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MATRICES

EXAM QUESTIONS

(Part One)

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Question 1 ()**

The matrices **A**, **B** and **C** are given below in terms of the scalar constants a , b , c and d , by

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 3 \\ 1 & a \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} b & -1 \\ 2 & -4 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{C} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & c \\ d & 4 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Given that $\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{C}$, find the value of a , b , c and d .

$$a = 8, \quad b = 3, \quad c = 2, \quad d = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{C} &\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 3 \\ 1 & a \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} b & -1 \\ 2 & -4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & c \\ d & 4 \end{pmatrix} \\ &\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -2+b & -2 \\ 3 & a-4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & c \\ d & 4 \end{pmatrix} \\ \text{So } a-4 &= 4 & -2+b &= 1 & c &= 2 & d &= 3 \\ a &= 8 & b &= 3 & & & & \end{aligned}$$

Question 2 ()**

Find, in terms of k , the inverse of the following 2×2 matrix.

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} k & k+1 \\ k+1 & k+2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Verify your answer by multiplication.

$$\mathbf{M}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} -k-2 & k+1 \\ k+1 & -k \end{pmatrix}$$

- $\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} k & k+1 \\ k+1 & k+2 \end{pmatrix}$
- $\det(\mathbf{M}) = k(k+2) - (k+1)(k+1) = k^2 + 2k - (k^2 + 2k + 1) = k^2 + 2k - k^2 - 2k - 1 = -1$
- $\mathbf{M}^{-1} = \frac{1}{-1} \begin{bmatrix} k+2 & -(k+1) \\ -(k+1) & k \end{bmatrix} = - \begin{bmatrix} k+2 & -k-1 \\ -k-1 & k \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -k-2 & k+1 \\ k+1 & -k \end{bmatrix}$
- NOO VERIFYING BY MULTIPLICATION
- $\mathbf{M} \mathbf{M}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} k & k+1 \\ k+1 & k+2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -k-2 & k+1 \\ k+1 & -k \end{bmatrix}$
- $= \begin{bmatrix} k(-k-2) + (k+1)^2 & k(k+1) - k(k+1) \\ (k+1)(-k-2) + (k+1)(k+2) & (k+1)^2 - k(k+2) \end{bmatrix}$
- $= \begin{bmatrix} -k^2 - 2k + k^2 + 2k + 1 & k^2 + k - k^2 - k \\ -k^2 - 2k - 2k - 2 + k^2 + 2k + 2 & k^2 + 2k + 1 - k^2 - 2k \end{bmatrix}$
- $= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
- $= \mathbf{I}$
- ✓ INDEED THE INVERSE

Question 3 (**)

The 2×2 matrices **A**, **B** and **C** are given below in terms of the scalar constants a , b and c .

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} a & 2 \\ 3 & 7 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ b & 2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{C} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & c \\ 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Given that

$$2\mathbf{A} - 3\mathbf{B} = 4\mathbf{C},$$

find the value of a , b and c .

$$a = 1, \quad b = -2, \quad c = -2$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2\mathbf{A} - 3\mathbf{B} = 4\mathbf{C} &\Rightarrow 2 \begin{pmatrix} a & 2 \\ 3 & 7 \end{pmatrix} - 3 \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ b & 2 \end{pmatrix} = 4 \begin{pmatrix} -1 & c \\ 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \\ &\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 2a & 4 \\ 6 & 14 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 12 \\ 3b & 6 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 & 4c \\ 12 & 8 \end{pmatrix} \\ &\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 2a-6 & -8 \\ 6+3b & 8 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 & 4c \\ 12 & 8 \end{pmatrix} \\ \text{So} \quad \begin{array}{l} 2a-6=-4 \\ 2a=2 \\ a=1 \end{array} & \quad \begin{array}{l} 6+3b=8 \\ 3b=2 \\ b=2/3 \end{array} & \quad \begin{array}{l} 4c=8 \\ c=2 \end{array} \end{aligned}$$

Question 4 ()**

The 2×2 matrix **A** represents a rotation by 90° anticlockwise about the origin O .

The 2×2 matrix **B** represents a reflection in the straight line with equation $y = -x$.

- a) Write down the matrices **A** and **B**.

The 2×2 matrix **C** represents a rotation by 90° anticlockwise about the origin O , followed by a reflection about the straight line with equation $y = -x$.

- b) Find the elements of **C**.
 c) Describe geometrically the transformation represented by **C**.

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{C} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \text{reflection in the } y \text{ axis}$$

(a) $\begin{matrix} \vec{i} \mapsto \vec{j} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ \vec{j} \mapsto -\vec{i} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \end{matrix} \therefore \mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\begin{matrix} \vec{i} \mapsto -\vec{j} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \\ \vec{j} \mapsto -\vec{i} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \end{matrix} \therefore \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

(b) $\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{B}\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

(c) $\begin{matrix} \vec{i} \mapsto -\vec{i} \\ \vec{j} \mapsto \vec{j} \end{matrix} \therefore \text{REFLECTION IN THE } y \text{ AXIS}$

Question 5 (**)

The 2×2 matrix \mathbf{A} , is defined as

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & a \\ b & -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

where a and b are constants.

The matrix \mathbf{A} , maps the point $P(2,5)$ onto the point $Q(-1,2)$.

- a) Find the value of a and the value of b .

A triangle T_1 with an area of 9 square units is transformed by \mathbf{A} into the triangle T_2 .

- b) Find the area of T_2 .

$$a = -1, \quad b = 6, \quad \text{area} = 18$$

(a) $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & a \\ b & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\begin{pmatrix} 4+5a \\ 2b-10 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\therefore 5a = -5 \quad a = -1$
 $2b = 12 \quad b = 6$

(b) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 6 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\det A = -4 - 6 = -10$
 $\therefore 9 \times 2 = 18 \text{ units}^2$

Question 6 ()**

The 2×2 matrices **A**, **B** and **C** are given below in terms of the scalar constants x .

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & x \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{C} = \begin{pmatrix} 3x+2 & 7 \\ 7-x & 7 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- Find an expression for \mathbf{AB} , in terms of x .
- Determine the value of x , given $\mathbf{B}^T \mathbf{A}^T = \mathbf{C}$.

$$\mathbf{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 4+x & 2+4x \\ 7 & 7 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \boxed{x=1}$$

$$\mathbf{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & x \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4+x & 2+4x \\ 7 & 7 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{B}^T \mathbf{A}^T = (\mathbf{AB})^T = \mathbf{C}$$

$$\therefore \begin{pmatrix} 4+x & 7 \\ 2+4x & 7 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3x+2 & 7 \\ 7-x & 7 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{Use } a_{12} = b_{21} = 7$$

$$4+x = 3x+2 \quad \therefore 2 = 2x \quad \therefore x = 1$$

$$2+4x = 7-x \quad \therefore 2+4x = 7-x \quad \therefore 5x = 5 \quad \therefore x = 1$$

Question 7 ()**

The 2×2 matrices **A** and **B** are given by

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 12 \\ 4 & 5 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Find the 2×2 matrix **X** that satisfy the equation

$$\mathbf{AX} = \mathbf{B}.$$

$$\mathbf{X} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 12 \\ 4 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \mathbf{AX} = \mathbf{B}$$

$$\rightarrow \mathbf{A}^{-1} \mathbf{AX} = \mathbf{A}^{-1} \mathbf{B}$$

$$\rightarrow \mathbf{IX} = \mathbf{A}^{-1} \mathbf{B}$$

$$\rightarrow \mathbf{X} = \frac{1}{5 \times 1 - 2 \times 2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ -2 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 12 \\ 4 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \mathbf{X} = \frac{1}{1} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ -2 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 12 \\ 4 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\rightarrow \mathbf{X} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Question 8 (**)

The triangle T_1 is mapped by the 2×2 matrix

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 3 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

onto another triangle T_2 , whose vertices have coordinates $A_2(-1,2)$, $B_2(10,15)$ and $C_2(-18,-14)$.

