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## **EXERCISE SET 1.1**

- **1. (b)** Not linear because of the term  $x_1x_3$ .
  - (d) Not linear because of the term  $x_1^{-2}$ .
  - (e) Not linear because of the term  $x_1^{3/5}$ .
- **7.** Since each of the three given points must satisfy the equation of the curve, we have the system of equations

$$ax_1^2 + bx_1 + c = y_1$$

$$ax_2^2 + bx_2 + c = y_2$$

$$ax_3^2 + bx_3 + c = y_3$$

If we consider this to be a system of equations in the three unknowns a, b, and c, the augmented matrix is clearly the one given in the exercise.

- **9.** The solutions of  $x_1 + kx_2 = c$  are  $x_1 = c kt$ ,  $x_2 = t$  where t is any real number. If these satisfy  $x_1 + \ell x_2 = d$ , then  $c kt + \ell t = d$ , or  $(\ell k)t = d c$  for all real numbers t. In particular, if t = 0, then d = c, and if t = 1, then  $\ell = k$ .
- 11. If x y = 3, then 2x 2y = 6. Therefore, the equations are consistent if and only if k = 6; that is, there are no solutions if  $k \neq 6$ . If k = 6, then the equations represent the same line, in which case, there are infinitely many solutions. Since this covers all of the possibilities, there is never a unique solution.

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## **EXERCISE SET 1.2**

- 1. (e) Not in reduced row-echelon form because Property 2 is not satisfied.
  - **(f)** Not in reduced row-echelon form because Property 3 is not satisfied.
  - (g) Not in reduced row-echelon form because Property 4 is not satisfied.
- **5. (a)** The solution is

$$x_3 = 5$$
 
$$x_2 = 2 - 2 x_3 = -8$$
 
$$x_1 = 7 - 4 x_3 + 3x_2 = -37$$

**(b)** Let  $x_4 = t$ . Then  $x_3 = 2 - t$ . Therefore

$$x_2 = 3 + 9t - 4x_3 = 3 + 9t - 4(2 - t) = -5 + 13t$$
  
 $x_1 = 6 + 5t - 8x_3 = 6 + 5t - 8(2 - t) = -10 + 13t$ 

**7. (a)** In Problem 6(a), we reduced the augmented matrix to the following row-echelon matrix:

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccccc}
1 & 1 & 2 & 8 \\
0 & 1 & -5 & -9 \\
0 & 0 & 1 & 2
\end{array}\right]$$

By Row 3,  $x_3$  = 2. Thus by Row 2,  $x_2$  =  $5x_3$  – 9 = 1. Finally, Row 1 implies that  $x_1$  =  $-x_2$  – 2  $x_3$  + 8 = 3. Hence the solution is

$$x_1 = 3$$

$$x_2 = 1$$

$$x_3 = 2$$

(c) According to the solution to Problem 6(c), one row-echelon form of the augmented matrix is

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

Row 2 implies that y=2z. Thus if we let z=s, we have y=2s. Row 1 implies that x=-1+y-2z+w. Thus if we let w=t, then x=-1+2s-2s+t or x=-1+t. Hence the solution is

$$x = -1 + t$$
$$y = 2s$$
$$z = s$$

**9. (a)** In Problem 8(a), we reduced the augmented matrix of this system to row-echelon form, obtaining the matrix

w = t

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

Row 3 again yields the equation 0 = 1 and hence the system is inconsistent.

(c) In Problem 8(c), we found that one row-echelon form of the augmented matrix is

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

Again if we let  $x_2 = t$ , then  $x_1 = 3 + 2x_2 = 3 + 2t$ .

11. (a) From Problem 10(a), a row-echelon form of the augmented matrix is

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2/5 & 6/5 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 27 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

If we let  $x_3=t$ , then Row 2 implies that  $x_2=5-27t$ . Row 1 then implies that  $x_1=(-6/5)x_3+(2/5)x_2=2-12t$ . Hence the solution is

$$x_1 = 2 - 12t$$

$$x_2 = 5 - 27t$$

$$x_3 = t$$

(c) From Problem 10(c), a row-echelon form of the augmented matrix is

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

If we let y = t, then Row 3 implies that x = 3 + t. Row 2 then implies that

$$w = 4 - 2x + t = -2 - t.$$

Now let v = s. By Row 1, u = 7/2 - 2s - (1/2)w - (7/2)x = -6 - 2s - 3t. Thus we have the same solution which we obtained in Problem 10(c).

