

# **Computer Vision**

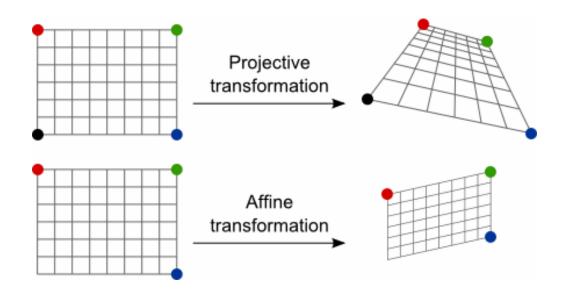
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#### Module-2:Lecture-8: Affine Transformations

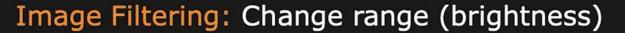
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## Affine and Projective Transformations

- ❖ An affine transformation is any transformation that preserves collinearity, parallelism as well as the ratio of distances between the points (e.g. midpoint of a line remains the midpoint after transformation).
  - ➤ All the geometric transformations such as translation, rotation, scaling, etc are all affine transformations as all the above properties are preserved in these transformations.
  - In simple terms, one can think of the affine transformation as a composition of rotation, translation, scaling, and shear.
  - ➤ Affine transformations preserve parallelism
  - ➤ It doesn't necessarily preserve distances and angles.
- ❖ A projective transformation shows how the perceived objects change as the observer's viewpoint changes.
  - > These transformations allow the creating of perspective distortion.
  - ➤ Projective transformations do not preserve parallelism, length, and angle.
  - A projective transformation can be represented as the transformation of an arbitrary quadrangle (that is a system of four points) into another one.



# Image Manipulation



$$g(x,y) = T_r(f(x,y))$$







Image Warping: Change domain (location)

$$g(x,y) = f\left(T_{\mathbf{d}}(x,y)\right)$$

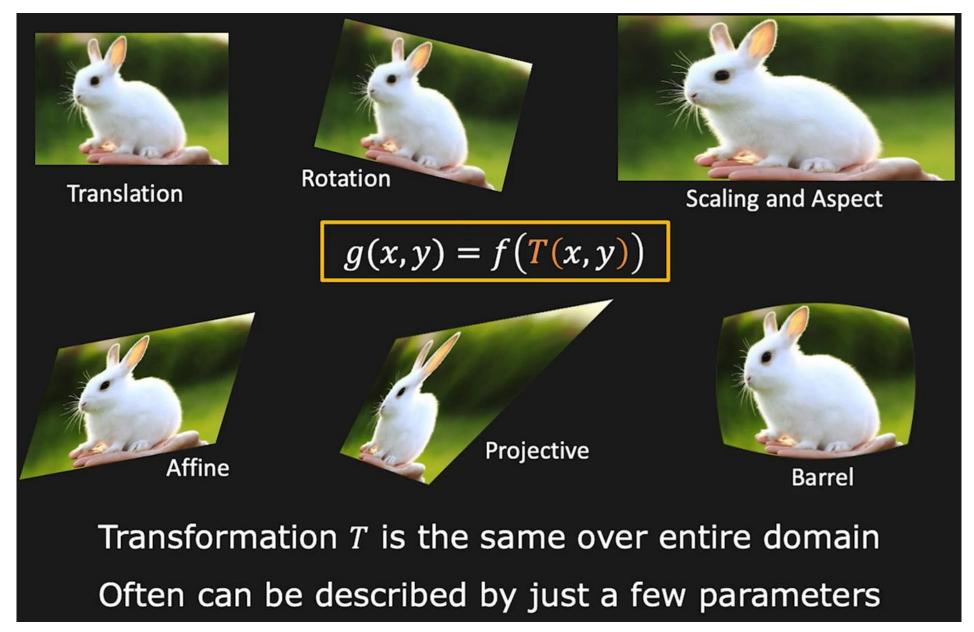
Transformation  $T_d$  is a coordinate changing operator



