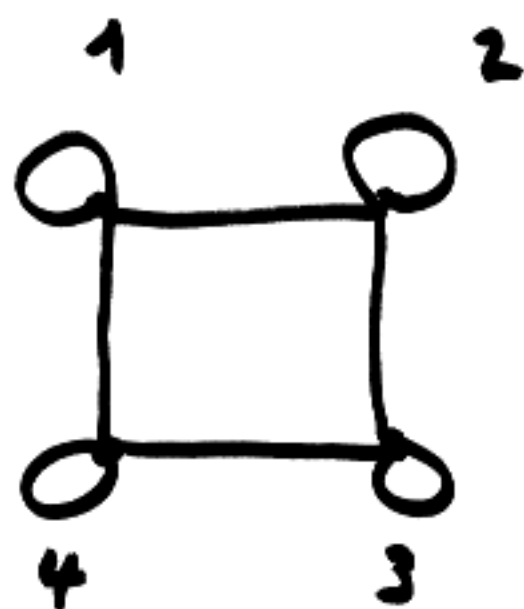


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$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

(Adjacency matrix of the graph)

i, j entry of $A = 1$ if $i - j$
0 otherwise

Initial state : $S_I = \begin{pmatrix} s_1 \\ s_2 \\ s_3 \\ s_4 \end{pmatrix}$

Move : $t = \begin{pmatrix} t_1 \\ t_2 \\ t_3 \\ t_4 \end{pmatrix}$

$$S_F = S_I + At$$

final state

goal

$$S_F = 0$$

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$$S_I + At = 0$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} t_1 \\ t_2 \\ t_3 \\ t_4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} t_1 + t_2 + t_4 \\ t_1 + t_2 + t_3 \\ t_2 + t_3 + t_4 \\ t_1 + t_3 + t_4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$S_I = -At$$

$$\begin{cases} t_1 + t_2 + t_4 = -s_1 \\ t_1 + t_2 + t_3 = -s_2 \\ t_2 + t_3 + t_4 = -s_3 \\ t_1 + t_3 + t_4 = -s_4 \end{cases}$$

Linear system of equations

Solving puzzle \longleftrightarrow solving system of equations.

