

Week 6: Matrix Multiplication and Linear Transformation

Course Notes: 4.1,4.2

Goals: Learn the mechanics of matrix multiplication and linear transformation, and use matrix multiplication to describe linear transformations.

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$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 & 8 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 & 12 \end{bmatrix}$$
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A matrix with 3 rows and 4 columns is a 3 by 4 matrix.

We often write $A = [a_{i,j}]$, where $a_{i,j}$ refers to the particular entry of A in row i , column j .

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Addition and scalar multiplication work the way you want them to.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 & 8 \\ 3 & 6 & 9 & 12 \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 5 & -1 \\ 8 & 6 & 6 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 & 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Mobile money minimization:
matrix multiplication motivation

You're comparing cell phone plans. For some number of plans and for some number of people, you have information about costs and usage of three servies: texts, minutes talking, and GB of data.

You want to know, for each person and plan, what the cost will be.

Input: plans×services and people×services
Output: plans×people

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Matrix Multiplication

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 11 \\ 10 & 22 \end{bmatrix}$$

In the product, the entry in the ith row and jth column comes from dotting the ith row and jth column of the matrices being multiplied.

$[1, 2, 3] \cdot [1, 2, 0] = 5$
 $[1, 2, 3] \cdot [0, 1, 3] = 11$
 $[2, 4, 6] \cdot [1, 2, 0] = 10$
 $[2, 4, 6] \cdot [0, 1, 3] = 22$

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Another Example

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

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

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 1x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 + 4x_4 \\ 5x_1 + 6x_2 + 7x_3 + 8x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 0 \\ 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 & 2 \end{array} \right]$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix}, \quad x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix}, \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} * & * & * & * \\ * & * & * & * \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} * & * & * & * & * & * \\ * & * & * & * & * & * \\ * & * & * & * & * & * \\ * & * & * & * & * & * \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} * & * & * & * & * & * \\ * & * & * & * & * & * \end{bmatrix}$$

We can only take the dot product of two vectors that have the same length.

If A is an m -by- n matrix, and B is an r -by- c matrix, then AB is only defined if $n = r$. If $n = r$, then AB is an m -by- c matrix.

Can you always multiply a matrix by itself?

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One important property DOESN'T hold.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 5 \\ 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 7 & 5 \\ 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} =$$

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The other properties hold as you would like. (Page 128, notes.)

1. $A + B = B + A$
2. $A + (B + C) = (A + B) + C$
3. $s(A + B) = sA + sB$
4. $(s + t)A = sA + tA$
5. $(st)A = s(tA)$
6. $1A = A$
7. $A + \mathbf{0} = A$ (where $\mathbf{0}$ is the matrix of all zeros)
8. $A - A = A + (-1)A = \mathbf{0}$
9. $A(B + C) = AB + AC$
10. $(A + B)C = AC + BC$
11. $A(BC) = (AB)C$
12. $s(AB) = (sA)B = A(sB)$

Notes

Simplify the following expressions.

1) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 9 & 8 \\ 9 & 8 & 9 \\ 8 & 9 & 8 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -8 & -9 & -8 \\ -9 & -8 & -9 \\ -8 & -9 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$

2) $\left(\begin{bmatrix} 33 & 44 \\ 55 & 66 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ 7 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

3) $2.8 \begin{bmatrix} 15 & 0 & 38 \\ 9 & 10 & 11 \\ 8 & 7 & 6 \end{bmatrix} + 5.6 \begin{bmatrix} -2.5 & 0 & 1 \\ 0.5 & 0 & -0.5 \\ 1 & 1.5 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

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More on Dimensions

Suppose A is an m -by- n matrix, and B is an r -by- c matrix.

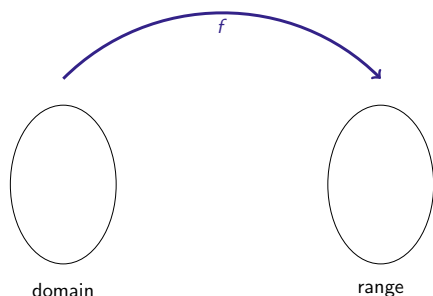
If we want to multiply A and B ,
 what has to be true about m , n , r , and c ?

If we want to add A and B ,
 what has to be true about m , n , r , and c ?

If we want to compute $(A + B)A$,
 what has to be true about m , n , r , and c ?

