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## Solving Linear Equations

**Exercise 1:** Suppose that A is the matrix:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Compute  $p(A)$  where  $p(x)$  is given by:

- 1)  $p(x) = x - 3$
- 2)  $p(x) = 2x^2 - x + 4$
- 3)  $p(x) = x^3 - 2x + 4$
- 4)  $p(x) = x^2 - 4x + 1$

**Exercise 2:** Solve the system of equations

$$1) \begin{cases} x + y = -2 \\ y = \frac{3}{2}x + 2 \end{cases}$$

$$2) \begin{cases} 3x + 4y = -12 \\ y = \frac{5}{7}x + 4 \end{cases}$$

$$3) \begin{cases} 3x + 4y = -5 \\ y + \frac{3}{2}x = 9 \end{cases}$$

$$4) \begin{cases} -5x + 3y = -4 \\ \frac{1}{2}y - \frac{3}{2}x = 3 \end{cases}$$

$$5) \begin{cases} -2x + 5y = 13 \\ 3y = 9x - 3 \end{cases}$$