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1 Matrices

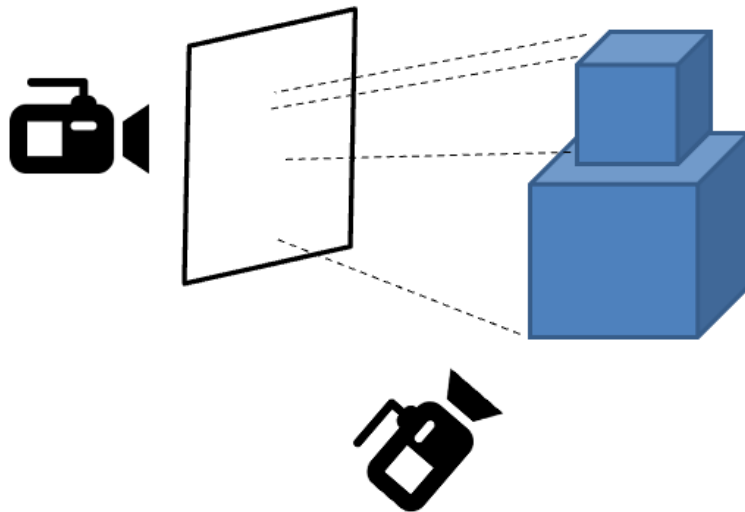
Introduction

A matrix (plural: matrices) is **simply an 'array' of numbers**, e.g.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & -7 \\ 4 & 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

On a simple level, a matrix is simply a way to organise values into rows and columns, and represent these multiple values as a single structure.

For the purposes of IGCSE Further Maths, you should understand matrices as a **way to transform points**.



Matrices are particularly useful in 3D graphics, as matrices can be used to carry out rotations/enlargements (useful for changing the camera angle) or project into a 2D 'viewing' plane.

#1 Dimensions of Matrices

The dimension of a matrix is its size, in terms of its number of rows and columns.

Matrix	Dimensions
$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & -7 \\ 4 & 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$	2×3
$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 6 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$	3×1
$(1 \ 6 \ 0)$	1×3

#2 Notation/Names for Matrices

A matrix can have square or curvy brackets*.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 7 & 1 & 2 \\ 6 & 1 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

Matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Column Vector
(The vector you know
and love)

$$(1 \quad 6 \quad 0)$$

Row Vector

So a matrix with one column is simply a vector in the usual sense.

#3 Variables for Matrices

If we wish a variable to represent a matrix, we use bold, capital letters.

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 6 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$$
$$\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{P}^2\mathbf{TP}$$

#4 Adding/Subtracting Matrices

Simply add/subtract the corresponding elements of each matrix.
They must be of the same dimension.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & -7 \\ 4 & 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 6 & -2 & 9 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 1 & 2 \\ 6 & 1 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} q & -3 \\ 1 & 1 \\ -4 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 - q & 3 \\ -2 & 1 \\ 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

#5 Scalar Multiplication

A scalar is a number which can 'scale' the elements inside a matrix/vector.

1

$$3 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & -7 \\ 4 & 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 9 & -21 \\ 12 & 0 & 15 \end{pmatrix}$$

2

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} q & -3 \\ 1 & 1 \\ -4 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad 2\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 2q & -6 \\ 2 & 2 \\ -8 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

3

$$\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ k \end{pmatrix} + k \begin{pmatrix} 2k \\ 2k \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} k \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \quad k = \frac{3}{2}$$

#6 Matrix Multiplication

This is where things get slightly more complicated...

Now repeat for the next row of the left matrix...

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 & -2 \\ 2 & 8 & 4 & 3 \\ 7 & -1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ 1 & 7 \\ 0 & 3 \\ 8 & -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -11 & 16 \\ 42 & 61 \\ 50 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

We start with this row and column, and sum the products of each pair.
 $(1 \times 5) + (0 \times 1) + (3 \times 0) + (-2 \times 8) = -11$

Exam Note: In IGCSEFM, you will only have to multiply either a 2×2 by 2×1 or 2×2 by 2×2

Multiplication of Matrices

Worked Example

Find:

$$5 \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 3 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

Your Turn

Find:

$$4 \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ -2 & -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

Worked Example

Given that

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ -5 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } Q = \begin{pmatrix} -5 & 3 \\ -6 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Find $5P - Q$

Your Turn

Given that

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -6 \\ -3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 1 \\ -2 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Find $2A - 3B$