Find the coordinates of the vertices of T_1 .

$$\boxed{A_1(1,1)}, \quad \boxed{B_1(4,-3)}, \quad \boxed{C_1(-2,8)}$$

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 3 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \frac{1}{(1)(-1) - (-6)} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
 Then $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{b}$
 $\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{b}$
 $\mathbf{I}\mathbf{z} = \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{b}$

$$\mathbf{z} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 10 & -18 \\ 2 & 15 & -14 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{z} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 20 & -10 \\ 5 & -15 & 40 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{z} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 & -2 \\ 1 & -3 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A_1(1,1), B_1(4,-3), C_1(-2,8)$$

Question 9 ()**

A plane transformation maps the general point (x, y) onto the general point (X, Y) , by

$$\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{A} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix},$$

where \mathbf{A} is the 2×2 matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$.

- Give a geometrical description for the transformation represented by \mathbf{A} , stating the equation of the line of invariant points under this transformation
- Calculate \mathbf{A}^2 and describe geometrically the transformation it represents.

shear parallel to $y = 0$, $(0, 1) \mapsto (2, 1)$ | line of invariant points $y = 0$,

shear parallel to $y = 0$, $(0, 1) \mapsto (4, 1)$

a) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$
 $|A| = 1$
 SHEAR, PARALLEL TO THE X AXIS
 SO THAT $(0, 1) \mapsto (2, 1)$
 INVARIANT L: $y = 0$

b) $A^2 = AA$
 $= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$
 $= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$
 SHEAR, PARALLEL TO THE X AXIS
 SO THAT $(0, 1) \mapsto (4, 1)$

Question 10 (**)

The triangle T_1 is mapped by the 2×2 matrix

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

onto a triangle T_2 , whose vertices are the points with coordinates $A_2(4,3)$, $B_2(4,10)$ and $C_2(16,12)$.

- Find the coordinates of the vertices of T_1 .
- Determine the area of T_2 .

$$\boxed{A_1(1,0)}, \boxed{B_1(2,4)}, \boxed{C_1(4,0)}, \boxed{\text{area} = 42}$$

a) $\mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^{-1} = \frac{1}{4 \cdot 1 - 3 \cdot (-1)} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^{-1} = \frac{1}{7} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$

$\bullet \mathbf{B}\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^{-1}\mathbf{B}\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{B}^{-1}\mathbf{b}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{I}\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{B}^{-1}\mathbf{b}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{x} = \frac{1}{7} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 16 \\ 3 & 12 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{x} = \frac{1}{7} \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 14 \\ 0 & 12 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\therefore A_1(1,0), B_1(2,4), C_1(4,0)$

b) $\text{Area of } T_2 = \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times 10 = 20$

$\det \mathbf{B} = 7$ (rows prior a)
 $\therefore \text{Area of } T_1 = 6 \times 7 = 42$

Question 11 ()**

The 2×2 matrix \mathbf{C} is defined, in terms of a scalar constant a , by

$$\mathbf{C} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & a \\ 5 & 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- a) Determine the value of a , given that \mathbf{C} is singular.

The 2×2 matrix \mathbf{D} is given by

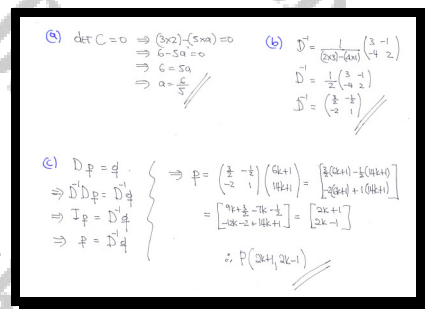
$$\mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- b) Find the inverse of \mathbf{D} .

The point P is transformed by \mathbf{D} onto the point $Q(6k+1, 14k+1)$, where k is a scalar constant.

- c) Determine, in terms of k , the coordinates of P .

$$a = \frac{6}{5}, \quad \mathbf{D}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad P(2k+1, 2k-1)$$



$\text{c) } \det \mathbf{C} = 0 \Rightarrow (3 \times 2) - (5a) = 0$
 $\Rightarrow 6 - 5a = 0$
 $\Rightarrow a = \frac{6}{5}$

$\text{b) } \mathbf{D}^{-1} = \frac{1}{(2 \times 3) - (4 \times 1)} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$
 $= \frac{1}{-2} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$
 $= \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{3}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 1 & -\frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$

$\text{c) } \mathbf{D}p = q$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{D}^{-1}\mathbf{D}p = \mathbf{D}^{-1}q$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{I}p = \mathbf{D}^{-1}q$
 $\Rightarrow p = \mathbf{D}^{-1}q$

$\Rightarrow p = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{3}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 1 & -\frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 6k+1 \\ 14k+1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{3}{2}(6k+1) + \frac{1}{2}(14k+1) \\ 1(6k+1) - \frac{1}{2}(14k+1) \end{bmatrix}$
 $= \begin{bmatrix} -9k - \frac{3}{2} + 7k + \frac{1}{2} \\ 6k + 1 - 7k - \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2k - 1 \\ -k + \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$
 $\therefore P(2k+1, 2k-1)$

Question 12 ()**

A plane transformation maps the general point (x, y) to the general point (X, Y) by

$$\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6.4 & -7.2 \\ -7.2 & 10.6 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$

- a) Find the area scale factor of the transformation.

The points on a straight line which passes through the origin remain invariant under this transformation.

- b) Determine the equation of this straight line.

$$\boxed{\text{SF} = 16}, \quad \boxed{y = \frac{3}{4}x}$$

(a) Area scale factor = $\begin{vmatrix} 6.4 & -7.2 \\ -7.2 & 10.6 \end{vmatrix} = 67.04 - 51.84 = 16$

(b) $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6.4 & -7.2 \\ -7.2 & 10.6 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6.4x - 7.2y \\ -7.2x + 10.6y \end{pmatrix}$
 $\therefore 7.2y = 5.4x$
 $\frac{y}{x} = \frac{5.4}{7.2} = \frac{3}{4}$
 $\therefore y = \frac{3}{4}x$

Question 13 ()**

The distinct square matrices **A** and **B** are non singular.

Simplify the expression, showing all steps in the workings.

$$AB(A^{-1}B)^{-1}$$

$$\boxed{\mathbf{A}^2}$$

$AB(A^{-1}B)^{-1} = AB(B^{-1}(A^{-1})^{-1}) = AB B^{-1} A = A I A = A A = A^2$

Question 14 ()**

The distinct square matrices **A** and **B** have the properties

$$\mathbf{AB} = \mathbf{B}^5\mathbf{A} \text{ and } \mathbf{B}^6 = \mathbf{I}$$

where **I** is the identity matrix.

Prove that

$$\mathbf{BAB} = \mathbf{A}.$$

proof

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{AB} &= \mathbf{B}^5\mathbf{A} \\ \Rightarrow \mathbf{B}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{B} &= \mathbf{B}\mathbf{B}^5\mathbf{A} \\ \Rightarrow \mathbf{B}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{B} &= \mathbf{B}^6\mathbf{A} \\ \Rightarrow \mathbf{B}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{B} &= \mathbf{I}\mathbf{A} \\ \Rightarrow \mathbf{B}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{B} &= \mathbf{A} \end{aligned}$$

Question 15 ()**

The 2×2 matrix **A** is given by

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The 2×2 matrix **B** satisfies

$$\mathbf{BA}^2 = \mathbf{A}.$$

Find the elements of **B**.

