

# Linear Equations

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# Linear Equations

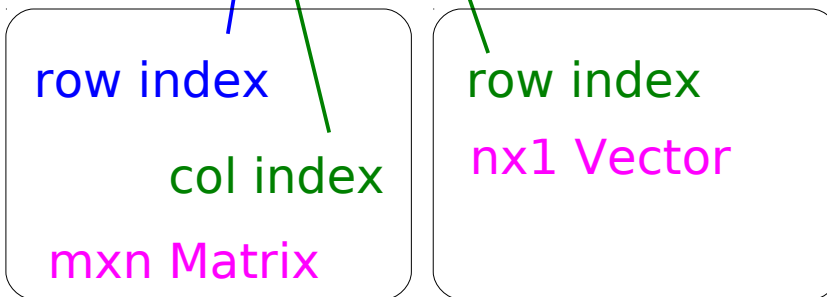
$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} a_{11} x_1 + a_{12} x_2 + \cdots + a_{1n} x_n & = & b_1 \\ a_{21} x_1 + a_{22} x_2 + \cdots + a_{2n} x_n & = & b_2 \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} x_1 + a_{m2} x_2 + \cdots + a_{mn} x_n & = & b_m \end{array}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \cdots & a_{mn} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ \vdots \\ b_m \end{pmatrix}$$

# Linear Equations

$$a_{11}x_1 + \quad + \quad \dots + a_{1n}x_n = b_1$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\sum_{j=1}^n a_{1j} \cdot x_j = b_1$$

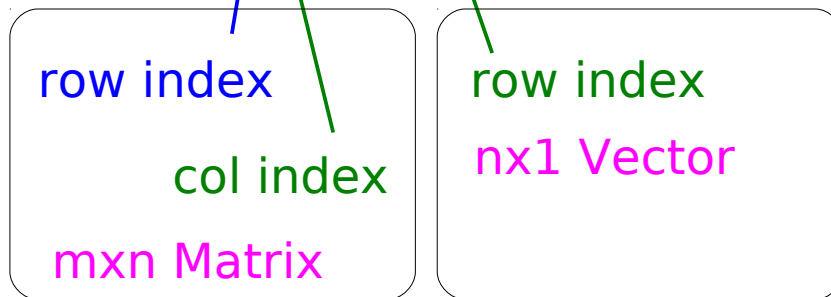


# Linear Equations

$$a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + \dots + a_{2n}x_n = b_2$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^n a_{2j} \cdot x_j = b_2$$

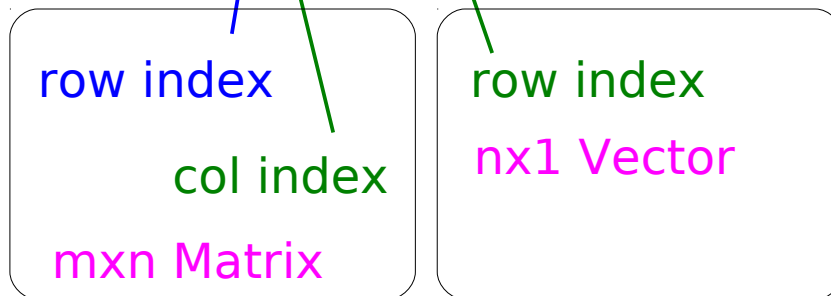


# Linear Equations

$$a_{m1} x_1 + a_{m2} x_2 + \dots + a_{mn} x_n = b_m$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} = b_m$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^n a_{mj} \cdot x_j = b_m$$



# Echelon Forms (1)

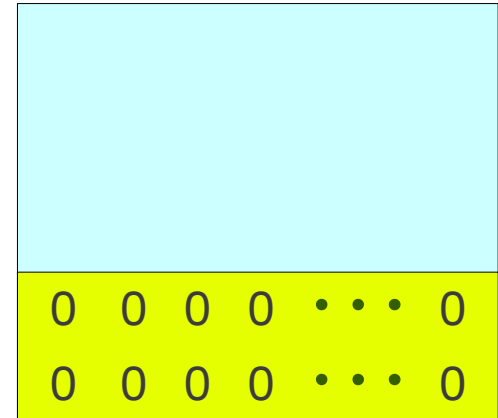
- zero rows → Should be grouped at the bottom
- non-zero row → A leading one  
The 1<sup>st</sup> non-zero element should be one
- Any successive non-zero rows → The leading one of the lower row should be farther to the right than the leading one of the higher row

