

Concept Review

- Composition of matrix transformations
- Reflection about the origin
- One-to-one transformation
- Inverse of a matrix operator
- Linearity conditions
- Linear transformation
- Equivalent characterizations of invertible matrices

Skills

- Find the standard matrix for a composition of matrix transformations.
- Determine whether a matrix operator is one-to-one; if it is, then find the inverse operator.
- Determine whether a transformation is a linear transformation.

Exercise Set 4.10

In Exercises 1–2, let T_A and T_B be the operators whose standard matrices are given. Find the standard matrices for $T_A \circ T_B$.

1. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 4 & 1 & -3 \\ 5 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 3 \\ 5 & 0 & 1 \\ 6 & 1 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$

Answer:

$$T_B \circ T_A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 & 21 \\ 10 & -8 & 4 \\ 45 & 3 & 25 \end{bmatrix}, T_A \circ T_B = \begin{bmatrix} -8 & -3 & 1 \\ -5 & -15 & -8 \\ 44 & -11 & 45 \end{bmatrix}$$

2. $A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 4 & -3 & 6 \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 & 4 \\ -1 & 5 & 2 \\ 2 & -3 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$

3. Let $T_1(x_1, x_2) = (x_1 + x_2, x_1 - x_2)$ and $T_2(x_1, x_2) = (3x_1, 2x_1 + 4x_2)$.

- Find the standard matrices for T_1 and T_2 .
- Find the standard matrices for $T_2 \circ T_1$ and $T_1 \circ T_2$.
- Use the matrices obtained in part (b) to find formulas for $T_1(T_2(x_1, x_2))$ and $T_2(T_1(x_1, x_2))$.

Answer:

- (a) $T_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$, $T_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$
- (b) $T_2 \circ T_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 3 \\ 6 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$, $T_1 \circ T_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 \\ 1 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$
- (c) $T_2(T_1(x_1, x_2)) = (3x_1 + 3x_2, 6x_1 - 2x_2)$,
 $T_1(T_2(x_1, x_2)) = (5x_1 + 4x_2, x_1 - 4x_2)$

4. Let $T_1(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (4x_1, -2x_1 + x_2, -x_1 - 3x_2)$ and $T_2(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 + 2x_2, -x_3, 4x_1 - x_3)$.
- (a) Find the standard matrices for T_1 and T_2 .
- (b) Find the standard matrices for $T_2 \circ T_1$ and $T_1 \circ T_2$.
- (c) Use the matrices obtained in part (b) to find formulas for $T_1(T_2(x_1, x_2, x_3))$ and $T_2(T_1(x_1, x_2, x_3))$.
5. Find the standard matrix for the stated composition in \mathbb{R}^2 .
- (a) A rotation of 90° , followed by a reflection about the line $y = x$.
- (b) An orthogonal projection on the y -axis, followed by a contraction with factor $k = \frac{1}{2}$.
- (c) A reflection about the x -axis, followed by a dilation with factor $k = 3$.

Answer:

- (a) $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$
- (b) $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$
- (c) $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$

6. Find the standard matrix for the stated composition in \mathbb{R}^2 .
- (a) A rotation of 60° , followed by an orthogonal projection on the x -axis, followed by a reflection about the line $y = x$.
- (b) A dilation with factor $k = 2$, followed by a rotation of 45° , followed by a reflection about the y -axis.
- (c) A rotation of 15° , followed by a rotation of 105° , followed by a rotation of 60° .
7. Find the standard matrix for the stated composition in \mathbb{R}^3 .
- (a) A reflection about the yz -plane, followed by an orthogonal projection on the xz -plane.
- (b) A rotation of 45° about the y -axis, followed by a dilation with factor $k = \sqrt{2}$.
- (c) An orthogonal projection on the xy -plane, followed by a reflection about the yz -plane.

