

A MATRIX IS A 2D ARRAY

A MATRIX IS JUST A  
2-DIMENSIONAL ARRAY

BUT, IN DATA ANALYSIS AND IN  
R, MATRICES ARE SPECIAL

A MATRIX / MATRIX OPERATIONS CAN  
BE INTERPRETED IN MULTIPLE WAYS

AS A DATASET

AS A LINEAR TRANSFORMATION

AS A SET OF LINEAR EQUATIONS

**AS A DATASET**

**EACH ROW REPRESENTS  
AN OBSERVATION**

**EACH COLUMN A  
VARIABLE FOR ANALYSIS**

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1	3	0	8
0	4	6	2
1	0	5	7
0	20	11	0
4	5	0	9

# AS A DATASET

EACH ROW  
REPRESENTS  
AN ARTICLE

	WORD 1	WORD 2	WORD 3	WORD 4
1	1	3	0	8
0	0	4	6	2
1	1	0	5	7
0	0	20	11	0
4	4	5	0	9

NUMBER OF TIMES A WORD  
APPEARS IN THE ARTICLE

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AN EXAMPLE  
DATASET FROM  
NATURAL  
LANGUAGE  
PROCESSING

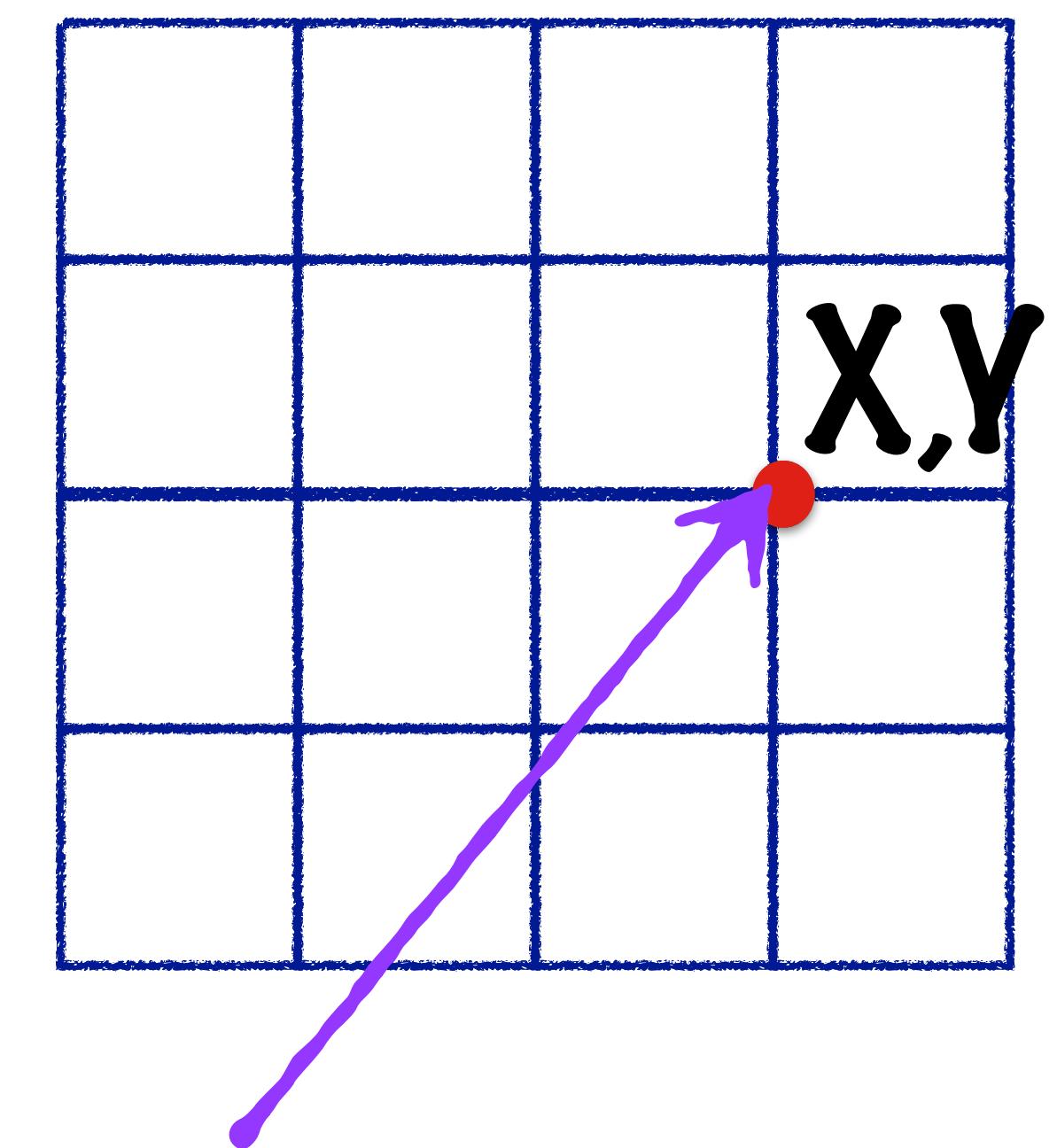
# AS A LINEAR TRANSFORMATION

LET'S SAY YOU HAVE A  
