



Q1. Evaluate the following determinants:

(i).

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

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

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

$$= 5(1) + 2(0) - 4(1)$$

$$= 1$$

(ii).

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

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

$$= 5(2-1) - 2(-6+2) - 3(3-2)$$

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

$$= 10$$

(iii).

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ -1 & 3 & 4 \\ -2 & 5 & 6 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{vmatrix} - 2 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 4 \\ -2 & 6 \end{vmatrix} + (-3) \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 3 \\ -2 & 5 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(18-20) - 2(-6+8) - 3(-5+6)$$

$$= 1(-2) - 2(2) - 3(1)$$

$$= -9$$

(iv).

$$\begin{vmatrix} a+l & a-l & a \\ a & a+l & a-l \\ a-l & a & a+l \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} a+l & a-l & a \\ a & a+l & a-l \\ a-l & a & a+l \end{vmatrix} C_1 + C_2 + C_3$$

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

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3a & a-l & a \\ 3a & a+l & a-l \\ 3a & a & a+l \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 3a & a-l & a \\ 3a & a+l & a-l \\ 3a & a & a+l \end{vmatrix} \text{ By taking common } 3a \text{ from } C_1.$$

$$= 3a \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a-l & a \\ 1 & a+l & a-l \\ 1 & a & a+l \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 3a \left\{ \begin{vmatrix} a+l & a-l \\ a & a+l \end{vmatrix} - (a-l) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a-l \\ 1 & a+l \end{vmatrix} + a \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a+l \\ 1 & a \end{vmatrix} \right\}$$

$$= 3a \{ 1((a+l)^2 - a(a-l)) - (a-l)(a+l-a+l) + a(a-a-l) \}$$

$$= 3a \{ a^2 + l^2 + 2al - a^2 + al - (a-l)(2l) + a(-l) \}$$

$$= 3a \{ a^2 + l^2 + 2al - a^2 + al - 2al + 2l^2 - al \}$$

$$= 3a \{ 3l^2 \}$$

$$= 9al^2$$

$$= 1 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{vmatrix} - 2 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 4 \\ -2 & 6 \end{vmatrix} + (-3) \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 3 \\ -2 & 5 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(18-20) - 2(-6+8) - 3(-5+6)$$

$$= 1(-2) - 2(2) - 3(1)$$

$$= -9$$

(v).

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

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

$$= 1(-1+12) - 2(1+6) - 2(-4-2)$$

$$= 9$$

(vi).

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

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

R_2 and c from R_3

$$= abc \left\{ 2 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} - 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \right\}$$

$$= abc \{ 2(4-1) - 1(2-1) + 1(1-2) \}$$

$$= 4abc$$

Q2. Without expansion show that:

(i).

$$\begin{vmatrix} 6 & 7 & 8 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 6 & 7 & 8 \\ 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \end{vmatrix}$$

By $c_2 - c_1$ and $c_3 - c_2$,

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 6 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 = R.H.S$$

(ii).

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

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -3 & 5 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 3 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 5 & -3 & 5 \end{vmatrix} c_1 - c_2$$

$$L.H.S = 0 = R.H.S$$

(iii).

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 1 \\ 7 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} C_2 - C_1 \\ C_3 - C_2 \end{matrix}$$

$$L.H.S = 0 = R.H.S$$

Q3. Show that:

(i).

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} + \alpha_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} + \alpha_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} + \alpha_{33} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \alpha_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \alpha_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & \alpha_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} + \alpha_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} + \alpha_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} + \alpha_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = (a_{13} + \alpha_{13}) \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix} - (a_{23} + \alpha_{23}) \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix} + (a_{33} + \alpha_{33}) \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$+ (a_{33} + \alpha_{33}) \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = a_{13} \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix} + \alpha_{13} \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix} - a_{23} \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix} + \alpha_{23} \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix} + a_{33} \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{vmatrix} + \alpha_{33} \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \left\{ a_{13} \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix} - a_{23} \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix} + a_{33} \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{vmatrix} \right\}$$

$$+ \left\{ \alpha_{13} \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix} - \alpha_{23} \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix} + \alpha_{33} \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{vmatrix} \right\}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \alpha_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \alpha_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & \alpha_{33} \end{vmatrix} = R.H.S$$

(ii).

$$\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 3 & 9 & 6 \\ 1 & 15 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 9 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 5 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 3 & 9 & 6 \\ 1 & 15 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

Taking 3 common from R_2 .

