

Chapter - 19

System of Linear Equation

Gauss Elimination Method.

→ Let system of equations be.

$$a_{11}x + a_{12}y + a_{13}z = b_1 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$a_{21}x + a_{22}y + a_{23}z = b_2 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$a_{31}x + a_{32}y + a_{33}z = b_3 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Forward Elimination

Eliminating x between eq (1) & (2) we get, say

$$p_1y + q_1z = r_1 \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

Also,

Eliminating x between eq (1) & (3)

$$\text{Say, } p_2y + q_2z = r_2 \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

Again, eliminating 'y' between (4) & (5) we get

$$\text{Say, } \alpha z = \beta \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

Now,

we have sub-system

$$a_{11}x + a_{12}y + a_{13}z = b_1 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$p_1y + q_1z = r_1 \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

$$\alpha z = \beta \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

By Backward Substitution

we can find required solution. #

Note:

Case-I

If $\alpha \neq 0, \beta \neq 0$ (or $\beta \neq 0, \alpha \neq 0$) then given system has unique solution & hence consistent.

Case-II

If $\alpha = \beta = 0$, Then given system has infinitely many solutions & hence consistent.

Case-III

If $\alpha = 0, \beta \neq 0$ then given system has no solution & hence inconsistent.

Exercise:- 19.1

1. Solve the following system of linear equations by Gauss Elimination Method:

$$4x + 5y = 12$$

$$3x + 2y = 9$$

→ Soln,

Given system,

$$4x + 5y = 12 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$3x + 2y = 9 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Forward Elimination

To Eliminating x performing $3[eq^1(1)] - 4[eq^1(2)]$

$$12x + 15y = 36$$

$$\rightarrow 12x + 8y = 36$$

$$7y = 0 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

So,

We have following sub-system

$$3x + 2y = 9 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$7y = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Backward Substitution

From (2) $y = 0$

When $y = 0$, from (1),

$$3x = 9$$

$$x = 3$$

Req solution is $x = 3, y = 0$ ans

b. $5x + 2y = 4$

$$7x + 3y = 5$$

→ Soln,

Given system

$$5x + 2y = 4 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$7x + 3y = 5 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Forward Elimination

To Eliminating x performing $7[\text{eq}^1] - 5[\text{eq}^2]$

$$35x + 14y = 28$$

$$\Rightarrow 35x + 15y = 25$$

$$-y = 3 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

So,

We have following sub-system,

$$5x + 2y = 4 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$-y = 3 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Backward Substitution

From (3), $y = -3$

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When $y = -3$, from (1)

$$5x + 2(-3) = 4$$

$$\text{or } 5x - 6 = 4$$

$$\text{or } x = \frac{10}{5}$$

$$\therefore x = 2$$

$\therefore$ Required solution is $x = 2, y = -3$ or

$$C. 5x - 3y = 8$$

$$2x + 5y = 59$$

$\rightarrow$ Soln,

Given system is.

$$5x - 3y = 8 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$2x + 5y = 59 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Forward Elimination

To Eliminating x , performing $2[\text{eqn (1)}] - 5[\text{eqn (2)}]$

$$10x - 6y = 16$$

$$10x + 25y = 295$$

$$\begin{array}{r} (-) \quad (-) \quad (-) \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$-31y = -279 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

So,

we have following sub-system.

$$5x - 3y = 8 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$-31y = -279 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Backward Substitution

From (3), $y = 9$

When $y = 9$, from (1)

$$5x - 3 \times 9 = 8$$

$$\text{or } 5x = 35$$

$$\therefore x = 7$$

Required solution is $x = 7, y = 9$ or

$$\begin{aligned} \text{d. } 2x - 3y &= 7 \\ 3x + y &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

→ Soln,

Given system is

$$2x - 3y = 7 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$3x + y = 5 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Forward Elimination

To Eliminating x , performing $3[\text{eq (1)}] - 2[\text{eq (2)}]$

$$6x - 9y = 21$$

$$6x + 2y = 10$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 6x - 9y = 21 \\ -(6x + 2y = 10) \\ \hline -11y = 11 \quad \text{--- (3)} \end{array}$$

So,

we have following substitution

$$2x - 3y = 7 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$-11y = 11 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Backward Substitution

From (3), $y = -1$

When, $y = -1$, from (1)

$$2x - 3(-1) = 7$$

$$\text{or, } 2x = 4$$

$$\therefore x = 2$$

∴ Required solution is $x = 2, y = -1$ or

2. Solve the following system of linear equations by Gauss elimination method:

$$\begin{aligned} a. \quad & 5x - y + 4z = 5 \\ & 2x + 3y + 5z = 2 \\ & 5x - 2y + 6z = -1 \end{aligned}$$

→ Soln.