2 - DIMENSIONAL GRID

A LINEAR TRANSFORMATION  
SCALES AND  
ROTATES THE GRID

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EACH POINT ON THE GRID CAN BE  
REPRESENTED BY 2 CO-ORDINATES

AS A LINEAR TRANSFORMATION

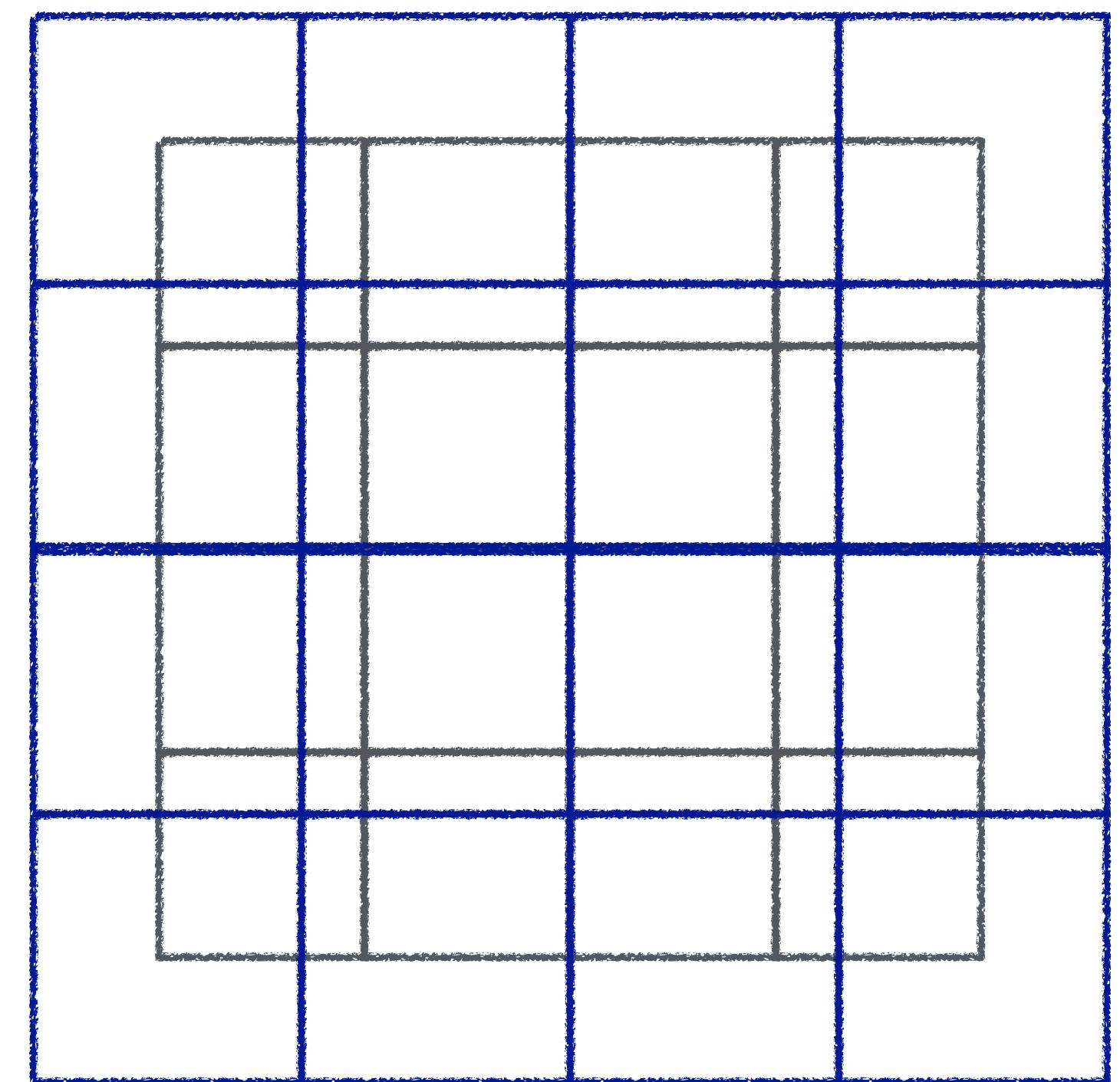
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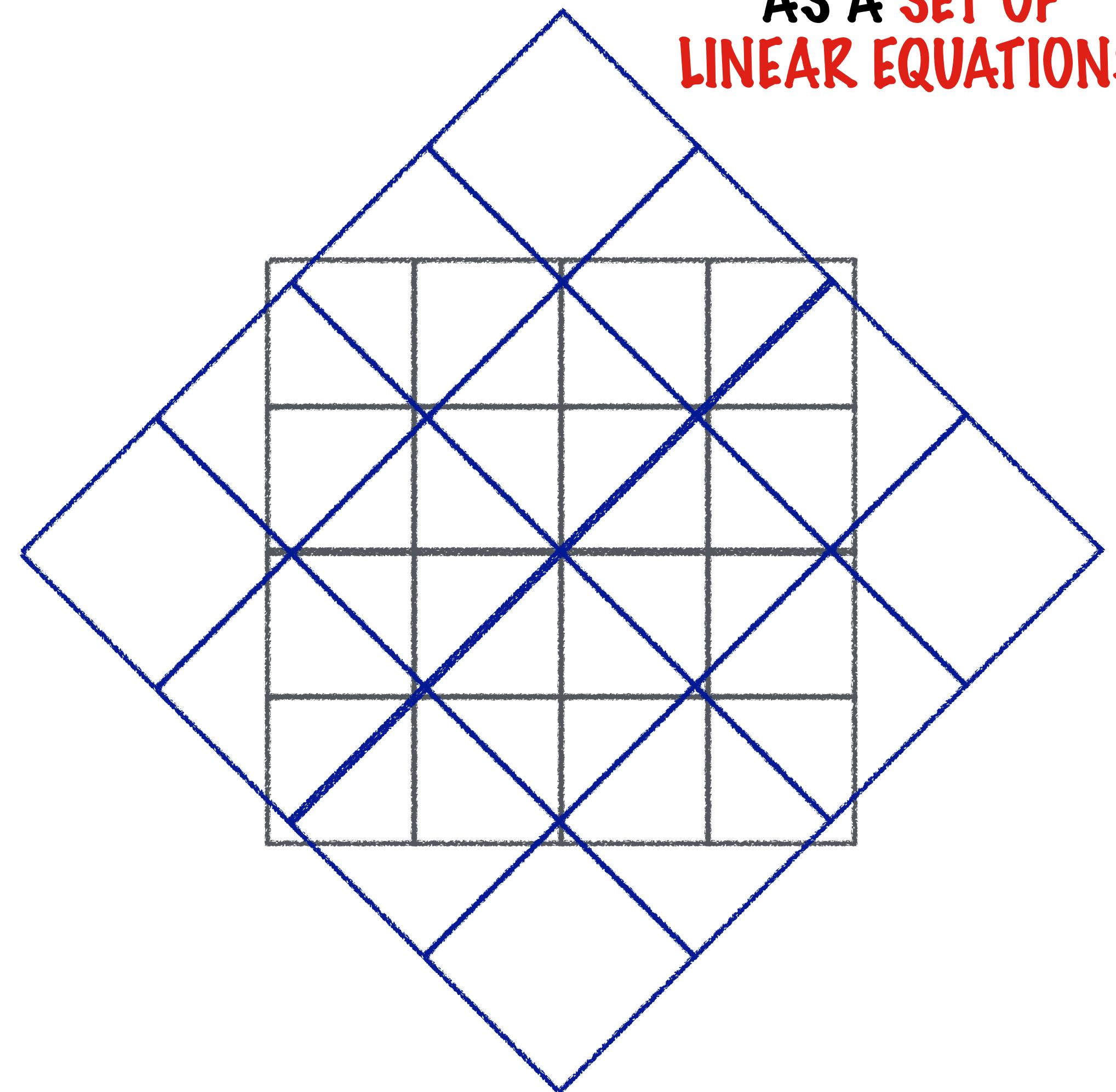
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# AS A LINEAR TRANSFORMATION

THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN  
OLD AND NEW CO-ORDINATES  
IS REPRESENTED BY A MATRIX

$$X' = 3X + 2Y$$

$$Y' = 2X + 4Y$$

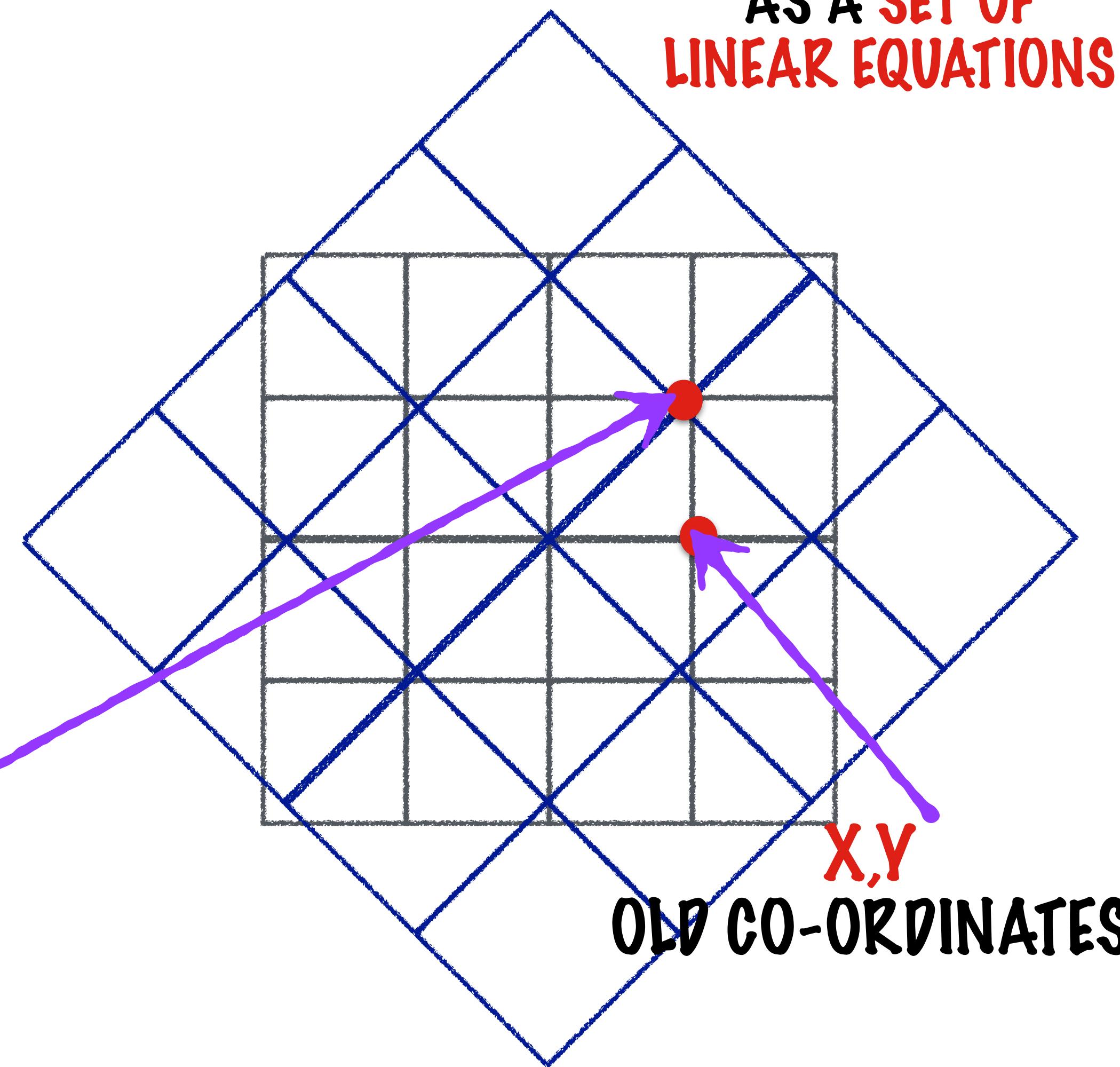
A 2X2  
MATRIX

3	2
2	4

X', Y'  
NEW CO-  
ORDINATES

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**ANY NXN MATRIX CAN BE  
INTERPRETED AS A LINEAR  
TRANSFORMATION OF AN  
N-DIMENSIONAL GRID**

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AS A LINEAR  
TRANSFORMATION

## AS A SET OF LINEAR EQUATIONS

$$a + b + c + d = -3$$

$$-a + b - c + d = -1$$

$$8a + 4b + 2c + d = -13$$

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A SET OF LINEAR EQUATIONS  
CAN BE REPRESENTED USING  
MATRICES

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & -1 & 1 \\ 8 & 4 & 2 & 1 \\ -8 & 4 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \\ -13 \\ -21 \end{bmatrix}$$

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BECAUSE OF ALL THE COOL THINGS  
YOU CAN DO WITH MATRICES, R HAS  
SPECIAL FUNCTIONS FOR MATRICES

## EXAMPLE 25 : CREATING A MATRIX AND SOME BASICS

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```
aMatrix <- matrix(c(2*1:3, 3*1:3), nrow = 2, ncol = 3)
aMatrix
 [,1] [,2] [,3]
[1,]    2    6    6
[2,]    4    3    9
t(aMatrix)
 [,1] [,2]
[1,]    2    4
[2,]    6    3
[3,]    6    9
nrow(aMatrix)
[1] 2
ncol(aMatrix)
[1] 3
```

