

Assignment For class 12

Mathematics

Topic : Method to examine the consistency or inconsistency of a Non-Homogeneous equation

for a given matrix equation $AX=B$ (difference between homogeneous & non-homogeneous discussed in video link provided by school)

- If $|A| \neq 0$, then the system is consistent and it has a unique solution given by $X=A^{-1}B$.
- If $|A| = 0$, & $(adj A)B \neq O$ (null matrix), then the system is inconsistent. **(note: Here we assume that $adj A \neq O$, if $adj A = O$ (Null Matrix), then the system may or may not be consistent)**
- If $|A| = 0$, & $(adj A)B = O$ then the system may be consistent having infinitely many solutions or may be inconsistent.

Example 1 : Test for consistency / inconsistency of the given equation:

$$3x + 11y = 7, \quad 6x + 22y = 5;$$

Solution :

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 11 \\ 6 & 22 \end{bmatrix}, \quad X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{and} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = 66 - 66 = 0, \quad adj A = \begin{bmatrix} 22 & -11 \\ -6 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore (adj A)B = \begin{bmatrix} 22 & -11 \\ -6 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 99 \\ -27 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore |A| = 0$, & $(adj A)B \neq O$ (null matrix), equations is inconsistent

Example 2 : Test for consistency / inconsistency of the equation:

$$4x + 6y = 7, \quad 6x + 9y = 10.5;$$

$$\text{solution: } A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 6 \\ 6 & 9 \end{bmatrix}, \quad X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{and} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 10.5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = 36 - 36 = 0, \quad adj A = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & -6 \\ -6 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore (adj A)B = \begin{bmatrix} 9 & -6 \\ -6 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 10.5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = O$$

$\therefore |A| = 0$, & $(adj A)B = O$ (null matrix), equations is consistent with infinite solution **(solution to be discussed in the next assignment)**

Example 3. Test for consistency / inconsistency of the given equation

$x + y - 2z = 5$, $x - 2y + z = -2$, $-2x + y + z = -3$:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = 1(-3) - 1(-3) - 2(-3) = -3 - 3 + 6 = 0, \text{ and } \text{adj } A = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & -3 & -3 \\ -3 & -3 & -3 \\ -3 & -3 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Now, } (\text{adj } A) B = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & -3 & -3 \\ -3 & -3 & -3 \\ -3 & -3 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

Hence the given system of equations may be consistent with infinitely many solutions or inconsistent. (solution to be discussed in next assignment)

Homework : Exercise 4.5. Q .2.ii,iii, iv) & Find λ so that the equations $3x - y + 2z = 1, 2x + y + 3z = 0,$

$x - 3y + \lambda z = 0$ may have a unique solution.