$$L.H.S = 3 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 15 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

Taking 3 common from R_2 .

$$L.H.S = 3.3 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 5 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = 9 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 5 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = R.H.S$$

(iii).

$$\begin{vmatrix} a+l & a & a \\ a & a+l & a \\ a & a & a+l \end{vmatrix} = l^2(3a+l)$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} a+l & a & a \\ a & a+l & a \\ a & a & a+l \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 3a+l & a & a \\ 3a+l & a+l & a \\ 3a+l & a & a+l \end{vmatrix} C_1 + C_2$$

Taking common $3a+l$ from C_1 .

$$L.H.S = (3a+l) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a & a \\ 1 & a+l & a \\ 1 & a & a+l \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = (3a+l) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a & a \\ 0 & l & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & l \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 - R_1 \end{matrix}$$

$$L.H.S = (3a+l) \begin{vmatrix} l & 0 \\ 0 & l \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = (3a+l)(l^2 - 0)$$

$$L.H.S = l^2(3a+l) = R.H.S$$

(iv).

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ x & y & z \\ yz & xz & xy \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ x & y & z \\ x^2 & y^2 & z^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ x & y & z \\ yz & xz & xy \end{vmatrix}$$

Multiplying C_1 by x , C_2 by y and C_3 by z .
Dividing det. By xyz .

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

Taking common xyz from R_3 .

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

$$L.H.S = -1 \begin{vmatrix} x & y & z \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ x^2 & y^2 & z^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = (-1)(-1) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ x & y & z \\ x^2 & y^2 & z^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ x & y & z \\ x^2 & y^2 & z^2 \end{vmatrix} = R.H.S$$

(v).

$$\begin{vmatrix} b+c & a & a \\ b & c+a & b \\ c & c & a+b \end{vmatrix} = 4abc$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} b+c & a & a \\ b & c+a & b \\ c & c & a+b \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} b+c-b-c & a-c-a-c & a-b-a-b \\ b & c+a & b \\ c & c & a+b \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} R_1 - R_2 - R_3 \end{matrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -2c & -2b \\ b & c+a & b \\ c & c & a+b \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = 2 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -c & -b \\ b & c+a & b \\ c & c & a+b \end{vmatrix}$$



$$L.H.S = 2 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -c & -b \\ b & a & 0 \\ c & 0 & a \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} R_2 + R_1 \\ R_3 + R_1 \end{matrix}$$

$$L.H.S = 2 \left\{ 0 \begin{vmatrix} a & 0 \\ a & a \end{vmatrix} - (-c) \begin{vmatrix} b & 0 \\ c & a \end{vmatrix} + (-b) \begin{vmatrix} b & a \\ c & 0 \end{vmatrix} \right\}$$

$$L.H.S = 2 \{ c(ba - 0) - b(0 - ac) \}$$

$$L.H.S = 2(abc + abc) = 4abc = R.H.S$$

(vi).

$$\begin{vmatrix} b & -1 & a \\ a & b & 0 \\ 1 & a & b \end{vmatrix} = a^3 + b^3$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} b & -1 & a \\ a & b & 0 \\ 1 & a & b \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = b \begin{vmatrix} b & 0 \\ a & b \end{vmatrix} - (-1) \begin{vmatrix} a & 0 \\ 1 & b \end{vmatrix} + a \begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ 1 & a \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = b(b^2 - 0) + 1(ab - 0) + a(a^2 - b)$$

$$L.H.S = b^3 + ab + a^3 - ab$$

$$L.H.S = a^3 + b^3 = R.H.S$$

(vii).

$$\begin{vmatrix} r \cos \phi & 1 & -\sin \phi \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ r \sin \phi & 0 & \cos \phi \end{vmatrix} = r$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} r \cos \phi & 1 & -\sin \phi \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ r \sin \phi & 0 & \cos \phi \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} r \cos \phi & 1 & -\sin \phi \\ -r \cos \phi & 0 & \sin \phi \\ r \sin \phi & 0 & \cos \phi \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} R_2 - R_1 \end{matrix}$$

Expanding by C_2 ,

$$L.H.S = - \begin{vmatrix} -r \cos \phi & \sin \phi \\ r \sin \phi & \cos \phi \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = -(-r \cos^2 \phi - r \sin^2 \phi)$$

$$L.H.S = -(-r)(\cos^2 \phi + \sin^2 \phi) = r = R.H.S$$

(viii).

