

CSC418/2504 Computer Graphics

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Some Slides/Images adapted from Marschner and Shirley

Announcements

- Assignment 5 now due March 1st
- Assignment 6 due also pushed back (March 15th)
- Office hours are now M4-5 and W5-6 in BA5287 until Dave has his baby, then they will be in BA5268 (his office)
- Assignment 4 remark request
 - TA Office Hours will be 12:30 to 1:30 on Friday
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Midterm 1

Midterm 1 is right after reading week (Feb 25th in tutorial)

Topics:

- Lectures 1-6
- Assignments 1-5

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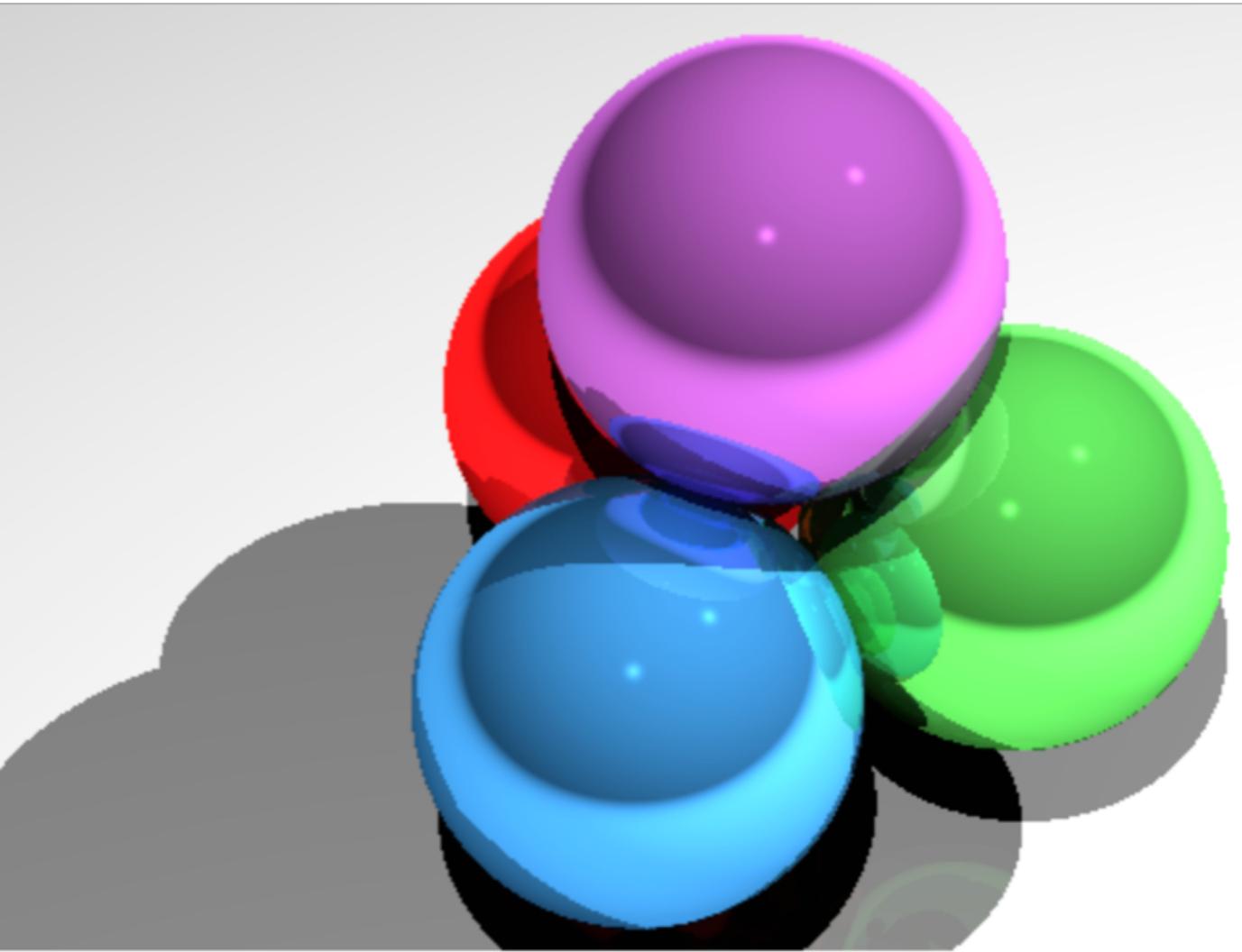
- True/False, multiple choice, short answer, long answer

Any Questions ?

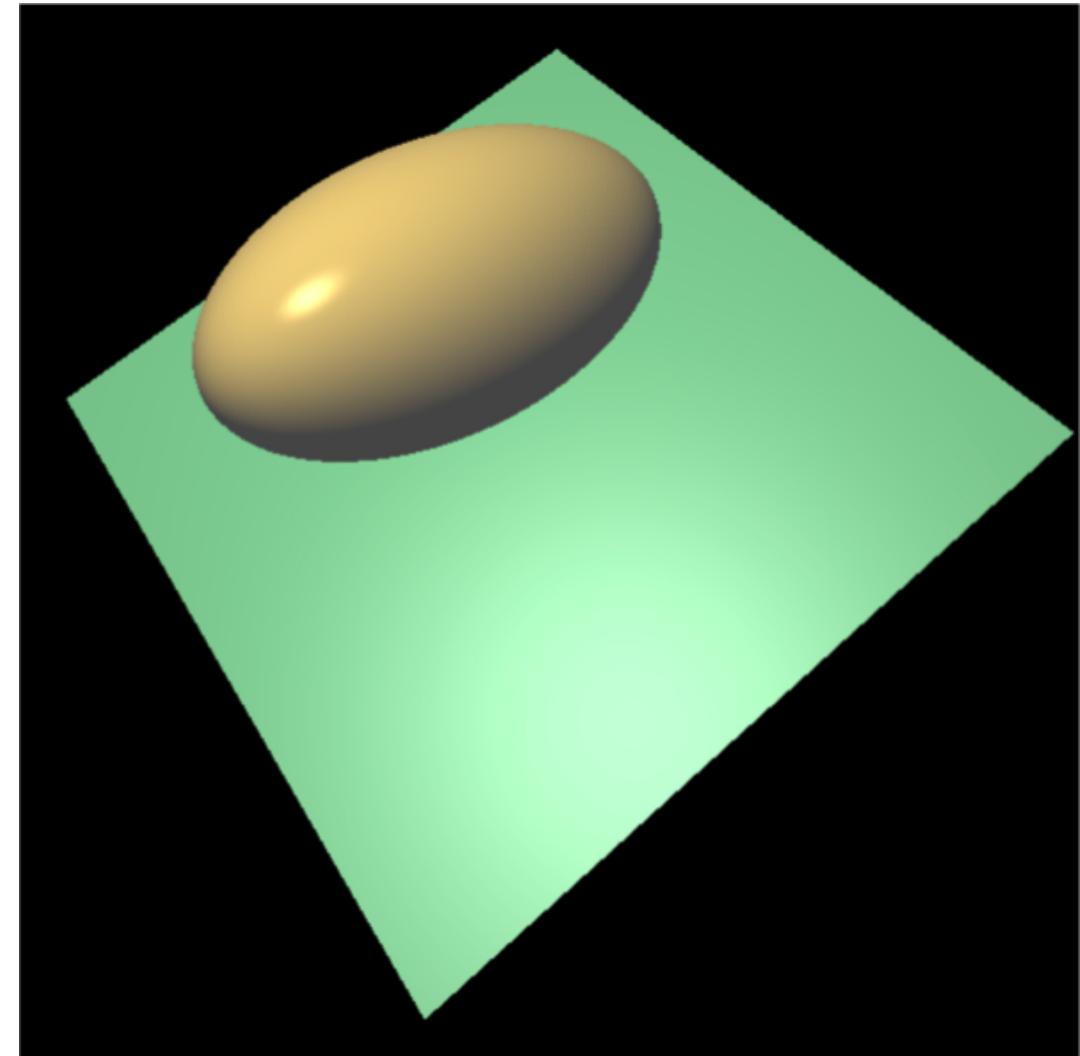
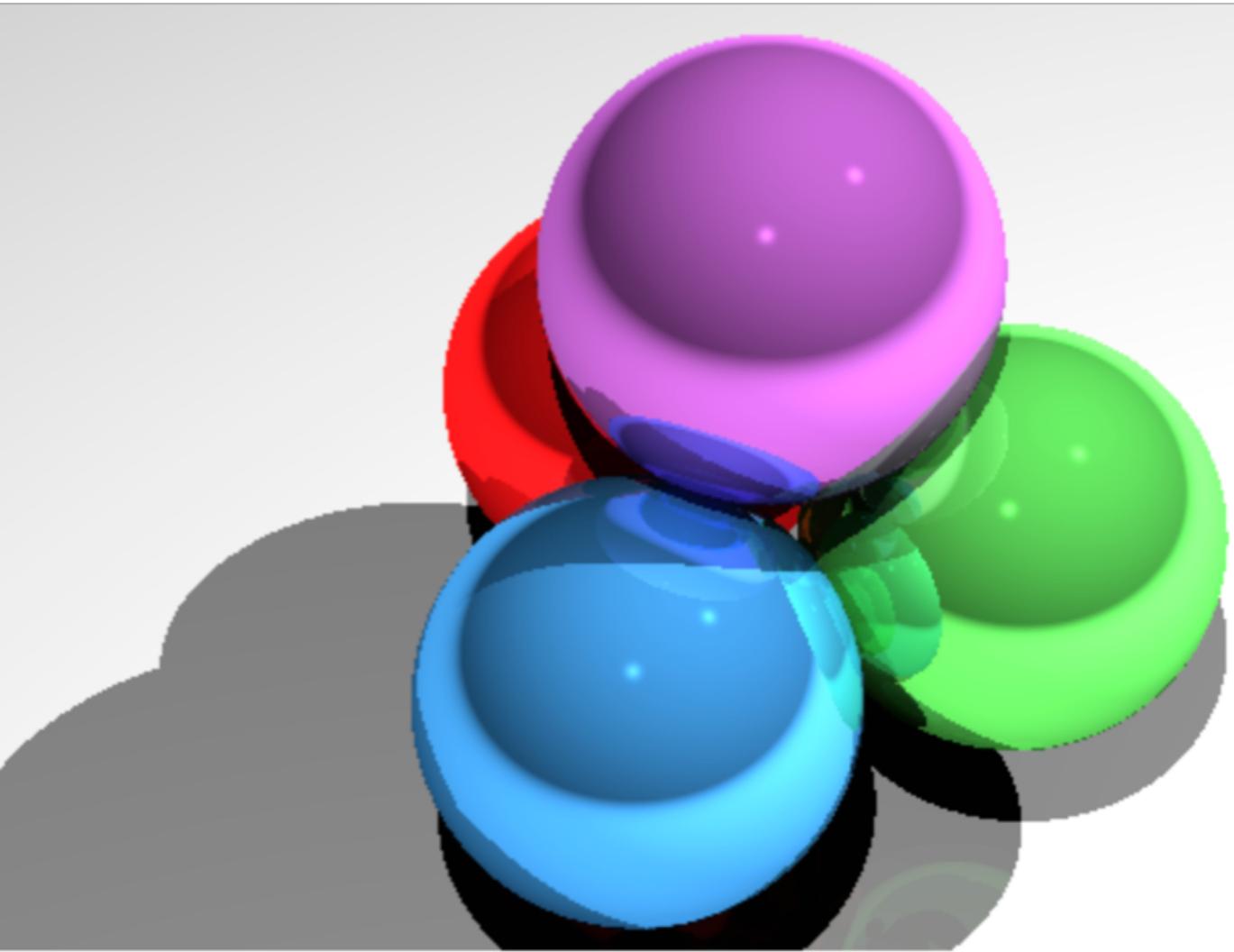
This week: Transformation Matrices

- Motivation
- What is a linear transformation?
- 2D transformations
 - Scale, Shear, Rotate, Reflect, Inverses
- 3D transformations
 - Scale, Shear, Rotate
- Homogeneous Coordinates
 - Affine transformations, translations
- Transforming Normals

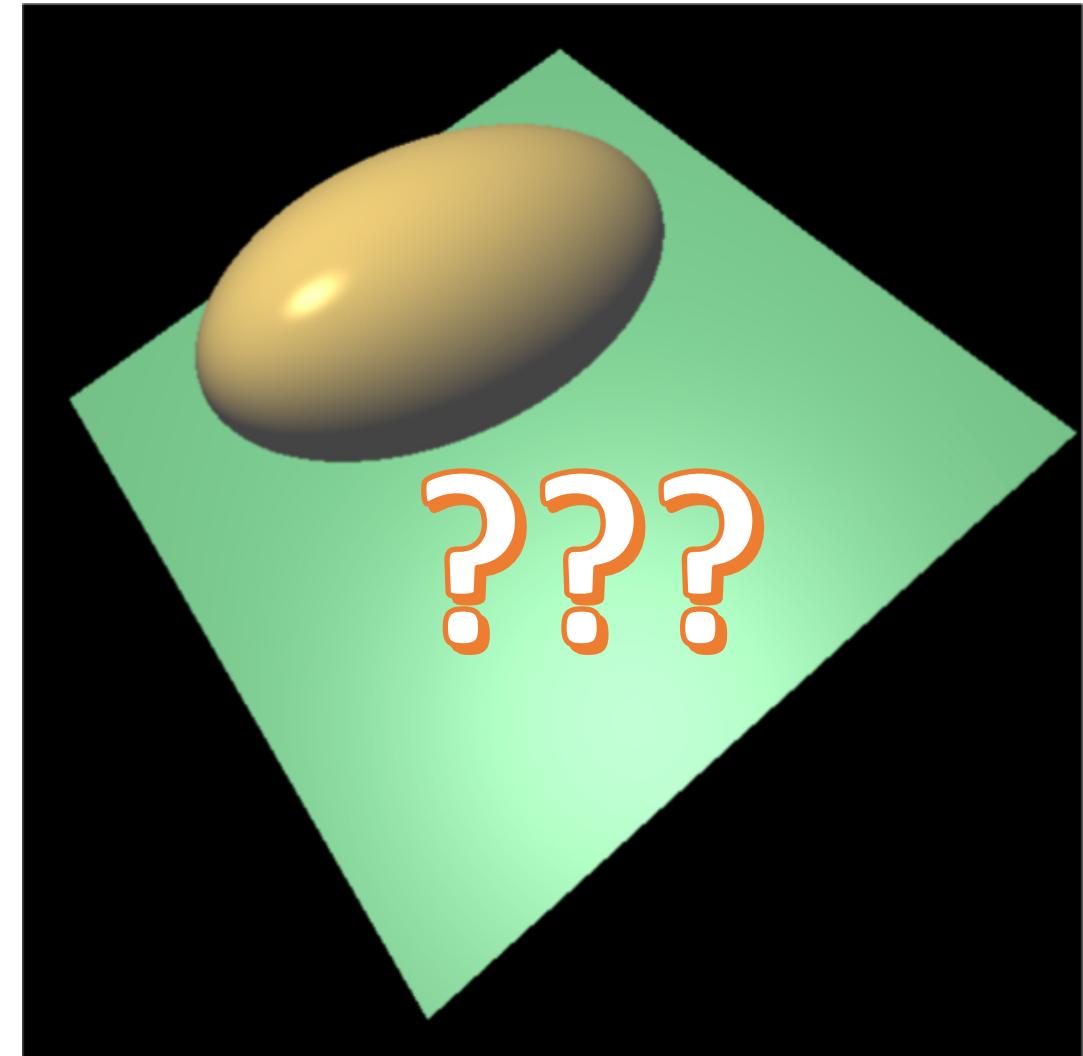
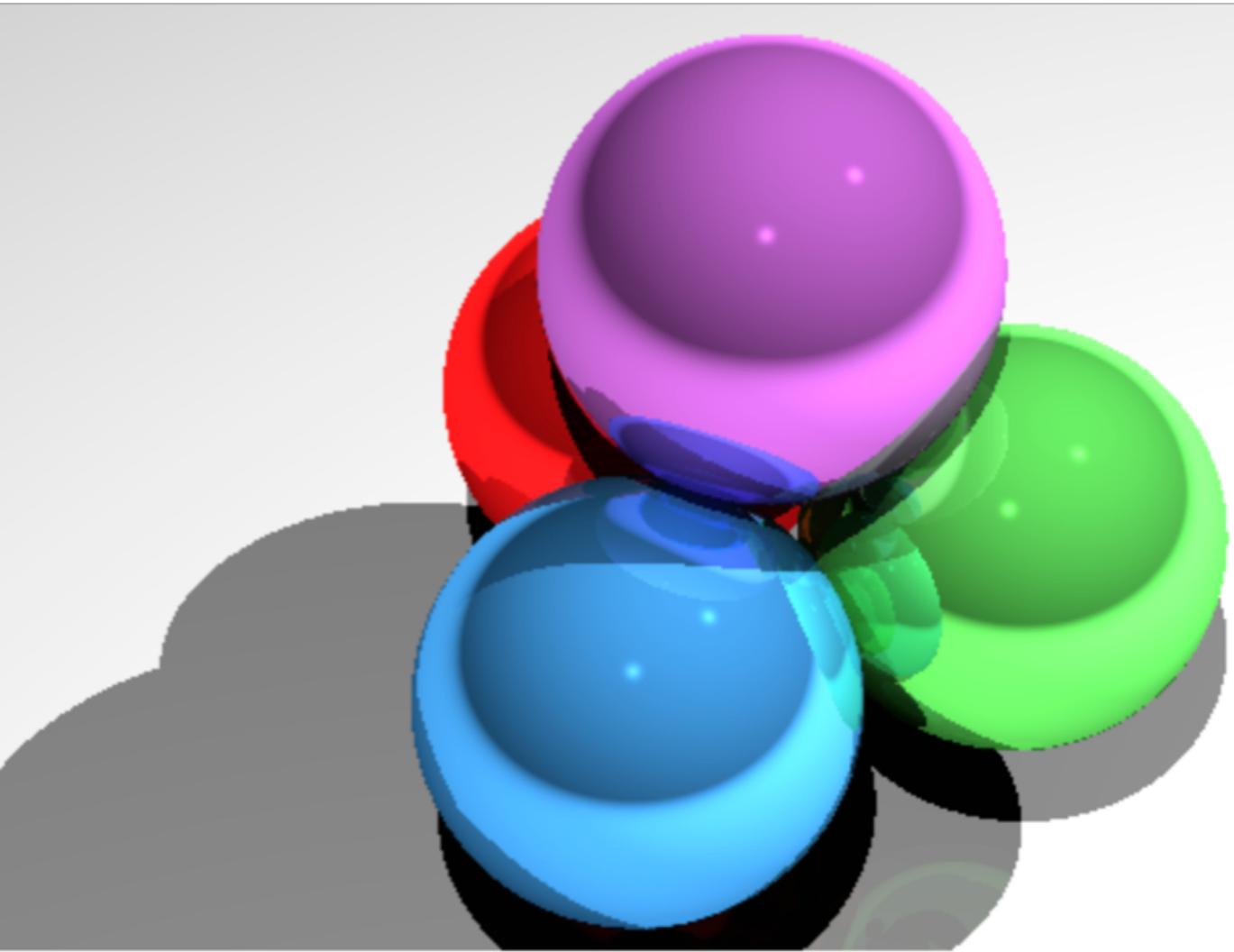
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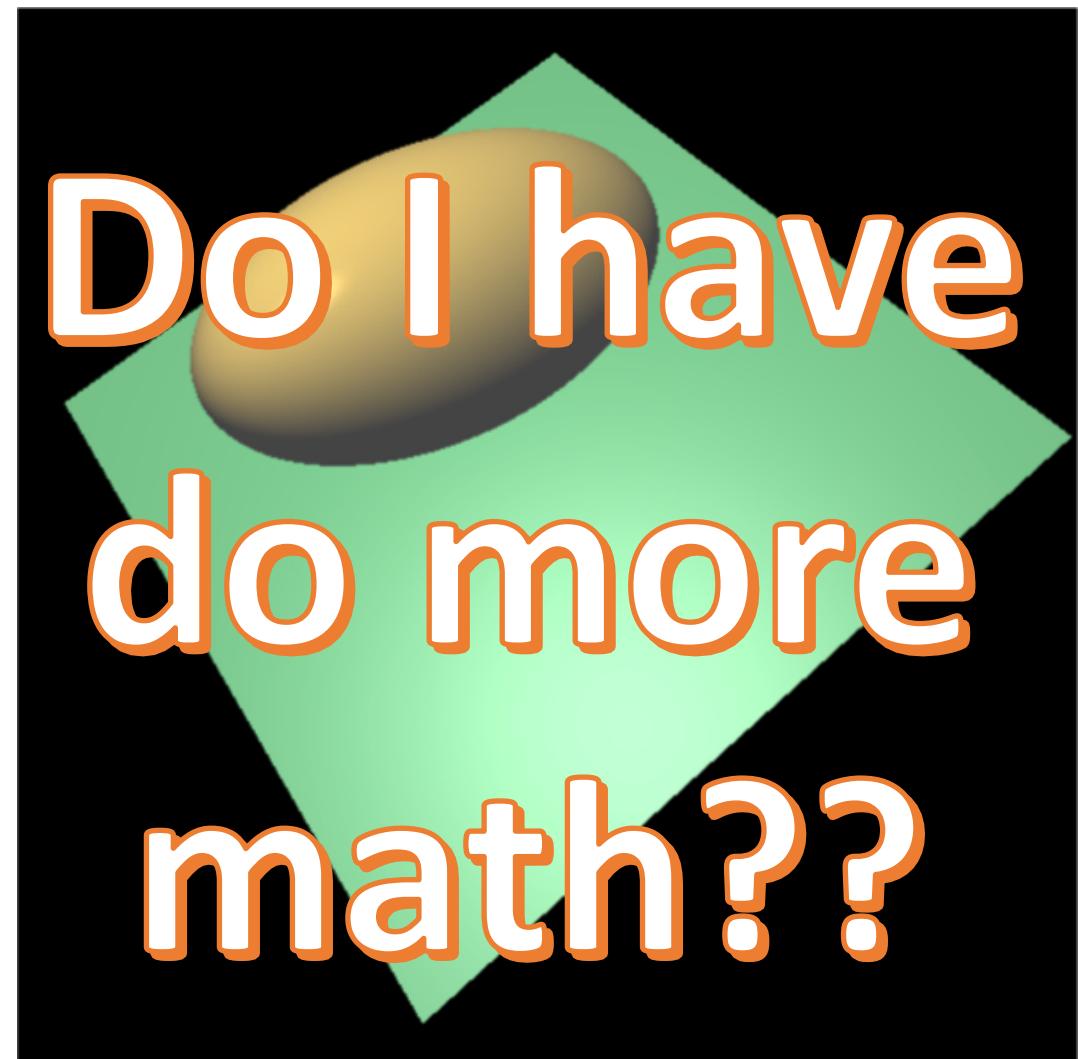
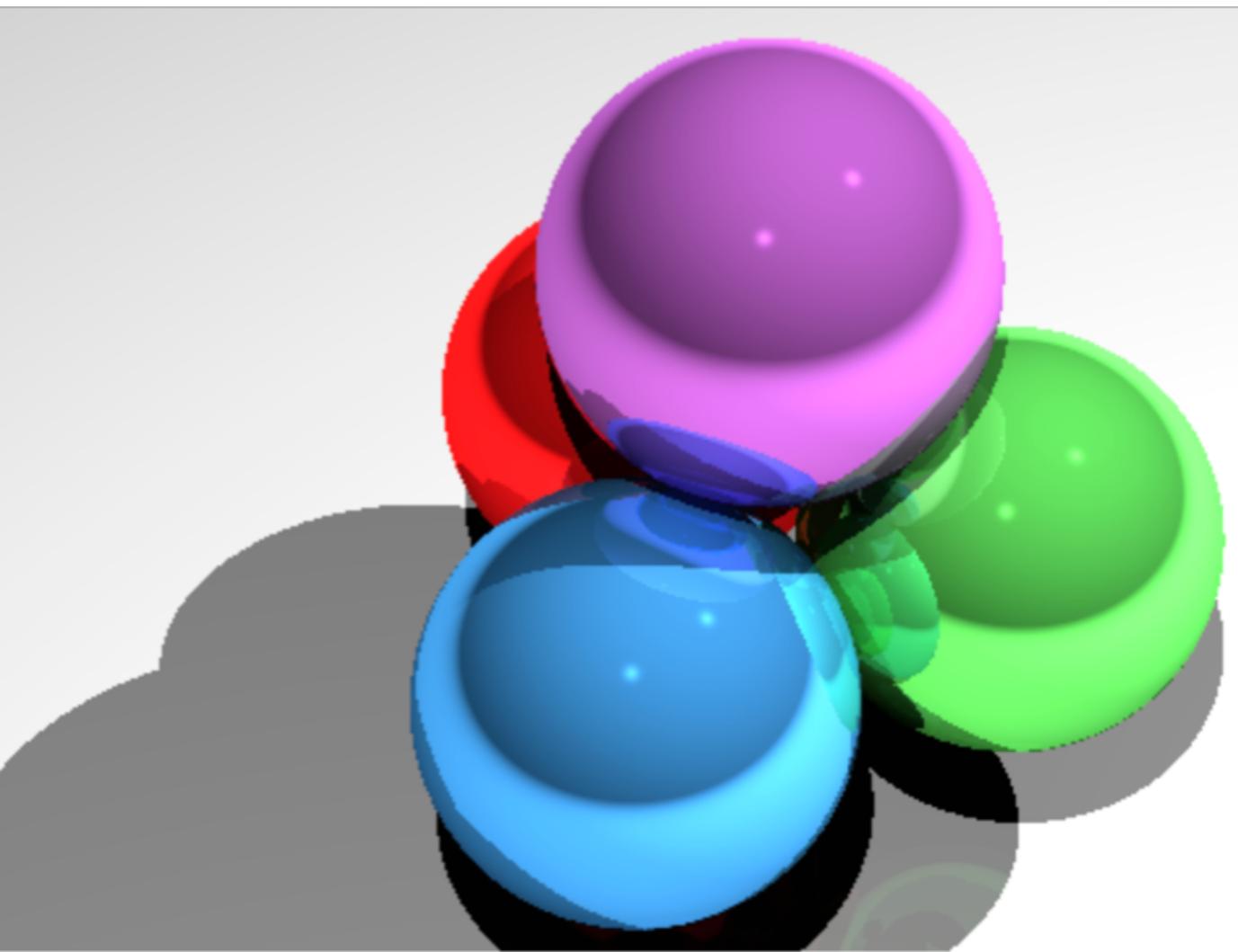
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An ellipse is just a
“transformed” sphere