Answer:

- (a) $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$(b) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & \sqrt{2} & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(c) \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

8. Find the standard matrix for the stated composition in \mathbb{R}^3 .

- A rotation of 30° about the x -axis, followed by a rotation of 30° about the z -axis, followed by a contraction with factor $k = \frac{1}{4}$.
- A reflection about the xy -plane, followed by a reflection about the xz -plane, followed by an orthogonal projection on the yz -plane.
- A rotation of 270° about the x -axis, followed by a rotation of 90° about the y -axis, followed by a rotation of 180° about the z -axis.

9. Determine whether $T_1 \circ T_2 = T_2 \circ T_1$.

- $T_1: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is the orthogonal projection on the x -axis, and $T_2: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is the orthogonal projection on the y -axis.
- $T_1: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is the rotation through an angle θ_1 , and $T_2: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is the rotation through an angle θ_2 .
- $T_1: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is the orthogonal projection on the x -axis, and $T_2: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is the rotation through an angle θ .

Answer:

- $T_1 \circ T_2 = T_2 \circ T_1$
- $T_1 \circ T_2 = T_2 \circ T_1$
- $T_1 \circ T_2 \neq T_2 \circ T_1$

10. Determine whether $T_1 \circ T_2 = T_2 \circ T_1$.

- $T_1: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ is a dilation by a factor k , and $T_2: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ is the rotation about the z -axis through an angle θ .
- $T_1: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ is the rotation about the x -axis through an angle θ_1 , and $T_2: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ is the rotation about the z -axis through an angle θ_2 .

11. By inspection, determine whether the matrix operator is one-to-one.

- the orthogonal projection on the x -axis in \mathbb{R}^2
- the reflection about the y -axis in \mathbb{R}^2
- the reflection about the line $y = x$ in \mathbb{R}^2
- a contraction with factor $k > 0$ in \mathbb{R}^2
- a rotation about the z -axis in \mathbb{R}^3
- a reflection about the xy -plane in \mathbb{R}^3
- a dilation with factor $k > 0$ in \mathbb{R}^3

Answer:

- (a) Not one-to-one
- (b) One-to-one
- (c) One-to-one
- (d) One-to-one
- (e) One-to-one
- (f) One-to-one
- (g) One-to-one

12. Find the standard matrix for the matrix operator defined by the equations, and use Theorem 4.10.4 to determine whether the operator is one-to-one.

- (a) $w_1 = 8x_1 + 4x_2$
 $w_2 = 2x_1 + x_2$
- (b) $w_1 = 2x_1 - 3x_2$
 $w_2 = 5x_1 + x_2$
- (c) $w_1 = -x_1 + 3x_2 + 2x_3$
 $w_2 = 2x_1 + 4x_3$
 $w_3 = x_1 + 3x_2 + 6x_3$
- (d) $w_1 = x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3$
 $w_2 = 2x_1 + 5x_2 + 3x_3$
 $w_3 = x_1 + 8x_3$

13. Determine whether the matrix 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) $w_1 = x_1 + 2x_2$
 $w_2 = -x_1 + x_2$
- (b) $w_1 = 4x_1 - 6x_2$
 $w_2 = -2x_1 + 3x_2$
- (c) $w_1 = -x_2$
 $w_2 = -x_1$
- (d) $w_1 = 3x_1$
 $w_2 = -5x_1$

Answer:

- (a) One-to-one; $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{2}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix}$; $T^{-1}(w_1, w_2) = \left(\frac{1}{3}w_1 - \frac{2}{3}w_2, \frac{1}{3}w_1 + \frac{1}{3}w_2\right)$
- (b) Not one-to-one
- (c) One-to-one; $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$; $T^{-1}(w_1, w_2) = (-w_2, -w_1)$