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & b+c & a+b \\ b & c+a & b+c \\ c & a+b & c+a \end{vmatrix} = a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} a & b+c & a+b \\ b & c+a & b+c \\ c & a+b & c+a \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} a+b+c & b+c & a+b \\ a+b+c & c+a & b+c \\ a+b+c & a+b & c+a \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} C_1 + C_2 \end{matrix}$$

taking common $a + b + c$ from C_1 ,

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

$$L.H.S = (a+b+c) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & b+c & a+b \\ 0 & a-b & c-a \\ 0 & a-c & c-b \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 - R_1 \end{matrix}$$

expanding from C_1 ,

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

$$L.H.S = (a+b+c) \{ (a-b)(c-b) - (c-a)(a-c) \}$$

$$L.H.S = (a+b+c) \{ ac - ab - bc + b^2 - (ac - c^2 - a^2 + ac) \}$$

$$L.H.S = (a+b+c) \{ ac - ab - bc + b^2 - ac + c^2 + a^2 - ac \}$$

$$L.H.S = (a+b+c)(a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - ab - bc - ac)$$

$$L.H.S = a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc = R.H.S$$

(ix).

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

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} a+\lambda & b & c \\ a & b+\lambda & c \\ a & b & c+\lambda \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} a+b+c+\lambda & b & c \\ a+b+c+\lambda & b+\lambda & c \\ a+b+c+\lambda & b & c+\lambda \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} C_1 + C_2 + C_3 \end{matrix}$$

taking common $a + b + c + \lambda$ from C_1 ,

$$L.H.S = (a+b+c+\lambda) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & b & c \\ 1 & b+\lambda & c \\ 1 & b & c+\lambda \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = (a+b+c+\lambda) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & b & c \\ 0 & \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 - R_1 \end{matrix}$$

Expanding by C_1

$$L.H.S = (a+b+c+\lambda) \begin{vmatrix} \lambda & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = (a+b+c+\lambda)(\lambda^2 - 0)$$

$$L.H.S = \lambda^2(a+b+c+\lambda) = R.H.S$$

(x).

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

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ a & b & c \\ a^2 & b^2 & c^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ a-b & b-c & c \\ a^2-b^2 & b^2-c^2 & c^2 \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} C_1 - C_2 \\ C_2 - C_3 \end{matrix}$$

Expanding by R_1 ,

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

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

$$L.H.S = (a-b)(b-c) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ a+b & b+c \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = (a-b)(b-c)(b+c-a-b)$$

$$L.H.S = (a-b)(b-c)(c-a) = R.H.S$$

(xi).

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

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} b+c & a & a^2 \\ c+a & b & b^2 \\ a+b & c & c^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} a+b+c & a & a^2 \\ a+b+c & b & b^2 \\ a+b+c & c & c^2 \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} C_1 + C_2 \end{matrix}$$

taking common $a+b+c$ from C_1 ,

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

$$L.H.S = (a+b+c) \begin{vmatrix} 0 & a-b & a^2-b^2 \\ 0 & b-c & b^2-c^2 \\ 1 & c & c^2 \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} R_1 - R_2 \\ R_2 - R_3 \end{matrix}$$

Expanding by C_1

$$L.H.S = (a+b+c) \begin{vmatrix} a-b & a^2-b^2 \\ b-c & b^2-c^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

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

$$L.H.S = (a+b+c)(a-b)(b-c) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a+b \\ 1 & b+c \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = (a+b+c)(a-b)(b-c)(b+c-a-b)$$

$$L.H.S = (a+b+c)(a-b)(b-c)(c-a) = R.H.S$$

Q4. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ -2 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$; $B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -2 & 5 \\ 3 & -1 & 4 \\ -2 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ then find,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ -2 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}; B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -2 & 5 \\ 3 & -1 & 4 \\ -2 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

(i) A_{12}, A_{32}, A_{23} and $|A|$

As we know that,

$$A_{ij} = (-1)^{i+j} M_{ij}$$

where, M_{ij} are the minor det.

$$A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -5$$

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

$$|A| = 1(-2) - 2(0) - 3(-4) = 10$$

(ii) B_{21}, B_{22}, B_{23} and $|B|$

As we know that,

$$B_{ij} = (-1)^{i+j} M_{ij}$$

where, M_{ij} are the minor det.

