

## Discussion - Sep. 9

### Transformations

1. Find the matrices for the following transformations  $\mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ .
  - (a) Rotation by  $90^\circ$  CW
  - (b) Rotation by  $180^\circ$
  - (c) Reflection about x-axis
  - (d) Reflection about y-axis
  - (e) Reflection about x-axis followed by reflection about y-axis.
2. Illustrate the action on  $\mathbb{R}^2$  of  $T(\vec{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \vec{x}$ .  
(Draw how it transforms a simple picture.)
3. If  $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$  is defined by  $T(\vec{x}) = \vec{x}$ , what is  $[T]$ ?

### Independence

1. Either find four vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  which are independent or explain why it cannot be done.
2. Do the same for three vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .
3. Do the same for four vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^5$ .
4.  $\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2, \vec{a}_3, \vec{b} \in \mathbb{R}^n$  are linearly independent.  
Is the system  $[\vec{a}_1, \vec{a}_2, \vec{a}_3; \vec{b}]$  consistent?

### Transformations II

1. If  $A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{pmatrix} e & f \\ g & h \end{pmatrix}$ , and  $T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x}$  and  $S(\vec{x}) = B\vec{x}$ , Compute  $[T \circ S]$ . Here,  $\circ$  means function composition:  $(T \circ S)(\vec{x}) = T(S(\vec{x}))$ .  
(The idea is to derive matrix multiplication from the standard matrix of the composition of transformations.  
That is,  $[T \circ S] = [T][S] = AB$ .)

the beginnings of a list... (A is  $m \times n$ )

- existence ( $\geq 1$  solution to  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  for all  $\vec{b}$ )
- A has pivot in every row (so  $m \leq n$ )
- The columns of A span  $\mathbb{R}^m$
- $T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x}$  is onto (surjective)
- Every  $\vec{b} \in \mathbb{R}^m$  is a linear combination of  $\vec{a}_1, \dots, \vec{a}_n$
- If  $\vec{b} \in \mathbb{R}^m$ ,  $\vec{b} \in \text{Span}\{\vec{a}_1, \dots, \vec{a}_n\}$

- uniqueness ( $\leq 1$  solution to  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  for all  $\vec{b}$ )
- $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$  has only the trivial solution
- A has a pivot in every column (so  $n \leq m$ )
- The columns of A are linearly independent
- $T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x}$  is one-to-one (injective)
- Whenever  $x_1, \dots, x_n \in \mathbb{R}$  make  $x_1\vec{a}_1 + \dots + x_n\vec{a}_n = \vec{0}$ , actually  $x_1 = \dots = x_n = 0$ .

Logic P and Q are statements which are either true or false.

- if P then Q  $\equiv$  Q if P  $\equiv$  P only if Q  $\equiv$  if not Q

Venn diagram:



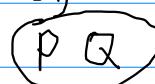
then not P  
"contrapositive"

( $\equiv Q \text{ or not } P$ )

"When in the land of P being true, also in the land of Q being true."

- P if and only if Q  $\equiv$  (P if Q) and (P only if Q)

Venn diagram:



(same circle)

"P and Q logically equivalent"