

Let $\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, find a symmetric matrix \mathbf{B} and a skew symmetric matrix \mathbf{C} , such that $\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{C} = \mathbf{A}$. [94 中央機械 6]

$$[\text{解}] \mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \mathbf{A}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A} = \frac{\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{A}^T}{2} + \frac{\mathbf{A}^T - \mathbf{A}}{2} = \frac{\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{A}^T}{2} + \frac{\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{A}^T}{2}$$

$$\mathbf{B} = \frac{\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{A}^T}{2} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3/2 & -1/2 \\ 3/2 & -1 & 1/2 \\ -1/2 & 1/2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{C} = \frac{\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{A}^T}{2} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1/2 & -1/2 \\ -1/2 & 0 & -1/2 \\ 1/2 & 1/2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$