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Week 12

1 Week 12. Transformations

1.1 Transformations of the plane

Definition 1.1. An affine transformation of the plane is a mapping

$$L : \mathbb{R}^2 \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^2, L(x, y) = (ax + by + c, dx + ey + f), \quad (1.1)$$

for some constant real numbers a, b, c, d, e, f .

The affine transformation (1.1) can be equally described by means of its equations

$$\begin{cases} x' = ax + by + c \\ y' = dx + ey + f. \end{cases}$$

By using the matrix language, the action of the map L can be written in the form

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ d & e \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} c \\ f \end{pmatrix},$$

or, equivalently

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}. \quad (1.2)$$

In order to point out the theoretical background behind representations of type (1.2), we identify the points $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ with the points $(x, y, 1) \in \mathbb{R}^3$ and even with the punctured lines of \mathbb{R}^3 , (rx, ry, r) , $r \in \mathbb{R}^*$. Due to technical reasons we shall actually identify the points $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ with the punctured lines of \mathbb{R}^3 represented in the form

$$\begin{pmatrix} rx \\ ry \\ r \end{pmatrix}, r \in \mathbb{R}^*,$$

and the latter ones we shall call *homogeneous coordinates* of the point $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$. The set of homogeneous coordinates (x, y, w) will be denoted by \mathbb{RP}^2 and call it the *real projective plane*. The homogeneous coordinates $(x, y, w) \in \mathbb{RP}^2$, $w \neq 0$ și $(\frac{x}{w}, \frac{y}{w}, 1)$ represent the same element of \mathbb{RP}^2 .

Observation 1.2. The projective plane \mathbb{RP}^2 is actually the quotient set $(\mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}) / \sim$, where $' \sim'$ is the following equivalence relation on $\mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}$:

$$(x, y, w) \sim (\alpha, \beta, \gamma) \Leftrightarrow \exists r \in \mathbb{R}^* \text{ a.î. } (x, y, w) = r(\alpha, \beta, \gamma).$$

Observe that the equivalence classes of the equivalence relation \sim' are the punctured lines of \mathbb{R}^3 through the origin without the origin itself, i.e. the elements of the real projective plane \mathbb{RP}^2 . Such an equivalence class of

$$(x, y, w) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \text{ will be denoted by } [x, y, w] \text{ or by } \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ w \end{bmatrix}.$$

Definition 1.3. A projective transformation is a linear transformation of \mathbb{R}^3 , say

$$L : \mathbb{R}^3 \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^3, L \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ w \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & k \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ w \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ax + by + cw \\ dx + ey + fw \\ gx + hy + kw \end{pmatrix}, \quad (1.3)$$

where $a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, k \in \mathbb{R}$, which maps the lines through the origin onto lines (obviously through the origin).

For example the linear invertible transformations $L : \mathbb{R}^3 \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ have such a property and they might be restricted as $L : \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\} \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\}$. Note that such a linear map induces a map $p \circ L : \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\} \longrightarrow \mathbb{RP}^2$, where $p : \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \{0\} \longrightarrow \mathbb{RP}^2$ stands for the canonical projection. Also $p \circ L$ maps every punctured line through the origin onto the same element of \mathbb{RP}^2 , which shows that $p \circ L$ induces a map $\tilde{L} : \mathbb{R}^3 \longrightarrow \mathbb{RP}^2$ of the projective plane \mathbb{RP}^2 . We shall denote \tilde{L} by L and call it a *projective transformation of \mathbb{RP}^2* . In other words the transformation

$$L : \mathbb{RP}^2 \longrightarrow \mathbb{RP}^2, L \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ w \end{bmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & k \end{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ w \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ax + by + cw \\ dx + ey + fw \\ gx + hy + kw \end{bmatrix}, \quad (1.4)$$

is well defined, as and will be denoted by L . Indeed,

$$L \begin{pmatrix} rx \\ ry \\ rw \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} arx + bry + crw \\ drx + ery + frw \\ grx + hry + krw \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} r(ax + by + cw) \\ r(dx + ey + fw) \\ r(gx + hy + kw) \end{pmatrix}.$$

The projective transformation L is completely determined by its *homogeneous transformation matrix*

$$[L] = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & k \end{pmatrix}.$$

If $g = h = 0$ and $k = 1$, then the projective transformation (1.4) is said to be *affine*. The restriction of the affine transformation (1.4), which corresponds to the situation $g = h = 0$ and $k = 1$, to the subspace $w = 1$, has the form

$$L \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ax + by + cw \\ dx + ey + fw \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad (1.5)$$

i.e.