$n \times n$ matrix A

$$A = (a_{ij})$$

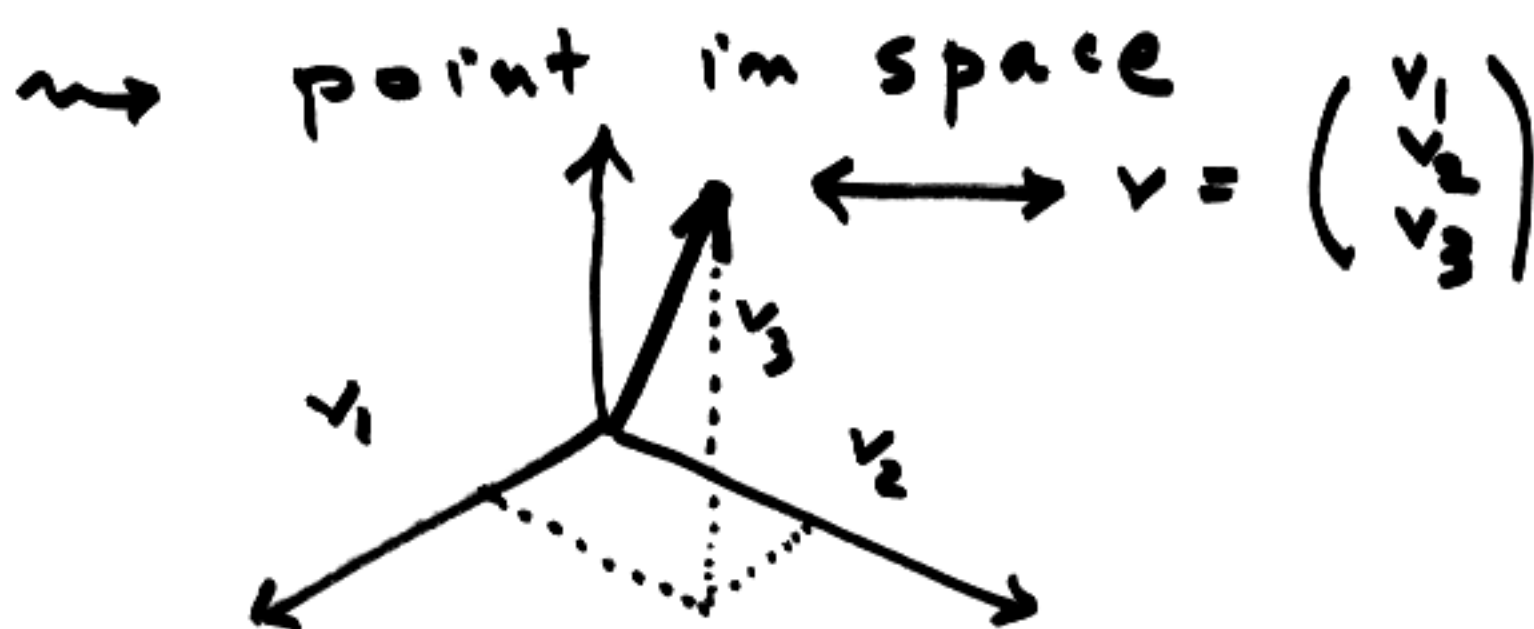
a_{ij} numbers

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & a_{14} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & \dots & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & \dots & \dots & a_{mn} \end{pmatrix}$$

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vectors: $v = \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \end{pmatrix}$

$n=3$ $v = \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \end{pmatrix}$



$V = \{ \text{all } n\text{-diml vectors} \}$

A $n \times n$ matrix

$v \in V$ vector

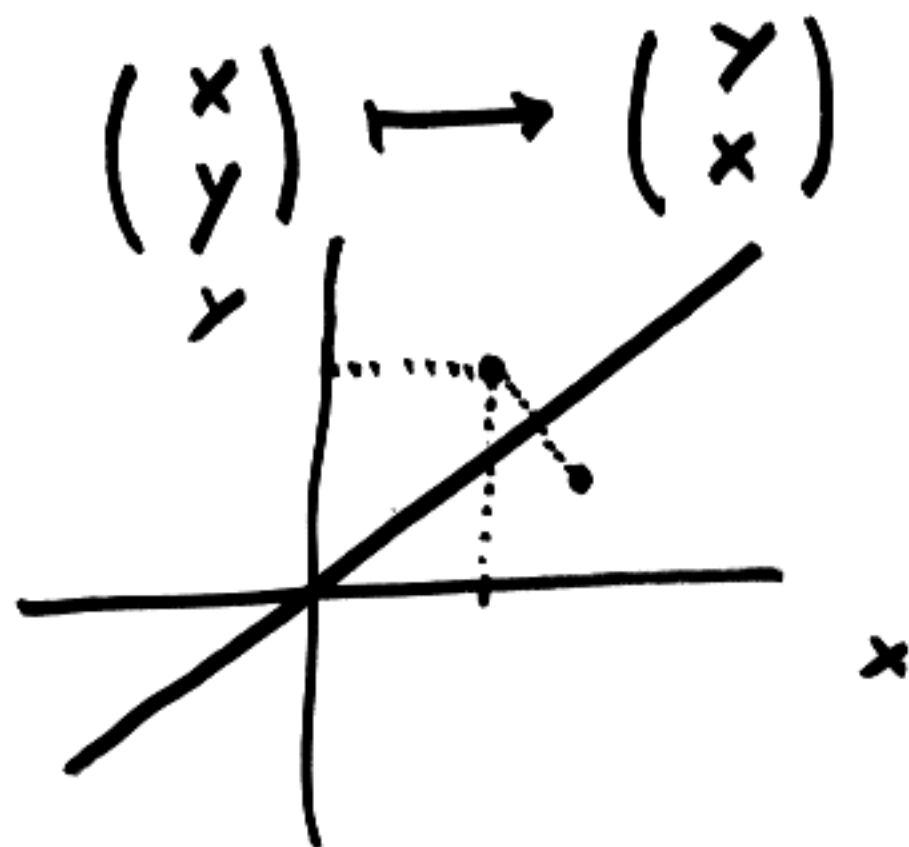
$\leadsto A \cdot v \in V$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \underline{n=2}$$

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$$A \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} y \\ x \end{pmatrix}$$

Effect of multiplication by A ?



I.e. A is the reflection through the $y=x$ line.

Identity

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

$$I_n = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$I_n \cdot v = v$$

$$\cdot \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = 2 I_2$$

$$A \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2x \\ 2y \end{pmatrix} = 2 \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$

scaling by two.

Scalars a , $av = \begin{pmatrix} av_1 \\ av_2 \\ \vdots \\ av_n \end{pmatrix}$

Rotations can also be written in terms of matrices.

