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$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ k & 3 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \quad k \neq 0$$

(a) Find, in terms of k , \mathbf{A}^{-1}

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(b) Determine, in simplest form in terms of k , the coordinates of the point where the following planes intersect.

$$3x + y - z = 3$$

$$x + y + z = 1$$

$$kx + 3y + 6z = 6$$

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