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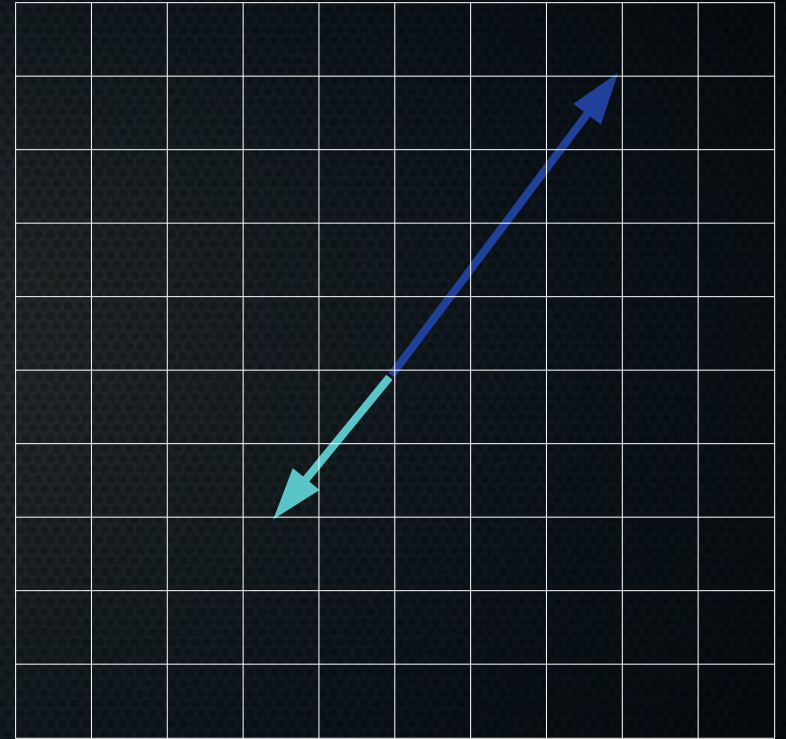


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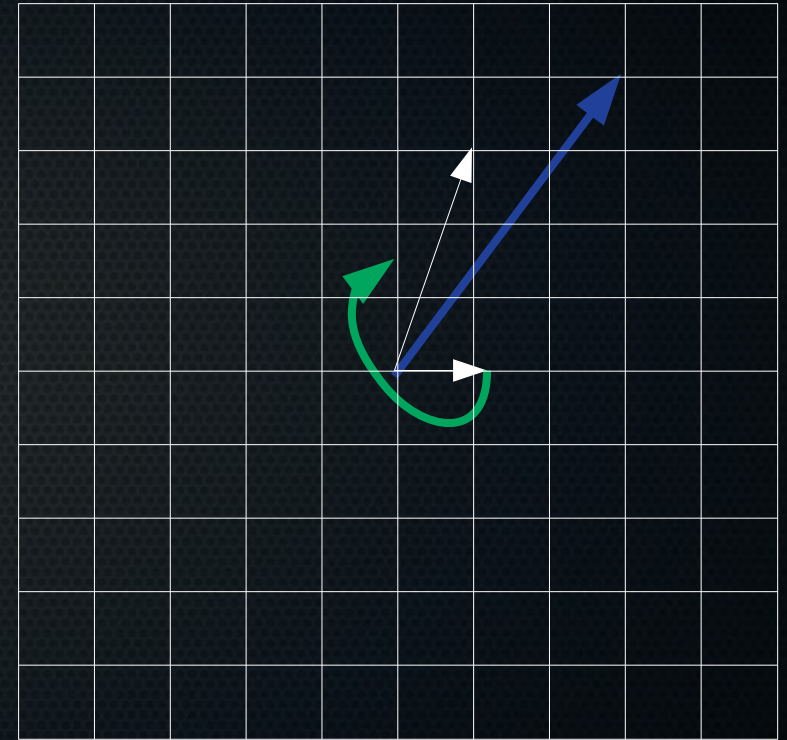