YOU CAN USE THE **MATRIX()** FUNCTION TO **CREATE A MATRIX**

**t()** WILL TRANPOSE A MATRIX  
(ROWS TO COLUMNS AND VICE VERSA)

**nrow()** AND **ncol()** TO FIND THE ROWS AND COLUMNS OF A MATRIX

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```
aMatrix %*% anotherMatrix  
[,1] [,2]  
[1,] 76 80  
[2,] 80 106
```

MATRIX MULTIPLICATION  
IS A SPECIAL OPERATION

	[,1]	[,2]	[,3]
[1,]	2	6	6
[2,]	4	3	9

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[3,]	6	9	

THIS ONLY WORKS IF  
NUMBER OF COLUMNS OF LEFT MATRIX = NUMBER OF ROWS OF RIGHT MATRIX

EACH ROW ON LEFT IS MULTIPLIED WITH  
EACH COLUMN ON THE RIGHT AND THEN  
SUMMED UP

# EXAMPLE 26 : MATRIX MULTIPLICATION

```
crossprod(aMatrix, 2*1:2)
```

CROSSPRODUCT OF 2  
MATRICES A,B  
 $t(A) \%*\% B$

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**rbind() and cbind() CAN BE USED  
TO CONCATENATE MATRICES**

**THEY CAN ALSO BE USED TO STACK  
VECTORS TO CREATE A MATRIX**

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```
rbind(aMatrix, 1:3)
```

	[ ,1 ]	[ ,2 ]	[ ,3 ]
[ 1 , ]	2	6	6
[ 2 , ]	4	3	9
[ 3 , ]	1	2	3

**rbind()** WILL STACK  
MATRICES/VECTORS  
VERTICALLY

```
cbind(aMatrix, 1:2)
```

	[ ,1 ]	[ ,2 ]	[ ,3 ]	[ ,4 ]
[ 1 , ]	2	6	6	1
[ 2 , ]	4	3	9	2

**cbind()** WILL STACK THEM  
HORIZONTALLY

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solve(coeffMatrix, constMatrix)

[1] 1 -5 -2 3
```