# Artin Algebra

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# 1 Introduction

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# 2 matrix

## 2.1 matrix multiplication

## Definition

M(T):matrix of a linear map; notation: $M(T,(v_1,\cdots,v_n),(w_1,\cdots,w_m))$ 

$$Tv_k = A_{1,k}w_1 + \cdots + A_{m,k}w_m$$

$$A_{m,n} = \begin{pmatrix} A_{1,1} & A_{1,2} & \cdots & A_{1,n} \\ A_{2,1} & A_{2,2} & \cdots & A_{2,n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ A_{m,1} & A_{m,2} & \cdots & A_{m,n} \end{pmatrix}$$

for  $A = M(T, (u_1, \dots, u_p), (v_1, \dots, v_n)), C = M(S, (v_1, \dots, v_n), (w_1, \dots, w_m))$ , thus A is a n by p matrix, and C is a m by n matrix. We can derive the form of Matrix multiplication via mapping as followed:

$$(CA)u_k = C(Au_k) \tag{1}$$

$$= C(A_{1,k}v_1 + \dots + A_{n,k}v_n) \tag{2}$$

$$= A_{1,k}Cv_1 + \dots + A_{n,k}Cv_n \tag{3}$$

$$=\sum_{i=1}^{n} A_{i,k} C v_i \tag{4}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{n} A_{i,k} \sum_{j=1}^{m} C_{j,i} w_j$$
 (5)

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{m} \sum_{i=1}^{n} A_{i,k} C_{j,i} w_j \tag{6}$$

then we get  $(CA)_{j,k} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} C_{j,i} A_{i,k}$ 

# 2.2 upper triangle matrix

# 3 Groups

# 3.1 Groups and subgroups

### 3.1.1 group

#### Group

A group is a set together with a law of composition that has the following properties:

- $\forall a, b, c \in G, (ab)c = a(bc)$
- $\exists 1 \in G, \forall a \in G, \text{ s.t. } a1 = 1a = a$
- $\forall a \in G, \exists b \in G, \text{ s.t.}, ab = ba = 1$

order of group it's the number of elements it contains.

$$|G| = number of elements$$

Here are some intuition for associative law:

$$T \xrightarrow{f} T \xrightarrow{g} T \xrightarrow{h} T \longleftrightarrow g \xrightarrow{g \circ f} T \xrightarrow{h} T \longleftrightarrow g \xrightarrow{g \circ f} T \xrightarrow{h \circ g} T \xrightarrow{h$$

#### Law of Cancellation

a, b, 
$$c \in G$$
, if  $ab = ac$  or  $ba = ca$ , then  $b = c$  if  $ab = b$  or  $ba = b$ , then  $a = 1$ 

It needs to be mentioned that a must be invertible.

### 3.1.2 permutation

#### permutation

A permutation of a set S is a bijective map p from a set S to itself:

$$p:S\to S$$

for example, p is a permutation over set  $\{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ :

i	1	2	3	4	5
p(i)	3	5	4	1	2

Since p(3) = 4, P(4) = 1, p(1) = 3, we have  $(3 \ 4 \ 1)$ . Similarly, we have  $(2 \ 5)$ . Thus we can write P as  $(2 \ 5)$ ,  $(3 \ 4 \ 1)$ .

The product of 2 perturbations can be written as:  $qp = [(1 \ 4 \ 5 \ 2)] \circ [(2 \ 5)(3 \ 4 \ 1)] = (3 \ 5 \ 1)$ . (hint:  $qp(3) = q(3) \circ p(3)$ , for p 3  $\rightarrow$  4, for q 4  $\rightarrow$  5, thus for pq, 3  $\rightarrow$  5)

#### 3.1.3 symmetric group

#### symmetric group

The group of permutations of the set of indices  $\{1,2,\cdots n\}$  , denoted by  $S_n$ 

Attention, a symmetric group is a group of mapping, working on a set of mapping.

In  $S_2$ , one of elements(2!) must be 1, then we call it  $\{1, g\}$ , then we have a table gg, 1g g1 g1 g1 only gg is not defined. Assume gg = g, then according to law of cancellation, we have g = 1, it's forbidden, thus we only have gg = 1.

In  $S_3$ , let  $x = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $y = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ , then we have:

$$x^3 = 1$$
  $y^2 = 1$   $yx = x^2y$   $xy = yx^2$  (7)

thus we can eliminate some perturbations and get all of them in a distinctive way:

$$S_3 = \{1, x, x, x^2, y, xy, x^2y\}$$
(8)

This is an important example, since  $xy \neq yx$ , it's the smallest group whose law of composition is not commutative.

#### 3.1.4 Subgroup

### subgroup

A subset H of group G is a subgroup if it has the following properties:

• Closure: If a and b are in H, then ab are in H

• Identity: 1 is in H

• Inverse: if a is in H then  $a^-1$  is in H