Method

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 9 \\ 11 \end{bmatrix} = 58$$
$$1 \cdot 7 + 2 \cdot 9 + 3 \cdot 11 = 58$$

Worked Example

Find:

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 3 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$$

Your Turn

Find:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ -2 & -5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$$

Worked Example

Find:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -4 & -5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 7 \\ 8 & -6 \end{pmatrix}$$

Your Turn

Find:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 5 & -3 \\ -2 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -7 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

Worked Example

Find:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^4$$

Your Turn

Find:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}^4$$

Worked Example

Matrices A and B are defined by

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & x \\ 3 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & x \\ -5 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Calculate AB , giving your answer in terms of x

Your Turn

Matrices U and V are defined by

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ a & 3 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } B = \begin{pmatrix} a & 5 \\ 6 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

Calculate UV , giving your answer in terms of a

Identity Matrix

Let $I = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$.

Determine:

$$AI = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$$

$$IA = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$$

$I = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ is known as the 'identity matrix'.

Multiplying by it has no effect, i.e. $AI = IA = A$ for any matrix A .

It may seem pointless to have such a matrix, but it'll have more importance when we consider matrices as 'transformations' later. Although admittedly you won't quite fully appreciate why we have it unless you do Further Maths A Level...

Worked Example

Find the value of t , given that

$$\begin{pmatrix} -5 & 3 \\ 7 & -4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & t \\ 7 & 5 \end{pmatrix} = I$$

Your Turn

Find the value of t , given that

$$\begin{pmatrix} -7 & 4 \\ 5 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -3 & -4 \\ -5 & t \end{pmatrix} = I$$

Worked Example

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Show that $M^3 = I$

Your Turn

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Show that $M^3 = I$

Worked Example

$$2 \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ -3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

Find the values of a and b

Your Turn

$$3 \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -5 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

Find the values of a and b

Worked Example

Work out **all** solutions for x and y , given that

$$\begin{pmatrix} x & 1 \\ -4 & y \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2x \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$$

Your Turn

Work out **all** solutions for x and y , given that

$$\begin{pmatrix} x & 3 \\ 1 & y \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4x \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

Worked Example

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 8x & 5x \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Work out the possible values for x and y

Your Turn

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ x & 3x \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix}$$

Work out the possible values for x and y

Question	Working		Answer
$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 5 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	$3 \times 2 + 0 \times 5$	$3 \times 1 + 0 \times 0$	$\begin{pmatrix} 6 & \square \\ \square & \square \end{pmatrix}$
	$1 \times 2 + 4 \times 5$	$1 \times 1 + 4 \times 0$	
$\begin{pmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$		$4 \times 0 + 2 \times 1$	$\begin{pmatrix} \square & 2 \\ \square & \square \end{pmatrix}$
	$3 \times 7 + 0 \times 1$	$3 \times 0 + 0 \times 1$	
$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 4 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$			$\begin{pmatrix} \square & \square \\ 6 & \square \end{pmatrix}$
	$1 \times 0 + 3 \times 2$		
$\begin{pmatrix} -3 & 1 \\ -2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$			$\begin{pmatrix} \square & \square \\ \square & \square \end{pmatrix}$
$\begin{pmatrix} 1.5 & 0 \\ -3 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0.5 \\ 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$			$\begin{pmatrix} \square & \square \\ \square & \square \end{pmatrix}$
$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 4 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$			$\begin{pmatrix} \square & \square \\ \square & \square \end{pmatrix}$
$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & \sqrt{3} \\ -2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ \sqrt{3} & 4 \end{pmatrix}$			$\begin{pmatrix} \square & \square \\ \square & \square \end{pmatrix}$
$\begin{pmatrix} \square & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & \square \end{pmatrix}$			$\begin{pmatrix} 11 & \square \\ \square & 10 \end{pmatrix}$
$\begin{pmatrix} \square & \square \\ \square & \square \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$			$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 16 \\ 7 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

Transformations

Matrices Representing Transformations

Matrices can represent transformations to points in 2D or 3D space.

