

# K-Idempotent Centro Symmetric Matrices

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**Abstract:** The basic concepts and theorems of k-Idempotent Centro symmetric matrices are introduced with examples.

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## 1. Introduction and Preliminaries

Centrosymmetric matrix have practical applications are in information theory, linear system theory, linear estimate theory and numerical analysis. The concept of centrosymmetric matrices introduced in [1, 3] and properties of K-centrosymmetric matrix are given in [2]. The concept of k-Idempotent matrices was introduced in [4]. In this paper, our intention is to define k-Idempotent Centrosymmetric matrix and also we discussed some results on k-Idempotent Centrosymmetric matrix. A is idempotent matrix,  $A^T$  is called Transpose of A. Let k be a fixed product of disjoint transposition in  $S_n$  and 'K' be the permutation matrix associated with KI. Clearly K satisfies the following properties,  $K^2 = I$ ,  $K^T = K$ .

**Definition 1.1.** A Symmetric matrix  $A = \langle a_{ij} \rangle$  in  $C^{n \times n}$  is idempotent if  $A^2 = A$ .

**Definition 1.2.** If a matrix  $A = \langle a_{ij} \rangle$  in  $C^{n \times n}$  is said to be k-Idempotent if  $KA^2K = A$ , where k is the associated permutation matrix of 'K'.

**Definition 1.3.** If a matrix  $A = \langle a_{ij} \rangle$  in  $C^{n \times n}$  is said to be Centro symmetric matrix if  $A = A^T$ .

**Definition 1.4.** If a matrix  $A = \langle a_{ij} \rangle$  in  $C^{n \times n}$  is said to be K-Idempotent Centro symmetric matrix if  $K(A^2)^T K = A^T$ .

## 2. Main Results

**Theorem 2.1.** Let  $A \in C^{n \times n}$  is K-idempotent Centrosymmetric matrix then  $(A^2)^T = KA^T K$ .

*Proof.* Given A be k-idempotent Centrosymmetric matrix.

$$KAK = A^2$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 K(A^T)K &= (A^T)^2 \\
 K(A^T)K &= (A^2)^T \\
 (A^2)^T &= K(A^T)K
 \end{aligned}$$

□

**Theorem 2.2.** Let  $A^T$  be a  $k$ -idempotent Centro symmetric matrix then  $(I - A)^T$  is  $k$ -idempotent Centro symmetric if and only if  $A^T$  is idempotent.

*Proof.* Assume that,  $(I - A)^T$  is  $k$ -idempotent Centro symmetric Matrix. Prove that,  $A^T$  is idempotent.

$$\begin{aligned}
 (I - A)^T &= K((I - A)^2)^T K \\
 &= K(I - 2A + A^2)^T K \\
 &= (I - 2A^2 + A)^T \\
 \Rightarrow -2(A^2)^T + A^T + A^T &= 0 \\
 \Rightarrow 2A^T 2(A^2)^T &= 0 \\
 \Rightarrow 2(A^T - (A^2)^T) &= 0
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $2(A^T - (A^2)^T) = 0$ , which implies that  $A^T$  is idempotent.

Conversely, If  $A^T$  is idempotent then  $A^T$  commutes with the permutation matrix  $k$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 K((I - A)^2)^T K &= K((I^2 - 2A + A^2)^T) K \\
 &= K(I - A)^T K \\
 K((I - A)^2)^T K &= (I - A)^T
 \end{aligned}$$

□

**Theorem 2.3.** Let  $A^T$  and  $B^T$  be  $k$ -idempotent Centrosymmetric matrix then  $(A+B)^T$  is also  $k$ -idempotent centrosymmetric matrix.

*Proof.* Given  $A^T$  and  $B^T$  be two  $k$ -idempotent Centrosymmetric matrix. Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}
 A + B &= KA^2K + KB^2K \\
 K(A + B)K &= KA^2K + KB^2K \\
 K(A^T + B^T)K &= K(A^T)^2K + K(B^T)^2K \\
 (A + B)^T &= K(A^2)^T K + K(B^2)^T K \\
 &= A^T + B^T \\
 K(A + B)^T K &= A^T + B^T
 \end{aligned}$$

□

**Theorem 2.4.** Let  $A^T$  and  $B^T$  be two  $k$ -idempotent Centro symmetric matrix then  $(A - B)^T$  is also  $k$ -idempotent Centro symmetric matrix.

