

# Yet more matrix transforms!

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1. Multiply out the following matrices. Elements may be left in terms of unknowns  $a$  and  $b$

$$(i) \quad 2 \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 3 \\ 5a & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 2a \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = 2 \begin{pmatrix} -7 & -2a-3 \\ 35a & 10a^2-2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -14 & -4a-6 \\ 70a & 20a^2-4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(ii) \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 5 \\ 0 & -3 & -9 \\ 7 & 8 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 12 & -2 \\ -6 & -1 & 0 \\ 1 & 5 & 7 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 16 & 39 & 33 \\ 9 & -42 & -63 \\ -56 & 71 & -21 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(iii) \quad \begin{pmatrix} -4a & 7 \\ 5 & 3b \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{-12ab-35} \begin{pmatrix} 3b & -7 \\ -5 & -4a \end{pmatrix}$$

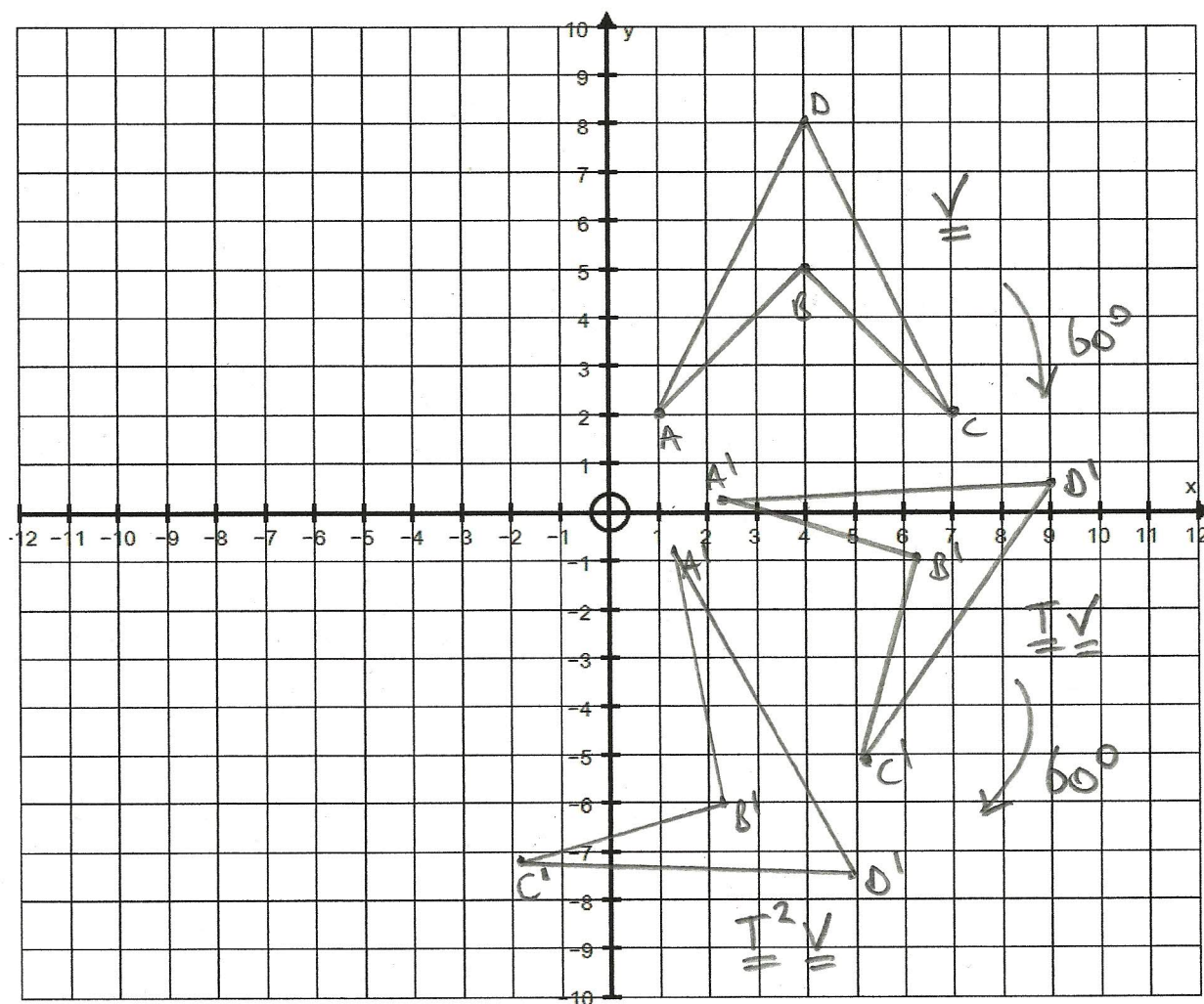
$$= \begin{pmatrix} \frac{-3b}{12ab+35} & \frac{7}{12ab+35} \\ \frac{5}{12ab+35} & \frac{4a}{12ab+35} \end{pmatrix}$$

