

# Matrix Inverse

### Inverse of Function

 Two functions f and g are inverse of each other f=g<sup>-1</sup>, g=f<sup>-1</sup>

For any v

• A and B are inverses to each other



Invertible = Non-singular Not Invertible = Singular

A is called invertible if there is a matrix B such that AB = I and BA = I

B is an inverse of A  $B = A^{-1}$   $A = B^{-1}$ 

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad AB = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad BA = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Non-square matrix cannot be invertible

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad C = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

• Non-square matrix cannot be invertible?



• Not all the square matrix is invertible

$$A = \left[ \begin{array}{cc} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \qquad \left[ \begin{array}{cc} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \left[ \begin{array}{cc} a & b \\ c & d \end{array} \right]$$

• Unique

AB = I BA = I AC = I CA = I

$$B = BI = B(AC) = (BA)C = IC = C$$

#### Inverse for matrix product

• A and B are invertible nxn matrices, is AB invertible? yes

$$(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$$

$$B^{-1}A^{-1}(AB) = B^{-1} (A^{-1}A)B = B^{-1} B = I$$

$$(AB)B^{-1}A^{-1} = A(BB^{-1})A^{-1} = AA^{-1} = I$$

• Let  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_k$  be nxn invertible matrices. The product  $A_1A_2 \cdots A_k$  is invertible, and

$$(A_1 A_2 \cdots A_k)^{-1} = (A_k)^{-1} (A_{k-1})^{-1} \cdots (A_1)^{-1}$$

#### Inverse for matrix transpose

• If A is invertible, is A<sup>T</sup> invertible?

$$(A^T)^{-1} = ? (A^{-1})^T$$



$$A^{-1}A = I \implies (A^{-1}A)^T = I \implies A^T (A^{-1})^T = I$$

$$AA^{-1} = I$$
  $(AA^{-1})^T = I$   $(A^{-1})^T A^T = I$