

ECO106/138 Week 4 Lecture Note Template

Basic Rules for Determinants

1. The interchange of rows and columns does not affect the value of a determinant.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow A' = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{21} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|A| = a_{11}a_{22} - a_{12}a_{21} \Leftrightarrow |A'| = a_{11}a_{22} - a_{12}a_{21}$$

$$|A| = |A'|$$

2. The interchange of any two rows (or any two columns) will alter the sign, but not the numerical value of the determinant.

$$A_0 = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow A_1 = \begin{pmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{11} & a_{12} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|A_0| = a_{11}a_{22} - a_{12}a_{21} \quad |A_1| = a_{12}a_{21} - a_{11}a_{12} = -(|A_0|)$$

$$A_2 = \begin{pmatrix} a_{12} & a_{11} \\ a_{22} & a_{21} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|A_2| = a_{12}a_{21} - a_{11}a_{22} = -(|A_0|)$$

e.g. $|A_0| = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 & 7 \\ 3 & 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$ (even) $|A_1| = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 7 & 5 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$ (odd)

$$|A_0| = \frac{1}{1} (2(-21) + 3(-15)) = 19 - 45 = -26$$

$$|A_1| = 1(2) + 3(15-7) = 2 + 3 \cdot 8 = 26$$

3. The multiplication of any one row (or one column) by a scalar k will change the value of the determinant k -fold.

$$A_0 = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix} \quad A_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \downarrow k a_{11} & \downarrow k a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|A_0| = a_{11}a_{22} - a_{12}a_{21} \quad |A_1| = k(a_{11}a_{22}) - k(a_{12}a_{21}) \\ = k(a_{11}a_{22} - a_{12}a_{21}) \\ = k |A_0|$$

e.g.

$$A_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \times 2 \quad A_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 6 & 10 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow |A_1| = \underline{\underline{2 \times 10 = 20}}$$

$$|A_0| = 10 \quad = 20$$

k 1st \rightarrow 2nd row

4. The addition (subtraction) of a multiple of any row (column) to (from) another row (column) will leave the value of the determinant unaltered.

$$A_0 = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow \text{add } k \times \text{1st row} \quad |A_0| = a_{11}a_{22} - a_{12}a_{21}$$

$$A_1 = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} + k a_{11} & a_{22} + k a_{12} \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow |A_1| = a_{11}a_{22} - a_{12}a_{21}$$

e.g.

$$|A_0| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = 10 - 9 = 1$$

\leftarrow $k=5$

$$|A_1| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 3+2 \times 2 & 5+2 \times 3 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 7 & 11 \end{vmatrix} = 22 - 21 = 1$$

$$A_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 6 & 10 \end{pmatrix} \times 5$$

$$A_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 5+5 \times 6 & 2+5 \times 10 \\ 6 & 10 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 35 & 52 \\ 6 & 10 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|A_0| = 38 = |A_1| = 38$$

5. If one row (or column) is a multiple of another row (column), the value of the determinant will be zero.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ ka & kb \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|A| = kab - kab = 0$$

e.g. $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 6 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$ $3 \times$ 1st row

$$|A| = 18 - 18 = 0$$

2x2 4x4
3x3 :

6. The determinant of the product of two nxn matrices A and B is the product of the determinants of each of the factors.

$$|AB| = \overset{\text{RHS}}{|A| \cdot |B|}$$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A \cdot B = \begin{bmatrix} \boxed{ae+bg} & \boxed{af+bh} \\ \boxed{ce+dg} & \boxed{cf+dh} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} e & f \\ g & h \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|AB| = (ae+bg)(cf+dh) - (af+bh)(ce+dg)$$

$$= \cancel{acef} + \cancel{adeh} + \cancel{bcfg} + \cancel{bdgh} - \cancel{acef} - \cancel{adfg} - \cancel{bceh} - \cancel{bdgh}$$

$$= \cancel{adeh} + \cancel{bcfg} - \cancel{adfg} - \cancel{bceh}$$

$$|A||B| \quad \text{┌┐}$$

$$[ad-bc][eh-fg]$$

7. If α is a real number, $|\alpha A| = \alpha^n |A|$ where n is the number of row and column. e.g. 2x2 matrix $\Rightarrow n=2$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|A| = a_{11}a_{22} - a_{12}a_{21}$$

$$\alpha A = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha a_{11} & \alpha a_{12} \\ \alpha a_{21} & \alpha a_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|\alpha A| = \alpha^2 a_{11}a_{22} - \alpha^2 a_{12}a_{21} = \alpha^2 |A|$$

e.g. $|A_0| = \begin{vmatrix} \boxed{1} & \boxed{2} & \boxed{3} \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 1(2-2) - 2(-2) + 3(-1) = 4 - 3 = \underline{\underline{+1}}$

$$\alpha=2 \quad |A_1| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \\ 2 & 2 & 4 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{2^3 |A_0| = 8} \quad \leftarrow \text{rule suggests}$$

confirm $= 2(8-8) + 2(16-12) = 8 \quad \checkmark$

~~If it's not a square matrix, does this work?~~

$$|A_0| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix}_{2 \times 3}$$

$$\alpha=2 \quad |A_1| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 & 6 \\ 0 & 2 & 4 \end{vmatrix}$$

We can't calculate determinant of non-square matrix! $(M \times n) \quad m \neq n$

Inverse of a Matrix

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

$$\text{adj } A = \begin{matrix} \text{Cofactor} \\ \text{matrix} \end{matrix} = \begin{matrix} C_{11} & C_{12} & \dots & C_{1n} \\ C_{21} & C_{22} & \dots & C_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ C_{n1} & C_{n2} & \dots & C_{nn} \end{matrix}$$

$a \rightarrow \frac{1}{a}$ e.g. $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 2a & 2b \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow$ No inverse
 $|A| \neq 0 \Leftrightarrow A$ has an inverse
 cofactor $(-1)^{i+j}$

e.g. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 & 3 \\ 5 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ Find A^{-1} .

