

## Homework: Multiplicative Inverses of Matrices and Matrix Equations

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In Problems 1-3, use the fact that if  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$  then  $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad-bc} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$  to find the inverse of each matrix, if possible.

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| 1.<br>$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$ | 2.<br>$A = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ |
| 3.<br>$A = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 2 \\ 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$   |   |

In Problems 4-8, find  $A^{-1}$

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| 4.<br>$A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ -3 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$   | 5.<br>$A = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -1 & -2 \\ 0 & 3 & -4 \\ 2 & 1 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$ |
| 6.<br>$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -4 \\ 1 & -5 & 0 \\ -4 & 0 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$                              | 7.<br>$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 1 \\ -4 & 2 & 0 \\ -3 & -7 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ |
| 8.<br>$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 3 & 5 \\ 1 & -6 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -3 & 1 & 4 \\ -5 & 1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ |  |

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In Problems 9-11, solve the linear system using matrices

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| 9.<br>$3x + y + z = -2$<br>$4x - y - z = 1$<br>$x - 2y - 3z = -3$   | 10.<br>$x - y + 2z = 3$<br>$x - y = -3$<br>$3x + y + 2z = 4$ |
| 11.<br>$w + 3x - 4y + 2z = -1$<br>$w - x - y - z = -2$<br>$w + 3x - 4y + z = 8$<br>$w + 2x - y - 3z = -2$ |  |