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{A} &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix} & \det \mathbf{A} &= (1 \times 4) - (1 \times 3) = 1 \\ \mathbf{A}^{-1} &= \frac{1}{1} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ \text{Now } \mathbf{BA}^2 &= \mathbf{A} \\ \Rightarrow \mathbf{BA}\mathbf{A} &= \mathbf{A} \\ \Rightarrow \mathbf{BA}\mathbf{A}^{-1} &= \mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}^{-1} \\ \Rightarrow \mathbf{BA} &= \mathbf{I} \\ \Rightarrow \mathbf{BA}\mathbf{A}^{-1} &= \mathbf{I}\mathbf{A}^{-1} \\ \Rightarrow \mathbf{B} &= \mathbf{A}^{-1} \end{aligned} \quad \therefore \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Question 16 (**)

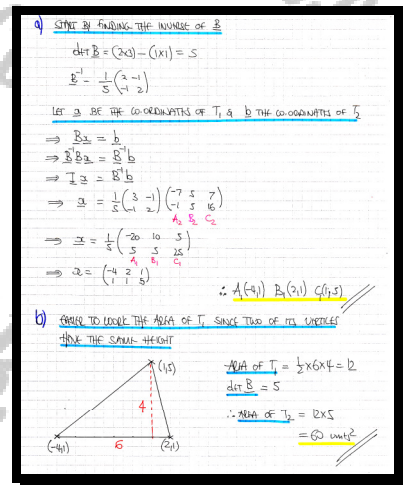
The triangle T_1 is mapped by the 2×2 matrix

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

onto the triangle T_2 , whose vertices have coordinates $A_2(-7, -1)$, $B_2(5, 5)$ and $C_2(7, 16)$.

- Find the coordinates of the vertices of T_1 .
- Determine the area of T_2 .

, $A_1(-4, 1)$, $B_1(2, 1)$, $C_1(1, 5)$, area = 60



Question 17 (+)**

The transformation represented by the 2×2 matrix A maps the point $(3,4)$ onto the point $(10,4)$, and the point $(5,-2)$ onto the point $(8,-2)$.

Determine the elements of A .

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 3a + 4b = 10 \\ 3c + 4d = 4 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 5a - 2b = 8 \\ 5c - 2d = -2 \end{cases}$$

Thus

$$\begin{cases} 3a + 4b = 10 \\ 5a - 2b = 8 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 3a + 4b = 10 \\ 10a - 4b = 16 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 13a = 26 \\ a = 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} 3c + 4d = 4 \\ 5c - 2d = -2 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 3c + 4d = 4 \\ 10c - 4d = -4 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 13c = 0 \\ c = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} a = 2 \\ b = 1 \end{cases} \quad \begin{cases} c = 0 \\ d = 1 \end{cases} \quad \therefore A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Question 18 (+)**

The 2×2 matrix A is given below.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -\sqrt{3} \\ \sqrt{3} & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Determine the elements of A^3 and hence describe geometrically the transformation represented by A .

$$A^3 = \begin{pmatrix} 8 & 0 \\ 0 & 8 \end{pmatrix}, \text{ rotation of } 120^\circ, \text{ anticlockwise \& enlargement of S.F. } 2, \text{ both about the origin and in any order.}$$

$$A^3 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -\sqrt{3} \\ \sqrt{3} & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -\sqrt{3} \\ \sqrt{3} & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -\sqrt{3} \\ \sqrt{3} & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2\sqrt{3} \\ 2\sqrt{3} & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -\sqrt{3} \\ \sqrt{3} & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A^3 = \begin{pmatrix} 8 & 0 \\ 0 & 8 \end{pmatrix} = 8 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

THIS IS A ROTATION BY 120° ABOUT THE ORIGIN & ENLARGEMENT ABOUT THE ORIGIN BY SCALE FACTOR 2 (S.F. 2)

TO DETERMINE DIRECTION ANTI-CLOCKWISE

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \cos 120 & -\sin 120 \\ \sin 120 & \cos 120 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

\therefore ANTI-CLOCKWISE

Question 19 (**+)

It is given that

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{C} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 4 & -1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- a) Determine the matrix \mathbf{AB} .
- b) Find the elements of

$$\mathbf{BA} - 2\mathbf{C}^2.$$

$$\mathbf{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{BA} - 2\mathbf{C}^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 20 & -3 \\ 2 & 13 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \quad \mathbf{AB} &= \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \end{pmatrix} \\ \text{(b)} \quad \mathbf{BA} - 2\mathbf{C}^2 &= \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} - 2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 4 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 4 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 6 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} - 2 \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 0 \\ 0 & -7 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 6 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 14 & 0 \\ 0 & -14 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 20 & -3 \\ 2 & 13 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Question 20 (+)**

The 2×2 matrices **A** and **B** are given below

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -2 & 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The matrix **C** represents the combined effect of the transformation represented by the **B**, followed by the transformation represented by **A**.

- Determine the elements of **C**.
- Describe geometrically the transformation represented by **C**.

$$\mathbf{C} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \text{enlargement by scale factor 2, reflection in the line } y = x, \text{ in any order}$$

a) $C = AB = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

b) Now
 $C = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = 2 \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = 2 \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$
 $= \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

ENLARGEMENT BY SCALE FACTOR 2 REFLECTION IN THE LINE $y=x$
 (ORDER DOES NOT MATTER)

Question 21 (+)**

The 2×2 matrix D is given by

$$D = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -5 \\ 6 & -9 \end{pmatrix}.$$

a) Given that I is the 2×2 identity matrix, show clearly that ...

i. ... $D^2 + 5D = 6I$.

ii. ... $D^{-1} = \frac{1}{6}(D + 5I)$.

The transformation in the x - y plane, which is represented by the matrix D , maps the point P onto the point Q .

The coordinates of Q are $(7 - 2k, 9 - 6k)$, where k is a constant.

b) Determine, in terms of k , the coordinates of P .

$$P(2k + 3, 2k + 1)$$

(a) $D = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -5 \\ 6 & -9 \end{pmatrix}$
 $D^2 + 5D = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -5 \\ 6 & -9 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -5 \\ 6 & -9 \end{pmatrix} + 5 \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -5 \\ 6 & -9 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -14 & 25 \\ -30 & 51 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 20 & -25 \\ 30 & -45 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 \end{pmatrix} = 6I$
 (b) $D^2 + 5D = 6I$
 $\Rightarrow D^2 + 5D - 6I = 0$
 $\Rightarrow D + 5I = 6D^{-1}$
 $\Rightarrow D^{-1} = \frac{1}{6}(D + 5I)$
 (c) $D P = Q$
 $\Rightarrow D^{-1} P = D^{-1} Q$
 $\Rightarrow P = D^{-1} Q$
 $\Rightarrow P = \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 \\ 6 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7-2k \\ 9-6k \end{bmatrix}$
 $\Rightarrow P = \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 28-2k+45-30k \\ 42-12k-24+24k \end{bmatrix}$
 $\Rightarrow P = \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} -2k+73 \\ 18k+18 \end{bmatrix}$
 $\Rightarrow P = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{3}k + \frac{73}{6} \\ 3k + 3 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\therefore P(2k+3, 2k+1)$

Question 22 (***)

The 2×2 matrix \mathbf{B} maps the points with coordinates $(-1, 2)$ and $(1, 4)$ onto the points with coordinates $(0, 1)$ and $(6, -1)$, respectively.

