

# Linear Algebra for Data Science



# Session 3

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# Outline – Session 3

- Linear Transformation
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# Review - fundamental spaces

# The Fundamental Spaces, Review

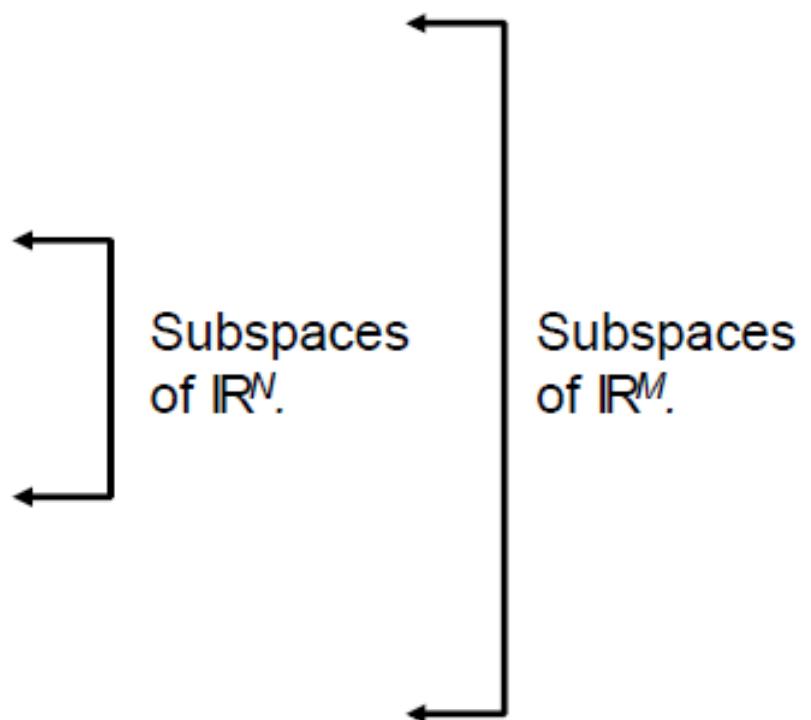
Given an  $M \times N$  matrix  $\mathbf{A}$ , we have the following four fundamental spaces:

The **column space** of  $\mathbf{A}$  is denoted  $C(\mathbf{A})$ .  
Its dimension is the rank  $r$ .

The **nullspace** of  $\mathbf{A}$  is denoted  $N(\mathbf{A})$ .  
Its dimension is  $N - r$ .

The **rowspace** of  $\mathbf{A}$  is spanned by the rows of  $\mathbf{A}$  and  
equals the column space  $C(\mathbf{A}^T)$  of  $\mathbf{A}^T$ .  
Its dimension is  $r$ .

The **left nullspace** of  $\mathbf{A}$  is the nullspace of  $\mathbf{A}^T$  and  
equals the nullspace  $N(\mathbf{A}^T)$  of  $\mathbf{A}^T$ .  
Its dimension is  $M - r$ .



# Matrix rank

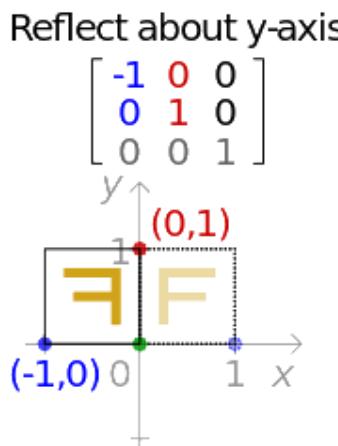
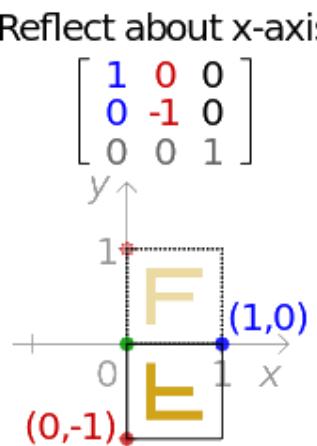
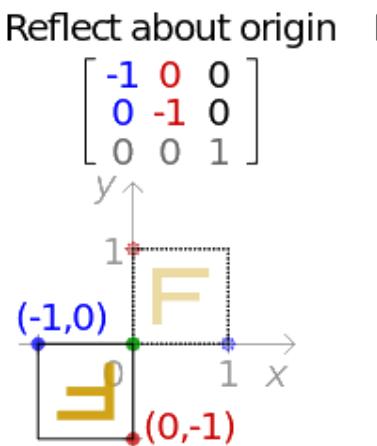
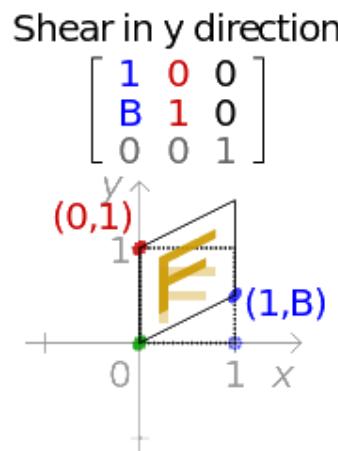
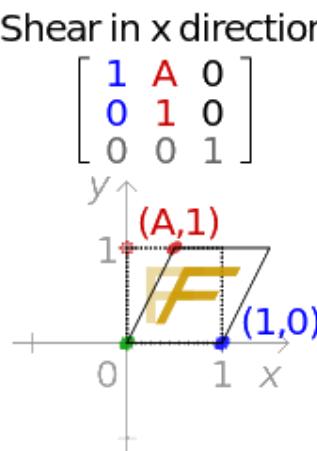
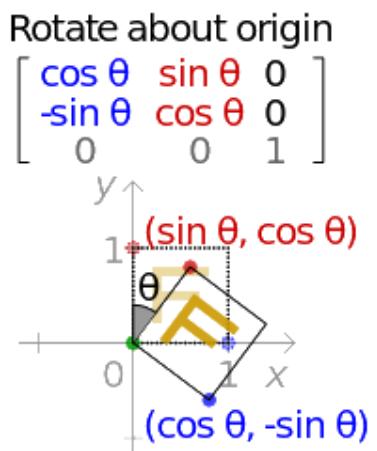
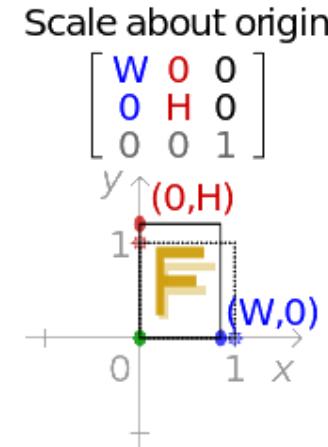
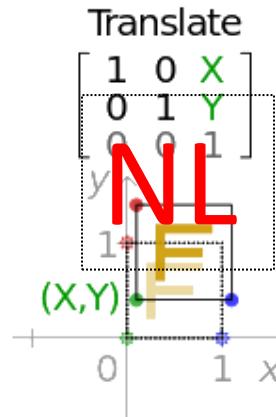
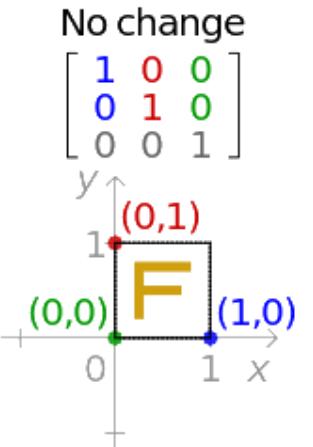
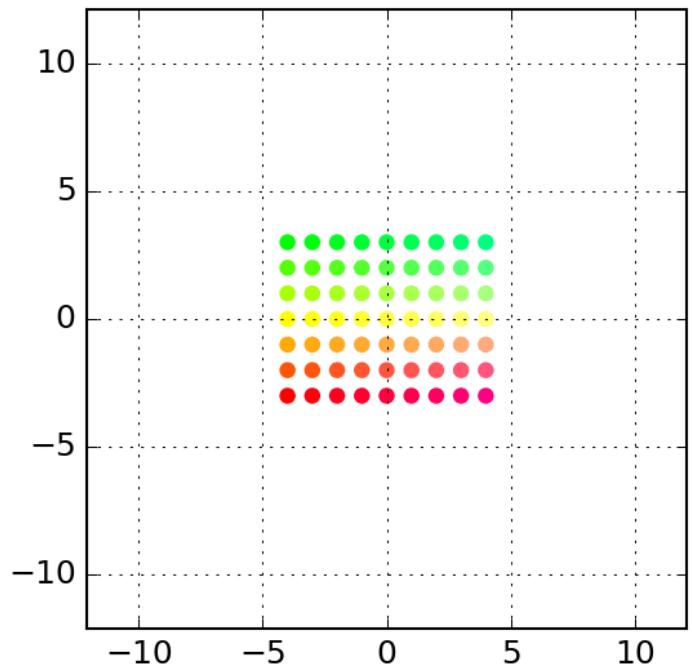
$\text{Rank } (A) = \dim(C(A)) = \dim(R(A)) = \text{number of independent rows} = \text{number of independent columns}$

