

- $T: V \rightarrow W$  linear transformation

$\beta = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$  basis for  $V$

$\gamma = \{w_1, w_2, \dots, w_m\}$  basis for  $W$ .

Matrix representation of  $T$  w.r.t.  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$ :  $[T]_{\beta}^{\gamma} = \begin{pmatrix} [T(v_1)]_{\gamma} & [T(v_2)]_{\gamma} & \cdots & [T(v_n)]_{\gamma} \end{pmatrix}$

- Assume  $V=W$ ,  $\beta=\gamma$

$$\text{Then } [T]_{\beta} = [T]_{\beta}^{\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} [T(v_1)]_{\beta} & [T(v_2)]_{\beta} & \cdots & [T(v_n)]_{\beta} \end{pmatrix}$$

Now we change the basis  $\beta$  to a new basis  $\beta'$ .

We want to find the relation between  $[T]_{\beta} = [T]_{\beta}^{\beta}$  and  $[T]_{\beta'} = [T]_{\beta'}^{\beta'}$ .

To do this, recall the formula for the matrix representation of composition:

$$V \xrightarrow{T} W \xrightarrow{U} Z$$

$\downarrow \quad \nwarrow \beta \quad \nearrow \gamma$

$$[U \circ T]_2^1 = [U]_{\beta'}^{\gamma} \cdot [T]_2^{\beta}$$

identity transformation of  $V$   
 $\downarrow \quad \text{Id}_V(v) = v, \forall v \in V$

Apply this to the composition:  $V \xrightarrow{\text{Id}_V} V \xrightarrow{T} V \xrightarrow{\text{Id}_V} V$

$\beta' \quad \nwarrow \beta \quad \nearrow \beta \quad \searrow \beta' \quad \swarrow \beta'$

$$\Rightarrow [T]_{\beta'}^{\beta'} = [\text{Id}_V \circ T \circ \text{Id}_V]_{\beta'}^{\beta'} = [\text{Id}_V]_{\beta}^{\beta'} \cdot [T]_{\beta}^{\beta} \cdot [\text{Id}_V]_{\beta}^{\beta'}$$

Note that  $[\text{Id}_V]_{\beta}^{\beta'} \cdot [\text{Id}_V]_{\beta}^{\beta} = [\text{Id}_V \cdot \text{Id}_V]_{\beta'}^{\beta} = [\text{Id}_V]_{\beta}^{\beta} = I_{n \times n}$

So:  $[\text{Id}_V]_{\beta}^{\beta'} = ([\text{Id}_V]_{\beta'}^{\beta})^{-1}$ .

So we get the formula:

$$\text{Thm: } [\mathbf{T}]_{\beta'}^{\beta} = ([\text{Id}_V]_{\beta'}^{\beta})^{-1} \cdot [\mathbf{T}]_{\beta}^{\beta} \cdot [\text{Id}_V]_{\beta'}^{\beta}.$$

Def:  $[\text{Id}_V]_{\beta'}^{\beta}$  is called the change of coordinate matrix that changes the  $\beta'$ -coordinate to  $\beta$ -coordinate.

$$\text{Thm: } \forall v \in V, [v]_{\beta} = [\text{Id}_V]_{\beta'}^{\beta} \cdot [v]_{\beta'}$$

Proof: Recall the formula for a linear transformation:  $V \xrightarrow[\beta']^{\mathbf{T}} W$

$$[\mathbf{T}(v)]_{\beta} = [\mathbf{T}]_{\beta'}^{\beta} \cdot [v]_{\beta'}$$

Apply this formula to  $V \xrightarrow[\beta']^{\text{Id}_V} V$  to get:

$$[v]_{\beta} = [\text{Id}_V(v)]_{\beta} = [\text{Id}_V]_{\beta'}^{\beta} \cdot [v]_{\beta'}$$

Ex1:  $T: P_2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow P_2(\mathbb{R}), \beta = \{1, x, x^2\}$

$$f(x) \mapsto (x-1)f'(x).$$

$$[\mathbf{T}]_{\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} [T(1)]_{\beta} & [T(x)]_{\beta} & [T(x^2)]_{\beta} \\ 0 & x-1 & (x-1) \cdot 2x \\ & & 2x^2-2x \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

choose a new basis  $\beta' = \{x^2-x, x^2+1, x-1\}$ . ( $\beta'$  is a basis because it is linearly indep.)

$$[\text{Id}]_{\beta'}^{\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} [x^2-x]_{\beta} & [x^2+1]_{\beta} & [x-1]_{\beta} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

