

EXERCISE 3.5

1. Solve by Cramer's Rule

i)
$$\begin{aligned} 2x + 2y + z &= 3 \\ 3x - 2y - 2z &= 1 \\ 5x + y - 3z &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

Sol.
$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 3 & -2 & -2 \\ 5 & 1 & -3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(6+2) - 2(-9+10) + 1(3+10)$$

$$= 16 - 2 + 13 = 27$$

$$|A_1| = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & -3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 3(6+2) - 2(-3+4) + 1(1+4)$$

$$= 24 - 2 + 5 = 27$$

$$x = \frac{|A_1|}{|A|} = \frac{27}{27} = 1$$

$$|A_2| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & -2 \\ 5 & 2 & -3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(-3+4) - 3(-9+10) + 1(6-5)$$

$$= 2 - 3 + 1 = 0$$

$$y = \frac{|A_2|}{|A|} = \frac{0}{27} = 0$$

$$|A_3| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & -2 & 1 \\ 5 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(-4-1) - 2(6-5) + 3(3+10)$$

$$= -10 - 2 + 39 = 27$$

$$z = \frac{|A_3|}{|A|} = \frac{27}{27} = 1$$

$$x = 1 \quad y = 0 \quad z = 1$$

ii)
$$\begin{aligned} 2x_1 - x_2 + x_3 &= 5 \\ 4x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 &= 8 \\ 3x_1 - 4x_2 - x_3 &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

Sol.
$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & -4 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(-2+12) + 1(-4-9) + 1(-16-6)$$

$$= 20 - 13 - 22 = -15$$

$$|A_1| = \begin{vmatrix} 5 & -1 & 1 \\ 8 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & -4 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 5(-2+12) + 1(-8-9) + 1(-32-6)$$

$$= 50 - 17 - 38 = -5$$

$$x_1 = \frac{|A_1|}{|A|} = \frac{-5}{-15} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$|A_2| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 5 & 1 \\ 4 & 8 & 3 \\ 3 & 3 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(-8-9) - 5(-4-9) + 1(12-24)$$

$$= -34 + 65 - 12 = 19$$

$$x_2 = \frac{|A_2|}{|A|} = \frac{19}{-15}$$

$$|A_3| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 & 5 \\ 4 & 2 & 8 \\ 3 & -4 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(6+32) + 1(12-24) + 5(-16-6)$$

$$= 76 - 12 - 110 = -46$$

$$x_3 = \frac{|A_3|}{|A|} = \frac{-46}{-15} = \frac{46}{15}$$

$$x_1 = \frac{1}{3} \quad x_2 = -\frac{19}{15} \quad x_3 = \frac{46}{15}$$

iii)
$$\begin{aligned} 2x_1 - x_2 + x_3 &= 8 \\ x_1 + 2x_2 + 2x_3 &= 6 \\ x_1 - 2x_2 - x_3 &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Sol.
$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|A| = 2(-2+4) + 1(-1-2) + 1(-2-2)$$

$$= 4 - 3 - 4 = -3$$

$$|A_1| = \begin{vmatrix} 8 & -1 & 1 \\ 6 & 2 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 8(-2+4) + 1(-6-2) + 1(-12-2)$$

$$= 16 - 8 - 14 = -6$$

$$x_1 = \frac{|A_1|}{|A|} = \frac{-6}{-3} = 2$$

$$|A_2| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 8 & 1 \\ 1 & 6 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(-6-2) - 8(-1-2) + 1(1-6)$$

$$= -16 + 24 - 5 = 3$$

$$x_2 = \frac{|A_2|}{|A|} = \frac{3}{-3} = -1$$

$$|A_3| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 & 8 \\ 1 & 2 & 6 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(2+12) + 1(1-6) + 8(-2-2)$$

$$= 28 - 5 - 32 = -9$$

$$x_3 = \frac{|A_3|}{|A|} = \frac{-9}{-3} = 3$$

$$x_1 = 2 \quad x_2 = -1 \quad x_3 = 3$$

2. Use matrices to solve.

i)

$$\begin{aligned} x - 2y + z &= -1 \\ 3x + y - 2z &= 4 \\ y - z &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