- ① Find $|A| = 1(1-4) + 3(8-5) = -3 + 9 = 6$
- ② $\text{adj } A$

$$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} |C_{11}| & |C_{12}| & |C_{13}| \\ |C_{21}| & |C_{22}| & |C_{23}| \\ |C_{31}| & |C_{32}| & |C_{33}| \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & (15-1) & -2 \\ -3 & 10 & -(-1) \\ -3 & -6 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -3 & -3 \\ -14 & 10 & 6 \\ -2 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \frac{1}{6} \quad \frac{1}{3}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -3 & -3 \\ -14 & 10 & 6 \\ -2 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -0.5 & -0.5 \\ -2.33 & 1.67 & 1 \\ -0.33 & 0.167 & 0.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

e.g. 2×2 $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ Find $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{|A|} \text{adj } A$

$|A| = -2$

$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

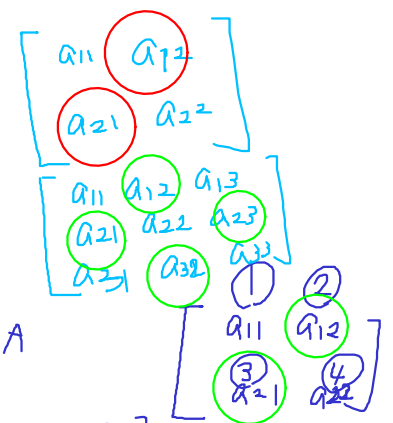
$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{-2} \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 1 \\ 0.5 & -1.5 \end{bmatrix}$

cofactor $|C_{ij}| = (-1)^{i+j} |M_{ij}|$

$|M_{11}| = \begin{vmatrix} a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$

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

$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix}$



$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 10 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \text{Find } A^{-1}$$

$$1. |A| = 6 - 50 = -44.$$

$$2. \text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -10 \\ -5 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ -10 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{-44} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -5 \\ -10 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0/-44 & 5/44 \\ 10/44 & 2/44 \end{bmatrix}$$

eg.

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

$$|A| = \sum a_{ij} |c_{ij}|$$

$$|A| = 4 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 7 \end{vmatrix} + 3 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 4(21) + 3(2+3) = 84 + 15 = 99$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{99} \begin{bmatrix} 21 & -7 & 5 \\ 6 & 31 & -8 \\ -9 & 3 & 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find A^{-1}

Repeat

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

is char.

challenge

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

A^{-1}

$$\text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 7 \end{vmatrix} & -\begin{vmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 3 & 7 \end{vmatrix} & \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 3 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\ -\begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 7 \end{vmatrix} & \begin{vmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 3 & 7 \end{vmatrix} & -\begin{vmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \\ \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{vmatrix} & -\begin{vmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{vmatrix} & \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 21 & +6 & -9 \\ -7 & 31 & 3 \\ 5 & -8 & 12 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 21 & -7 & 5 \\ 6 & 31 & -8 \\ -9 & 3 & 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{99} \begin{bmatrix} 21 & -7 & 5 \\ 6 & 31 & -8 \\ -9 & 3 & 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0.212 & -0.07 & 0.05 \\ 0.06 & 0.313 & -0.08 \\ -0.09 & 0.03 & 0.121 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{OK for exam.} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 21/99 & -7/99 & 5/99 \\ 6/99 & 31/99 & -8/99 \\ -9/99 & 3/99 & 12/99 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

↑
R₄₃

$$|A| = -1 \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = -1 \begin{vmatrix} 5 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} \\ = -1 \cdot 5(-1-1) \\ = 50 //$$

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

4x4

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 10 & -5 & 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 5 & 0 & 15 \\ 0 & 15 & 0 & -5 \\ 0 & -25 & 50 & 25 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} / \\ \\ \\ \end{matrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -5 & 5 & 15 & -25 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 50 \\ -5 & 15 & -5 & 25 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \\ \\ \\ C_{44} \end{matrix}$$

$$\underline{A^{-1} = \frac{1}{50} \text{adj } A}$$

Properties of the Inverse

Let A and B be invertible $n \times n$ matrix, then,

(a) A^{-1} is invertible, $(A^{-1})^{-1} = A$

(b) AB is invertible, and $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$

(c) A' is invertible, and $(A')^{-1} = (A^{-1})'$

(d) $(cA)^{-1} = c^{-1}A^{-1}, c \neq 0$
↑ scalar $\frac{1}{c}$

$$(AB)' = B'A'$$

$$A = \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} \quad B = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

Let's try (b) LHS $(AB)^{-1}$ = RHS $B^{-1} \cdot A^{-1}$
even odd

Systems of Linear Equations