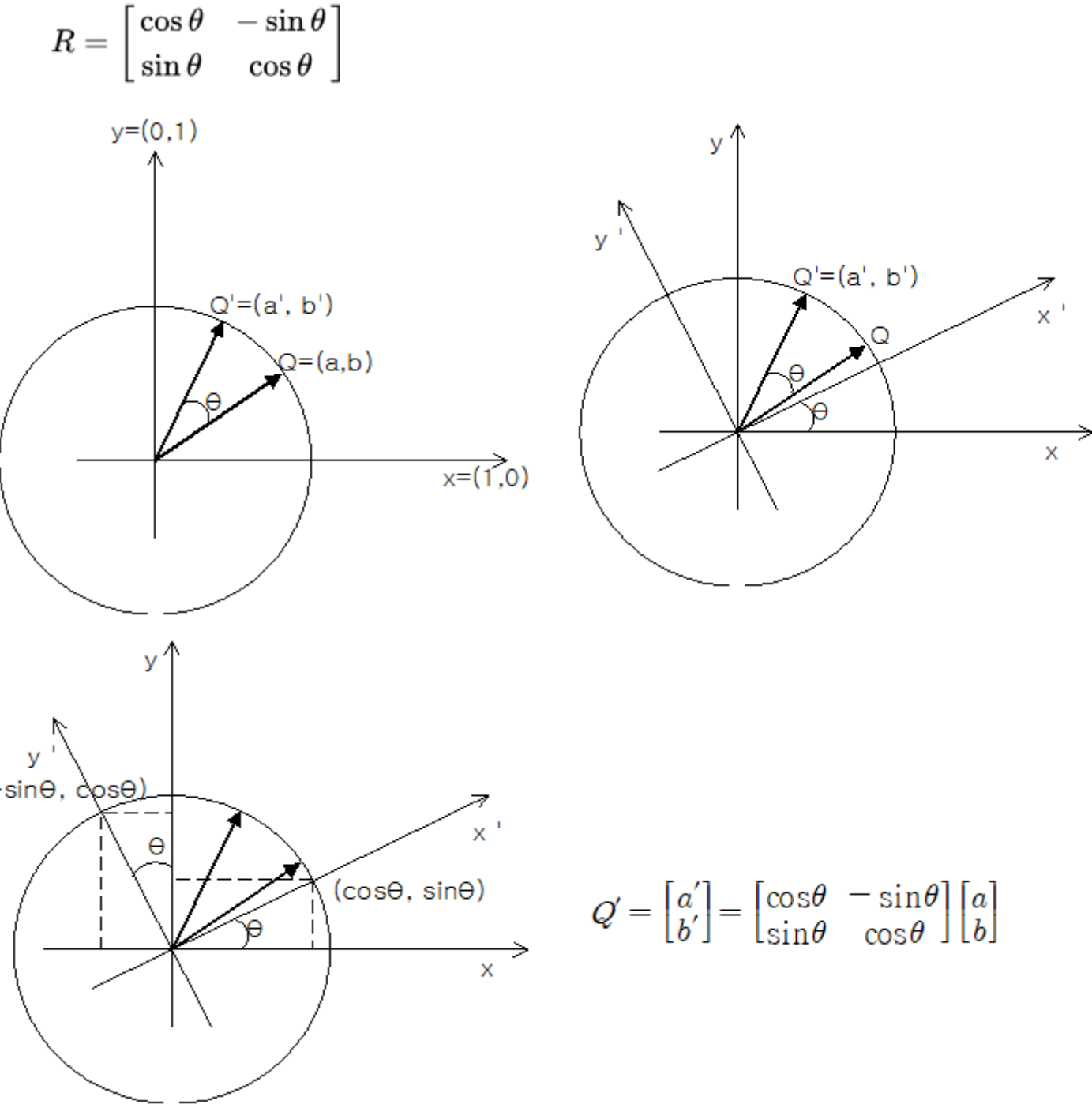


Rotation matrixhttps://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Rotation_matrix#Direction