- Find the elements of \mathbf{B} .
- Determine whether \mathbf{B} has an invariant line, or a line of invariant points, or both.
- Describe geometrically the transformation represented by \mathbf{B} .

$\mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$, line of invariant points, $y = -x$, invariant line $y = -x + c$, shear

a) STATE SIMULTANEOUS EQUATIONS OF THE POINTS

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ c \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{B} \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{C}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{B} \mathbf{A} \mathbf{A}^{-1} = \mathbf{C} \mathbf{A}^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{B} \mathbf{I} = \mathbf{C} \mathbf{A}^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \frac{1}{-4-2} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{B} = \frac{1}{-6} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{B} = \frac{1}{-6} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 2c & -d \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{6} \\ \frac{c}{3} & -\frac{d}{6} \end{pmatrix}$$

b) FIRSTLY LOOK FOR LINE OF INVARIANT POINTS

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 2x+y \\ -x \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$

$\therefore y = -x$
IS LINE OF INVARIANT POINTS

NOW LOOK FOR INVARIANT LINES

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2x+mt+c \\ -x \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$

c) COMPARE WITH $Y = mX + C$

$$m = -\frac{1}{2m}$$

$$2m + m = -1$$

$$3m + 1 = 0$$

$$3m = -1$$

$$m = -\frac{1}{3}$$

$$\therefore Y = -\frac{1}{3}X + \frac{1}{3}C$$

$$Y = -X + C$$

\therefore ALSO INVARIANT LINES PARALLEL TO $y = -x$

d) DETERMINE \mathbf{B}

$$\det \mathbf{B} = (2)(0) - (-1)(1) = 1 \quad (\text{AREA INvariant})$$

POSITIVE DETERMINANT \Rightarrow ROTATION OR SHEAR (NO REFLECT)

INVARIANT LINE OR INVARIANT LINE OF POINTS \Rightarrow SHEAR (NO ROTATE)

$\therefore \mathbf{B}$ REPRESENTS A SHEAR, WHERE $y = -x$ IS INVARIANT LINE OF POINTS

Question 23 (***)

The 2×2 matrices \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{B} are given by

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 7 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}; \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 19 & 36 \\ 8 & 15 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Find the 2×2 matrix \mathbf{X} that satisfy the equation $\mathbf{AX} = \mathbf{B}$

$$\mathbf{X} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{AX} &= \mathbf{B} \\ \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{AX} &= \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{B} \\ \mathbf{X} &= \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{B} \\ \therefore \mathbf{A}^{-1} &= \frac{1}{5 \times 3 - 2 \times 7} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -7 \\ -2 & 5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 7 \\ 2 & -5 \end{pmatrix} \\ \therefore \mathbf{X} &= \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 7 \\ 2 & -5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 19 & 36 \\ 8 & 15 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -57+56 & -105+105 \\ -38+40 & -72+75 \end{pmatrix} \\ \therefore \mathbf{X} &= \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Question 24 (***)

It is given that \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{B} are 2×2 matrices that satisfy

$$\det(\mathbf{AB}) = 18 \quad \text{and} \quad \det(\mathbf{B}^{-1}) = -3.$$

A square S , of area 6 cm^2 , is transformed by \mathbf{A} to produce an image S' .

Given that S' is also a square, determine its **perimeter**.

$$72 \text{ cm}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \det(\mathbf{AB}) &= 18 \\ \det(\mathbf{B}^{-1}) &= -3 \\ \downarrow \\ \det \mathbf{B} &= -\frac{1}{3} \end{aligned} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \begin{aligned} \det \mathbf{A} \times \det \mathbf{B} &= 18 \\ \det \mathbf{A} \times \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) &= 18 \\ \det \mathbf{A} &= -54 \end{aligned}$$

Now AREA OF IMAGE IS
 $6 \times 54 = 324$
 SIDE LENGTH IS $\sqrt{324} = 18$
 \therefore PERIMETER OF IMAGE IS 72 cm

Question 25 (***)

The 2×2 matrix A is given by

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & a \\ 3 & b \end{pmatrix},$$

where a and b are scalar constants.

a) If the point with coordinates $(1,1)$ is mapped by A onto the point with coordinates $(1,3)$, determine the value of a and the value of b .

b) Show that

$$A^2 = 2A - 3I.$$

The inverse of A is denoted by A^{-1} and I is the 2×2 identity matrix.

c) Use part (b) to show further that ...

i. ... $A^3 = A - 6I$.

ii. ... $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{3}(2I - A)$

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Handwritten solution for Question 25:

a) By "multiplication"
 $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & a \\ 3 & b \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 2 \times 1 + a \times 1 \\ 3 \times 1 + b \times 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\Rightarrow \begin{matrix} a + 2 = 1 \\ b + 3 = 3 \end{matrix}$
 $\therefore a = -1 \quad \& \quad b = 0$

b) VERIFY BY CALCULATING EACH SIDE SEPARATELY
 $\bullet A^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \times 2 + (-1) \times 3 & 2 \times (-1) + (-1) \times 0 \\ 3 \times 2 + 0 \times 3 & 3 \times (-1) + 0 \times 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 6 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\therefore A^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 6 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\bullet 2A - 3I = 2 \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} - 3 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 6 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\therefore A^2 = 2A - 3I$

c) i) $A^3 = 2A - 3I$
 $\Rightarrow A^2 A = 2A^2 - 3A^2$
 $\Rightarrow A^3 = 2(2A - 3I) - 3A$
 $\Rightarrow A^3 = 4A - 6I - 3A = A - 6I$

ii) $A^2 = 2A - 3I$
 $\Rightarrow A A^{-1} = 2A A^{-1} - 3I A^{-1}$
 $\Rightarrow I = 2I - 3A^{-1}$
 $\Rightarrow 3A^{-1} = 2I - I = I$
 $\Rightarrow A^{-1} = \frac{1}{3}(2I - A)$

Question 26 (*)**

A transformation in the x - y plane is represented by the 2×2 matrix

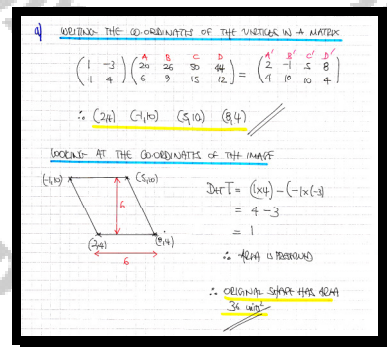
$$\mathbf{T} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ -1 & 4 \end{pmatrix}.$$

A quadrilateral Q has vertices at the points with coordinates $(20,6)$, $(26,9)$, $(50,15)$ and $(44,12)$. These coordinates are given in cyclic order.

The vertices of Q are transformed by \mathbf{T} .

- Find the positions of the vertices of the image of Q .
- Determine the area of Q , fully justifying your reasoning.

, $(2,4)$, $(-1,10)$, $(5,10)$, $(8,4)$, area = 36



Question 27 (*)**

The 2×2 matrix \mathbf{B} is given by

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} a & 2 \\ 3 & b \end{pmatrix},$$

where a and b are scalar constants.

The point with coordinates $(3,1)$ is mapped by \mathbf{B} onto the point with coordinates $(5,13)$.

- a) Determine the value of a and the value of b .

The inverse of \mathbf{B} is denoted by \mathbf{B}^{-1} and \mathbf{I} is the 2×2 identity matrix.