2. Vertices A,B,C,D of a shape in (x,y) coordinates are collected together in a  $2 \times 4$  matrix

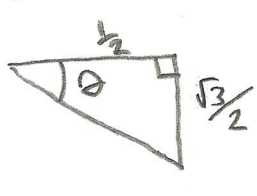
$$V = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & 7 & 4 \\ 2 & 5 & 2 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

- (a) Plot the shape on the axes below and label all vertices

[2 marks]



- (b) A matrix transformation has form


 $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) = 60^\circ$ 

$$T = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \frac{-\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} \approx \begin{pmatrix} 0.5 & 0.87 \\ -0.87 & 0.5 \end{pmatrix}$$

Evaluate to 2.d.p the elements of  $T$  and therefore work out  $TV$ . Plot this on the graph above. Describe in words the transformation.

$$TV \approx \begin{pmatrix} 0.5 & 0.87 \\ -0.87 & 0.5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & 7 & 4 \\ 2 & 5 & 2 & 8 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2.24 & 6.35 & 5.24 & 8.96 \\ 0.13 & -0.98 & -5.09 & 0.52 \end{pmatrix}$$

60° clockwise rotation about (0,0)

- (ii) Calculate  $T^2V$  and plot it on the graph above.

$$\underline{T}^2 \approx \begin{pmatrix} 0.5 & 0.87 \\ -0.87 & 0.5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0.5 & 0.87 \\ -0.87 & 0.5 \end{pmatrix} \\ = \begin{pmatrix} -0.51 & 0.87 \\ -0.87 & -0.51 \end{pmatrix}$$

This is a  
120° rotation  
clockwise about  
(0,0)

$$\therefore \underline{T}^2V = \begin{pmatrix} -0.51 & 0.87 \\ -0.87 & -0.51 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & 7 & 4 \\ 2 & 5 & 2 & 8 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1.23 & 2.32 & -1.81 & 4.93 \\ -1.88 & -6.01 & -7.10 & -7.54 \end{pmatrix}$$

- (iii) Work out what value of  $n$  results in  $T^nV = V$

i.e. the effect of  $n$  applications of transformation  $T$  on  $V$  brings them back to where they started. Write down  $T^n$  in this case and name this special transformation!

$$6 \times 60^\circ = 360^\circ \quad \therefore n = 6.$$

$$\underline{T}^6 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{the identity transformation.}$$

- (v) Without evaluating the matrices, describe the transformations

(i)  $T^4$   $4 \times 60^\circ = 240^\circ$  rotation clockwise about (0,0)

