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Warm Up

Consider the matrix below:

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 & 4 \\ 0 & 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Answer the following questions:

1. What are the dimensions of matrix M ?
2. List all the elements in the second row of M .
3. Write the element in the 1st row, 3rd column using subscript notation (e.g., a_{12}).
4. How many rows and how many columns does M have?

Summary of Key Terms and Operations

- **Matrix:** A matrix is a rectangular array of numbers arranged in rows and columns. A matrix with m rows and n columns is called an $m \times n$ matrix.
- **Matrix Notation:** A matrix is labeled with a capital letter (e.g., A , B), and its elements with subscripts. For example:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \end{bmatrix}$$

where a_{ij} is the entry in the i th row and j th column.

- **Rows and Columns:**
 - A *row* is a horizontal selection of elements in a matrix.
 - A *column* is a vertical selection of elements in a matrix.
- **Vectors as Matrices:** A vector in component form can be written as a matrix:

- A *row vector* is a $1 \times n$ matrix, e.g. $[2 \ -1 \ 5]$
- A *column vector* is an $n \times 1$ matrix, e.g. $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$

Both forms represent the same vector, just written differently for different operations.

- **Matrix Addition:** Two matrices must have the same dimensions. Add corresponding entries:

$$A + B = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} + b_{11} & a_{12} + b_{12} \\ a_{21} + b_{21} & a_{22} + b_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

- **Matrix Subtraction:** Subtract corresponding entries (same-sized matrices only):

$$A - B = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} - b_{11} & a_{12} - b_{12} \\ a_{21} - b_{21} & a_{22} - b_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

- **Scalar Multiplication:** Multiply each entry of a matrix by a real number c :

$$cA = \begin{bmatrix} ca_{11} & ca_{12} \\ ca_{21} & ca_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

- **Dot Product as Matrix Multiplication:** The dot product of two vectors can be computed by multiplying a $1 \times n$ row vector by an $n \times 1$ column vector:

$$[u_1 \ u_2 \ u_3]$$