

MATHEMATICS 201-NYC-05

Vectors and Matrices

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XVIII – Linear Transformations

1. Find the standard matrix for the linear transformation defined by the equations.

a) $w_1 = 2x_1 - 3x_2 + x_3$

$w_2 = 3x_1 + 5x_2 - x_3$

b) $w_1 = -x_1 + 3x_2$

$w_2 = 2x_2$

$w_3 = 4x_1 - 5x_2$

c) $w_1 = x_1$

$w_2 = x_1 - x_2$

$w_3 = x_1 + x_2 - x_3$

$w_4 = x_1 - x_2 + x_3 - x_4$

2. Find the standard matrix for the linear transformation T defined by the formula.

a) $T(x_1, x_2) = (x_1 - x_2, x_2 - x_1, 2x_1 - 3x_2)$

b) $T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 - x_2, x_2 - x_3)$

c) $T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1, x_1 + 2x_2, 3x_1 + x_2, x_2)$

3. Find $T(X)$

a) $[T] = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ $X = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$

b) $[T] = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 2 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ $X = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

c) $T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 - x_2 + x_3, x_2 - x_3)$ $X = (1, 2, 3)$

d) $T(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4) = (x_1, x_1 + x_2, x_1 + x_2 + x_3, x_1 + x_4, x_2 - x_3)$ $X = (2, -1, -4, 3)$

4. Use a linear transformation to find the reflection of $(3, -7)$ across

a) the x -axis

b) the y -axis

c) the line $y = x$

5. Use a linear transformation to find the orthogonal projection of $(3, -7)$ on

a) the x -axis

b) the y -axis

6. Use a linear transformation to find the image of the vector $(-3, 5)$ when it is rotated through an angle of
- a) 30° b) -60° d) 90°
7. Find the standard matrix for the stated composition of linear operators on \mathbb{R}^2
- a) A reflection across the line $y = x$ followed by a rotation of 90° .
 b) A dilation with factor 3 followed by an orthogonal projection on the x -axis.
 c) A rotation of 60° followed by a contraction with factor $\frac{1}{2}$ followed by a reflection across the y -axis.
 d) A rotation of 40° followed by a rotation of 50° followed by a rotation of 90° .
8. Show that if the linear operator $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is a rotation, then T does not affect distances. That is, show that $\|(x, y)\| = \|T(x, y)\|$.
9. Determine whether the linear operator $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ defined by the equations is one-to-one; if so, find the standard matrix for the inverse operator, and find $T^{-1}(w_1, w_2)$.
- a) $w_1 = -x_1 + 3x_2$ b) $w_1 = -x_1 + 3x_2$
 $w_2 = 2x_1 + x_2$ $w_2 = 2x_1 - 6x_2$
- c) $w_1 = x_2$ d) $w_1 = x_1$
 $w_2 = x_1$ $w_2 = 2x_1$
10. Determine whether the linear operator $T : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ defined by the equations is one-to-one; if so, find the standard matrix for the inverse operator, and find $T^{-1}(w_1, w_2, w_3)$.
- a) $w_1 = -x_1 + 2x_2 - 2x_3$ b) $w_1 = -x_1 + 3x_2 - x_3$
 $w_2 = x_1 - 2x_2 + x_3$ $w_2 = 2x_2 + x_3$
 $w_3 = 2x_1 + 4x_2 + x_3$ $w_3 = 4x_1 - 5x_2$
11. Use the property of linear operators to determine whether $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is a linear operator.
- a) $T(x, y) = (2x, y)$ b) $T(x, y) = (x, y^2)$
 c) $T(x, y) = (-y, -x)$ d) $T(x, y) = (\sqrt[3]{x}, \sqrt[3]{y})$
12. Find the standard matrix for $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ from the images of the standard basis vectors.
- a) T projects a vector orthogonally onto the x -axis and then reflects that vector about the y -axis.
 b) T reflects a vector about the line $y = x$ and then reflects that vector about the x -axis.
 c) T dilates a vector by a factor of 3, then reflects that vector about the line $y = x$, and then projects that vector orthogonally onto the y -axis.
 d) T projects a vector onto the vector $\vec{v} = (3, -4)$.

13. For each of the following linear transformations $T(X) = AX$, find a basis for (i) $\text{range}(T)$ and for (ii) $\ker(T)$.

a) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$

b) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

c) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 1 & -8 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

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

e) $T(x, y, z, w) = (x - y, x - y + 3z + w, 3x - 3y + 2w)$

14. For each of the following linear transformations $T(X) = AX$, find (i) $\text{range}(T)$, (ii) $\text{rank}(T)$, (iii) $\ker(T)$ and (iv) $\text{nullity}(T)$.