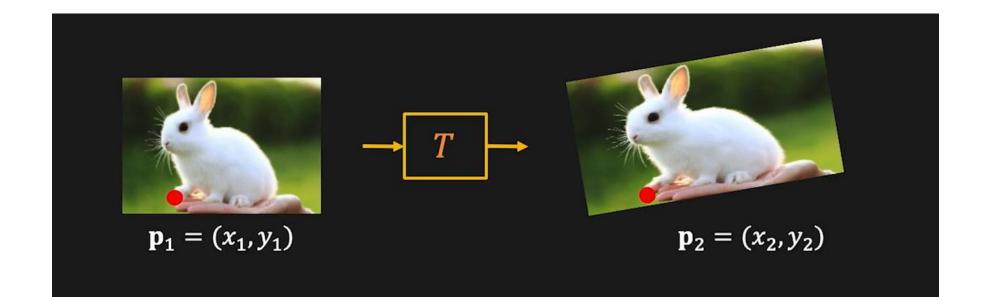
$$\rightarrow T_d$$



# Global Warping/Transformation



### 2x2 Linear Transformations

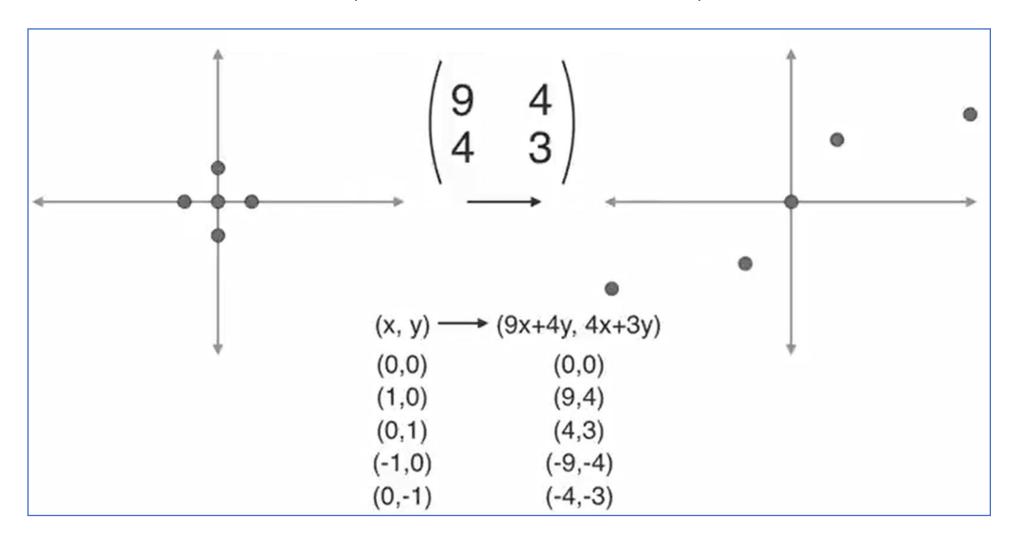


T can be represented by a matrix.

$$\mathbf{p}_2 = T\mathbf{p}_1 \qquad \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = T \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

## **Linear Transformations**

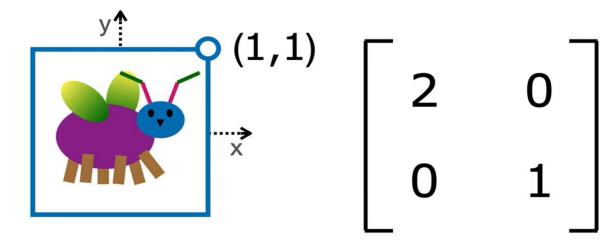
- ❖ A linear transformation is a function that maps one vector space into another and these transformations are often implemented by a matrix.
- A transformation is considered to be linear if it preserves vector addition and scalar multiplication.

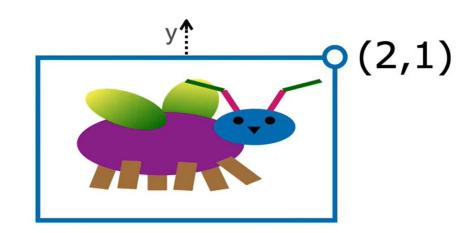


# **Image Transformation Example**

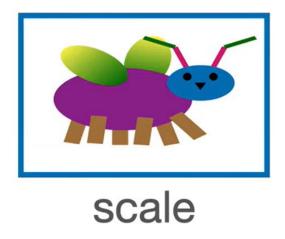
The following matrix helps the scale the image in X-direction

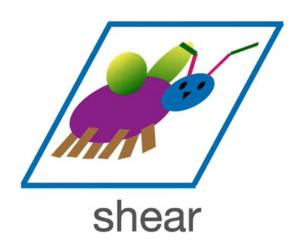
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



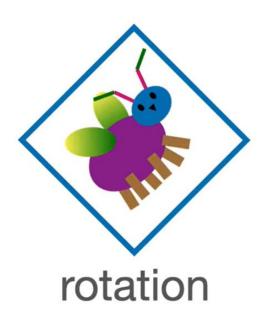


## **Affine Transformations**

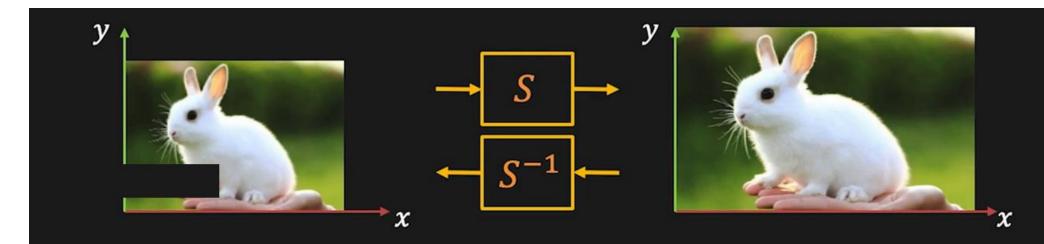








# Scaling (Stretching or Squishing)



#### Forward:

$$x_2 = ax_1 \qquad y_2 = by_1$$

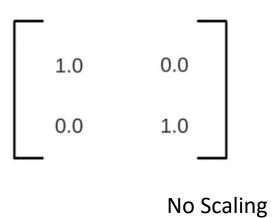
$$\begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = S \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

