STUDENT REVISION SERIES

Matrices Part 1



Question 1.

Represent the following as a matrix equation and solve using matrix operations

$$2x + y - 2z = -1$$

$$3x - 3y - z = 5$$

$$x - 2y + 3z = 6$$

Question 2.

Find a solution for x,y,z using the linsolve function.

$$3x - 4y + 2z = -152x + 4y + z = 162x + 3y + 5z = 20$$

Question 3.

Transform the following set of equations into row reduced echelon form and write down the solution set.

$$2x - y + 3z = 17$$

$$-5x + 4y - 2z = -46$$

$$2y + 5z = -7$$

Question 4.

Show that the following set of equations has no solution.

$$x + y + z = 2$$

$$y - 3z = 1$$

$$2x + y + 5z = 0$$



Question 5.

Show that the following system does not have a unique solution.

$$x + y + z = 7$$

$$3x - 2y - z = 4$$

$$x + 6y + 5z = 24$$

Question 6.

Use Gaussian elimination (ie row operations) to solve the following system of equations.

$$2x - y + 3z = 17$$

$$-5x + 4y - 2z = -46$$

$$2y + 5z = -7$$

Question 7

Determine if the following systems have unique solutions, infinite solutions or no solutions. Justify your response.

A)

$$2x + 3y - 6z = 1$$

$$-4x - 6y + 12z = -2$$

$$x + 2y + 5z = 10$$
B)

$$x + y + z = 14$$

$$2y + 3z = -14$$

$$-16y - 24z = -112$$
C)

$$x + y + z = 0$$

$$x + y + z = 0$$

$$2x - y + 3z = 0$$

$$x - z = 0$$

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Answer and solutions

Question 1.



Question 2.



Q	uestion	3.

Create the augmented matrix	
Apply the rref() command to the augmented	
matrix	
x=4, y=-6, z=1	

Question 4.



Question 5.



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Question 6.

$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 3 & 17 \\ -5 & 4 & -2 & -46 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 & -7 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 3 & 17 \\ -5 & 4 & -2 & -46 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 & -7 \end{bmatrix}$;]
$mRow \left(\begin{array}{cccccc} 2 & -1 & 3 & 17 \\ -5 & 4 & -2 & -46 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 & -7 \end{array} \right), 1 \right)$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1. & -0.5 & 1.5 & 8.5 \\ -5 & 4 & -2 & -46 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 & -7 \end{bmatrix}$	5
mRowAdd $\left(5, \begin{bmatrix} 1. & -0.5 & 1.5 & 8.5 \\ -5 & 4 & -2 & -46 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 & -7 \end{bmatrix}, 1, 2$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1. & -0.5 & 1.5 & 8.5 \\ 0. & 1.5 & 5.5 & -3.5 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 & -7 \end{bmatrix}$;]
$mRow \left(\frac{2}{3}, \begin{bmatrix} 1. & -0.5 & 1.5 & 8.5 \\ 0. & 1.5 & 5.5 & -3.5 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 & -7 \end{bmatrix}, 2$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1. & -0.5 & 1.5 & 8.5 \\ 0. & 1. & 3.66667 & -2.33333 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 & -7 \end{bmatrix}$	3
mRowAdd $\left \begin{array}{cccc} 1. & -0.5 & 1.5 & 8.5 \\ 0. & 1. & 3.666666666666667 & -2.33333333 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 & -7 \end{array} \right $	$\begin{bmatrix} 1. & -0.5 & 1.5 & 8.5 \\ 0. & 1. & 3.66667 & -2.33333 \\ 0. & 0. & -2.33333 & -2.33333 \end{bmatrix}$	3
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$$\{x+2\cdot y+5\cdot z=10 \\ \{27\cdot c1-28,19-16\cdot c1,c1\} \}$$

Question 7B.

No Solution	linSolve $\begin{cases} x+y+z=14 \\ 2 \cdot y+3 \cdot z=-14 \\ -16 \cdot y-24 \cdot z=-112 \end{cases}$
	"No solution found"

Question 7C.

Unique Solution	$\operatorname{linSolve} \left\{ \begin{cases} x+y+z=0\\ 2\cdot x-y+3\cdot z=0 \\ x-z=0 \end{cases}, \{x,y,z\} \right\}$	{0,0,0}

