

HW1 - Function Call

Functions

Introduction

Composition

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X Y

Example: Let $X = \mathbb{Z}$, $Y = \{\dots, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, \dots\}$

$f(x) = x^2$ assigns every element in X

to one and only one element in Y , given

by x^2

Multiple elements in X may be assigned to

the same element in Y

$$(-2)^2 = 4, (2)^2 = 4$$

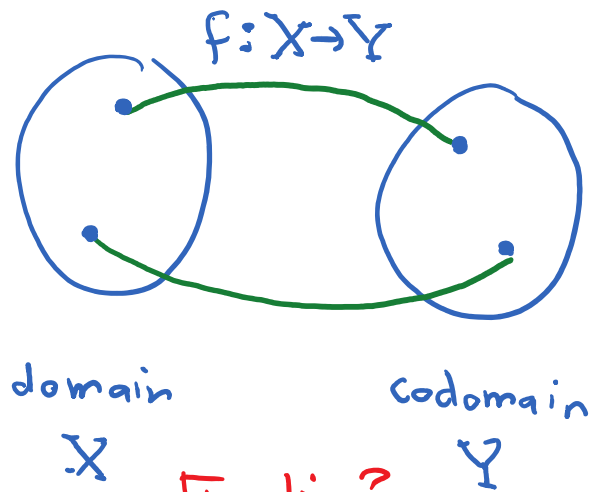
Example: $f(x) = \pm\sqrt{x}$

$f(4) = \pm 2$; A single element of X is

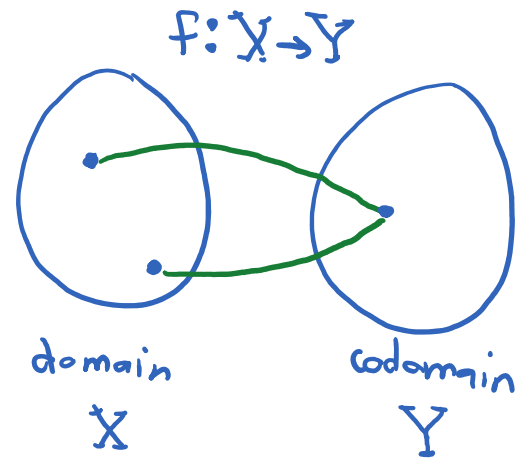
assigned to multiple elements of Y

$\therefore f(x)$ is not a function

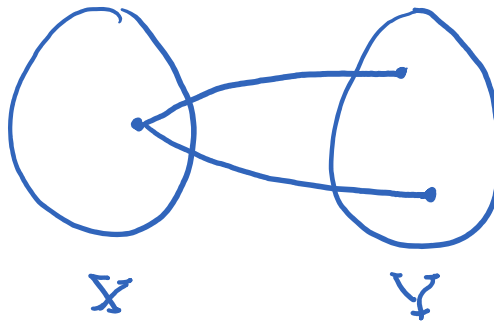
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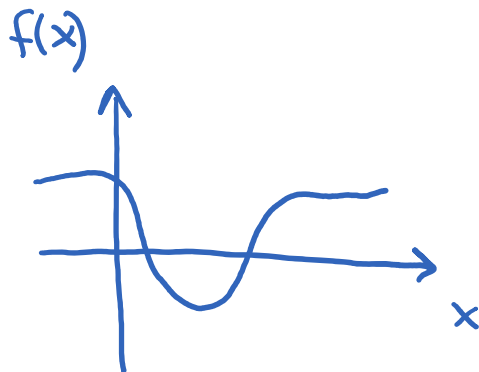
Function?
Yes



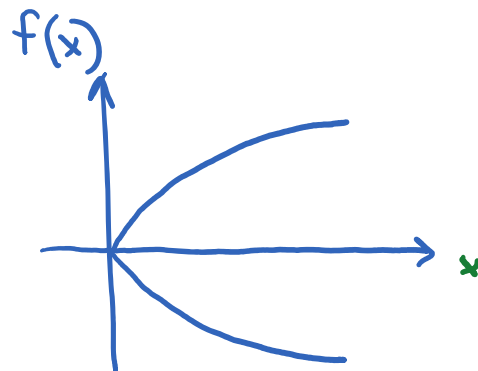
Function?
Yes



Function?
No!