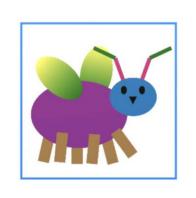
#### Inverse:

$$x_1 = \frac{1}{a}x_2 \qquad \qquad y_1 = \frac{1}{b}y_2$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix} = S^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/a & 0 \\ 0 & 1/b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Horizontal and Vertical Scaling



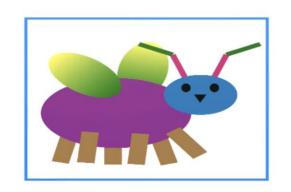


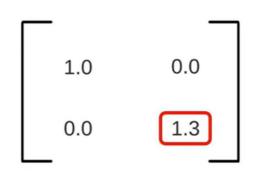


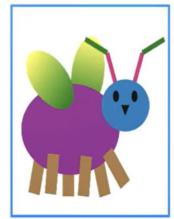


Horizontal Scaling = 1.1x









Horizontal Scaling = 1.5x

Vertical Scaling = 1.3x

## Skew





#### Horizontal Skew:

$$x_2 = x_1 + m_x y_1$$

$$y_2 = y_1$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = S_x \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & m_x \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

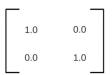
#### Vertical Skew:

$$x_2 = x_1$$

$$y_2 = m_y x_1 + y_1$$

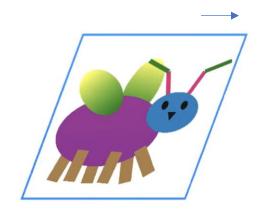
$$\begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = S_x \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ m_y & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

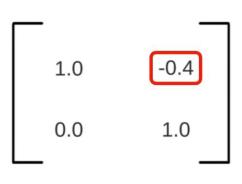
## Shear

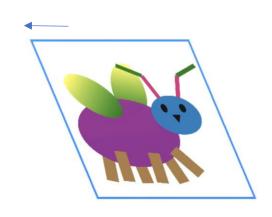






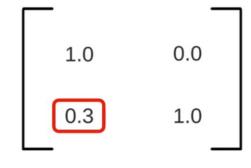


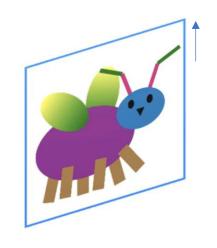




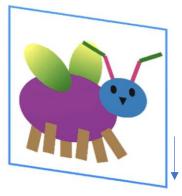
Horizontal Shear = 0.4

Horizontal Shear =- 0.4









Vertical Shear = 0.3

Vertical Shear = -0.1

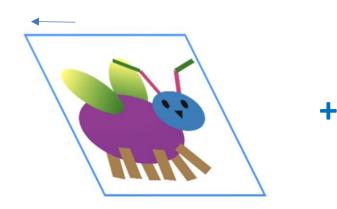
## Rotation

1.0 0.0

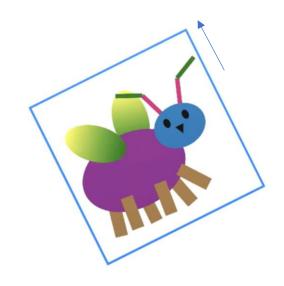


❖As two shear operations ( ← + \ )