- b) Show that

$$\mathbf{B}^2 = 5\mathbf{B} + 2\mathbf{I}.$$

- c) Show further that ...

i. ... $\mathbf{B}^3 = 27\mathbf{B} + 10\mathbf{I}$.

ii. ... $\mathbf{B}^{-1} = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{B} - 5\mathbf{I})$

$a = 1$, $b = 4$

$\begin{pmatrix} a & 2 \\ 3 & b \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 13 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 3a + 2 = 5 \\ 9 + b = 13 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} a = 1 \\ b = 4 \end{cases}$
 $\mathbf{B}^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 10 \\ 15 & 22 \end{pmatrix}$
 $5\mathbf{B} + 2\mathbf{I} = 5 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} + 2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 10 \\ 15 & 20 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 & 10 \\ 15 & 22 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\therefore \mathbf{B}^2 = 5\mathbf{B} + 2\mathbf{I}$
 $\mathbf{B}^2 = 5\mathbf{B} + 2\mathbf{I} \quad \text{--- Eqn 1}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^3 = 5\mathbf{B}^2 + 2\mathbf{B}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^3 = 5(5\mathbf{B} + 2\mathbf{I}) + 2\mathbf{B}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^3 = 27\mathbf{B} + 10\mathbf{I}$
 $\mathbf{B}^2 = 5\mathbf{B} + 2\mathbf{I} \quad \text{--- Eqn 2}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^3 = 5\mathbf{B}^2 + 2\mathbf{B}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^3 = 5(5\mathbf{B} + 2\mathbf{I}) + 2\mathbf{B}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^3 = 27\mathbf{B} + 10\mathbf{I}$
 $\mathbf{B}^2 = 5\mathbf{B} + 2\mathbf{I} \quad \text{--- Eqn 3}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^3 = 5\mathbf{B}^2 + 2\mathbf{B}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^3 = 5(5\mathbf{B} + 2\mathbf{I}) + 2\mathbf{B}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^3 = 27\mathbf{B} + 10\mathbf{I}$
 $\mathbf{B}^2 = 5\mathbf{B} + 2\mathbf{I} \quad \text{--- Eqn 4}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^3 = 5\mathbf{B}^2 + 2\mathbf{B}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^3 = 5(5\mathbf{B} + 2\mathbf{I}) + 2\mathbf{B}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^3 = 27\mathbf{B} + 10\mathbf{I}$
 $\mathbf{B}^2 = 5\mathbf{B} + 2\mathbf{I} \quad \text{--- Eqn 5}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^3 = 5\mathbf{B}^2 + 2\mathbf{B}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^3 = 5(5\mathbf{B} + 2\mathbf{I}) + 2\mathbf{B}$
 $\Rightarrow \mathbf{B}^3 = 27\mathbf{B} + 10\mathbf{I}$

Question 28 (***)




A transformation in the x - y plane consists of ...

- ...a reflection about the line with equation $y = x$
- ... followed by an anticlockwise rotation about the origin by 90°
- ... followed by a reflection about the x axis.

Use matrices to describe geometrically the resulting combined transformation.

, rotation about the origin by 180°

• STOP! COMBINING THE THREE MATRICES

REFLECTION ABOUT $y=x$	90° ROTATION ANTICLOCKWISE	REFLECTION ABOUT x AXIS
		
$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	$B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	$C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$

• MULTIPLY IN THE CORRECT ORDER


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

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

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

$\begin{matrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{matrix} \rightarrow \begin{matrix} -1 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{matrix}$

WITH POSITIVE DETERMINANT, SO NO REFLECTION



∴ ROTATION ABOUT O BY 180°

Question 29 (***)

The 2×2 matrices **A** and **B** are defined by

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -3 & 5 \end{pmatrix}.$$

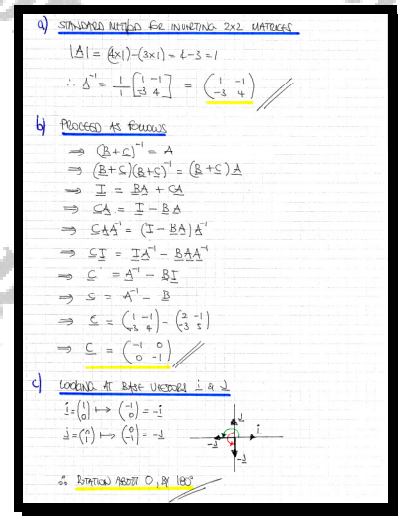
a) Find \mathbf{A}^{-1} , the inverse of **A**.

b) Find a matrix **C**, so that

$$(\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{C})^{-1} = \mathbf{A}.$$

c) Describe geometrically the transformation represented by **C**.

$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$, $\mathbf{C} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$, rotation about O , by 180°



Question 30 (*)**

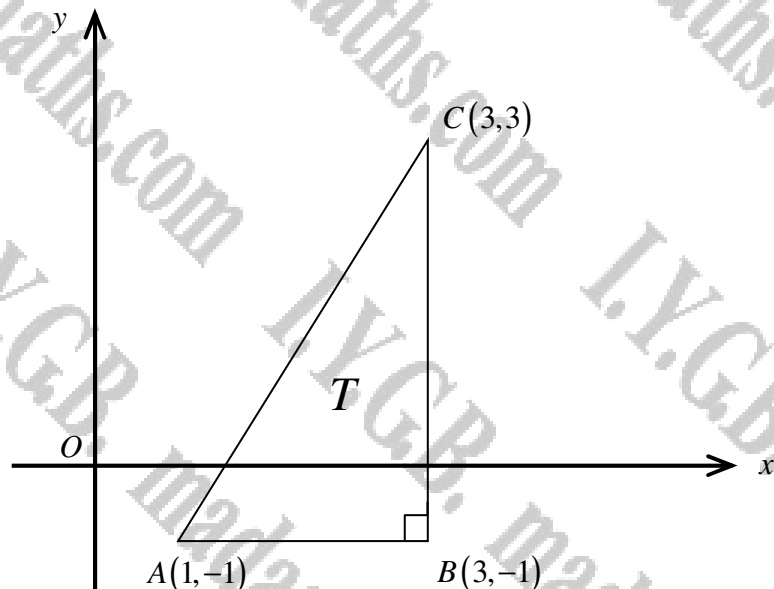
The 2×2 matrices

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

represent linear transformations in the x - y plane.

- a) Give full geometrical descriptions for each of the transformations represented by \mathbf{A} and \mathbf{B} .

The figure below shows a right angled triangle T , with vertices at the points $A(1, -1)$, $B(3, -1)$ and $C(3, 3)$.



The triangle T is first transformed by \mathbf{A} and then by \mathbf{B} , producing the triangle T' .

- b) Find the single matrix that represents this composite transformation.
- c) Determine the coordinates of the vertices of T' .
- d) Calculate the area of T' .

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The triangle T' is then reflected in the straight line with equation $y = -x$ to give the triangle T'' .

e) Find the single matrix that maps T'' back onto T .

, rotation about O , 90° , clockwise , enlargement, in x only, scale factor 2 ,
 $BA = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $A'(-2, -1), B'(-2, -3), C'(6, -3)$, area = 8 , $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$

a) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ $B = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\det A = +1$ (smaller than 1)
 $\det B = 2$
 $i = (0) \rightarrow (3) = 2i$
 $j = (1) \rightarrow (1) = 1j$
 $i = (0) \rightarrow (0) = -1i$
 $j = (1) \rightarrow (1) = 1j$
 \therefore CONSIDERABLE, PARALLEL TO THE X-AXIS, BY SCALE FACTOR OF 2
 \therefore ROTATION ABOUT O BY 90° CLOCKWISE

b) COMBINING TRANSFORMATIONS, A FOLLOWED BY B, IS BA
 $BA = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

c) WRITE THE 3 SETS OF COORDINATES AS A SINGLE MATRIX
 $BA \Delta = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 3 \\ -1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -2 & 6 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\therefore A'(-2, -1), B'(-2, -3), C'(6, -3)$

**d) AREA OF T' BY NUMERICAL IS $\frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 4 = 4$ UNITS²
 $\det(BA) = \det A \times \det B = 1 \times 2 = 2$
 AREA OF T' IS $4 \times 2 = 8$ UNITS²**

e) FIND THE MATRIX WHICH REVERSES REFLECTION ABOUT $y = -x$
 $i = (1) \rightarrow -1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$
 $j = (1) \rightarrow -1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$
 \therefore REQUIRED MATRIX IS $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$
 THE MATRIX WHICH DOES THE 3 TRANSFORMATIONS IN THE CORRECT ORDER IS
 $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$
 FINALLY WE REQUIRE THE INVERSE OF THE ABOVE MATRIX
 $\bullet \det \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = -1$
 $\bullet \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{-1} \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$

Question 31 (*)**

The 2×2 matrix A given below, represents a transformation in the x - y plane.