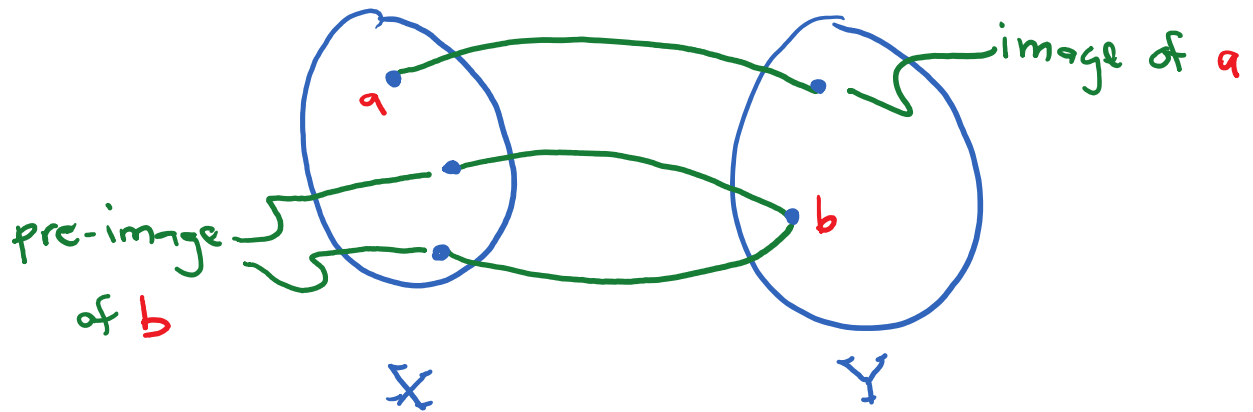
Valid function



Not a function

The **image** of a domain element is the unique codomain element

The **pre-image** of a codomain element are the domain elements that map to it



Example: $f(x) = x^2$

4 is the image of 2

$$X = \mathbb{Z}$$

+2, -2 are the pre-images
of 4

$$Y = \mathbb{Z}$$

Not all elements in Y have a pre-image

e.g. 5 in Y has no pre-image

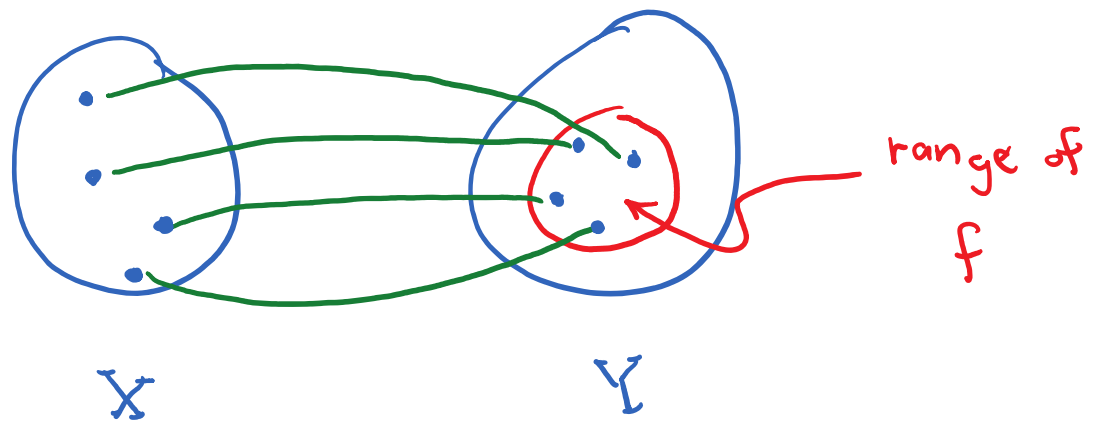
If S is a subset of X , then the image of that subset is $f(S)$

The pre-image of a subset of Y , call it T , is

$$f^{-1}(T)$$

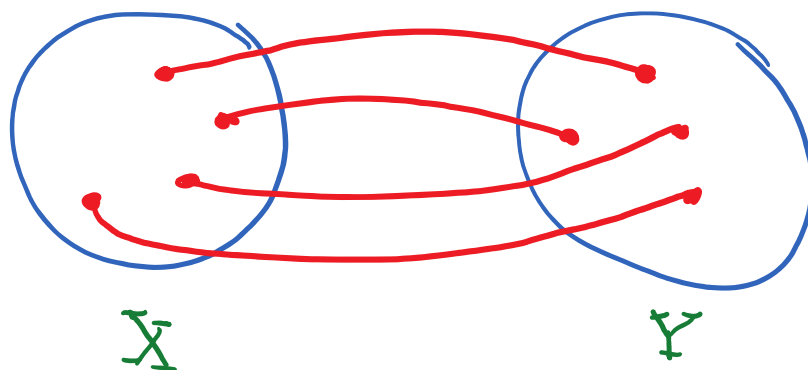
given by $f^{-1}(T)$

The image of the entire domain is called the
range of the function



$f(X)$ can never produce an element outside
of its range in Y

Functions are called **one-to-one** iff every
point in X goes to distinct elements in Y

