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Unit I: System of Linear Equations, Matrices

Lecture 3

- System of Non-homogenous Linear Equations

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Solution of Simultaneous linear equations
By elementary row transformation :-

Let us consider a system of m linear equations
in n unknowns say x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n as below:

$$a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + \dots + a_{1n}x_n = b_1$$

$$a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + \dots + a_{2n}x_n = b_2$$

$$a_{m1}x_1 + a_{m2}x_2 + \dots + a_{mn}x_n = b_m$$

where a_{ij} & b_i are constants, may be real or complex.



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The above system of equations can be written in matrix form as:

$$AX = B$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ \vdots \\ b_m \end{bmatrix}$$

Coefficient Matrix

↑
Unknown
Variables
Matrix

Solution
Matrix



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For example :-

$$\begin{array}{r} 4x_1 + 2x_2 = 5 \\ 3x_1 + 1x_2 = 7 \end{array}$$

The above system of equation written in matrix form $Ax=B$ as follows:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Ax = B$$

Augmented Matrix :-

The matrix of the form $[A:B]$ or $[A|B]$ is known as Augmented matrix.

In above example :-

$$[A|B] = \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 4 & 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 1 & 7 \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{cc} 4 & 2 : 5 \\ 3 & 1 : 7 \end{array} \right]$$



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Remark :-

$\mathcal{S}(A|B)$ — length of Augmented Matrix.

$\mathcal{S}(A)$ — length of Matrix A.

* Consistency & Solution of Non-homogeneous system of equations:-

① $\mathcal{S}(A|B) = \mathcal{S}(A) = \text{number of unknown } (n)$

Then equations are consistent & has unique solution.

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* Consistency of Non-homogeneous linear equations:-

By the solution of the system of equations we mean that to find a set of values of the unknowns x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n which satisfy all the given m equations.

But here we observe that linear equations do not always have a solution i.e. it is not always possible to find the values of the unknowns.



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Examples :-

① Consider the set of equations -

$$\begin{aligned} 2x + 3y &= 3 \\ x - y &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Above system is system of 2 equations in 2 variables x & y .

Soln:- The given system of equations in written in matrix form $AX=B$ as -

$$\text{Row 1} = R_1 \left[\begin{matrix} 2 & 3 \end{matrix} \right] \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Row 2} = R_2 \left[\begin{matrix} 1 & -1 \\ x & y \end{matrix} \right] \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Consider augmented matrix $[A|B]$

$$\therefore [A|B] = \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & 3 & 3 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \\ \hline a_{21} & & \\ R_2 & \downarrow -2R_2 + R_1 & \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{array}{r} -2R_2 = -2 \\ R_1 + \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{cccc} 2 & -2 & 0 & 5 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & 1 \end{array}$$



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$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & 3 & 3 \\ 0 & 5 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$\text{R}_1 \leftrightarrow \text{R}_2$

$$g(A|B) = 2 \quad g(A) = 2$$

$n = \text{number of unknown} = 2$

Here $g(A|B) = g(A) = n = 2$

Hence system is consistent & has unique solution.

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & 3 & x \\ 0 & 5 & y \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{c} 3 \\ 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$2x + 3y = 3$$
$$5y = 1 \Rightarrow y = \frac{1}{5}$$

Using $y = \frac{1}{5}$ in eqn $2x + 3y = 3$, we get

$$2x + 3 \times \frac{1}{5} = 3$$
$$\therefore 2x = 3 - \frac{3}{5} = \frac{15-3}{5} = \frac{12}{5}$$
$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{6}{5}$$

$\therefore (x, y) = \left(\frac{6}{5}, \frac{1}{5} \right)$ is a solution of given system of eqn.



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Check:- Consider L.H.S of eqn ①, $L.H.S = 2x + 3y$

$$\begin{aligned} &= 2 \times \frac{6}{5} + 3 \times \frac{0}{5} \quad \frac{1}{5} \\ &= \frac{12}{5} + \cancel{\left(\frac{0}{5} \right)} \quad \frac{3}{5} \\ &= \cancel{\left(\frac{12}{5} \right)} \quad \frac{15}{5} = 3 \end{aligned}$$

Consider L.H.S of eqn ①,

$$\begin{aligned} L.H.S &= 2x + 3y = 2 \times \frac{6}{5} + 3 \times \frac{1}{5} \\ &= \frac{12}{5} + \frac{3}{5} \\ &= \frac{15}{5} \\ &= 3 \\ L.H.T &= R.H.S \end{aligned}$$

My, L.H.S & eqn ②

$$L.H.T = x - y = \frac{6}{5} - \frac{1}{5} = \frac{6-1}{5} = \frac{5}{5} = 1$$
$$\therefore L.H.S = R.H.S$$



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② Consider the set of equations

$$2x + 3y = 7$$

$$8x + 12y = 28$$

Solution:- Given system of equations
written in matrix form as

$$AX = B$$

$$\begin{matrix} R_1 & \left[\begin{matrix} 2 & 3 \\ 8 & 12 \end{matrix} \right] \left[\begin{matrix} x \\ y \end{matrix} \right] & = \left[\begin{matrix} 7 \\ 28 \end{matrix} \right] \\ R_2 & \text{(2)} & \end{matrix}$$

Consider

$$[A|B] = \left[\begin{matrix} 2 & 3 & | & 7 \\ 8 & 12 & | & 28 \end{matrix} \right] \xrightarrow[R_2 - 4R_1]{R_2} \left[\begin{matrix} 2 & 3 & | & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{matrix} \right]$$

$$\beta(A|B) = 1, \quad \beta(A) = 1, \quad n = 2$$

$$\text{Here } \beta(A|B) = \beta(A) \cdot 1 < n = 2$$



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$$|A|B = 1, |A| = 1, n = 2$$

Here $|A|B = |A| \cdot 1 < n = 2$

∴ Given system of equations is consistent but has infinite solution

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$2x + 3y = 7$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = 7 - 3y$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{7-3y}{2}$$

Suppose $y = 1 \Rightarrow x = \frac{7-3}{2} = \frac{2}{2} = 1$
 $y = -10 \Rightarrow x = \frac{7+30}{2} = \frac{37}{2}$

So on.



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③ Consider the set of equations

$$2x + 3y = 7$$

$$4x + 6y = 20 \Rightarrow \text{dividing by 2} \quad 2x + 3y = 10$$

$$(x, y) \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} 2x + 3y &= 7 \\ &= 10 \end{aligned}$$

No solution.

Soln:- We write above system of equations in matrix form as

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 20 \end{bmatrix}$$



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Consider

$$[A|B] = \left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & 3 & 7 \\ 4 & 6 & 20 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc|c} 2 & 3 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{R_2 - 2R_1} = 2$$

$$\therefore S(A|B) = 2, S(A) = 1$$

Here $S(A|B) \neq S(A)$.
Hence given system is inconsistent & has no solution.

Revision:-

- ① $S(A|B) = S(A) = n$, consistent Unique solution
- ② $S(A|B) = S(A) < n$ consistent Infinite Solution
- ③ $S(A|B) \neq S(A)$ Inconsistent No solution

Thank You!