# Linear Transformations

And relation to invertibility

# Remember

- Matrices can represent:
  - Linear equations.
  - Group of vectors
  - Linear Transformations.
  - Images.
  - Graphs.



# Definition of a linear transformation

- A linear transformation (or a linear map) is a function  $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  that carries elements of the vector space  $\mathbb{R}^n$  (called the domain) to the vector space  $\mathbb{R}^m$  (called the codomain), and satisfies the following properties:
- $T(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}) = T(\mathbf{x}) + T(\mathbf{y})$
- $T(a\mathbf{x}) = aT(\mathbf{x})$
- for any vectors  $\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$  and any scalar  $a \in \mathbb{R}^1$
- If each component of  $f(\mathbf{x})$  is a number times one of the components of  $\mathbf{x}$ , then  $f$  is a linear transformation.

Note that order matters:  $TB(TA(\mathbf{x}))= B A \mathbf{x}$

# Linear and non-linear transformations, Examples

- The function  $f(x,y,z) = (3x-y, 3z, 0, z-2x)$  is a linear transformation.
- $h(x,y,z) = (3x-y, 3xz, 0, z-2x)$  is not a linear transformation, ( $h$  has a nonlinear component  $3xz$ ).
- $g(x,y,z) = (3x-y, 3z+2, 0, z-2x)$  is not a linear transformation, (the second component has the term  $+2$  that is a constant that doesn't contain any components of our input vector  $(x,y,z)$ ).

# Transformation Matrices

- Matrices give us a powerful systematic way to describe a wide variety of transformations (e.g., rotations, reflections, dilations, ....)
- A transformation matrix takes a vector  $\mathbf{v}$  and multiplies it on the left by the matrix  $M$ .
- If  $\mathbf{v}$  is the position vector of the point  $(x,y)$ , then, the transformed position vector is

$$T_M(\mathbf{v}) = T_M \left( \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \right) = M \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ax + by \\ cx + dy \end{bmatrix}$$

or equivalently,  $T_M(x, y) = (ax + by, cx + dy)$ .