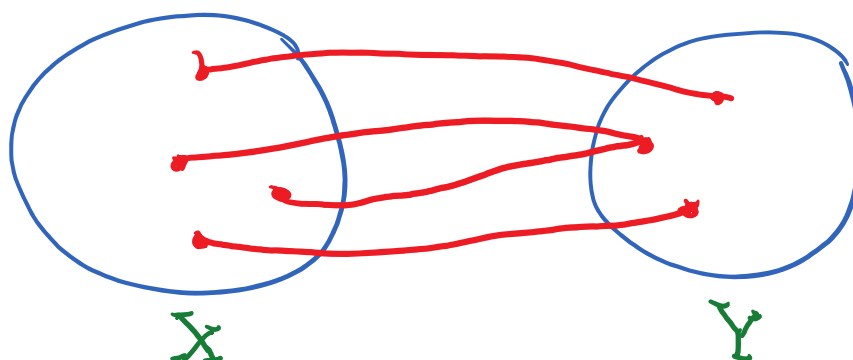


To show that a function is one-to-one (1-to-1),

one must show that if $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$ for any

$x_1, x_2 \in X$, then $x_1 = x_2$

Functions are **onto** iff every element of Y is an image of some element of $X \rightarrow \text{range}(f) = \text{codomain}(f)$



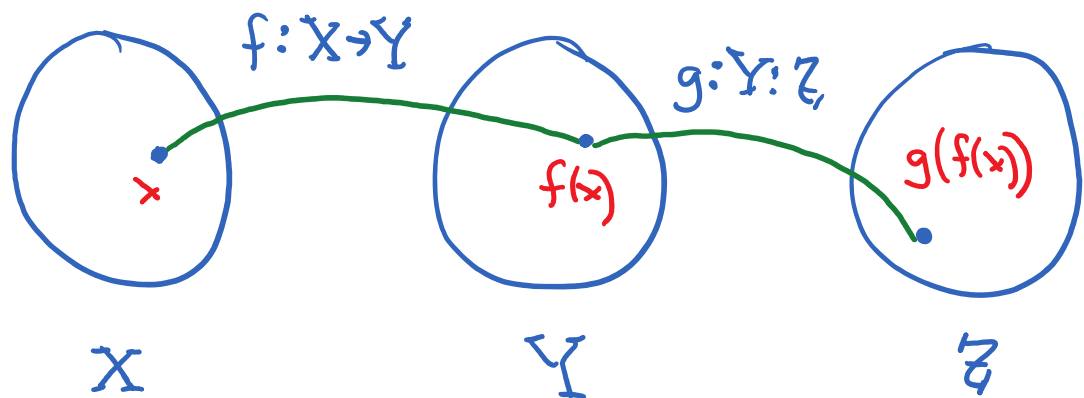
Example:

$x \in \mathbb{R}$, $f(x) = 2x$ is onto since every value $y = f(x)$ in the codomain has a value $x = \frac{1}{2}y$ in the domain

Composition

Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$, $g: Y \rightarrow Z$

Then composition, $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$
given $g(f(x))$



Theorem: If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ are both one-to-one, then $g \circ f$ is also one-to-one

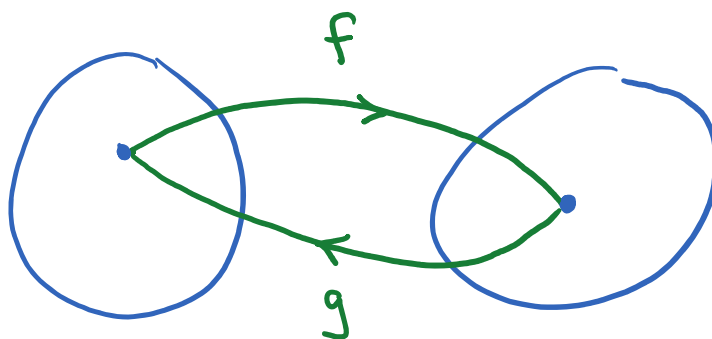
Theorem: If $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ are both onto, then $g \circ f$ is also onto