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Functions and Transformations



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Linear Transformations

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

$$f(2 + 3) = 25 \quad f(2) + f(3) = 4 + 9 = 13$$

$$f(2 * 3) = 36 \quad 2f(3) = 2 \cdot 9 = 18$$

$$g(x) = 5x$$

$$g(2 + 3) = 25 \quad g(2) + g(3) = 10 + 15 = 25$$

$$g(2 * 3) = 30 \quad 2g(3) = 2 \cdot 15 = 30$$

$$g(x + y) = 5(x + y) = 5x + 5y = g(x) + g(y)$$

$$g(xy) = 5(xy) = x(5y) = xg(y)$$

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Linear Transformations

Definition

A transformation T is called **linear** if, for any \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} in the domain of T , and any scalar s ,

$$T(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}) = T(\mathbf{x}) + T(\mathbf{y})$$

and

$$T(s\mathbf{x}) = sT(\mathbf{x}).$$

Is differentiation $T(f(x)) = \frac{d}{dx}[f(x)]$ (of functions whose derivatives exist everywhere) a linear transformation?

Let $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} x+y \\ 2x \end{bmatrix}$. Is T a linear transformation?

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Are the following linear transformations?

$$S\left(\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} z \\ y \\ x \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(\mathbf{x}) = \|\mathbf{x}\|, \mathbf{x} \text{ in } \mathbb{R}^2$$

$$R\left(\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ -1 \\ y \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Is the transformation $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$ linear?

If A is a matrix, then the transformation

$$T(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x}$$

of a vector \mathbf{x} is linear.

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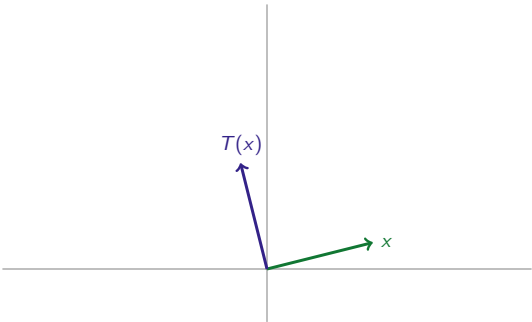
Geometric Interpretation

We interpret a matrix geometrically as a **function** from some vectors to some other vectors.
In particular, the function is a **linear transformation**, so it preserves addition and scalar multiplication.

If $T(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x}$ for some 3×5 matrix A (and a vector \mathbf{x}), what are the domain and range of the function T ?

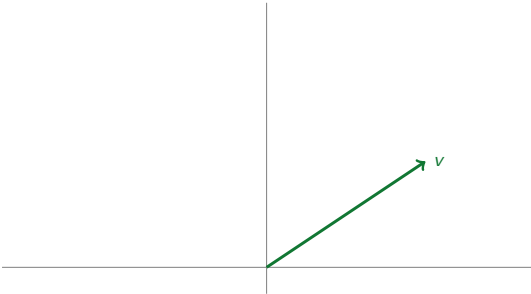
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Let $T(\mathbf{x})$ be the rotation of \mathbf{x} by ninety degrees.

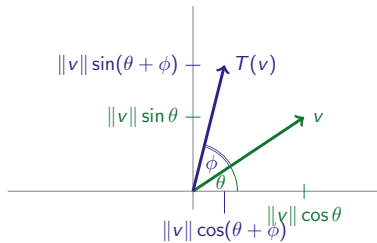


Rotation by a fixed angle is a linear transformation.

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$$v = [v_1, v_2]; \quad T(v) = [x, y]$$

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \|v\| \cos(\theta + \phi) & y &= \|v\| \sin(\theta + \phi) \\ &= \|v\|(\cos \theta \cos \phi - \sin \theta \sin \phi) & &= \|v\|(\sin \theta \cos \phi + \cos \theta \sin \phi) \\ &= v_1 \cos \phi - v_2 \sin \phi & &= v_1 \sin \phi + v_2 \cos \phi \end{aligned}$$

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$$\text{Rot}_\phi = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \phi & -\sin \phi \\ \sin \phi & \cos \phi \end{bmatrix}$$

What matrix should you multiply $\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ by to rotate it 90 degrees ($\pi/2$ radians)?

What matrix should you multiply $\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ by to rotate it 30 degrees ($\pi/6$ radians)?

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Let \mathbf{a} be a vector in \mathbb{R}^2 .

- Rotate the vector \mathbf{a} by θ radians, then by ϕ radians.
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Will you always end up with the same thing?

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Will

$\text{Rot}_\phi(\text{Rot}_\theta \mathbf{a}) = \text{Rot}_\theta(\text{Rot}_\phi \mathbf{a})$

for every θ , every ϕ , and every **a** in \mathbb{R}^2 ?

In general, matrix multiplication is not commutative, but we don't care about ALL matrices—only rotation matrices.

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