# Echelon Forms (2)

zero rows



Should be grouped at the bottom



$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \end{array}$$



# Echelon Forms (3)

non-zero row



A leading one

The 1<sup>st</sup> non-zero element should be one

$$0 \quad \textcircled{1} \quad * \quad * \quad \dots \quad *$$

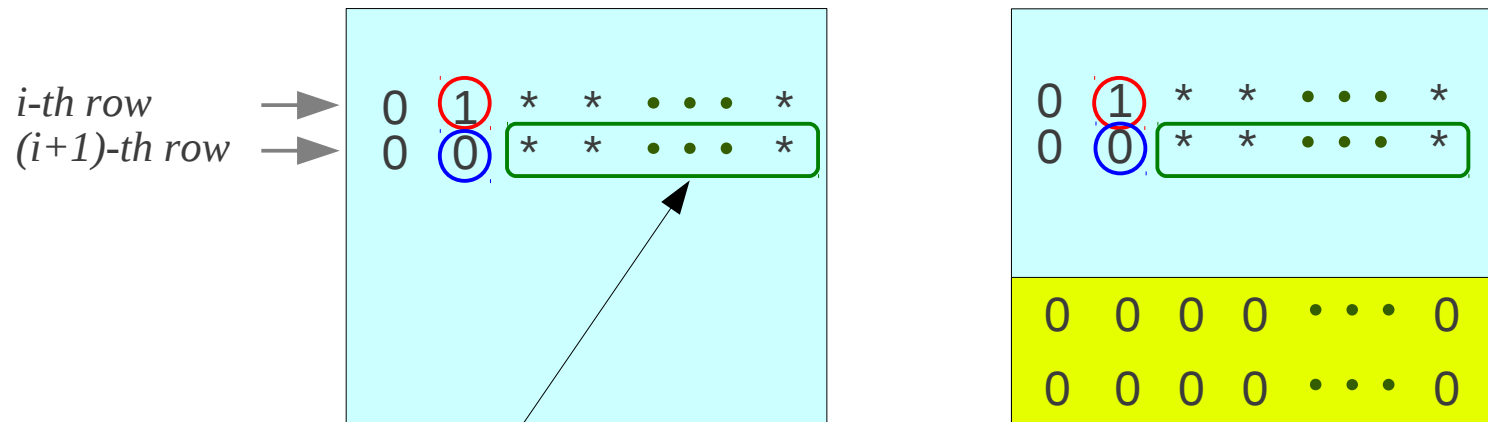
$$\begin{array}{cccccc} 0 & \textcircled{1} & * & * & \dots & * \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \end{array}$$

# Echelon Forms (3)

Any successive  
non-zero rows



The leading one of the lower row  
should be farther to the right than  
the leading one of the higher row



The possible location of the leading one

Could be like this  $0 \quad 0 \quad 1 \quad * \quad \dots \quad *$


Or like this  $0 \quad 0 \quad 0 \quad 1 \quad \dots \quad *$

Or like this  $0 \quad 0 \quad 0 \quad \dots \quad 1$

# Reduced Echelon Forms

- zero rows → Should be grouped at the bottom
- non-zero row → A leading one  
The 1<sup>st</sup> non-zero element should be one
- Any successive non-zero rows → The leading one of the lower row should be farther to the right than the leading one of the higher row
- Any column that contains a leading one → All other elements except the leading one are all zeros