Inverse

$f: X \rightarrow Y$, $g: Y \rightarrow X$ are inverses of each other, if $(g \circ f)x = x$ and $(f \circ g)y = y$ for any $x \in X$ and $y \in Y$

Theorem: $f: X \rightarrow Y$ has an inverse

$g: Y \rightarrow X$ iff f is both one-to-one and onto

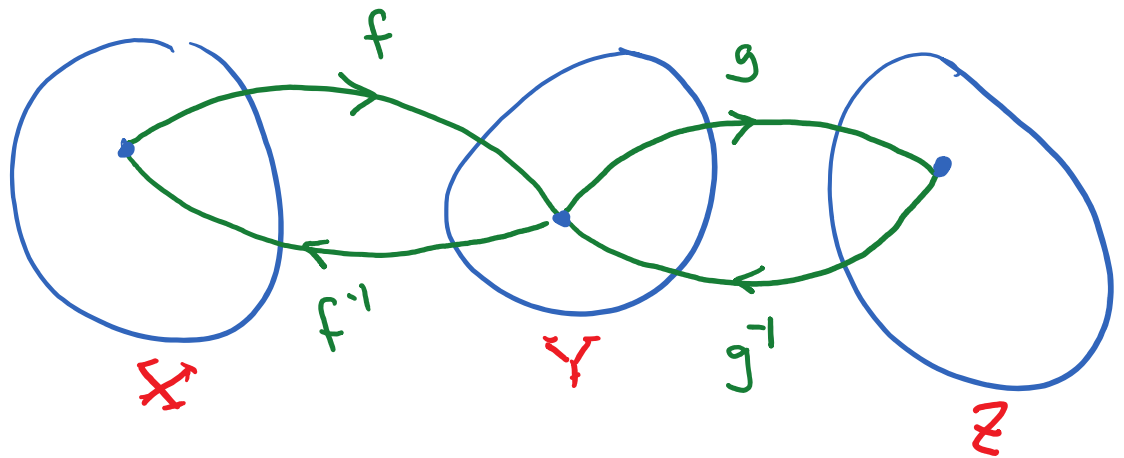


Theorem: If g is the inverse of f , then g is the only inverse of f .

Theorem: If f and g both have inverses, the inverse of the function composition

$$g \circ f \text{ is } (g \circ f)^{-1} = f^{-1} \circ g^{-1}$$

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 $\hspace{1.5cm} f \hspace{1.5cm} g$



Linear Transformations

Linear transformations are functions on vector spaces that follow two rules:

Let V and W be vector spaces such that $f: V \rightarrow W$. Then, f is a linear transformation iff

$$(1) \quad f(\underline{v}_1 + \underline{v}_2) = f(\underline{v}_1) + f(\underline{v}_2)$$

$$(2) \quad f(a\underline{v}_1) = a f(\underline{v}_1)$$

for any $\underline{v}_1, \underline{v}_2 \in V$ and $a \in \mathbb{R}$

Example: $f: M_{mn} \rightarrow M_{nm}$ (transpose operator)

$$f(\underline{A}) = \underline{A}^T$$

Is this a linear transformation?

$$(1) \quad f(\underline{A} + \underline{B}) = f(\underline{A}) + f(\underline{B})$$

$$(\underline{A} + \underline{B})^T = \underline{A}^T + \underline{B}^T \quad \checkmark$$

$$(2) \quad f(c\underline{A}) = c f(\underline{A})$$

$$(c\underline{A})^T = \underline{A}^T c = c \underline{A}^T \quad \checkmark$$

Yes, the transpose operator is linear

Theorem: Let V and W be vector spaces and let $L: V \rightarrow W$ be a linear transformation. Let $\underline{0}_V$ be the zero vector in V and $\underline{0}_W$ be the zero vector in W . Then

$$(1) \quad L(\underline{0}_V) = \underline{0}_W$$

$$(2) \quad L(-\underline{v}) = -L(\underline{v}) \text{ for all } \underline{v} \in V$$