(d) Not one-to-one

14. Determine whether the matrix 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) $w_1 = x_1 - 2x_2 + 2x_3$

$$w_2 = 2x_1 + x_2 + x_3$$

$$w_3 = x_1 + x_2$$

(b) $w_1 = x_1 - 3x_2 + 4x_3$

$$w_2 = -x_1 + x_2 + x_3$$

$$w_3 = -2x_2 + 5x_3$$

(c) $w_1 = x_1 + 4x_2 - x_3$

$$w_2 = 2x_1 + 7x_2 + x_3$$

$$w_3 = x_1 + 3x_2$$

(d) $w_1 = x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3$

$$w_2 = -2x_1 + x_2 + 4x_3$$

$$w_3 = 7x_1 + 4x_2 - 5x_3$$

15. By inspection, find the inverse of the given one-to-one matrix operator.

(a) The reflection about the x -axis in \mathbb{R}^2 .

(b) The rotation through an angle of $\pi/4$ in \mathbb{R}^2 .

(c) The dilation by a factor of 3 in \mathbb{R}^2 .

(d) The reflection about the yz -plane in \mathbb{R}^3 .

(e) The contraction by a factor of $\frac{1}{5}$ in \mathbb{R}^3 .

Answer:

(a) Reflection about the x -axis

(b) Rotation through the angle $-\frac{\pi}{4}$

(c) Contraction by a factor of $\frac{1}{3}$

(d) Reflection about the yz -plane

(e) Dilation by a factor of 5

In Exercises 16—17, use Theorem 4.10.2 to determine whether $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is a matrix operator.

16. (a) $T(x, y) = (2x, y)$

(b) $T(x, y) = (x^2, y)$

(c) $T(x, y) = (-y, x)$

(d) $T(x, y) = (x, 0)$

17. (a) $T(x, y) = (2x + y, x - y)$

(b) $T(x, y) = (x + 1, y)$

- (c) $T(x, y) = (y, y)$
 (d) $T(x, y) = (\sqrt[3]{x}, \sqrt[3]{y})$

Answer:

- (a) Matrix operator
 (b) Not a matrix operator
 (c) Matrix operator
 (d) Not a matrix operator

In Exercises 18–19, use Theorem 4.10.2 to determine whether $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is a matrix transformation.

18. (a) $T(x, y, z) = (x, x + y + z)$
 (b) $T(x, y, z) = (1, 1)$
 19. (a) $T(x, y, z) = (0, 0)$
 (b) $T(x, y, z) = (3x - 4y, 2x - 5z)$

Answer:

- (a) Matrix transformation
 (b) Matrix transformation
20. In each part, use Theorem 4.10.3 to find the standard matrix for the matrix operator from the images of the standard basis vectors.
- (a) The reflection operators on \mathbb{R}^2 in Table 1 of Section 4.9 .
 (b) The reflection operators on \mathbb{R}^3 in Table 2 of Section 4.9 .
 (c) The projection operators on \mathbb{R}^2 in Table 3 of Section 4.9 .
 (d) The projection operators on \mathbb{R}^3 in Table 4 of Section 4.9 .
 (e) The rotation operators on \mathbb{R}^2 in Table 5 of Section 4.9 .
 (f) The dilation and contraction operators on \mathbb{R}^3 in Table 8 of Section 4.9 .
21. Find the standard matrix for the given matrix operator.
- (a) $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ projects a vector orthogonally onto the x -axis and then reflects that vector about the y -axis.
 (b) $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ reflects a vector about the line $y = x$ and then reflects that vector about the x -axis.
 (c) $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ 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.

Answer:

- (a) $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

(b) $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

(c) $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

22. Find the standard matrix for the given matrix operator.

- (a) $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ reflects a vector about the xz -plane and then contracts that vector by a factor of $\frac{1}{5}$.
- (b) $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ projects a vector orthogonally onto the xz -plane and then projects that vector orthogonally onto the xy -plane.
- (c) $T: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ reflects a vector about the xy -plane, then reflects that vector about the xz -plane, and then reflects that vector about the yz -plane.

