2D Transformations

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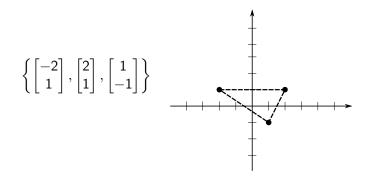
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So What's This All About?

- Vectors and points in 2D
- ► Transformations rotation, translation, scale, etc.
- Homogeneous co-ordinates
- Combining transformations
- Inverse transformations
- (If there's time) deriving the rotation formula

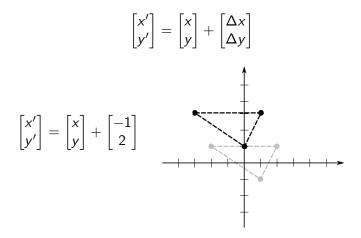
Vectors and Points in 2D

- A useful representation of the point (x, y) is the vector $\begin{vmatrix} x \\ y \end{vmatrix}$
- Lines, polygons, etc. can then be represented as collections of vectors
- This can also be interpreted as the vector from the origin to the point



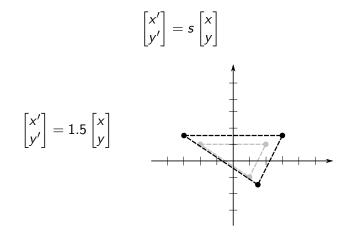
Transformations – Translation

- Shifting the point (x, y) by some offset $(\Delta x, \Delta y)$
- The point moves to $(x + \Delta x, y + \Delta y)$, which can be written as



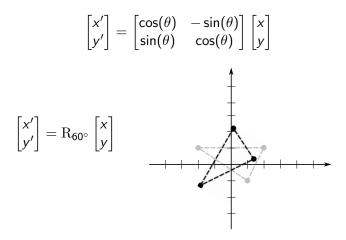
Transformations – Scaling

- Scaling points by some constant factor, s
- The point (x, y) moves to (sx, sy), which in vector terms is



Transformations – Rotation

- Rotation by some angle, θ , around the origin
- This is expressed using a rotation matrix, R_{θ} :



Inverse Transformations

Transformations can be undone geometrically

- The inverse of shifting by $(\Delta x, \Delta y)$ is shifting by $(-\Delta x, -\Delta y)$
- The inverse of scaling by s is scaling by 1/s
- The inverse of rotation by θ is rotation by $-\theta$
- The inverse of a rotation matrix is its transpose:

$$\mathbf{R}_{-\theta} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(-\theta & -\sin(-\theta))\\ \sin(-\theta) & \cos(-\theta) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta & \sin(\theta)\\ -\sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{R}_{\theta}^{\mathsf{T}}$$

Combining Transformations

▶ Suppose we want to rotate 45° about the point (1,2):

- We first shift by (-1, -2) so that we're rotating about the origin
- We then multiply by R_{45°
- ▶ We then shift by (1,2) to undo the first translation

This gives us

$$\begin{bmatrix} x'\\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \left(\mathrm{R}_{45^{\circ}} \left(\begin{bmatrix} x\\ y \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -1\\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \right) \right) + \begin{bmatrix} 1\\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

It would be nice if there was an easy way to combine transforms

Homogeneous Co-ordinates

- The solution is somewhat counter-intuitive
- We represent 2D points as families of 3-vectors

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \to k \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, k \neq 0$$

- The vector $\begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \end{bmatrix}^T$ corresponds to the point (a/c, b/c)
- These are known as homogeneous co-ordinates
- ▶ Now all the basic transformations become 3 × 3 matrices

Homogeneous Transformations – Translation and Rotation

• Translation by $(\Delta x, \Delta y)$ becomes

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \Delta x \\ 0 & 1 & \Delta y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x + \Delta x \\ y + \Delta y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

• Rotation by an angle, θ , about the origin becomes

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) & 0\\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x\\ y\\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta)x - \sin(\theta)y\\ \sin(\theta)x + \cos(\theta)y\\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Homogeneous Transformations – Scaling