(ii)  $T^{-3}$

$$-3 \times 60^\circ = -180^\circ \text{ rotation about (0,0)}$$

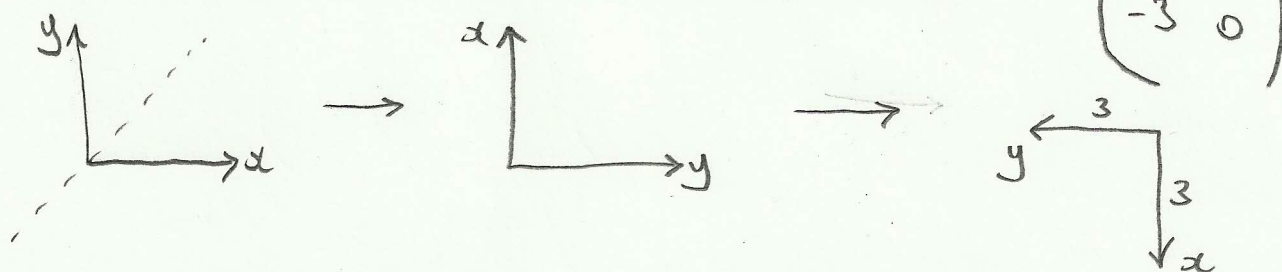
[This could be clockwise or anticlockwise of course!]

(iii)  $T^{1.234}$

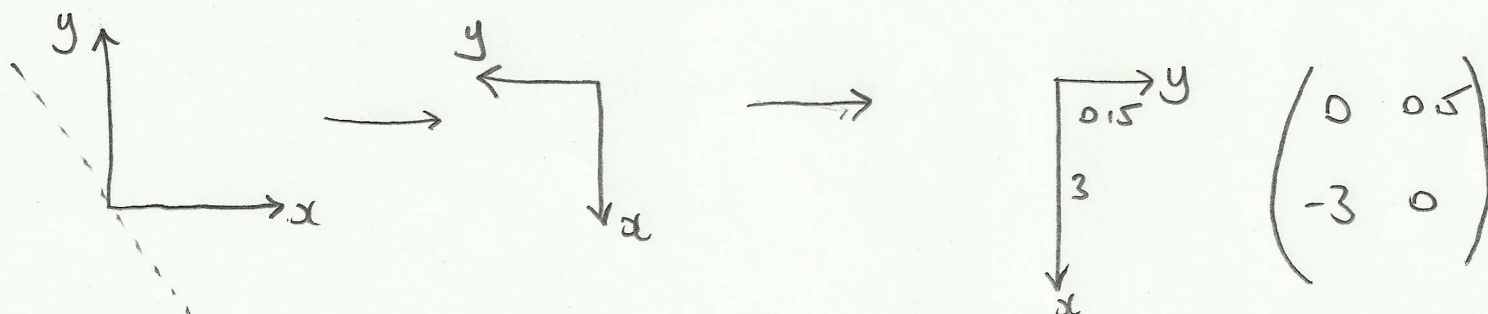
$$1.234 \times 60^\circ = 74.04^\circ \text{ rotation clockwise about (0,0)}$$

3) Using 'red and blue basis vector diagrams' derive matrices which represent the following transformations

(i) Reflection in the  $y = x$ , then enlargement scale factor -3 about the origin



(ii) Reflection in the  $y = -x$ , then a stretch of scale factor 3 parallel to the  $y$  axis and -0.5 parallel to the  $x$  axis.



4) Consider the matrices below

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

$$V = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -4 & -7 & -4 \\ 2 & 5 & 2 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} -4 & -4 & -4 & -4 \\ 5 & 5 & 5 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

Work out the following in stages and plot each result on the graph below:

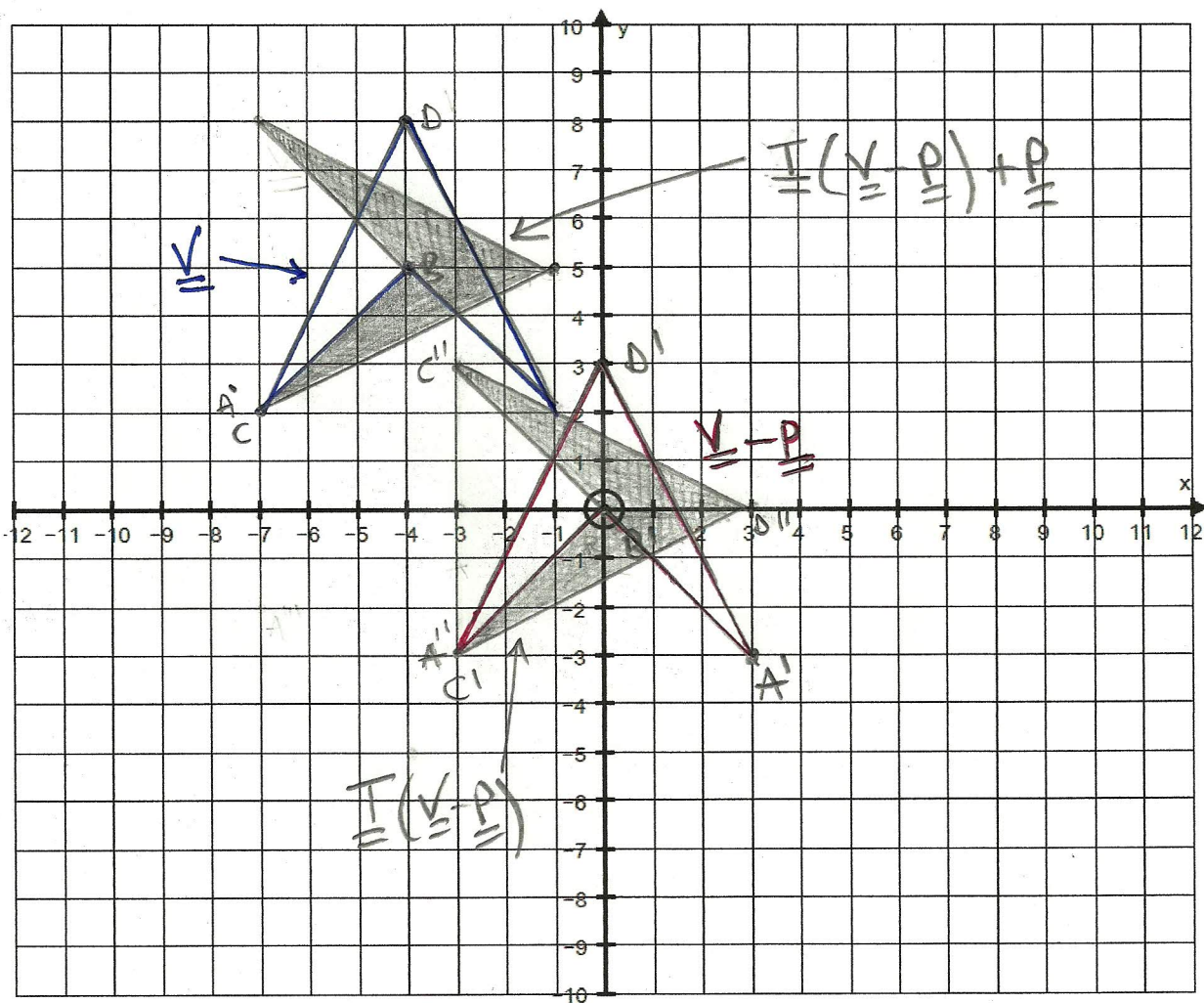
1.  $V$

2.  $V - P$   $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & -3 & 0 \\ -3 & 0 & -3 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$

3.  $T(V - P)$   $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & -3 & 0 \\ -3 & 0 & -3 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 0 & -3 & 3 \\ -3 & 0 & 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

4.  $T(V - P) + P$   $= \begin{pmatrix} -7 & -4 & -7 & -1 \\ 2 & 5 & 8 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$





Describe the transformation  $T(V - P) + P$

90° clockwise rotation about point  $(-4, 5)$

What does a transformation of the form  $T(V - P) + P$  allow us to do in general?

A matrix transformation (represented by  $T$ ) of  $V$   
about any point  $(x_*, y_*)$

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} x_* & x_* & \dots & x_* \\ y_* & y_* & \dots & y_* \end{pmatrix}$$

# columns = # coordinates of  $V$