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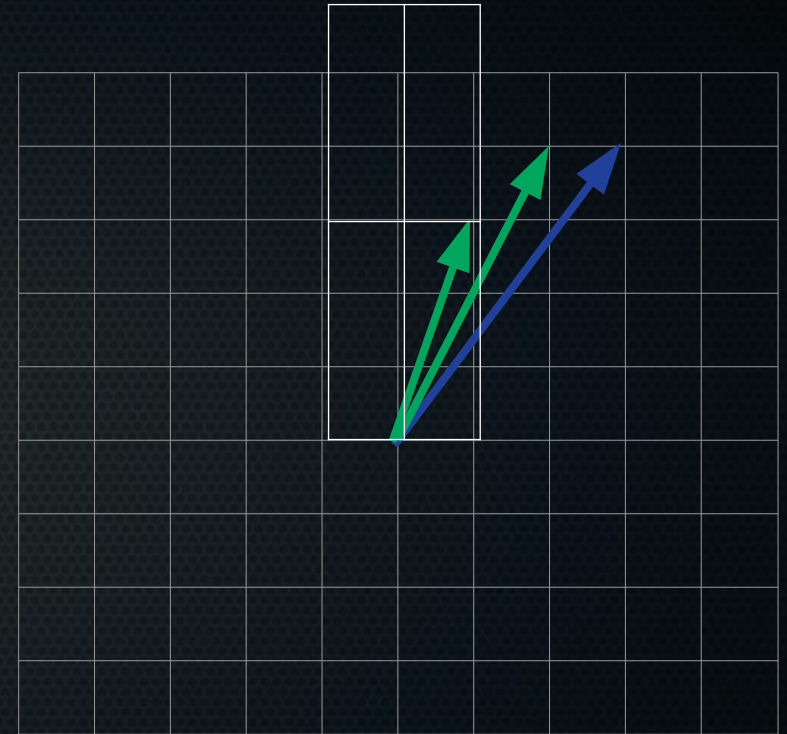




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- Machine learning algorithms are implemented and defined in linear algebra. Linear regression prediction:

$$\hat{Y} = X^T \hat{\beta}$$

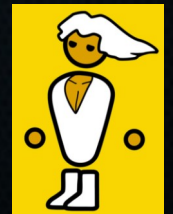


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- Games require parallel calculations of many transformations of 3D vectors to rotate and show objects in 3D as you move around.
  - This has given us GPUs which are geared to do that immensely quickly and in parallel (GeForce GTX 690:  $\sim 5622 * 10^9$ /second)
  - And now TPUs or Tensor Processing Units which are geared more towards ML applications.
- Take advantage of that!

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$$





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- Get rid of all the loops in your code *and* make it much faster. Win-win!



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- Vector transpose (from column vector to row vector):

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Note: vector special case of matrix where one dimension is 1.

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 10 & 2 \\ 8 & 15 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 36 & 48 \\ 136 & 159 \end{bmatrix}$$



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# Summary

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- Linear algebra is the basis of ML: algorithms are defined in it and run quickly due to hardware optimised for matrix and vector operations
- Using linear algebra cuts down on code complexity
- You always add a „dummy“ feature that is 1 to multiply with  $\theta_0$
- We covered how to multiply and add matrices and vectors, and showed that matrix multiplication is *non-commutative*: order matters!



# Practical

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- Practicing vector and matrix operations with numpy
- Changing cost function, hypothesis function, and gradient descent to work with matrices and vectors
- Working with a real biological dataset

HAVE FUN!

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 \text{Sample 1} \\
 \text{Sample 2} \\
 \text{Sample ...} \\
 \text{Sample } n
 \end{array}
 \begin{bmatrix}
 \text{Intercept} & \text{Gene 1} & \text{Gene 2} & \text{Gene } n \\
 1 & 2 & 3 & -2 \\
 1 & 8 & 9 & 1 \\
 1 & 0 & 4 & 5 \\
 1 & 5 & -2 & 2
 \end{bmatrix}^T
 =
 \begin{bmatrix}
 \text{Sample 1} & \text{Sample 2} & \text{Sample ...} & \text{Sample } n \\
 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\
 2 & 8 & 0 & 5 \\
 3 & 9 & 4 & -2 \\
 -2 & 1 & 5 & 2
 \end{bmatrix}
 \begin{bmatrix}
 \text{Intercept} \\
 \text{Gene 1} \\
 \text{Gene 2} \\
 \text{Gene } n
 \end{bmatrix}
 \begin{matrix}
 \theta_0 \\
 \theta_1 \\
 \dots \\
 \theta_n
 \end{matrix}
 \begin{bmatrix}
 3 \\
 -0.5 \\
 5 \\
 -1
 \end{bmatrix}$$

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