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Study Material $\Rightarrow$ A square matrix A is invertible if there exists a square matrix B of the same order such that

$$AB = BA = I \quad - (i)$$

Where I is the unit identity matrix then B is defined as the inverse of the matrix A .

Inverse of matrix is denoted by A^{-1}

We have the result

$$A \cdot \text{adj} A = \text{adj} A \cdot A = |A| I$$

$$\Rightarrow A \frac{\text{adj} A}{|A|} = \frac{\text{adj} A \cdot A}{|A|} = I \quad - (ii)$$

On Comparing (i) and (ii) we get-

$$B = \frac{\text{adj} A}{|A|} = A^{-1}$$

$= \text{inverse of } A = \text{Reciprocal of } A$

Show that-, Every invertible Matrix possesses a unique inverse -

Proof: Let A be a square matrix of order n (2)
also $|A| \neq 0$ i.e. Matrix A is non-singular

Let the Matrix A be invertible Matrix.

Hence there exists a Matrix B such that -

$$AB = BA = I \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

If possible, let B_1 and B_2 be two inverses of A where $B_1 \neq B_2$
then we have

$$AB_1 = B_1A = I \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

$$AB_2 = B_2A = I \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then } B_1 &= B_1 I \\ &= B_1 (AB_2) \\ &= (B_1 A) B_2 \\ &= I B_2 \\ &= B_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore B_1 = B_2$$

$\Rightarrow$ Hence our assumption is wrong.

Therefore invertible matrix possesses a unique inverse.

for the existence of the inverse of a square matrix
is that it must be non singular

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} A = [a_{ij}] \text{ be a square matrix} \\ \text{then } |A| = 0 \Rightarrow \text{Matrix is singular} \\ \quad \neq 0 \Rightarrow \text{Matrix is Non Singular} \end{array} \right]$$

Necessary Condition $\Rightarrow$

Let A be a square matrix
of order n and let B be the inverse of A .
then by definition of inverse matrix

$$AB = BA = I_n$$

$$\Rightarrow |AB| = |I| = 1$$

$$|A| |B| = 1$$

This equality is possible only when
neither $|A|$ nor $|B|$ is zero.

$$\Rightarrow |A| \neq 0$$

$\Rightarrow A$ is Non-singular matrix

Sufficient Condition $\Rightarrow$ Let A be Non-singular
matrix of order n

$$\text{i.e. } |A| \neq 0$$

then, it is possible to define a matrix
 B such that

$$B = \frac{\text{adj } A}{|A|}$$

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

$$= \frac{I}{(AB)^{-1}} = I$$

$$\text{Similarly } BA = \frac{AB^{-1}A}{(AB)^{-1}}$$

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

$$\text{Thus } AB = BA = I$$

This implies that B is invertible
and B is the inverse of A and
we have

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

Now let $A \in M_n$, $B \in M_n$ be two

non-singular matrices of order

n , then AB is also non-singular
and $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$.

This result is known as "Reversal Law
of inverses".

Proof. — Let A and B be two square matrix of order n (5)

From the property of determinants —

$$|AB| = |A||B| \quad \text{--- (I)}$$

Since A and B are Non Singular Matrix

$$\Rightarrow |A| \neq 0$$

$$|B| \neq 0$$

Therefore $|AB| \neq 0$

$\Rightarrow AB$ is Non-Singular Matrix

$\Rightarrow AB$ is invertible

Since $|A| \neq 0 \Rightarrow A^T$ exists and

$$AA^T = A^T A = I \quad \text{--- (II)}$$

Again $|B| \neq 0 \Rightarrow B^T$ exists and

$$BB^T = B^T B = I \quad \text{--- (III)}$$

Also we have $AI = IA = A \quad \text{--- (IV)}$

$$BI = IB = B \quad \text{--- (V)}$$

Let us define a matrix C by setting rule

$$C = B^T A^T \quad \text{--- (VI)}$$

$$\text{Then } C(AB) = (B^T A^T)(AB)$$

$$= B^T (A^T A) B$$

$$= B^T (IB)$$

$$= B^T B$$

$$\text{Also } (AB)C = I$$

$$= (AB)(B^T A^T)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= A(BB')A' \\
 &= (AI)A' \\
 &= AA' \\
 &= I
 \end{aligned}$$

thus we get -

$$C(AB) = (AB)C = I$$

it follows $C = B'A'$ is the inverse of A

$$\text{thus } B'A' (AB)' = B'A'$$

thus we can say that the inverse of the product of two non-singular matrices is equal to the product of their inverses in reverse order.