# Reduced Echelon Forms

Any column that contains a leading one 

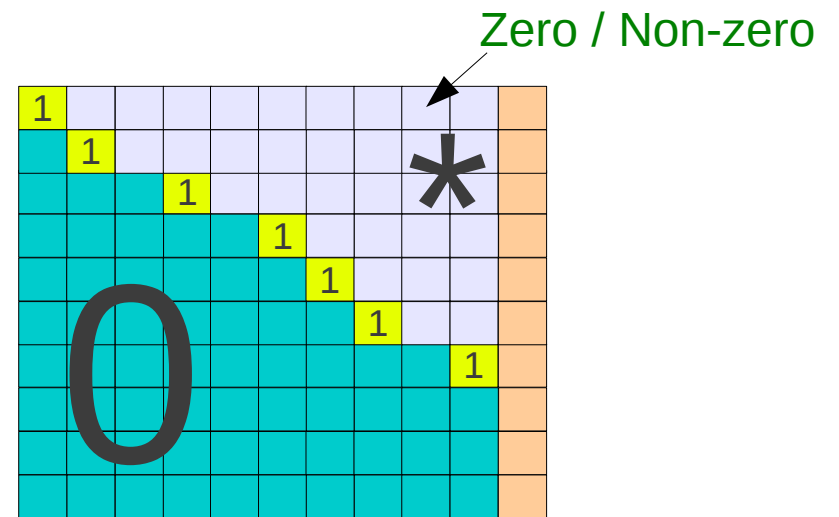
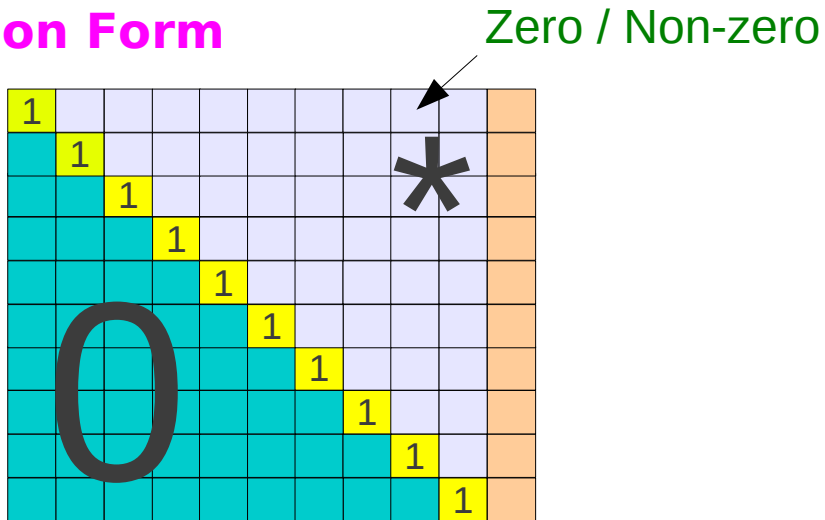
All other elements except the leading one are all zeros

|   |   |   |   |     |   |
|---|---|---|---|-----|---|
| 0 | 0 | * | * | ... | * |
|   | 1 |   |   |     |   |
|   | 0 |   |   |     |   |
|   | 0 |   |   |     |   |
|   | ⋮ |   |   |     |   |
|   | ⋮ |   |   |     |   |
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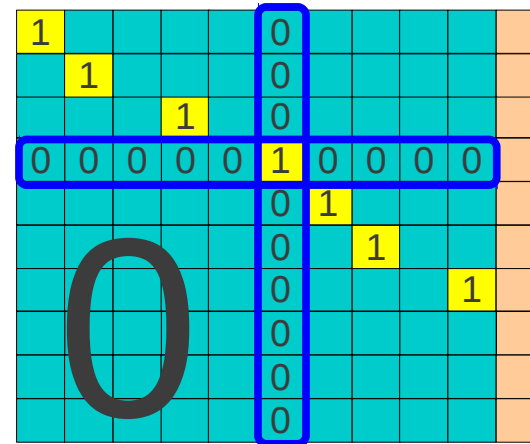
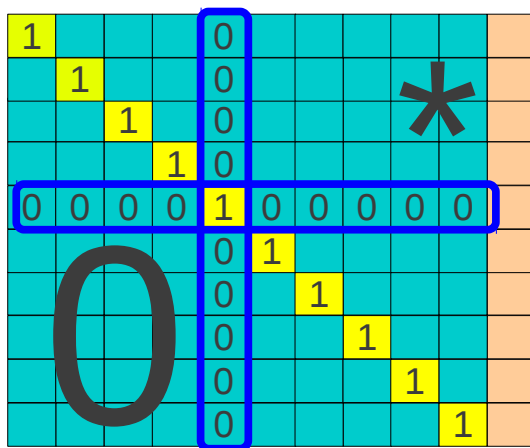
|   |   |   |   |     |   |
|---|---|---|---|-----|---|
| 0 | 0 | * | * | ... | * |
|   | 1 |   |   |     |   |
|   | 0 |   |   |     |   |
|   | 0 |   |   |     |   |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ⋮   | 0 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ⋮   | 0 |

