

Journal Entry #4 (refer to yellow sheet)

Find the coordinates of the image under the given transformation. Be sure to set up your matrix and write your answer as a matrix.

(-y, x)

Rotation 90° Counterclockwise

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 1 & -2 \\ -4 & -3 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 & 5 \\ -4 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

The Identity Matrix

The $n \times n$ Identity matrix is the matrix that has 1's on the main diagonal (upper left to lower right) and 0's everywhere else.

The letter I is used to denote the identity matrix.

2 x 2 Identity Matrix

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

3 x 3 Identity Matrix

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

IMPORTANT: Not all matrices have an inverse. To determine if a matrix has an inverse, evaluate its determinant. If $\det A = 0$, then the matrix does not have an inverse. Likewise, if $\det A \neq 0$, then the matrix has an inverse.

The notation A^{-1} is used to denote the inverse matrix.

How to Find the Inverse Matrix

The inverse of matrix $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$ is given by:

- Type into Matrix.
 - Then use x^{-1}
- $[A]^{-1}$ enter

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{ad - cb} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}, \text{ provided that } ad - cb \neq 0.$$

Example. Find the inverse of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$.

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{6 - 4} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{2} \\ -2 & \frac{3}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

Example. Find the inverse of each matrix.

1) $\begin{bmatrix} -4 & 3 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$

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

The inverse of a 3 x 3 matrix is difficult to compute by hand. A calculator will compute the inverse matrices.

Use the calculator to find the inverse of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 6 & -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -2/7 & 3/7 & 1/7 \\ -9/7 & 3/7 & 1/7 \\ -2/7 & -4/7 & 1/7 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solving Matrix Equations using Inverses

Matrix Equations will be written in the form $AX = B$, where A and B are 2 by 2 matrices. To solve this type of equation, You must get it in the form: $x = A^{-1}B$.

!!! ORDER MATTERS! On the right side, you **MUST** put the inverse first: $x = A^{-1}B$

Solve the Matrix Equation. Be sure to write in the form $x = A^{-1}B$. Use your calculator 😊

1) $\begin{bmatrix} -5 & -13 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} X = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & -13 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1.48 & -.2 \\ -.68 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

2) $\begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ 8 & 2 \end{bmatrix} X = \begin{bmatrix} 17 & 20 \\ 26 & 20 \end{bmatrix}$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ 8 & 2 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 17 & 20 \\ 26 & 20 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 10/3 & 10/3 \\ -1/3 & -10/3 \end{bmatrix}$$