a) $A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

b) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ -4 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$

c) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 1 \\ 4 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

d) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

e) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

Answers

1. a) $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 1 \\ 3 & 5 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ b) $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 \\ 4 & -5 \end{bmatrix}$ c) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$
2. a) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \\ 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$ b) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ c) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$
3. a) $\begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix}$ b) $\begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 11 \\ 17 \end{bmatrix}$ c) $(2, -1)$ d) $(2, 1, -3, 5, 3)$
4. a) $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix} \quad \therefore T(3, -7) = (3, 7)$
- b) $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix} \quad \therefore T(3, -7) = (-3, -7)$
- c) $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -7 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \therefore T(3, -7) = (-7, 3)$
5. a) $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \therefore T(3, -7) = (3, 0)$
- b) $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix} \quad \therefore T(3, -7) = (0, -7)$
6. a) $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{-1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-3\sqrt{3}-5}{2} \\ \frac{-3+5\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{bmatrix} \quad \therefore T(-3, 5) = \left(\frac{-3\sqrt{3}-5}{2}, \frac{-3+5\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$
- b) $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \frac{-\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-3+5\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \frac{3\sqrt{3}+5}{2} \end{bmatrix} \quad \therefore T(-3, 5) = \left(\frac{-3+5\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{3\sqrt{3}+5}{2}\right)$
- c) $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \therefore T(-3, 5) = (-5, -3)$
7. a) $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ b) $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{-1}{4} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \\ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \end{bmatrix}$ c) $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

8. $\|T(x, y)\| = \|(x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta, x \sin \theta + y \cos \theta)\|$
 $= \sqrt{(x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta)^2 + (x \sin \theta + y \cos \theta)^2}$
 $= \sqrt{x^2 \cos^2 \theta - 2xy \cos \theta \sin \theta + y^2 \sin^2 \theta + x^2 \sin^2 \theta + 2xy \sin \theta \cos \theta + y^2 \cos^2 \theta}$
 $= \sqrt{x^2 (\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) + y^2 (\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta)}$
 $= \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$
 $= \|(x, y)\|$
9. a) $T^{-1}(w_1, w_2) = (\frac{-1}{7}x_1 + \frac{3}{7}x_2, \frac{2}{7}x_1 + \frac{1}{7}x_2)$ b) not one-to-one
 c) $T^{-1}(w_1, w_2) = (x_2, x_1)$ d) not one-to-one
10. a) $T^{-1}(w_1, w_2, w_3) = (\frac{3}{4}x_1 + \frac{5}{4}x_2 + \frac{1}{4}x_3, \frac{-1}{8}x_1 - \frac{3}{8}x_2 + \frac{1}{8}x_3, -x_1 - x_2)$
 b) $T^{-1}(w_1, w_2, w_3) = (\frac{1}{3}x_1 + \frac{1}{3}x_2 + \frac{1}{3}x_3, \frac{4}{15}x_1 + \frac{4}{15}x_2 + \frac{1}{15}x_3, \frac{-8}{15}x_1 + \frac{7}{15}x_2 - \frac{2}{15}x_3)$
11. a) Linear Operator b) Not a linear operator
 c) Linear Operator d) Not a linear operator
12. a) $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ b) $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ c) $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ d) $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{9}{25} & \frac{-12}{25} \\ \frac{-12}{25} & \frac{16}{25} \end{bmatrix}$
13. a) $B_{\text{range}(T)} = \{(1, 2)\}$ $B_{\text{ker}(T)} = \{(2, 1)\}$
 b) $B_{\text{range}(T)} = \{(1, 2), (1, 3)\}$ $B_{\text{ker}(T)} = \{(-1, 1, 0)\}$
 c) $B_{\text{range}(T)} = \{(1, 2, 1), (-2, 2, -8)\}$ $B_{\text{ker}(T)} = \{(-1, 0, 1)\}$
 d) $B_{\text{range}(T)} = \{(-1, -2, 1), (2, 3, -1)\}$ $B_{\text{ker}(T)} = \{(-9, 0, -6, 0, 1), (1, 0, 0, 1, 0), (2, 1, 0, 0, 0)\}$
 e) $B_{\text{range}(T)} = \{(1, 1, 3), (0, 3, 0), (0, 1, 2)\}$ $B_{\text{ker}(T)} = \{(1, 1, 0, 0)\}$
14. a) $\text{range}(T) = \mathbb{R}^2$ $\text{rank}(T) = 2$ $\text{ker}(T) = \{\vec{0}\}$ $\text{nullity}(T) = 0$
 b) $\text{range}(T) = \{t(2, -4) : t \in \mathbb{R}\}$ $\text{rank}(T) = 1$ $\text{ker}(T) = \{t(2, 1) : t \in \mathbb{R}\}$ $\text{nullity}(T) = 1$
 c) $\text{range}(T) = \{s(2, 3, 4) + t(-1, 1, 4) : s, t \in \mathbb{R}\}$ $\text{rank}(T) = 2$ $\text{ker}(T) = \{\vec{0}\}$ $\text{nullity}(T) = 0$
 d) $\text{range}(T) = \mathbb{R}^2$ $\text{rank}(T) = 2$ $\text{ker}(T) = \{t(-6, 7, 5)\}$ $\text{nullity}(T) = 1$
 e) $\text{range}(T) = \mathbb{R}^2$ $\text{rank}(T) = 2$
 $\text{ker}(T) = \{s(0, 0, -1, 1) + t(-1, 1, 0, 0) : s, t \in \mathbb{R}\}$ $\text{nullity}(T) = 2$