**Math will help us do
less math!!**

Motivation

You've done ray-tracing up to now, which is an image-order algorithm

Image-Order

for-each pixel

 set the ***pixel*** based on the ***objects***
 that influence it:

An ode to raytracing

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- Raytracing is:
 - Beautiful
 - Slow

Motivation

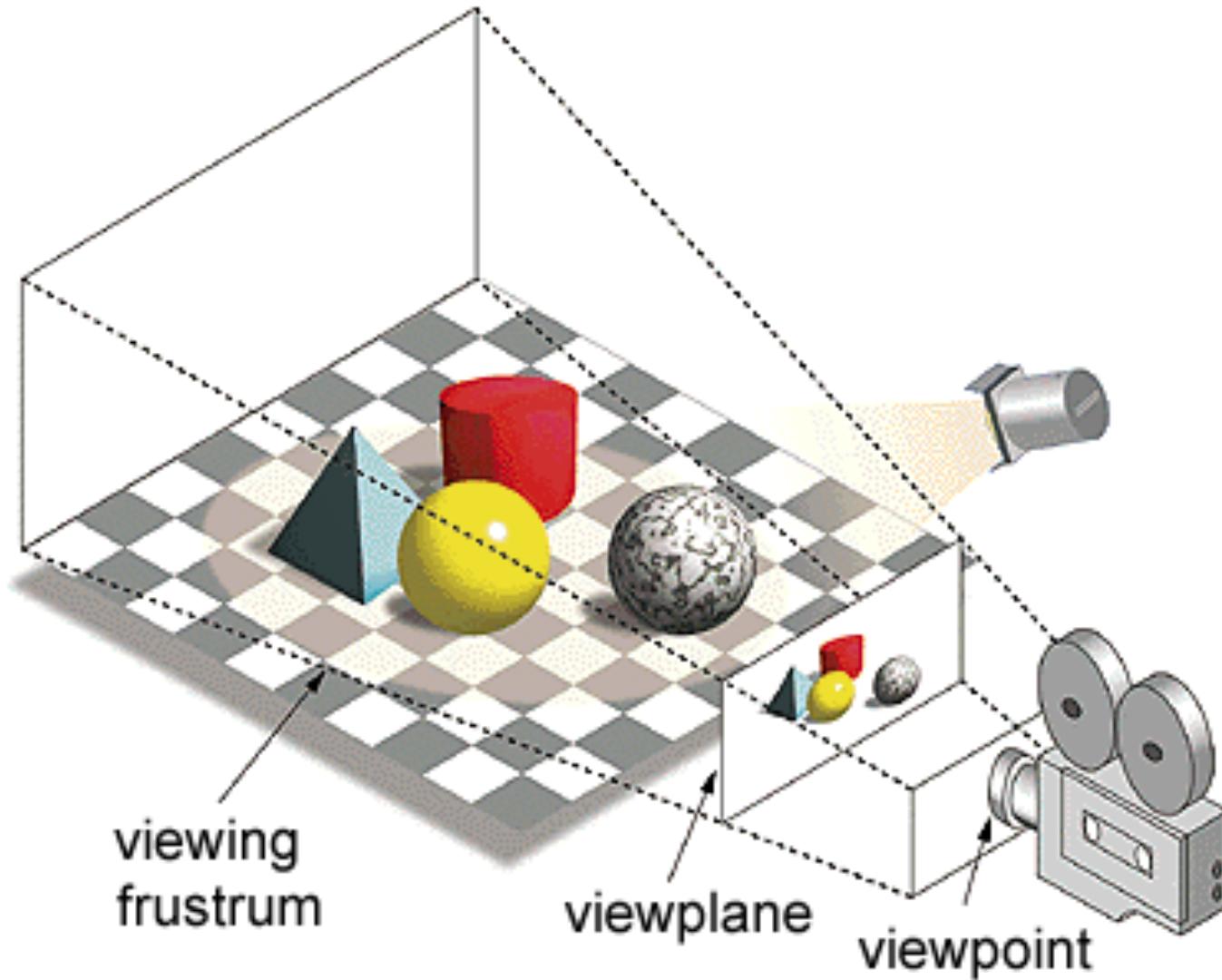
For speed-performance, object-order algorithms are used

Object-Order
*for-each **object***
 update the ***pixels*** the ***object***
influences;

Motivation

Why are they faster?

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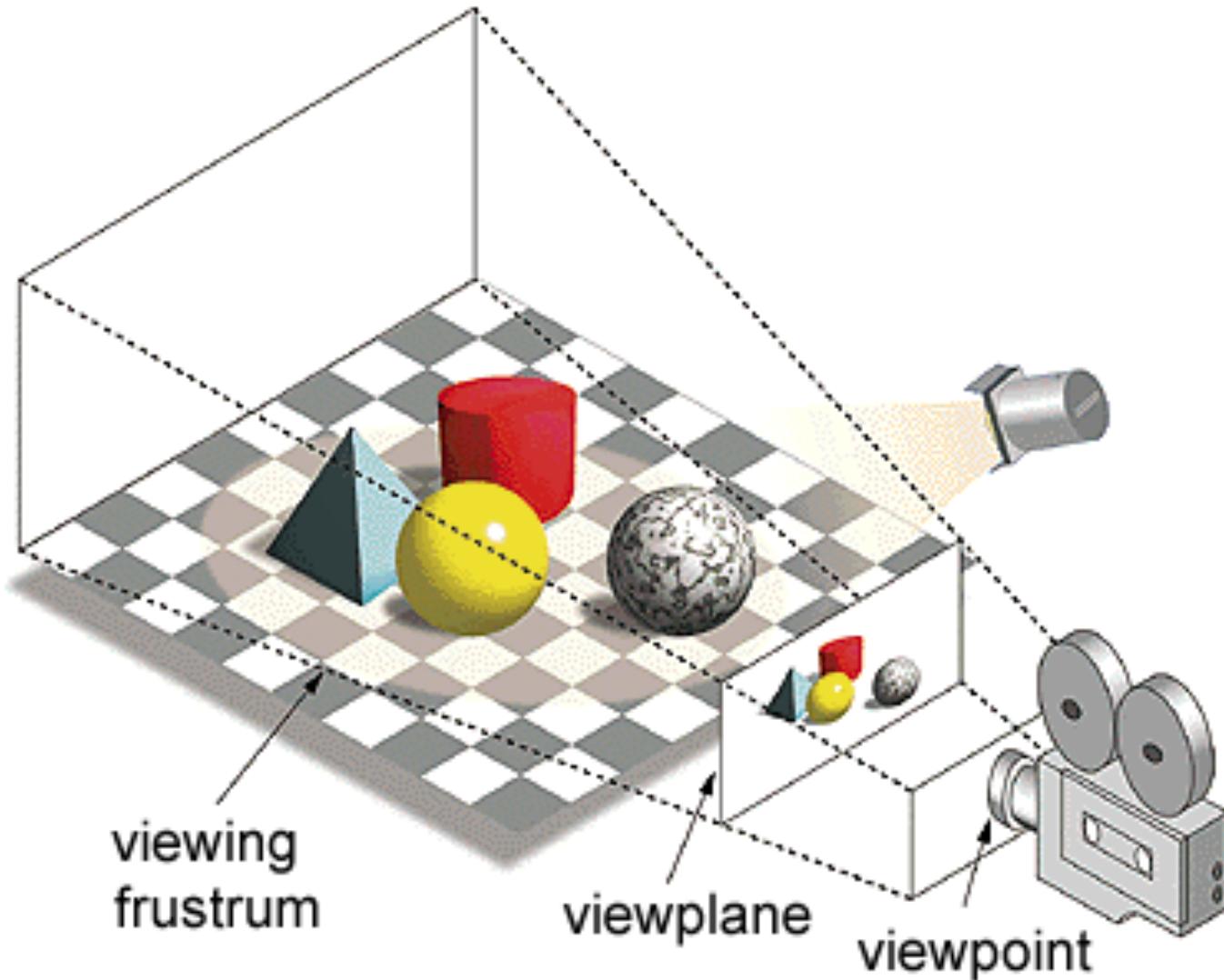


Motivation

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We only need to project
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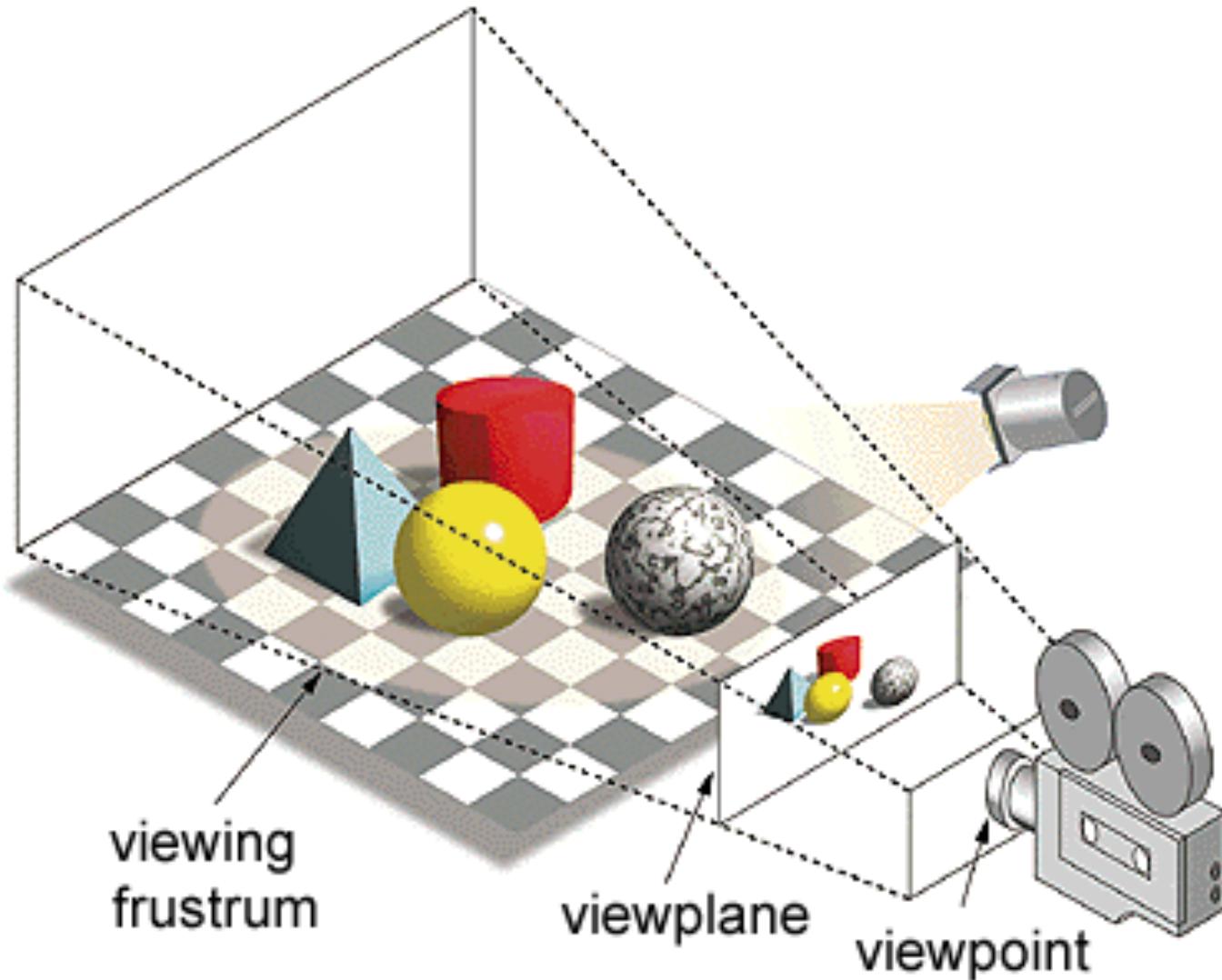
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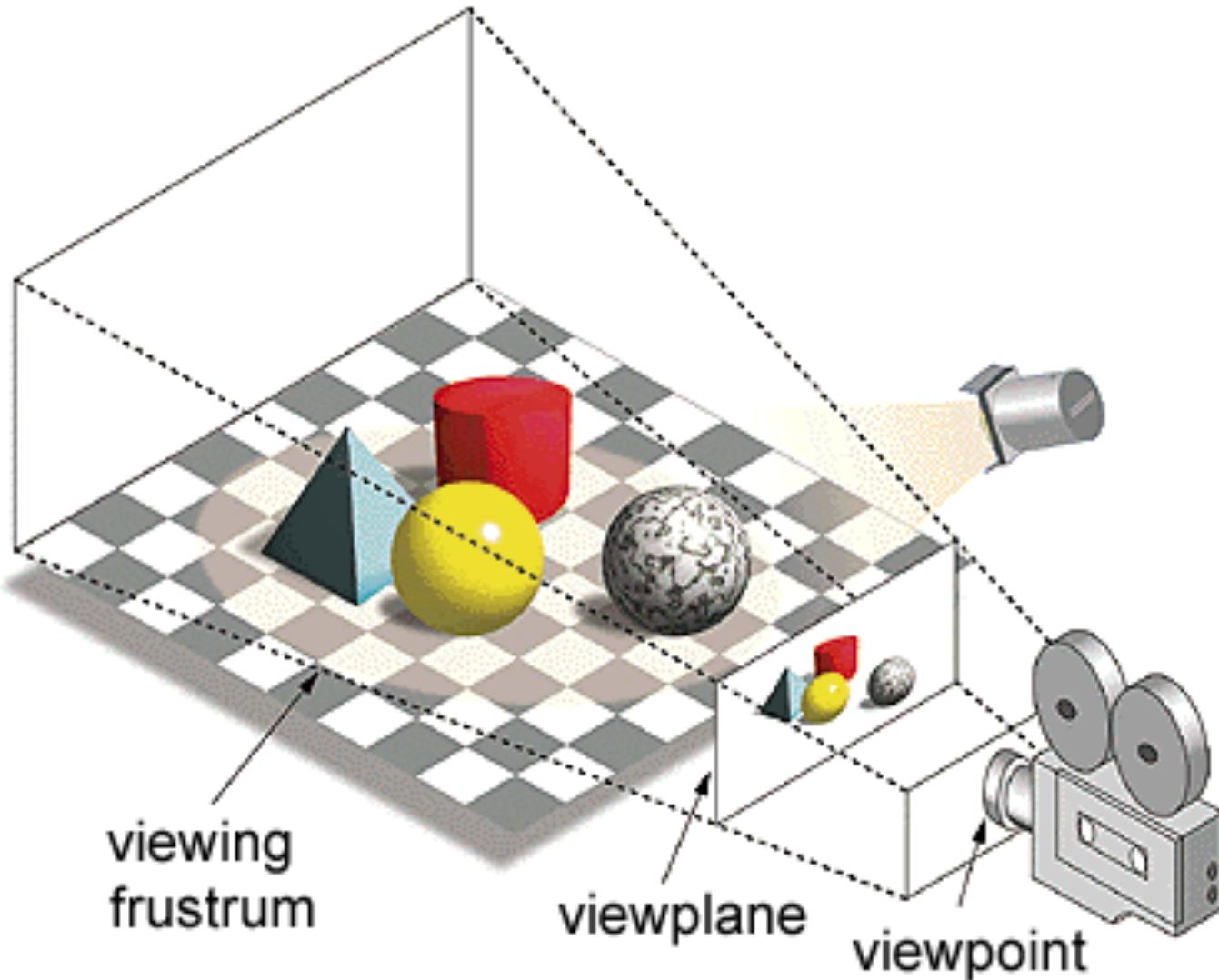
Each object tells the pixel
what colour to be

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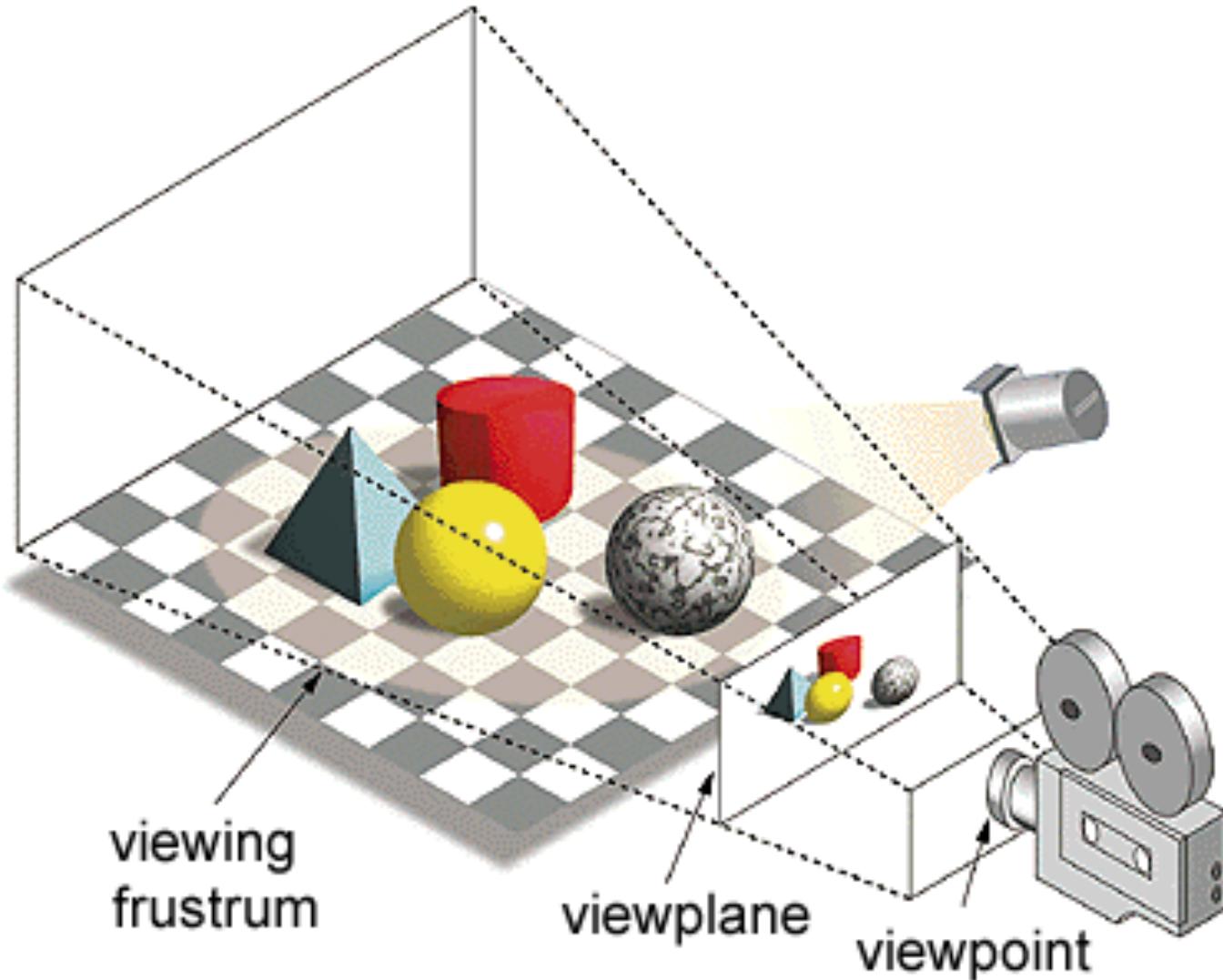
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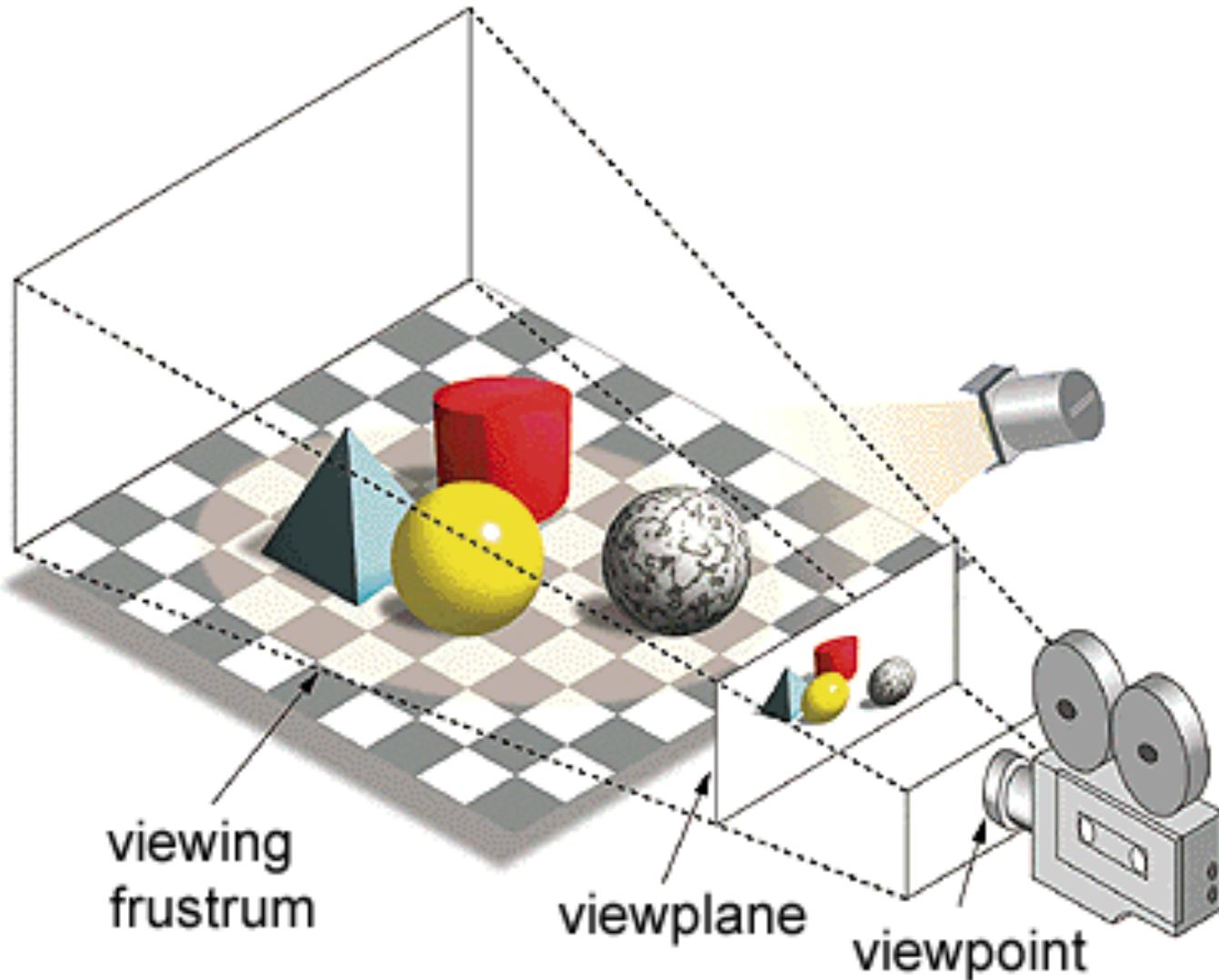
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 - Handle an arbitrary camera (not centered at the origin)
 - Project the scene to the 2D viewplane