# Example: Rotation

**Example:** We want to create a matrix  $\mathbf{A}_\alpha$  that performs a rotation by an angle  $\alpha$ .

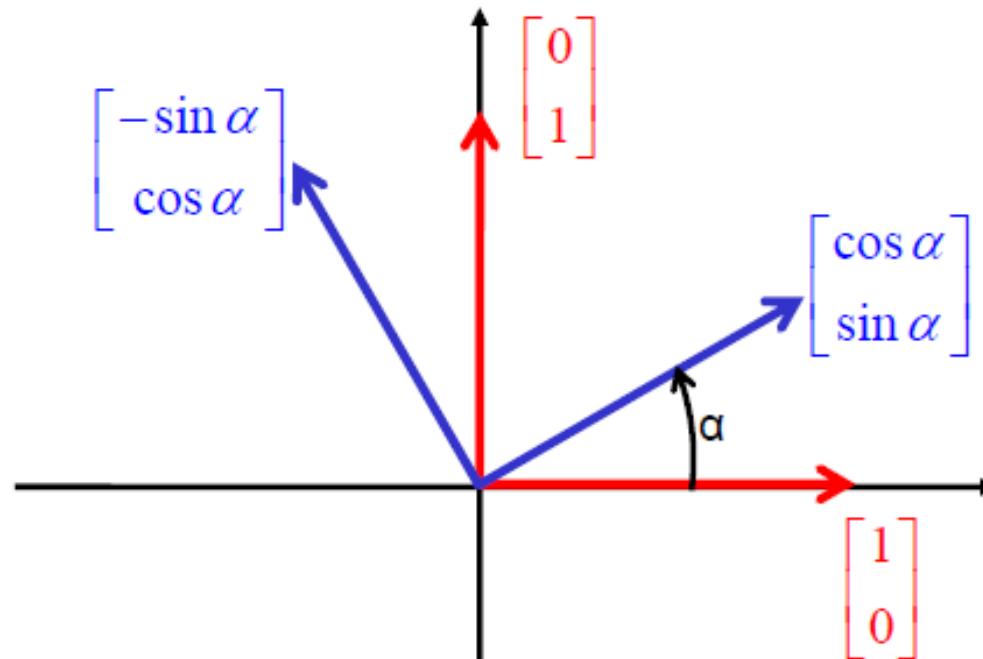
First determine what happens to the basis vectors.

$$\mathbf{A}_\alpha \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{1,1} \\ a_{2,1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha \\ \sin \alpha \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A}_\alpha \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{1,2} \\ a_{2,2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\sin \alpha \\ \cos \alpha \end{bmatrix}$$

This gives us the two columns of  $\mathbf{A}_\alpha$  directly:

$$\mathbf{A}_\alpha = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \alpha & -\sin \alpha \\ \sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{bmatrix}$$



**Sanity checks:**

$$\mathbf{A}_\alpha \mathbf{A}_{-\alpha} = \mathbf{I}$$

$$\mathbf{A}_\alpha \mathbf{A}_\beta = \mathbf{A}_{\alpha+\beta}$$

# Example: Reflection

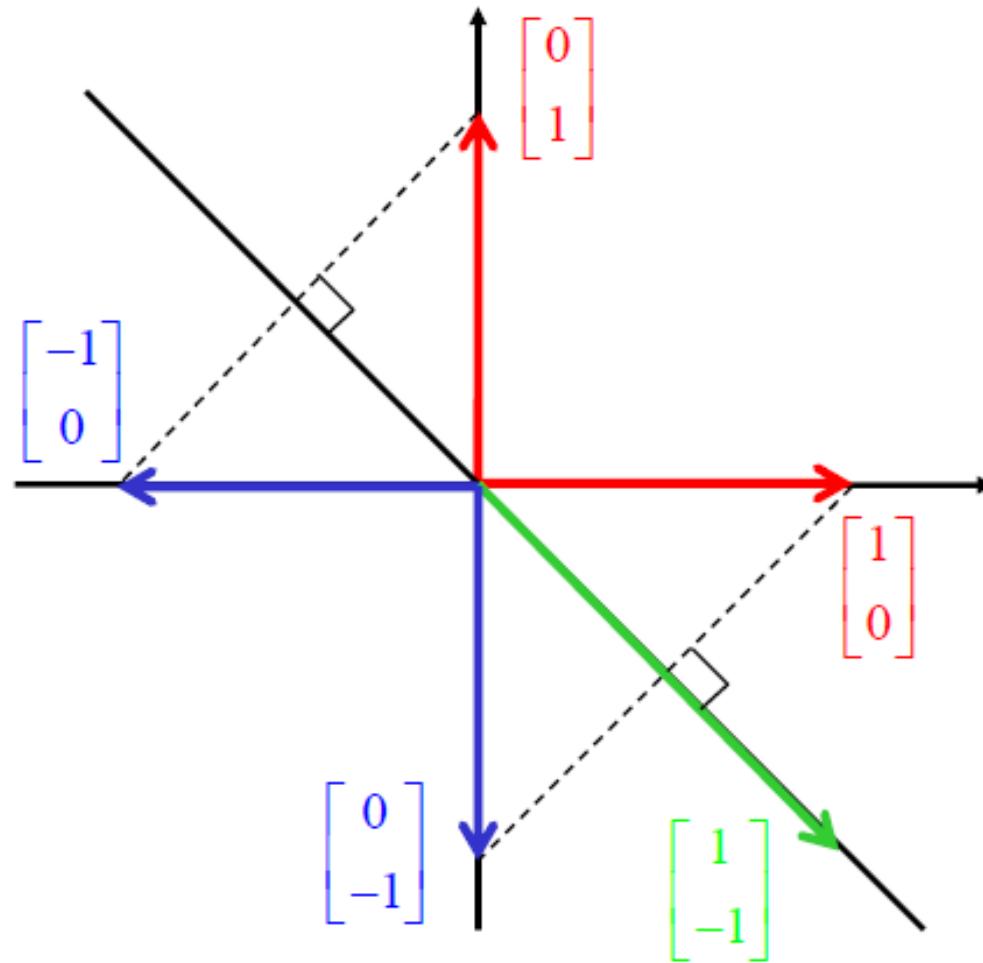
**Example:** We want to create a matrix  $\mathbf{A}$  that reflects vectors onto in the space (line) spanned by the vector  $[1 \ -1]^T$ .

First determine what happens to the basis vectors.

This gives us the two columns of  $\mathbf{A}$  directly:

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Sanity check:**  
 $\mathbf{A}^2 = \mathbf{I}$



# Example: Projection

**Example:** We want to create a matrix  $\mathbf{A}$  that projects vectors onto the space (line) spanned by the vector  $[1/2 \ -1]^T$ .