23. Let $T_A: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be multiplication by

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 5 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

and let \mathbf{e}_1 , \mathbf{e}_2 , and \mathbf{e}_3 be the standard basis vectors for \mathbb{R}^3 . Find the following vectors by inspection.

- (a) $T_A(\mathbf{e}_1)$, $T_A(\mathbf{e}_2)$, and $T_A(\mathbf{e}_3)$
- (b) $T_A(\mathbf{e}_1 + \mathbf{e}_2 + \mathbf{e}_3)$
- (c) $T_A(7\mathbf{e}_3)$

Answer:

- (a) $T_A(\mathbf{e}_1) = (-1, 2, 4)$, $T_A(\mathbf{e}_2) = (3, 1, 5)$, $T_A(\mathbf{e}_3) = (0, 2, -3)$
- (b) $T_A(\mathbf{e}_1 + \mathbf{e}_2 + \mathbf{e}_3) = (2, 5, 6)$
- (c) $T_A(7\mathbf{e}_3) = (0, 14, -21)$

24. Determine whether multiplication by A is a one-to-one matrix transformation.

- (a) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 \\ 3 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$
- (b) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ -1 & 0 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$
- (c) $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

25. (a) Is a composition of one-to-one matrix transformations one-to-one? Justify your conclusion.
- (b) Can the composition of a one-to-one matrix transformation and a matrix transformation that is not one-to-one be one-to-one? Account for both possible orders of composition and justify your conclusion.

Answer:

(a) Yes

(b) Yes

26. Show that $T(x, y) = (0, 0)$ defines a matrix operator on \mathbb{R}^2 but $T(x, y) = (1, 1)$ does not.

27. (a) Prove: If $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ is a matrix transformation, then $T(\mathbf{0}) = \mathbf{0}$; that is, T maps the zero vector in \mathbb{R}^n into the zero vector in \mathbb{R}^m .

(b) The converse of this is not true. Find an example of a function that satisfies $T(\mathbf{0}) = \mathbf{0}$ but is not a matrix transformation.

Answer:

(b) $T(x_1, x_2) = (x_1^2 + x_2^2, x_1x_2)$

28. Prove: An $n \times n$ matrix A is invertible if and only if the linear system $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{w}$ has exactly one solution for every vector \mathbf{w} in \mathbb{R}^n for which the system is consistent.

29. Let A be an $n \times n$ matrix such that $\det(A) = \mathbf{0}$, and let $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ be multiplication by A .

(a) What can you say about the range of the matrix T ? Give an example that illustrates your conclusion.

(b) What can you say about the number of vectors that T maps into $\mathbf{0}$?

Answer:

(a) The range of T is a proper subset of \mathbb{R}^n .

(b) T must map infinitely many vectors to $\mathbf{0}$.

30. Prove: If the matrix transformation $T_A: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ is one-to-one, then A is invertible.

True-False Exercises

In parts (a)–(f) determine whether the statement is true or false, and justify your answer.

(a) If $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ and $T(\mathbf{0}) = \mathbf{0}$, then T is a matrix transformation.

Answer:

False

(b) If $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ and $T(c_1\mathbf{x} + c_2\mathbf{y}) = c_1T(\mathbf{x}) + c_2T(\mathbf{y})$ for all scalars c_1 and c_2 and all vectors \mathbf{x} and \mathbf{y} in \mathbb{R}^n , then T is a matrix transformation.

Answer:

True

(c) If $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ is a one-to-one matrix transformation, then there are no distinct vectors \mathbf{x} and \mathbf{y} for which $T(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}) = \mathbf{0}$.

Answer:

True

(d) If $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ is a matrix transformation and $m > n$, then T is one-to-one.

Answer:

False

(e) If $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ is a matrix transformation and $m = n$, then T is one-to-one.

Answer:

False

(f) If $T: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ is a matrix transformation and $m < n$, then T is one-to-one.

Answer:

False