Let us represent a point as the vector $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$

We can multiply it by a matrix:

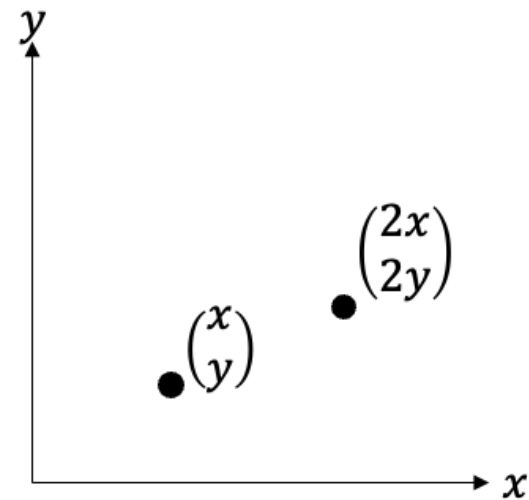
$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2x \\ 2y \end{pmatrix}$$

Important Note: When we multiply by a matrix, it goes on the front, not after. This is a bit like how with composite functions, e.g. $gf(x)$, we applied f to x followed g . We go right to left.

What 'transformation' therefore does the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ represent?

An enlargement by scale factor 2 about the origin.

(Note: You're used to representing points as coordinates like (x, y) rather than vectors, but it allows us to apply matrix transformations to them more easily in this form)



Investigate

In pairs or otherwise, determine the transformations that each of these matrices represents.

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

?

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

?

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

?

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

?

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

?

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

?

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

?

Worked Example

Find a 2×2 matrix that represents:

- a) A reflection in the y -axis
- b) A reflection in the line $y = x$

Your Turn

Find a 2×2 matrix that represents:

- a) A reflection in the x -axis
- b) A reflection in the line $y = -x$

Worked Example

Find a 2×2 matrix that represents:
Rotation 90° anticlockwise about the origin

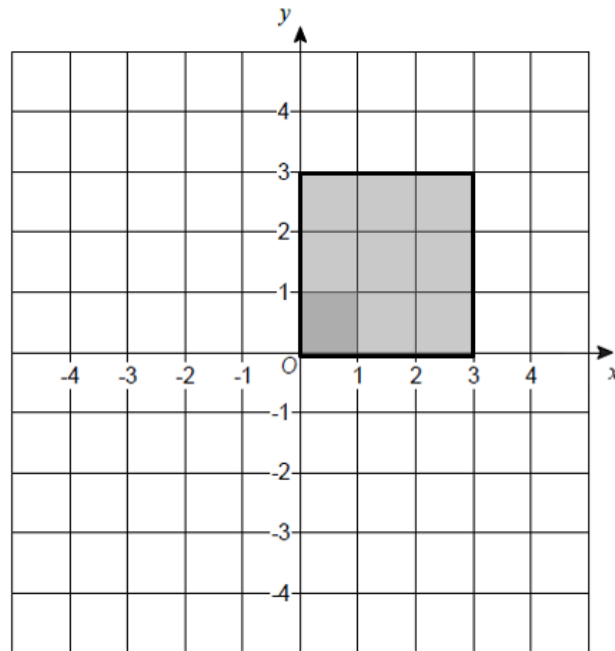
Your Turn

Find a 2×2 matrix that represents:
Rotation 270° anticlockwise about the origin

Transforming the Unit Square

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The unit square is shaded on the grid.



- a) On the grid, draw the image of the unit square after it is transformed using the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

For more complex transformations it's not sufficient to look at the effect on just one point: we can't fully see what the matrix is doing.

If we look at the effect on a **unit square** (with coordinates $(0,0)$, $(1,0)$, $(1,1)$, $(0,1)$), we can better see the effect of a matrix transformation on a region in the x - y plane.

Just apply the transformation to each point of the unit square.

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \\ \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Worked Example

Describe geometrically the effect of the following matrices:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Your Turn

Describe geometrically the effect of the following matrices:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

Worked Example

The transformation matrix $\begin{pmatrix} a & -2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ maps the point $(2, 5)$ onto the point $(3, b)$. Work out the values of a and b .

Your Turn

The transformation matrix $\begin{pmatrix} a & 2 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ maps the point $(3, 4)$ onto the point $(2, b)$. Work out the values of a and b .

Worked Example

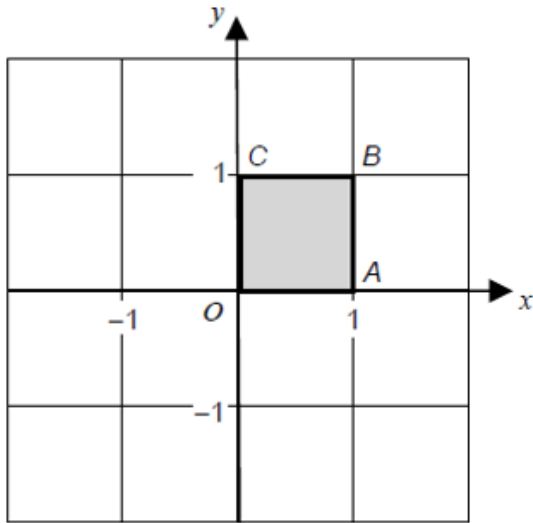
The matrix $\begin{pmatrix} -a & 3b \\ 2a & b \end{pmatrix}$ maps the point (2, 3) onto the point (-31, -1). Work out the values of a and b.

