

PreCalculus
Review for Midterm Exam
Matrices

Name _____

Given the following matrices, simplify the expressions, using fractions instead of decimals.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 2 \\ 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad C = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -4 \\ 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \quad D = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 4 & 0 \\ 3 & -5 & 2 \\ -4 & 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \quad E = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 6 & -3 \\ 2 & -4 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

1. $3(A - C)$
2. $|D|$
3. $-\frac{1}{2}(ED)$
4. C^{-1}
5. B^2
6. $|B|$
7. $2A - 3B + C$
8. Evaluate by expansion by minors.

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

9. Solve.

$$\begin{vmatrix} 5 & 7x \\ -x & -6 \end{vmatrix} = -2$$

10. Solve for x and y. $2 \begin{bmatrix} x+2 \\ y-3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

11. Solve using a matrix equation.

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

$$3x - 7y = 4$$

12. Solve for x and y.

$$\begin{bmatrix} x & -7 \\ 3 & y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

13. Multiply: $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 6 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

14. Multiply: $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & -4 \\ 6 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -3 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

15. Find the inverse of

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

b) $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ -6 & -12 \end{bmatrix}$

16. You can only find the inverse of a _____ matrix.

17. If $A_{2 \times 3} \cdot B_{3 \times 1} = C$ find the dimensions of C. _____

Word Problems. (a) define the variables (b) write the system of equations
(c) write the matrix representation of the system (d) write your answer in a complete sentence.

18. The perimeter of a rectangular picture is 86 inches. Twice the width exceeds the length by 2 inches. What are the dimensions of the picture?

19. Mrs. Mardis buys 2 granola bars and 3 coffee's for \$21.83. Mrs. Doyle buys 5 granola bars and 1 coffee for \$15.90. How much does one granola bar and one coffee cost?

20. Your team goes to eat at a restaurant. There are 26 people eating dinner. Some team members order the buffet for \$12.99 and some order the grilled steak meal for \$15.95. Coach got the bill. It was \$364.38. How many people ordered the buffet?

21. Ramona spent \$17.00 on two different types of lollipops for Spring Fling prizes. Some cost \$0.50 and some cost \$0.35. If she bought a total of 40 lollipops, how many of each kind did she buy?

22. Flourish and Blotts store sells books. Some cost \$6.00 and some cost \$7.00. On Wednesday, Flourish and Blotts sold 27 books for \$177.00. How many of each did they sell?

23. At a spring concert, tickets for adults cost \$4.00 and tickets for students cost \$2.50. How many of each kind of ticket were purchased if 125 tickets were bought for \$413.

Answers

1. $\begin{bmatrix} -27 & 18 \\ -9 & 21 \end{bmatrix}$ 2. -12 3. $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{-29}{2} & \frac{35}{2} & -9 \\ 5 & \frac{-25}{2} & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ 4. Not possible
5. $\begin{bmatrix} -8 & -3 \\ 4 & -11 \end{bmatrix}$ 6. 10 7. $\begin{bmatrix} -6 & 9 \\ -9 & 11 \end{bmatrix}$ 8. 7
9. $x = \pm 2$ 10. $x = -1; y = \frac{11}{2}$ 11. $\left(\frac{-19}{26}, \frac{-23}{26} \right)$ 12. $x = \frac{45}{2}; y = -1$
13. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 19 \\ 4 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ 14. $\begin{bmatrix} 13 & -20 \\ 11 & -7 \end{bmatrix}$ 15. a) $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{5} & \frac{2}{5} \\ -\frac{2}{5} & \frac{3}{10} \end{bmatrix}$ b) Not possible 16. Square
17. 2 x 1

18. a) $L = \text{length}, W = \text{width}$ b) $2L + 2W = 86$
 $-L + 2W = 2$ c) $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} L \\ W \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 86 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$
d) The length of the picture is 28 inches and the width is 15 inches.
19. a) $g = \text{granola}, c = \text{coffee}$ b) $2g + 3c = 21.83$
 $5g + c = 15.90$ c) $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} g \\ c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 21.83 \\ 15.9 \end{bmatrix}$
d) The granola costs \$1.99 and the coffee costs \$5.95.
20. a) $b = \text{buffet}, g = \text{grilled steak}$ b) $12.99b + 15.95g = 364.38$
 $b + g = 26$ c)
 $\begin{bmatrix} 12.99 & 15.95 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b \\ g \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 364.38 \\ 26 \end{bmatrix}$
d) 17 people ordered the buffet.
21. a) $x = \text{lollipop 1}, y = \text{lollipop 2}$ b) $.5x + .35y = 17$
 $x + y = 40$ c) $\begin{bmatrix} .5 & .35 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 17 \\ 40 \end{bmatrix}$
d) She bought 20 of each kind.
22. a) $x = \$6 \text{ dollar book}, y = \7 book b) $6x + 7y = 177$
 $x + y = 27$ c) $\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 7 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 177 \\ 27 \end{bmatrix}$
d) They sold 12 of the \$6 books and 15 of the \$7 books
23. a) $a = \text{adults}, s = \text{students}$ b) $4a + 2.5s = 413$
 $a + s = 125$ c) $\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2.5 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ s \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 413 \\ 125 \end{bmatrix}$
d) 67 adults and 58 student tickets were purchased.