First determine what happens to the basis vectors.

$$\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2/5 \\ 4/5 \end{bmatrix}$$

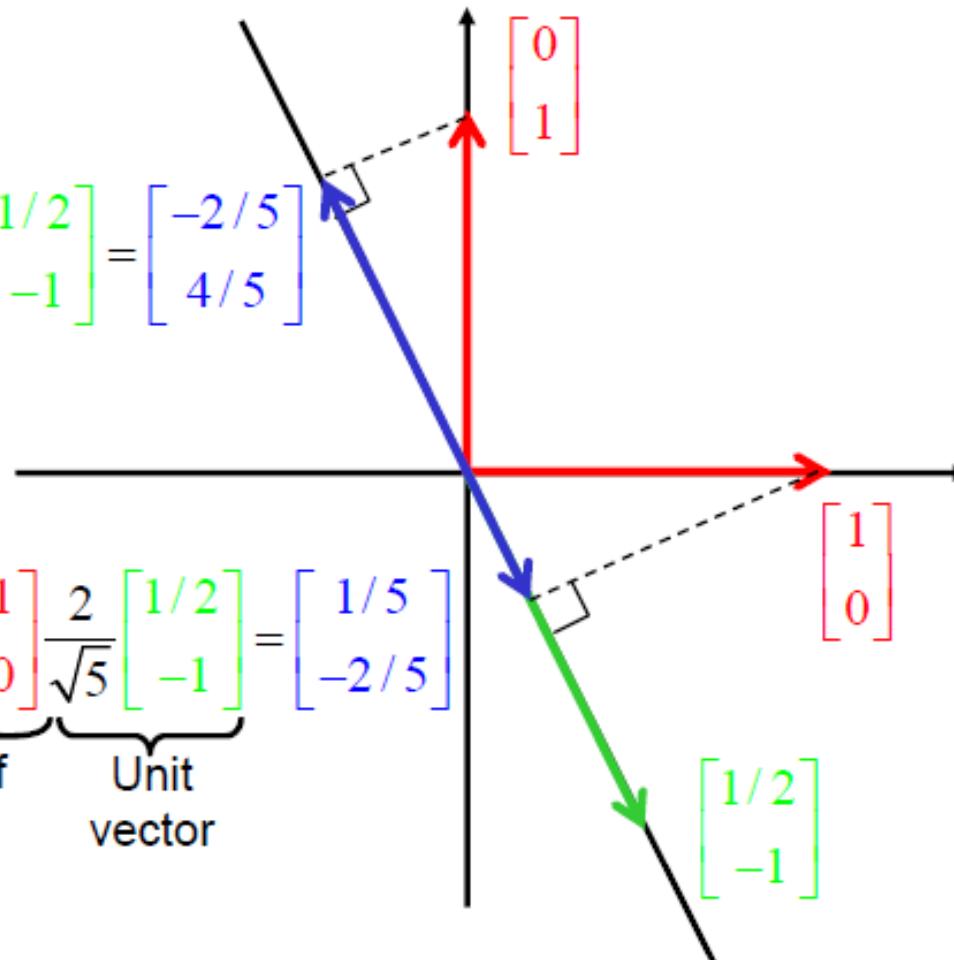
This gives us the two columns of  $\mathbf{A}$  directly:

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/5 & -2/5 \\ -2/5 & 4/5 \end{bmatrix}$$

Sanity check:

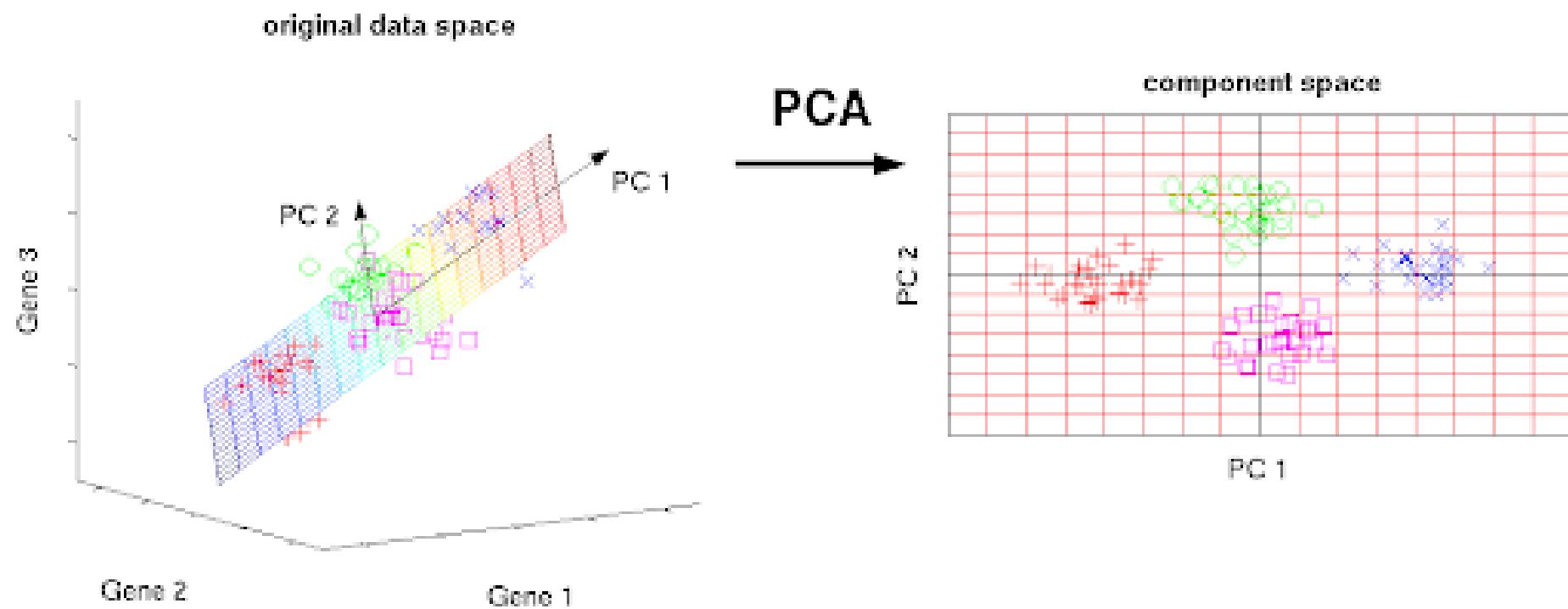
$$\mathbf{A}^k = \mathbf{A}$$

$$\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1/2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}^T}_{\text{"Length" of projection}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{Unit vector}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/5 \\ -2/5 \end{bmatrix}$$



# Example for the applications of Linear transformations in machine learning

- Principal component analysis (PCA) lets us reduce the dimensionality of our data.
- PCA can be viewed as a linear transformation



# Inverse of a Matrix

If we can find a transformation that reverses the effect of the original transformation, then the matrix is invertible

$$Ax = v \quad x = A^{-1} v$$

A: Transformation matrix

x: Input vector

v: Output vector

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

A  
Transformation matrix

90 Counterclockwise

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$A^{-1}$

Inverse Transformation matrix

90 Clockwise

# Matrix determinant

# Matrix determinant

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- Many of the main uses for matrices involve calculating ***the determinant***.
- Denoted as  $\det(A)$  or  $|A|$ .
- Defined only for ***square matrices***, i.e.,  $n \times n$  matrices.
- Can be viewed as a function whose input is a square matrix and whose output is a number.
- Specific properties of the determinants make them useful for different applications like solving the linear system of equations, checking the invertibility of a matrix, finding the area and volume of geometric shapes, ....

