

Complete solutions to Exercise 11(c)

1. (a) Using (11.8)

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 & 5 \\ -6 & 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = 1 \det \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 5 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} - 3 \det \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ -6 & 1 \end{pmatrix} - 1 \det \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ -6 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\stackrel{\text{by (11.1)}}{=} 1[(0 \times 1) - (3 \times 5)] - 3[(2 \times 1) - (-6 \times 5)] - 1[(2 \times 3) - (-6 \times 0)] = -117$$

(b) Similarly

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -10 & 11 \\ 5 & 3 & -4 \\ 7 & 9 & 12 \end{pmatrix} = 2 \det \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -4 \\ 9 & 12 \end{pmatrix} + 10 \det \begin{pmatrix} 5 & -4 \\ 7 & 12 \end{pmatrix} + 11 \det \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 3 \\ 7 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\stackrel{\text{by (11.1)}}{=} 2[(3 \times 12) - (9 \times (-4))] + 10[(5 \times 12) - (7 \times (-4))] + 11[(5 \times 9) - (7 \times 3)]$$

$$= 1288$$

(c) Very similar to parts (a) and (b). Thus $\det \mathbf{C} = -114$.

2. Remember for the transpose we interchange the rows and columns of the matrix:

$$(a) \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 \end{pmatrix}^T = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \quad (b) \begin{pmatrix} 1/3 & -2/5 \\ -3/7 & \pi \end{pmatrix}^T = \begin{pmatrix} 1/3 & -3/7 \\ -2/5 & \pi \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(c) \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 6 & 1 \\ -3 & -3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^T = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 2 & -3 \\ 3 & 6 & -3 \\ 4 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (d) \begin{pmatrix} 1.17 & 1.36 \\ 9.39 & -1.45 \\ 2.11 & 5.20 \end{pmatrix}^T = \begin{pmatrix} 1.17 & 9.39 & 2.11 \\ 1.36 & -1.45 & 5.20 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(e) \begin{pmatrix} -7 & 2 & 1 & 5 \\ 3 & 6 & -4 & 7 \\ 8 & 3 & -3 & 5 \\ -4 & 6 & 7 & 0 \end{pmatrix}^T = \begin{pmatrix} -7 & 3 & 8 & -4 \\ 2 & 6 & 3 & 6 \\ 1 & -4 & -3 & 7 \\ 5 & 7 & 5 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad (f) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 & 7 \\ -9 & 4 & 6 \\ -4 & 2 & 8 \\ 9 & 19 & 11 \end{pmatrix}^T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -9 & -4 & 9 \\ -3 & 4 & 2 & 19 \\ 7 & 6 & 8 & 11 \end{pmatrix}$$

3. Using (11.8)

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 7 & 3 & -2 \\ 4 & 2 & 7 \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{i} \left[\det \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 2 & 7 \end{pmatrix} \right] - \mathbf{j} \left[\det \begin{pmatrix} 7 & -2 \\ 4 & 7 \end{pmatrix} \right] + \mathbf{k} \left[\det \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 3 \\ 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \right]$$

$$\stackrel{\text{by (11.1)}}{=} \mathbf{i} [(3 \times 7) - (2 \times (-2))] - \mathbf{j} [(7 \times 7) - (4 \times (-2))] + \mathbf{k} [(7 \times 2) - (4 \times 3)]$$

$$= 25\mathbf{i} - 57\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}$$

$$(11.1) \quad \det \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = ad - cb$$

$$(11.8) \quad \det \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{pmatrix} = a \left[\det \begin{pmatrix} e & f \\ h & i \end{pmatrix} \right] - b \left[\det \begin{pmatrix} d & f \\ g & i \end{pmatrix} \right] + c \left[\det \begin{pmatrix} d & e \\ g & h \end{pmatrix} \right]$$

4. We have

$$\begin{aligned} \det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 5 & t & -7 \\ 3 & 9 & t-1 \end{pmatrix} &= 1 \det \begin{pmatrix} t & -7 \\ 9 & t-1 \end{pmatrix} - 0 + 3 \det \begin{pmatrix} 5 & t \\ 3 & 9 \end{pmatrix} \\ &\stackrel{\text{by (11.1)}}{=} [t(t-1) - (9 \times (-7))] + 3[(5 \times 9) - (3 \times t)] \\ &= [t^2 - t + 63] + 3[45 - 3t] \\ &= t^2 - t + 63 + 135 - 9t = t^2 - 10t + 198 \end{aligned}$$

Since the determinant is zero we have

$$t^2 - 10t + 198 = 0$$

How do we solve this quadratic equation?

