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Linear Algebra  
review (optional)

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Matrices and  
vectors

**Matrix:** Rectangular array of numbers:

Dimension of matrix: number of rows x number of columns

## Matrix Elements (entries of matrix)

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1402 & 191 \\ 1371 & 821 \\ 949 & 1437 \\ 147 & 1448 \end{bmatrix}$$

$A_{ij} =$  “ $i, j$  entry” in the  $i^{th}$  row,  $j^{th}$  column.

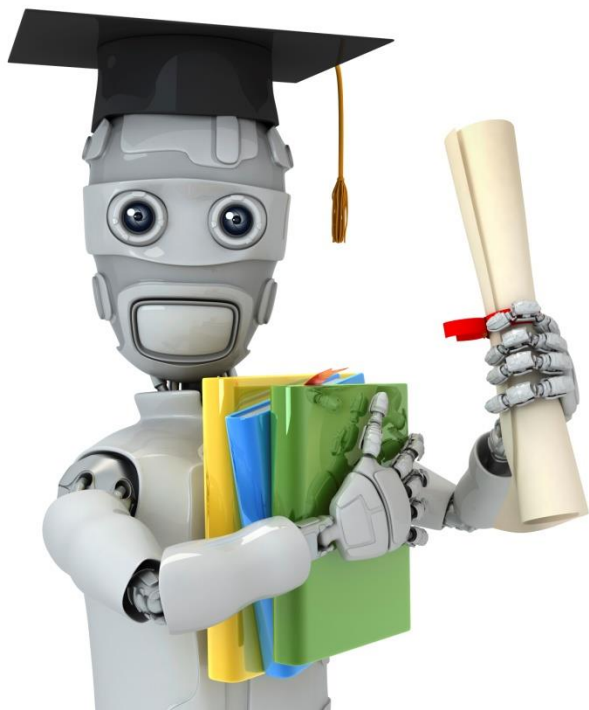
**Vector:** An  $n \times 1$  matrix.

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 460 \\ 232 \\ 315 \\ 178 \end{bmatrix}$$

$y_i = i^{th}$  element

1-indexed vs 0-indexed:

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \\ y_4 \end{bmatrix} \qquad y = \begin{bmatrix} y_0 \\ y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \end{bmatrix}$$



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## Addition and scalar multiplication

# Matrix Addition

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0.5 \\ 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0.5 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} =$$

# Scalar Multiplication

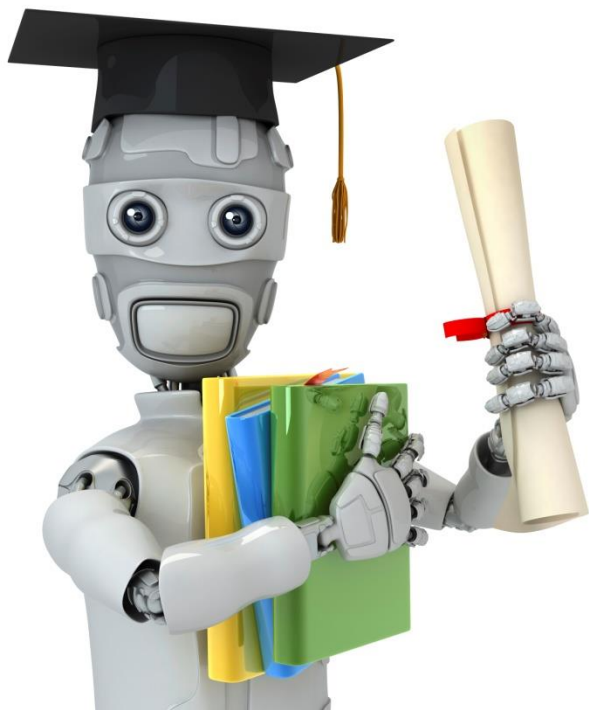
$$3 \times \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 6 & 3 \end{bmatrix} / 4 =$$

# Combination of Operands

$$3 \times \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} / 3$$





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## Matrix-vector multiplication