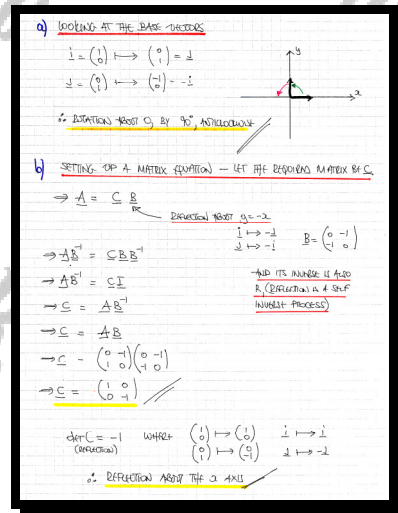
$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

- a) Describe geometrically the transformation represented by A .

The transformation described by A is equivalent to a reflection about the straight line with equation $y = -x$, followed by another transformation described by the matrix C .

- b) Find the matrix C , and describe it geometrically.

, rotation about O , by 90° , anticlockwise , $C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$,
 reflection about the x axis



Question 32 (***)

The 2×2 matrix M is defined by

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Find, by calculation, the equations of the two lines which pass through the origin, that remain invariant under the transformation represented by M .

, $y = \pm x$

METHOD A

• LET A LINE THROUGH THE ORIGIN THAT EQUATION $y = mx$, WHICH IS THEN MAPPED TO $Y = mX$

$$\begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} X \\ mX \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ mx \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3mx \\ 3x \end{bmatrix}$$

• HOW DO WE OBTAIN THE EQUATIONS

$$\begin{matrix} X = 3mx \\ mX = 3x \end{matrix} \Rightarrow \text{DIVIDING THE EQUATIONS WE OBTAIN}$$

$$\frac{X}{mX} = \frac{3mx}{3x}$$

$$\frac{1}{m} = m$$

$$m^2 = 1$$

$$m = \pm 1$$

∴ THE REQUIRED LINES ARE $y = x$ & $y = -x$

METHOD B (BY EIGENFACTORS)

• FIND THE CHARACTERISTIC EQUATION OF M

$$\begin{vmatrix} 0-\lambda & 3 \\ 3 & 0-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow (\lambda)^2 - 9 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^2 - 9 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\lambda - 3)(\lambda + 3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \pm 3$$

• FINDING THE EIGENVECTORS AND HENCE THE LINES

IF $\lambda = 3$

$$3y = 3x$$

$$3x = 3y$$

$$\therefore y = x$$

IF $\lambda = -3$

$$3y = -3x$$

$$3x = -3y$$

$$\therefore y = -x$$

Question 33 (***)

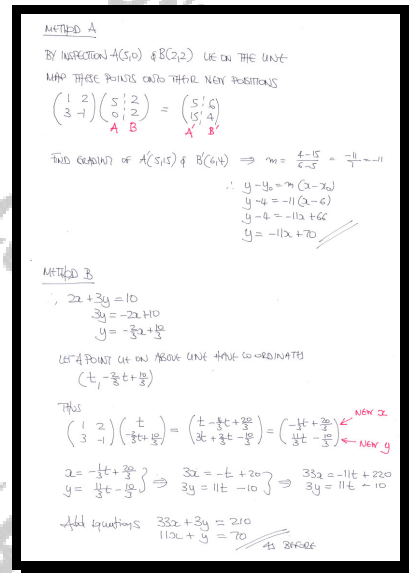
Find the image of the straight line with equation

$$2x + 3y = 10,$$

under the transformation represented by the 2×2 matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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Question 34 (***)

The 2×2 matrix $M = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ -9 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ is given.

Under the transformation represented by M a straight line passing through the origin remains invariant.

Determine the equation of this line.

, $y = 3x$

WORKS AS FOLLOWS

- "OBJECT LINE" $y = mx$
- "IMAGE LINE" $Y = mX$

$$\rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ -9 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ mx \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ mx \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{aligned} -2x + mx &= x \\ -9x + 4mx &= mx \end{aligned}$$

DIVIDING THE EQUATIONS

$$\rightarrow \frac{-2+0}{-9+4m} = \frac{1}{m}$$

$$\rightarrow -2m + 4m^2 = 4m - 9$$

$$\rightarrow 4m^2 - 6m + 9 = 0$$

$$\rightarrow (m-3)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 3$$

\therefore FIXED LINE
 $y = 3x$

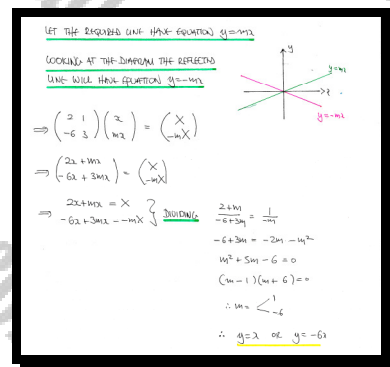
Question 35 (****)

The 2×2 matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -6 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ is given.

Under the transformation represented by A , a straight line passing through the origin is reflected about the y axis.

Determine the possible equations of this line.

, $y = x$, $y = -6x$



Question 36 (****)

Find the image of the circle with equation

$$x^2 + y^2 = 4,$$

under the transformation represented by the 2×2 matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$.

$$\boxed{}, \quad \boxed{20x^2 - 32xy + 13y^2 = 16}$$

LET THE $3RD^{th}$ COORDINATES BE (X, Y) AND THE $4TH^{th}$ COORDINATE BE TRANSFORMED BY (x, y)

$$\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{if } X = A \cdot x$$

$$A^T X = A^T A \cdot x$$

$$A^T X = 2x$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{(4-6)} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ -2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{-2} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ -2 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

HERE WE USE A^{-1}

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{-2} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -3 \\ -2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{-2} \begin{pmatrix} 4X - 3Y \\ -2X + 2Y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2X - \frac{3}{2}Y \\ -X + Y \end{pmatrix}$$

SUBSTITUTE INTO THE CIRCLE EQUATION

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow (2X - \frac{3}{2}Y)^2 + (-X + Y)^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 4X^2 - 6XY + \frac{9}{4}Y^2 + X^2 - 2XY + Y^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 5X^2 - 8XY + \frac{13}{4}Y^2 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 20X^2 - 32XY + 13Y^2 = 16$$

if $20x^2 - 32xy + 13y^2 = 16$

Question 37 (***)

The 2×2 matrix \mathbf{R} represents a reflection where the point $(2,1)$ gets mapped onto the point $(6,-5)$, and the line with equation $y = -\frac{1}{2}x$ is a line of invariant points.

a) Determine the elements of \mathbf{R} .

The 2×2 matrix \mathbf{M} represents the combined transformation of the reflection represented by \mathbf{R} , followed by another transformation T .