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Linear transformations

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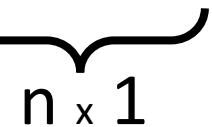
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$$\underbrace{Ax}_{n \times n} = b$$

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$$Ax = \underbrace{b}_{n \times 1}$$

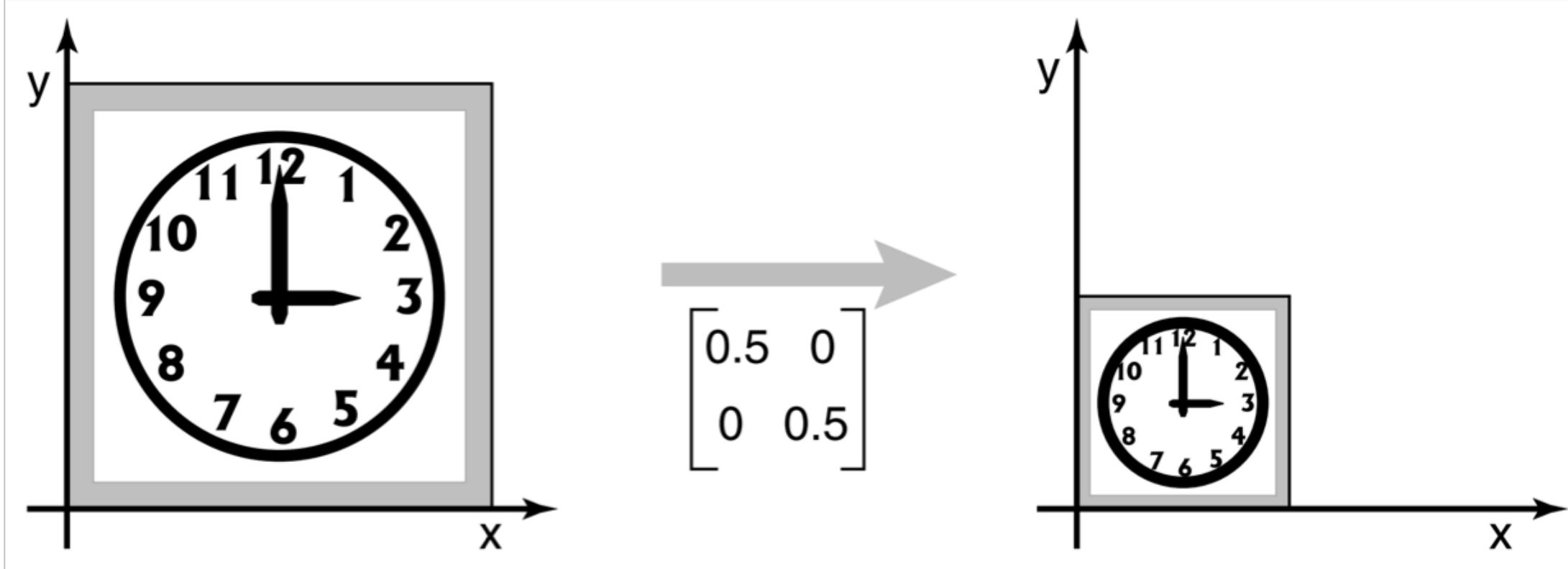
Linear transformations in 2D

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}x + a_{12}y \\ a_{21}x + a_{22}y \end{bmatrix}$$

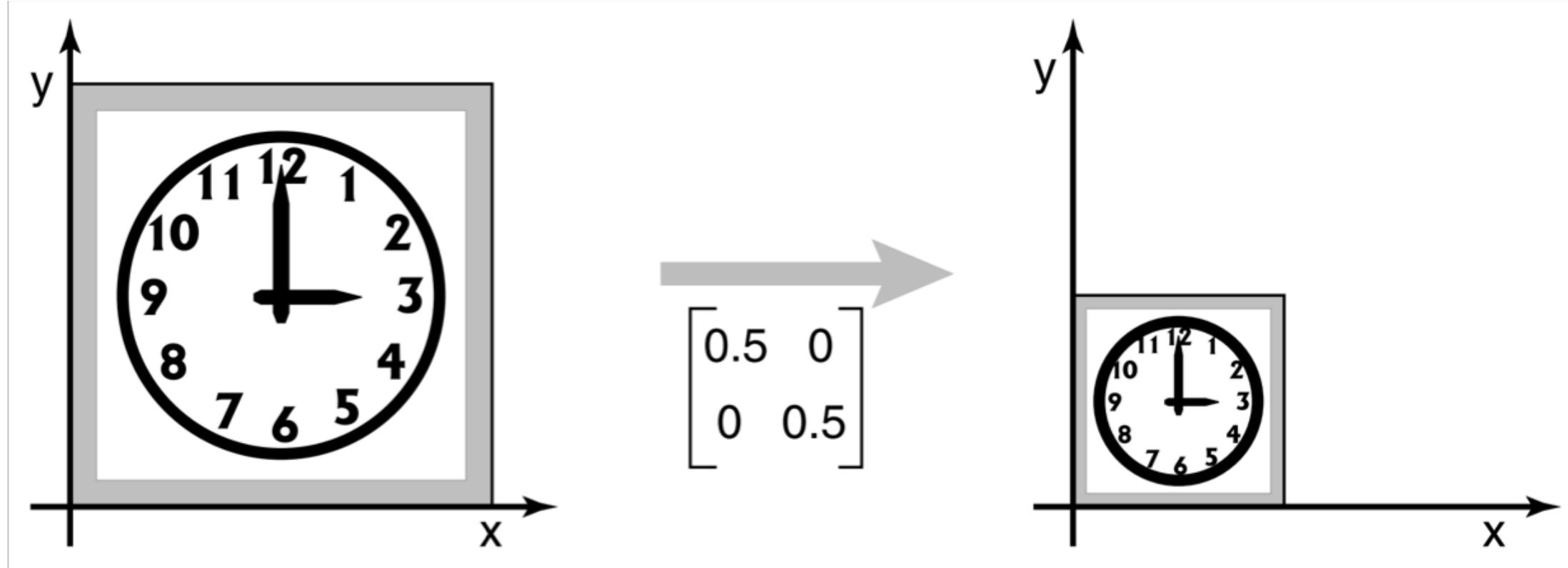
Linear transformations in 2D: Scale

$$\begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 \\ 0 & s_y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} s_x x \\ s_y y \end{bmatrix}$$

Linear transformations in 2D: Scale

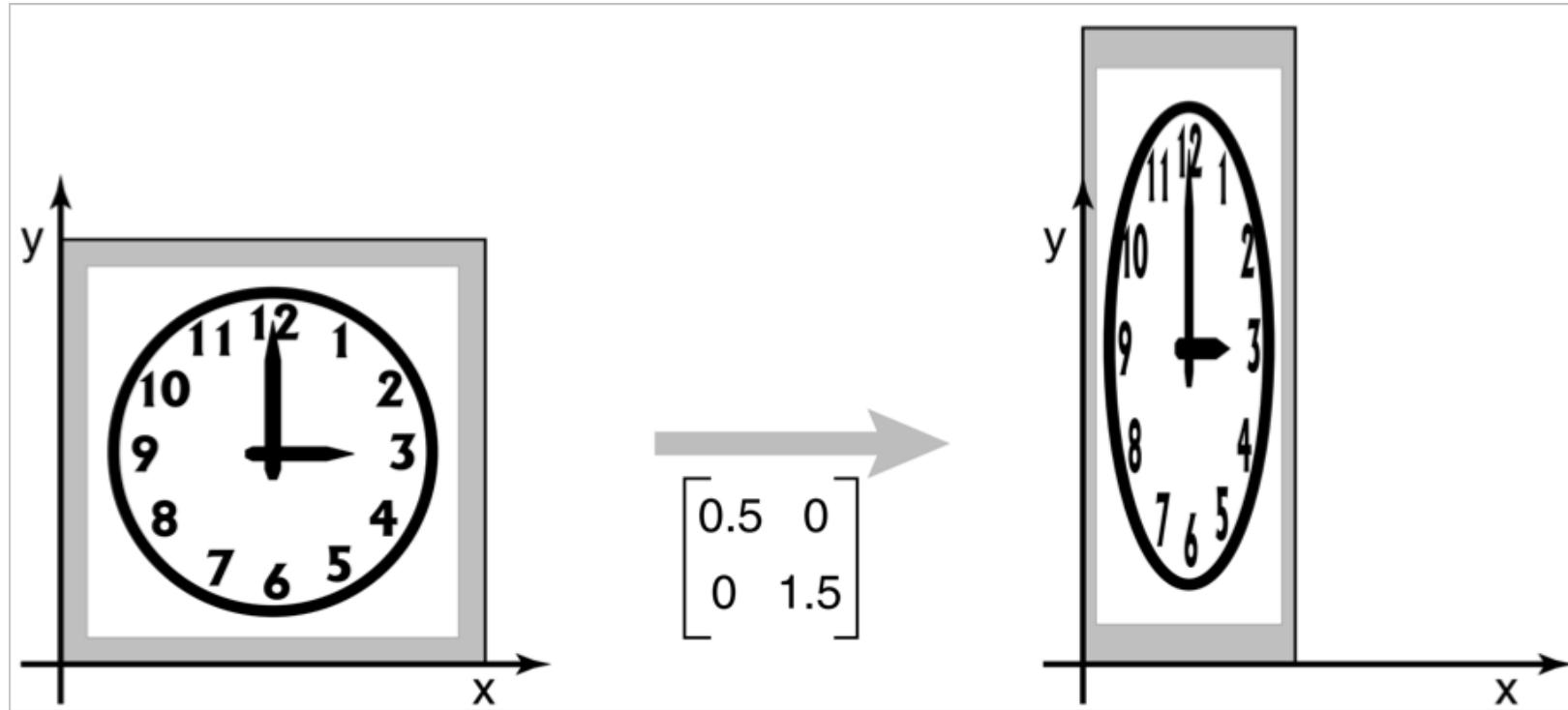


Linear transformations in 2D: Scale



When $s_x = s_y$ the scaling is said to be “Uniform”

Linear transformations in 2D: Scale

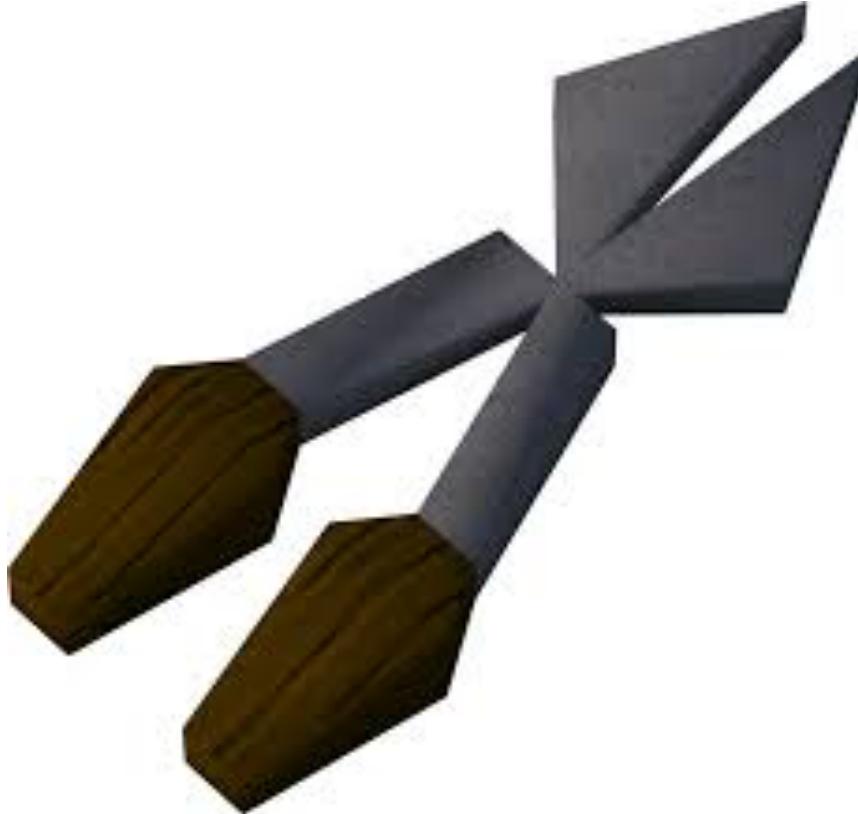


This is an example of non-uniform scaling in x and y

Linear transformations in 2D: Shear

What's a shear?

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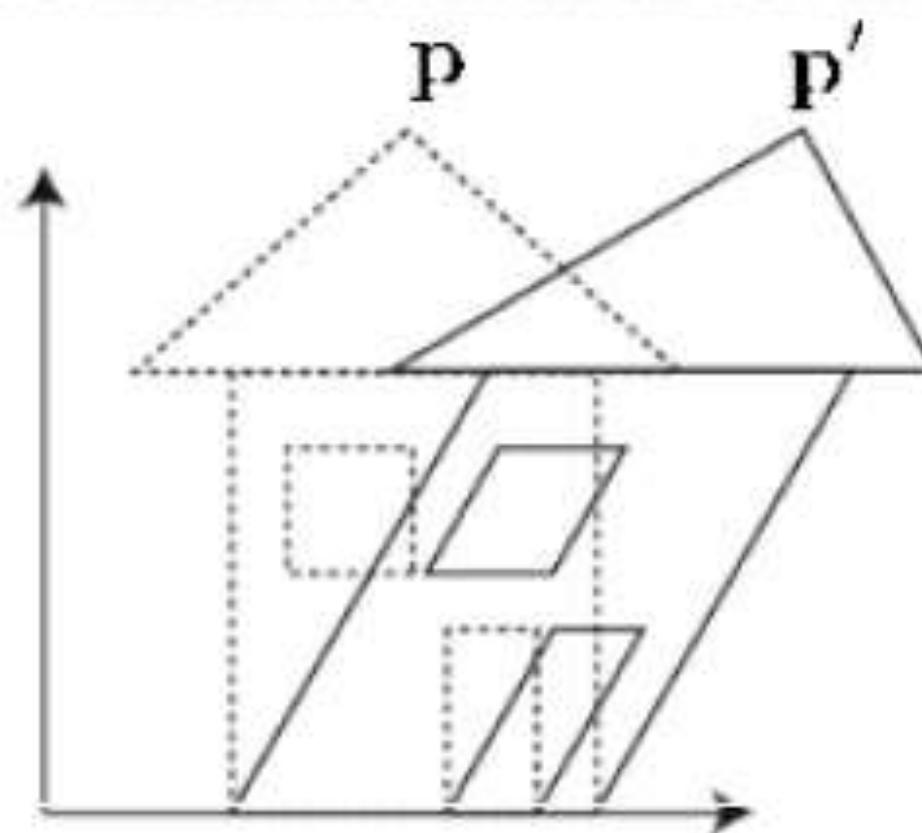


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Shear



Linear transformations in 2D: Shear

Horizontal Shear

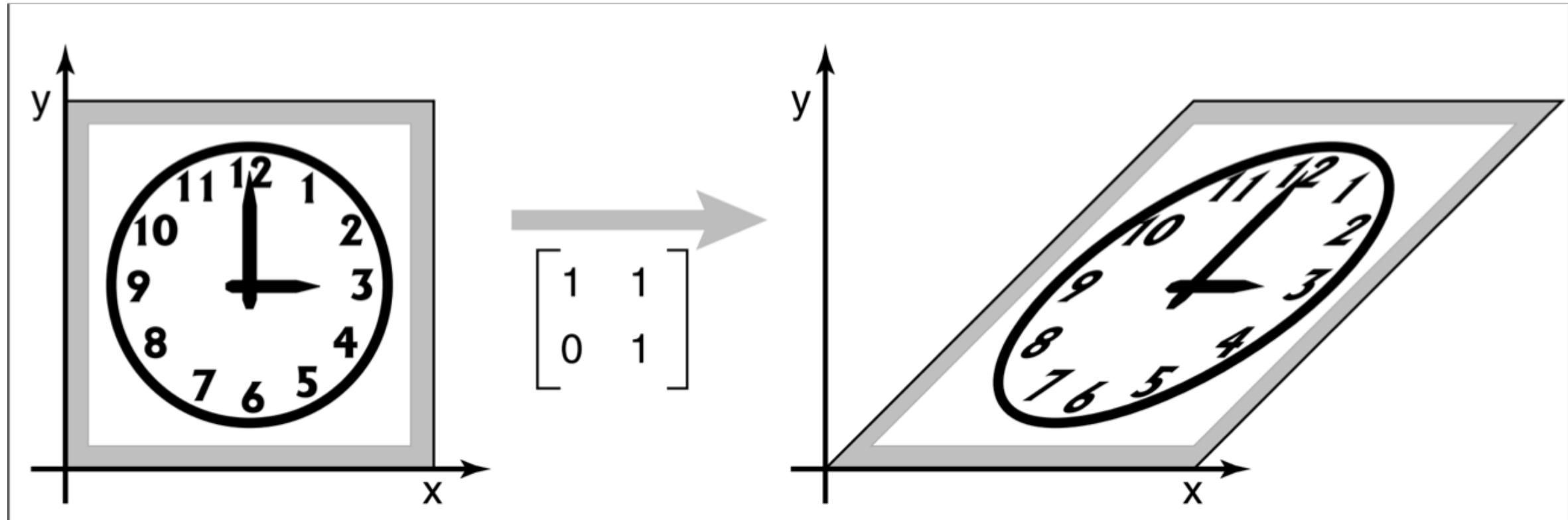
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & s \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Linear transformations in 2D: Shear

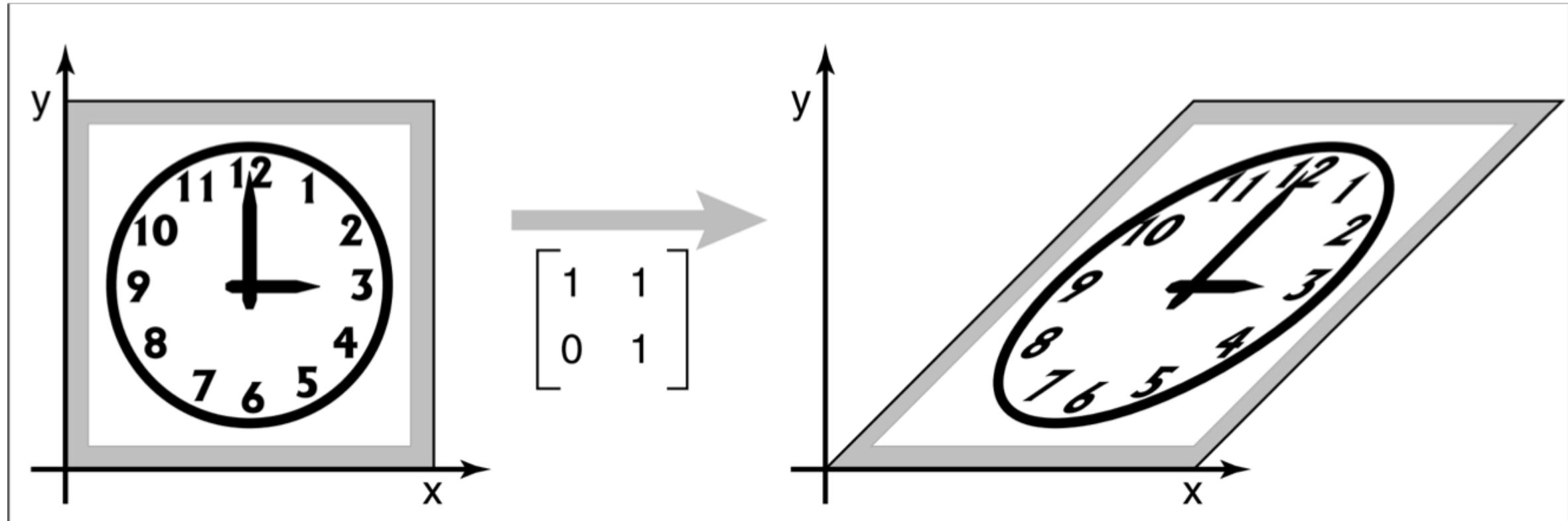
Why horizontal?

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & s \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x + sy \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

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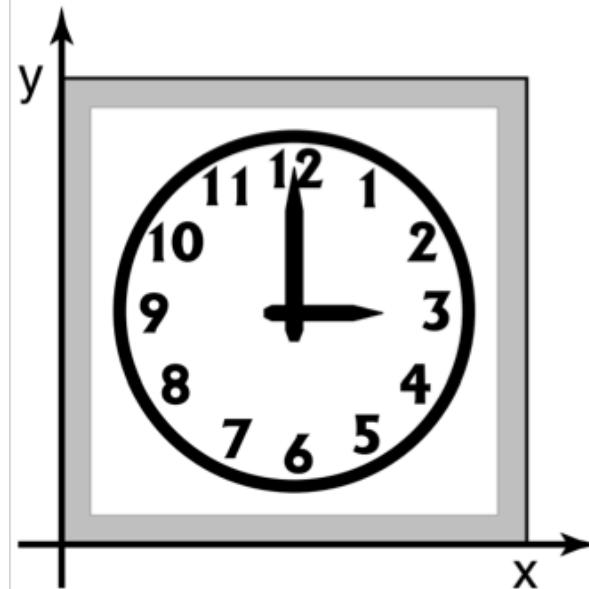


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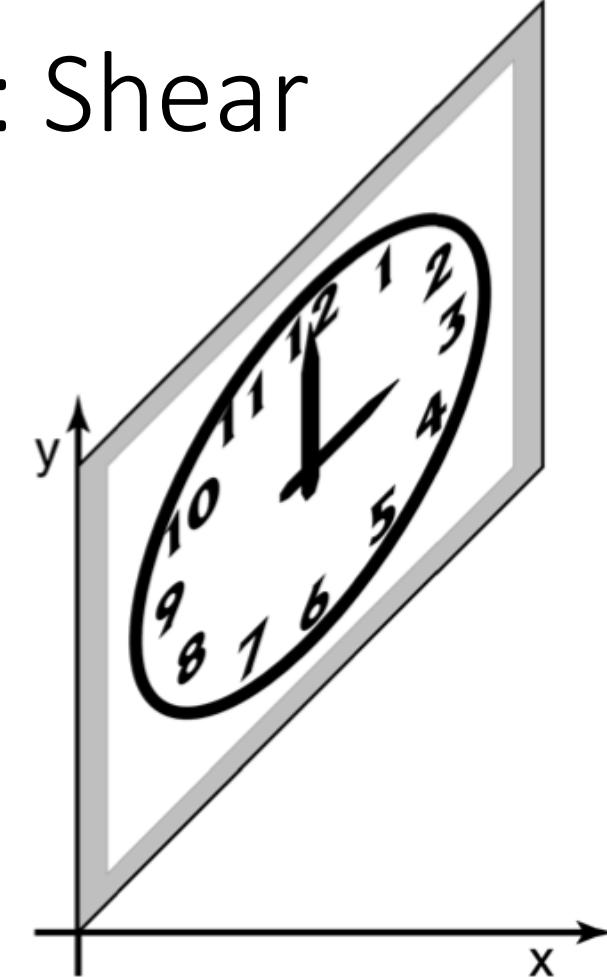
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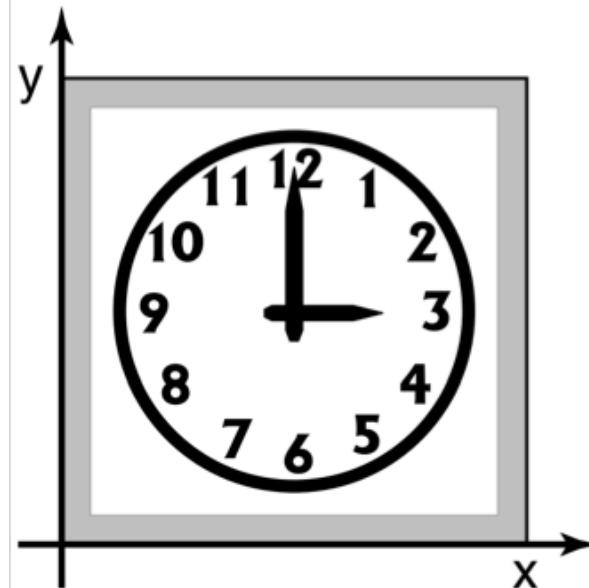
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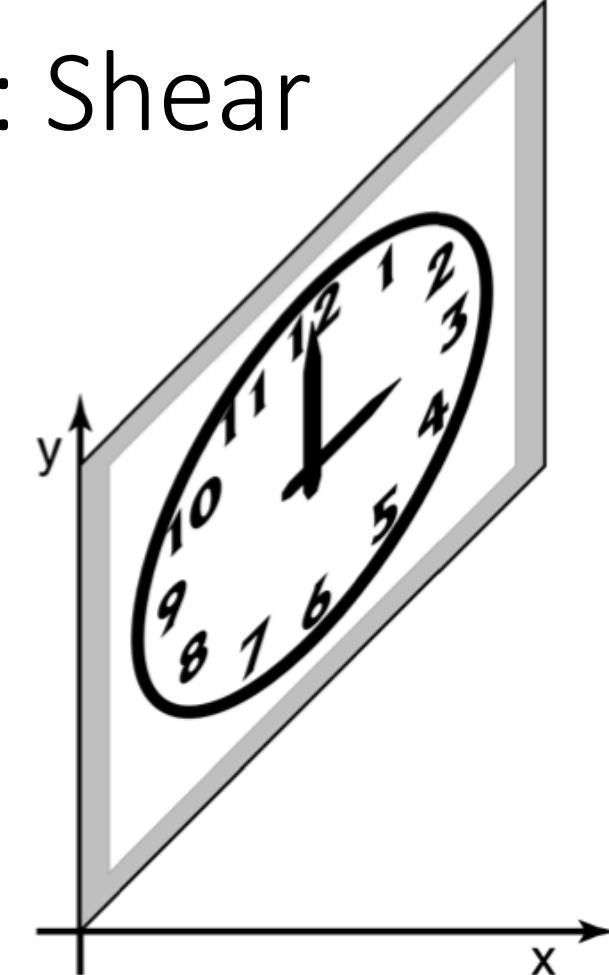
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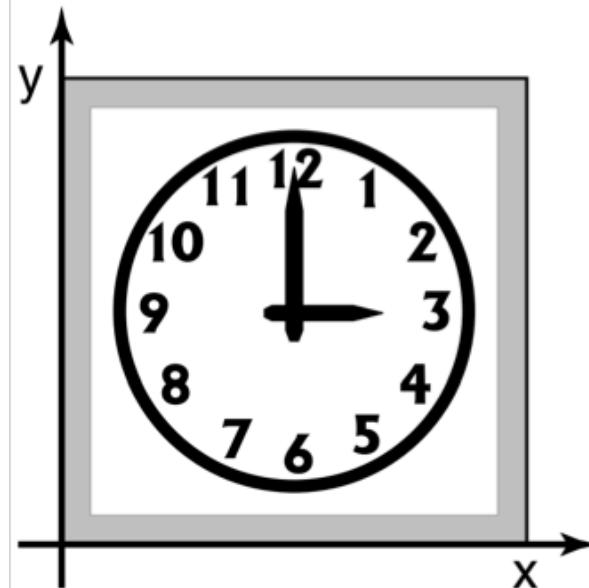


