

Complete solutions of Exercise 11(d)

1. (a) In matrix form we have

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & -1 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 11 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

The augmented matrix can be written

$$\begin{array}{l} R_1 \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -3 & 3 \end{array} \right) \\ R_2 \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & -1 & -1 & 11 \end{array} \right) \\ R_3 \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 3 & 2 & 1 & -5 \end{array} \right) \end{array}$$

We execute $R_2 - 2R_1$ to get 0 in place of 2 in row 2. Similarly $R_3 - 3R_1$ to achieve a 0 in place of 3 in row 3:

$$\begin{array}{l} R_1 \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -3 & 3 \end{array} \right) \\ R_2^* = R_2 - 2R_1 \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & -5 & 5 & 5 \end{array} \right) \\ R_3^* = R_3 - 3R_1 \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & -4 & 10 & -14 \end{array} \right) \\ R_1 \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & -3 & 3 \end{array} \right) \\ R_2^* \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & -5 & 5 & 5 \end{array} \right) \\ R_3^{**} = R_3^* - \frac{4}{5}R_2^* \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 0 & 6 & -18 \end{array} \right) \end{array}$$

From the last row, R_3^{**} , we have

$$6z = -18 \text{ which gives } z = -3$$

From R_2^* we have

$$\begin{aligned} -5y + 5z &= 5 \\ -5y + [5 \times (-3)] &= 5 \text{ gives } y = -4 \end{aligned}$$

From first row, R_1 , we have

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

Substituting $y = -4$ and $z = -3$ gives

$$x + [2 \times (-4)] - [3 \times (-3)] = 3 \text{ gives } x = 2$$

Thus $x = 2$, $y = -4$, $z = -3$. Similarly

$$(b) \ x = 1, \ y = 2, \ z = 3 \qquad (c) \ x = 1/2, \ y = 1/4, \ z = 1/8$$

2. The augmented matrix is

$$\left(\begin{array}{cc|c} 9 \times 10^3 & -3 \times 10^3 & 10 \\ -3 \times 10^3 & 13 \times 10^3 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

Divide each row by 10^3 gives

$$\begin{array}{l} R_1 \left(\begin{array}{cc|c} 9 & -3 & 10 \times 10^{-3} \end{array} \right) \\ R_2 \left(\begin{array}{cc|c} -3 & 13 & 0 \end{array} \right) \end{array}$$

Interchanging row 1 and row 2

$$\begin{array}{l} R_1' \left(\begin{array}{cc|c} -3 & 13 & 0 \end{array} \right) \\ R_2' \left(\begin{array}{cc|c} 9 & -3 & 10 \times 10^{-3} \end{array} \right) \end{array}$$

To get 0 in place of 9 we execute $R_2' + 3R_1'$

$$\begin{array}{l} R_1' \\ R_2'' \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{cc|c} -3 & 13 & 0 \\ 0 & 36 & 10 \times 10^{-3} \end{array} \right)$$

From R_2'' we have

$$\begin{aligned} 36i_2 &= 10 \times 10^{-3} \\ i_2 &= 0.278 \times 10^{-3} \end{aligned}$$

From R_1' we have

$$-3i_1 + 13i_2 = 0$$

$$i_1 = \frac{13}{3} i_2 = \frac{13}{3} \times 0.278 \times 10^{-3} = 1.204 \times 10^{-3}$$

Writing to 2 d.p. and using milli (m) gives $i_1 = 1.20mA$ and $i_2 = 0.28mA$.

3. Writing out the augmented matrix we have

$$\begin{array}{l} R_1 \\ R_2 \\ R_3 \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 10 & 1 & -5 & 18 \\ -20 & 3 & 20 & 14 \\ 5 & 3 & 5 & 9 \end{array} \right)$$

Interchanging row 1 and row 3 gives

$$\begin{array}{l} R_1' \\ R_2 \\ R_3' \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 5 & 3 & 5 & 9 \\ -20 & 3 & 20 & 14 \\ 10 & 1 & -5 & 18 \end{array} \right)$$

Executing $R_2 + 4R_1'$ and $R_3' - 2R_1'$ to achieve 0's in place of -20 and 10 respectively:

$$\begin{array}{l} R_1' \\ R_2' \\ R_3'' \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 5 & 3 & 5 & 9 \\ 0 & 15 & 40 & 50 \\ 0 & -5 & -15 & 0 \end{array} \right)$$

Only left to replace the -5 in the bottom row by 0, implement $3R_3'' + R_2'$:

$$\begin{array}{l} R_1' \\ R_2' \\ R_3''' \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 5 & 3 & 5 & 9 \\ 0 & 15 & 40 & 50 \\ 0 & 0 & -5 & 50 \end{array} \right)$$

From the last row we have $-5z = 50$ gives $z = -10$

Substituting this into R_2' and solving for y gives $y = 30$. Similarly from the first row we have $x = -6.2$.

4. Rearranging the given equations

$$\begin{aligned} \ddot{x}_1 + \ddot{x}_2 &= 0 \\ -\ddot{x}_1 + T &= g \\ -2\ddot{x}_2 + T &= 2g \end{aligned}$$

Putting into an augmented matrix

$$\begin{array}{l} R_1 \\ R_2 \\ R_3 \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & g \\ 0 & -2 & 1 & 2g \end{array} \right)$$

Establishing a 0 in place of -1 :

$$\begin{array}{l} R_1 \\ R_2' = R_2 + R_1 \\ R_3 \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & g \\ 0 & -2 & 1 & 2g \end{array} \right)$$

Getting 0 in place of -2

$$\begin{array}{l} R_1 \\ R_2' \\ R_3' = R_3 + 2R_2' \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & g \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & 4g \end{array} \right)$$

From the last row we have

$$3T = 4g \quad \text{gives} \quad T = \frac{4}{3}g$$

From R_2' and substituting the above we have

$$\ddot{x}_2 + \frac{4}{3}g = g \quad \text{which gives} \quad \ddot{x}_2 = -\frac{4}{3}g + g = -\frac{g}{3}$$

From the first row, R_1 , we have $\ddot{x}_1 = \frac{g}{3}$.