$$(3) \quad L(a_1 \underline{v}_1 + a_2 \underline{v}_2 + \dots + a_n \underline{v}_n) = \\ a_1 L(\underline{v}_1) + a_2 L(\underline{v}_2) + \dots + a_n L(\underline{v}_n)$$

for all $\underline{v}_1, \underline{v}_2, \dots, \underline{v}_n \in V$ and

$$a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \in \mathbb{R}$$

Proof

from definition

$$(1) \quad L(\underline{0}_V) = L(0 \underline{0}_V) \stackrel{\downarrow}{=} 0 L(\underline{0}_V) = \underline{0}_W$$

$$(2) \quad L(-\underline{v}) = L(-1 \underline{v}) = -1 L(\underline{v}) = -L(\underline{v})$$

$$(3) \quad L(a_1 \underline{v}_1 + a_2 \underline{v}_2) = L(a_1 \underline{v}_1) + L(a_2 \underline{v}_2) \\ = a_1 L(\underline{v}_1) + a_2 L(\underline{v}_2) \quad \downarrow \text{ similarly} \\ \text{for higher } n$$

Theorem: Let $L_1: V_1 \rightarrow V_2$ + $L_2: V_2 \rightarrow V_3$
be two linear transformations

$$\text{Then } L_2 \circ L_1: V_1 \rightarrow V_3$$

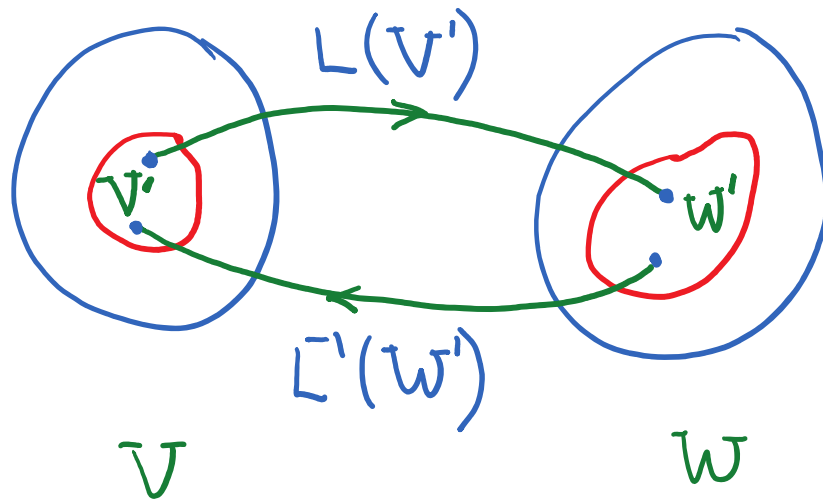
$$\Rightarrow (L_2 \circ L_1)(U) = L_2(L_1(U))$$

is also a linear transformation

Theorem: Let $L: V \rightarrow W$ be a linear transformation

(1) If V' is a subspace of V , then $L(V')$ is a subspace of W

(2) If W' is a subspace of W , then $L^{-1}(W')$ is a subspace of V



Example: Let $L: M_{\mathbb{R}} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$

$$L\left(\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}\right) = [a, 0, c]$$

Is this a linear transformation?

$$\begin{aligned}
 (1) \quad L\left(\begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ c_1 & d_1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & b_2 \\ c_2 & d_2 \end{bmatrix}\right) \\
 &= L\left(\begin{bmatrix} a_1+a_2 & b_1+b_2 \\ c_1+c_2 & d_1+d_2 \end{bmatrix}\right) = [a_1+a_2, 0, c_1+c_2] \\
 &= [a_1, 0, c_1] + [a_2, 0, c_2] \\
 &= L\left(\begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ c_1 & d_1 \end{bmatrix}\right) + L\left(\begin{bmatrix} a_2 & b_2 \\ c_2 & d_2 \end{bmatrix}\right) \quad \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (2) \quad L\left(\alpha \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}\right) = L\left(\begin{bmatrix} \alpha a & \alpha b \\ \alpha c & \alpha d \end{bmatrix}\right) \\
 &= [\alpha a, 0, \alpha c] \\
 &= \alpha [a, 0, c] = \alpha L\left(\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}\right) \quad \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

The range of L given by

$\{[a, 0, c] \text{ for } a, c \in \mathbb{R}\}$ forms
a subspace of \mathbb{R}^3

A linear transformation is determined by its

actions on the basis of a vector space

Basis A minimum set of unique and independent vectors that span the vector space

Example: Let

$$\underline{b}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \underline{b}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 5 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \underline{b}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 5 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \underline{b}_4 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$B = \{ \underline{b}_1, \underline{b}_2, \underline{b}_3, \underline{b}_4 \}$ form a basis for \mathbb{R}^4

Let $L: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$, such that

$$L(\underline{b}_1) = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, L(\underline{b}_2) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, L(\underline{b}_3) = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, L(\underline{b}_4) = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

What is $L\left(\begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 14 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}\right)$?

