

# (1) POETRY VS MATH:

## POINCARÉ:

- POETRY IS ART OF GIVING MANY DIFF. NAMES TO SAME THING.
- MATHEMATICS IS ART OF GIVING THE SAME NAME TO MANY DIFF. THINGS.

## VECTOR SPACES:

- (1) VECTORS IN  $\mathbb{R}^n$  ←
- (2) POLYNOMIALS ←
- (3) FUNCTIONS ←
- (4) MATRICES, ←

## COMMUNITIES:

- CAN ADD TWO "THINGS"
- CAN MULTIPLY BY A SCALAR.

## SIMILAR PROPERTIES:

$$\alpha(v + w) = \alpha v + \alpha w$$

Some is true for all of above!

$$\cdot (\alpha + \beta)v = \alpha v + \beta v$$

IDEA: GIVE (1)-(4) A COMMON NAME:  
VECTOR SPACES.

PROVE THEOREMS ABOUT VECTOR SPACES  
IN GENERAL.

(2) MATRICES AS FUNCTIONS.

$$\text{EX: } \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

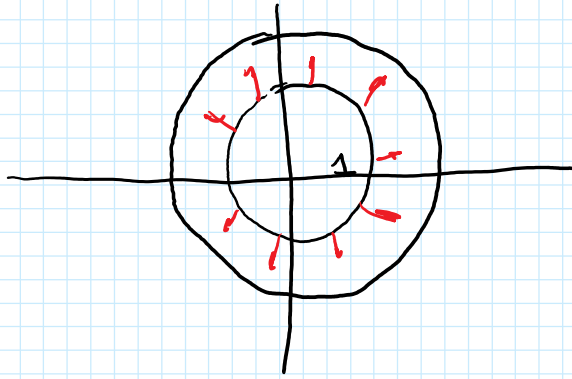
$\uparrow$   
 $A$

IDEA:  $A$  IS A FUNCTION!

$$A: \mathbb{R}^2 \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$$

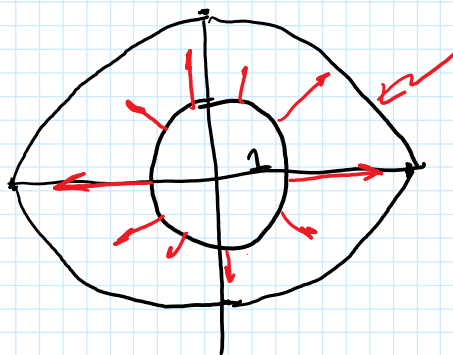
QUESTION: HOW TO VISUALIZE  
SUCH A FUNCTION?

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



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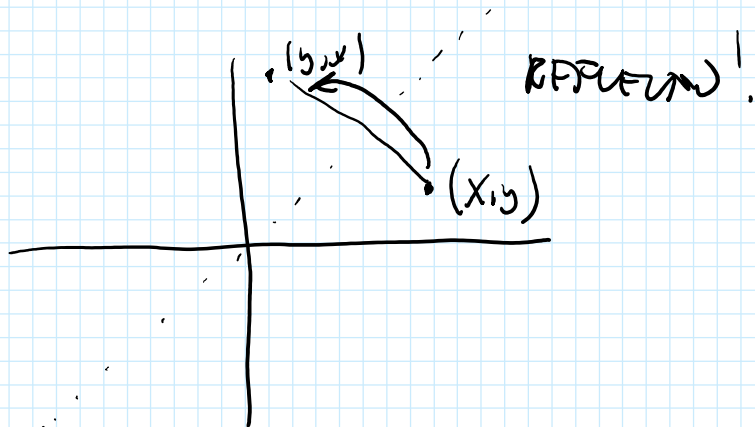
$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3x \\ 2y \end{pmatrix}$$



$(3x)^2 + (2y)^2 = 1$  ?

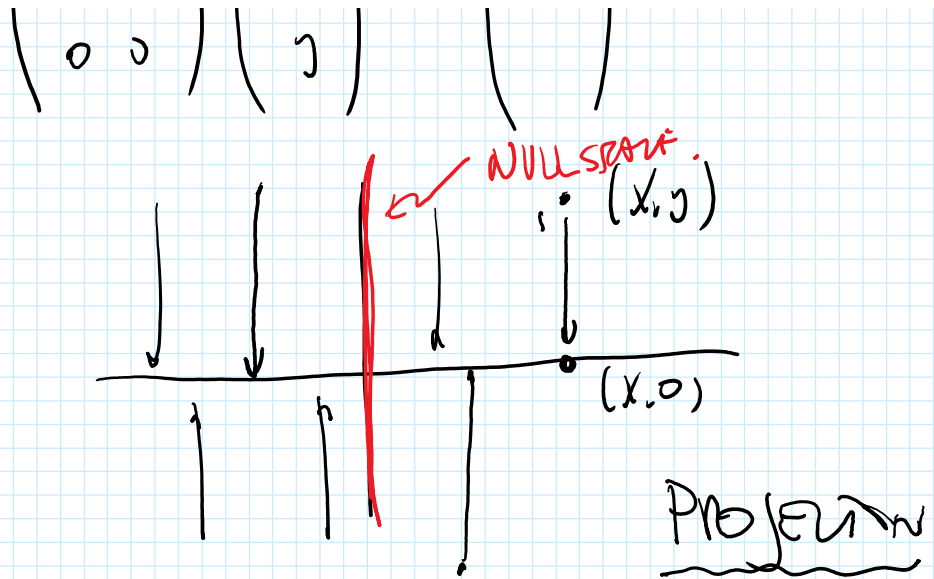
EX:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} y \\ x \end{pmatrix}$$