Given system,

$$5x - y + 4z = 5 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$2x + 3y + 5z = 2 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$5x - 2y + 6z = -1 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Forward Elimination

To Eliminating x between eqⁿ (1) & (2) by performing $2[\text{eq}^n (1)] - 5[\text{eq}^n (2)]$ we get,

$$\begin{aligned} & 10x - 2y + 8z = 10 \\ & \underline{10x + 15y + 25z = 10} \\ & -17y - 17z = 0 \quad \text{--- (4)} \end{aligned}$$

Again,

Eliminating x between (1) & (3) by performing $\text{eq}^n (1) - \text{eq}^n (3)$

$$\begin{aligned} & 5x - y + 4z = 5 \\ & \underline{-(5x - 2y + 6z = -1)} \\ & 3y - 2z = 6 \quad \text{--- (5)} \end{aligned}$$

Also, eliminating 'y' between (4) & (5) by performing $\text{eq}^n (4) + 17\text{eq}^n (5)$ we get,

$$\begin{aligned} & -17y - 17z = 0 \\ & \underline{17y - 34z = 102} \\ & -51z = 102 \quad \text{--- (6)} \end{aligned}$$

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Now,

we have sub-system

$$5x - y + 4z = 5 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$y - 2z = 6 \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

$$-51z = 102 \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

Backward Substitution

From (6), $z = -2$

When, $z = -2$, from (5)

$$y = 6 + 2 \times (-2) = 2$$

When, $y = 2$, $z = -2$, from (1)

$$5x = 5 + 2 - 4(-2)$$

$$\text{or, } 5x = 15$$

$$\therefore x = 3$$

$\therefore$ Req. solution is $x = 3, y = 2, z = -2$ or

b. $x - y + 2z = 7$

$$3x + 4y - 5z = -5$$

$$2x - y + 3z = 12$$

$\rightarrow$ Soln,

Given system,

$$x - y + 2z = 7 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$3x + 4y - 5z = -5 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$2x - y + 3z = 12 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Forward Elimination

To Eliminating x between eq (1) & (2) by performing $[eq(1)] - eq(2)$

we get, $2x - 3y + 6z = 22$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x - 3y + 6z = 22 \\ -(3x + 4y - 5z = -5) \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$-7y + 11z = 26 \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

2) gain,

Eliminating x between (1) & (3) by performing $9 \times (1) - eq (3)$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x - 2y + 4z = 74 \\ 2x - y + 3z = 12 \\ \hline (-) \quad (-) \quad (-) \quad (-) \\ -y + z = 2 \quad \text{--- (5)} \end{array}$$

Also eliminating y between (1) & (5) by performing $9 \times (1) - 7 \times (5)$

$$\begin{array}{r} -7y + 7z = 26 \\ -7y + 7z = 24 \\ \hline (-) \quad (-) \quad (-) \quad (-) \\ 4z = 12 \quad \text{--- (6)} \end{array}$$

Now,

we have sub-system

$$\begin{array}{r} x - y + 2z = 7 \quad \text{--- (1')} \\ -y + z = 2 \quad \text{--- (5')} \\ 4z = 12 \quad \text{--- (6')} \end{array}$$

Backward Substitution

from (6), $z = 3$

when $z = 3$ from (5)

$$-y + 3 = 2$$

$$\text{or, } -y = -1$$

$$\therefore y = 1$$

When $y = 1$, $z = 3$ from (1')

$$x - 1 + 2 \times 3 = 7$$

$$\text{or, } x = 7 - 5$$

$$\therefore x = 2$$

$\therefore$ Required solution is, $x = 2, y = 1, z = 3$ ans

$$\begin{aligned} C. \quad & 2x + 3y + 3z = 5 \\ & x - 2y + z = -4 \\ & 3x - y - 2z = 3 \end{aligned}$$

→ Soln,

Given system is,

$$\begin{aligned} 2x + 3y + 3z &= 5 & \text{--- (1)} \\ x - 2y + z &= -4 & \text{--- (2)} \\ 3x - y - 2z &= 3 & \text{--- (3)} \end{aligned}$$