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Recall that if B is a basis for \mathbb{R}^4 , then all vectors in \mathbb{R}^4 can be written as

$$K_1 \underline{b}_1 + K_2 \underline{b}_2 + K_3 \underline{b}_3 + K_4 \underline{b}_4 = \underline{v} \in \mathbb{R}^4$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} L(\underline{v}) &= L(K_1 \underline{b}_1 + K_2 \underline{b}_2 + K_3 \underline{b}_3 + K_4 \underline{b}_4) \\ &= K_1 L(\underline{b}_1) + K_2 L(\underline{b}_2) + K_3 L(\underline{b}_3) + K_4 L(\underline{b}_4) \\ &= K_1 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + K_2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + K_3 \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + K_4 \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Here, we need

$$K_1 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + K_2 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 5 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + K_3 \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 5 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + K_4 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 14 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore K_1 = 2, K_2 = -1, K_3 = 1, K_4 = 3$$

Then,

$$, \quad \left| \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 14 \end{bmatrix} \right| = 2 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - 1 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + 1 \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} + 3 \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$L\left(\begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 14 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}\right) = 2\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 3\begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 18 \\ 9 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Theorem: Let $B = \{\underline{b}_1, \underline{b}_2, \dots, \underline{b}_n\}$ be a basis for vector space V . Let $\underline{w}_1, \underline{w}_2, \dots, \underline{w}_n$ be any n vectors in vector space W , then there is a unique linear transformation $L: V \rightarrow W$, such that $L(\underline{b}_1) = \underline{w}_1$, $L(\underline{b}_2) = \underline{w}_2, \dots, L(\underline{b}_n) = \underline{w}_n$

This transformation can be written as a matrix-vector product!

Consider \mathbb{R}^4 example

$$\underline{v} = K_1 \underline{b}_1 + K_2 \underline{b}_2 + K_3 \underline{b}_3 + K_4 \underline{b}_4$$

$$L(\underline{v}) = K_1 L(\underline{b}_1) + K_2 L(\underline{b}_2) + K_3 L(\underline{b}_3) + K_4 L(\underline{b}_4)$$

$$\text{Let } \underline{A} = [L(\underline{b}_1), L(\underline{b}_2), L(\underline{b}_3), L(\underline{b}_4)]$$

Then,

$$L(\underline{v}) = \underline{A} \underline{K} \quad \text{with} \quad K = \begin{bmatrix} K_1 \\ K_2 \\ K_3 \\ K_4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix of
linear transformation

In above problem,

$$\underline{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & -4 & 6 \\ 1 & -1 & 3 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Theorem: Let B be a basis for V and C be a basis for W . For the linear transformation $L: V \rightarrow W$, there exists a matrix A_{BC} , such that

$$\underbrace{A_{BC}}_{\substack{\text{in basis } B \\ \text{in basis } C}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \underline{v} \end{bmatrix}_B}_{\substack{\text{in basis } B}} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} L(\underline{v}) \end{bmatrix}_C}_{\substack{\text{in basis } C}}$$

Examples: Geometric operators in \mathbb{R}^3

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} L(\underline{e}_1) & L(\underline{e}_2) & L(\underline{e}_3) \end{bmatrix}$$

- Reflection in x-y plane $L\left(\begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ -a_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \end{bmatrix}$
- Scaling $L\left(\begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} ca_1 \\ ca_2 \\ ca_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & c \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \end{bmatrix}$
- Rotation about z $L\left(\begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \cos \theta - a_2 \sin \theta \\ a_1 \sin \theta + a_2 \cos \theta \\ a_3 \end{bmatrix}$

about z

$$\begin{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} r_1 \\ r_2 \end{bmatrix} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} r_1 \sin \theta + r_2 \cos \theta \\ r_3 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta & 0 \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} r_1 \\ r_2 \\ r_3 \end{bmatrix}$$