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In **linear algebra**, a **rotation matrix** is a **matrix** that is used to perform a **rotation** in **Euclidean space**. For example, using the convention below, the matrix



Properties [edit]

For any *n*-dimensional rotation matrix *R* acting on **R^{*n*}**,

- R*^T = *R*^{−1} (The rotation is an **orthogonal matrix**)

Quaternion [edit]

*Main article: **Quaternions and spatial rotation***

Given the unit quaternion **q** = *w* + *x***i** + *y***j** + *z***k**, the equivalent left-handed (Post-Multiplied) 3 × 3 rotation matrix is

Q =

1 − 2 <i>y</i> ² − 2 <i>z</i> ²	2 <i>xy</i> − 2 <i>zw</i>	2 <i>xz</i> + 2 <i>yw</i>
2 <i>xy</i> + 2 <i>zw</i>	1 − 2 <i>x</i> ² − 2 <i>z</i> ²	2 <i>yz</i> − 2 <i>xw</i>
2 <i>xz</i> − 2 <i>yw</i>	2 <i>yz</i> + 2 <i>xw</i>	1 − 2 <i>x</i> ² − 2 <i>y</i> ²

Orthogonal matrixhttps://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Orthogonal_matrix

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*For matrices with orthogonality over the complex number field, see **unitary matrix**.*

In **linear algebra**, an **orthogonal matrix** is a real **square matrix** whose columns and rows are **orthogonal unit vectors** (**orthonormal vectors**).

One way to express this is

Q^T*Q* = *Q**Q*^T = *I*,

where *Q*^T is the **transpose** of *Q* and *I* is the **identity matrix**.

This leads to the equivalent characterization: a matrix *Q* is orthogonal if its transpose is equal to its **inverse**:

Q^T = *Q*^{−1},

where *Q*^{−1} is the inverse of *Q*.

Matrix properties [edit]

The **determinant** of any orthogonal matrix is +1 or −1. This follows from basic facts about determinants, as follows:

1 = det(*I*) = det (*Q*^T*Q*) = det (*Q*^T) det(*Q*) = (det(*Q*))².

Stronger than the determinant restriction is the fact that an orthogonal matrix can always be diagonalized over the complex numbers to exhibit a full set of eigenvalues, all of which must have (complex) modulus 1.

Diagonalizable matrixhttps://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Diagonalizable_matrix

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*This article is about matrix diagonalization in linear algebra. For other uses, see **Diagonalization**.*

In **linear algebra**, a **square matrix** *A* is called **diagonalizable** or **nondefective** if it is **similar** to a **diagonal matrix**, i.e., if there exists an **invertible matrix** *P* and a diagonal matrix *D* such that *P*^{−1}*AP* = *D*, or equivalently *A* = *PDP*^{−1}. (Such *P*, *D* are not unique.) For a finite-

Diagonalization [edit]

*See also: **Eigendecomposition of a matrix***

If a matrix *A* can be diagonalized, that is,

P^{−1}*AP* =

λ ₁	0	...	0
0	λ ₂	...	0
⋮	⋮	⋱	⋮
0	0	...	λ _{<i>n</i>}

,

then:

AP = *P*

λ ₁	0	...	0
0	λ ₂	...	0
⋮	⋮	⋱	⋮
0	0	...	λ _{<i>n</i>}

.

Writing *P* as a **block matrix** of its column vectors ***α*_{*i*}**

P = (***α*₁** ***α*₂** ... ***α*_{*n*}**),

the above equation can be rewritten as

*Aα*_{*i*} = λ_{*i*}***α*_{*i*}** (*i* = 1, 2, ⋯, *n*).

