CoCoA-5 - Feature \#1316

## Matrix row reduction (rref)

19 Sep 2019 13:21 - John Abbott

| Status: | Closed | Start date: | 19 Sep 2019 |
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| Priority: | Normal | Due date: |  |
| Assignee: | John Abbott | \% Done: | $100 \%$ |
| Category: | CoCoA-5 function: new | Estimated time: | 2.88 hours |
| Target version: | CoCoA-5.3.0 | Spent time: | 2.75 hours |
| Description |  |  |  |
| Julian Danner would like a function for computing the "row reduced echelon form" (rref) of a matrix. |  |  |  |
| Related issues: |  | In Progress | $\mathbf{0 1}$ Jul 2014 |
| Related to CoCoA-5 - Feature \#578: Gaussian Elimination |  |  |  |

## History

\#1-19 Sep 2019 13:23-John Abbott
What exactly should the user interface be?

- Just return the rref?
- return rref and a transformation?
- must the columns be considered in left-to-right order? or can the function choose a convenient order?


## \#2-09 Jan 2020 21:15-John Abbott

- Status changed from New to In Progress
- \% Done changed from 0 to 30

I have put a simple implementation into the current "internal" version of CoCoALib (and CoCoA-5).
It is called rref.

Much to my surprise there is already an undocumented function called RowReducedForm (apparently put in by me). I do not know exactly what it does.

Not doc; no tests (yet).

## \#3-17 Feb 2020 14:51 - John Abbott

- Status changed from In Progress to Feedback
- Assignee set to John Abbott
- Target version changed from CoCoA-5.?.? to CoCoA-5.3.0
- \% Done changed from 30 to 90
- Estimated time set to 2.66 h

Removed old impl. Added doc and test.

## \#4-19 Feb 2020 11:31 - John Abbott

- Status changed from Feedback to Closed
- \% Done changed from 90 to 100
- Estimated time changed from 2.66 h to 2.88 h


## \#5-15 May 2020 10:26 - Anna Maria Bigatti

- Related to Feature \#578: Gaussian Elimination added