Use (1.16) with $a = 1$, $b = -10$ and $c = 198$

$$\begin{aligned} t &= \frac{10 \pm \sqrt{(-10)^2 - (4 \times 1 \times 198)}}{2} \\ &= \frac{10 \pm \sqrt{-692}}{2} = \frac{10 \pm j\sqrt{692}}{2} = 5 \pm j\sqrt{173} \end{aligned}$$

Thus $t = 5 + j\sqrt{173}$, $5 - j\sqrt{173}$

5. We need to find the cofactors of each element of the matrix.

Cofactor of 1 is

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 7 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = (3 \times 0) - (-1 \times 7) = 7$$

Cofactor of 0 is

$$-\det \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 7 \\ 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = -[(-2 \times 0) - (6 \times 7)] = 42$$

Cofactor of 5 is

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 3 \\ 6 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = [(-2 \times (-1)) - (6 \times 3)] = -16$$

Cofactor of -2 is

$$-\det \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 5 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = -[(0 \times 0) - (-1 \times 5)] = -5$$

Cofactor of 3 is

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = [(1 \times 0) - (6 \times 5)] = -30$$

Cofactor of 7 is

$$-\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 6 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = -[(1 \times (-1)) - (6 \times 0)] = 1$$

$$(1.16) \quad x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$(11.1) \quad \det \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = ad - cb$$

Cofactor of 6 is

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 5 \\ 3 & 7 \end{pmatrix} = [(0 \times 7) - (3 \times 5)] = -15$$

Cofactor of -1 is

$$-\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ -2 & 7 \end{pmatrix} = -[(1 \times 7) - (-2 \times 5)] = -17$$

Cofactor of 0 is

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = [(1 \times 3) - (-2 \times 0)] = 3$$

Collecting the cofactors gives the cofactor matrix:

$$\mathbf{C} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 42 & -16 \\ -5 & -30 & 1 \\ -15 & -17 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Transposing this matrix (interchanging rows and columns) gives

$$\mathbf{C}^T = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & -5 & -15 \\ 42 & -30 & -17 \\ -16 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

6. Writing the equations in matrix form yields

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & -5 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & -7 \\ -10 & 4 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} i_1 \\ i_2 \\ i_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 7.5 \\ -17.5 \\ 16 \end{pmatrix}$$

Let $\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -5 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & -7 \\ -10 & 4 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$. What do we need to find?

The inverse matrix, \mathbf{A}^{-1} . The currents can be obtained from

$$\begin{pmatrix} i_1 \\ i_2 \\ i_3 \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{A}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 7.5 \\ -17.5 \\ 16 \end{pmatrix} \quad (*)$$

To find \mathbf{A}^{-1} we have to evaluate the determinant and the adjoint of \mathbf{A} .

$$\begin{aligned} \det \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -5 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & -7 \\ -10 & 4 & 5 \end{pmatrix} &= 3 \det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -7 \\ 4 & 5 \end{pmatrix} - (-5) \det \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -7 \\ -10 & 5 \end{pmatrix} + 3 \det \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -10 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= 3[(1 \times 5) - (4 \times (-7))] + 5[(2 \times 5) - (10 \times 7)] + 3[(2 \times 4) - (-10 \times 1)] \\ &= -147 \end{aligned}$$

Next we find $\text{adj}\mathbf{A}$, which is the cofactor matrix transposed. The cofactor matrix can be obtained using the method described in solution 5. Thus

$$\mathbf{C} = \begin{pmatrix} 33 & 60 & 18 \\ 37 & 45 & 38 \\ 32 & 27 & 13 \end{pmatrix}$$

Transposing this gives $\text{adj}\mathbf{A}$

$$\text{adj}\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{C}^T = \begin{pmatrix} 33 & 37 & 32 \\ 60 & 45 & 27 \\ 18 & 38 & 13 \end{pmatrix}$$