# Examples

## Echelon Form



## Reduced Echelon Form



# Example

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} a_{11} x_1 + a_{12} x_2 + \cdots + a_{1n} x_n & = & b_1 \\ a_{21} x_1 + a_{22} x_2 + \cdots + a_{2n} x_n & = & b_2 \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} x_1 + a_{m2} x_2 + \cdots + a_{mn} x_n & = & b_m \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 2 x_1 + 1 x_2 - 1 x_3 & = & +8 \\ -3 x_1 - 1 x_2 + 2 x_3 & = & -11 \\ -2 x_1 + 1 x_2 + 2 x_3 & = & -3 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \cdots & a_{mn} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ \vdots \\ b_m \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} +2 & +1 & -1 \\ -3 & -1 & +2 \\ -2 & +1 & +2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} +8 \\ -11 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

# Gauss-Jordan Elimination

$$\begin{pmatrix} +2 & +1 & -1 \\ -3 & -1 & +2 \\ -2 & +1 & +2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} +8 \\ -11 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} * \\ * \\ * \end{pmatrix}$$

# Gauss-Jordan Elimination – Step 1

$$\begin{array}{lcl} +2x_1 + x_2 - x_3 = 8 & (L_1) & \\ -3x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 = -11 & (L_2) & \\ -2x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 = -3 & (L_3) & \end{array} \quad \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} +2 & +1 & -1 & +8 \\ -3 & -1 & +2 & -11 \\ -2 & +1 & +2 & -3 \end{array} \right]$$

$$+1x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2 - \frac{1}{2}x_3 = 4 \quad \left(\frac{1}{2} \times L_1\right) \quad +2/2 \quad +1/2 \quad -1/2 \quad +8/2$$

$$\begin{array}{lcl} +1x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2 - \frac{1}{2}x_3 = 4 & \left(\frac{1}{2} \times L_1\right) & \\ -3x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 = -11 & (L_2) & \\ -2x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 = -3 & (L_3) & \end{array} \quad \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\ -3 & -1 & +2 & -11 \\ -2 & +1 & +2 & -3 \end{array} \right]$$



# Gauss-Jordan Elimination – Step 2

$$+1x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2 - \frac{1}{2}x_3 = +4 \quad (L_1)$$

$$-3x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 = -11 \quad (L_2)$$

$$-2x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 = -3 \quad (L_3)$$

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

$$+3x_1 + \frac{3}{2}x_2 - \frac{3}{2}x_3 = +12 \quad (3 \times L_1)$$

$$-3x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 = -11 \quad (L_2)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc|c} +3 & +3/2 & -3/2 & +12 \\ -3 & -1 & +2 & -11 \end{array}$$

$$+2x_1 + \frac{2}{2}x_2 - \frac{2}{2}x_3 = +8 \quad (2 \times L_1)$$

$$-2x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 = -3 \quad (L_3)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc|c} +2 & +2/2 & -2/2 & +8 \\ -2 & +1 & +2 & -3 \end{array}$$

$$+1x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2 - \frac{1}{2}x_3 = +4 \quad (L_1)$$

$$0x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2 + \frac{1}{2}x_3 = +1 \quad (3 \times L_1 + L_2)$$

$$0x_1 + 2x_2 + 1x_3 = +5 \quad (2 \times L_1 + L_3)$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\ 0 & +1/2 & +1/2 & +1 \\ 0 & +2 & +1 & +5 \end{array} \right]$$