Your Turn

The matrix $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ -a & 2b \end{pmatrix}$ maps the point (5, 4) onto the point (1, 17). Work out the values of a and b.

Worked Example

The diagram shows the unit square $OABC$



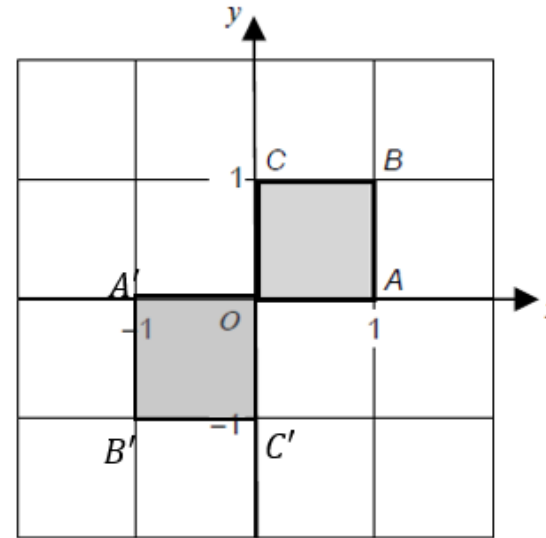
The image of $OABC$ after transformation by the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ is } OA'B'C'$$

Draw and label $OA'B'C'$

Your Turn

The diagram shows the unit square $OABC$



The image of $OABC$ after transformation by the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ is } OA'B'C'$$

Draw and label $OA'B'C'$

Worked Example

A triangle T has vertices $(1, 1)$, $(1, 2)$ and $(2, 2)$

- a) Find the vertices of the image of T under the transformation given by the matrix $\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$
- b) Sketch T and its image, T' on a coordinate grid.

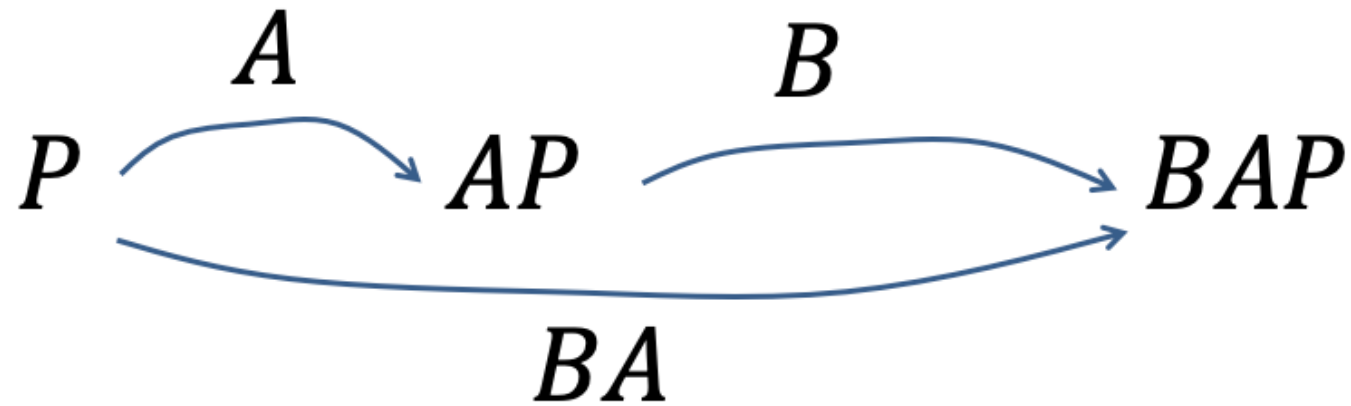
Your Turn

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Combinations of Transformations

Combined Transformations



If a point P is transformed by the matrix A followed by the matrix B , what calculation would get the new point?

Therefore what matrix represents the combined transformation of A followed by B ?

The matrix BA represents the combined transformation of A followed by B .