So the column vectors of *P* are **right eigenvectors** of *A*, and the corresponding diagonal entry is the corresponding **eigenvalue**. The invertibility of *P* also suggests that the eigenvectors are **linearly independent**

Examples [edit]

Diagonalizable matrices [edit]

- Involutions** are diagonalizable over the reals (and indeed any field of characteristic not 2), with ±1 on the diagonal.
- Finite order **endomorphisms** are diagonalisable over **C** (or any algebraically closed field where the characteristic of the field does not divide the order of the endomorphism) with **roots of unity** on the diagonal. This follows since the minimal polynomial is **separable**, because the roots of unity are distinct.
- Projections** are diagonalizable, with 0s and 1s on the diagonal.
- Real **symmetric matrices** are diagonalizable by orthogonal matrices; i.e., given a real symmetric matrix *A*, *Q*^T*AQ* is diagonal for some orthogonal matrix *Q*. More generally, matrices are diagonalizable by **unitary matrices** if and only if they are normal. In the case of the real symmetric matrix, we see that *A* = *A*^T, so clearly *AA*^T = *A*^T*A* holds. Examples of normal matrices are real symmetric (or *skew-symmetric*) matrices (e.g. covariance matrices) and **Hermitian matrices** (or skew-Hermitian matrices). See **spectral theorems** for generalizations to infinite-dimensional vector spaces.

Symmetric matrixhttps://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Symmetric_matrix#Properties

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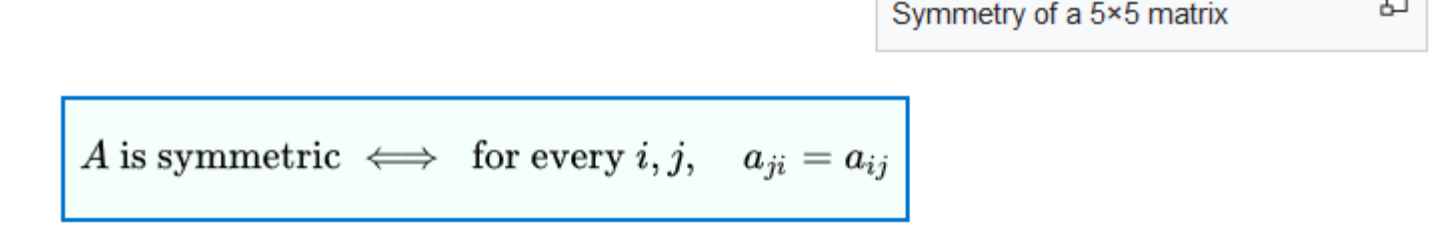
*For matrices with symmetry over the complex number field, see **Hermitian matrix**.*

In **linear algebra**, a **symmetric matrix** is a **square matrix** that is equal to its **transpose**. Formally,

A is symmetric ⇔ *A* = *A*^T.

Because equal matrices have equal dimensions, only square matrices can be symmetric.

The entries of a symmetric matrix are symmetric with respect to the **main diagonal**. So if *a*_{*ij*} denotes the entry in the *i*-th row and *j*-th column then



for all indices *i* and *j*.

Example [edit]

The following 3 × 3 matrix is symmetric:

A =

1	7	3
7	4	−5
3	−5	6

Real symmetric matrices [edit]