The matrix form of the system

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Let $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ $X = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix}$ $B = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Then system becomes $AX = B$

$$\Rightarrow X = A^{-1}B \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(-1+2) + 2(-3+0) + 1(3-0)$$

$$= 1 - 6 + 3 = -2 \neq 0$$

Cofactors of $A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & A_{13} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & A_{23} \\ A_{31} & A_{32} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix}$

$$A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^2 (-1+2) = 1$$

$$A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 0 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^3 (-3+0) = 3$$

$$A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^4 (3-0) = 3$$

$$A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^3 (-2-1) = -1$$

$$A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^5 (1+0) = -1$$

$$A_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^4 (-4-1) = 3$$

$$A_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^5 (-2-0) = 2$$

$$A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)^6 (3-2) = 1$$

Cofactors of $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 3 \\ -1 & -1 & -1 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Adj $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 3 & -1 & 5 \\ 3 & -1 & 7 \end{pmatrix}$

$$X = A^{-1}B = \frac{1}{|A|} (\text{Adj } A) B$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{-2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 3 & -1 & 5 \\ 3 & -1 & 7 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{-2} \begin{pmatrix} -1-4+3 \\ -3-4+5 \\ -3-4+7 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{-2} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x = 1, y = 1, z = 0$$

ii)

$$\begin{aligned} 2x_1 + x_2 + 3x_3 &= -3 \\ x_1 + x_2 - 2x_3 &= 0 \\ -3x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 &= -4 \end{aligned}$$

The matrix form of the system

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \\ -3 & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A X = B$$

$$\Rightarrow X = A^{-1}B \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

where $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \\ -3 & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ $X = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix}$ $B = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \\ -3 & -1 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(2-2) - 1(2-6) + 3(-1+3)$$

$$= 0 + 4 + 6 = 10$$

Cofactors of A =
$$\begin{bmatrix} |1 & -2| & -|1 & -2| & |1 & 1| \\ -|1 & 3| & |2 & 3| & -|2 & -1| \\ |1 & 3| & -|2 & 3| & |2 & 1| \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2-2 & -(2-6) & -1+3 \\ -(2+3) & 4+9 & -(2+3) \\ -2-3 & -(-4-3) & 2-1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 & 2 \\ -5 & 13 & -1 \\ -5 & 7 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Adj A = (Cofactors of A)^t =
$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -5 & -5 \\ 4 & 13 & 7 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(i) $x = A^{-1}B = \frac{1}{|A|} (\text{Adj } A)(B)$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{10} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -5 & -5 \\ 4 & 13 & 7 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{10} \begin{bmatrix} 0-0+20 \\ -12+0-28 \\ -6-0-4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$x_1 = 2 \quad x_2 = -4 \quad x_3 = -1$

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

Sol. The matrix form of the system

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$A X = B$
 $\Rightarrow X = A^{-1} B$ ---- (1)

where $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$ $X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$ $B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$

$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 & -3 \end{vmatrix}$

$$= 1(0+2) - 1(-6+0) + 0(4-0)$$

$$= 2+6+0 = 8 \neq 0$$

Cofactors of A =
$$\begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & A_{13} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & A_{23} \\ A_{31} & A_{32} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$A_{11} = (-1)^{1+1} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 2 & -3 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(0+2) = 2$

$A_{12} = (-1)^{1+2} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 0 & -3 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(-6+0) = 6$

$A_{13} = (-1)^{1+3} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(4-0) = 4$

$A_{21} = (-1)^{2+1} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -3 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(-3-0) = +3$

$A_{22} = (-1)^{2+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(-3-0) = -3$

$A_{23} = (-1)^{2+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(2-0) = -2$

$A_{31} = (-1)^{3+1} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(-1-0) = -1$

$A_{32} = (-1)^{3+2} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(-1-0) = 1$