Note: The default direction of rotation is anticlockwise if not specified.

Worked Example

A triangle T has vertices $(1, 1)$, $(1, 2)$ and $(2, 2)$.

Find the vertices of the image of T under the transformation given by the matrix $\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$.

Your Turn

A triangle T has vertices $(1, 1)$, $(1, 2)$ and $(2, 2)$.

Find the vertices of the image of T under the transformation given by the matrix $\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$.

Worked Example

A, B and C are transformations in the $x - y$ plane.

A: Rotation through 270° anticlockwise about the origin.

B: Reflection in the y -axis

C: Transformation B followed by transformation A.

Use matrix multiplication to show that C is equivalent to a single reflection.

Your Turn

A, B and C are transformations in the $x - y$ plane.

A: Rotation through 90° anticlockwise about the origin.

B: Reflection in the x -axis

C: Transformation A followed by transformation B.

Use matrix multiplication to show that C is equivalent to a single reflection.

Worked Example

Use **matrix multiplication** to show that, in the $x - y$ plane, a reflection in the line $y = x$, followed by a rotation, 90° clockwise about the origin, followed by a reflection in the x -axis is equivalent to a transformation by the identity matrix.

Your Turn

Use **matrix multiplication** to show that, in the $x - y$ plane, a reflection in the line $y = -x$, followed by a rotation, 90° anticlockwise about the origin, followed by a reflection in the x -axis is equivalent to a transformation by the identity matrix.

Extra Notes

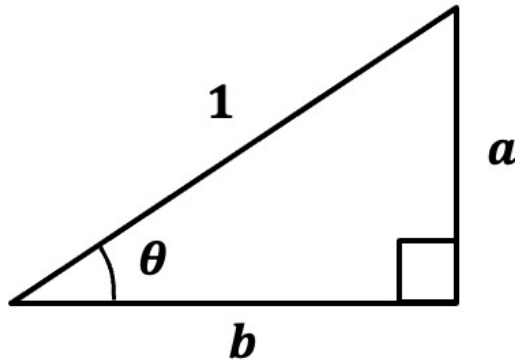
2 Trigonometric Identities and Equations

Specification

6.9	Know and use $\tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$ and $\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$	Including expressions to be simplified, proofs of identities and equations solved
6.10	Solution of simple trigonometric equations in given intervals	Equations will be restricted to single angles: $\sin x = 0.5$; $\sqrt{2} \sin x = \cos x$ for $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$; $\sin^2 x = \frac{1}{4}$ for $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$

Trigonometric Identities

Proving that $\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$



Consider a triangle with hypotenuse of length 1.

Determine a and b in terms of θ .

$$\sin \theta = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{a}{1} = a$$
$$\cos \theta = \frac{\text{adj}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{b}{1} = b$$

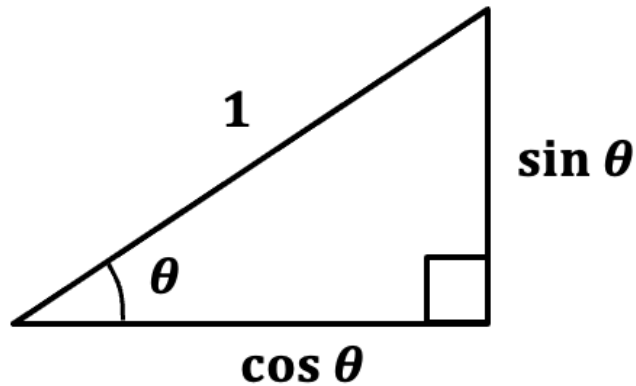
Hence use Pythagoras's theorem to determine an identity involving θ

As $(\sin \theta)^2$ is quite cumbersome to write, we can write $\sin^2 \theta$ as a notational convenience. It does not mean the "sin" is squared (sin is not a quantity!), but that all of $\sin \theta$ is squared.

$$a^2 + b^2 \equiv 1$$
$$(\sin \theta)^2 + (\cos \theta)^2 \equiv 1$$
$$\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta \equiv 1$$

The \equiv indicates an identity, which means the equation is true for all values of θ , not just specific values.