# Determinant of a 2x2 matrix

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- The determinant of a 2<sup>nd</sup> order square matrix is represented and evaluated as

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix} = ad - bc$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix}$$



*2nd Order Determinant*

# Determinant of a 3x3 matrix

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix}$$

- The expansion of determinant  $|A|$  in terms of the first row is:

$$|A| = a_{11}A_{11} + a_{12}A_{12} + a_{13}A_{13}$$

$$= a_{11} \begin{vmatrix} a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} - a_{12} \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} + a_{13} \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} \end{vmatrix}$$

- Similarly, we can expand the determinant  $|A|$  in terms of the second column as:

$$|A| = a_{12}A_{12} + a_{22}A_{22} + a_{32}A_{32}$$

$$= -a_{12} \begin{vmatrix} a_{21} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} + a_{22} \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{13} \\ a_{31} & a_{33} \end{vmatrix} - a_{32} \begin{vmatrix} a_{11} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{23} \end{vmatrix}$$

# Determinant of a matrix, general formula

- The determinant of a square matrix is represented and evaluated using any one row or any one column

$$\sum_{i=1}^n a_{ij} C_{ij} = \sum_{i=1}^n a_{ij} (-1)^{i+j} M_{ij}$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} C_{ij} = \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} (-1)^{i+j} M_{ij}$$

Where the **Minors** and **Cofactors** are defined by:

$$M_{i,j} = \det \left( (A_{p,q})_{p \neq i, q \neq j} \right)$$

$$C_{ij} = (-1)^{i+j} M_{ij}$$

$C_{ij}$   
 $A_{p,q}$  is the  
small matrix  
remaining  
after crossing  
out the  $i$ th  
row and  $j$ th  
column.

This can be used to recursively calculate the determinant of any  $N \times N$  matrix. After  $N-1$  steps we arrive at the scalar case.

# Minors and Cofactors, Example

To illustrate these definitions, consider the following 3 by 3 matrix,

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 7 \\ 3 & 0 & 5 \\ -1 & 9 & 11 \end{bmatrix}$$

To compute the minor  $M_{2,3}$  and the cofactor  $C_{2,3}$ , we find the determinant of the above matrix with row 2 and column 3 removed.

$$M_{2,3} = \det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & \square \\ \square & \square & \square \\ -1 & 9 & \square \end{bmatrix} = \det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ -1 & 9 \end{bmatrix} = 9 - (-4) = 13$$

So the cofactor of the (2,3) entry is

$$C_{2,3} = (-1)^{2+3}(M_{2,3}) = -13.$$

# Determinant of a matrix, example 1

- Note that the determinant calculated using an expansion in terms of any row or column is the same.
- The trick for reducing the computation effort while manually calculating the determinant is to select the row or column having the maximum number of zeros.
- Example, expansion in terms of the second column.

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 2 & 0 & 4 \\ 4 & 2 & 7 \end{vmatrix} = -3 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 4 & 7 \end{vmatrix} + 0 - 2 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 2 & 4 \end{vmatrix}$$
$$= -3(2 \times 7 - 4 \times 4) - 2(1 \times 4 - 5 \times 2)$$
$$= -3(14 - 16) - 2(4 - 10)$$
$$= 18$$

## Determinant of a matrix, example 2

- Expansion in terms of the first row

$$\begin{vmatrix} 5 & 3 & 58 \\ -4 & 23 & 11 \\ 34 & 2 & -67 \end{vmatrix} = 5 \begin{vmatrix} 23 & 11 \\ 2 & -67 \end{vmatrix} - 3 \begin{vmatrix} -4 & 11 \\ 34 & -67 \end{vmatrix} + 58 \begin{vmatrix} -4 & 23 \\ 34 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$
$$= 5[23 \times (-67) - 11 \times 2] - 3[(-4) \times (-67) - 11 \times 34]$$
$$+ 58[(-4) \times 2 - 23 \times 34]$$
$$= 5(-1541 - 22) - 3(268 - 374) + 58(-8 - 782)$$
$$= -53317$$

## Determinant of a 4x4 matrix

- We can use the Laplace's expansion for nth order determinant in a similar way as the 3rd order determinant.
- We should further expand the cofactors in the first expansion until the second-order ( $2 \times 2$ ) cofactor is reached.

$$\begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = -1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} + 0 - 2 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} + 0$$

*(Expand by Col. 2) (Expand by Row 1)*

$$= -1 \left( -2 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} + 0 - 1 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \right)$$
$$- 2 \left( 2 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} - 3 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} + 0 \right)$$
$$= -1 \left[ -2(3 \times 3 - 1 \times 2) - 1(1 \times 1 - 3 \times 3) \right]$$
$$- 2 \left[ 2(2 \times 3 - 3 \times 1) - 3(1 \times 3 - 3 \times 2) \right]$$
$$= -1[(-2) \times 7 - 1 \times (-8)] - 2[2 \times 3 - 3 \times (-3)]$$

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$$= -1(-14 + 8) - 2(6 + 9)$$
$$= -24$$