$$\begin{cases} x' = ax + by + c \\ y' = dx + ey + f. \end{cases} \quad (1.6)$$

and it induces a transformation $L : \mathbb{RP}^2 \setminus \mathbb{RP}_{xy}^1 \longrightarrow \mathbb{RP}^2 \setminus \mathbb{RP}_{xy}^1$

$$L \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ax + by + cw \\ dx + ey + fw \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad (1.7)$$

where \mathbb{RP}_{xy}^1 stands for collection of all equivalence classes $[x, y, 0]$ of \mathbb{RP}^2 . Note that the linear transformation (1.5) behaves on $\mathbb{R}^3 \setminus xOy$ as a projective application, even when the homogeneous matrix transformation

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

is not invertible, i.e. every punctured line through the origin of $\mathbb{R}^3 \setminus xOy$ is mapped onto a punctured line (obviously through the origine) in $\mathbb{R}^3 \setminus xOy$.

Observation 1.4. If $L_1, L_2 : \mathbb{RP}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{RP}^2$ are two projective applications, then their product (concatenation) transformation $L_1 \circ L_2$ is also a projective transformation and its homogeneous transformation matrix is the product of the homogeneous transformation matrices of L_1 and L_2 .

Indeed, if

$$L_1 \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ w \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ d_1 & e_1 & f_1 \\ g_1 & h_1 & k_1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ w \end{pmatrix}$$

and

$$L_2 \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ w \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ d_2 & e_2 & f_2 \\ g_2 & h_2 & k_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ w \end{pmatrix}$$

then

$$(L_1 \circ L_2) \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ w \end{pmatrix} = \left(\begin{pmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ d_1 & e_1 & f_1 \\ g_1 & h_1 & k_1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_2 & b_2 & c_2 \\ d_2 & e_2 & f_2 \\ g_2 & h_2 & k_2 \end{pmatrix} \right) \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ w \end{pmatrix}$$

Observation 1.5. If $L_1, L_2 : \mathbb{RP}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{RP}^2$ are two affine applications, then their product $L_1 \circ L_2$ is also an affine transformation.

Proposition 1.6. If $(aB - bA)^2 + (dB - eA)^2 > 0$, then the affine transformation (1.1) maps the line $(d) Ax + By + C = 0$ to the line

$$(eA - dB)x + (aB - bA)y + (bf - ce)A - (af - cd)B + (ae - bd)C = 0.$$

If $aB - bA = dB - eA = 0$, then $ae - bd = 0$ and L is the constant map $\left(\frac{cB-bC}{B}, \frac{fB-eC}{B} \right)$.

Definition 1.7. An affine transformation (1.1) is said to be singular if

$$\begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ d & e \end{vmatrix} = 0 \text{ i.e. } ae - bd = 0.$$

and non-singular otherwise.

Note that the affine transformation L is nonsingular if and only if it is invertible. In such a case the inverse L^{-1} is a non-singular affine transformation and $[L^{-1}] = [L]^{-1}$.

1.2 Examples of affine transformations

1.2.1 Translations

Definition 1.8. The translation of vector $(h, k) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ is the affine transformation

$$T(h, k) : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2, (T(h, k))(x, y) = (x + h, y + k).$$

Its equations are

$$\begin{cases} x' = x + h \\ y' = y + k \end{cases},$$

or, by using the matrix language and the homogeneous coordinates

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} h \\ k \end{pmatrix} \text{ i.e. } \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & h \\ 0 & 1 & k \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

which shows that the homogeneous matrix transformation is

$$[T(h, k)] = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & h \\ 0 & 1 & k \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Note that the translation $T(h, k)$ is non-singular (invertible) and $(T(h, k))^{-1} = T(-h, -k)$.

1.2.2 Scaling about the origin

Definition 1.9. The scaling about the origin by non-zero scaling factors $(s_x, s_y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ is the affine transformation

$$S(s_x, s_y) : \mathbb{R}^2 \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^2, (S(s_x, s_y))(x, y) = (s_x \cdot x, s_y \cdot y).$$

Its equations are

$$\begin{cases} x' = s_x \cdot x \\ y' = s_y \cdot y \end{cases},$$

or, by using the matrix language and the homogeneous coordinates

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} s_x & 0 \\ 0 & s_y \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ i.e. } \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} s_x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

which shows that the homogeneous matrix transformation is

$$[S(s_x, s_y)] = \begin{pmatrix} s_x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Note that the scaling about the origin by non-zero scaling factors $(s_x, s_y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ is non-singular (invertible) and $(S(s_x, s_y))^{-1} = S(s_x^{-1}, s_y^{-1})$.