Proving that $\sin\theta/\cos\theta = \tan\theta$



Earlier we considered a right-angled triangle where the hypotenuse is 1. By simple trigonometry, we found the two other sides were $\sin \theta$ and $\cos \theta$

What would $\tan \theta$ be?

$$\tan \theta = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{adj}} = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$$

This gives us the second of our two key trigonometric identities.

$$\begin{aligned}\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta &\equiv 1 \\ \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} &\equiv \tan \theta\end{aligned}$$

Worked Example

It is given that α is acute and that $\cos \alpha = \frac{2}{3}$
Find the exact value of $\tan \alpha$

Your Turn

It is given that α is acute and that $\sin \alpha = \frac{4}{5}$
Find the exact value of $\tan \alpha$

Worked Example

Prove that $1 - \frac{\tan \theta \cos^3 \theta}{\sin \theta} \equiv \sin^2 \theta$

Your Turn

Prove that $1 - \tan \theta \sin \theta \cos \theta \equiv \cos^2 \theta$

Worked Example

Prove that $\tan \theta - \frac{1}{\tan \theta} \equiv \frac{1-2 \cos^2 \theta}{\sin \theta \cos \theta}$

Your Turn

Prove that $\tan \theta + \frac{1}{\tan \theta} \equiv \frac{1}{\sin \theta \cos \theta}$

Worked Example

Prove that $\frac{\cos \theta - \cos^3 \theta}{\sin^3 \theta} \equiv \frac{1}{\tan \theta}$

Your Turn

Prove that $\frac{\sin \theta - \sin^3 \theta}{\cos^3 \theta} \equiv \tan \theta$

Worked Example

Prove that $\frac{\sin^4 \theta - \cos^4 \theta}{\sin^2 \theta} \equiv 1 - \frac{1}{\tan^2 \theta}$

Your Turn

Prove that $\frac{\cos^4 \theta - \sin^4 \theta}{\cos^2 \theta} \equiv 1 - \tan^2 \theta$

Worked Example

Prove that $\frac{\frac{\sin x}{\tan x}}{\sqrt{1-\sin^2 x}} \equiv 1$

Your Turn

Prove that $\frac{\tan x \cos x}{\sqrt{1-\cos^2 x}} \equiv 1$

Worked Example

Prove that $\frac{1}{\tan^2 \theta} \equiv \frac{1}{\sin^2 \theta} - 1$

Your Turn

Prove that $\tan^2 \theta \equiv \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta} - 1$

Trigonometric Equations

Laws of Trigonometric Functions

$$\sin(x) = \sin(180 - x)$$

$$\cos(x) = \cos(360 - x)$$

sin and cos repeat every 360°

tan repeats every 180°

Summary

1. $\sin(x) = \sin(180 - x)$
2. $\cos(x) = \cos(360 - x)$
3. *sin, cos* repeat every 360
4. *tan* repeats every 180

A. $\tan x = \frac{\sin(x)}{\cos(x)}$

B. $\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = 1$

Worked Example

Solve $\cos x = -0.8$ in the interval $-180^\circ \leq x \leq 540^\circ$
Give your solution(s) correct to 1 decimal place where appropriate.

Your Turn

Solve $\sin x = -0.4$ in the interval $-180^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$
Give your solution(s) correct to 1 decimal place where appropriate.

Worked Example

Solve $\tan x = 0.4$ in the interval $-180^\circ \leq x \leq 180^\circ$
Give your solution(s) correct to 1 decimal place where appropriate.

Your Turn

Solve $\tan x = -0.4$ in the interval $-180^\circ \leq x \leq 180^\circ$
Give your solution(s) correct to 1 decimal place where appropriate.

Worked Example

Solve $\sin^2 x = 0.53$ in the interval $-180^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$
Give your solution(s) correct to 1 decimal place where appropriate.

Your Turn

Solve $\cos^2 x = 0.62$ in the interval $-180^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$
Give your solution(s) correct to 1 decimal place where appropriate.

Worked Example

Solve $8 \tan^2 x = -6 \tan x - 1$ in the interval $0^\circ < x < 540^\circ$
Give your solution(s) correct to 1 decimal place where appropriate.

Your Turn

Solve $12 \tan^2 x - \tan x = 1$ in the interval $0^\circ < x < 540^\circ$
Give your solution(s) correct to 1 decimal place where appropriate.

Worked Example

Solve $6 \sin^2 x - 5 \cos x = 2$ in the interval $0^\circ \leq x < 540^\circ$
Give your solution(s) correct to 2 decimal places where appropriate.

Your Turn

Solve $8 \cos^2 x = 2 \sin x + 5$ in the interval $0^\circ \leq x < 540^\circ$
Give your solution(s) correct to 2 decimal places where appropriate.

Extra Notes