By (11.16)

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = -\frac{1}{147} \begin{pmatrix} 33 & 37 & 32 \\ 60 & 45 & 27 \\ 18 & 38 & 13 \end{pmatrix}$$

Substituting into (*) gives

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{pmatrix} i_1 \\ i_2 \\ i_3 \end{pmatrix} &= -\frac{1}{147} \begin{pmatrix} 33 & 37 & 32 \\ 60 & 45 & 27 \\ 18 & 38 & 13 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 7.5 \\ -17.5 \\ 16 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= -\frac{1}{147} \begin{pmatrix} (33 \times 7.5) + (37 \times (-17.5)) + (32 \times 16) \\ (60 \times 7.5) + (45 \times (-17.5)) + (27 \times 16) \\ (18 \times 7.5) + (38 \times (-17.5)) + (13 \times 16) \end{pmatrix} \\ &= -\frac{1}{147} \begin{pmatrix} 112 \\ 94.5 \\ -322 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -0.762 \\ -0.643 \\ 2.190 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Hence $i_1 = -0.76A$, $i_2 = -0.64A$ and $i_3 = 2.19A$ (2 d.p.)

7. (a) Since there are 2 zeros in the second row it is easier to expand along this row, thus:

$$\begin{aligned} \det \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 6 \\ 1 & 5 & 3 \end{pmatrix} &= -0 \left[\det \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 5 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \right] + 0 \left[\det \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \right] - 6 \left[\det \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \right] \\ &= 0 + 0 - 6[(2 \times 5) - (1 \times 3)] = -42 \end{aligned}$$

(b) Similarly since there is a zero along the third row, expand along this row.

$$\begin{aligned} \det \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 7 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \end{pmatrix} &= 0 \left[\det \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \right] - 1 \left[\det \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \right] + 5 \left[\det \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 7 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \right] \\ &= 0 - 1[(6 \times 2) - 1] + 5[(6 \times 3) - (1 \times 7)] = 44 \end{aligned}$$

$$(11.16) \quad \mathbf{A}^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det \mathbf{A}} \text{adj}\mathbf{A}$$

(c) Expand along the first column since it contains 2 zeros:

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & 7 \\ 0 & 2 & 9 \end{pmatrix} = 1 \left[\det \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 7 \\ 2 & 9 \end{pmatrix} \right] - 0 \left[\det \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ 2 & 9 \end{pmatrix} \right] + 0 \left[\det \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ 3 & 7 \end{pmatrix} \right]$$

$$= 1[(3 \times 9) - (2 \times 7)] - 0 + 0 = 13$$

(d) Expanding along the second column

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 5 & 1 \\ 13 & 0 & 2 \\ 11 & 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = -5 \det \begin{pmatrix} 13 & 2 \\ 11 & 3 \end{pmatrix} + 0 \det \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 1 \\ 11 & 3 \end{pmatrix} - 0 \det \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 1 \\ 13 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= -5[(13 \times 3) - (11 \times 2)] = -85$$

8. The following shows the MAPLE output but you could use a graphical calculator.

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> A:=<<1 | 2 | 3 | 4> , <5 | 6 | 7 | 8> , <9 | 10 | 11 | 12> , <13 | 14 | 15 | 16>>;
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$$A := \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 \\ 9 & 10 & 11 & 12 \\ 13 & 14 & 15 & 16 \end{bmatrix}$$

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> with(linalg):
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> det(A);
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> B:=matrix([[ -1.1, 4.23, 2.67, 7.45, 9.62], [19.61, 6.40, 3.12, 11.89, 2.36], [-17.5, -9.73, 5.23, 8.54, 2.51], [6.19, 2.91, 17.64, 8.93, 8.98], [3.98, 11.84, 4.78, 9.85, 3.22]]);
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$$B := \begin{bmatrix} -1.1 & 4.23 & 2.67 & 7.45 & 9.62 \\ 19.61 & 6.40 & 3.12 & 11.89 & 2.36 \\ -17.5 & -9.73 & 5.23 & 8.54 & 2.51 \\ 6.19 & 2.91 & 17.64 & 8.93 & 8.98 \\ 3.98 & 11.84 & 4.78 & 9.85 & 3.22 \end{bmatrix}$$

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> det(B);
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