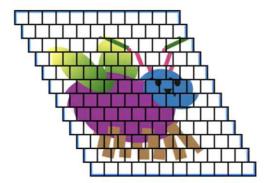


## Rotation: 2d rotation with 1d translation

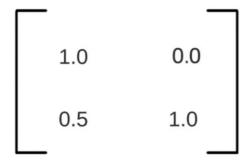
1.0 -0.5 0.0 1.0

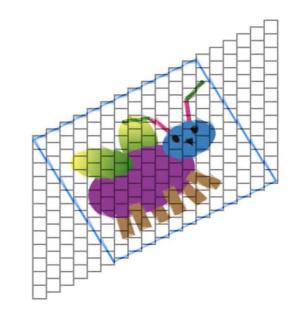


Translate each row by different amount

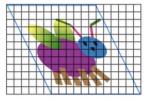


Then by Translate each column by different amount

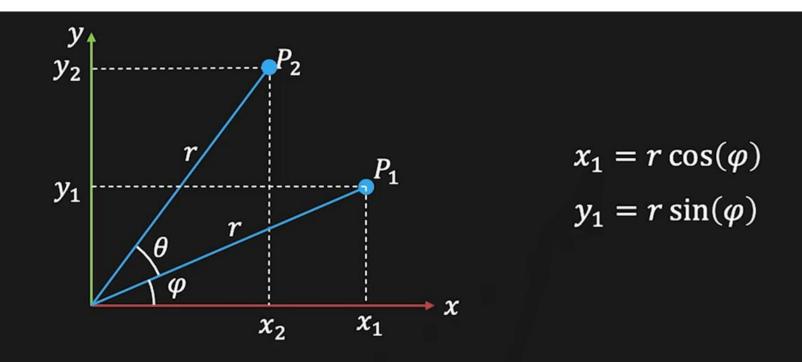






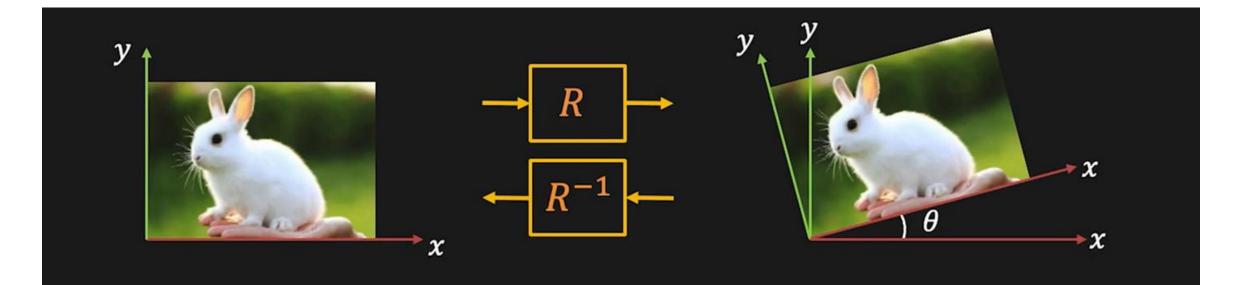


### 2D Rotation



$$x_2 = r\cos(\varphi + \theta)$$
  $y_2 = r\sin(\varphi + \theta)$   
 $x_2 = r\cos\varphi\cos\theta - r\sin\varphi\sin\theta$   $y_2 = r\cos\varphi\sin\theta + r\sin\varphi\cos\theta$   
 $x_2 = x_1\cos\theta - y_1\sin\theta$   $y_2 = x_1\sin\theta + y_1\cos\theta$ 

## 2D Rotation



#### Forward:

$$x_2 = x_1 cos\theta - y_1 sin\theta$$

$$y_2 = x_1 sin\theta + y_1 cos\theta$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = R \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix} = R^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & \sin\theta \\ -\sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{bmatrix}$$

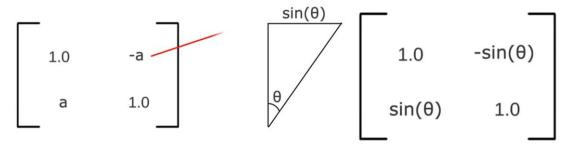
#### Inverse:

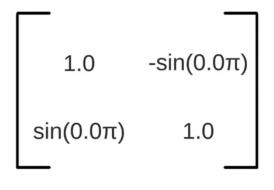
$$x_1 = x_2 cos\theta + y_2 sin\theta$$

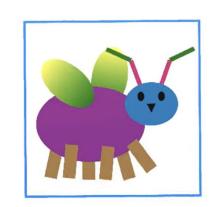
$$y_1 = -x_2 sin\theta + y_2 cos\theta$$

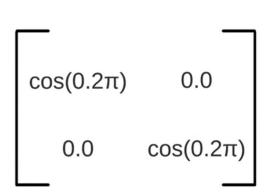
$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix} = R^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

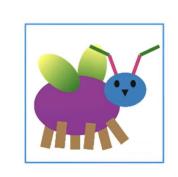
# Rotation using Sine and Cosine





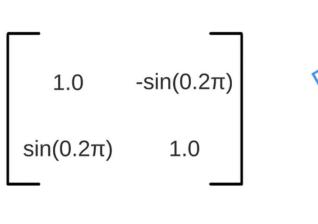


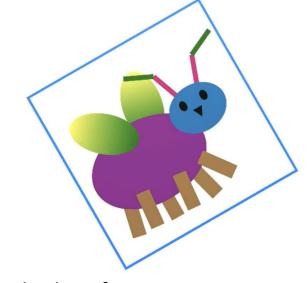


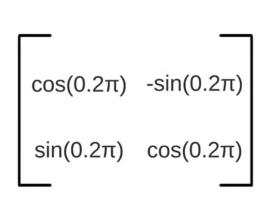


Original Image

Scales by a factor 1/x









Rotates by  $0.2\Pi$ 

## Mirror



#### Mirror about Y-axis:

$$x_2 = -x_1$$

$$y_2 = y_1$$

$$M_y = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

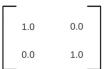
## Mirror about line y = x:

$$x_2 = y_1$$

$$y_2 = x_1$$

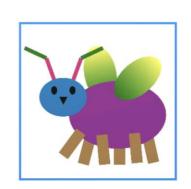
$$M_{xy} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