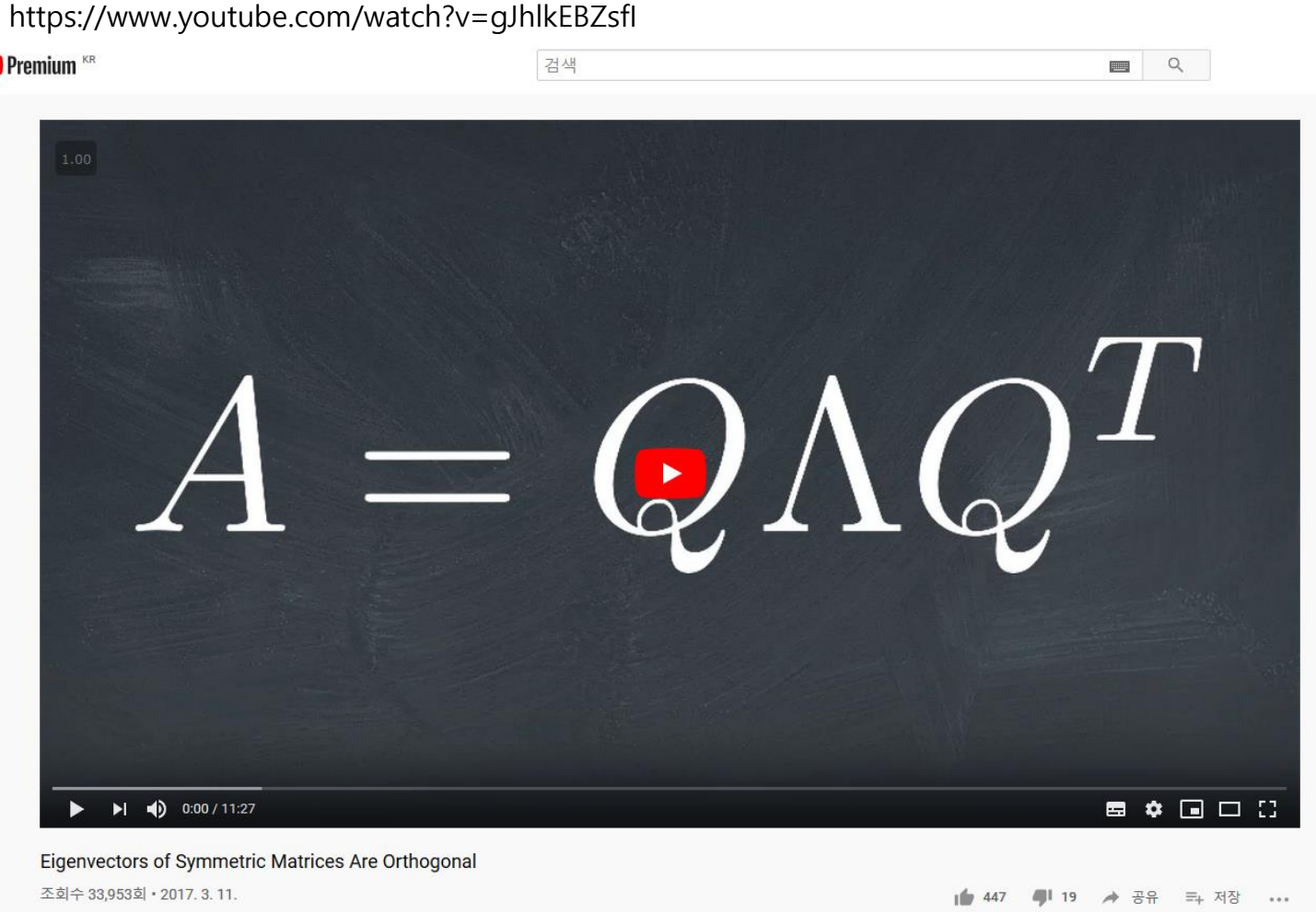
Denote by **⟨·,·⟩** the standard **inner product** on **R^{*n*}**. The real *n* × *n* matrix *A* is symmetric if and only if

⟨*Ax*, *y*⟩ = ⟨*x*, *Ay*⟩ ∀*x*, *y* ∈ **R^{*n*}**.

Since this definition is independent of the choice of **basis**, symmetry is a property that depends only on the **linear operator** *A* and a choice of **inner product**. This characterization of symmetry is useful, for example, in **differential geometry**, for each **tangent space** to a **manifold** may be endowed with an inner product, giving rise to what is called a **Riemannian manifold**. Another area where this formulation is used is in **Hilbert spaces**.

The finite-dimensional **spectral theorem** says that any symmetric matrix whose entries are real can be diagonalized by an orthogonal matrix. More explicitly: For every symmetric real matrix *A* there exists a real orthogonal matrix *Q* such that *D* = *Q*^T*AQ* is a diagonal matrix. Every symmetric matrix is thus, up to choice of an orthonormal basis, a diagonal matrix.

Eigenvectors of Symmetric Matrices are orthogonal.



When a vector is multiplied with a symmetry matrix, what does it means?