

## **Definition of a Matrix**

A matrix is an array of numbers with *m* rows and *n* columns. The size of a matrix is described as  $m \times n$ . This is called the <u>dimension</u> of a matrix.

Ex 1: Determine the dimension of each matrix.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -5 \\ -2 & 5 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \qquad B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 7 & 3 & 6 \\ 0 & 2 & -1 & 4 \\ 3 & 5 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \qquad C = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 5 & 1 & 8 \end{bmatrix} D = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$I \times 4$$

$$S \times 4$$

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The elements of a matrix are called <u>entries</u>. An  $m \times n$  matrix has  $m \cdot n$  entries. Two matrices are equal only if they are the same dimension and each corresponding element is equal.

Ex 2: If 
$$\begin{bmatrix} x & 2 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 4 & y \end{bmatrix}$$
, solve for x and y.  

$$2x2 \quad 2x2$$

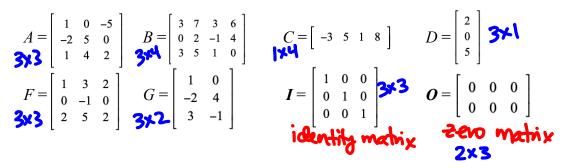
$$x=-2 \text{ and } y=3$$

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## **Operations with Matrices**

## <u>Matrix Addition/Subtraction</u> $\implies$ $A \pm B$

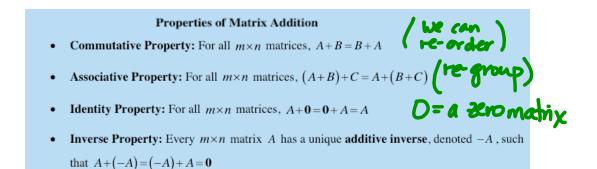
If two matrices are the same dimension, then addition or subtraction may be accomplished by adding/subtracting the corresponding entries of the two matrices.



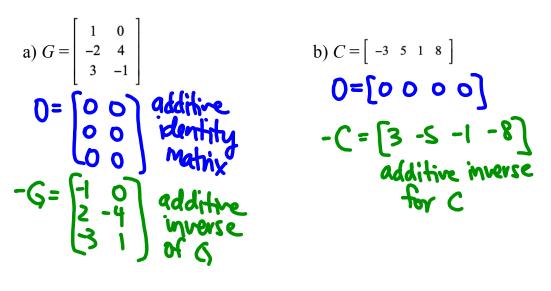
Ex 2: Determine which matrices from example 1 can be added or subtracted, then perform each operation on them (Exclude the Identity matrix.)

A scalar is a <u>real number</u>. Multiplication of a matrix by a scalar, k is accomplished by multiplying each entry by that scalar.

Ex 3: Perform these operations.  
a) 
$$5C = 5\begin{bmatrix} -3 & 5 & 1 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$
 b)  $-3G = -3\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -2 & 4 \\ 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$   
c)  $2I - 3A$   
 $= 2\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - 3\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -5 \\ -2 & 5 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$   
 $= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} - 3\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -5 \\ -2 & 5 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$   
 $= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & -15 \\ -4 & 5 & 0 \\ 3 & 12 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ 



Ex 4: Write an additive identity matrix and an additive inverse matrix for each of these.



## **Multiplying Matrices**

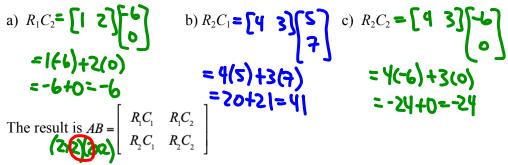
To multiply an  $\underline{m \times p}$  and  $\underline{p} \times n$  matrix, note that the number of columns in the first matrix must be equal to the number of rows in the second matrix. The result will be an  $m \times n$  matrix.

Let's begin by demonstrating what it means to multiply a row of one matrix by a column of another For the matrices  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$   $B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -6 \\ 7 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$   $R_1$  will denote row 1 of A

and  $C_1$  will denote column 1 of B.

To multiply  $R_1$  by  $C_1$  means this:  $R_1C_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix} = 1(5) + 2(7) = 19$ 

Ex 5: Determine each of these for *A* and *B* above.

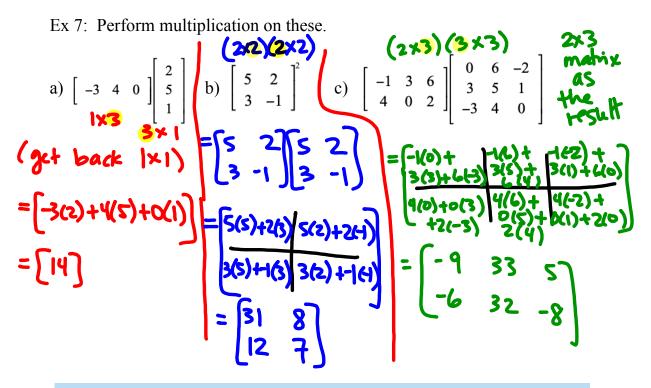


Ex 6: a) Write the matrix AB for Ex 5. b) Compute BA for the same matrices.

 $AB = \begin{bmatrix} 19 & -6 \\ 41 & -24 \end{bmatrix} \qquad A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \qquad B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -6 \\ 7 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$   $(b) BA = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -6 \\ 7 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5a) + 4bb (5(2) + 6(3) \\ 7a) + 0(1) & 7(2) + 0(3) \end{bmatrix}$   $2x2 \qquad 2x2 \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$   $AB \neq BA \qquad = \begin{bmatrix} -19 & -8 \\ 7 & 14 \end{bmatrix}$ 

**Matrix Multiplication:** Suppose A is an  $m \times p$  matrix and B is a  $p \times n$  matrix. Let  $R_i$  denote the *i*<sup>th</sup> row of A and  $C_j$  denote the *j*<sup>th</sup> column of B. The **product of A and B**, denoted AB, is the matrix defined by

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} R_{1}C_{1} & R_{1}C_{2} & \cdots & R_{1}C_{n} \\ R_{2}C_{1} & R_{2}C_{2} & \cdots & R_{2}C_{n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ R_{m}C_{1} & R_{m}C_{2} & \cdots & R_{m}C_{m} \end{bmatrix}$$



**Properties of Matrix Multiplication** Let A, B and C be matrices such that all of the matrix products below are defined and let r be a real number.

- Associative Property of Matrix Multiplication: (AB)C = A(BC)
- Associative Property with Scalar Multiplication: r(AB) = (rA)B = A(rB)
- Identity Property: For a natural number k, the  $k \times k$  identity matrix, denoted  $I_k$ , is a

square matrix containing 1's down the main diagonal and 0's elsewhere. For a  $m \times n$  matrix

 $A \quad I_m A = A I_n = A \, .$ 

Distributive Property of Matrix Multiplication over Matrix Addition:

 $A(B\pm C) = AB\pm AC$  and  $(A\pm B)C = AC\pm BC$