$A_{33} = (-1)^{3+3} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 \end{vmatrix} = (-1)(0-2) = -2$

Cofactors of A =
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 6 & 4 \\ 3 & -3 & -2 \\ -1 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Adj A =
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 6 & -3 & 1 \\ 4 & -2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$X = A^{-1}B = \frac{1}{|A|} (\text{Adj } A)(B)$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 6 & -3 & 1 \\ 4 & -2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{8} \begin{bmatrix} 4+3+1 \\ 12-3-1 \\ 8-2+2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{8} \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 8 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$x = 1 \quad y = 1 \quad z = 1$

3 Solve the system by their augmented matrices to echelon and reduced echelon forms

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 - 2x_2 - 2x_3 &= -1 \\ 2x_1 + 3x_2 + x_3 &= 1 \\ 5x_1 - 4x_2 - 3x_3 &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Sol. The augmented matrix of the system is

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & -2 & : & -1 \\ 2 & 3 & 1 & : & 1 \\ 5 & -4 & -3 & : & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sim R \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & -2 & : & -1 \\ 0 & 7 & 5 & : & 3 \\ 0 & 6 & 7 & : & 6 \end{pmatrix} \begin{array}{l} R_2 - 2R_1 \\ R_3 - 5R_1 \end{array}$$

$$\sim R \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & -2 & : & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & : & -3 \\ 0 & 6 & 7 & : & 6 \end{pmatrix} R_2 - R_1$$

$$\sim R \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & -2 & : & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & : & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 19 & : & 24 \end{pmatrix} R_3 - 6R_2$$

$$\sim R \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & -2 & : & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & : & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & 24/19 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{19} R_3$$

The equivalent system in echelon form is

$$x_1 - 2x_2 - 2x_3 = -1 \dots (1)$$

$$x_2 - 2x_3 = -3 \dots (2)$$

$$x_3 = \frac{24}{19} \dots (3)$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow x_2 = 2x_3 - 3 = 2\left(\frac{24}{19}\right) - 3 = \frac{48 - 57}{19} = -\frac{9}{19}$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow x_1 = 2x_2 + 2x_3 - 1 = 2\left(-\frac{9}{19}\right) + 2\left(\frac{24}{19}\right) - 1 = \frac{-18 + 48 - 19}{19} = \frac{11}{19}$$

$$x_1 = \frac{11}{19}, x_2 = -\frac{9}{19}, x_3 = \frac{24}{19}$$

Now in Reduced echelon form

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & -2 & : & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & : & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & 24/19 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\sim R \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -6 & : & -7 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & : & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & 24/19 \end{pmatrix} R_1 + 2R_2$$

$$\sim R \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & : & 11/19 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & : & -9/19 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & 24/19 \end{pmatrix} \begin{array}{l} R_1 + 6R_3 \\ R_2 + 2R_3 \end{array}$$

The system in reduced echelon form is

$$x_1 = \frac{11}{19}, x_2 = -\frac{9}{19}, x_3 = \frac{24}{19}$$

ii)
$$\begin{aligned} x + 2y + z &= 2 \\ 2x + y + 2z &= -1 \\ 2x + 3y - z &= 9 \end{aligned}$$

Sol. The augmented matrix is

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & : & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 & : & -1 \\ 2 & 3 & -1 & : & 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\sim R \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & : & 2 \\ 0 & -3 & 0 & : & -5 \\ 0 & -1 & -3 & : & 5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{array}{l} R_2 - 2R_1 \\ R_3 - 2R_1 \end{array}$$

$$\sim R \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & : & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & -3 & : & 5 \\ 0 & -1 & -3 & : & 5 \end{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{3} R_2$$

$$\sim R \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & : & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & : & 5/3 \\ 0 & 0 & -3 & : & 20/3 \end{pmatrix} R_3 + R_2$$

$$\sim R \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & : & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & : & 5/3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & -20/9 \end{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{3} R_3$$