5. The augmented matrix is

$$\begin{array}{l} R_1 \\ R_2 \\ R_3 \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -3 & 0 & 1 & 3g \\ 0 & -2 & 1 & 2g \end{array} \right)$$

$$\begin{array}{l} R_1 \\ R_2' = R_2 + 3R_1 \\ R_3 \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 & 3g \\ 0 & -2 & 1 & 2g \end{array} \right)$$

$$\begin{array}{l} R_1 \\ R_2' \\ R_3' = R_3 + \frac{2}{3}R_2' \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & 1 & 3g \\ 0 & 0 & 5/3 & 4g \end{array} \right)$$

By R_3' we have

$$\frac{5}{3}T = 4g \quad \text{which gives} \quad T = \frac{12}{5}g$$

Similarly from R_2' and R_1 we have

$$\ddot{x}_1 = -\frac{g}{5}, \quad \ddot{x}_2 = \frac{g}{5}$$

6. The augmented matrix is

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 4 \times 10^3 & -3 \times 10^3 & 0 & 10 \\ -3 \times 10^3 & 18 \times 10^3 & -10 \times 10^3 & 0 \\ 0 & -10 \times 10^3 & 23 \times 10^3 & -15 \end{array} \right)$$

Dividing each row by 10^3 gives

$$\begin{array}{c} I_1 \quad I_2 \quad I_3 \\ R_1 \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 4 & -3 & 0 & 10 \times 10^{-3} \\ R_2 \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} -3 & 18 & -10 & 0 \\ R_3 \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & -10 & 23 & -15 \times 10^{-3} \end{array} \right) \end{array} \right) \end{array} \right)$$

Interchanging columns I_1 and I_3 :

$$\begin{array}{c} I_3 \quad I_2 \quad I_1 \\ R_1 \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & -3 & 4 & 10 \times 10^{-3} \\ R_2 \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} -10 & 18 & -3 & 0 \\ R_3 \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 23 & -10 & 0 & -15 \times 10^{-3} \end{array} \right) \end{array} \right) \end{array} \right)$$

Divide row 2, R_2 , by -10 gives

$$\begin{array}{c} R_1 \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & -3 & 4 & 10 \times 10^{-3} \\ R_2' \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1.8 & 0.3 & 0 \\ R_3 \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 23 & -10 & 0 & -15 \times 10^{-3} \end{array} \right) \end{array} \right) \end{array} \right)$$

To get 0 in place of 23 we need to execute $R_3 - 23R_2'$

$$\begin{array}{c} R_1 \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & -3 & 4 & 10 \times 10^{-3} \\ R_2' \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1.8 & 0.3 & 0 \\ R_3' \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 31.4 & -6.9 & -15 \times 10^{-3} \end{array} \right) \end{array} \right) \end{array} \right)$$

To achieve 0 in place of 31.4 we have to implement $R_3' + \frac{31.4}{3} R_1$

$$\begin{array}{c} R_1 \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & -3 & 4 & 10 \times 10^{-3} \\ R_2' \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1.8 & 0.3 & 0 \\ R_3' \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 0 & 34.967 & 89.667 \times 10^{-3} \end{array} \right) \end{array} \right) \end{array} \right)$$

Interchanging R_1 and R_2' gives 0's in the required position

$$\begin{array}{c} I_3 \quad I_2 \quad I_1 \\ \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & -1.8 & 0.3 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 & 4 & 10 \times 10^{-3} \\ 0 & 0 & 34.967 & 89.667 \times 10^{-3} \end{array} \right)$$

From the last row we have

$$34.967I_1 = 89.667 \times 10^{-3} \quad \text{which gives } I_1 = \frac{89.667 \times 10^{-3}}{34.967} = 2.564332 \times 10^{-3}$$

Substituting $I_1 = 2.564332 \times 10^{-3}$ into the penultimate row gives

$$-3I_2 + (4 \times 2.564332 \times 10^{-3}) = 10 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$I_2 = \frac{(10 \times 10^{-3}) - (4 \times 2.564332 \times 10^{-3})}{-3} = 8.5776 \times 10^{-5}$$

From the first row we have

$$I_3 - 1.8I_2 + 0.3I_1 = 0 \quad (*)$$

Substituting $I_1 = 2.564332 \times 10^{-3}$ and $I_2 = 8.5776 \times 10^{-5}$ into (*) yields

$$I_3 - (1.8 \times 8.5776 \times 10^{-5}) + (0.3 \times 2.564332 \times 10^{-3}) = 0$$

$$I_3 = (1.8 \times 8.5776 \times 10^{-5}) - (0.3 \times 2.564332 \times 10^{-3}) = -6.149028 \times 10^{-4}$$

Thus $I_1 = 2.56 \text{ mA}$, $I_2 = 85.8 \mu\text{A}$ and $I_3 = -615 \mu\text{A}$.

Of course the whole solution would look a lot nicer if we had taken advice of the hint and worked in $\text{k}\Omega$ and mA ! No factors of ' $\times 10^{-3}$ ' all over the place.