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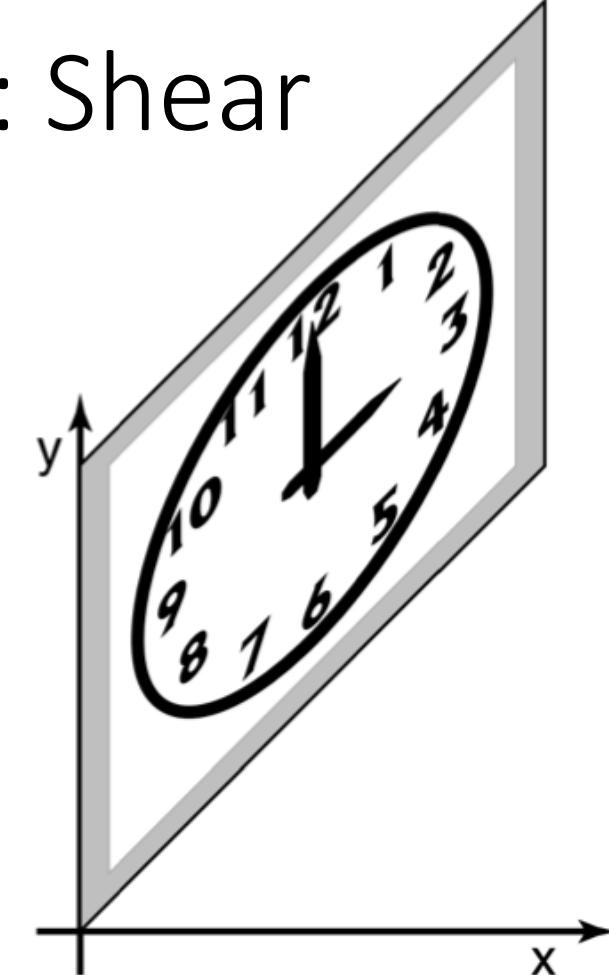


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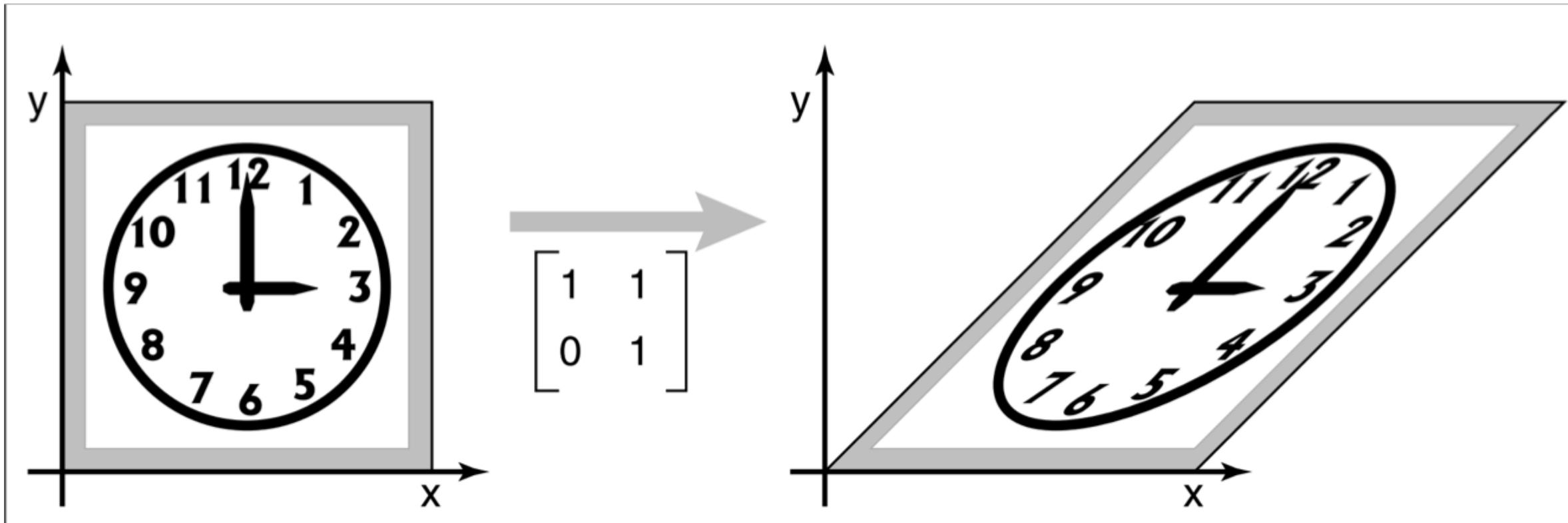


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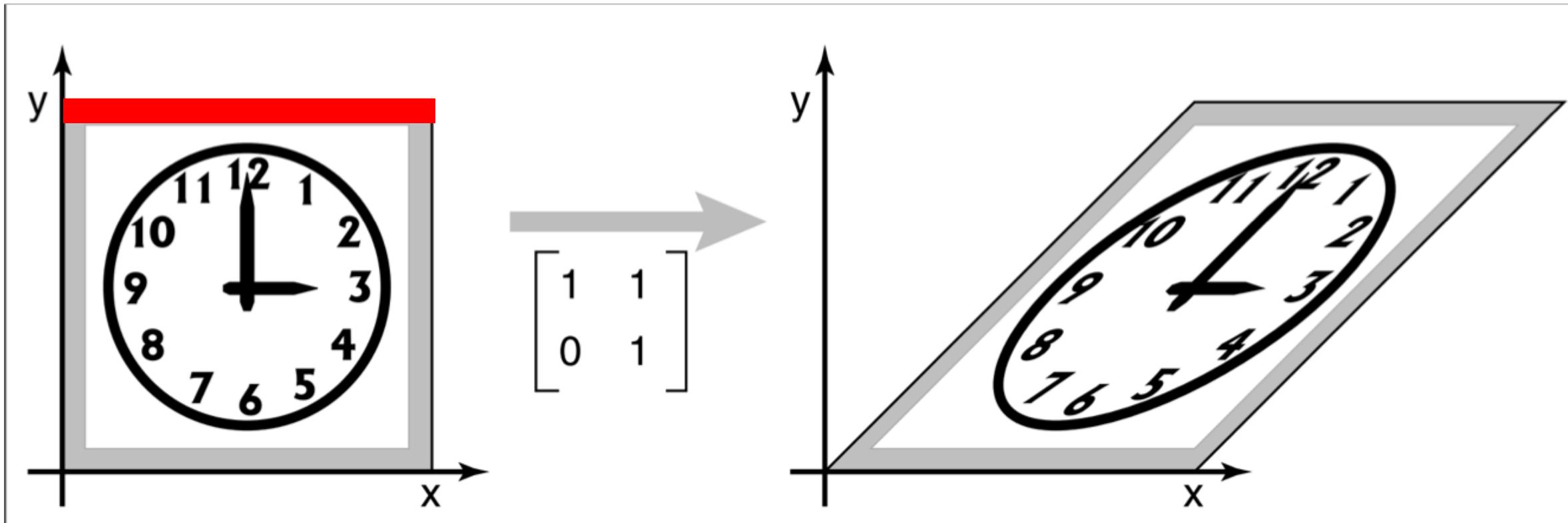


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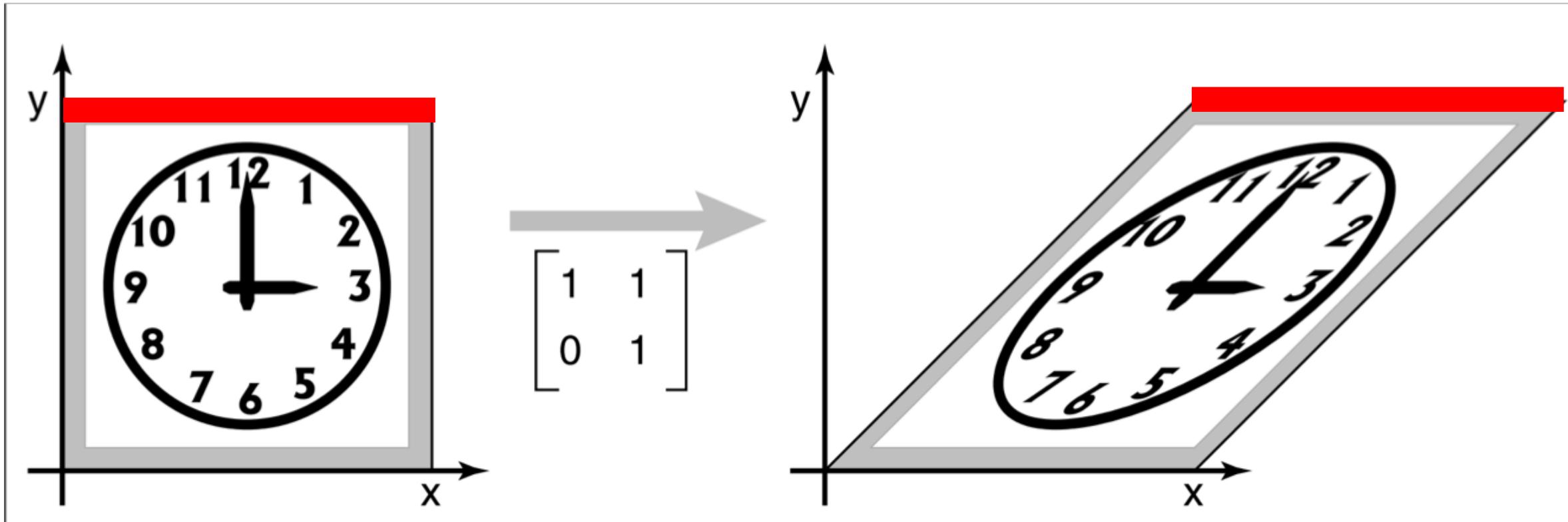
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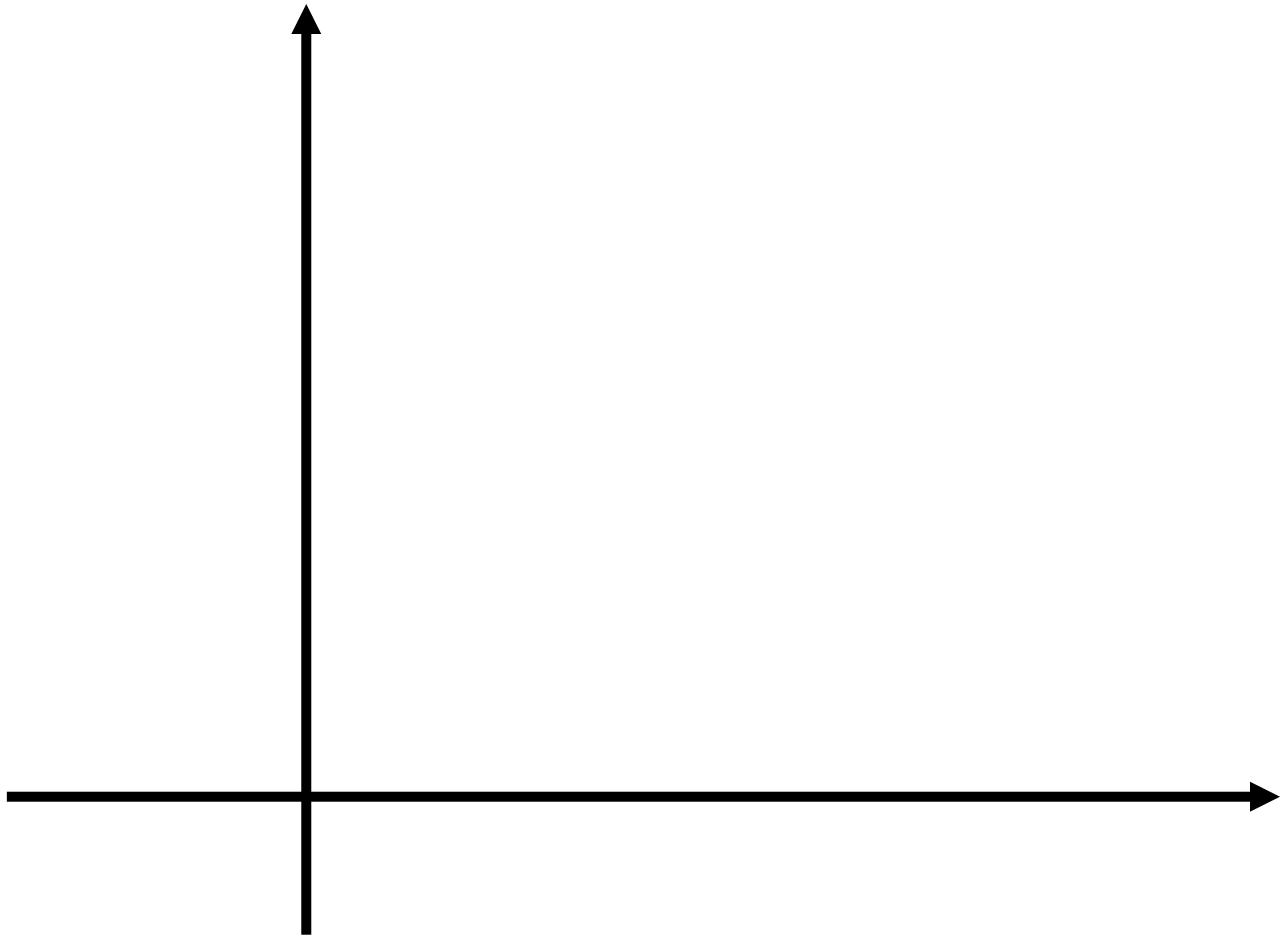