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -2 & 5 \\ 3 & -1 & 4 \\ -2 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \quad B_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 5 \\ 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = 1$$

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

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

$$|B| = \begin{vmatrix} 5 & -2 & 5 \\ 3 & -1 & 4 \\ -2 & 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$

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

$$|B| = 5(-2) + 2(2) + 5(1) = -1$$

Q5. Without expansion verify that:

(i).

$$\begin{vmatrix} \alpha & \beta + \gamma & 1 \\ \beta & \gamma + \alpha & 1 \\ \gamma & \alpha + \beta & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} \alpha & \beta + \gamma & 1 \\ \beta & \gamma + \alpha & 1 \\ \gamma & \alpha + \beta & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} \alpha + \beta + \gamma & \beta + \gamma & 1 \\ \alpha + \beta + \gamma & \gamma + \alpha & 1 \\ \alpha + \beta + \gamma & \alpha + \beta & 1 \end{vmatrix} C_1 + C_2$$

taking common $\alpha + \beta + \gamma$ from C_1 ,

$$L.H.S = (\alpha + \beta + \gamma) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & \beta + \gamma & 1 \\ 1 & \gamma + \alpha & 1 \\ 1 & \alpha + \beta & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = (\alpha + \beta + \gamma)(0) = 0 = R.H.S$$

(ii).

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3x \\ 2 & 3 & 6x \\ 3 & 5 & 9x \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3x \\ 2 & 3 & 6x \\ 3 & 5 & 9x \end{vmatrix}$$

taking common $3x$ from C_3 ,

$$L.H.S = 3x \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = 3x(0) = 0 = R.H.S$$

(iii).

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & \frac{a}{bc} \\ 1 & b^2 & \frac{b}{ca} \\ 1 & c^2 & \frac{c}{ab} \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & \frac{a}{bc} \\ 1 & b^2 & \frac{b}{ca} \\ 1 & c^2 & \frac{c}{ab} \end{vmatrix}$$

multiplying C_3 by abc , and dividing det. by abc ,

$$L.H.S = \frac{1}{abc} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & abc \cdot \frac{a}{bc} \\ 1 & b^2 & abc \cdot \frac{b}{ca} \\ 1 & c^2 & abc \cdot \frac{c}{ab} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \frac{1}{abc} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & a^2 \\ 1 & b^2 & b^2 \\ 1 & c^2 & c^2 \end{vmatrix}$$



$$L.H.S = \frac{1}{abc} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & a^2 & a^2 \\ 1 & b^2 & b^2 \\ 1 & c^2 & c^2 \end{vmatrix} = \frac{1}{abc} (0)$$

$$L.H.S = 0 = R.H.S$$

(iv).

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

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

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} a-b+b-c+c-a & b-c & c-a \\ b-c+c-a+a-b & c-a & a-b \\ c-a+a-b+b-c & a-b & b-c \end{vmatrix} C_1 + C_2 + C_3$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & b-c & c-a \\ 0 & c-a & a-b \\ 0 & a-b & b-c \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = 0 = R.H.S$$

(v).

$$\begin{vmatrix} bc & ca & ab \\ \frac{1}{a} & \frac{1}{b} & \frac{1}{c} \\ a & b & c \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} bc & ca & ab \\ \frac{1}{a} & \frac{1}{b} & \frac{1}{c} \\ a & b & c \end{vmatrix}$$

Multiplying R_2 by abc , and dividing det. by abc ,

$$L.H.S = \frac{1}{abc} \begin{vmatrix} bc & ca & ab \\ abc \cdot \frac{1}{a} & abc \cdot \frac{1}{b} & abc \cdot \frac{1}{c} \\ a & b & c \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \frac{1}{abc} \begin{vmatrix} bc & ca & ab \\ bc & ca & ab \\ a & b & c \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \frac{1}{abc} (0) = 0 = R.H.S$$

(vi).

$$\begin{vmatrix} mn & l & l^2 \\ nl & m & m^2 \\ lm & n & n^2 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & l^2 & l^3 \\ 1 & m^2 & m^3 \\ 1 & n^2 & n^3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} mn & l & l^2 \\ nl & m & m^2 \\ lm & n & n^2 \end{vmatrix}$$

multiply R_1 by l , R_2 by m and R_3 by n , also dividing det. by lmn ,

$$L.H.S = \frac{1}{lmn} \begin{vmatrix} mnl & l^2 & l^3 \\ mnl & m^2 & m^3 \\ mnl & n^2 & n^3 \end{vmatrix}$$

Taking common mnl from C_1 ,

$$L.H.S = \frac{mnl}{mnl} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & l^2 & l^3 \\ 1 & m^2 & m^3 \\ 1 & n^2 & n^3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & l^2 & l^3 \\ 1 & m^2 & m^3 \\ 1 & n^2 & n^3 \end{vmatrix} = R.H.S$$

(vii).