Features of transformation

$$v \mapsto Av$$

= linear transformation

$$\cdot \quad A \cdot (av) = a(Av)$$

$$\cdot \quad A \cdot (u+v) = Au + Av$$

$$\cdot \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x+y \\ x+y \end{pmatrix}$$

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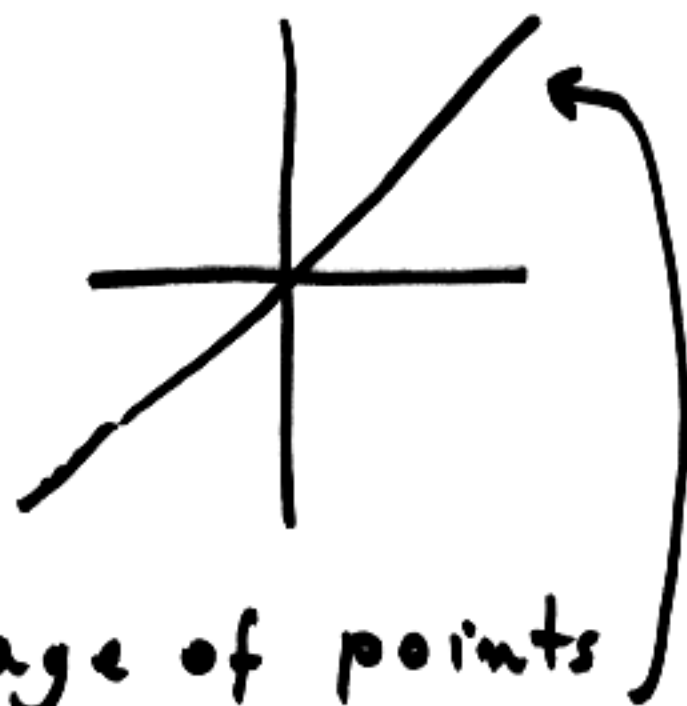
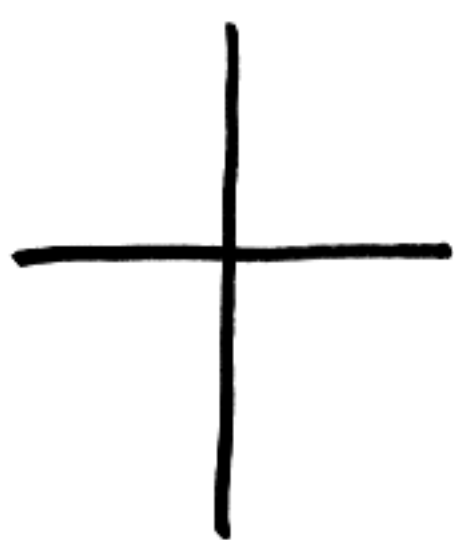


Image of points
is on this line

$$A \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

this system of equations not always
has a solution. If $a \neq b$ we
have no solution. If $a = b$
we can solve it

$$A \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x+y \\ x+y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ a \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{cases} x+y=a \\ x+y=a \end{cases} \rightarrow \boxed{x+y=a}$$

To solve: Pick any x and set
 $y = a - x$

system

$$\boxed{Av = u}$$

$$v = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$

$$u = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

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• No solution

unless $u = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ a \end{pmatrix}$

• If $u = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ a \end{pmatrix}$ then it has a lot of solutions.

all solutions: $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ a-x \end{pmatrix}$

For $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ situation is different.

$$\begin{pmatrix} y \\ x \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$y = a$$

$$x = b$$

$$\text{Solution: } \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} b \\ a \end{pmatrix}$$

Every $\begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$ has a unique solution.

Say A is invertible if ⑧
it has an inverse

$$A^{-1} \cdot A = A \cdot A^{-1} = I_n$$

In this case

~~Au~~ $Av = u$

can be solved by multiplying
by A^{-1} .

$$A^{-1}(Av) = A^{-1} \cdot u$$

$$(A^{-1}A)v = A^{-1}u$$

$$\boxed{v = A^{-1}u}$$

Unique solution for each choice of
 u .

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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

- How do we determine if a matrix
 A has an inverse?

There is a number called the ①
determinant of A $\det(A)$

A is invertible $\Leftrightarrow \det(A) \neq 0$

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

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ad - bc & 0 \\ 0 & ad - bc \end{pmatrix}$$
$$= \det(A) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- If $\det(A) \neq 0$ then

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(A)} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix}$$

$$AA^* = \det(A) \cdot I_2$$

- If $\det(A) = 0$ then $AA^* = 0$

if A had an inverse

$$A^{-1}(AA^*) = 0$$

$$(A^{-1}A)A^* = A^* \quad \text{not the case}$$