**13. (b)** The augmented matrix of the homogeneous system is

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

This matrix may be reduced to

If we let  $x_3 = 4s$  and  $x_4 = t$ , then Row 2 implies that

$$4x_2 = -4t - 4s$$
 or  $x_2 = -t - s$ 

Now Row 1 implies that

$$3x_1 = -x_2 - 4s - t = t + s - 4s - t = -3s$$
 or  $x_1 = -s$ 

Therefore the solution is

$$x_1 = -s$$

$$x_2 = -(t+s)$$

$$x_3 = 4s$$

$$x_4 = t$$

**15. (a)** The augmented matrix of this system is

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 3 & 4 & 9 \\ 1 & 0 & -2 & 7 & 11 \\ 3 & -3 & 1 & 5 & 8 \\ 2 & 1 & 4 & 4 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

Its reduced row-echelon form is

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

Hence the solution is

$$I_1 = -1$$

$$I_2 = 0$$

$$I_3 = 1$$

$$I_4 = 2$$

**(b)** The reduced row-echelon form of the augmented matrix is

$$\begin{bmatrix}
1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0
\end{bmatrix}$$

If we let  $Z_2 = s$  and  $Z_5 = t$ , then we obtain the solution

$$Z_1 = -s - t$$

$$Z_2 = s$$

$$Z_3 = -t$$

$$Z_4 = 0$$

$$Z_5 = t$$

17. The Gauss-Jordan process will reduce this system to the equations

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

$$y - 2z = 10/7$$

$$(a^2 - 16)z = a - 4$$

If  $\alpha = 4$ , then the last equation becomes 0 = 0, and hence there will be infinitely many solutions—for instance, z=t, y=2  $t+\frac{10}{7}, x=-2$   $(2t+\frac{10}{7})+3t+4$ . If a=-4, then the last equation becomes 0=-8, and so the system will have no solutions. Any other value of a will yield a unique solution for z and hence also for y and x.

19. One possibility is

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Another possibility is

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 7 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 7/2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 7/2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**21.** If we treat the given system as linear in the variables  $\sin \alpha$ ,  $\cos \beta$ , and  $\tan \gamma$ , then the augmented matrix is

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

This reduces to

$$\begin{bmatrix}
 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 1 & 0
 \end{bmatrix}$$

so that the solution (for  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$  between 0 and 2  $\pi$ ) is

$$\sin \alpha = 0 \Rightarrow \alpha = 0, \pi, 2\pi$$

$$\cos \beta = 0 \Rightarrow \beta = \pi/2, 3\pi/2$$

$$\tan \gamma = 0 \Rightarrow \gamma = 0, \pi, 2\pi$$

That is, there are  $3 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 = 18$  possible triples  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ ,  $\gamma$  which satisfy the system of equations.

**23.** If  $\lambda = 2$ , the system becomes

$$-x_2 = 0$$

$$2x_1 - 3x_2 + x_3 = 0$$

$$-2x_1 + 2x_2 - x_3 = 0$$

Thus  $x_2$  = 0 and the third equation becomes –1 times the second. If we let  $x_1$  = t, then  $x_3$  = -2t.

**25.** Using the given points, we obtain the equations

$$d = 10$$

$$a + b + c + d = 7$$

$$27a + 9b + 3c + d = -11$$

$$64a + 16b + 4c + d = -14$$

If we solve this system, we find that a = 1, b = -6, c = 2, and d = 10.

**27.** (a) If  $\alpha = 0$ , then the reduction can be accomplished as follows:

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{b}{a} \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{b}{a} \\ 0 & \frac{ad-bc}{a} \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{b}{a} \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

If a = 0, then  $b \neq 0$  and  $c \neq 0$ , so the reduction can be carried out as follows:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} c & d \\ 0 & b \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{d}{c} \\ 0 & b \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{d}{c} \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Where did you use the fact that  $ad - bc \neq 0$ ? (This proof uses it twice.)