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

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

taking common 2 from R_1 ,

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

$$L.H.S = 2 \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ b & b & b \\ c & c & c \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 - R_1 \end{matrix}$$

taking common b from R_2 and c from R_3 ,

$$L.H.S = 2bc \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = 2bc(0) = 0 = R.H.S$$

(viii).

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

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 2 & 6 \\ 6 & 3 & 2 \\ -3 & 5 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 2 & 7-1 \\ 6 & 3 & 5-3 \\ -3 & 5 & -3+4 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = (7-1) \begin{vmatrix} 6 & 3 \\ -3 & 5 \end{vmatrix} - (5-3) \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 2 \\ -3 & 5 \end{vmatrix} + (-3+4) \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 2 \\ 6 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \left\{ 7 \begin{vmatrix} 6 & 3 \\ -3 & 5 \end{vmatrix} - 5 \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 2 \\ -3 & 5 \end{vmatrix} + (-3) \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 2 \\ 6 & 3 \end{vmatrix} \right\} + \left\{ -1 \begin{vmatrix} 6 & 3 \\ -3 & 5 \end{vmatrix} - (-3) \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 2 \\ -3 & 5 \end{vmatrix} + 4 \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 2 \\ 6 & 3 \end{vmatrix} \right\}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 2 & 7 \\ 6 & 3 & 5 \\ -3 & 5 & -3 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 2 & -1 \\ 6 & 3 & -3 \\ -3 & 5 & 4 \end{vmatrix}$$

(ix).

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

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} -a & 0 & c \\ 0 & a & -b \\ b & -c & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

Multiply R_1 by b , R_2 by c and R_3 by a , also dividing det. By abc ,

$$L.H.S = \frac{1}{abc} \begin{vmatrix} -ab & 0 & bc \\ 0 & ac & -bc \\ ab & -ac & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \frac{1}{abc} \begin{vmatrix} -ab+0+ab & 0+ac-ac & bc-bc+0 \\ 0 & ac & -bc \\ ab & -ac & 0 \end{vmatrix} \quad R_1 + R_2 + R_3$$

$$L.H.S = \frac{1}{abc} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & ac & -bc \\ ab & -ac & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \frac{1}{abc} (0) = 0 = R.H.S$$

Q6. Find the values of x if,

(i).

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 & x \\ -1 & 3 & 4 \\ x & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = -30$$

Expanding by R_1 ,

$$3 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} - 1 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 4 \\ x & 0 \end{vmatrix} + x \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 3 \\ x & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -30$$

$$3(0-4) - 1(0-4x) + x(-1-3x) = -30$$

$$-12 + 4x - x - 3x^2 = -30$$

$$-3x^2 + 3x + 18 = 0$$

$$x^2 - x - 6 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 3x + 2x - 6 = 0$$

$$x(x-3) + 2(x-3) = 0$$

$$(x-3)(x+2) = 0$$

$$x-3=0; x+2=0$$

$$x=3; x=-2$$

$$x = \{(-2, 3)\}$$

(ii).

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

Expanding by R_1 ,

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

$$1(x(x+1) - 2(-2)) - (x-1)(-x-4) + 3(2 - 2(x+1)) = 0$$

$$1(x^2 + x + 4) - (-x^2 - 4x + x + 4) + 3(2 - 2x - 2) = 0$$

$$x^2 + x + 4 + x^2 + 4x - x - 4 + 6 - 6x - 6 = 0$$

$$2x^2 - 2x = 0$$

$$2x(x-1) = 0$$

$$2x = 0; x-1 = 0$$

$$x = 0; x = 1$$

$$x = \{(0, 1)\}$$

(iii).