These are always the same length

Linear transformations in 2D: Rotate

$$x_a = r \cos \alpha$$

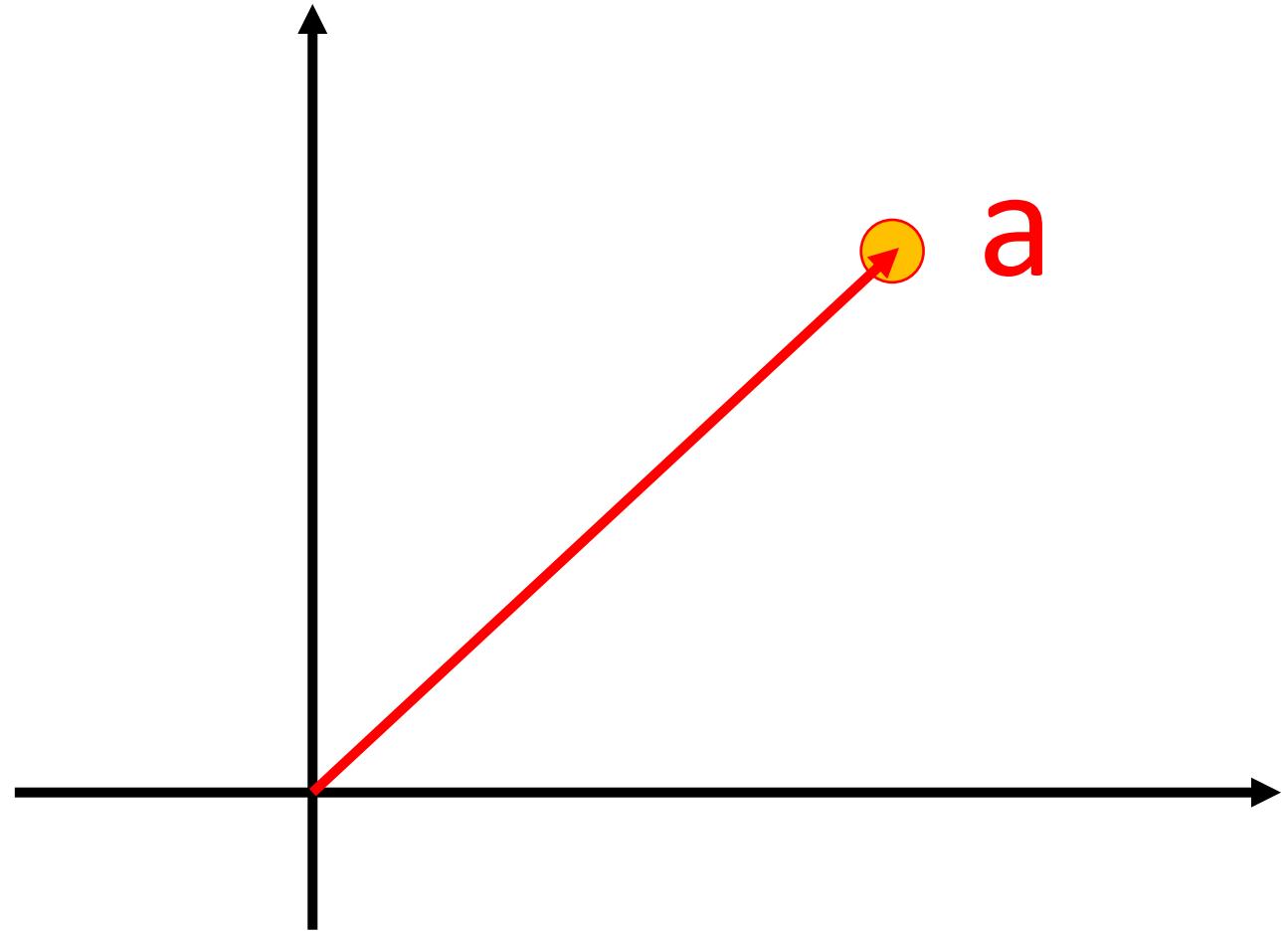
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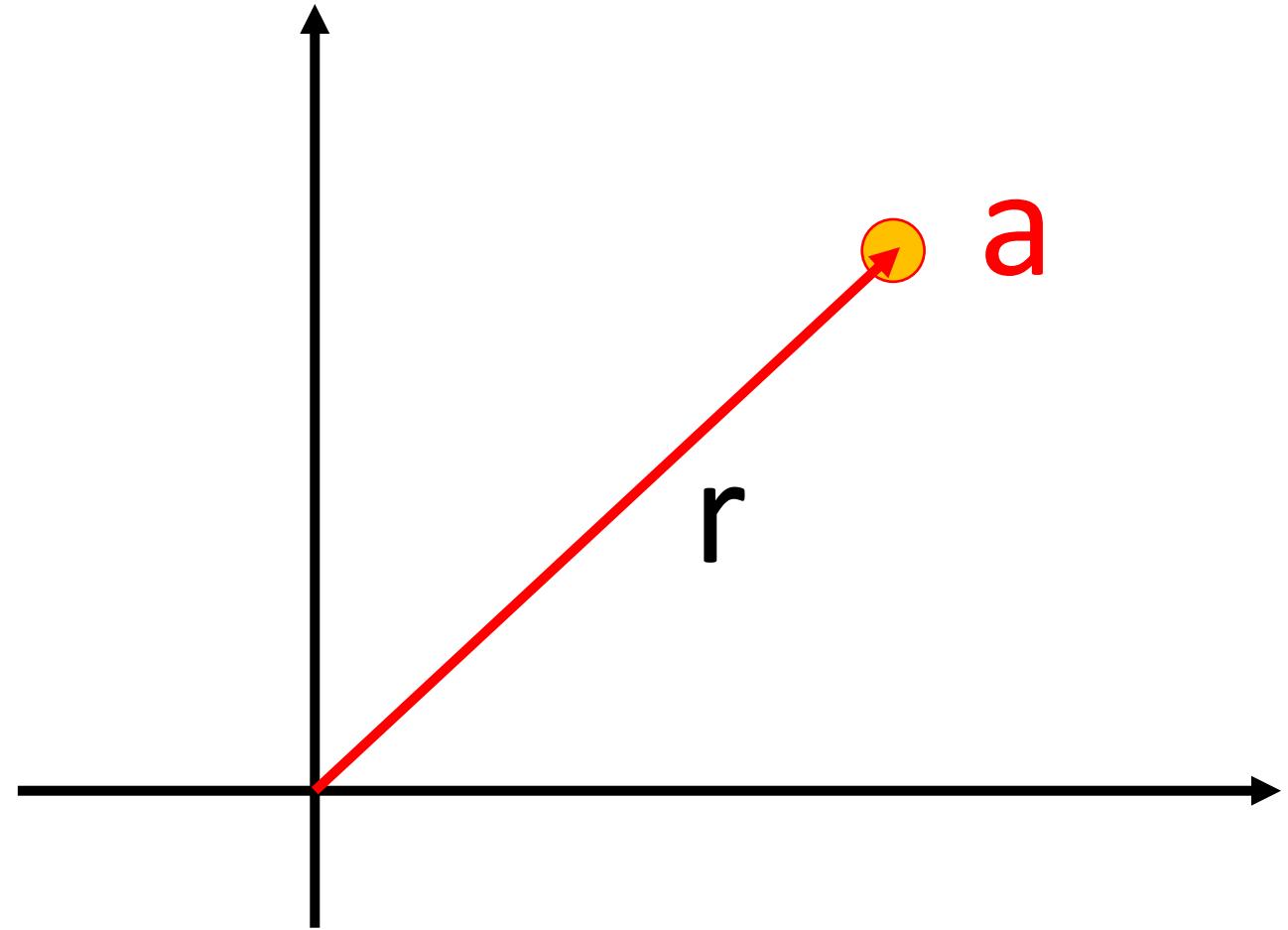
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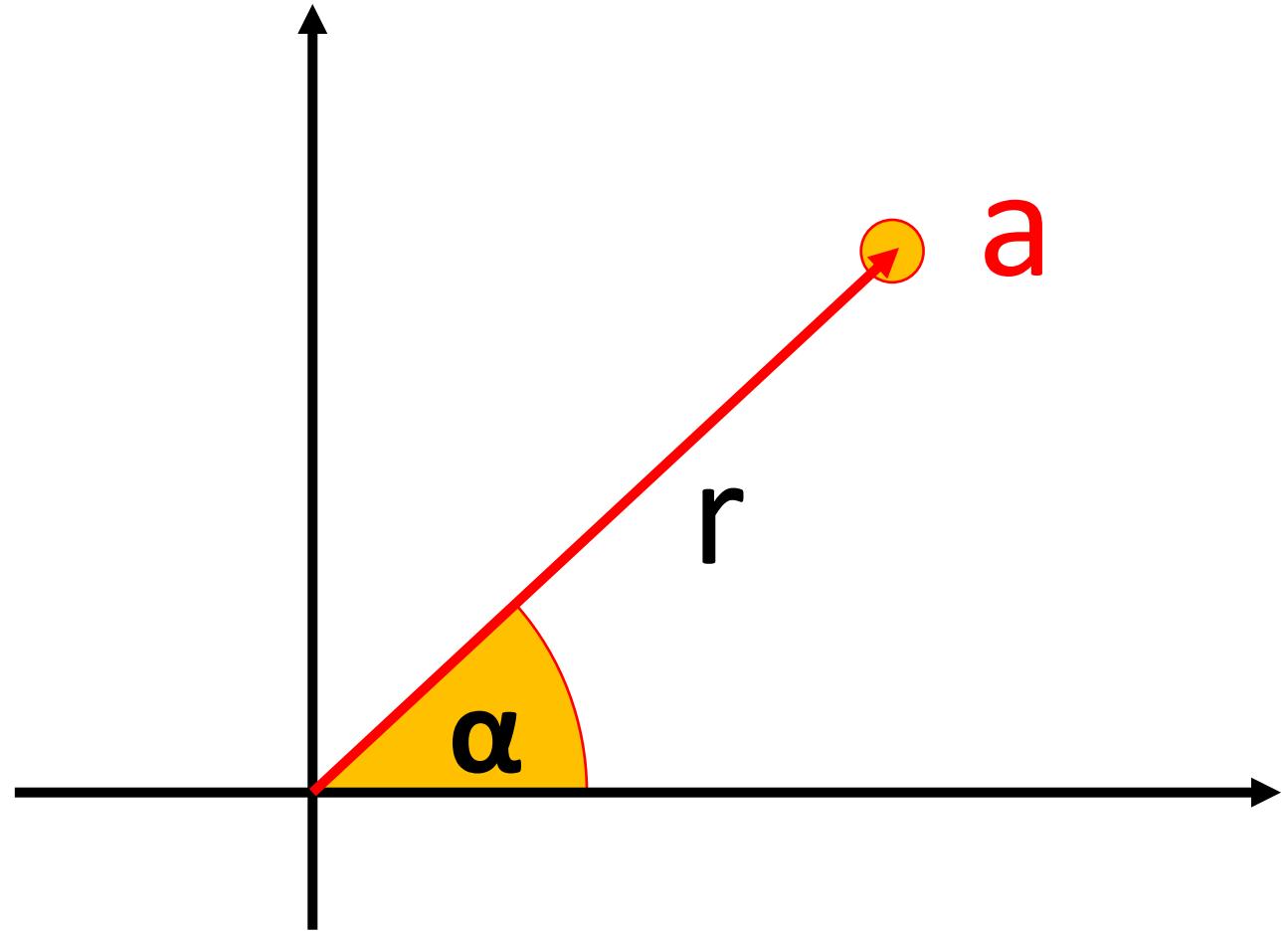
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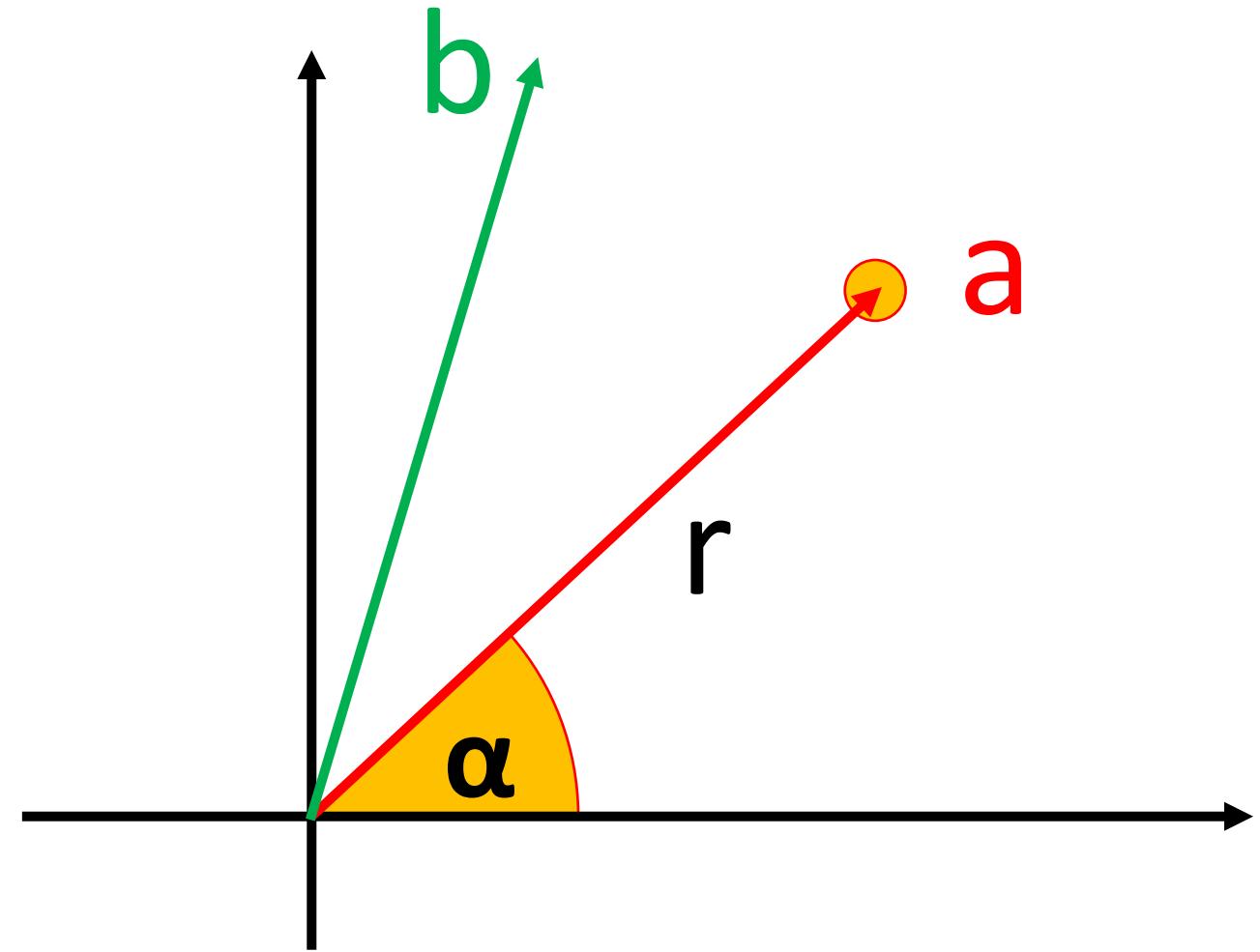
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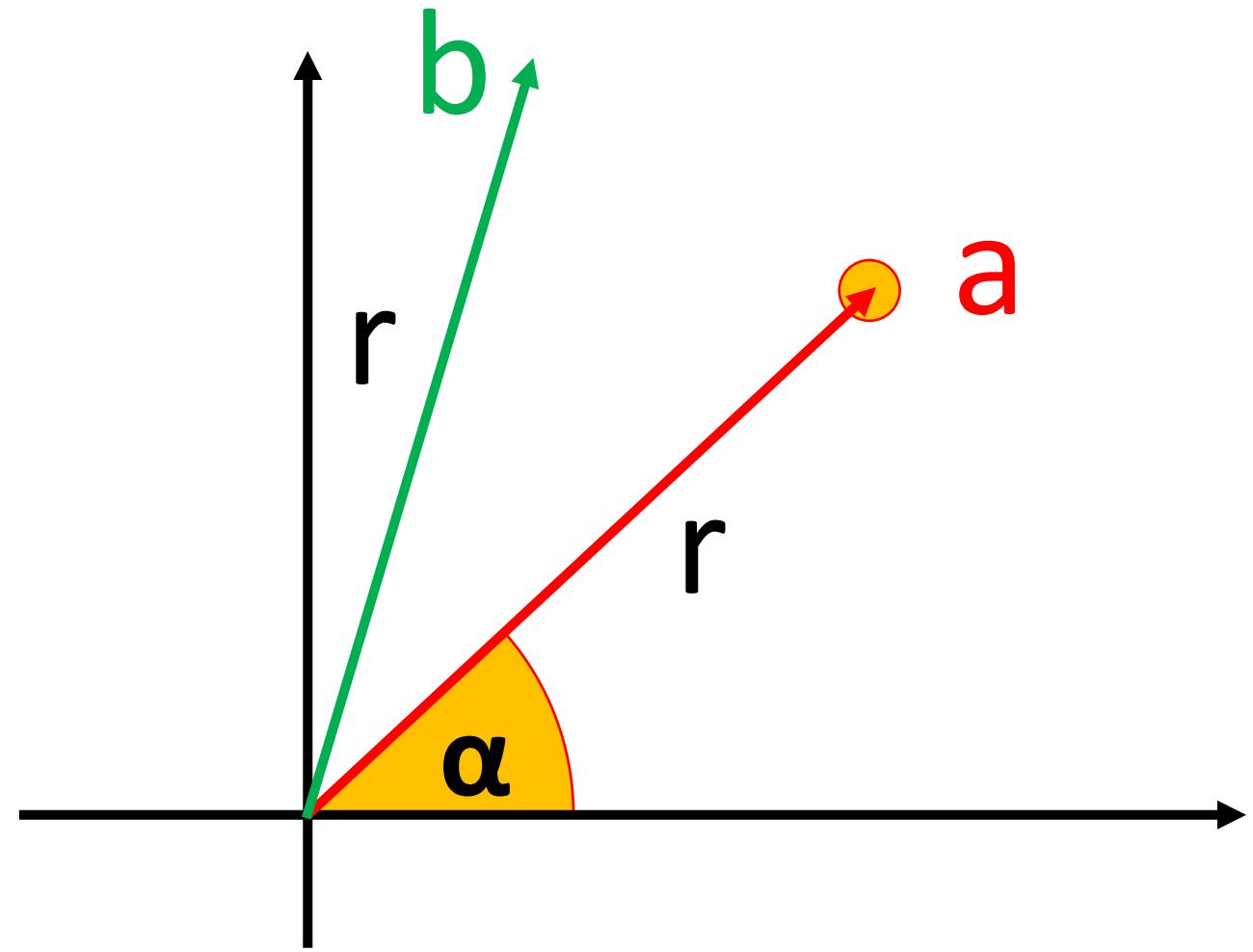
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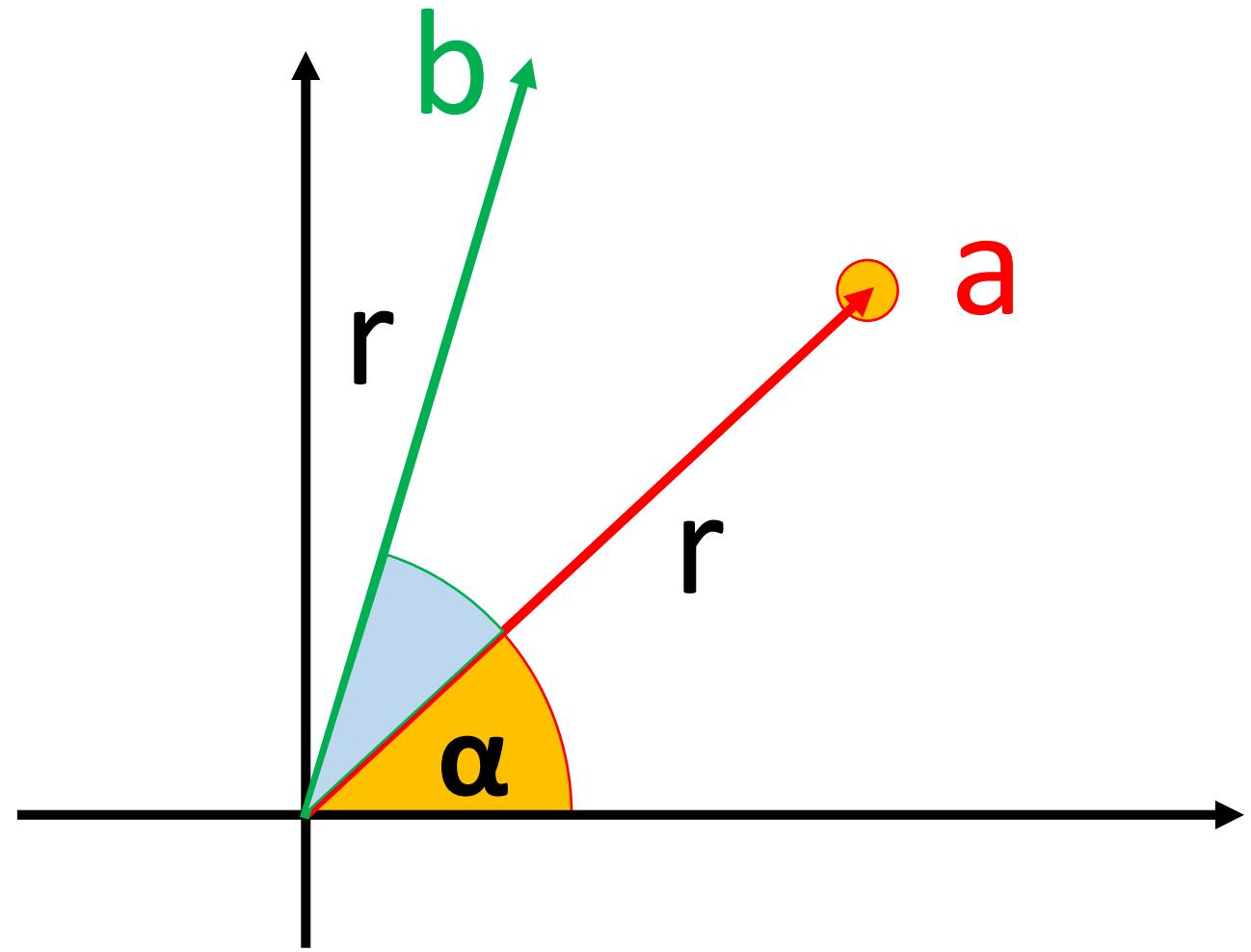
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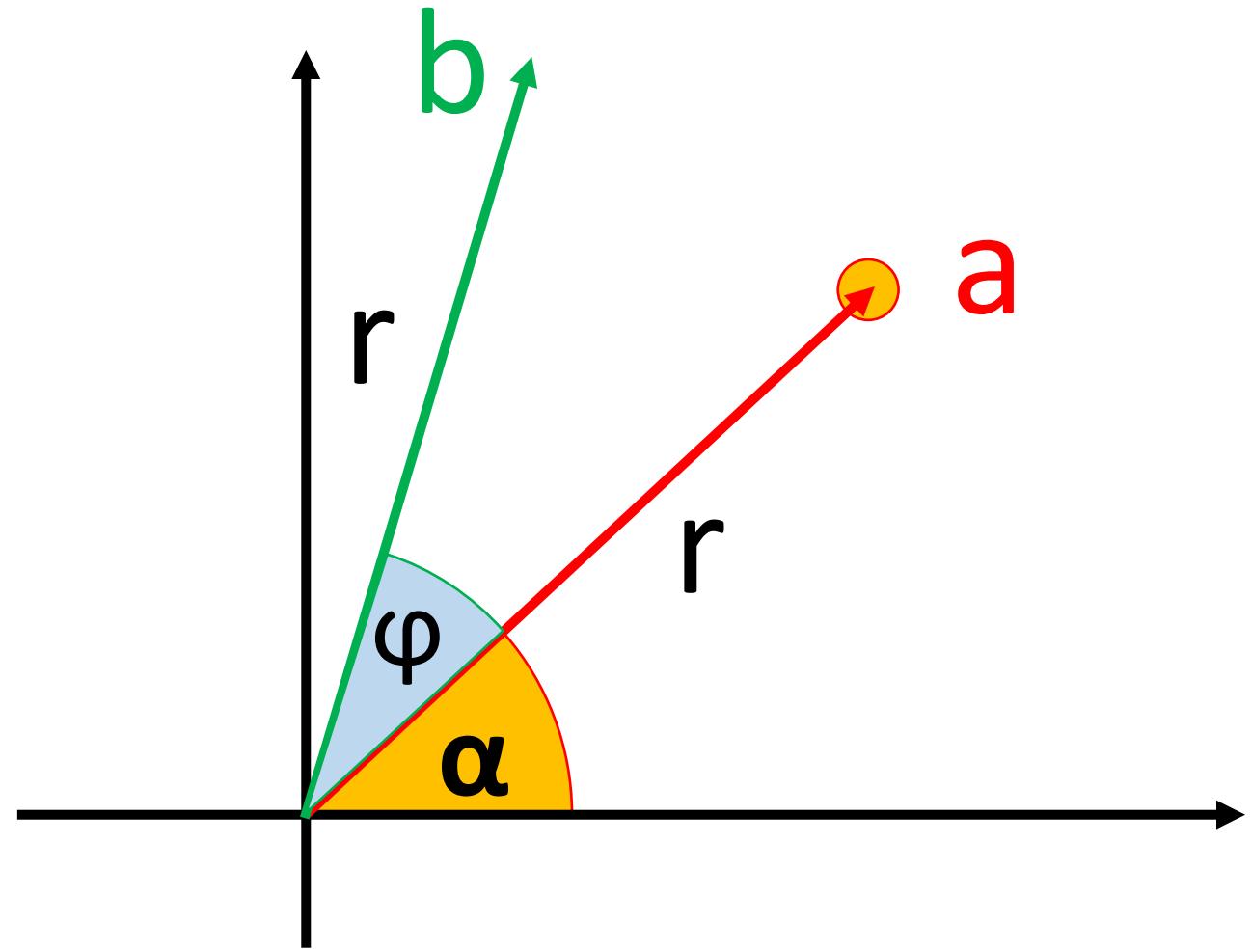
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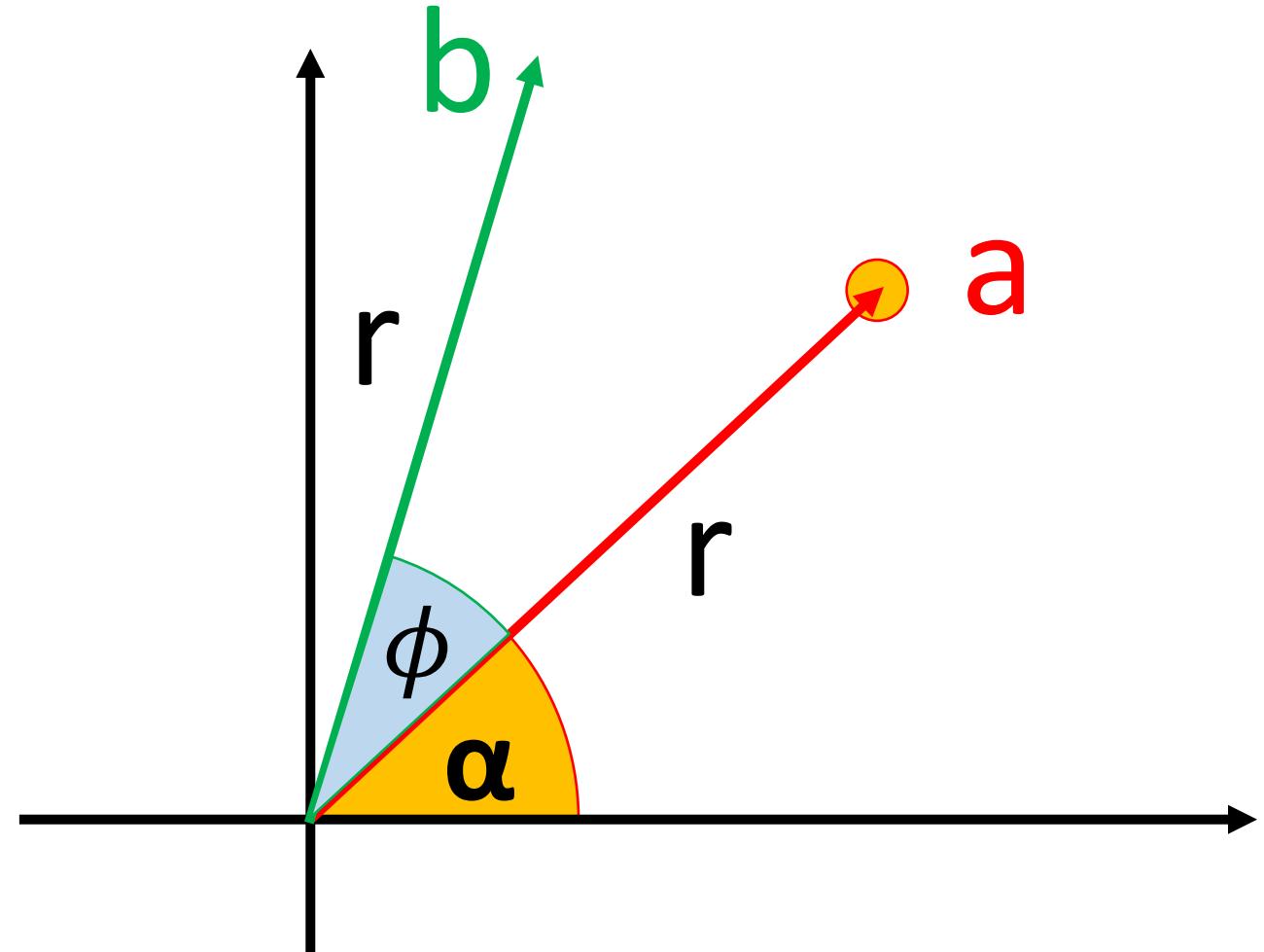
Linear transformations in 2D: Rotate