Forward Elimination

To Eliminating x between (1) & (2) by performing $eq(1) - 2[eq(2)]$ we get,

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x + 3y + 3z = 5 \\ - (2x - 4y + 2z = -8) \\ \hline 7y + z = 13 \quad \text{--- (4)} \end{array}$$

Again,

Eliminating x between (2) & (3) by performing $3[eq(2)] - eq(3)$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x - 6y + 3z = -12 \\ - (3x - y - 2z = 3) \\ \hline -5y + 5z = -15 \quad \text{--- (5)} \end{array}$$

Also, eliminating y between (4) & (5) by performing $5[eq(4)] + 7[eq(5)]$

$$\begin{array}{r} 35y + 5z = 65 \\ - (35y + 35z = -105) \\ \hline 40z = -40 \quad \text{--- (6)} \end{array}$$

Now,

We have sub-system,

$$\begin{aligned} 2x + 3y + 3z &= 5 & \text{--- (1)} \\ -5y + 5z &= -15 & \text{--- (5)} \\ 40z &= -40 & \text{--- (6)} \end{aligned}$$

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Back-ward Substitution

from (6), $z = -1$

when $z = -1$ from (5)

$$-5y + 5x - 1 = -15$$

$$\text{or, } -5y = -10$$

$$\therefore y = 2$$

When $y = 2$, $z = -1$ from (3)

$$2x + 3 \times 2 + 3 \times (-1) = 5$$

$$\text{or, } 2x = 5 - 6 + 3$$

$$\text{or, } x = \frac{2}{2}$$

$$\therefore x = 1$$

$\therefore$ Required solution is $x = 1, y = 2, z = -1$ Ans

d. $x + 2y + 3z = 24$

$$3x + 4y + 2z = 17$$

$$2x + 3y + z = 11$$

$\rightarrow$ Solⁿ.

Given system is,

$$x + 2y + 3z = 24 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$3x + 4y + 2z = 17 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$2x + 3y + z = 11 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Forward Elimination

To eliminating x performing between (1) & (2) by performing

$3 \times \text{eqn (1)} - \text{eqn (2)}$, we get,

$$3x + 6y + 9z = 42$$

$$3x + 4y + 2z = 17$$

$$\begin{array}{r} (-) \quad (-) \quad (-) \quad (-) \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$2y + 7z = 25 \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

Again,

Eliminating x between (1) & (3) by performing $2[\text{eqn (1)}] - \text{eqn (3)}$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x + 4y + 6z = 28 \\ -(x + 3y + z = 17) \\ \hline y + 5z = 17 \quad \text{--- (5)} \end{array}$$

Also, eliminating y between (4) & (5) by performing $\text{eqn (4)} - 2[\text{eqn (5)}]$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x + 7z = 25 \\ -(2x + 10z = 34) \\ \hline -3z = -9 \quad \text{--- (6)} \end{array}$$

Now,

We have sub-system

$$\begin{array}{r} x + 2y + 3z = 14 \quad \text{--- (1)} \\ y + 5z = 17 \quad \text{--- (5)} \\ -3z = -9 \quad \text{--- (6)} \end{array}$$

Backward Substitution

from (6), $z = 3$

When $z = 3$, from (5)

$$y + 5 \times 3 = 17$$

$$\text{or, } y = 17 - 15$$

$$\therefore y = 2$$

When $y = 2$, $z = 3$, from (1)

$$x + 2 \times 2 + 3 \times 3 = 14$$

$$\text{or, } x = 14 - 4 - 9$$

$$\therefore x = 1$$

$\therefore$ Required solution is $x = 1, y = 2, z = 3$ u

3. Test the consistency of the following system of equations by Gauss Elimination method.

$$0. \quad x + 8y = 5$$

$$3x + y = 4$$

→ Soln.

Given system is,

$$x + 8y = 5 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$3x + y = 4 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Forward elimination

To eliminating x by performing $3[\text{eqn (1)}] - \text{eqn (2)}$, we get

$$3x + 3y = 15$$

$$\underline{3x + y = 4}$$

$$8y = 11 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

So, we have following sub-system

$$x + 3y = 5 \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

$$8y = 11 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Backward Substitution

from (3), $y = \frac{11}{8}$

when $y = \frac{11}{8}$, from (4)

$$x + 3 \times \frac{11}{8} = 5$$

$$\text{or, } x = 5 - \frac{33}{8}$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{7}{8}$$

Req. solution is, $x = \frac{7}{8}$, $y = \frac{11}{8}$

Hence, given system has unique solution & hence consistent.