# Gauss-Jordan Elimination – Step 3

$$+1x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2 - \frac{1}{2}x_3 = +4 \quad (L_1)$$

$$0x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2 + \frac{1}{2}x_3 = +1 \quad (L_2)$$

$$0x_1 + 2x_2 + 1x_3 = +5 \quad (L_3)$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\ 0 & +1/2 & +1/2 & +1 \\ 0 & +2 & +1 & +5 \end{array} \right]$$

$$0x_1 + 1x_2 + 1x_3 = +2 \quad (2 \times L_2)$$

$$0 \quad +1 \quad +1 \quad +2$$

$$+1x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2 - \frac{1}{2}x_3 = +4 \quad (L_1)$$

$$0x_1 + 1x_2 + 1x_3 = +2 \quad (2 \times L_2)$$

$$0x_1 + 2x_2 + 1x_3 = +5 \quad (L_3)$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\ 0 & +1 & +1 & +2 \\ 0 & +2 & +1 & +5 \end{array} \right]$$

# Gauss-Jordan Elimination – Step 4

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 +1x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2 - \frac{1}{2}x_3 = +4 & (L_1) & \\
 0x_1 + 1x_2 + 1x_3 = +2 & (L_2) & \\
 0x_1 + 2x_2 + 1x_3 = +5 & (L_3) & 
 \end{array}
 \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c}
 +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\
 0 & +1 & +1 & +2 \\
 0 & +2 & +1 & +5 
 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 0x_1 - 2x_2 - 2x_3 = -4 & (-2 \times L_2) & \\
 0x_1 + 2x_2 + 1x_3 = +5 & (L_3) & 
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{cccc}
 0 & -2 & -2 & -4 \\
 0 & +2 & +1 & +5 
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{rcl}
 +1x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2 - \frac{1}{2}x_3 = +4 & (L_1) & \\
 0x_1 + 1x_2 + 1x_3 = +2 & (L_2) & \\
 0x_1 + 0x_2 - 1x_3 = +1 & (-2 \times L_2 + L_3) & 
 \end{array}
 \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c}
 +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\
 0 & +1 & +1 & +2 \\
 0 & 0 & -1 & +1 
 \end{array} \right]$$

# Gauss-Jordan Elimination – Step 5

$$+1x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2 - \frac{1}{2}x_3 = +4 \quad (L_1)$$

$$0x_1 + 1x_2 + 1x_3 = +2 \quad (L_2)$$

$$0x_1 + 0x_2 - 1x_3 = +1 \quad (L_3)$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\ 0 & +1 & +1 & +2 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & +1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$0x_1 - 0x_2 + 1x_3 = -1 \quad (-1 \times L_3)$$

$$0 \quad 0 \quad +1 \quad -1$$

$$+1x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2 - \frac{1}{2}x_3 = +4 \quad (L_1)$$

$$0x_1 + 1x_2 + 1x_3 = +2 \quad (L_2)$$

$$0x_1 + 0x_2 + 1x_3 = -1 \quad (-1 \times L_3)$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\ 0 & +1 & +1 & +2 \\ 0 & 0 & +1 & -1 \end{array} \right]$$

# Forward Phase

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c}
 \textcircled{+2} & +1 & -1 & +8 \\
 -3 & -1 & +2 & -11 \\
 -2 & +1 & +2 & -3
 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c}
 \textcircled{+1} & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\
 -3 & -1 & +2 & -11 \\
 -2 & +1 & +2 & -3
 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c}
 +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\
 \boxed{0} & +1/2 & +1/2 & +1 \\
 \boxed{0} & +2 & +1 & +5
 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \\
 \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c}
 +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\
 0 & \textcircled{+1} & +1 & +2 \\
 0 & +2 & +1 & +5
 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c}
 +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\
 0 & +1 & +1 & +2 \\
 0 & \boxed{0} & -1 & +1
 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c}
 +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\
 0 & +1 & +1 & +2 \\
 0 & 0 & \textcircled{+1} & -1
 \end{array} \right)
 \end{array}$$

