

LINEAR TRANSFORMATIONS

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} x+2 \\ y-3 \end{pmatrix}$$

only a linear transformation if its linear

↑ original ↑ image

← This is not linear

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 2x-y \\ x+y \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow \text{this is linear (in the form } ax+by)$$

Linear transformations map the ORIGIN into ITSELF

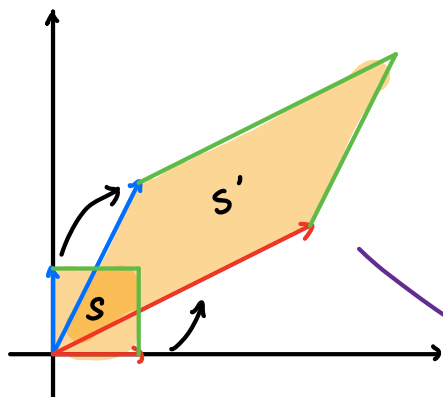
$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

AS A MATRIX: $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} ax+by \\ cx+dy \end{pmatrix}$

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

the \hat{i} and \hat{j} vectors go from:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} a \\ c \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} b \\ d \end{pmatrix} \text{ respectively (watch 3Blue1Brown's videos)}$$



$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1.5 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1.5 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

This linear transformation is

The unit square S becomes the image S'

Some Common Linear Transformations:

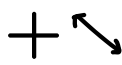
$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ reflect in y-axis}$$



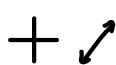
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ reflect in x-axis}$$



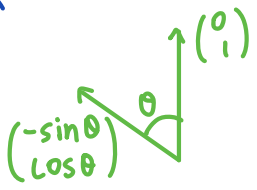
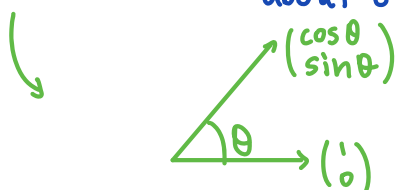
$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ reflect in } y=x$$



$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ reflect in } y=-x$$



$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{pmatrix} \text{ rotate } \theta \text{ anticlockwise about origin}$$



$$\begin{pmatrix} n & 0 \\ 0 & m \end{pmatrix} \text{ stretch by } n \text{ along } x, \text{ stretch by } m \text{ along } y$$



Determinants: area scale factor
(-ve determinant means the x and y axes is flipped)

Applying Linear Transformations

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ax+by \\ cx+dy \end{pmatrix}$$

\uparrow original \uparrow image

Successive transformations (transforming after transforming):

Matrix PQ means transforming with Q, then transforming with P

$$PQ \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = P \cdot \underbrace{\left(Q \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \right)}_{\text{transform with Q}} \rightarrow \text{resulting transformation is } (PQ) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\text{then transform with P}}$

Invariant Things

$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ is always invariant (maps onto itself) ie. an invariant point

$y=x$ is an invariant line in the transformation $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

\downarrow
 the line maps onto itself!

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\text{reflect in } y=x}$