## Reflection









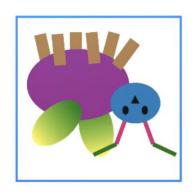
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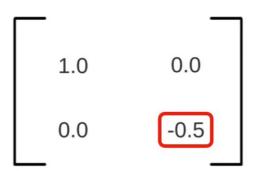


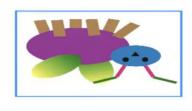
Reflection (around y axis)

Reflection(around y-axis) + [Horizontal Scaling = 0.5x]









Reflection (around x axis)

Reflection (around x-axis) + [Vertical Scaling = 0.5x]

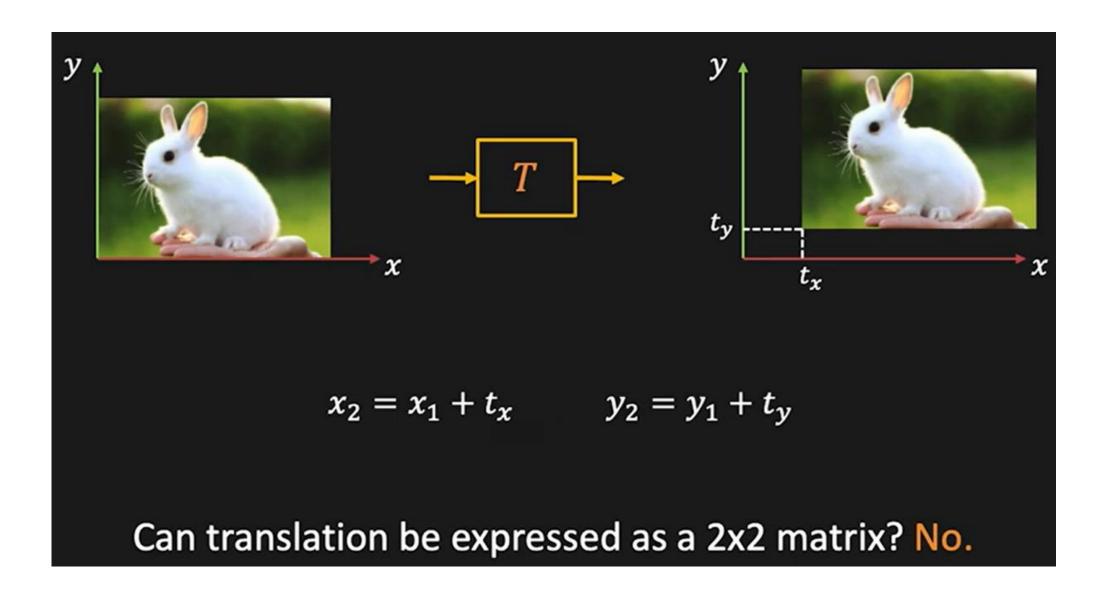
## 2x2 Matrix Transformations

## Any transformation of the form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Origin maps to the origin
- Lines map to lines
- Parallel lines remain parallel
- Closed under composition

## **Translation**

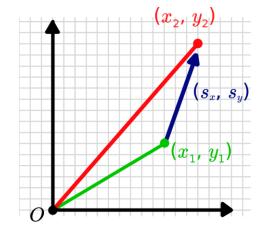


## **Translation Problem**

We simply need to add the appropriate amount to the x and y coordinates. Say, for example, that we had the point (x,y) and we wanted to shift it by  $s_x$  units in the x direction and  $s_y$  units in the y direction. We simply perform the following addition:

$$egin{bmatrix} x \ y \end{bmatrix} + egin{bmatrix} s_x \ s_y \end{bmatrix} = egin{bmatrix} x + s_x \ y + s_y \end{bmatrix}$$

- ❖ The problem is that this operation is *non-linear*.
- To solve this problem we're going to introduce a slightly modified representation of our coordinates. This new system is called homogeneous coordinates.
- The first thing we have to do is modify our coordinates, which simply involves taking a "1" onto the end of our point vector. we are looking for a 3×3 matrix
- Firstly, we need to guarantee a 1 in the bottom element of the result.
- Secondly, we know that for the first element of our result, there is one  $x_1$  and no  $y_1$ , and vice versa for the second element.
- Lastly, the top of the right column of our matrix will contain the column vector we want to translate by.



$$egin{bmatrix} x_2 \ y_2 \ 1 \end{bmatrix} = egin{bmatrix} ? & ? & ? \ ? & ? & ? \ ? & ? & ? \end{bmatrix} egin{bmatrix} x_1 \ y_1 \ 1 \end{bmatrix} = egin{bmatrix} x_1 + s_x \ y_1 + s_y \ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} ? & ? & ? \\ ? & ? & ? \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ? \\ ? \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & ? \\ 0 & 1 & ? \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 + ? \\ y_1 + ? \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$egin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & s_x \ 0 & 1 & s_y \ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} egin{bmatrix} x_1 \ y_1 \ 1 \end{bmatrix} = egin{bmatrix} x_1 + s_x \ y_1 + s_y \ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