$$x_a = r \cos \alpha$$

$$y_a = r \sin \alpha$$

$$x_b = r \cos(\alpha + \phi)$$

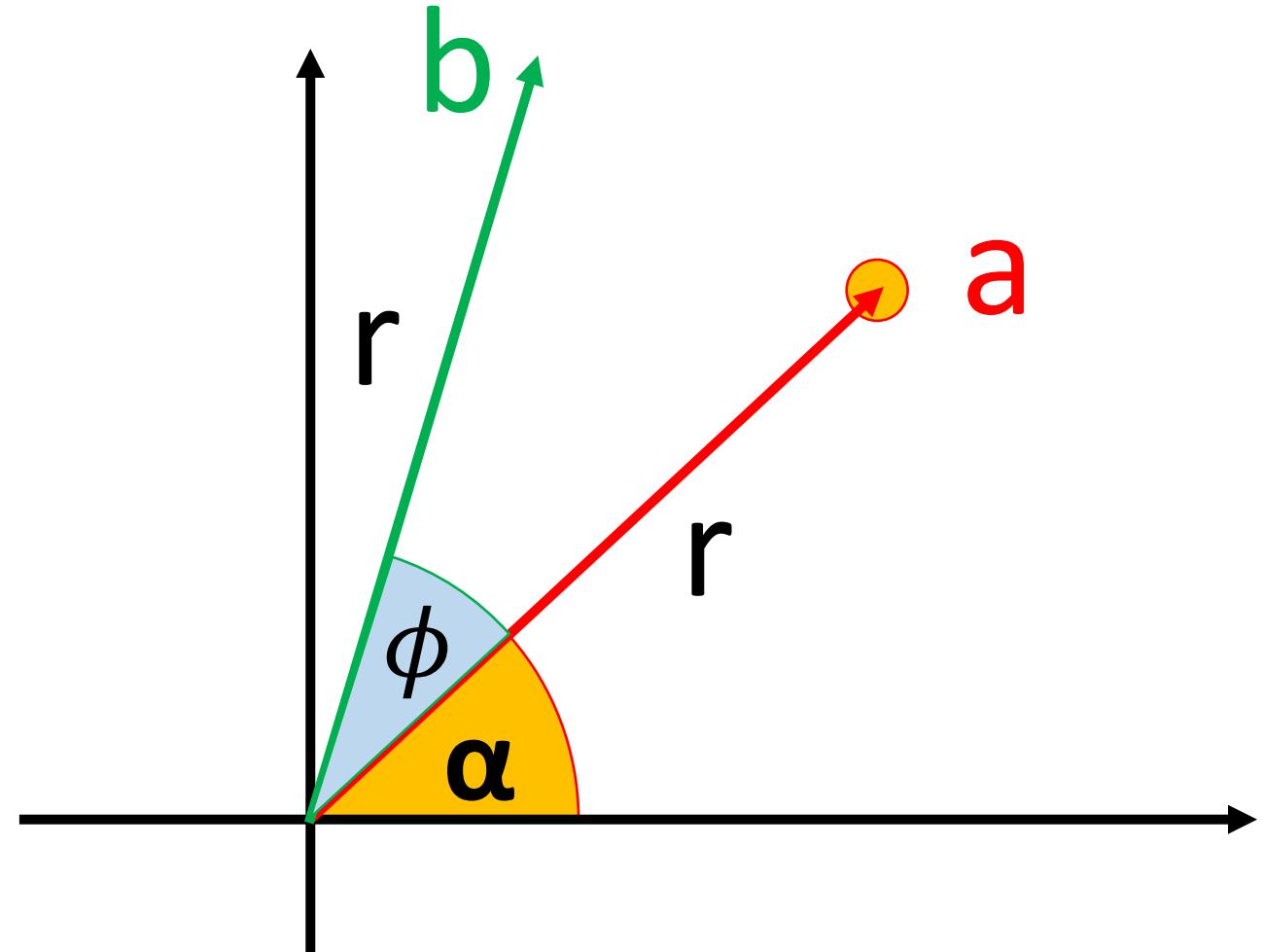
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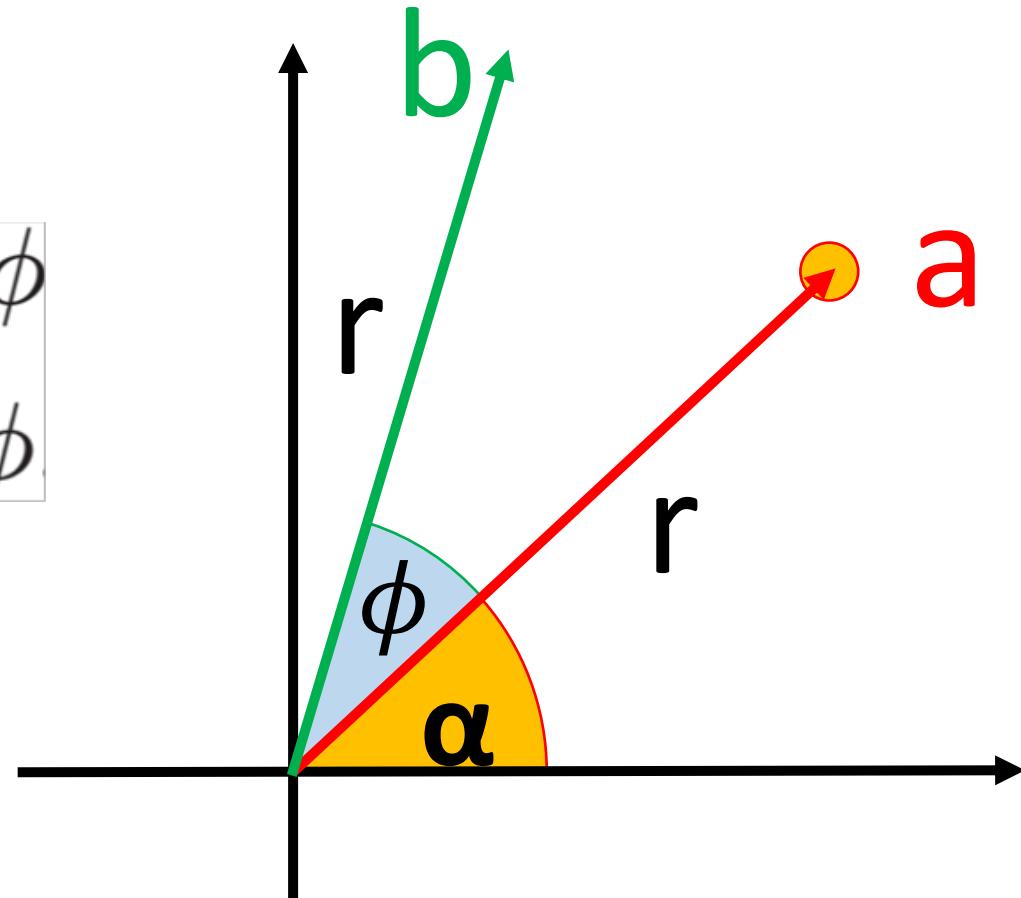
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Linear transformations in 2D: Rotate

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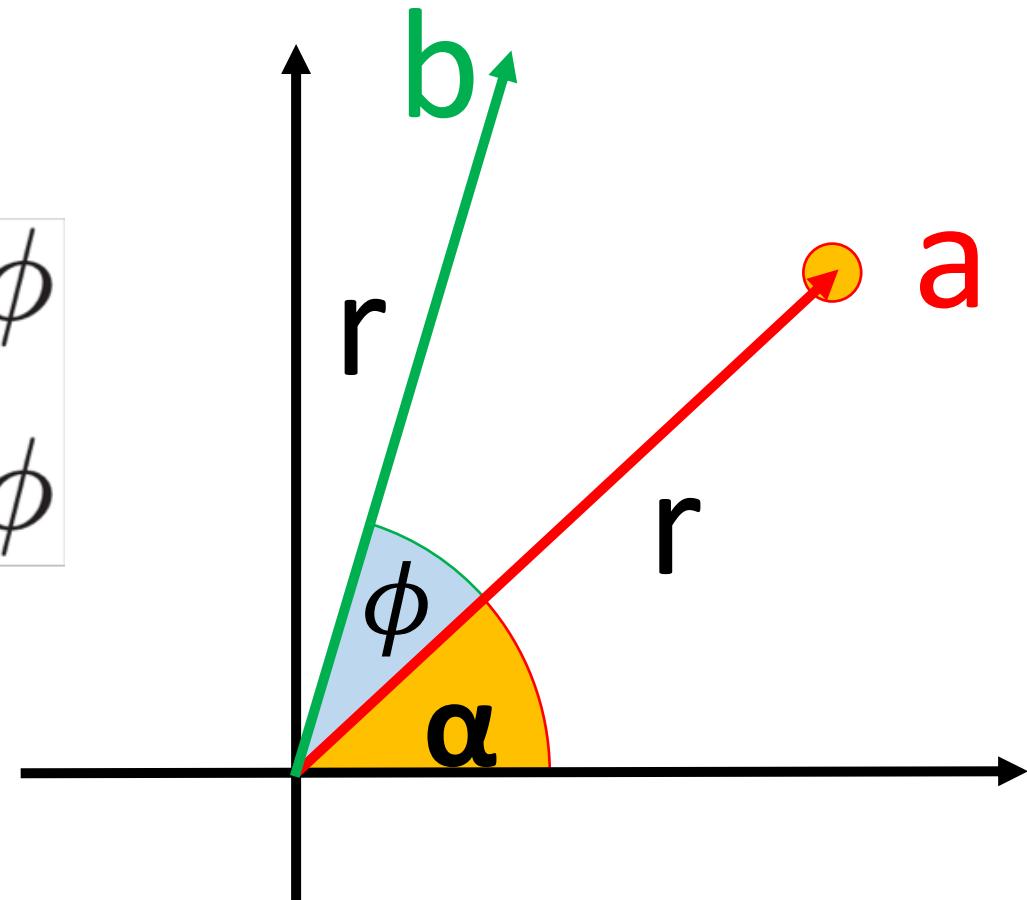
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Linear transformations in 2D: Rotate

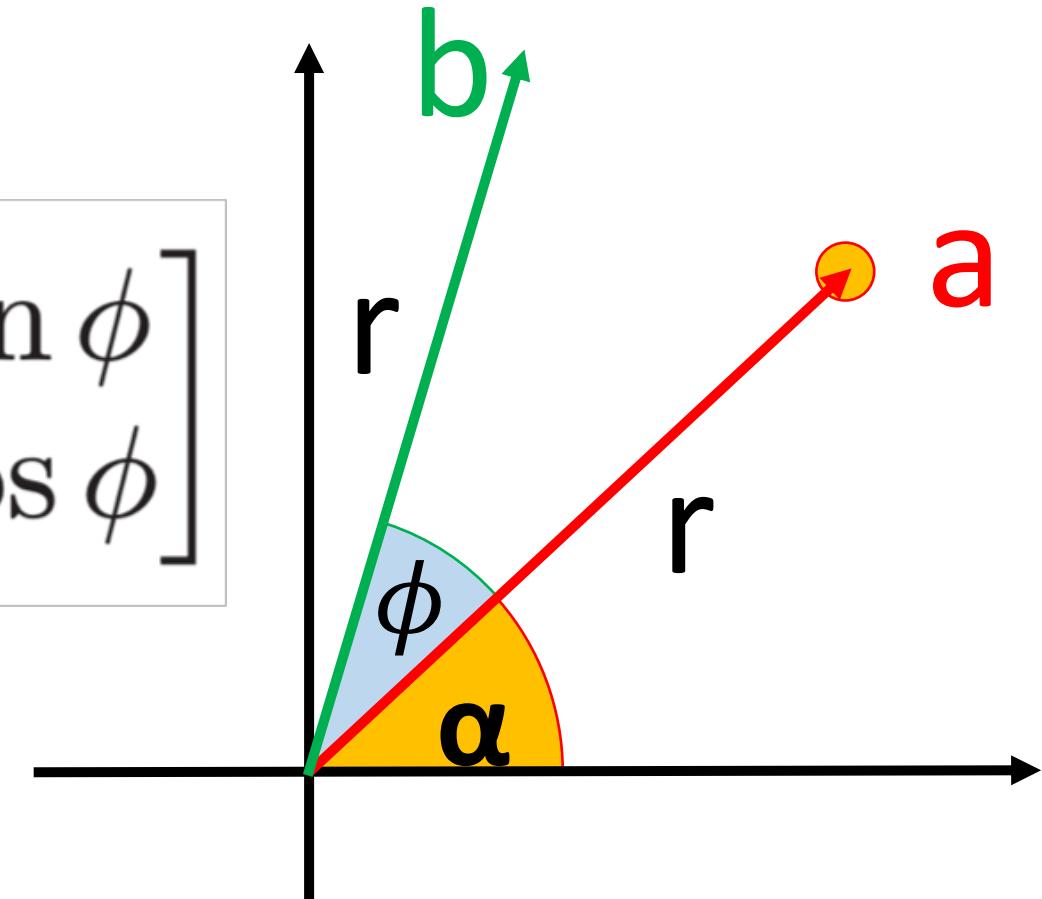
$$x_b = x_a \cos \phi - y_a \sin \phi$$

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Linear transformations in 2D: Rotate

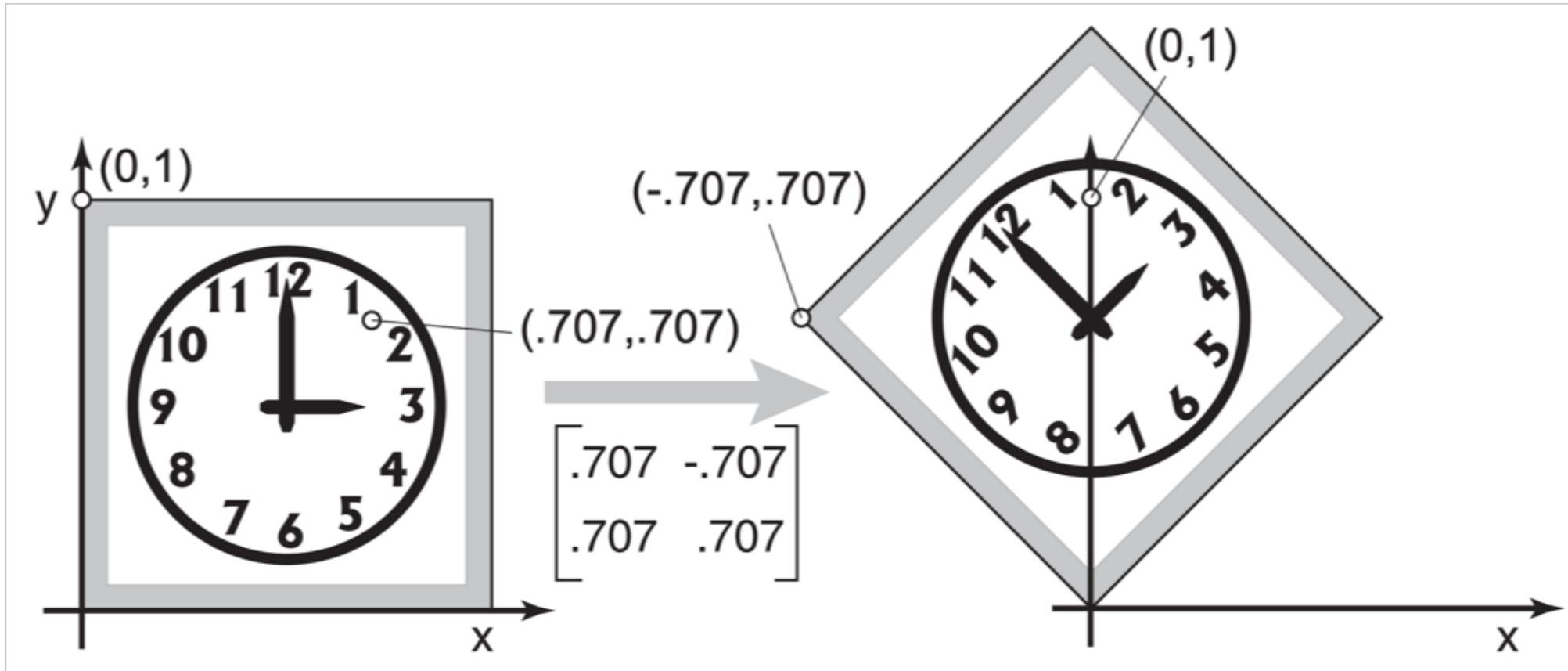
$$\text{rotate}(\phi) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \phi & -\sin \phi \\ \sin \phi & \cos \phi \end{bmatrix}$$



Linear transformations in 2D: Rotate

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos \frac{\pi}{4} & -\sin \frac{\pi}{4} \\ \sin \frac{\pi}{4} & \cos \frac{\pi}{4} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.707 & -0.707 \\ 0.707 & 0.707 \end{bmatrix}$$

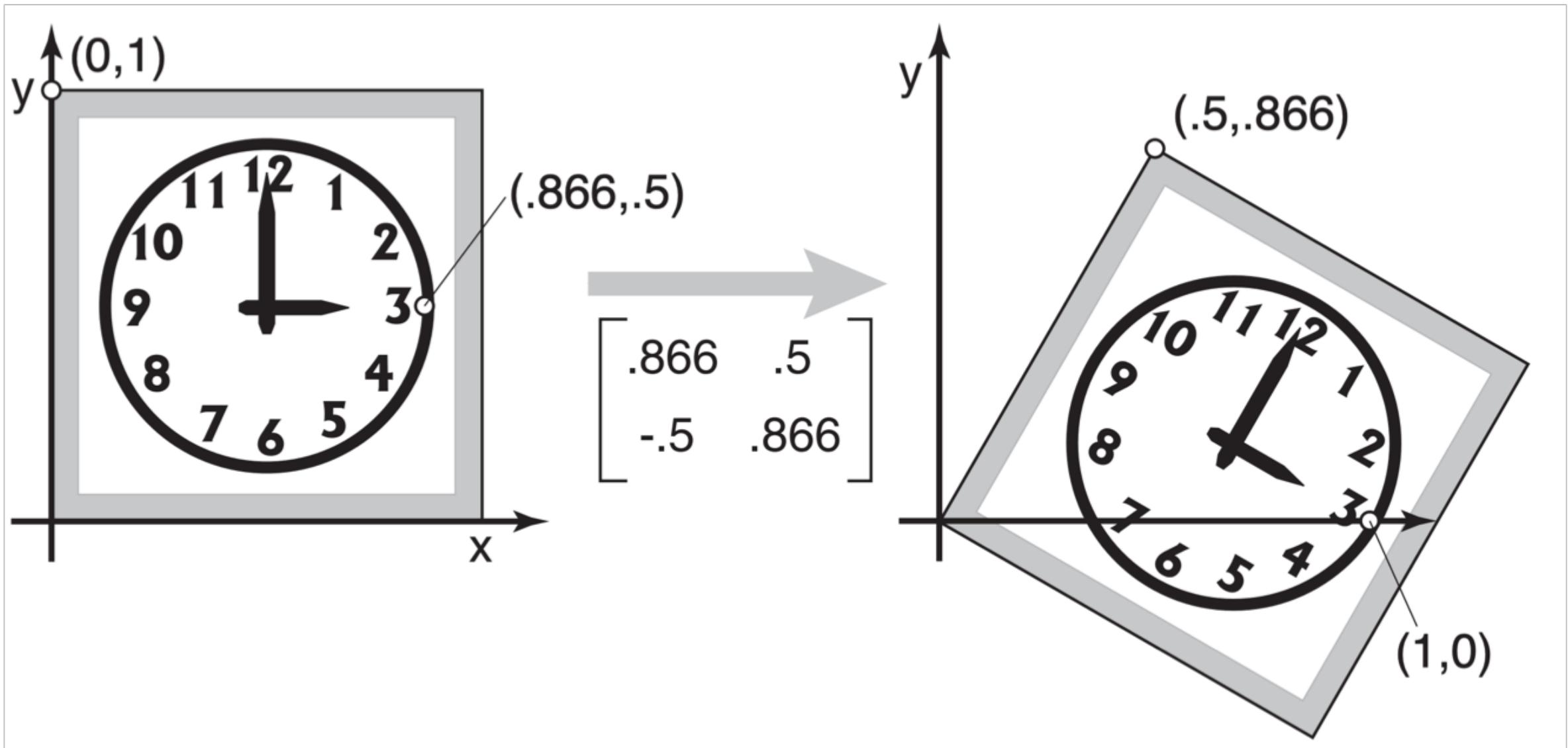
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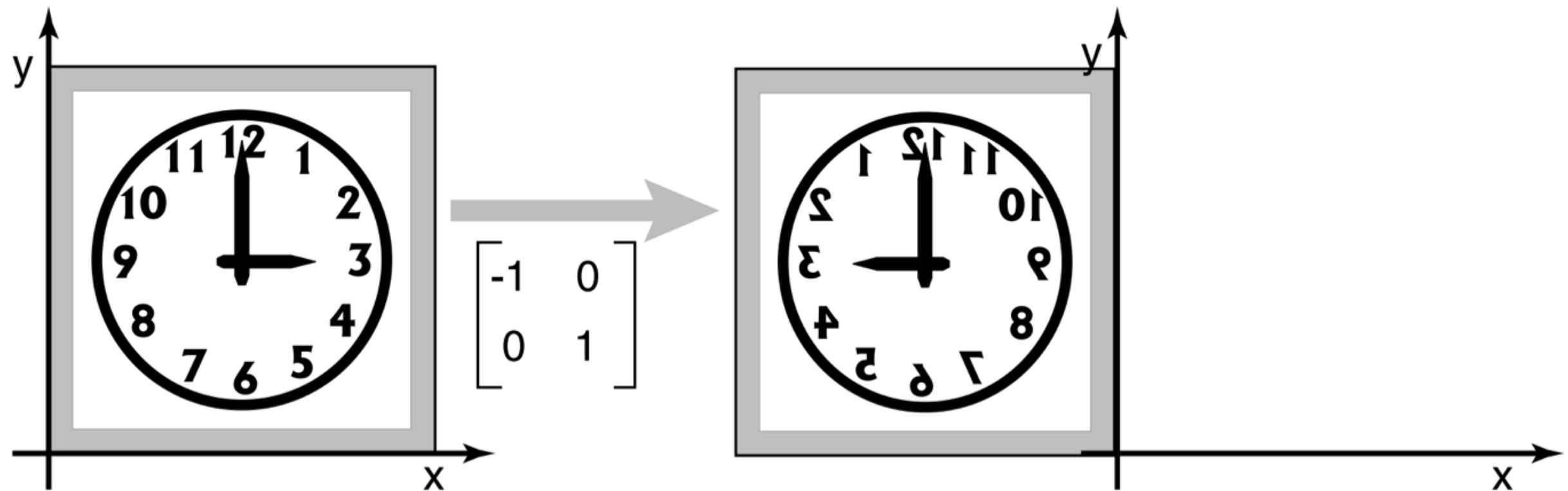
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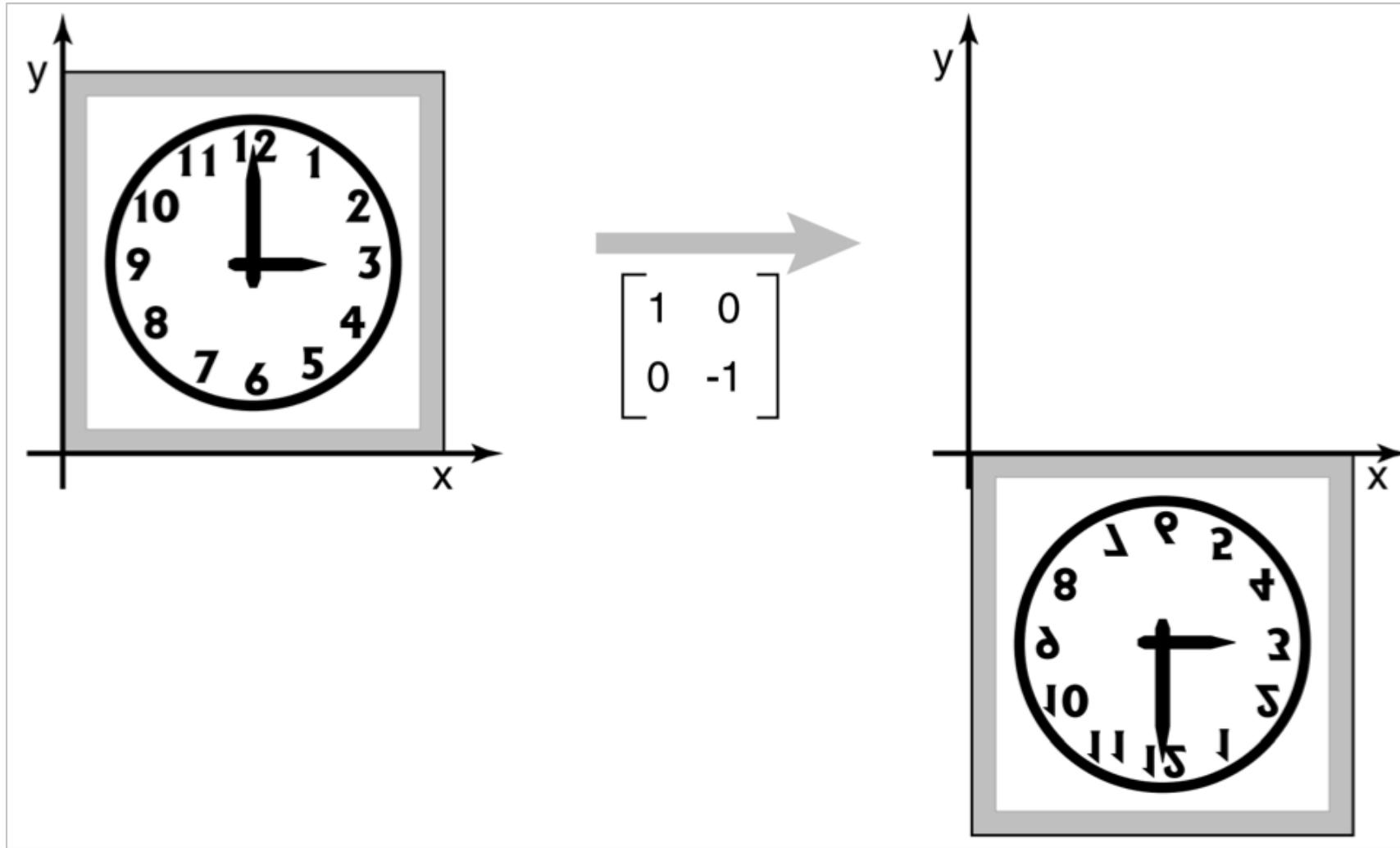
Linear transformations in 2D: Reflect

$$\text{reflect-y} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{reflect-x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