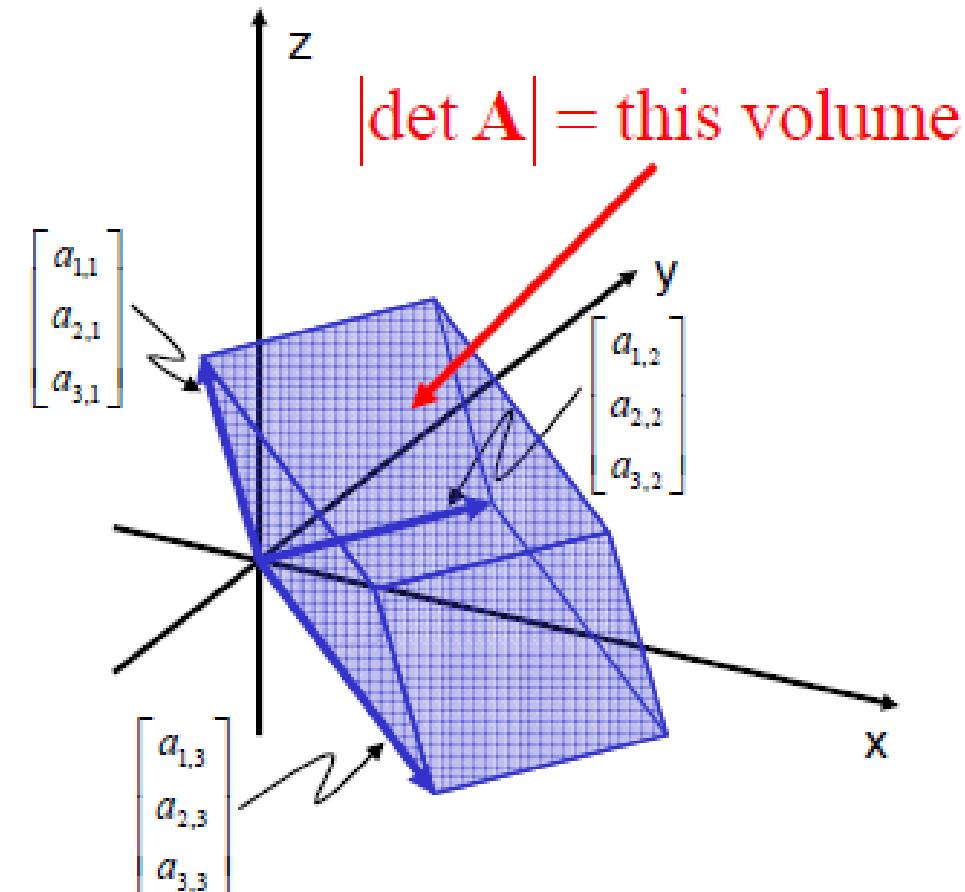
# Properties of the determinant

# Determinant of a matrix and its rank

The determinant of an  $N \times N$  matrix  $\mathbf{A}$  can be interpreted as the volume of a parallelepiped in  $\mathbb{R}^N$  where the edges come from the columns (or rows) of  $\mathbf{A}$ .

- If the determinant = 0 → the matrix is not full rank
- Remember: Rank ( $\mathbf{A}$ ) =  $\dim(C(\mathbf{A})) = \dim(R(\mathbf{A}))$  = number of independent rows = number of independent columns

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{1,1} & a_{1,2} & a_{1,3} \\ a_{2,1} & a_{2,2} & a_{2,3} \\ a_{3,1} & a_{3,2} & a_{3,3} \end{bmatrix}$$



# Determinant of a matrix and linear independence

Suppose that

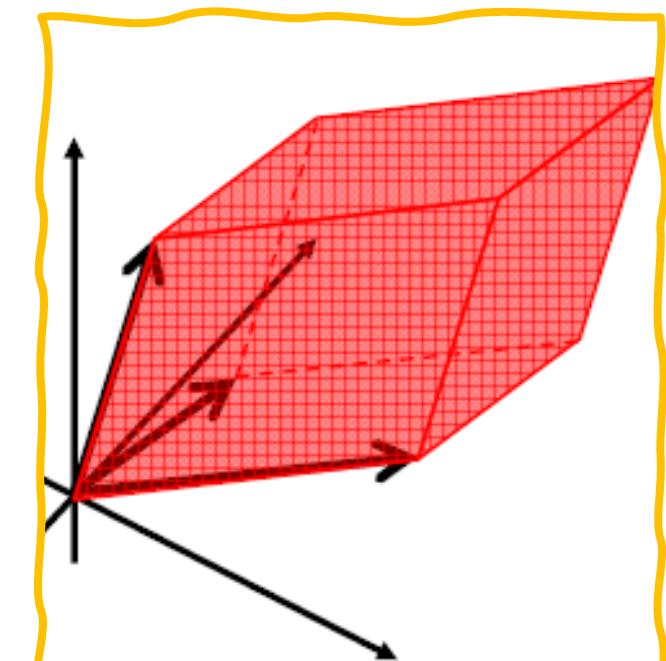
$$\alpha_1 \mathbf{a}_1 + \alpha_2 \mathbf{a}_2 + \dots + \alpha_N \mathbf{a}_N = 0$$

only happens when

$$\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \dots = \alpha_N = 0.$$

Then the vectors  $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2, \dots, \mathbf{a}_N$  are *linearly independent*.

If any  $\alpha_k$ 's are nonzero, the vectors  $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2, \dots, \mathbf{a}_N$  are *linearly dependent*. At least one vector is a combination of the others.



These three vectors are linearly independent if the determinant of the matrix they form as columns is nonzero.

# Properties of the determinant (1)

- **Multiplication of the Determinants**
- The product of two  $n^{\text{th}}$  order determinants is also a determinant of the order  $n$ .

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|B| = \begin{vmatrix} l & m & n \\ p & q & r \\ x & y & z \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|A| \times |B| = \begin{vmatrix} al + bm + cn & ap + bq + cr & ax + by + cz \\ dl + em + fn & dp + eq + fr & dx + ey + fz \\ gl + hm + in & gp + hq + ir & gx + hy + iz \end{vmatrix}$$

## Properties of the determinant (2)

Interchanging the rows with columns (transpose of a matrix) does not alter the value of the determinant.