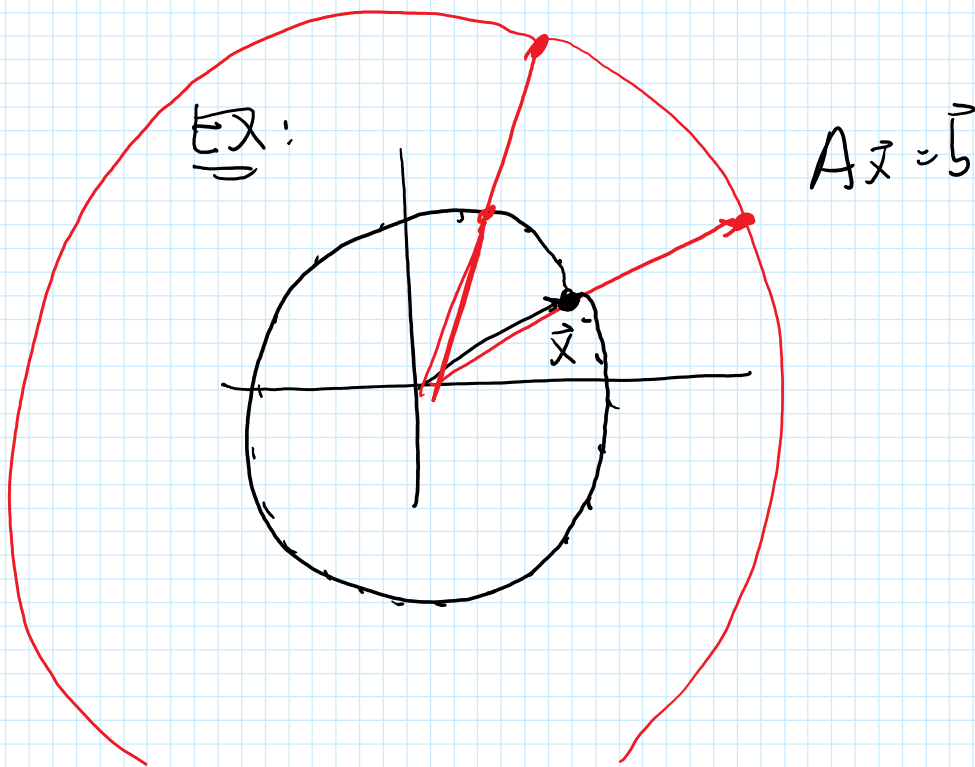


EX:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



GOAL: By end of class  
 VISUALIZE A MATRIX  
 AS A FUNCTION...



IDEA:  $AB \rightsquigarrow A$  FUNCTION.

IT IS  $A(Bx)$

AS FUNCTIONS,

$A \cdot B$  IS THE FUNCTION  
OBTAINED BY COMPOSING THE TWO  
FUNCTIONS  $A \circ B$ .

QUESTION:

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

IS  $f$  A MATRIX ??

CAN YOU FIND A MATRIX

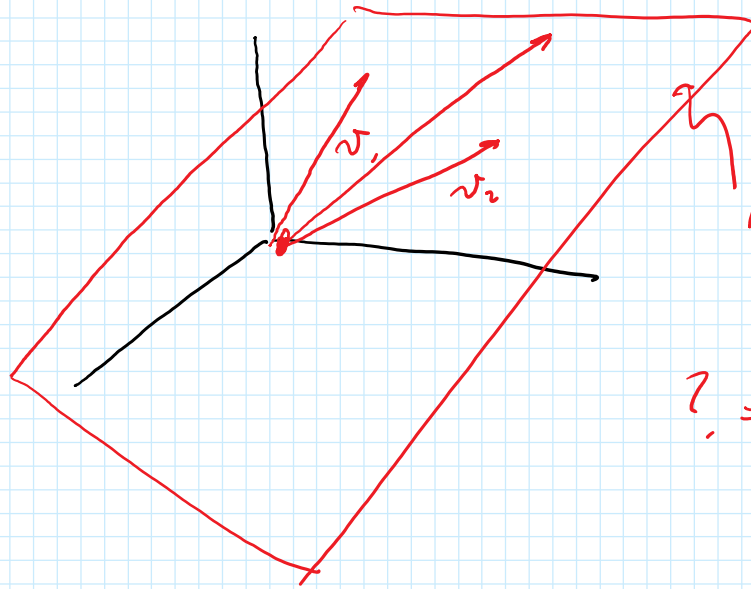
$$\begin{pmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{pmatrix}$$

THAT WORKS?  $(\neq \neq)$

(1) ROW SCALE OF A MATRIX:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -v_1 & - \\ -v_2 & - \\ -v_3 & - \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} | & | & | \\ - & - & - \\ v_1 & v_2 & v_3 \\ - & - & - \\ | & | & | \end{pmatrix}$$



ALL COMBINATIONS

$\theta = v_1, v_2, v_3$

$$z = av_1 + bv_2 + cv_3$$

(2) NULL SPACE

$$A \vec{x} = \vec{0}$$

↳ WHICH VECTORS GO TO  $\vec{0}$ .