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

Expanding by R_1 ,

$$1 \begin{vmatrix} x & 2 \\ 6 & x \end{vmatrix} - 2 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 3 & x \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & x \\ 3 & 6 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$1(x^2 - 12) - 2(2x - 6) + 1(12 - 3x) = 0$$

$$x^2 - 12 - 4x + 12 + 12 - 3x = 0$$

$$x^2 - 7x + 12 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 4x - 3x + 12 = 0$$

$$x(x-4) - 3(x-4) = 0$$

$$(x-4)(x-3) = 0$$

$$x-4=0; x-3=0$$

$$x=4; x=3$$

$$x = \{(3, 4)\}$$

Q6. Evaluate the followings:

(i).

$$\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 4 & 2 & 7 \\ 2 & 5 & 0 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 & 5 \\ 4 & 1 & -2 & 6 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -2 & 11 & -8 \\ 0 & 1 & 6 & -7 \\ 1 & 2 & -3 & 5 \\ 0 & -7 & 10 & -14 \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} R_1 - 3R_3 \\ R_2 - 2R_3 \\ R_4 - 4R_3 \end{matrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 11 & -8 \\ 1 & 6 & -7 \\ -7 & 10 & -14 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -2 \begin{vmatrix} 6 & -7 \\ 10 & -14 \end{vmatrix} - 11 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -7 \\ -7 & -14 \end{vmatrix} + (-8) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 6 \\ -7 & 10 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -2(-84 + 70) - 11(-14 - 49) - 8(10 + 42)$$

$$= -2(-14) - 11(-63) - 8(52)$$

$$= 28 + 693 - 416 = 305$$

(ii).

$$\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 4 & 0 & 2 & 1 \\ 5 & 2 & -1 & 6 \\ 3 & -7 & 2 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -6 & 0 & 3 \\ 7 & 5 & 0 & 5 \\ -1 & -13 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} R_2 - 2R_1 \\ R_3 + R_1 \\ R_4 - 2R_1 \end{matrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -6 & 3 \\ 7 & 5 & 5 \\ -1 & -13 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 0 \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 5 \\ -13 & 0 \end{vmatrix} - (-6) \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 5 \\ -1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} + 3 \begin{vmatrix} 7 & 5 \\ -1 & -13 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 0 + 6(0 + 5) + 3(-91 + 5) = 6(5) + 3(-86) = -228$$

(iii).

$$\begin{vmatrix} -3 & 9 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & -1 & 2 \\ 9 & 7 & -1 & 1 \\ -2 & 0 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} -3 & 9 & 1 & 1 \\ -3 & 12 & 0 & 3 \\ 6 & 16 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & -9 & 0 & -2 \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} R_2 + R_1 \\ R_3 + R_1 \\ R_4 - R_1 \end{matrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} -3 & 12 & 3 \\ 6 & 16 & 2 \\ 1 & -9 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -3 \begin{vmatrix} 16 & 2 \\ -9 & -2 \end{vmatrix} - 12 \begin{vmatrix} 6 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} + 3 \begin{vmatrix} 6 & 16 \\ 1 & -9 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -3(-14) - 12(-14) + 3(70)$$

$$= -3(-14) - 12(-14) + 3(-70) = 0$$

Q8. Show that,

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

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} x & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & x & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & x & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & x \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = \begin{vmatrix} x+3 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ x+3 & x & 1 & 1 \\ x+3 & 1 & x & 1 \\ x+3 & 1 & 1 & x \end{vmatrix} C_1 + C_2 + C_3 + C_4$$

$$L.H.S = (x+3) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & x & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & x & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & x \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = (x+3) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & x-1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & x-1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & x-1 \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 - R_1 \\ R_4 - R_1 \end{matrix}$$

$$L.H.S = (x+3) \begin{vmatrix} x-1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & x-1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & x-1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = (x+3)(x-1)^3 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$L.H.S = (x+3)(x-1)^3(1)$$

$$L.H.S = (x+3)(x-1)^3 = R.H.S$$

Q9. Find $|AA^t|$ and $|A^tA|$ if,

(i)

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

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

Consider,

$$AA^t = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$AA^t = \begin{bmatrix} 14 & 5 \\ 5 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|AA^t| = \begin{vmatrix} 14 & 5 \\ 5 & 14 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|AA^t| = 14(14) - 5(5) = 171$$

Now,

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

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

$$A^t A = \begin{bmatrix} 13 & 8 & 3 \\ 8 & 5 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A^t A| = \begin{vmatrix} 13 & 8 & 3 \\ 8 & 5 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 10 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|A^t A| = 13 \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ 1 & 10 \end{vmatrix} - 8 \begin{vmatrix} 8 & 1 \\ 3 & 10 \end{vmatrix} + 3 \begin{vmatrix} 8 & 5 \\ 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|A^t A| = 13(49) - 8(77) + 3(-7) = 0$$

(ii).