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|A^T| = \begin{vmatrix} a & d & g \\ b & e & h \\ c & f & i \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\implies |A^T| = |A|$$

# Properties of the determinant (corollary)

Corollary: If a line (row or column) is shifted by k places, then the determinant of the resulting matrix is  
 $|A'| = (-1)^k |A|$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|A'| = \begin{vmatrix} d & e & f \\ a & b & c \\ g & h & i \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow |A'| = -|A|$$

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|A'| = \begin{vmatrix} d & e & f \\ g & h & i \\ a & b & c \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow |A'| = (-1)^2 |A|$$

$$\Rightarrow |A'| = |A|$$

## Properties of the determinant (3)

If a line (row or column) of a determinant is multiplied by a constant value, then the resulting determinant can be evaluated by multiplying the original determinant by the same constant value.

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|A'| = \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ pd & pe & pf \\ g & h & i \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\implies |A'| = p|A|$$

## Properties of the determinant (4)

If any line (row or column) of the determinant has each element written as a sum of t terms, then the determinant can be written as the sum of t determinants.

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c + j - m \\ d & e & f + k - n \\ g & h & i + l - o \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} a & b & j \end{vmatrix} - \begin{vmatrix} a & b & m \end{vmatrix}$$
$$+ \begin{vmatrix} d & e & f \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} d & e & k \end{vmatrix} - \begin{vmatrix} d & e & n \end{vmatrix}$$
$$+ \begin{vmatrix} g & h & i \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} g & h & l \end{vmatrix} - \begin{vmatrix} g & h & o \end{vmatrix}$$

## Properties of the determinant (5)

$$|A| = \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{vmatrix}$$

The value of the determinant remains the same if a line (row or column) is added by multiples of one or more parallel lines. We can prove this property using the corollary of the 4th property and the 5th property.

$$|A'| = \begin{vmatrix} a + pb - qc & b & c \\ d + pe - qf & e & f \\ g + ph - qi & h & i \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} pb & b & c \\ pe & e & f \\ ph & h & i \end{vmatrix} - \begin{vmatrix} qc & b & c \\ qf & e & f \\ qi & h & i \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\implies |A'| = |A| + 0 + 0 = |A|$$

# Inverse of a Matrix

# Inverse of a matrix, Intuition

**Reciprocal of a Number**

A diagram illustrating the concept of a reciprocal. It shows the number 8 in blue at the top and its reciprocal  $\frac{1}{8}$  in red below it. Two yellow curved arrows, each labeled "Reciprocal", point from 8 to  $\frac{1}{8}$ .

**Inverse of matrices**

A diagram illustrating the concept of an inverse matrix. It shows a matrix A in blue at the top and its inverse  $A^{-1}$  in blue below it. Two yellow curved arrows, each labeled "Inverse", point from A to  $A^{-1}$ .

# Inverse of a Matrix, reversing the transformation

$$Ax = v \quad x = A^{-1}v$$

A: Transformation matrix

x: Input vector

v: Output vector

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

A  
Transformation matrix

90 Counterclockwise

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$A^{-1}$   
Inverse Transformation matrix

90 Clockwise

# Inverse of a Matrix

$$A A^{-1} = I$$

A: Transformation matrix

$A^{-1}$ : Inverse

I: Identity matrix

$$A A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Basis vector still in the original positions
- Identity matrix: is the transformation that does nothing

# Inverse of a Square Matrix, Review

- When a matrix is multiplied times its inverse the result is the Identity matrix of the vector space. i.e., the matrix inverse reverses its effect

$$A^{-1}A = AA^{-1} = I$$

$$A A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Transformations shall be discussed today

# Inverse of a Square Matrix, Review

- The adjugate of  $\mathbf{A}$  is the transpose of the cofactor matrix  $\mathbf{C}$  of  $\mathbf{A}$

If  $\mathbf{A}$  is an invertible matrix, then

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(\mathbf{A})} \text{adj}(\mathbf{A}).$$

$$\text{adj}(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{C}^T$$

$$\mathbf{C} = ((-1)^{i+j} \mathbf{M}_{ij})_{1 \leq i, j \leq n}$$

$$\text{adj}(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{C}^T = ((-1)^{i+j} \mathbf{M}_{ji})_{1 \leq i, j \leq n}$$

# Inverse of a Square Matrix, some properties

- Note that:

$$(k\mathbf{A})^{-1} = k^{-1} \mathbf{A}^{-1}$$

$$(\mathbf{A}^T)^{-1} = (\mathbf{A}^{-1})^T$$

$$(\mathbf{AB})^{-1} = \mathbf{B}^{-1} \mathbf{A}^{-1}$$

$$\det \mathbf{A}^{-1} = (\det \mathbf{A})^{-1}$$

If  $\mathbf{A}$  is an invertible matrix, then

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(\mathbf{A})} \text{adj}(\mathbf{A}).$$

$$\text{adj}(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{C}^T$$

$$\mathbf{C} = ((-1)^{i+j} \mathbf{M}_{ij})_{1 \leq i,j \leq n}$$

$$\text{adj}(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{C}^T = ((-1)^{i+j} \mathbf{M}_{ji})_{1 \leq i,j \leq n}$$

# Inverse of a matrix, solving a system of equations example

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x + y + z & = & 6 \\ 2y + 5z & = & -4 \\ 2x + 5y - z & = & 27 \end{array} \quad \left[ \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 \\ 2 & 5 & -1 \end{array} \right] \left[ \begin{array}{c} x \\ y \\ z \end{array} \right] = \left[ \begin{array}{c} 6 \\ -4 \\ 27 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 5 \\ 1 & 5 & -1 \end{array} \right]^{-1} = \frac{1}{-21} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc} -27 & 10 & -4 \\ 6 & -3 & -3 \\ 3 & -5 & 2 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{c} x \\ y \\ z \end{array} \right] = \frac{1}{-21} \left[ \begin{array}{ccc} -27 & 6 & 3 \\ 10 & -3 & -5 \\ -4 & -3 & 2 \end{array} \right] \left[ \begin{array}{c} 6 \\ -4 \\ 27 \end{array} \right] = \frac{1}{-21} \left[ \begin{array}{c} -105 \\ -63 \\ 42 \end{array} \right] = \left[ \begin{array}{c} 5 \\ 3 \\ -2 \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{aligned} x &= 5, \\ y &= 3, \\ z &= -2 \end{aligned}$$

# Inverse of a Matrix, Gaussian Elimination

## A. Using row operations

One approach for computing the inverse is to use the Gauss–Jordan elimination procedure. Start by creating an array containing the entries of the matrix  $A$  on the left side and the identity matrix on the right side:

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 9 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right].$$

Now we perform the Gauss-Jordan elimination procedure on this array.