We calculate its inverse by the process of using elementary transformations:

$$\left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & -1 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right)$$

$$[\text{Id}]_{\beta'}^{\beta'} = ([\text{Id}]_{\beta'}^{\beta})^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} -1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) \Leftarrow \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} [\text{T}]_{\beta'} &= ([\text{Id}]_{\beta'}^{\beta})^{-1} \cdot [\text{T}]_{\beta} \cdot [\text{Id}]_{\beta'}^{\beta} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} -1 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right) \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{array} \right) \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 0 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \end{array} \right) \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 0 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 4 & 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & 2 \end{array} \right) \\ &= \left( \begin{array}{ccc} 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Verify:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{T}(x^2-x) &= (x-1)(2x-1) = 2x^2 - 3x + 1 \stackrel{?}{=} 2 \cdot (x^2-x) + 0 \cdot (x^2+1) - 1 \cdot (x-1) \\ \text{T}(x^2+1) &= (x-1) \cdot 2x = 2x^2 - 2x \stackrel{?}{=} 2 \cdot (x^2-x) + 0 \cdot (x^2+1) + 0 \cdot (x-1) \\ \text{T}(x-1) &= (x-1) \cdot 1 = x-1 \stackrel{?}{=} 0 \cdot (x^2-x) + 0 \cdot (x^2+1) + 1 \cdot (x-1) \end{aligned}$$

Ex<sup>2</sup>: Reflections revisited.

$T = \text{reflection across the } y = (\tan \theta)x$

standard basis  $\beta = \{e_1, e_2\}$ .

To calculate  $[T]_\beta$ , we can first find  $[T]_{\beta'}$  where

$\beta' = \{v_1, v_2\} . |v_1| = |v_2| = 1, v_1 \parallel \text{mirror}, v_2 \perp \text{mirror}$ .

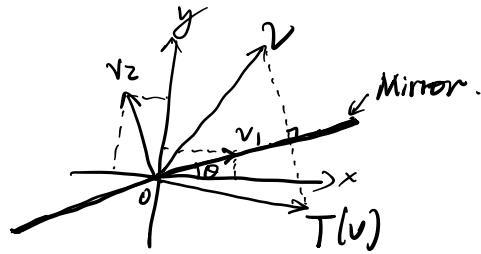
$$[T]_{\beta'} = \begin{pmatrix} [T(v_1)]_{\beta'} & [T(v_2)]_{\beta'} \\ [v_1]_{\beta'} & [v_2]_{\beta'} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$[Id]_{\beta'}^\beta = \begin{pmatrix} [v_1]_\beta & [v_2]_\beta \\ [\cos \theta]_\beta & [-\sin \theta]_\beta \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad-bc} \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix}$$

$$[Id]_\beta^{\beta'} = ([Id]_{\beta'})^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So } [T]_\beta &= [T]_\beta^{\beta'} = [Id]_{\beta'}^\beta \cdot [T]_{\beta'}^{\beta'} [Id]_{\beta'}^\beta \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & -\cos \theta \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta & 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta \\ 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta & \sin^2 \theta - \cos^2 \theta \end{pmatrix} \\ &\quad \begin{pmatrix} \cos(2\theta) & \sin(2\theta) \\ \sin(2\theta) & -\cos(2\theta) \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$



$[Idv]_{\beta}^{\beta'}$  changes  $\beta$ -coordinates to  $\beta'$ -coordinates:

for example,  $v = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow [v]_{\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\Rightarrow [v]_{\beta'} = [Idv]_{\beta}^{\beta'} \cdot [v]_{\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 3 \cos \theta + 5 \sin \theta \\ -3 \sin \theta + 5 \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}.$$

Check:  $(3 \cos \theta + 5 \sin \theta) v_1 + (-3 \sin \theta + 5 \cos \theta) v_2$

$$= (3 \cos \theta + 5 \sin \theta) \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta \\ \sin \theta \end{pmatrix} + (-3 \sin \theta + 5 \cos \theta) \begin{pmatrix} -\sin \theta \\ \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 3(\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta) \\ 5(\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Review: • Vector spaces.

- $S \subseteq V$ : linearly dependent/independent.
- bases, dimensions.
- $T: V \rightarrow W$  linear transformation.  
bases:  $\beta$        $\gamma$

$[T]_{\beta}^{\gamma}$ : matrix representation

$$[Tv]_{\gamma} = [T]_{\beta}^{\gamma} \cdot [v]_{\beta}$$

$N(T)$ ,  $R(T)$

$$\text{nullity}(T) + \text{rank}(T) = \dim V.$$

one-to-one, onto, invertible.

composition of linear transformations.