The scaling $S_P(s_x, s_y)$ by non-zero scaling factors $(s_x, s_y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ about an arbitrary point $P(x_0, y_0)$ acts in a similar way as $S(s_x, s_y)$, but the role of the origin is played by P . Thus

$$S_P(s_x, s_y) = T(x_0, y_0) \circ S(s_x, s_y) \circ T(-x_0, -y_0),$$

i.e. its homogeneous transformation matrix is

$$[S_P(s_x, s_y)] = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & x_0 \\ 0 & 1 & y_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} s_x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -x_0 \\ 0 & 1 & -y_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} s_x & 0 & (1-s_x)x_0 \\ 0 & s_y & (1-s_y)y_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

1.2.3 Reflections

Definition 1.10. The reflections about the x -axis and the y -axis respectively are the affine transformation

$$r_x, r_y : \mathbb{R}^2 \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^2, r_x(x, y) = (x, -y), r_y = (-x, y).$$

Their equations are

$$r_x : \begin{cases} x' = x \\ y' = -y \end{cases} \text{ and } r_y : \begin{cases} x' = -x \\ y' = y \end{cases}$$

or, by using the matrix language and the homogeneous coordinates

$$r_x : \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } r_y : \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \text{ i.e.}$$

$$r_x : \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } r_y : \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

which shows that the homogeneous matrices transformations are

$$[r_x] = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } (r_y) = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Note that $r_x = S(1, -1)$ and $r_y = S(-1, 1)$. Thus the two reflections are non-singular (invertible) and $r_x^{-1} = r_x, r_y^{-1} = r_y$.

Definition 1.11. The reflection $r_l : \mathbb{R}^2 \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ about the line l maps a given point M to the point M' defined by the property that l is the perpendicular bisector of the segment MM' . One can show that the action of the reflection about the line $l : ax + by + c = 0$ is

$$r_l(x, y) = \left(\frac{b^2 - a^2}{a^2 + b^2}x - \frac{2ab}{a^2 + b^2}y - \frac{2ac}{a^2 + b^2}, -\frac{2ab}{a^2 + b^2}x + \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2 + b^2}y - \frac{2bc}{a^2 + b^2} \right).$$

Its equations are

$$\begin{cases} x' = \frac{b^2 - a^2}{a^2 + b^2}x - \frac{2ab}{a^2 + b^2}y - \frac{2ac}{a^2 + b^2} \\ y' = -\frac{2ab}{a^2 + b^2}x + \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2 + b^2}y - \frac{2bc}{a^2 + b^2} \end{cases},$$

or, by using the matrix language and the homogeneous coordinates

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{b^2 - a^2}{a^2 + b^2} & -\frac{2ab}{a^2 + b^2} \\ -\frac{2ab}{a^2 + b^2} & \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2 + b^2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} \frac{2ac}{a^2 + b^2} \\ \frac{2bc}{a^2 + b^2} \end{pmatrix} \text{ i.e.}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{b^2 - a^2}{a^2 + b^2} & -\frac{2ab}{a^2 + b^2} & -\frac{2ac}{a^2 + b^2} \\ -\frac{2ab}{a^2 + b^2} & \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2 + b^2} & -\frac{2bc}{a^2 + b^2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

which shows that the homogeneous matrix transformation is

$$[r_l] = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{b^2 - a^2}{a^2 + b^2} & -\frac{2ab}{a^2 + b^2} & -\frac{2ac}{a^2 + b^2} \\ -\frac{2ab}{a^2 + b^2} & \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2 + b^2} & -\frac{2bc}{a^2 + b^2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{a^2 + b^2} \begin{pmatrix} b^2 - a^2 & -2ab & -2ac \\ -2ab & a^2 - b^2 & -2bc \\ 0 & 0 & a^2 + b^2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Note that the reflection r_l is non-singular (invertible) and $r_l^{-1} = r_l$.

1.2.4 Rotations

Definition 1.12. The rotation $\text{rot}_\theta : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ about the origin through an angle θ maps a point $M(x, y)$ into a point $M'(x', y')$ with the properties that the segments $[OM]$ and $[OM']$ are congruent and the $m(\widehat{MOM'}) = \theta$. If $\theta > 0$ the rotation is supposed to be anticlockwise and for $\theta < 0$ the rotation is clockwise. If $(x, y) = (r \cos \varphi, r \sin \varphi)$, then the coordinates of the rotated point are $(r \cos(\theta + \varphi), r \sin(\theta + \varphi)) = (x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta, x \sin \theta + y \cos \theta)$, i.e.

$$\text{rot}_\theta = (x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta, x \sin \theta + y \cos \theta).$$

Its equations are

$$\begin{cases} x' = x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta \\ y' = x \sin \theta + y \cos \theta \end{cases},$$

or, by using the matrix language and the homogeneous coordinates

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \text{ i.e. } \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta & 0 \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

which shows that the homogeneous matrix transformation is

$$[\text{rot}_\theta] = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta & 0 \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Note that the rotation rot_θ is non-singular (invertible) and $\text{rot}_\theta^{-1} = \text{rot}_{-\theta}$.