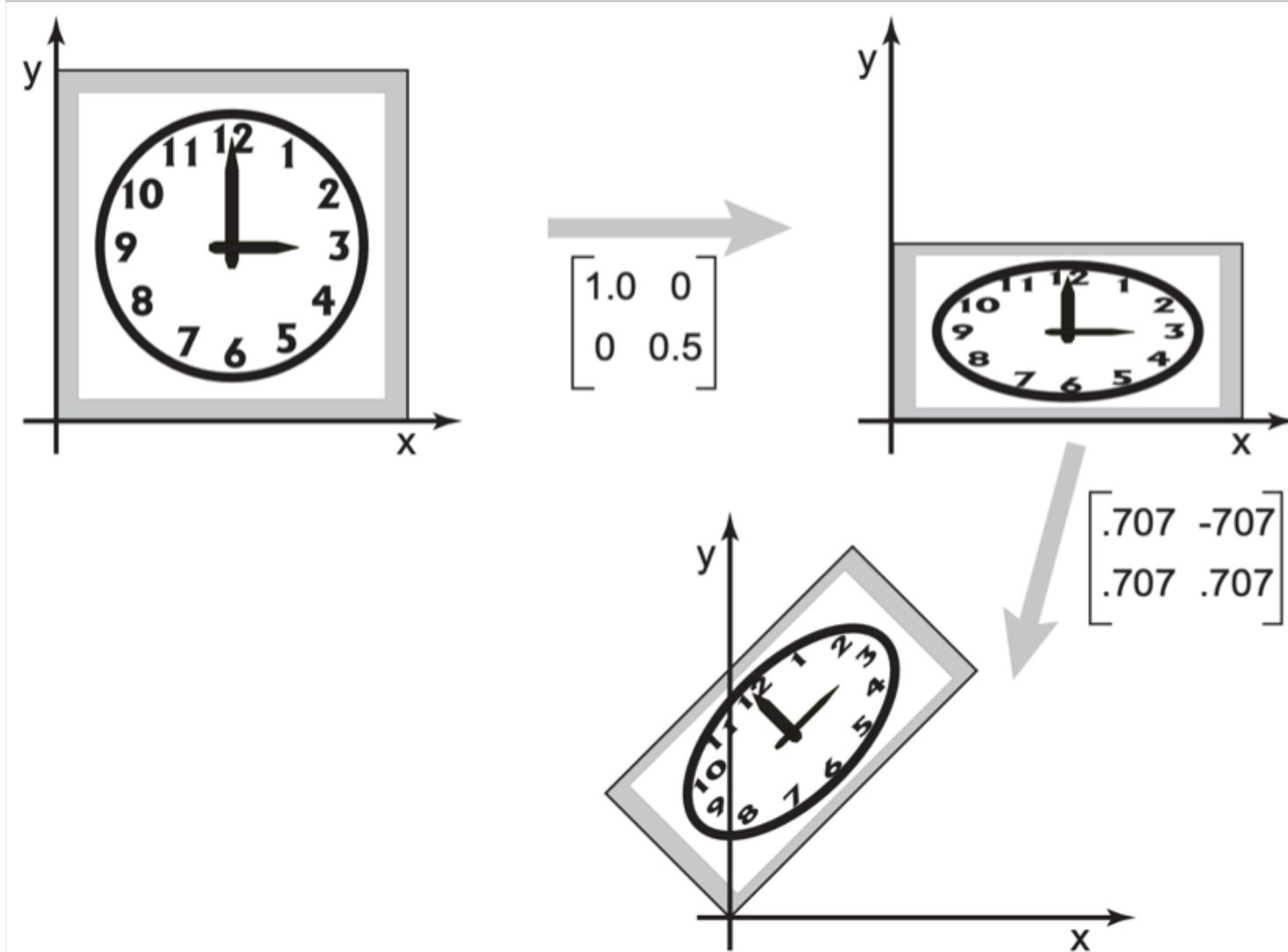
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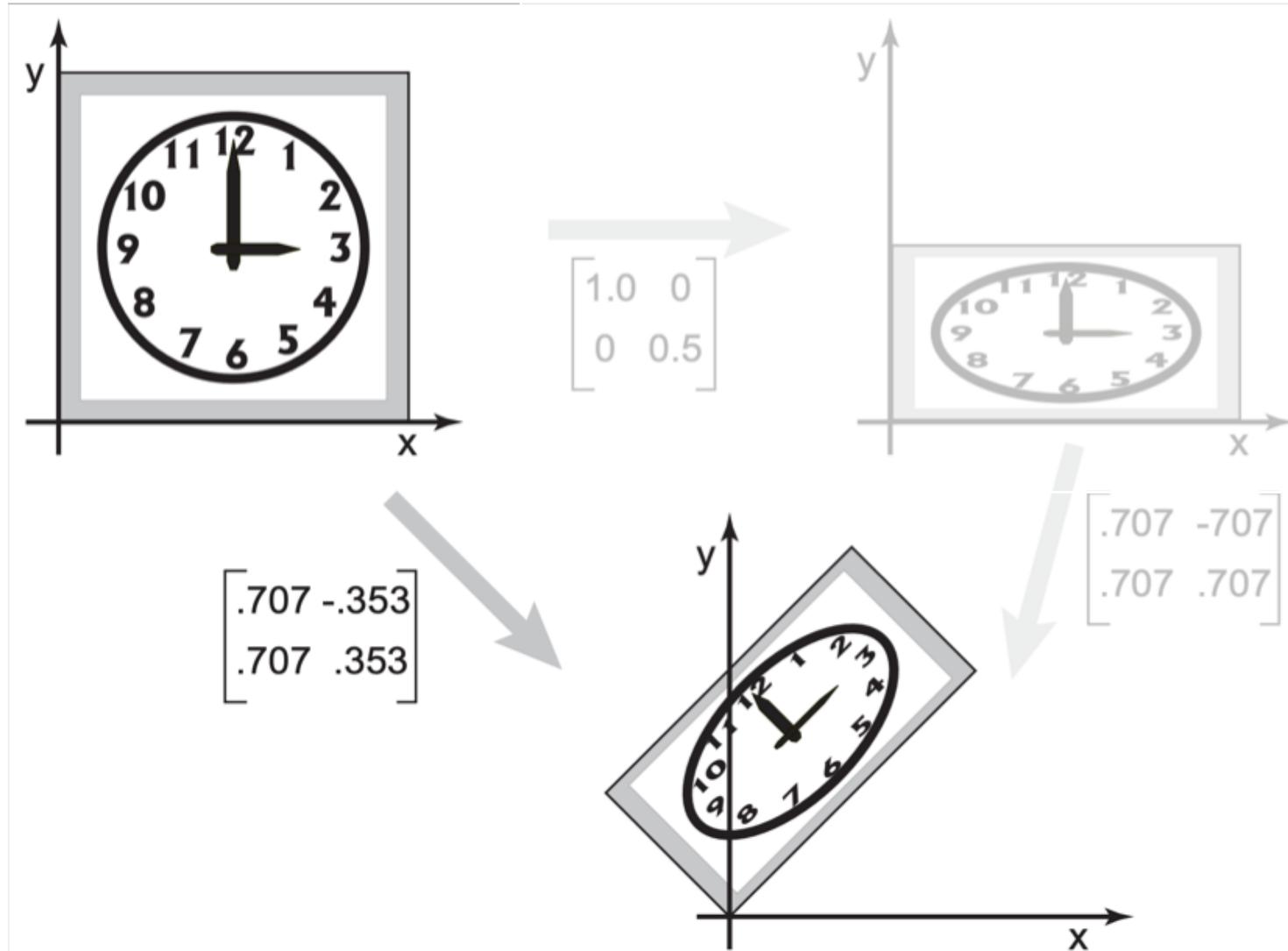
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Composing transformations

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(I even messed it up the first time I made this slide)

Why that order?

$$Ax = b$$

Matrix multiplication is applied
to the left of the vector

Composing transformations

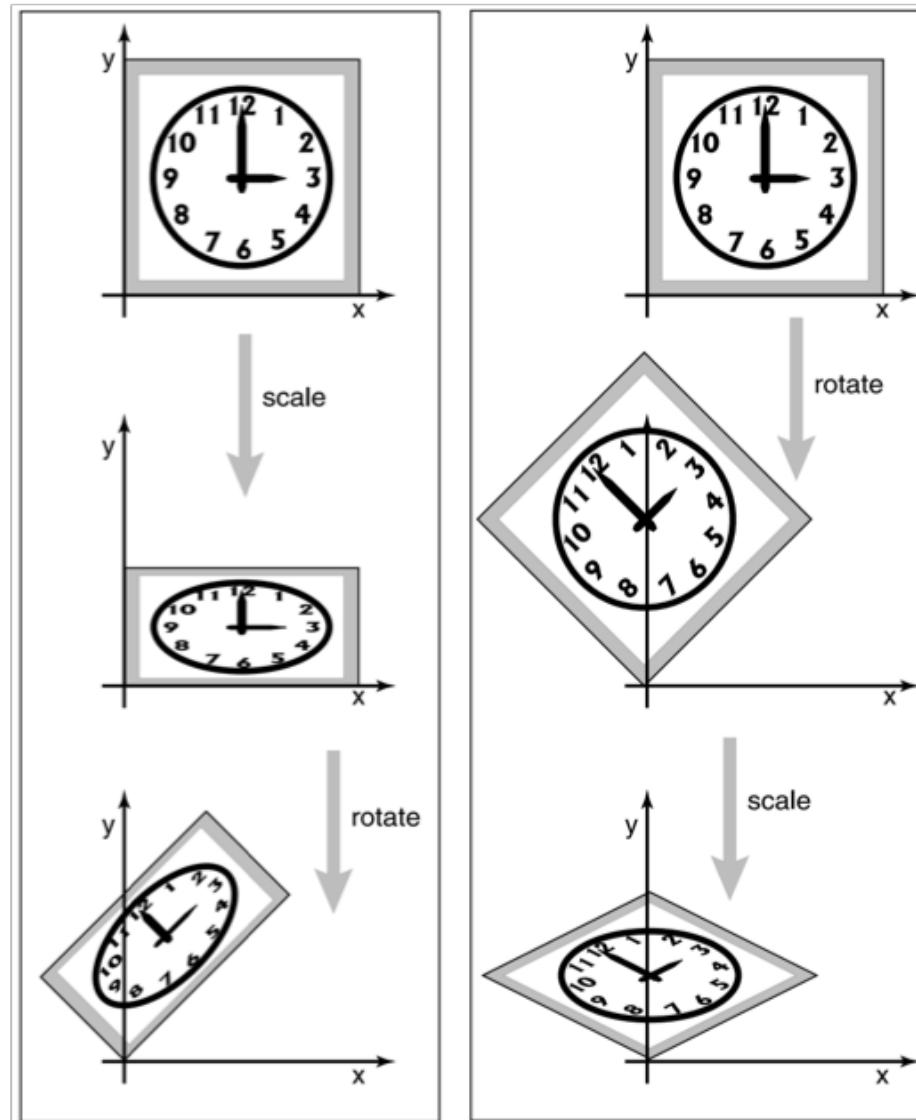
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Pop quiz!
(Not for marks)

Write down a non-zero
rotation and a non-uniform
scale that do commute

Example:

Rotation by 180°

Scale in x by 0.5

Scale in y by 2

Linear transformations in 2D: Inverses

Inverse Scaling

$$\begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 \\ 0 & s_y \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{s_x} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{s_y} \end{bmatrix}$$

Linear transformations in 2D: Inverses

Inverse Shearing

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

Linear transformations in 2D: Inverses

Inverse Rotation

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos(\phi) & -\sin(\phi) \\ \sin(\phi) & \cos(\phi) \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(-\phi) & -\sin(-\phi) \\ \sin(-\phi) & \cos(-\phi) \end{bmatrix}$$

Linear transformations in 2D: Inverses

Inverse Reflection

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

Linear transformations in 3D: Scaling

2D

$$\begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 \\ 0 & s_y \end{bmatrix}$$

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2D

$$\begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 \\ 0 & s_y \end{bmatrix}$$

3D

$$\begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & s_z \end{bmatrix}$$

Linear transformations in 3D: Shearing

Horizontal 2D shear

3D shear in x coord

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

Linear transformations in 3D: Shearing

Horizontal 2D shear

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3D shear in x coord

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

Linear transformations in 3D: Rotation

2D rotation

3D rotation around z axis

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3D rotation around z axis

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos \phi & -\sin \phi & 0 \\ \sin \phi & \cos \phi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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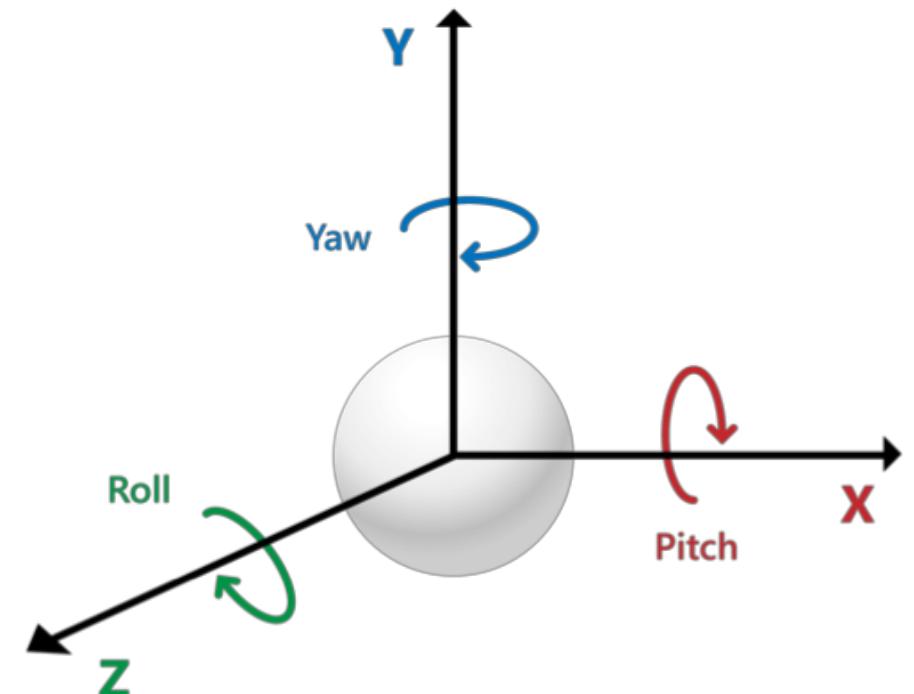


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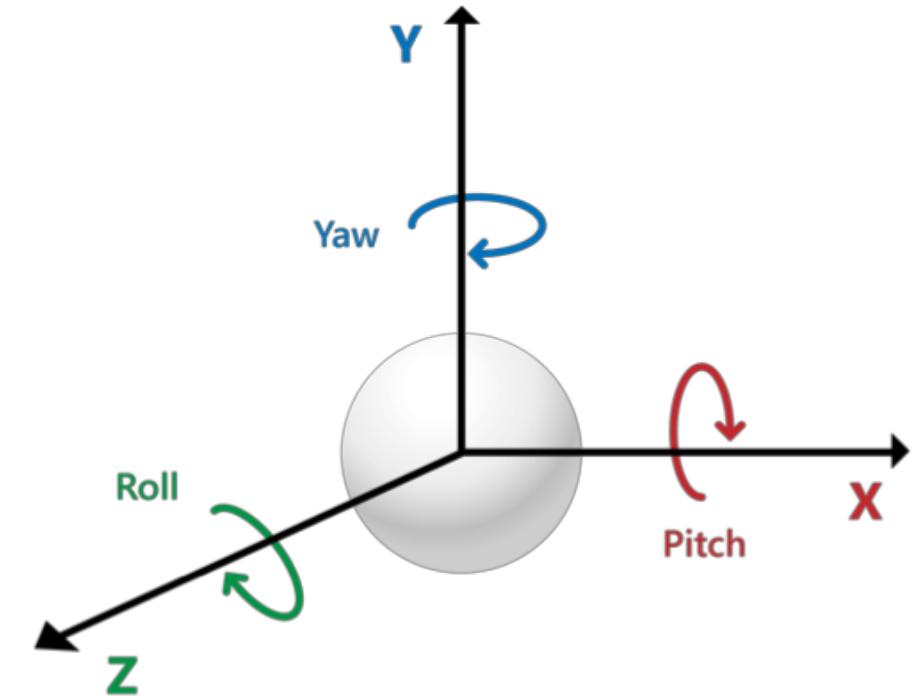


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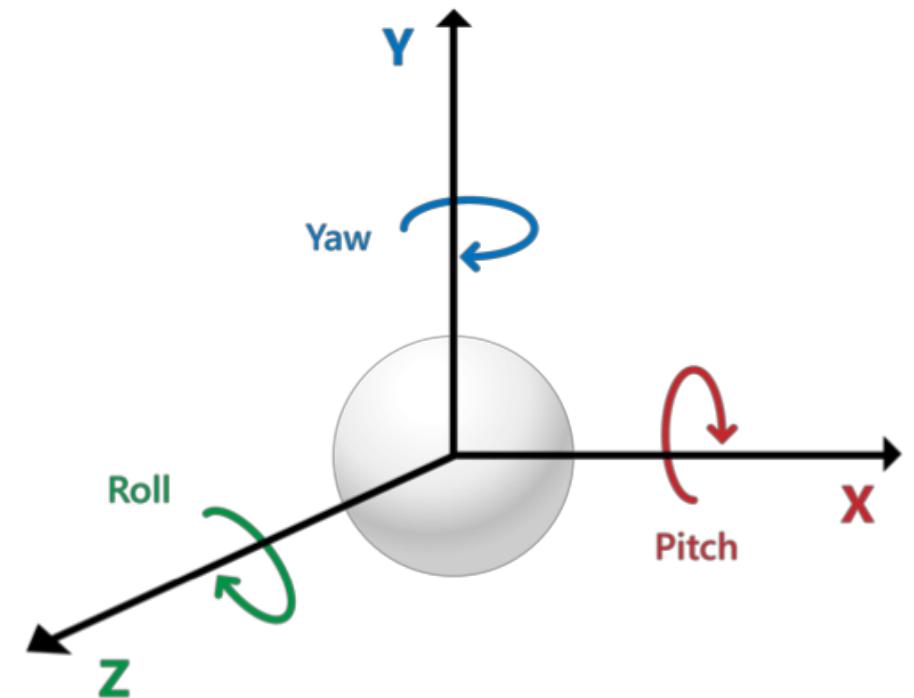


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Cycle order:

x -> y -> z -> x -> ...

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Gavin, what gives? Where's the translations?

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Recall, linear transformations
can be expressed as a matrix

$$Ax = b$$

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Imagine we had a matrix T
for performing translations

$$T \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x + t_x \\ y + t_y \end{bmatrix}$$

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So then:

$$T \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} t_x \\ t_y \end{bmatrix}$$

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This is feasible, but the bookkeeping is awkward
and the rule for composition is not as simple

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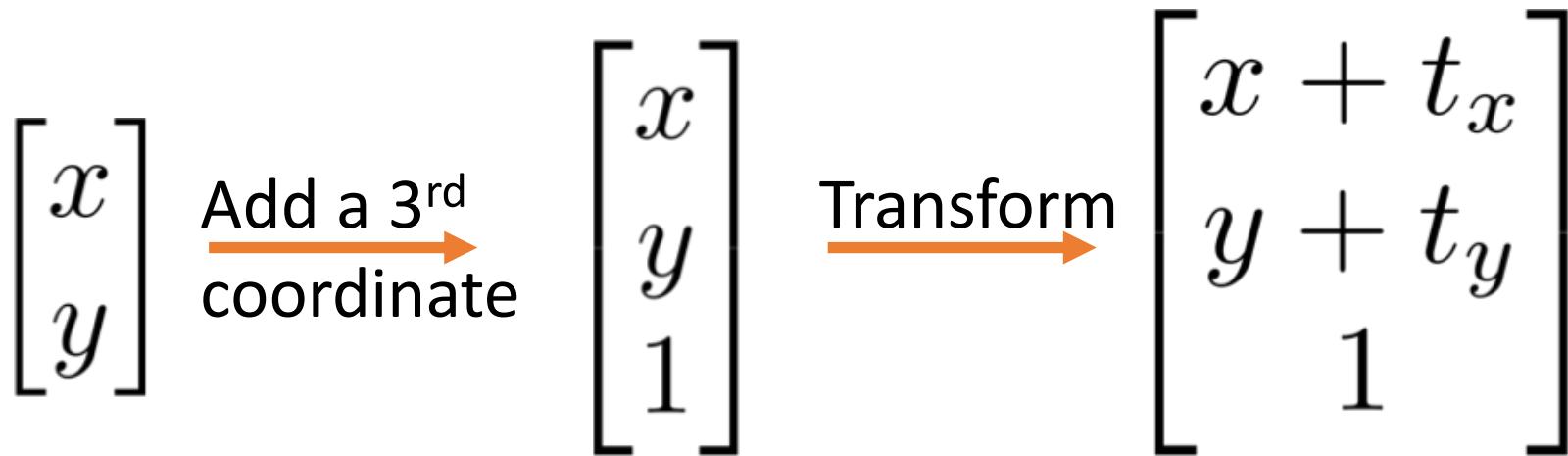
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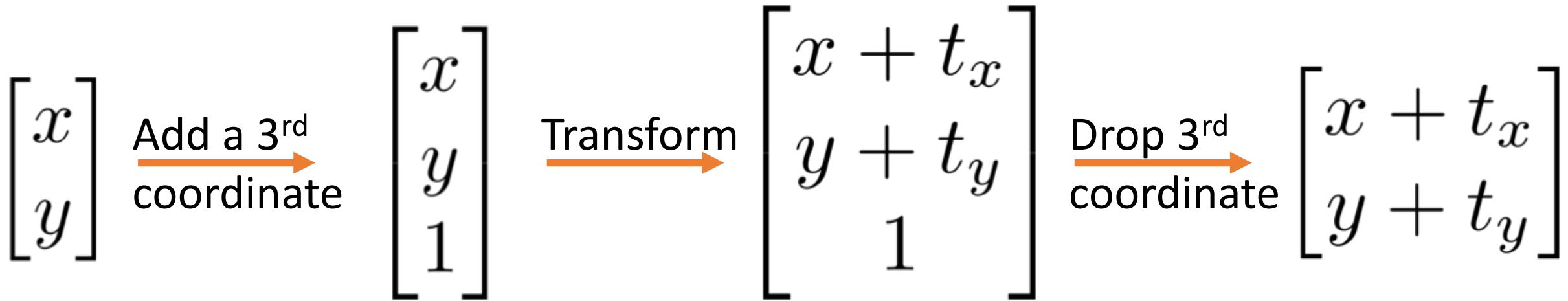
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Example: scaling matrix

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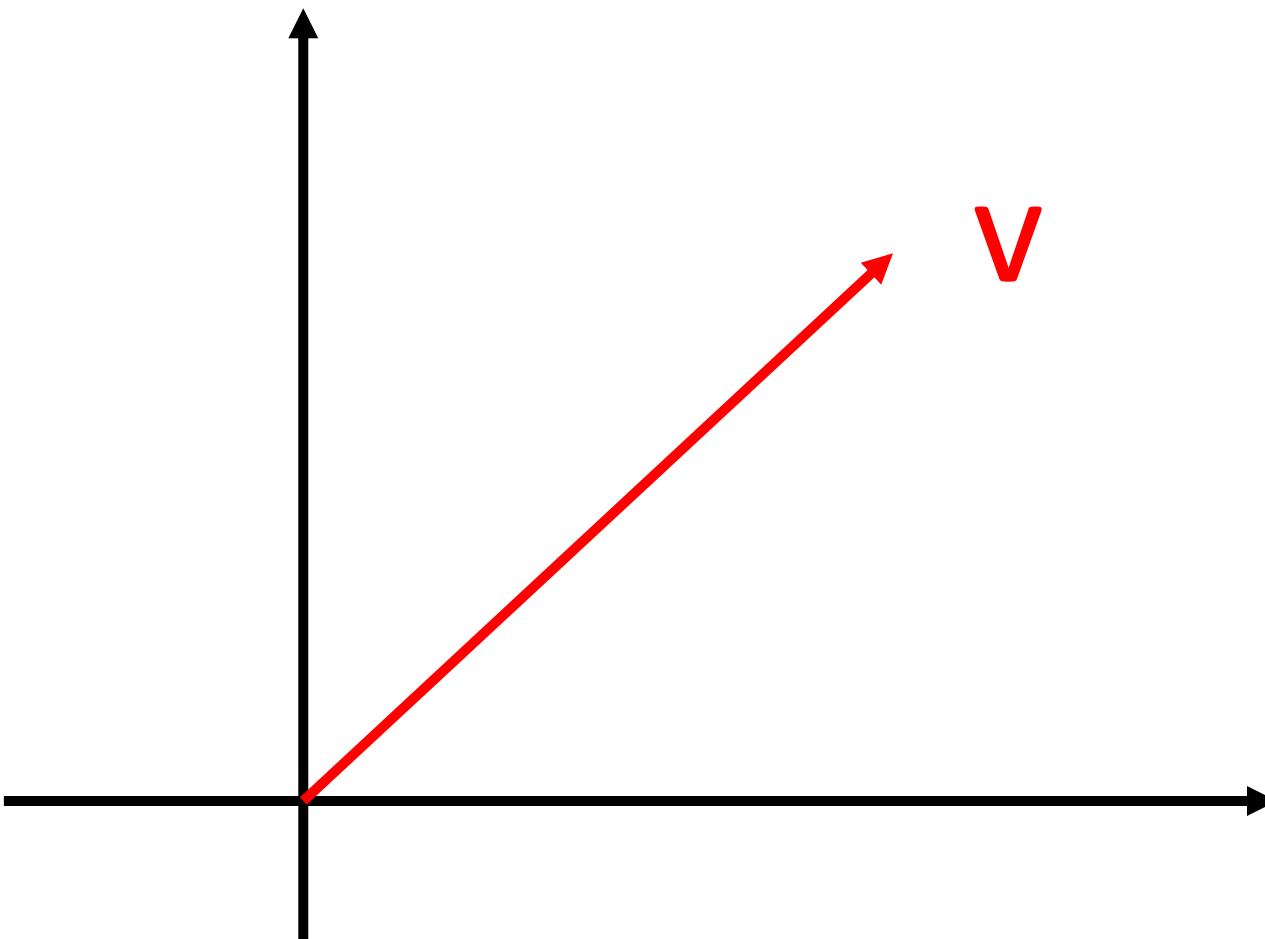
If that makes sense to you, then you know the language of transformations in graphics