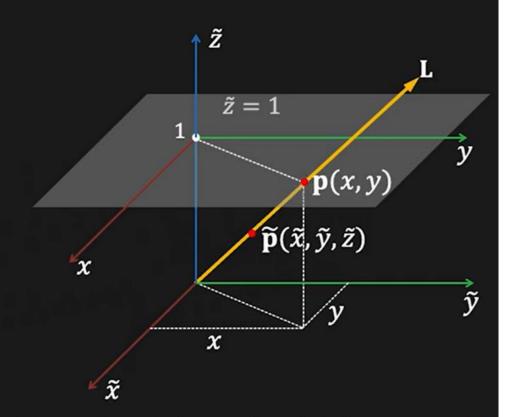
By using homogeneous coordinates, we can represent our non-linear translation as a linear transformation.

## Homogeneous Representation

The homogenous representation of a 2D point  $\mathbf{p}=(x,y)$  is a 3D point  $\widetilde{\mathbf{p}}=(\widetilde{x},\widetilde{y},\widetilde{z})$ . The third coordinate  $\widetilde{z}\neq 0$  is fictitious such that:

$$x = rac{ ilde{x}}{ ilde{z}} \qquad y = rac{ ilde{y}}{ ilde{z}}$$

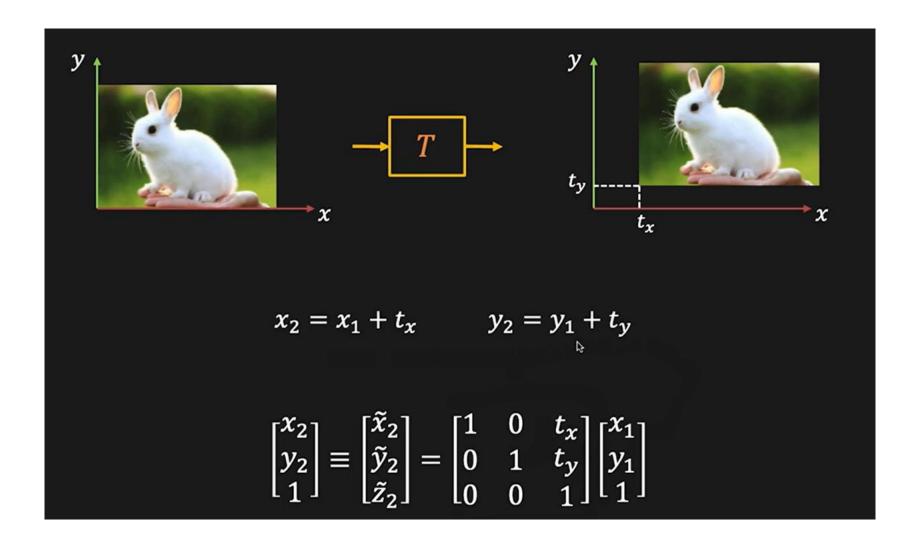
$$\mathbf{p} \equiv \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \equiv \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{z}x \\ \tilde{z}y \\ \tilde{z} \end{bmatrix} \equiv \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x} \\ \tilde{y} \\ \tilde{z} \end{bmatrix} = \widetilde{\mathbf{p}}$$



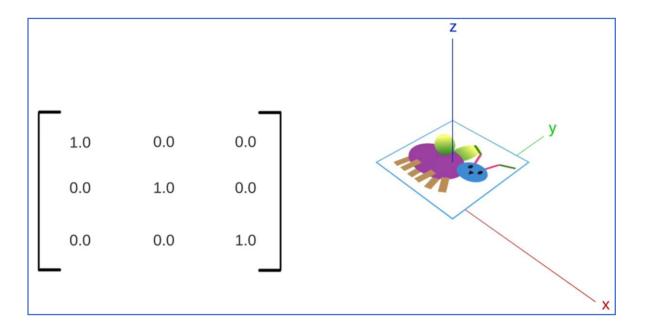
Every point on line L (except origin) represents the homogenous coordinate of  $\mathbf{p}(x, y)$ 

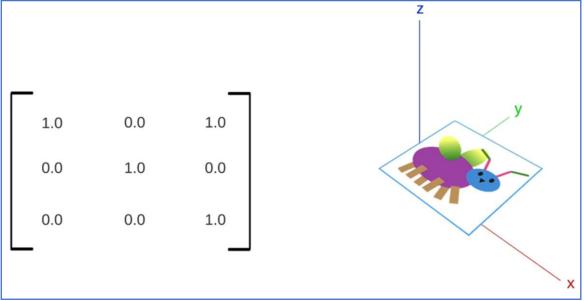
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## **Translation**



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# Scaling, Rotation, Skew and Translation

