MA162 Worksheet - 3.3

1. Perform the indicated row operations on the following augmented matrix.

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c}
1 & -1 & 3 & 6 \\
1 & 0 & 6 & 1 \\
-3 & 2 & 2 & -5
\end{array}\right]$$

- $\bullet \ R_2 \to R_2 R_1$
- $\bullet \ R_3 \to R_3 + 3R_1$

- 2. Using your result from above, perform the indicated row operations.
 - $\bullet \ R_1 \to R_1 + R_2$
 - $\bullet \ R_3 \to R_3 + R_2$

3.	Using v	your	result	from	above,	perform	the	indicated	row	operations.

- $\frac{1}{14}R_3$
- $\bullet \ R_1 \to R_1 6R_3 \bullet$
- $\bullet R_2 \to R_2 3R_3$

4. The original augmented matrix corresponds to a system of three equations in three variables. Assuming the variables are x, y and z, write and solve the system of equations given by the original augmented matrix. (Solutions will be fractions)

5. Compare the matrix in #3 to the solutions in #4. What do you notice!?