The rotation $\text{rot}_\theta(P)$ about an arbitrary point $P(x_0, y_0)$ acts in a similar way as rot_θ , but the role of the origin is played by P . Thus $\text{rot}_\theta(P) = T(x_0, y_0) \circ \text{rot}_\theta \circ T(-x_0, -y_0)$, i.e. its homogeneous transformation matrix is

$$\begin{aligned} [\text{rot}_\theta(P)] &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & x_0 \\ 0 & 1 & y_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta & 0 \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -x_0 \\ 0 & 1 & -y_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta & x_0(1 - \cos \theta) + y_0 \sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta & -x_0 \sin \theta + y_0(1 - \cos \theta) \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

1.2.5 Shears

Definition 1.13. Given a fixed direction in the plane specified by a unit vector $v = (v_1, v_2)$, consider the lines d with direction v and the oriented distance d from the origin. The shear about the origin of factor r in the direction v is defined to be the transformation which maps a point $M(x, y)$ on d to the point $M' = M + rdv$. The equation of the line through M of direction v is

$$v_2X - v_1Y + (v_1y - v_2x) = 0.$$

The oriented distance from the origin to this line is $v_1y - v_2x$. Thus the action of the shear $Sh(v, r) : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ about the origin of factor r in the direction v is

$$\begin{aligned} Sh(v, r)(x, y) &= (x, y) + rd(v_1, v_2) \\ &= (x, y) + (r(v_1y - v_2x)v_1, r(v_1y - v_2x)v_2) \\ &= (x, y) + (-rv_1v_2x + rv_1^2y, -rv_2^2x + rv_1v_2y) \\ &= ((1 - rv_1v_2)x + rv_1^2y, -rv_2^2x + (1 + rv_1v_2)y) \end{aligned}$$

Its equations are

$$\begin{cases} x' = (1 - rv_1v_2)x + rv_1^2y \\ y' = -rv_2^2x + (1 + rv_1v_2)y \end{cases}$$

or, by using the matrix language and the homogeneous coordinates

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - rv_1v_2 & rv_1^2 \\ -rv_2^2 & 1 + rv_1v_2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \text{ i.e. } \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - rv_1v_2 & rv_1^2 & 0 \\ -rv_2^2 & 1 + rv_1v_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

which shows that the homogeneous matrix transformation is

$$[Sh(v, r)(x, y)] = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - rv_1v_2 & rv_1^2 & 0 \\ -rv_2^2 & 1 + rv_1v_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The shear $Sh_P(v, r)$ about an arbitrary point $P(x_0, y_0)$ of factor r in the direction v acts in a similar way as $Sh(v, r)$, but the role of the origin is played by P . Thus $Sh_P(v, r) = T(x_0, y_0) \circ Sh(v, r) \circ T(-x_0, -y_0)$, i.e. its homogeneous transformation matrix is

$$\begin{aligned} [Sh_P(v, r)] &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & x_0 \\ 0 & 1 & y_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 - rv_1v_2 & rv_1^2 & 0 \\ -rv_2^2 & 1 + rv_1v_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -x_0 \\ 0 & 1 & -y_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 - rv_1v_2 & rv_1^2 & rv_1(x_0v_2 - y_0v_1) \\ -rv_2^2 & 1 + rv_1v_2 & rv_2(x_0v_2 - y_0v_1) \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

1.3 Problems

1. Consider a quadrilateral with vertices $A(1, 1)$, $B(3, 1)$, $C(2, 2)$, and $D(1.5, 3)$. Find the image quadrilaterals through the translation $T(1, 2)$, the scaling $S(2, 2.5)$, the reflections about the x and y -axes, the clockwise and anticlockwise rotations through the angle $\pi/2$ and the shear $Sh\left(\left(2/\sqrt{5}, 1/\sqrt{5}\right), 1.5\right)$.

2. Find the concatenation (product) of an anticlockwise rotation about the origin through an angle of $\frac{3\pi}{2}$ followed by a scaling by a factor of 3 units in the x -direction and 2 units in the y -direction. (Hint: $S(3, 2)R_{3\pi/2}$)
3. Find the homogeneous matrix of the product (concatenation) $S(3, 2) \circ R_{\frac{3\pi}{2}}$.
4. Find the equations of the rotation $R_\theta(x_0, y_0)$ about the point $M_0(x_0, y_0)$ through an angle θ .
5. Show that the concatenation (product) of two rotations, the first through an angle θ about a point $P(x_0, y_0)$ and the second about a point $Q(x_1, y_1)$ (distinct from P) through an angle $-\theta$ is a translation.

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