29. There are eight possibilities. They are

$$\begin{pmatrix}
1 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 1 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 1
\end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix}
1 & 0 & p \\
0 & 1 & q \\
0 & 0 & 0
\end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix}
1 & p & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 1 \\
0 & 0 & 0
\end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix}
0 & 1 & p \\
0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0
\end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix}
0 & 1 & p \\
0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0
\end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix}
0 & 1 & p \\
0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0
\end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix}
0 & 1 & p \\
0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0
\end{pmatrix}, \text{ where } p, q, \text{ are any real numbers,}$$
and
$$\begin{pmatrix}
0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0
\end{pmatrix}$$

(b) 
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & p \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & q \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & r \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & p & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & q & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & p & q & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & r & s \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & p & q \\ 0 & 1 & r & s \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & p & q \\ 0 & 1 & r & s \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & p & q \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & q & q \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & q & q \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & q \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & q \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & p & q & q \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & q & q \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & q & q \\ 0$$

**31. (a)** False. The reduced row-echelon form of a matrix is unique, as stated in the remark in this section.

**(b)** True. The row-echelon form of a matrix is not unique, as shown in the following example:

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

but

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

(c) False. If the reduced row-echelon form of the augmented matrix for a system of 3 equations in 2 unknowns is

$$\begin{bmatrix}
 1 & 0 & a \\
 0 & 1 & b \\
 0 & 0 & 0
 \end{bmatrix}$$

then the system has a unique solution. If the augmented matrix of a system of 3 equations in 3 unknowns reduces to

$$\left[ 
 \begin{array}{cccc}
 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0
 \end{array}
 \right]$$

then the system has no solutions.

**(d)** False. The system can have a solution only if the 3 lines meet in at least one point which is common to all 3.

#### **EXERCISE SET 1.3**

- 1. (c) The matrix AE is  $4 \times 4$ . Since B is  $4 \times 5$ , AE + B is not defined.
  - (e) The matrix A + B is  $4 \times 5$ . Since E is  $5 \times 4$ , E(A + B) is  $5 \times 5$ .
  - **(h)** Since  $A^T$  is  $5 \times 4$  and E is  $5 \times 4$ , their sum is also  $5 \times 4$ . Thus  $(A^T + E)D$  is  $5 \times 2$ .
- **3.** (e) Since 2B is a  $2 \times 2$  matrix and C is a  $2 \times 3$  matrix, 2B C is not defined.
  - (g) We have

$$-3(D+2E) = -3\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 12 & 2 & 6 \\ -2 & 2 & 4 \\ 8 & 2 & 6 \end{bmatrix}\right)$$
$$= -3\begin{bmatrix} 13 & 7 & 8 \\ -3 & 2 & 5 \\ 11 & 4 & 10 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -39 & -21 & -24 \\ 9 & -6 & -15 \\ -33 & -12 & -30 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (j) We have tr(D-3E) = (1-3(6)) + (0-3(1)) + (4-3(3)) = -25.
- **5. (b)** Since B is a  $2 \times 2$  matrix and A is a  $3 \times 2$  matrix, BA is not defined (although AB is).
  - (d) We have

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 12 & -3 \\ -4 & 5 \\ 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Hence

$$(AB)C = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 45 & 9 \\ 11 & -11 & 17 \\ 7 & 17 & 13 \end{bmatrix}$$

(e) We have

$$A(BC) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 15 & 3 \\ 6 & 2 & 10 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 45 & 9 \\ 11 & -11 & 17 \\ 7 & 17 & 13 \end{bmatrix}$$

(f) We have

$$CC^{T} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 4 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 21 & 17 \\ 17 & 35 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (j) We have  $tr(4E^T D) = tr(4E D) = (4(6) 1) + (4(1) 0) + (4(3) 4) = 35$ .
- 7. (a) The first row of A is

$$A_1 = [3 -2 7]$$

Thus, the first row of AB is

$$A_{1}B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -2 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 7 & 7 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 67 & 41 & 41 \end{bmatrix}$$

