar.

Matrix Multiplication: Matrices must be size compatible.

Ex: If A is 3 X 2 and B is 2 x 5 then AB is possible because (3 x 2) (2 x 4) inner values are equal and resulting matrix is measure of outer values (3 x 4). $\begin{matrix} \uparrow & \uparrow \\ \text{---} & \text{---} \\ = \end{matrix}$

Ex: $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ $B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 1 & 3 \\ -1 & -2 & 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ Find $AB =$

Inverse of a Matrix: You cannot divide by a matrix. The alternative is to multiply by the inverse of a matrix (A^{-1}). Only square ($n \times n$) matrices could have an inverse, but not all square matrices have inverses. Use your calculator to find the inverse of a matrix.

Ex. Find the inverse (if possible) of: $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 5 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$. $A^{-1} =$

Ex. Find the inverse (if possible) of: $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 10 & 20 \end{bmatrix}$. $B^{-1} =$

Matrix Functions: A matrix function has each element as a function of t or another variable:

Ex: $A = \begin{bmatrix} \sin t & t^2 - 1 \\ \sqrt{t} & \ln(t) \end{bmatrix}$

For a matrix function A:

A is **continuous** if each element of A is **continuous**.

A is **differentiable** if each element of A is **differentiable**.

A is **integrable** if each element of A is **integrable**.