- 1) The first row operation is to subtract three times the first row from the second row:  $R_2 \leftarrow R_2 - 3R_1$ . We obtain:

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & -3 & 1 \end{array} \right].$$

- 2) The second row operation is divide the second row by 3:  $R_2 \leftarrow \frac{1}{3}R_2$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & \frac{1}{3} \end{array} \right].$$

- 3) The third row operation is  $R_1 \leftarrow R_1 - 2R_2$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 0 & 3 & -\frac{2}{3} \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & \frac{1}{3} \end{array} \right].$$

The array is now in reduced row echelon form (RREF). The inverse matrix appears on the right side of the array.

# Singular (non-invertible) Matrix

- When the determinant of a matrix is zero, i.e.,  $|A|=0$ , then that matrix is called as a **Singular Matrix**.
- The matrix with a non-zero determinant is called the **Non-singular Matrix**.
- All the singular matrices are **Non-invertible Matrices**, i.e., it is not possible to take an inverse of a matrix

E.g., the matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$  is singular.

Why?

# Existence of an Inverse

For an  $n \times n$  matrix A, the following statements are equivalent:

1. A is invertible (non-singular)
2. The RREF of A is the  $n \times n$  identity matrix
3. The rank of the matrix is 'n'
4. The row space of A is  $\mathbb{R}^n$
5. The column space of A is  $\mathbb{R}^n$
6. A doesn't have a null space (only the zero vector  $N(A) = \{\mathbf{0}\}$ )
7. The determinant of A is nonzero

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Thank You!

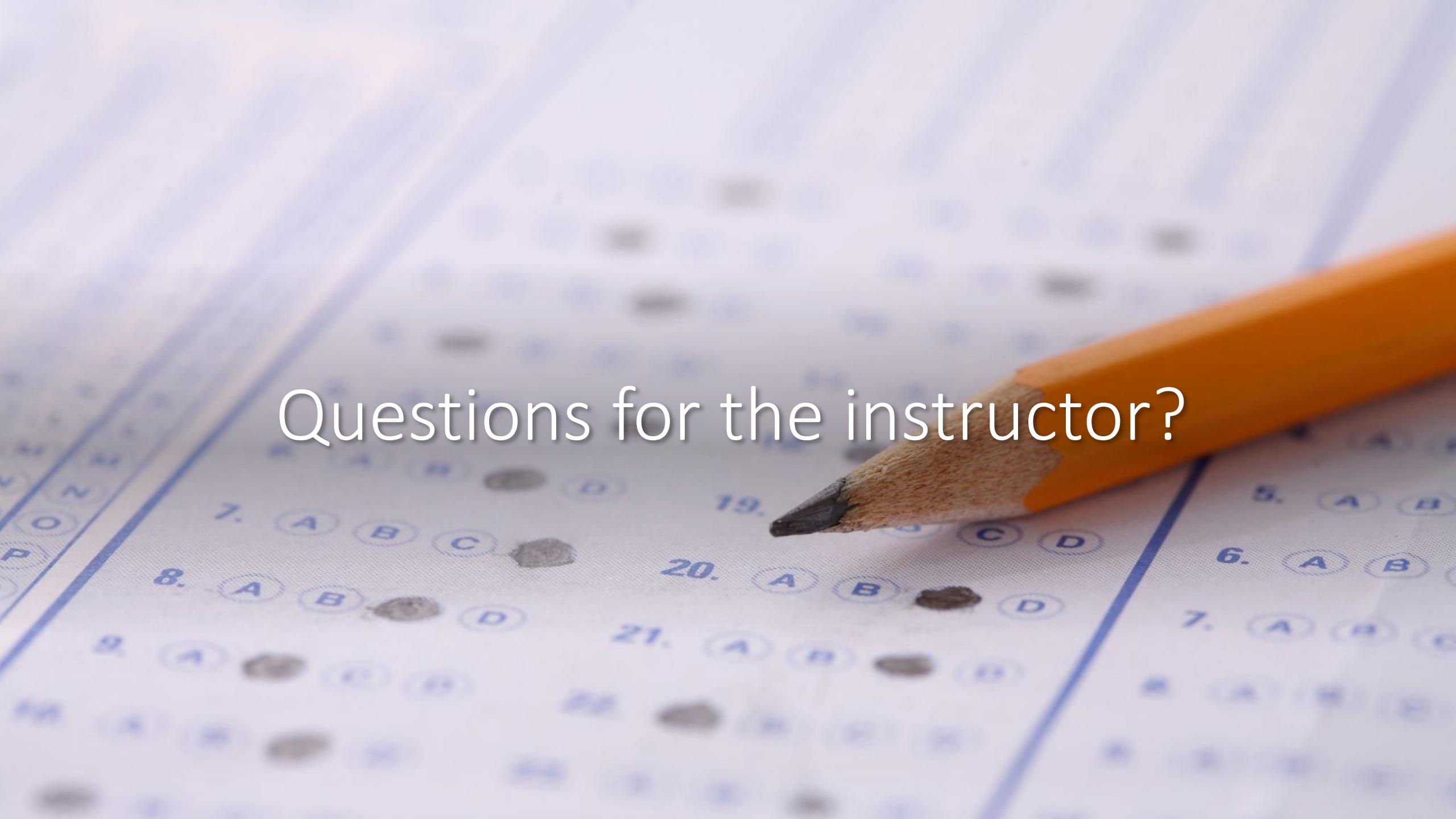
## Python-based Examples

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- Kindly check the provided notebooks.



Questions for the instructor?



# Resources

- Books and Articles
  - “Linear Algebra Explained in four Pages”:  
[https://courses.engr.illinois.edu/ece498rc3/fa2016/material/linearAlgebra\\_4pgs.pdf](https://courses.engr.illinois.edu/ece498rc3/fa2016/material/linearAlgebra_4pgs.pdf)
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  - Linear Algebra for Wireless Communication, Ove Edfors, Lund University:  
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## Notes

- Determinants and linear transformations.
- The relationship between determinants and the area of a parallelogram.

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