(c) The second column of B is

$$B_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus, the second column of AB is

$$AB_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 7 \\ 6 & 5 & 4 \\ 0 & 4 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 41 \\ 21 \\ 67 \end{bmatrix}$$

(e) The third row of A is

$$A_3 = [0 4 9]$$

Thus, the third row of AA is

$$A_3 A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 7 \\ 6 & 5 & 4 \\ 0 & 4 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 24 & 56 & 97 \end{bmatrix}$$

**9.** (a) The product yA is the matrix

$$[y_1a_{11} + y_2a_{21} + \dots + y_ma_{m1} \qquad y_1a_{12} + y_2a_{22} + \dots + y_ma_{m2} \dots \\ y_1a_{1n} + y_2a_{2n} + \dots + y_ma_{mn}]$$

We can rewrite this matrix in the form

$$y_{1}\left[a_{11}\,a_{12}\,\cdots\,a_{1n}\right]+y_{2}\left[a_{21}\,a_{22}\,\cdots\,a_{2n}\right]+\cdots+y_{m}\left[a_{m1}\,a_{m2}\,\cdots\,a_{mn}\right]$$

which is, indeed, a linear combination of the row matrices of A with the scalar coefficients of  $\mathbf{y}$ .

**(b)** Let  $y = [y_1, y_2, \dots, y_m]$ 

and 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} A_1 \\ A_2 \\ \vdots \\ A_m \end{bmatrix}$$
 be the  $m$  rows of  $A$ .

by 9a, 
$$yA = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 & A_1 \\ y_2 & A_2 \\ \vdots & y_m & A_m \end{bmatrix}$$

Taking transposes of both sides, we have

$$(yA)^T = A^T y^T = (A_1 \mid A_2 \mid \cdots \mid A_m) \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_m \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} y_1 & A_1 \\ y_2 & A_2 \\ \vdots & & \\ y_m & A_m \end{bmatrix}^T = (y_1 A_1 | y_2 A_2 | \dots | y_m A_m)$$

11. Let  $f_{ij}$  denote the entry in the  $i^{\text{th}}$  row and  $j^{\text{th}}$  column of C(DE). We are asked to find  $f_{23}$ . In order to compute  $f_{23}$ , we must calculate the elements in the second row of C and the third column of DE. According to Equation (3), we can find the elements in the third column of DE by computing  $DE_3$  where  $E_3$  is the third column of E. That is,

$$f_{23} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 19 \\ 0 \\ 25 \end{bmatrix} = 182$$

15. (a) By block multiplication,

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -8 & 9 \\ 9 & -15 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 14 \\ 28 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -10 \\ 14 \end{bmatrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} -13 & 26 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 42 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 14 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 27 \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 23 & | -10 \\ 37 & -13 & 8 \\ 29 & 23 & 41 \end{bmatrix}$$

17. (a) The partitioning of A and B makes them each effectively  $2 \times 2$  matrices, so block multiplication might be possible. However, if

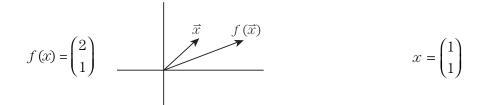
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} B_{11} & B_{12} \\ B_{21} & B_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

then the products  $A_{11}B_{11}$ ,  $A_{12}B_{21}$ ,  $A_{11}B_{12}$ ,  $A_{12}B_{22}$ ,  $A_{21}B_{11}$ ,  $A_{22}B_{21}$ ,  $A_{21}B_{12}$ , and  $A_{22}B_{22}$  are all undefined. If even *one* of these is undefined, block multiplication is impossible.