*Proof.* Given  $A^T$  and  $B^T$  be two  $k$ -idempotent Centro symmetric matrix. Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} A - B &= KA^2K - KB^2K \\ K(A - B)K &= KA^2K - KB^2K \\ K(A^T - B^T)K &= K(A^T)^2K - K(B^T)^2K \\ (A - B)^T &= K(A^2)^TK - K(B^2)^TK \\ &= A^T - B^T \\ K(A - B)^TK &= A^T - B^T \end{aligned}$$

□

**Theorem 2.5.** Let  $A^T$  be a  $k$ -idempotent Centro symmetric matrix then  $(A^*)^T$  is also  $k$ -idempotent Centro symmetric matrix.

*Proof.* Given  $A^T$  be a  $k$ -idempotent Centro symmetric matrix.

$$\begin{aligned} A^* &= (KA^2K)^* \\ (A^T)^* &= (K(A^T)^2K)^* \\ &= (K(A^2)^TK)^* \\ (A^*)^T &= (K(A^2)^*K)^T \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $(A^*)^T$  is also  $k$ -idempotent centrosymmetric matrix.

□

**Theorem 2.6.** Let  $A^T$  be a  $k$ -idempotent Centrosymmetric matrix then  $(A^T)^4$  is also  $k$ -idempotent centrosymmetric matrix.

*Proof.* Given  $A^T$  is  $k$ -idempotent centrosymmetric matrix.

$$\begin{aligned} A^4 &= A^2A^2 \\ &= KAKKAK \\ (A^T)^4 &= K(A^T)KK(A^T)K \\ &= K(A^T)(A^T)K \\ &= K(A^T)^2K \\ &= K(A^2)^TK \\ &= A^T \\ (A^T)^4 &= A^T \end{aligned}$$

$(A^T)^4$  is also  $k$ -idempotent centrosymmetric matrix.

□

**Theorem 2.7.** Let  $A^T$  be  $k$ -idempotent centrosymmetric matrix then  $KA^T$  and  $A^TK$  are tripotent centrosymmetric matrix.

*Proof.*

$$\begin{aligned} (KA)^3 &= KAKAKA \\ &= KAA^2A \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
(KA^T)^3 &= KA^T(A^T)^2A^T \\
&= K(A^T)^2(A^T)^2 \\
&= K(A^T)^4 \\
(KA^T)^3 &= KA^T
\end{aligned}$$

Similarly,  $(A^TK)^3 = A^TK$ . □

**Example 2.8.** Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 12 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ ;  $K = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , then

$$(1). K(A+B)^TK = A^T + B^T$$

$$(2). K(A-B)^TK = A^T - B^T$$

*Solution.*

$$(1). K(A+B)^TK = A^T + B^T$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \left[ \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 12 & -3 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right]^T \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 12 & -3 \end{pmatrix}^T + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^T \\
\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 14 & -2 \end{pmatrix}^T \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 12 \\ -1 & -3 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\
\begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 14 & -2 \end{pmatrix}^T &= \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 14 \\ -1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \\
\begin{pmatrix} 4 & 14 \\ -1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 14 \\ -1 & -2 \end{pmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

$$(2). K(A-B)^TK = A^T - B^T$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \left[ \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 12 & -3 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right]^T \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 12 & -3 \end{pmatrix}^T - \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^T \\
\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 10 & -4 \end{pmatrix}^T \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 12 \\ -1 & -3 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\
\begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 10 & -4 \end{pmatrix}^T &= \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 10 \\ -1 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \\
\begin{pmatrix} 4 & 10 \\ -1 & -4 \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 10 \\ -1 & -4 \end{pmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

**Example 2.9.** Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $K = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ , then prove that  $(A^2)^T = KA^TK$ .

*Solution.*  $KA^TK = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$KA^TK = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \tag{1}$$

$$A^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(A^2)^T = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^T$$

$$(A^2)^T = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2}$$

From (1) and (2) we get,  $(A^2)^T = KA^TK$ .

**Example 2.10.** Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  then prove that  $(A^T)^4 = A^T$

*Solution.* Given  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$A^T = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \tag{3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (A^T)^2(A^T)^2 &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^2 \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^2 \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$(A^T)^4 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \tag{4}$$

from (3) and (4) we get,  $(A^T)^4 = A^T$ .

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