

Rank of a Matrix

Transformation of a Matrix

(I) By Interchanging of any two rows or two columns of a matrix.

$$\Rightarrow C_{ij} \text{ or } R_{ij}$$

e.g. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 3 \\ 6 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

Applying C_{12} , $A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$

R_{23} , $A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$

(II) By Multiplication of all elements of any row or column by a non-zero number

$$\Rightarrow K C_i \text{ or } C_i(K)$$

$$K R_i \text{ or } R_i(K)$$

e.g. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 4 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$

Applying $2C_1$, $A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 5 \\ 8 & 6 \\ 14 & 8 \end{bmatrix} (2C_1)$

$3R_3$, $A \sim \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 4 & 6 \\ 21 & 24 \end{bmatrix} (3R_3)$

(III) By Addition of all elements of a matrix, the same multiplication of the corresponding elements of any row or column.

② $\Rightarrow R_i + KR_j$ or $R_{ij}(K)$
stands for addition of K -times the j th row
of a matrix to the i th row.
Similarly, $C_i + KC_j$ or $C_{ij}(K)$

e.g. ~~$A =$~~ $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 4 & 6 \\ 7 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$

Applying, $R_1 + 2R_2$

$$A \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 11 & 17 \\ 4 & 6 \\ 7 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

and $C_1 + 3C_2$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 18 & 5 \\ 22 & 6 \\ 34 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

and so on —