- **21. (b)** If i > j, then the entry  $a_{ij}$  has row number larger than column number; that is, it lies below the matrix diagonal. Thus  $[a_{ij}]$  has all zero elements below the diagonal.
  - (d) If |i-j| > 1, then either i-j > 1 or i-j < -1; that is, either i > j+1 or j > i+1. The first of these inequalities says that the entry  $a_{ij}$  lies below the diagonal and also below the "subdiagonal" consisting of all entries immediately below the diagonal ones. The second inequality says that the entry  $a_{ij}$  lies above the diagonal and also above the entries immediately above the diagonal ones. Thus we have

$$[a_{ij}] = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a_{32} & a_{33} & a_{34} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a_{43} & a_{44} & a_{45} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a_{54} & a_{55} & a_{56} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & a_{65} & a_{66} \end{bmatrix}$$

23.



$$f(x) = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \qquad x = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$
(a)

$$f(x) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$f(x) = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + x_2 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(b)$$

$$x = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

**(c)** 

**27.** The only solution to this system of equations is, by inspection,

(d) 
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

**29.** (a) Let 
$$B = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$$
. Then  $B^2 = A$  implies that

$$a^{2} + bc = 2$$

$$ac + cd = 2$$

$$ab + bd = 2$$

$$bc + d^{2} = 2$$

One might note that a=b=c=d=1 and a=b=c=d=-1 satisfy (\*). Solving the first and last of the above equations simultaneously yields  $a^2=d^2$ . Thus  $a=\pm d$ . Solving the remaining 2 equations yields c(a+d)=b(a+d)=2. Therefore  $a\neq -d$  and a and d cannot both be zero. Hence we have  $a=d\neq 0$ , so that ac=ab=1, or b=c=1/a. The first equation in (\*) then becomes  $a^2+1/a^2=2$  or  $a^4-2a^2+1=0$ . Thus  $a=\pm 1$ . That is,

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

are the only square roots of A.

**(b)** Using the reasoning and the notation of Part (a), show that either a = -d or b = c = 0. If a = -d, then  $a^2 + bc = 5$  and  $bc + a^2 = 9$ . This is impossible, so we have b = c = 0. This implies that  $a^2 = 5$  and  $d^2 = 9$ . Thus

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

are the 4 square roots of A.

Note that if A were  $\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ , say, then  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & r \\ 4/r & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  would be a square root of A for

every nonzero real number r and there would be infinitely many other square roots as well.

(c) By an argument similar to the above, show that if, for instance,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$$

where BB = A, then either a = -d or b = c = 0. Each of these alternatives leads to a contradiction. Why?

- **31.** (a) True. If A is an  $m \times n$  matrix, then  $A^T$  is  $n \times m$ . Thus  $AA^T$  is  $m \times m$  and  $A^TA$  is  $n \times n$ . Since the trace is defined for every square matrix, the result follows.
  - **(b)** True. Partition A into its row matrices, so that

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} r_1 \\ r_2 \\ \vdots \\ r_m \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } A^T = \begin{bmatrix} r_1^T & r_2^T & \cdots & r_m^T \end{bmatrix}$$

Then

$$AA^{T} = \begin{bmatrix} r_{1}r_{1}^{T} & r_{1}r_{2}^{T} & \cdots & r_{1}r_{m}^{T} \\ r_{2}r_{1}^{T} & r_{2}r_{2}^{T} & \cdots & r_{2}r_{m}^{T} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ r_{m}r_{1}^{T} & r_{m}r_{2}^{T} & \cdots & r_{m}r_{m}^{T} \end{bmatrix}$$

Since each of the rows  $r_i$  is a  $1\times n$  matrix, each  $r_i^T$  is an  $n\times 1$  matrix, and therefore each matrix  $r_i$   $r_j^T$  is a  $1\times 1$  matrix. Hence

$$\operatorname{tr}(AA^T) = r_1 \; r_1^T + r_2 \; r_2^T + \cdots + r_m \; r_m^T$$

Note that since  $r_i r_i^T$  is just the sum of the squares of the entries in the  $i^{\text{th}}$  row of A,  $r_1$   $r_1^T + r_2 r_2^T + \cdots + r_m r_m^T$  is the sum of the squares of all of the entries of A.

A similar argument works for  $A^TA$ , and since the sum of the squares of the entries of  $A^T$  is the same as the sum of the squares of the entries of A, the result follows.

- **31.** (c) False. For instance, let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .
  - (d) True. Every entry in the first row of AB is the matrix product of the first row of A with a column of B. If the first row of A has all zeros, then this product is zero.

