

Matrices and Determinants Answers

1. a.
$$\begin{cases} A + B + C = 155,000 \\ A - 2B = 0 \\ A + B - C = 115,000 \end{cases}$$
; toy A: \$90,000, toy B: \$45,000, toy C: \$20,000

b.
$$\begin{cases} -a + b = 0.005 \\ -a + c = 0.015 \\ 90,000a + 45,000b + 20,000c = 10,212.50 \end{cases}$$
; toy A: 6.25%, toy B: 6.75%, toy C: 7.75%

2. a.
$$IP = \begin{bmatrix} \begin{array}{cc} \text{Wholesale} & \text{Retail} \\ \hline \text{Total value} & \\ \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{cc} 100 & 341 \\ 106.5 & 393 \end{array} \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \text{Store 1} \\ \text{Store 2} \end{matrix}$$

IP represents the total wholesale and total retail values of the action figures in Store 1 and in Store 2.

b. $2I = \begin{bmatrix} 28 & 20 & 0 & 6 & 4 \\ 26 & 32 & 10 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

3. $X = 50, Y = 35, Z = 80;$

The price of Doll X is \$50, of Doll Y is \$35 and of Doll Z is \$80.

4. a. 175 mi^2

b. $2x + y - 45 = 0$

5. a. $A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -24 & 18 & 5 \\ 20 & -15 & -4 \\ -5 & 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$; Lawrence Smith; Maisie Levinson

b. $[44 \ 88 \ 137][21 \ 46 \ 80][14 \ 53 \ 142][71 \ 99 \ 53][137 \ 179 \ 56];$
 $[83 \ 115 \ 58][40 \ 74 \ 101][40 \ 71 \ 92][34 \ 68 \ 107][13 \ 27 \ 44][4 \ 8 \ 12]$