Scaling by s becomes

$$\begin{bmatrix} s & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} sx \\ sy \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Sometimes this is represented as

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{s} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ \frac{1}{s} \end{bmatrix} \equiv \begin{bmatrix} sx \\ sy \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Combining Homogeneous Transformations

- Because all operations are now matrices we can combine them
- Suppose we have a series of transforms T_1, T_2, \ldots, T_k
- Applying them to a point, p, in order gives us

 $\left(\mathrm{T}_{k}\left(\mathrm{T}_{k-1}\ldots\,\left(\mathrm{T}_{2}\left(\mathrm{T}_{1}\boldsymbol{p}\right)\right)\right)\right)$

Since matrix multiplication is associative this is the same as

$$(\mathbf{T}_k\mathbf{T}_{k-1}\ldots\mathbf{T}_2\mathbf{T}_1)\mathbf{p}$$

We can combine the transforms once then apply it to a set of points

Combining Homogeneous Transformations

▶ Rotating 45° about the point (1,2):

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \equiv \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{1/2} & -\sqrt{1/2} & 0 \\ \sqrt{1/2} & \sqrt{1/2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{1/2} & -\sqrt{1/2} & 1 + \sqrt{1/2} \\ \sqrt{1/2} & \sqrt{1/2} & 2 - 3\sqrt{1/2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Get a computer to do the arithmetic!

Inverse Homogeneous Transformations

• The inverse of translation by $(\Delta x, \Delta y)$ is translation by $(-\Delta x, -\Delta y)$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \Delta x \\ 0 & 1 & \Delta y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -\Delta x \\ 0 & 1 & -\Delta y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

• The inverse of scaling by s is scaling by $\frac{1}{s}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} s & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/s & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/s & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \equiv \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & s \end{bmatrix}$$

Inverse Homogeneous Transforms

 \blacktriangleright The inverse of rotation by θ is rotation by $-\theta$

$$\mathbf{R}_{\theta}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) & 0\\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(-\theta) & -\sin(-\theta) & 0\\ \sin(-\theta) & \cos(-\theta) & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{R}_{\theta}^{\mathcal{T}}$$

▶ If we have a sequence of transforms, $T_1, T_2, \ldots T_k$, then

$$(T_kT_{k-1}\ldots T_2T_1)^{-1} = T_1^{-1}T_2^{-1}\ldots T_{k-1}^{-1}T_k^{-1}$$

The individual transforms can be inverted geometrically

Rotation Matrices

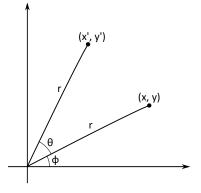
- Why does the rotation matrix have the values that it does?
- To do this we need to look at points a little differently
- A point at (x, y) can be seen as the vector $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$, starting at the origin
- This vector has some length, r, and is at some angle, ϕ , to the x-axis
- Trigonometry tells us that

$$x = r \cos(\phi)$$
$$y = r \sin(\phi)$$

Now if we rotate it by θ, the length stays the same, but the angle to the x-axis becomes φ + θ

Rotation Matrices

A picture often helps:



And we need a couple of trigonometric identities:

$$sin(\alpha + \beta) = cos(\alpha) sin(\beta) + sin(\alpha) cos(\beta)$$
$$cos(\alpha + \beta) = cos(\alpha) cos(\beta) - sin(\alpha) sin(\beta)$$

Rotation Matrices

Now it is just algebra:

$$\begin{aligned} x' &= r \cos(\phi + \theta) \\ &= r \cos(\phi) \cos(\theta) - r \sin(\phi) \sin(\theta) \\ &= \cos(\theta) x - \sin(\theta) y \\ y' &= r \sin(\phi + \theta) \\ &= r \cos(\phi) \sin(\theta) + r \sin(\phi) \cos(\theta) \\ &= \sin(\theta) x + \cos(\theta) y \\ \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Tutorials and Labs

- Tutorials this week
 - Colour perception and illusions
 - Stereo vision

Lab next week

Transformations in 2D