Examples for using Microsoft Excel for matrix multiplication and inversion

Multiplying matrices:

Enter the first matrix and enter the second matrix

With the cursor, highlight the cells in which the product will be computed

= MMULT (....select the first matrix ... ,select the second matrix ...)

Ctrl-Shift-Enter

Matrix inverses:

Enter the inverse for which you want an inverse

With the cursor, highlight the cells in which the inverse will be computed

= MINVERSE (... select the matrix to invert...)

Ctrl-Shift-Enter

Also see <u>http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G8w-d9U3PJM</u> for a step-by-step, guided explanation of using Excel to multiply matrices and to find a matrix inverse, or try googling "Excel matrix multiplication."