The system in echelon form is

$$x + 2y + z = 2 \dots (1)$$

$$y = \frac{5}{3}, z = -\frac{20}{9}$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow x = 2 - 2y - z = 2 - 2\left(\frac{5}{3}\right) - \left(-\frac{20}{9}\right) = \frac{18 - 20 + 20}{9} = \frac{8}{9}$$

$$x = \frac{8}{9}, y = \frac{5}{3}, z = -\frac{20}{9}$$

Now in reduced echelon form

$$\sim R \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & : & -4/3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & : & 5/3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & -20/9 \end{pmatrix} R_1 - 2R_2$$

$$\sim R \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & : & 8/9 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & : & 5/3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & -20/9 \end{pmatrix} R_1 - R_3$$

$$x = \frac{8}{9}, y = \frac{5}{3}, z = -\frac{20}{9}$$

iii)
$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + 4x_2 + 2x_3 &= 2 \\ 2x_1 + x_2 - 2x_3 &= 9 \\ 3x_1 + 2x_2 - 2x_3 &= 12 \end{aligned}$$

Sol. The augmented matrix is

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & 2 & : & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 & : & 9 \\ 3 & 2 & -2 & : & 12 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\sim R \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & 2 & : & 2 \\ 0 & -7 & -6 & : & 5 \\ 0 & -10 & -8 & : & 6 \end{pmatrix} \begin{array}{l} R_2 - 2R_1 \\ R_3 - 3R_1 \end{array}$$

$$R \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & 2 & : & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & : & -3 \\ 0 & -10 & -8 & : & 6 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} -3R_2 + 2R_3 \\ \\ \end{matrix}$$

$$R \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & 2 & : & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & : & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 12 & : & -24 \end{pmatrix} R_3 + 10R_2$$

$$R \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & 2 & : & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & : & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & -2 \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{12} R_3$$

The system is in echelon form

$$x_1 + 4x_2 + 2x_3 = 2 \dots (1)$$

$$x_2 + 2x_3 = -3 \dots (2)$$

$$x_3 = -2 \dots (3)$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow x_2 = -2x_3 - 3$$

$$x_2 = -2(-2) - 3 = 4 - 3 = 1$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow x_1 = 2 - 4x_2 - 2x_3$$

$$x_1 = 2 - 4(1) - 2(-2)$$

$$= 2 - 4 + 4 = 2$$

$$x_1 = 2 \quad x_2 = 1 \quad x_3 = -2$$

Now in Reduced echelon form

$$R \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -6 & : & 14 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & : & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & 2 \end{pmatrix} R_1 - 4R_2$$

$$R \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & : & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & : & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & : & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} R_1 + 6R_3 \\ \\ R_2 - 2R_3 \end{matrix}$$

$$x_1 = 2 \quad x_2 = 1 \quad x_3 = -2$$

4. Solve the homogeneous linear equations

i) $x + 2y - 2z = 0 \dots (1)$
 $2x + y + 5z = 0 \dots (2)$
 $5x + 4y + 8z = 0 \dots (3)$

Sol. let the matrix of coefficients be A

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & 5 \\ 5 & 4 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & 5 \\ 5 & 4 & 8 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|A| = 1(8-20) - 2(16-25) - 2(8-5)$$

$$= -12 + 18 - 6 = 0$$

Thus system has infinite solutions.

$$(1) \Rightarrow x + 2y - 2z = 0$$

$$(2) \times 2 \Rightarrow \underline{4x + 2y + 10z = 0}$$

$$\underline{-3x - 12z = 0}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -4z$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow y = -2x - 5z$$

$$= -2(-4z) - 5z = 3z$$

putting values of x, y in (3)

$$L.H.S = 5(-4z) + 4(3z) + 8z$$

$$= -20z + 12z + 8z = 0$$

= R.H.S Satisfied

let $z = t$ where $t \in \mathbb{R}$

Then $x = -4t \quad y = 3t$
 The system has infinitely many solutions.