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -0.4 \\ 2.5 & 2.8 \end{pmatrix}$$

b) Given that T is also a reflection determine, in exact simplified form, the equation of the line of reflection of T .

, $\mathbf{R} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ -\frac{3}{2} & -2 \end{pmatrix}$, $\frac{1}{2}x = -\frac{1}{7}y = \frac{1}{2}z$

a) STRIC BY OBTAINING THE MATRIX FOR THE REFLECTION

$(2,1) \mapsto (6,-5)$

LINE $y = -\frac{1}{2}x$ IS LINE OF INVARIANT POINTS

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{cases} 2a + b = 6 \\ 2c + d = -5 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} -a - \frac{1}{2}b = -1 \\ -c + \frac{1}{2}d = 1 \end{cases}$$

SOLVING SIMULTANEOUSLY

$$\begin{cases} 2a + b = 6 \\ a - \frac{1}{2}b = -1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} 2c + d = -5 \\ -c + \frac{1}{2}d = 1 \end{cases}$$

Adding $4a = 8$
 $a = 2$
 $b = 2$

Adding $4c = -6$
 $c = -\frac{3}{2}$
 $d = -2$

\therefore THE REFLECTION MATRIX IS $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ -\frac{3}{2} & -2 \end{bmatrix}$

b) $\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -0.4 \\ 2.5 & 2.8 \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{R}\mathbf{E}\mathbf{R}^{-1}$ FOUND BY "THE TRANSFORMATION"

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{M} = \mathbf{I}\mathbf{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{M}\mathbf{R}^{-1} = \mathbf{I}\mathbf{R}\mathbf{R}^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{M}\mathbf{R}^{-1} = \mathbf{I}\mathbf{I}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{I} = \mathbf{M}\mathbf{R}^{-1}$$

FIND THE INVERSE OF \mathbf{R}

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{R} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ -\frac{3}{2} & -2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \det \mathbf{R} = -4 + 3 = -1$$

$$\mathbf{R}^{-1} = \frac{1}{-1} \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -2 \\ \frac{3}{2} & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ -\frac{3}{2} & -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$[\mathbf{R}]$ IS SELF INVERSE AS IT IS A REFLECTION PERPENDICULAR AXIS

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{I} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -0.4 \\ 2.5 & 2.8 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ -\frac{3}{2} & -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.6 & 0.8 \\ 0.8 & -0.6 \end{pmatrix} \leftarrow \det = -1$$

COMPARING WITH THE REFLECTION (SMITHSON) MATRIX

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos 2\theta & \sin 2\theta \\ \sin 2\theta & -\cos 2\theta \end{bmatrix}$$

REFLECTION ABOUT l IS $(\cos \theta)z$

$\sin 2\theta = 0.8$ $\cos 2\theta = 0.6$

$\tan 2\theta = \frac{4}{3}$

$\Rightarrow \tan 2\theta = \frac{4}{3}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{2 \sin \theta \cos \theta}{1 - \sin^2 \theta} = \frac{4}{3}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{2 \sin \theta \cos \theta}{1 - \sin^2 \theta} = \frac{4}{3}$

$\Rightarrow 3 \sin \theta \cos \theta = 2 - 2 \sin^2 \theta$

$\Rightarrow 2 \sin^2 \theta + 3 \sin \theta \cos \theta - 2 = 0$

$\Rightarrow (2 \sin \theta - 1)(\sin \theta + 2) = 0$

$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ (OR $\sin \theta = -2$)

$\therefore \theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$ (OR $\frac{5\pi}{6}$)

AS REQUIRED

ALTERNATIVE

$\cos 2\theta = 0.6$

$2 \cos^2 \theta - 1 = 0.6$

$\cos^2 \theta = 0.8$

$\cos \theta = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$

$\cos \theta = +\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$ (OR $-\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$)

$\sin \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$

$\tan \theta = \frac{1}{2}$

Question 38 (****)

Under the transformation represented by the 2×2 matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & -7 \end{pmatrix},$$

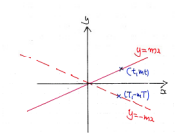
the straight line with equation $y = mx$ is reflected about the x axis.

Find the possible values of m .

, $m = 1, m = 2$

WORKING AT A DIAGRAM

under the transformation
 $(t, mt) \mapsto (T, -4T)$



HENCE WE OBTAIN

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & -7 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} t \\ mt \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} T \\ -4T \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} t + 2mt \\ 4t - 7mt \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} T \\ -4T \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} t + 2mt = T \\ 4t - 7mt = -4T \end{cases}$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{cases} t(1 + 2m) = T \\ t(4 - 7m) = -4T \end{cases}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{t(1 + 2m)}{t(4 - 7m)} = \frac{T}{-4T}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{1 + 2m}{4 - 7m} = -\frac{1}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow -4(1 + 2m) = 4 - 7m$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = 2m^2 - 6m + 4$$

$$\Rightarrow m^2 - 3m + 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (m - 2)(m - 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = 1, 2$$

Question 39 (****)

A transformation in two dimensional space maps a general point with coordinates (x, y) onto the point with coordinates (X, Y) according to the equation

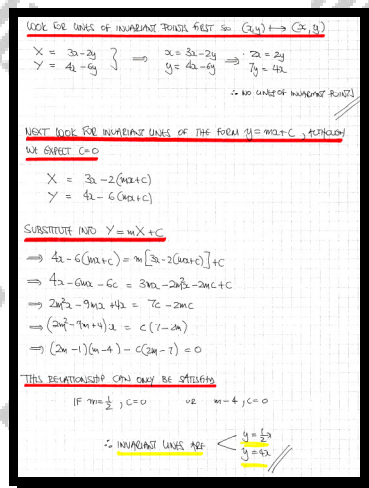
$$\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{B} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix},$$

where \mathbf{B} is the 2×2 matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 4 & -6 \end{pmatrix}$.

Investigate whether this transformation has any lines of invariant points or any invariant lines, giving any relevant equations of such lines if they exist.

You may not use eigenvalue/eigenvector methods in this question

, no lines of invariant points , invariant lines : $y = \frac{1}{2}x \cup y = 4x$



Question 40 (****)

The 2×2 matrix \mathbf{A} is given below.

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 7 & 5 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- a) Find scalar constants, k and h , so that

$$\mathbf{A}^2 + k\mathbf{I} = h\mathbf{A}.$$

- b) Use part (a) to determine \mathbf{A}^{-1} , the inverse of \mathbf{A} .

No credit will be given for finding \mathbf{A}^{-1} by a direct method.

$$\boxed{k=1}, \boxed{h=8}, \mathbf{A}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & -2 \\ -7 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

a) By comparing elements in the matrix equation

$$\mathbf{A}^2 + k\mathbf{I} = h\mathbf{A}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 7 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 7 & 5 \end{pmatrix} + k \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = h \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 7 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 23 & 14 \\ 36 & 34 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} k & 0 \\ 0 & k \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3h & 2h \\ 7h & 5h \end{pmatrix}$$

Looking at a_{11} : $23 + k = 3h$
 $k = 3h - 23$

Looking at a_{21} : $36 + k = 7h$
 $k = 7h - 36$

$$3h - 23 = 7h - 36$$

$$-4h = -13$$

$$h = \frac{13}{4}$$

b) Using the equation of part a)

$$\mathbf{A}^2 + \mathbf{I} = 8\mathbf{A}$$

$$8\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{A}^2 + \mathbf{I}\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{A} = 8\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{A}$$

$$\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{A}^{-1} = 8\mathbf{A}$$

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = 8\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{A}$$

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 & 0 \\ 0 & 8 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 7 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & -2 \\ -7 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Question 41 (****)

The 2×2 matrix A given below represents a transformation in the x - y plane.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -5 & 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The straight line L with equation

$$y = 2x + 1$$

is transformed by A into the straight line L' .