Forward Phase - Gaussian Elimination

# Gauss-Jordan Elimination – Step 6

$$+1x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2 - \frac{1}{2}x_3 = +4 \quad (L_1)$$

$$0x_1 + 1x_2 + 1x_3 = +2 \quad (L_2)$$

$$0x_1 + 0x_2 + 1x_3 = -1 \quad (L_3)$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\ 0 & +1 & +1 & +2 \\ 0 & 0 & +1 & -1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$0x_1 + 0x_2 + \frac{1}{2}x_3 = -\frac{1}{2} \quad \left[ +\frac{1}{2} \times L_3 \right]$$

$$+1x_1 + \frac{1}{2}x_2 - \frac{1}{2}x_3 = +4 \quad (L_1)$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 0 & +1/2 & -1/2 \\ +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \end{array} \right]$$

$$0x_1 + 0x_2 - 1x_3 = +1 \quad \left[ -1 \times L_3 \right]$$

$$0x_1 + 1x_2 + 1x_3 = +2 \quad (L_2)$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & 0 & -1 & +1 \\ 0 & +1 & +1 & +2 \end{array} \right]$$

$$+1x_1 + 0x_2 - 0x_3 = +2 \quad (+1 \times L_3 + L_1)$$

$$0x_1 + 1x_2 + 0x_3 = +3 \quad (-1 \times L_3 + L_2)$$

$$0x_1 + 0x_2 + 1x_3 = -1 \quad (L_3)$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & +1/2 & 0 & +7/2 \\ 0 & +1 & 0 & +3 \\ 0 & 0 & +1 & -1 \end{array} \right]$$

# Gauss-Jordan Elimination – Step 7

$$+1x_1 + 0x_2 - 0x_3 = +2 \quad (L_1)$$

$$0x_1 + 1x_2 + 0x_3 = +3 \quad (L_2)$$

$$0x_1 + 0x_2 + 1x_3 = -1 \quad (L_3)$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & +1/2 & 0 & +7/2 \\ 0 & +1 & 0 & +3 \\ 0 & 0 & +1 & -1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$0x_1 - \frac{1}{2}x_2 + 0x_3 = -\frac{3}{2}$$

$$\left( -\frac{1}{2} \times L_2 \right)$$

$$+1x_1 + 0x_2 - 0x_3 = +2 \quad (L_1)$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} 0 & -1/2 & 0 & -3/2 \\ +1 & +1/2 & 0 & +7/2 \end{array} \right]$$

$$+1x_1 + 0x_2 - 0x_3 = +2 \quad (+1 \times L_3 + L_1)$$

$$0x_1 + 1x_2 + 0x_3 = +3 \quad (-1 \times L_3 + L_2)$$

$$0x_1 + 0x_2 + 1x_3 = -1 \quad (L_3)$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & 0 & 0 & +2 \\ 0 & +1 & 0 & +3 \\ 0 & 0 & +1 & -1 \end{array} \right]$$

# Backward Phase

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\ 0 & +1 & +1 & +2 \\ 0 & 0 & +1 & -1 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & +1/2 & 0 & +7/2 \\ 0 & +1 & 0 & +3 \\ 0 & 0 & +1 & -1 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & 0 & 0 & +2 \\ 0 & +1 & 0 & +3 \\ 0 & 0 & +1 & -1 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow$$



# Gauss-Jordan Elimination

## Forward Phase - Gaussian Elimination

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} \textcircled{+2} & +1 & -1 & +8 \\ -3 & -1 & +2 & -11 \\ -2 & +1 & +2 & -3 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} \textcircled{+1} & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\ -3 & -1 & +2 & -11 \\ -2 & +1 & +2 & -3 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\ \boxed{0} & +1/2 & +1/2 & +1 \\ \boxed{0} & +2 & +1 & +5 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\ 0 & \textcircled{+1} & +1 & +2 \\ 0 & +2 & +1 & +5 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\ 0 & +1 & +1 & +2 \\ 0 & \boxed{0} & -1 & +1 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & +1/2 & -1/2 & +4 \\ 0 & +1 & +1 & +2 \\ 0 & 0 & \textcircled{+1} & -1 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow$$

## Backward Phase

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & +1/2 & \boxed{-1/2} & +4 \\ 0 & +1 & \boxed{+1} & +2 \\ 0 & 0 & +1 & -1 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & +1/2 & \boxed{0} & +7/2 \\ 0 & +1 & \boxed{0} & +3 \\ 0 & 0 & +1 & -1 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|c} +1 & \boxed{0} & \boxed{0} & +2 \\ 0 & +1 & \boxed{0} & +3 \\ 0 & 0 & +1 & -1 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow$$

# Storing Magnetic Energy

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# Dissipate Magnetic Energy

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