ii) $x_1 + 4x_2 + 2x_3 = 0 \dots (1)$
 $2x_1 + x_2 - 3x_3 = 0 \dots (2)$
 $3x_1 + 2x_2 - 4x_3 = 0 \dots (3)$

Sol. let the matrix of coefficients be A

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -3 \\ 3 & 2 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -3 \\ 3 & 2 & -4 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(-4+6) - 4(-8+9) + 2(4-3)$$

$$= 2 - 4 + 2 = 0$$

Thus the system has infinite solutions

$$(1) \Rightarrow x_1 + 4x_2 + 2x_3 = 0$$

$$(2) \times 4 \Rightarrow \underline{8x_1 + 4x_2 - 12x_3 = 0}$$

$$\underline{-7x_1 + 14x_3 = 0}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = 2x_3$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow x_2 = -2x_1 + 3x_3$$

$$x_2 = -2(2x_3) + 3x_3 = -x_3$$

putting values of x_1, x_2 in

(iii) L.H.S

$$= 3(2x_3) + 2(-x_3) - 4x_3$$

$$= 6x_3 - 2x_3 - 4x_3 = 0 = R.H.S$$

let $x_3 = t \quad t \in R$

$$x_1 = 2t \quad x_2 = -t \quad x_3 = t$$

The system has infinitely many solutions.

$$(iii) \quad x_1 - 2x_2 - x_3 = 0 \quad \dots (1)$$

$$x_1 + x_2 + 5x_3 = 0 \quad \dots (2)$$

$$2x_1 - x_2 + 4x_3 = 0 \quad \dots (3)$$

Sol. let the matrix of the coefficient be A

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 2 & -1 & 4 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 2 & -1 & 4 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(4+5) + 2(4-10) - 1(-1-2)$$

$$= 9 - 12 + 3 = 0$$

Thus the system has non trivial solution

$$(1) \Rightarrow x_1 - 2x_2 - x_3 = 0$$

$$(2) \times 2 \Rightarrow \underline{2x_1 + 2x_2 + 10x_3 = 0}$$

$$3x_1 + 9x_3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = -3x_3$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow x_2 = -x_1 - 5x_3$$

$$= 3x_3 - 5x_3 = -2x_3$$

putting values of x_1, x_2

in (3) L.H.S

$$= 2(-3x_3) - (-2x_3) + 4x_3$$

$$= -6x_3 + 2x_3 + 4x_3$$

$$= 0 = R.H.S$$

let $x_3 = t \quad t \in R$

$$x_1 = -3t \quad x_2 = -2t \quad x_3 = t$$

Thus the system has infinitely many solutions

5. Find the value of λ for which system has non trivial sol. Also solve the system for value of λ .

$$i) \quad x + y + z = 0 \quad \dots (1)$$

$$2x + y - \lambda z = 0 \quad \dots (2)$$

$$x + 2y - 2z = 0 \quad \dots (3)$$

The matrix of coefficient of the system is A

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -\lambda \\ 1 & 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & -\lambda \\ 1 & 2 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(-2+2\lambda) - 1(-4+\lambda) + 1(4-1)$$

$$= -2 + 2\lambda + 4 - \lambda + 3$$

$$= \lambda + 5$$

System has non trivial sol

$$\text{if } |A| = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda + 5 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = -5$$

The system becomes

$$x + y + z = 0 \quad \dots (4)$$

$$2x + y + 5z = 0 \quad \dots (5)$$

$$x + 2y - 2z = 0 \quad \dots (6)$$

$$(4) \Rightarrow x + y + z = 0$$

$$(5) \Rightarrow \underline{2x + y + 5z = 0}$$

$$-x - 4z = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -4z$$

$$(4) \Rightarrow y = -x - z = 4z - z = 3z$$

putting the values of x, y in (6)