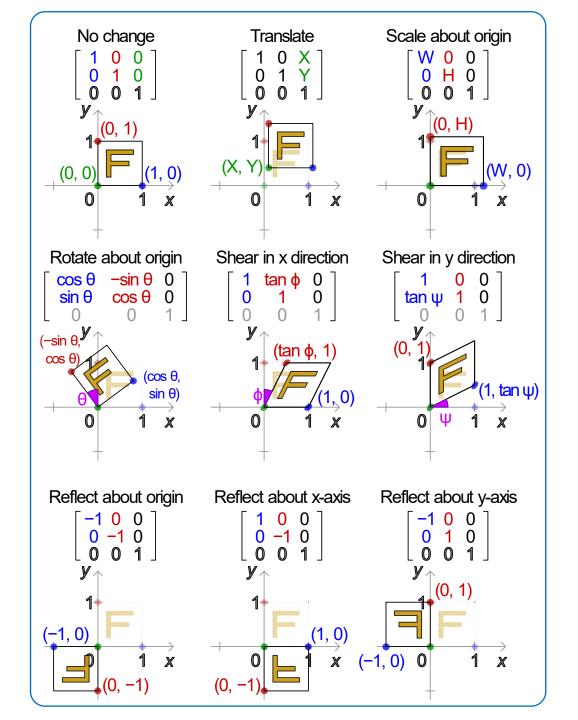
$$\begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x}_2 \\ \tilde{y}_2 \\ \tilde{z}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x}_2 \\ \tilde{y}_2 \\ \tilde{z}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & m_x & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Scaling} \qquad \qquad \text{Skew}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x}_2 \\ \tilde{y}_2 \\ \tilde{y}_2 \\ \tilde{z}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & t_x \\ 0 & 1 & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x}_2 \\ \tilde{y}_2 \\ \tilde{z}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Translation} \qquad \qquad \text{Rotation}$$

#### **Affine Transformation Matrices**



### **Affine Transformation**

## Any transformation of the form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \equiv \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x}_2 \\ \tilde{y}_2 \\ \tilde{z}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x}_1 \\ \tilde{y}_1 \\ \tilde{z}_1 \end{bmatrix}$$







### Transformation Matrix: Take a closer look

We can simplify the representation of this matrix as shown below (note the use of a bold  $\mathbf{0}$  to indicate it is a zero vector).

$$\mathbf{T} = egin{bmatrix} \cos( heta) & -\sin( heta) & s_x \ \sin( heta) & \cos( heta) & s_y \ \hline 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = egin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R} & \mathbf{b} \ \mathbf{0} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

#### \* Take a look at the Transformation matrix:

- The top left corner contains the original rotation matrix
- The top right hand corner contains the translation offset as a column vector
- The very bottom right hand corner contains a 1
- The rest of the bottom row (to the left of the 1) is all zeros.

#### Properties of transformation matrices:

#### Chainability

- Affine transformation matrix is linear (using homogeneous coordinates), we are able to chain them together using multiplication, just like with the rotation matrices
- A rotation matrix multiplied by another rotation matrix produces a rotation matrix, in the same way a transformation matrix multiplied by a transformation matrix will always result in a transformation matrix.

$$egin{aligned} \mathbf{T}_1\mathbf{T}_2 &= egin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R}_1 & \mathbf{b}_1 \ \mathbf{0} & 1 \end{bmatrix} egin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R}_2 & \mathbf{b}_2 \ \mathbf{0} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \ &= egin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R}_1\mathbf{R}_2 & \mathbf{R}_1\mathbf{b}_2 + \mathbf{b}_1 \ \mathbf{0} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \ &= egin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R}_3 & \mathbf{b}_3 \ \mathbf{0} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

#### Inverse

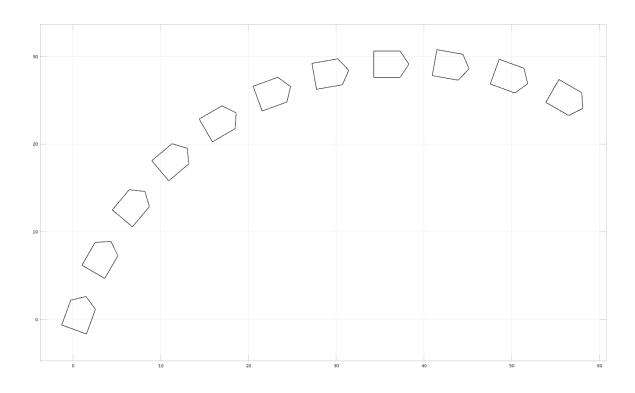
- The second useful property of the transformation matrix is Inverse and taking inverses is relatively easy. Inverse of the rotation matrix is its transpose.
- The formula for the inverse of a transformation matrix T and its verification is given below (without the derivation):

$$\mathbf{T}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R} & \mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{0} & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R}^{-1} & -\mathbf{R}^{-1}\mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{0} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R}^{\mathrm{T}} & -\mathbf{R}^{\mathrm{T}}\mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{0} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$egin{aligned} \mathbf{T}\mathbf{T}^{-1} &= egin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R} & \mathbf{b} \ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{1} \end{bmatrix} egin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R}^{-1} & -\mathbf{R}^{-1}\mathbf{b} \ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{1} \end{bmatrix} \ &= egin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R}\mathbf{R}^{-1} & \mathbf{R}(-\mathbf{R}^{-1})\mathbf{b} + \mathbf{b} \ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{1} \end{bmatrix} \ &= egin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} & -\mathbf{I}\mathbf{b} + \mathbf{b} \ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{1} \end{bmatrix} \ &= egin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{0} \ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{1} \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Note that if you use this structure to represent other affine transformations (e.g. a shear matrix instead of a rotation), you can use the middle result, but you have to take inverse for R.