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

$$A^t = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$AA^t = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$AA^t = \begin{bmatrix} 25 & 10 & 7 & 18 \\ 10 & 5 & 3 & 7 \\ 7 & 3 & 2 & 5 \\ 8 & 7 & 5 & 13 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|AA^t| = \begin{vmatrix} 25 & 10 & 7 & 18 \\ 10 & 5 & 3 & 7 \\ 7 & 3 & 2 & 5 \\ 8 & 7 & 5 & 13 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|AA^t| = \begin{vmatrix} 25 & 10 & 7 & 18 \\ 5 & 5 & 3 & 7 \\ 4 & 3 & 2 & 5 \\ 1 & 7 & 5 & 13 \end{vmatrix} \quad C_1 - C_2$$

$$|AA^t| = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -165 & -118 & -307 \\ 0 & -30 & -22 & -58 \\ 0 & -25 & -18 & -47 \\ 1 & 7 & 5 & 13 \end{vmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} R_1 - 15R_4 \\ R_2 - 5R_4 \\ R_3 - 4R_4 \end{matrix}$$

$$|AA^t| = \begin{vmatrix} -165 & -118 & -307 \\ -30 & -22 & -58 \\ -25 & -18 & -47 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|AA^t| = -165 \begin{vmatrix} -22 & -58 \\ -18 & -47 \end{vmatrix} - (-118) \begin{vmatrix} -30 & -58 \\ -25 & -47 \end{vmatrix} - 307 \begin{vmatrix} -30 & -22 \\ -25 & -18 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|AA^t| = -165(-10) - (-118)(-40) - 307(-10) = 0$$

Now,

$$A^t A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^t A = \begin{bmatrix} 9+4+1+4 & 12+2+1+6 \\ 12+2+1+6 & 16+1+1+9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 18 & 21 \\ 21 & 27 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A^t A| = \begin{vmatrix} 18 & 21 \\ 21 & 27 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|A^t A| = 18(27) - 21(21)$$

$$|A^t A| = 18(27) - 21(21) = 45$$

Q10. If A is a square matrix of order 3 then show that $|kA| = k^3|A|$.

Let,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$|kA| = \begin{vmatrix} ka_{11} & ka_{12} & ka_{13} \\ ka_{21} & ka_{22} & ka_{23} \\ ka_{31} & ka_{32} & ka_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|kA| = k.k.k \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|kA| = k^3 |A|$$

Hence, proved.

Q11. Find the value of λ if A and B are singular:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & \lambda & 3 \\ 7 & 3 & 6 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 4 & \lambda & 3 \\ 7 & 3 & 6 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|A| = 4(3-18) - \lambda(7-12) + 3(21-6) = -60 + 5\lambda + 45$$

$$|A| = -15 + 5\lambda$$

Since A is singular so,

$$|A| = 0$$

$$-15 + 5\lambda = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = 3$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 8 & 2 & 5 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & \lambda & -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|B| = \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 8 & 2 & 5 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & \lambda & -1 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|B| = \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 5 & 0 & 5 & 0 \\ 3 & 2 & 0 & 1 \\ -7 & \lambda-6 & -1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} \\ R_2 - R_1 \\ R_4 - 3R_1 \end{matrix}$$

$$|B| = \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 1 & 2 \\ 5 & 0 & 5 \\ -7 & \lambda-6 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|B| = 5(0-5(\lambda-6)) - 1(-5+35) + 2(5(\lambda-6)-0)$$

$$|B| = -25(\lambda-6) - 1(30) + 10(\lambda-6) = -25\lambda + 150 - 30 + 10\lambda - 60$$

Since B is singular so,

$$|B| = 0$$

$$-15\lambda + 60 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = 4$$

Q12. Which of the following matrices are singular and which of them are non-singular:
(i).

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

Let,

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

to check the A is singular we have,

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

$$|A| = 1(6) - 0(12) + 3(6) = 21 \neq 0$$

So A is non-singular.

(ii).

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

Let,

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

to check the A is singular we have,

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

$$|A| = 2(5) - 3(5) - 1(-5) = 0$$

So A is singular.

(iii).

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

Let,

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

to check the A is singular we have,

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

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 & 4 \\ 0 & -4 & -3 & 7 \end{vmatrix} \begin{matrix} R_2 - R_1 \\ R_3 - 2R_1 \\ R_4 - 3R_1 \end{matrix}$$

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

$$|A| = 1(-9) + 3(23) - 2(-15) = 90 \neq 0$$

So, A is non-singular.