L.H.S

$$= -4z + 2(3z) - 2z$$

$$= -6z + 6z = 0 \text{ R.H.S}$$

Let $z = t \quad t \in \mathbb{R}$

$$x = -4t \quad y = 3t \quad z = t$$

Thus the system has an infinitely many solutions

ii $x_1 + 4x_2 + \lambda x_3 = 0 \dots (1)$

$$2x_1 + x_2 - 3x_3 = 0 \dots (2)$$

$$3x_1 + \lambda x_2 - 4x_3 = 0 \dots (3)$$

The matrix of coefficient of the system is A

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & \lambda \\ 2 & 1 & -3 \\ 3 & \lambda & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 4 & \lambda \\ 2 & 1 & -3 \\ 3 & \lambda & -4 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|A| = 1(-4 + 3\lambda) - 4(-8 + 9) + \lambda(2)$$

$$= -4 + 3\lambda - 4 + 2\lambda^2 - 3\lambda$$

$$= 2\lambda^2 - 8$$

For non trivial sol $|A| = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 2\lambda^2 - 8 = 0 \Rightarrow 2\lambda^2 = 8 \Rightarrow \lambda = \pm 2$$

For $\lambda = 2$

The system becomes

$$x_1 + 4x_2 + 2x_3 = 0 \dots (4)$$

$$2x_1 + x_2 - 3x_3 = 0 \dots (5)$$

$$3x_1 + 2x_2 - 4x_3 = 0 \dots (6)$$

Same as Q 4(ii)

For $\lambda = -2$

The system becomes

$$x_1 + 4x_2 - 2x_3 = 0 \dots (4)$$

$$2x_1 + x_2 - 3x_3 = 0 \dots (5)$$

$$3x_1 - 2x_2 - 4x_3 = 0 \dots (6)$$

$$(4) \Rightarrow x_1 + 4x_2 - 2x_3 = 0$$

$$(5) \times 4 \Rightarrow \frac{-8x_1 + 4x_2 - 12x_3 = 0}{-7x_1 + 10x_3 = 0} \Rightarrow x_1 = \frac{10}{7}x_3$$

$$(6) \Rightarrow x_2 = -2x_1 + 3x_3$$

$$= -\frac{20}{7}x_3 + 3x_3 = \frac{1}{7}x_3$$

putting values of x_1, x_2 in (6)

$$L.H.S = 3\left(\frac{10}{7}x_3\right) - 2\left(\frac{1}{7}x_3\right) - 4x_3$$

$$= (30x_3 - 2x_3 - 28x_3)/7 = 0 \text{ R.H.S}$$

Let $x_3 = t \quad t \in \mathbb{R}$

$$x_1 = \frac{10}{7}t \quad x_2 = \frac{1}{7}t \quad x_3 = t$$

Thus the system has an infinitely many solutions

$$x_1 + 4x_2 + \lambda x_3 = 2$$

$$2x_1 + x_2 - 2x_3 = 11$$

$$3x_1 + 2x_2 - 2x_3 = 16$$

Sol. The matrix of coefficient of the system is A

$$\text{then } |A| = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 4 & \lambda \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ 3 & 2 & -2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 1(-2 + 4) - 4(-4 + 6) + \lambda(4 - 3)$$

$$= 2 - 8 + \lambda = \lambda - 6$$

A system does not possess a unique solution if $|A| = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda - 6 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = 6$$

The system becomes

$$x_1 + 4x_2 + 6x_3 = 2$$

$$2x_1 + x_2 - 2x_3 = 11$$

$$3x_1 + 2x_2 - 2x_3 = 16$$

The augmented matrix is

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 4 & 6 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 & 11 \\ 3 & 2 & -2 & 16 \end{array} \right]$$

$$R_2 - 2R_1$$

$$R_3 - 3R_1$$

$$R_2 - \frac{1}{7}R_2$$

$$R_1 - 4R_2$$

$$R_2 + 10R_2$$

$$R_1 - 4R_2$$

$$R_2 + 10R_2$$

The equivalent system is

$$x_1 - 2x_3 = 6, \quad x_2 + 2x_3 = -1$$

Let $x_3 = t$ arbitrary

$$x_1 = 2t + 6 \quad x_2 = -2t - 1$$

Thus the system of eq has infinitely many solutions.