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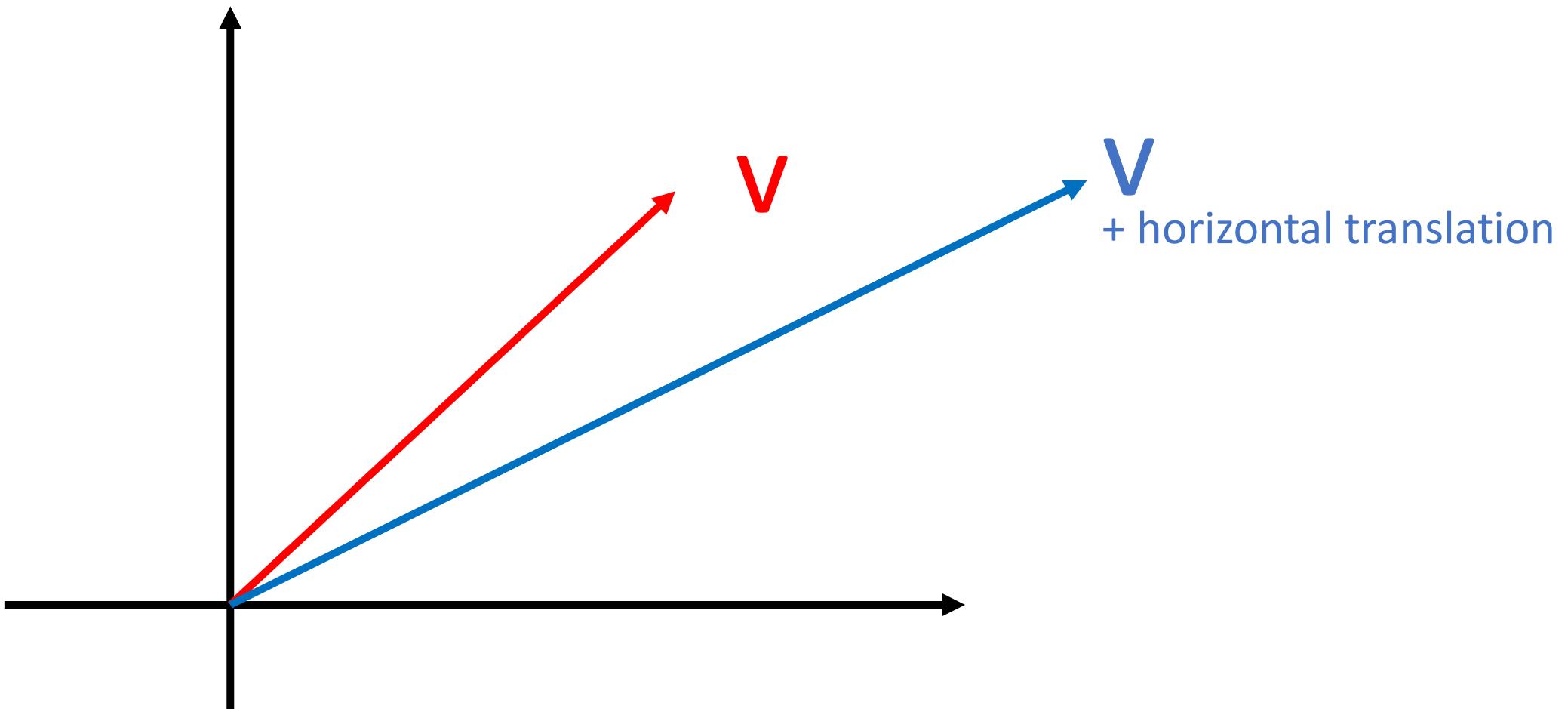
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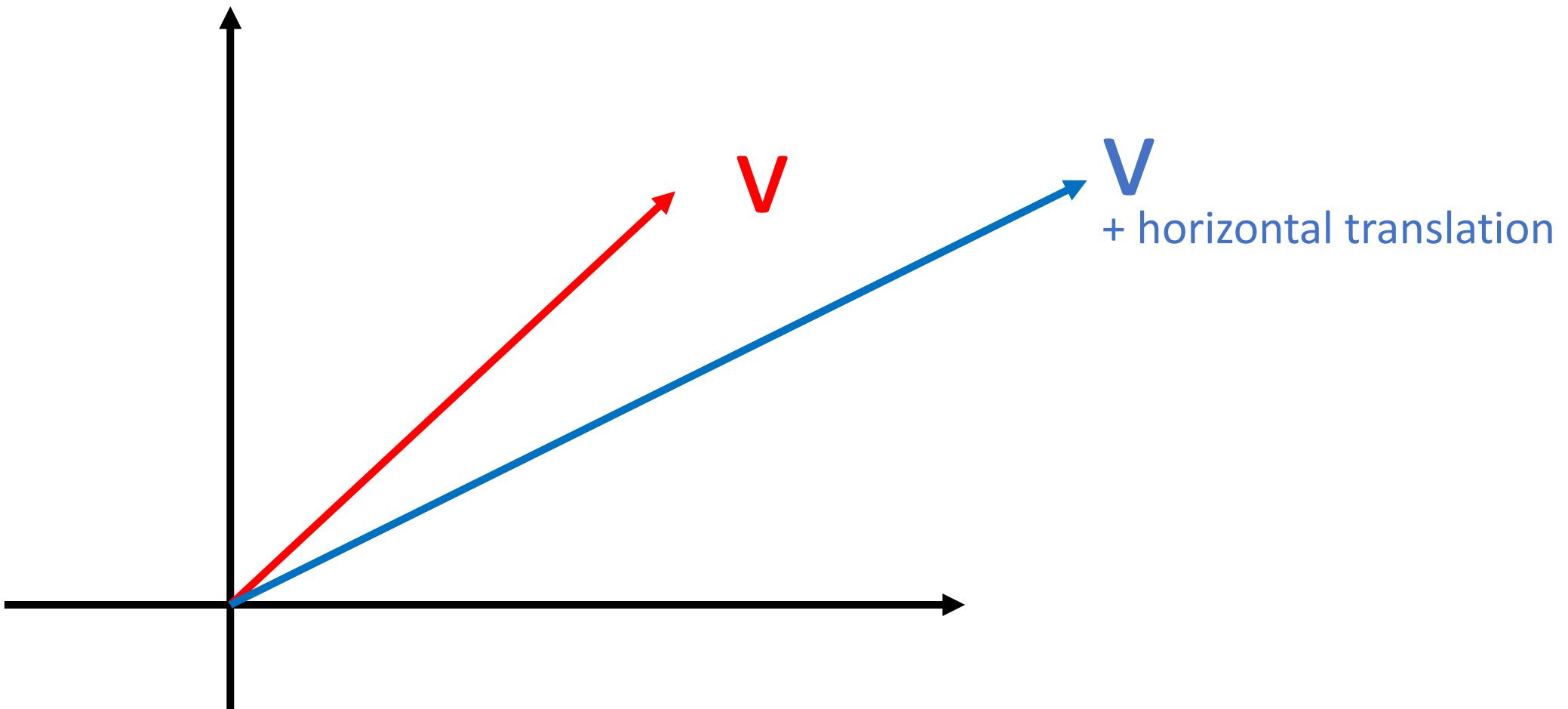
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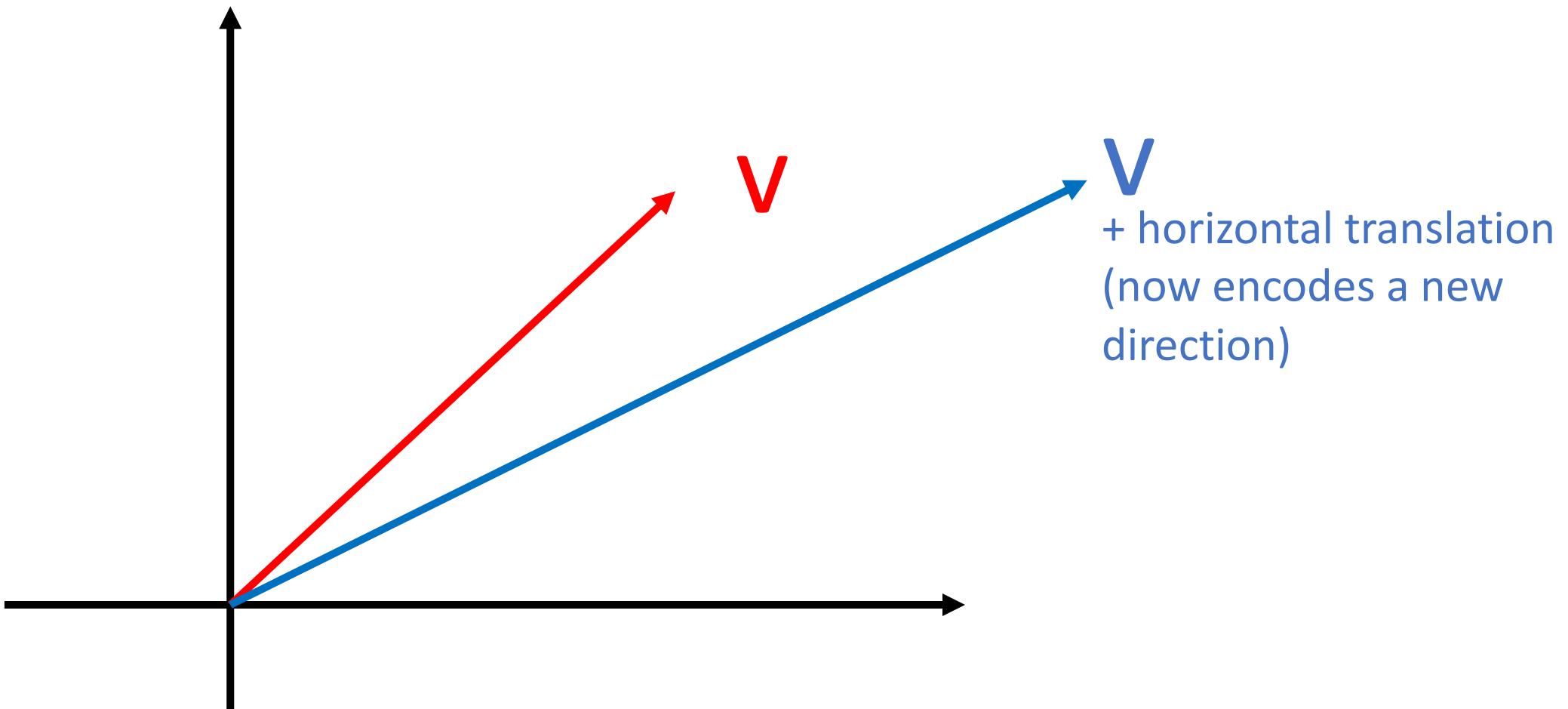
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Example:

$\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ is a location and $\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is a displacement or direction

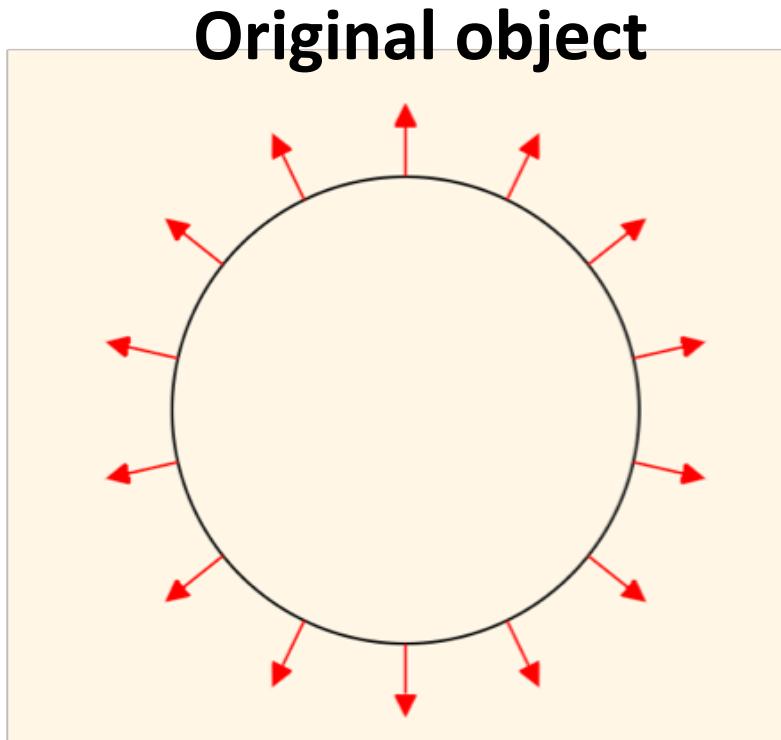
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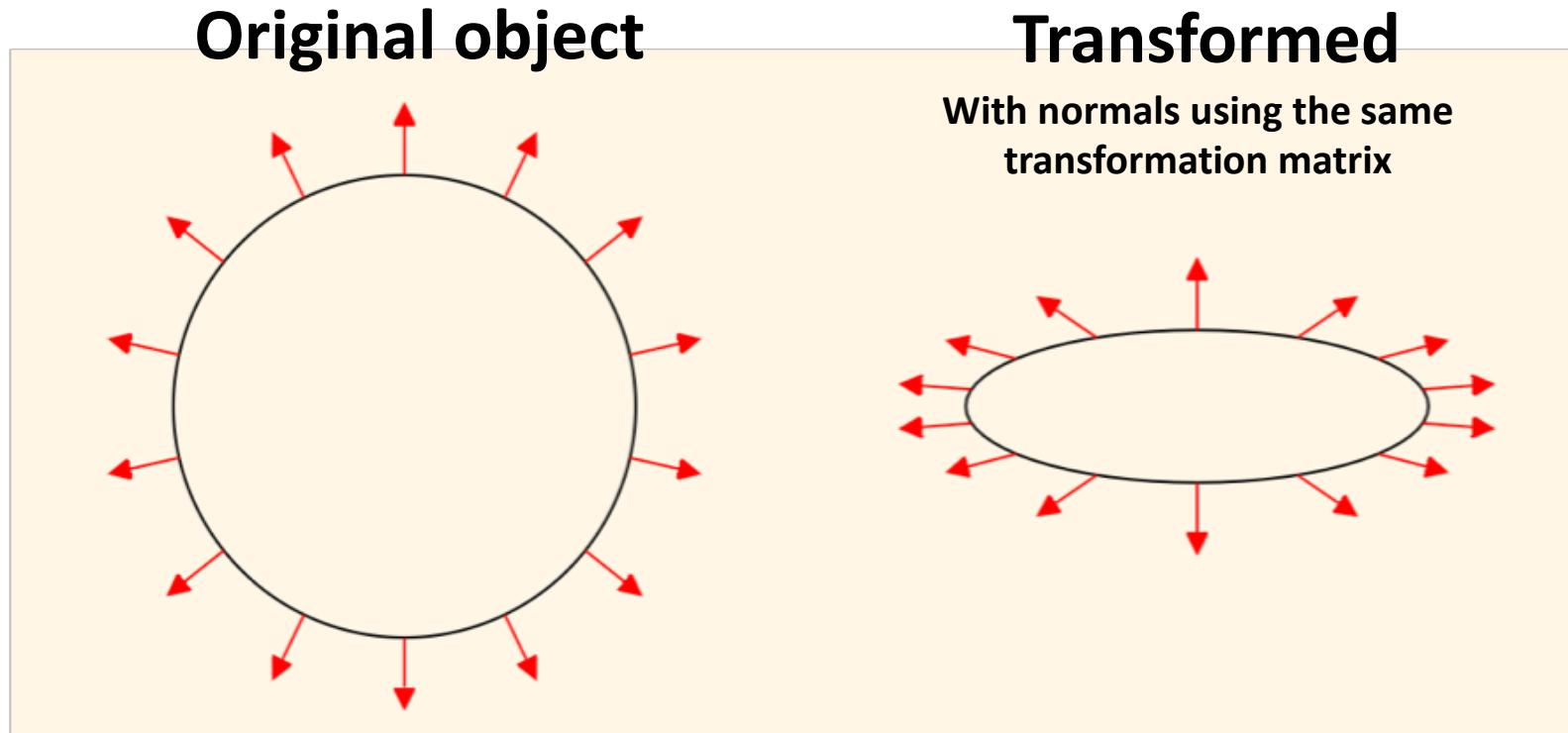
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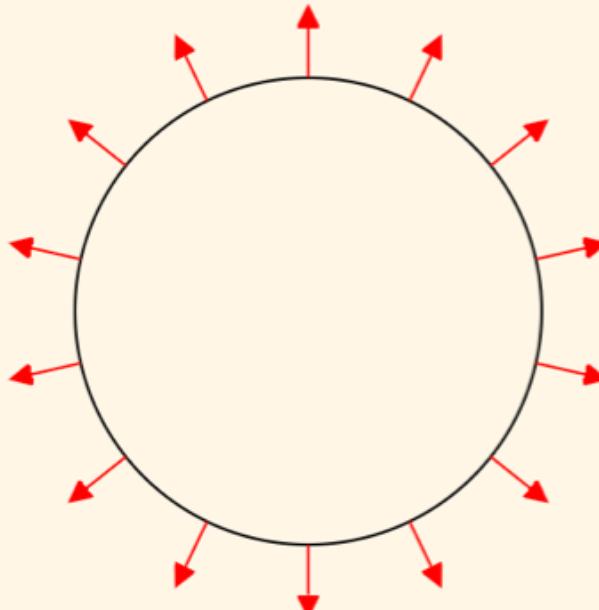
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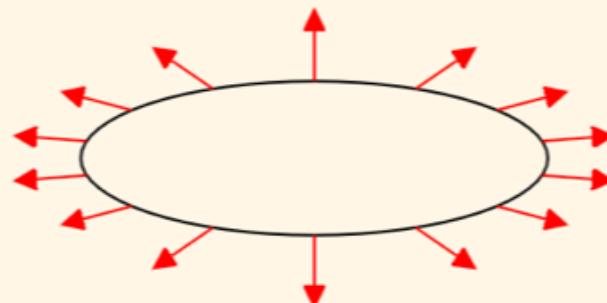
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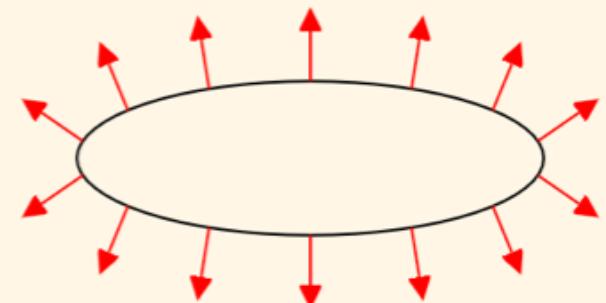
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Translation
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Example: 3D uniform scale, followed by translation

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 & 1.5 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0.5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Understanding homogeneous coordinates:

Consider a 3D shear based on the z-coordinate

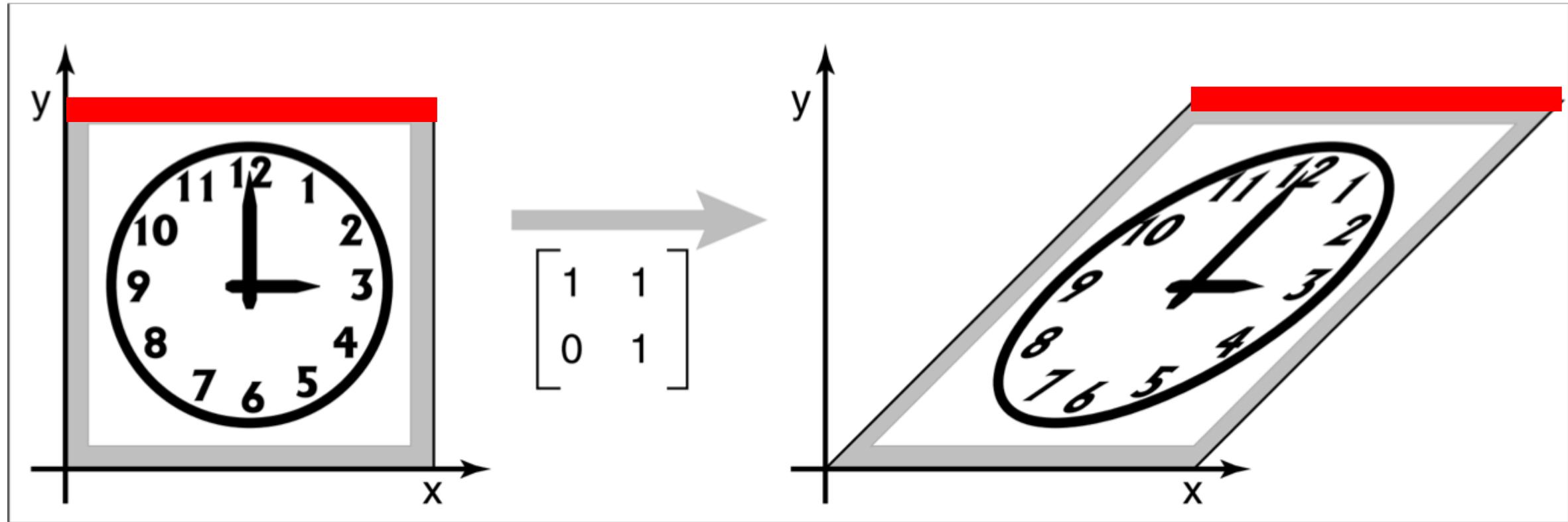
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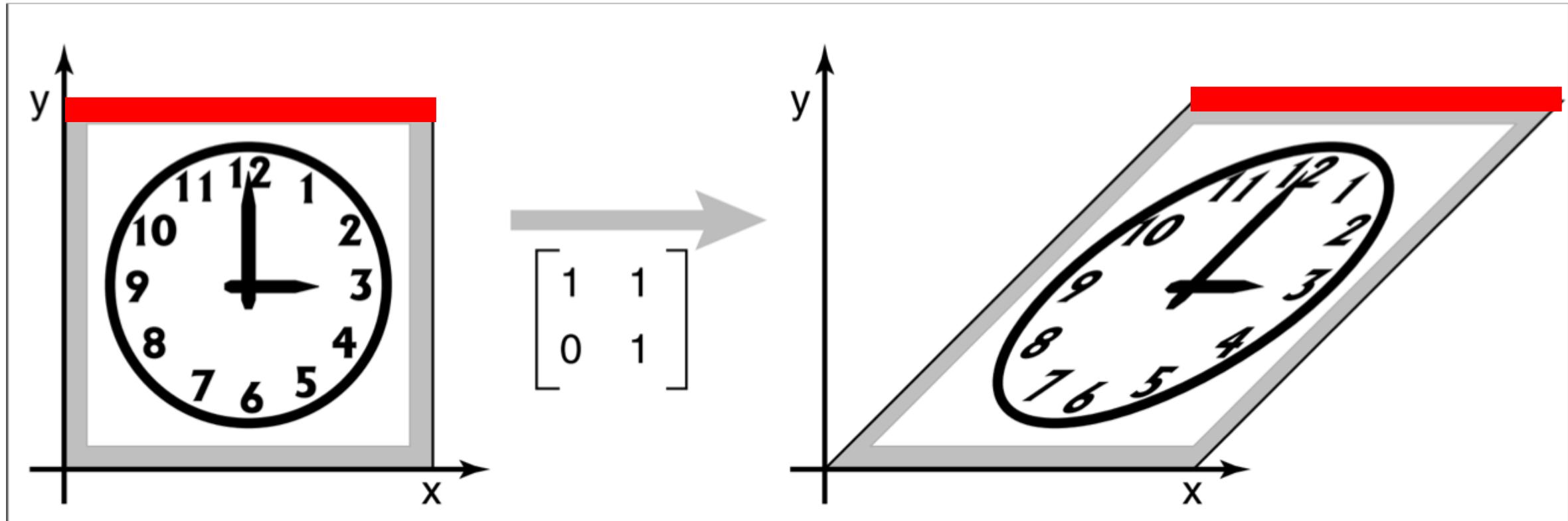
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You can think of this as a 1D translation of the red line in homogeneous coordinates