Equations

C. $-2x + 5y = 3$

$$6x - 15y = -9$$

→ Soln.

Given system is.

$$-2x + 5y = 3 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$6x - 15y = -9 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Forward Elimination

To eliminating x by performing $3[\text{eq}^n (1)] + \text{eq}^n (2)$, we get,

$$-6x + 15y = 9$$

$$6x - 15y = -9$$

$$0.y = 0 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

So, we have following sub-system.

$$-2x + 5y = 3 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$0.y = 0 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Hence, in eqⁿ (3), any real value of z satisfies the equation.

So, we can take $y = k, k \in \mathbb{R}$

When, $y = k$, from (1)

$$-2x + 5k = 3$$

$$\text{or, } -2x = 3 - 5k$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{3 - 5k}{-2}$$

Req solution is, $x = -\frac{3 - 5k}{2}, y = k, k \in \mathbb{R}$

Hence, given system has infinitely many solutions and hence consistent. ans

$$c. 2x - y + 4z = 4$$

$$x + 2y - 3z = 7$$

$$3x + 3z = 6$$

→ Soln

Given system is,

$$2x - y + 4z = 4 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$x + 2y - 3z = 7 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$3x + 3z = 6 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Forward Elimination

To eliminating x between (1) & (3) by performing $3[eq(1)] - 2[eq(3)]$ we get,

$$2x - y + 4z = 4$$

$$3x + 6y - 6z = 2$$

$$-5y + 10z = 2 \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

Again,

Eliminating x between (2) & (3) by performing $3[eq(2)] - eq(3)$

$$3x + 6y - 9z = 3$$

$$3x + 0 + 3z = 6$$

$$6y - 12z = -3 \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

Also, eliminating y between (4) & (5) by performing $6[eq(4)] + 5[eq(5)]$ we get,

$$-30y + 60z = 22$$

$$30y - 60z = -15$$

$$0.z = -3 \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

Now,

We have sub-system,

$$2x - y + 4z = 4 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$6y - 12z = -3 \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

$$0.z = -3 \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

From (6)
Here, the system

$$f. \begin{aligned} x + 3y \\ 2x + y \\ 5x \end{aligned}$$

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Here, there is no real value of z satisfies equation so, system has no solution & hence inconsistent. Ans

$$\begin{aligned} \text{f. } x + 3y + 4z &= 8 \\ 2x + y + 2z &= 5 \\ 5x + 2z &= 7 \end{aligned}$$

→ Soln,

Given system is,

$$\begin{aligned} x + 3y + 4z &= 8 & \text{--- (1)} \\ 2x + y + 2z &= 5 & \text{--- (2)} \\ 5x + 2z &= 7 & \text{--- (3)} \end{aligned}$$

Forward Elimination

To eliminating x between (1) & (2) by performing $2[\text{eqn (1)}] - \text{eqn (2)}$ we get,

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 2x + 6y + 8z & = & 16 \\ \underline{2x + y + 2z = 5} & & \\ \hline 5y + 6z & = & 11 \end{array} \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

Again,

Eliminating x between (2) & (3) by performing $5[\text{eqn (2)}] - 2[\text{eqn (3)}]$ we get,

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 10x + 5y + 10z & = & 25 \\ \underline{10x + 4z = 10} & & \\ \hline 5y + 6z & = & 15 \end{array} \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

Also, eliminating 'y' between (4) & (5) by performing $\text{eqn (4)} - \text{eqn (5)}$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 5y + 6z & = & 11 \\ \underline{5y + 6z = 15} & & \\ \hline 0z & = & -4 \end{array} \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

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Now,

We have sub-system

$$x + 3y + 4z = 8 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$5y + 6z = 11 \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

$$0 \cdot z = 0 \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

Here in eqn (6), any real value of z satisfies the equation.
So, we can take $z = k, k \in \mathbb{R}$

When, $z = k$ from (5)

$$5y = 11 - 6k$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{11 - 6k}{5}$$

Also,

When $y = \frac{11 - 6k}{5}$, $z = k$ then from (1)

$$x = 8 - 3\left(\frac{11 - 6k}{5}\right) - 4k$$

$$= \frac{40 - 33 + 18k - 20k}{5}$$

$$= \frac{7 - 2k}{5}$$

$\therefore$ Req. solution is, $x = \frac{7 - 2k}{5}$, $y = \frac{11 - 6k}{5}$, $z = k, k \in \mathbb{R}$

Hence, given system has infinitely many solutions and hence consistent.