Q13. Find the inverse of $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 2 & -4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and

show that $A^{-1}A = I_3$.

(i).

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

As we know that

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

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

$$|A| = 2(11) - 1(-5) + 0(-2) = 27 \neq 0$$

Hence, A is singular so its inverse exist,

$$adjA = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}^t$$

$$a_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 3 \\ -4 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 11 \quad a_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 5$$

$$a_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & -4 \end{vmatrix} = -2 \quad a_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -4 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -1$$

$$a_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 2 \quad a_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 2 & -4 \end{vmatrix} = 10$$

$$a_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 3 \quad a_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = -6$$

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

$$adjA = \begin{bmatrix} 11 & 5 & -2 \\ -1 & 2 & 10 \\ 3 & -6 & -3 \end{bmatrix}^t = \begin{bmatrix} 11 & -1 & 3 \\ 5 & 2 & -6 \\ -2 & 10 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Putt values,

$$A^{-1} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 11 & -1 & 3 \\ 5 & 2 & -6 \\ -2 & 10 & -3 \end{bmatrix}}{27}$$

Now,

$$A^{-1}A = \frac{1}{27} \begin{bmatrix} 11 & -1 & 3 \\ 5 & 2 & -6 \\ -2 & 10 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 2 & -4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1}A = \frac{1}{27} \begin{bmatrix} 22-1+6 & 11+1-12 & 0-3+3 \\ 10+2-12 & 5-2+24 & 0+6-6 \\ -4+10-6 & -2-10+12 & 0+30-3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1}A = \frac{1}{27} \begin{bmatrix} 27 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 27 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 27 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1}A = \frac{27}{27} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I_3$$

Hence, proved.

Q14. Verify that $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$ if,

(i).

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}; B = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 1 \\ 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

we have to show that, $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$,

Consider,

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 1 \\ 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3+8 & 1-2 \\ 3+0 & -1-0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

and,

$$(AB)^{-1} = \frac{\text{adj}(AB)}{|AB|}$$

$$|AB| = \begin{vmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ 3 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -2$$

$$\text{adj}(AB) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(AB)^{-1} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}}{-2} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{3}{2} & -\frac{5}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

Now,

$$A^{-1} = \frac{\text{adj}A}{|A|}; B^{-1} = \frac{\text{adj}B}{|B|}$$

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

$$\text{adj}A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}; \text{adj}B = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ -4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

putt values,

$$A^{-1} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}{2}; B^{-1} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ -4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}}{-1}$$

$$B^{-1}A^{-1} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ -4 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}{-1 \cdot 2} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}}{-2}$$

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

Hence, proved.

Q15. Verify that $(AB)^t = B^t A^t$ if,

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}; B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

we have to show that, $(AB)^t = B^t A^t$,

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

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -3 \\ 9 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow (AB)^t = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 9 \\ -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now,

$$A^t = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}; B^t = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B^t A^t = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B^t A^t = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 9 \\ -3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

Hence, proved.

Q16. If $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ then verify that

$$(A^{-1})^t = (A^t)^{-1}.$$

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

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

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow (A^{-1})^t = \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now,

$$A^t = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow |A^t| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 5$$

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

$$(A^t)^{-1} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Hence, proved.

Q17. If A and B are non-singular matrices.

Then show that,

$$(i) \quad (AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$$

Given that A and B are non-singular matrices then the inverse of A and B exists.

Consider,

$$(AB)(B^{-1}A^{-1}) = A(BB^{-1}A^{-1})$$

$$(AB)(B^{-1}A^{-1}) = A(BB^{-1})A^{-1}$$

$$(AB)(B^{-1}A^{-1}) = AIA^{-1}$$

$$(AB)(B^{-1}A^{-1}) = AA^{-1}$$

$$(AB)(B^{-1}A^{-1}) = I$$

Now, consider,

$$(B^{-1}A^{-1})(AB) = B^{-1}(A^{-1}A)B$$

$$(B^{-1}A^{-1})(AB) = B^{-1}IB$$

$$(B^{-1}A^{-1})(AB) = B^{-1}B$$

$$(B^{-1}A^{-1})(AB) = I$$

hence, AB is the inverse of $B^{-1}A^{-1}$, so,

$$(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$$

$$(ii). (A^{-1})^{-1} = A$$

Given that A is non-singular so, A^{-1} exist, consider,

$$A^{-1}A = I$$

and,

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

which shows that A^{-1} is the inverse of A , then,

$$(A^{-1})^{-1} = A$$

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