Linear Algebra

Test #2 (Chapter 2)

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Directions: Please answer the questions in the space provided. To get full credit you must show all of your work. Use of calculators and other computing or communication devices is **not** allowed on this test.

1. (25 points) For this problem, $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 5 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$, $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $C = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$, and $D = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$. Preferm the indicated operations or state that they are not possible

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(a) $BA = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 5 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & -7 \\ -3 & -1 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$

(b)
$$A^T C = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 5 \\ -1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 14 \\ 22 \end{bmatrix}$$

(c) $B^{-1} = \frac{1}{2-2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1\\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ Operation can't be done because it involves division by 0. No inverse exists.

(d)
$$CD = \begin{bmatrix} -2\\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0\\ -8 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

(e) Solve the equation $X - 3B + 2I_2 = O$ for X.

$$X - 3B + 2I_2 = O$$

$$X = 3B - 2I_2$$

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

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -3 \\ -6 & 3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ -6 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$AXC = CB$$
$$A^{-1}AXC = A^{-1}CB$$
$$IXC = A^{-1}CB$$
$$XC = A^{-1}CB$$
$$XCC^{-1} = A^{-1}CBC^{-1}$$
$$XI = A^{-1}CBC^{-1}$$
$$X = A^{-1}CBC^{-1}$$

3. (15 points) Find the inverse of the matrix
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 & 5 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$
.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 & 5 & | & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 & | & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2 \qquad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 & | & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 5 & 5 & | & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad R_1 + 2R_2 \rightarrow R_1 \\\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 2 & | & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad R_1 + 2R_2 \rightarrow R_1 \\\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 2 & -5 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -1 & | & 1 & -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 1 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad R_2 + R_3 \rightarrow R_2 \\\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 2 & -5 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & | & 2 & -6 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 1 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad -R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \qquad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 2 & -5 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & 2 & -5 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & | & 2 & -6 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 1 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
Thus $\boxed{A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -5 & 0 \\ -2 & 6 & -1 \\ 1 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}$.

4. (15 points) Find A, given that $(2A)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$.

$$(2A)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$
$$((2A)^{-1})^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$
$$2A = \frac{1}{1 \cdot 4 - 2 \cdot 3} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$2A = -\frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$A = -\frac{1}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1/2 \\ 3/4 & -1/4 \end{bmatrix}$$

5. (15 points) Factor the matrix
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
 into a product of elementary matrices.
 $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} R_2 - R_1 \rightarrow R_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2}R_2 \rightarrow R_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
This sequence of row reductions shows $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
Hence $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$
So $\begin{bmatrix} A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

Note: There are other correct answers. Depending on the sequence of row operations you used, you may have obtained a different (but still correct) factoring of A into elementary matrices.