## **EXERCISE SET 1.4**

**1. (a)** We have

$$A + B = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & -4 & -2 \\ 0 & 5 & 7 \\ 2 & -6 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

Hence,

$$(A+B)+C = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & -4 & -2 \\ 0 & 5 & 7 \\ 2 & -6 & 10 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 & 3 \\ 1 & 7 & 4 \\ 3 & 5 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 10 & -6 & 1 \\ 1 & 12 & 11 \\ 5 & -1 & 19 \end{bmatrix}$$

On the other hand,

$$B + C = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -5 & -2 \\ 1 & 8 & 6 \\ 7 & -2 & 15 \end{bmatrix}$$

Hence,

$$A + (B+C) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 & 5 \\ -2 & 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -5 & -2 \\ 1 & 8 & 6 \\ 7 & -2 & 15 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & -6 & 1 \\ 1 & 12 & 11 \\ 5 & -1 & 19 \end{bmatrix}$$

**1. (c)** Since a + b = -3, we have

$$(a+b)C = (-3)\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 & 3 \\ 1 & 7 & 4 \\ 3 & 5 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 6 & -9 \\ -3 & -21 & -12 \\ -9 & -15 & -27 \end{bmatrix}$$

Also

$$aC + bC = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -8 & 12 \\ 4 & 28 & 16 \\ 12 & 20 & 36 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 14 & -21 \\ -7 & -49 & -28 \\ -21 & -35 & -63 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 6 & -9 \\ -3 & -21 & -12 \\ -9 & -15 & -27 \end{bmatrix}$$

**3. (b)** Since

$$(A+B)^T = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & -4 & -2 \\ 0 & 5 & 7 \\ 2 & -6 & 10 \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 0 & 2 \\ -4 & 5 & -6 \\ -2 & 7 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

and

$$A^{T} + B^{T} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & -2 \\ -1 & 4 & 1 \\ 3 & 5 & -4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 0 & 4 \\ -3 & 1 & -7 \\ -5 & 2 & 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 0 & 2 \\ -4 & 5 & -6 \\ -2 & 7 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

the two matrices are equal.

**3. (d)** Since

$$(AB)^T = \begin{bmatrix} 28 & -28 & 6 \\ 20 & -31 & 38 \\ 0 & -21 & 36 \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 28 & 20 & 0 \\ -28 & -31 & -21 \\ 6 & 38 & 36 \end{bmatrix}$$

and

$$B^{T}A^{T} = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 0 & 4 \\ -3 & 1 & -7 \\ -5 & 2 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & -2 \\ -1 & 4 & 1 \\ 3 & 5 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 28 & 20 & 0 \\ -28 & -31 & -21 \\ 6 & 38 & 36 \end{bmatrix}$$

the two matrices are equal.

5. (b)

$$(B^T)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ -3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{20} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -4 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(B^{-1})^T = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{20} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ -4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \end{bmatrix}^T = \frac{1}{20} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ -4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}^T = \frac{1}{20} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -4 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

7. **(b)** We are given that  $(7A)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 7 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ . Therefore

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

Thus,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2/7 & 1\\ 1/7 & 3/7 \end{bmatrix}$$

7. **(d)** If 
$$(I + 2A)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$
, then  $I + 2A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{5}{13} & \frac{2}{13} \\ \frac{4}{13} & \frac{1}{13} \end{bmatrix}$ . Hence

$$2A = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{5}{13} & \frac{2}{13} \\ \frac{4}{13} & \frac{1}{13} \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{18}{13} & \frac{2}{13} \\ \frac{4}{13} & -\frac{12}{13} \end{bmatrix}, \text{ so that } A = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{9}{13} & \frac{1}{13} \\ \frac{2}{13} & -\frac{6}{13} \end{bmatrix}.$$

**9. (b)** We have

$$p(A) = 2 \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{2} - \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + 1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= 2 \begin{bmatrix} 11 & 4 \\ 8 & 3 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 22 & 8 \\ 16 & 6 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} 20 & 7 \\ 14 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

**11.** Call the matrix A. By Theorem 1.4.5,

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$$

since  $\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1$ .