## **Affine Transformation Trajectory Demo**



```
%% TRANSFORMATION TRAJECTORY DEMO
% Demonstrates the use of affine transformation matrices
% to plot an object moving along a trajectory
% Set up an array of points
x_points = [2, 2, 0.5, -1, -1, 2];
y_points = [-1, 2, 3, 2, -1, -1];
points = [x points; y points; ones(1, length(x points))];
% Initial Conditions
sx = 0; sy = 0; theta = -20;
clf;
for t = 0:10
% Compute the transformation matrix
transf mat = [cosd(theta), -sind(theta), sx; ...
sind(theta), cosd(theta), sy; ...
0, 0, 1];
% Compute the new points
transf pts = transf mat*points;
% Plot the points
plot(transf pts(1,:), transf pts(2,:), '-k');
hold on;
% Update the state for the next plot
sx = sx + 7*cosd(theta+90);
sy = sy + 7*sind(theta+90);
theta = theta - 10;
end
axis equal; grid on;
```

# **Projective Transformation**

### Any transformation of the form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x}_2 \\ \tilde{y}_2 \\ \tilde{z}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} h_{11} & h_{12} & h_{13} \\ h_{21} & h_{22} & h_{23} \\ h_{31} & h_{32} & h_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x}_1 \\ \tilde{y}_1 \\ \tilde{z}_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\widetilde{\mathbf{p}}_2 = H\widetilde{\mathbf{p}}_1$$



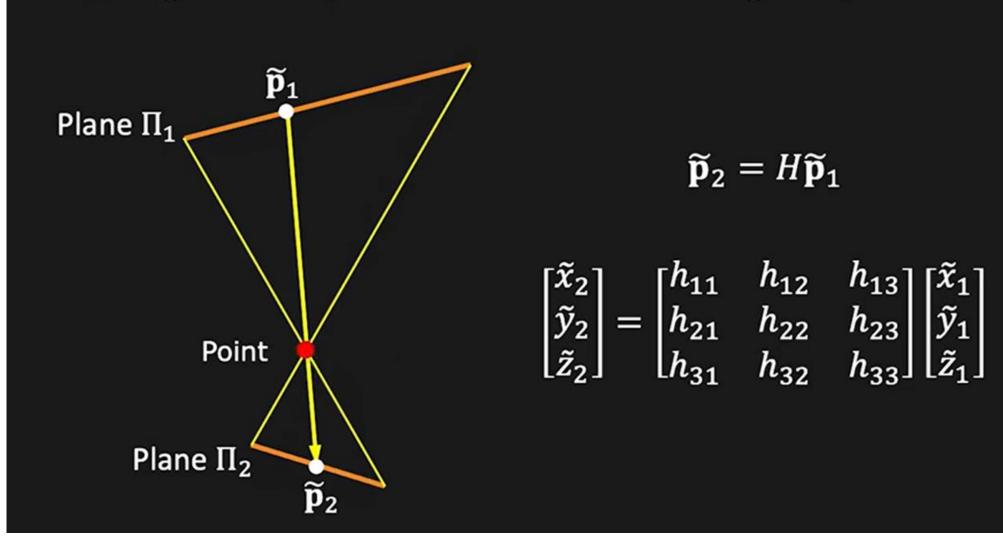




Also called Homography

# **Projective Transformation**

## Mapping of one plane to another through a point



## **Projective Transformation**

Homography can only be defined up to a scale.

$$\begin{bmatrix} h_{11} & h_{12} & h_{13} \\ h_{21} & h_{22} & h_{23} \\ h_{31} & h_{32} & h_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x}_1 \\ \tilde{y}_1 \\ \tilde{z}_1 \end{bmatrix} \equiv \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x}_2 \\ \tilde{y}_2 \\ \tilde{z}_2 \end{bmatrix} \equiv \mathbf{k} \begin{bmatrix} h_{11} & h_{12} & h_{13} \\ h_{21} & h_{22} & h_{23} \\ h_{31} & h_{32} & h_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x}_1 \\ \tilde{y}_1 \\ \tilde{z}_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

If we fix scale such that  $\sum (h_{ij})^2 = 1$  then 8 free parameters

- Origin does not necessarily map to the origin
- Lines map to lines
- Parallel lines do not necessarily remain parallel
- Closed under composition

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