# Example

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 4 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} =$$

## Details:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \times & x \\ \left[ \begin{array}{c} \\ \\ \end{array} \right] & \times & \left[ \begin{array}{c} \\ \\ \end{array} \right] \\ \text{m x n matrix} & & \text{n x 1 matrix} \\ \text{(m rows,} & & \text{(n-dimensional} \\ \text{n columns)} & & \text{vector)} \\ & & \text{m-dimensional} \\ & & \text{vector} \end{array} = y = \left[ \begin{array}{c} \\ \\ \end{array} \right]$$

To get  $y_i$ , multiply  $A$ 's  $i^{th}$  row with elements of vector  $x$ , and add them up.

# Example

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 3 & 0 & 4 \\ -1 & -2 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} =$$

House sizes:

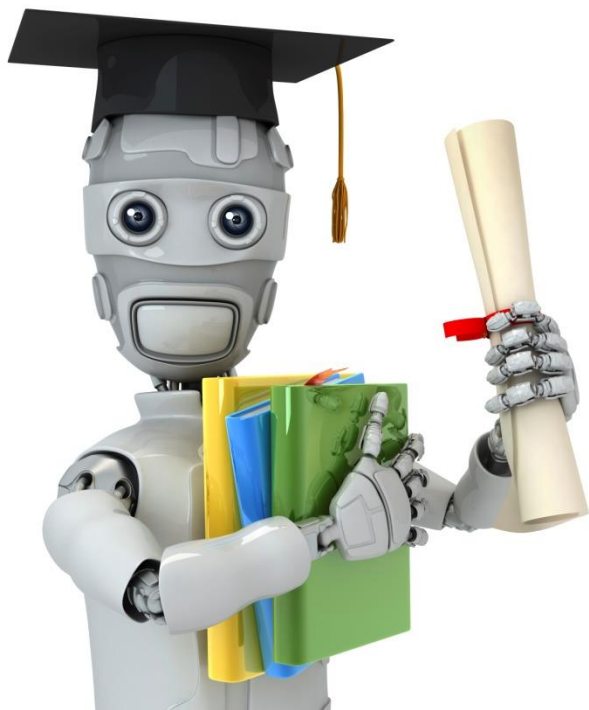
2104

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$$h_{\theta}(x) = -40 + 0.25x$$



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## Matrix-matrix multiplication

## Example

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 4 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 4 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 2 \\ 4 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} =$$

## Details:

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} A & \times & B & = & C \\ \left[ \begin{array}{c} \phantom{0} \\ \phantom{0} \\ \phantom{0} \end{array} \right] & \times & \left[ \begin{array}{c} \phantom{0} \\ \phantom{0} \\ \phantom{0} \end{array} \right] & = & \left[ \begin{array}{c} \phantom{0} \\ \phantom{0} \\ \phantom{0} \end{array} \right] \\ \text{m x n matrix} & & \text{n x o matrix} & & \text{m x o matrix} \\ \text{(m rows,} & & \text{(n rows,} & & \\ \text{n columns)} & & \text{o columns)} & & \end{array}$$

The  $i^{th}$  column of the matrix  $C$  is obtained by multiplying  $A$  with the  $i^{th}$  column of  $B$ . (for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, o$ )



# Example

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} =$$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} =$$

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House sizes:

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Have 3 competing hypotheses:

1.  $h_{\theta}(x) = -40 + 0.25x$

2.  $h_{\theta}(x) = 200 + 0.1x$

3.  $h_{\theta}(x) = -150 + 0.4x$

Matrix

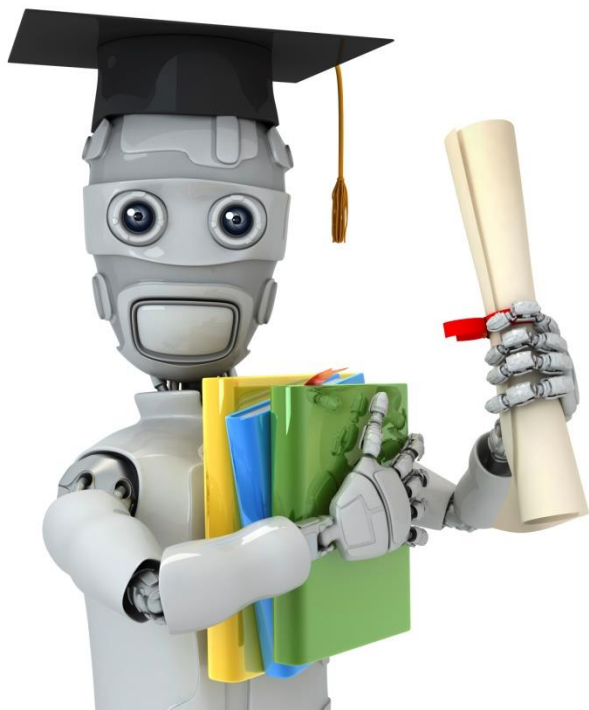
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2104 \\ 1 & 1416 \\ 1 & 1534 \\ 1 & 852 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\times$

Matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} -40 & 200 & -150 \\ 0.25 & 0.1 & 0.4 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 486 & 410 & 692 \\ 314 & 342 & 416 \\ 344 & 353 & 464 \\ 173 & 285 & 191 \end{bmatrix}$$



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## Matrix multiplication properties

Let  $A$  and  $B$  be matrices. Then in general,  
 $A \times B \neq B \times A$ . (not commutative.)

E.g.  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A \times B \times C.$$

Let  $D = B \times C$ . Compute  $A \times D$ .

Let  $E = A \times B$ . Compute  $E \times C$ .

# Identity Matrix

Denoted  $I$  (or  $I_{n \times n}$ ).

Examples of identity matrices:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

2 x 2

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

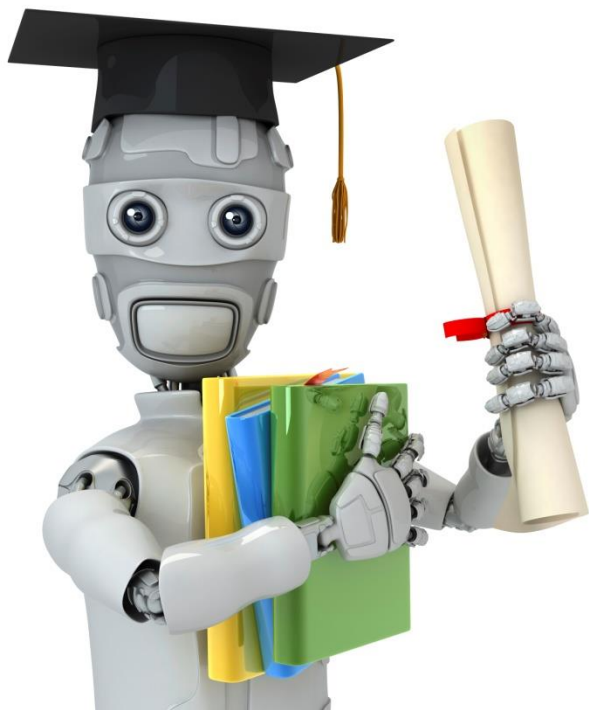
3 x 3

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

4 x 4

For any matrix  $A$ ,

$$A \cdot I = I \cdot A = A$$



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Inverse and  
transpose

Not all numbers have an inverse.

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**Matrix inverse:**

If  $A$  is an  $m \times m$  matrix, and if it has an inverse,

$$AA^{-1} = A^{-1}A = I.$$

Matrices that don't have an inverse are “singular” or “degenerate”



# Matrix Transpose

Example:  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 5 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$   $A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$

Let  $A$  be an  $m \times n$  matrix, and let  $B = A^T$ .

Then  $B$  is an  $n \times m$  matrix, and

$$B_{ij} = A_{ji}.$$