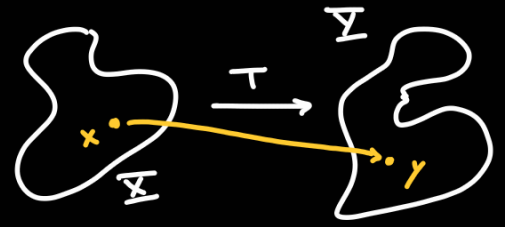


A function T from Σ to Σ is an assignment of a unique element y of Σ to an element x in Σ . $T(x) = y$



A linear transformation is a function T from \mathbb{R}^m to \mathbb{R}^n such that there

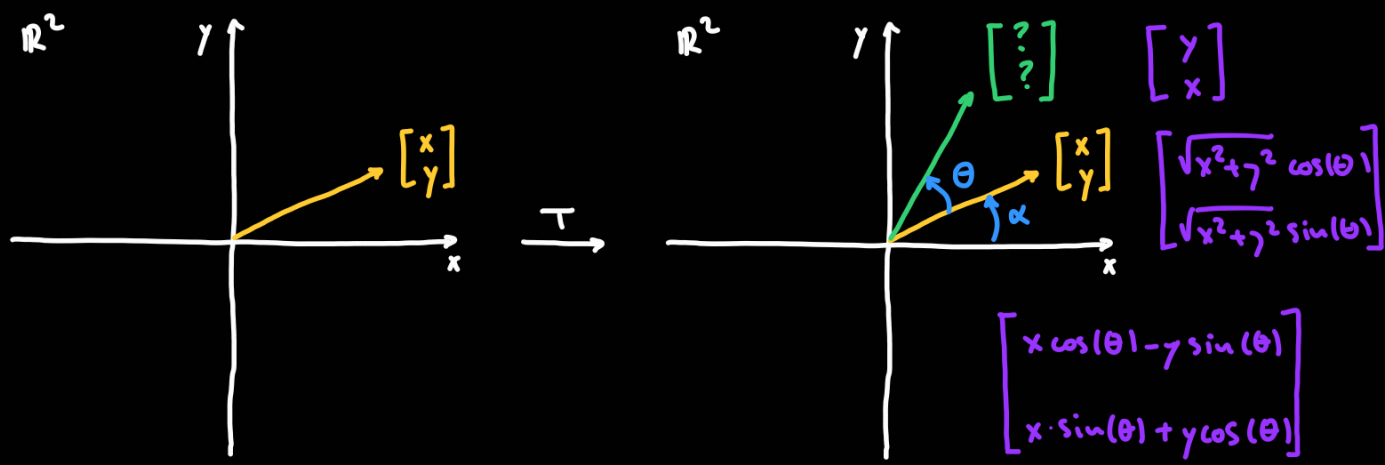
exists a matrix A that is $n \times m$ with $T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x}$.

matrix associated to the linear transformation T

$$2 \times 3 \quad \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \mathbb{R}^3 \\ \downarrow \\ \begin{bmatrix} * \\ * \\ * \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix} = \begin{matrix} \mathbb{R}^2 \\ \begin{bmatrix} * \\ * \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

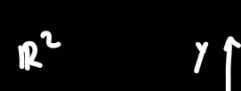
$$3 \times 2 \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \mathbb{R}^2 \\ \uparrow \\ \begin{bmatrix} * \\ * \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix} = \begin{matrix} \mathbb{R}^3 \\ \uparrow \\ \begin{bmatrix} * \\ * \\ * \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

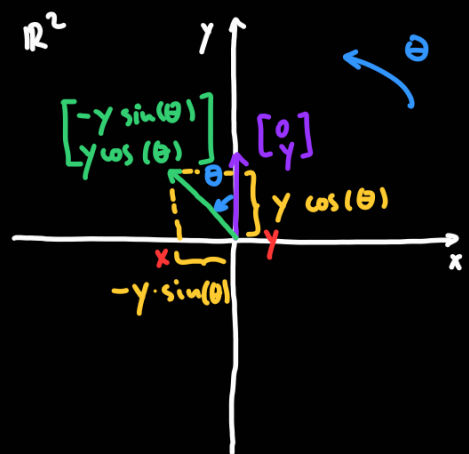
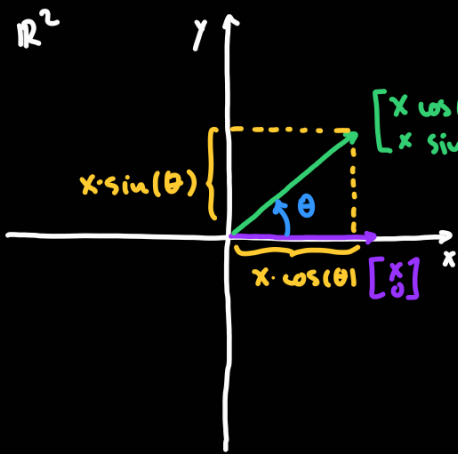
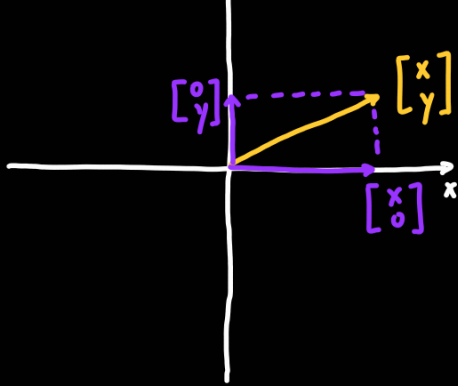
Example: Consider the function from \mathbb{R}^2 to \mathbb{R}^2 given by a rotation of angle θ .



This rotation is a linear transformation!

$$T(\vec{x}) = T\left(\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}\right) = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{matrix associated to } T} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \cos(\theta) - y \sin(\theta) \\ x \sin(\theta) + y \cos(\theta) \end{bmatrix}$$

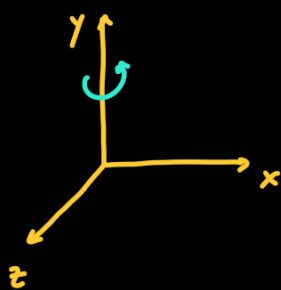




$$\begin{bmatrix} x \cos(\theta) \\ x \sin(\theta) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -y \sin(\theta) \\ y \cos(\theta) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \cos(\theta) - y \sin(\theta) \\ x \sin(\theta) + y \cos(\theta) \end{bmatrix}$$

Theorem: Let T be a linear transformation from \mathbb{R}^m to \mathbb{R}^n . The columns of the matrix associated to T are:

$$\left[T(\vec{e}_1) \dots T(\vec{e}_m) \right], \quad \vec{e}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \dots, \vec{e}_i = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ (i-th component)}, \dots, \vec{e}_m = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



T is from \mathbb{R}^3 to \mathbb{R}^3
 \uparrow \uparrow
 columns rows

Theorem: A function T from \mathbb{R}^m to \mathbb{R}^n is a linear transformation if & only if:

(i) $T(\vec{v} + \vec{w}) = T(\vec{v}) + T(\vec{w})$ and

(ii) $T(\lambda \vec{v}) = \lambda T(\vec{v})$ λ scalar in \mathbb{R}
 \uparrow
 lambda

Example: Of non-linearity: $T(x) = x^2$.

$$\lambda = 2, x = 3 \quad T(2 \cdot 3) = 36 \neq 2 \cdot T(3) = 2 \cdot 9 = 18$$