- a) Find a Cartesian equation of L' .

The straight line M is transformed by A into the straight line M' with equation

$$11x + 6y = 4.$$

- b) Find a Cartesian equation of M .

$$L' : y = 1 - x, \quad M : y = 4 - 3x$$

a) GIVE TO PARAMETERISE L
 $y = 2x + 1$ HAS GENERAL POINT $(t, 2t+1)$
 THIS
 $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -5 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} t \\ 2t+1 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3t - 2t - 1 \\ -5t + 4t + 2 \end{pmatrix}$
 $\begin{matrix} x = t - 1 \\ y = 2 - t \end{matrix}$ Add the parameters
 $x + y = 1$
 $\therefore y = 1 - x$

b) $\Rightarrow A^{-1}z = X$
 $\Rightarrow A^{-1}Az = A^{-1}X$
 $\Rightarrow I_2 z = A^{-1}X$
 $\Rightarrow z = A^{-1}X$
 Now $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{3 \times 2 - (-5 \times -1)} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 5 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 5 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$
 GIVE ME TO PARAMETERISE FIRST TO TRANSFORM BACK
 TWO 'EYE' POINTS WHICH SIMPLY LIE ON M'
 SAY $(2, -3)$ AND $(0, 4)$ BOTH LIE ON M'
 $z = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 5 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$
 $z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$
 So $(1, 1)$ & $(1, 2)$ LIE ON M
 FINDING $= \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{2 - 1}{1 - 1} = -3$
 $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$
 $y - 1 = -3(x - 1)$
 $y - 1 = -3x + 3$
 $y = 4 - 3x$

Question 42 (****)

Describe fully the transformation given by the following 2×2 matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{5} & \frac{4}{5} \\ -\frac{4}{5} & \frac{3}{5} \end{pmatrix}$$

The description must be supported by mathematical calculations.

reflection in $y = 2x$

$\det \begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{5} & \frac{4}{5} \\ -\frac{4}{5} & \frac{3}{5} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{3}{5} \times \frac{3}{5} - \frac{4}{5} \times \frac{4}{5} = \frac{9}{25} - \frac{16}{25} = -\frac{7}{25} = -1$
 COMPARE THE MATRIX WITH THE STANDARD REFLECTION MATRIX
 $\begin{pmatrix} \cos 2\theta & \sin 2\theta \\ \sin 2\theta & -\cos 2\theta \end{pmatrix}$
 $\cos 2\theta = -\frac{3}{5}$
 $2\theta = 126.87^\circ \pm 360^\circ$
 $2\theta = 233.13^\circ \pm 360^\circ$
 $\theta = 63.43^\circ \pm 180^\circ$
 $\theta = 116.57^\circ \pm 180^\circ$
 $\theta = 63.43^\circ$ PRODUCES ALL THE OTHER CORRECTLY
 \therefore MATRIX REPRESENTS REFLECTION ABOUT THE LINE $y = \tan(\theta)x$
 $\therefore y = \tan(63.43^\circ)x$
 $y = 2x$
 USE $\cos 2\theta = -\frac{3}{5}$ THIS $\cos \theta = +\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$ ($\theta = \arccos(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}})$)
 $2\cos^2 \theta - 1 = -\frac{3}{5}$
 $2\cos^2 \theta = \frac{2}{5}$
 $\cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{5}$
 $\cos \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$
 $\theta = 63.43^\circ$
 $\therefore \tan \theta = 2$

Question 43 (****)

A composite transformation in the x - y plane consists of ...

- i. ... a uniform enlargement about the origin of scale factor k , $k > 0$, denoted by the matrix \mathbf{E} .
- ii. ... a shear parallel to the straight line L , denoted by the matrix \mathbf{S} .

It is given that $\mathbf{ES} = \mathbf{SE} = \begin{pmatrix} 12 & 16 \\ -9 & 36 \end{pmatrix}$

- a) Show clearly that $k = 24$.
- b) Find a Cartesian equation of L .

$y = \frac{3}{4}x$

a) Firstly $\det \begin{pmatrix} 12 & 16 \\ -9 & 36 \end{pmatrix} = 12 \times 36 - (-9) \times 16 = 432 + 144 = 576 = 4 \times 144$ SCALE FACTOR.
 AS THE ENLARGEMENT IS UNIFORM, THE SCALE FACTOR MUST BE $\sqrt{576} = 24 \therefore k = 24$

b) TO FIND L , WE NEED TO FIND THE INDIAGONAL LINE THROUGH O
 THE $\begin{pmatrix} 12 & 16 \\ -9 & 36 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \lambda \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} 12x + 16y = \lambda x \\ -9x + 36y = \lambda y \end{matrix} \Rightarrow \text{DIVIDE EQUATIONS}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{12x + 16y}{-9x + 36y} = \frac{\lambda x}{\lambda y}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{12 + 16y}{-9 + 36y} = \frac{x}{y}$$

$$\Rightarrow 12y + 16y^2 = -9x + 36xy$$

$$\Rightarrow 16y^2 - 24xy + 9x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (4y - 3x)^2 = 0$$

$\therefore y = \frac{3}{4}x$

Question 44 (****)

A plane transformation maps the general point (x, y) onto the general point (X, Y) , by

$$\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}.$$

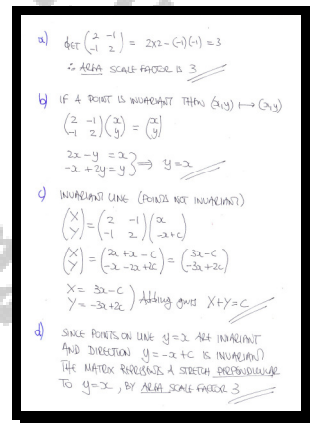
- Find the area scale factor of the transformation.
- Determine the equation of the straight line of invariant points under this transformation.
- Show that all the straight lines with equation of the form

$$x + y = c,$$

where c is a constant, are invariant lines under this transformation.

- Hence describe the transformation geometrically.

$SF = 3$, $y = x$, stretch perpendicular to the line $y = x$, by area scale factor 3



Question 45 (****)

A transformation $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \mapsto \mathbb{R}^2$ is represented by the following 2×2 matrix .

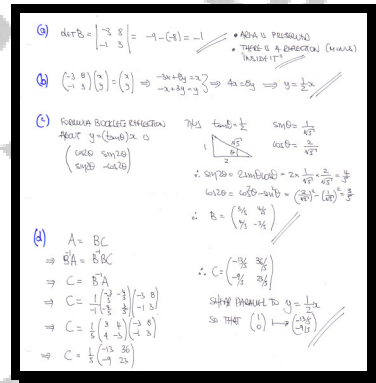
$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 8 \\ -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- Find the determinant of \mathbf{A} and explain its significance with reference to its sign and its magnitude.
- Find the equation of the straight line of the invariant points under the transformation represented by \mathbf{A} .
- Determine the entries of the 2×2 matrix \mathbf{B} which represents a reflection about the straight line found in part (b), giving all its entries as simple fractions.

The transformation represented by \mathbf{A} , consists of a shear represented by the matrix \mathbf{C} , followed by a reflection represented by the matrix \mathbf{B} .

- Determine the matrix \mathbf{C} and describe the shear.

$$\boxed{\det \mathbf{A} = -1}, \quad \boxed{y = \frac{1}{2}x}, \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{5} & \frac{4}{5} \\ \frac{4}{5} & -\frac{3}{5} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{C} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{13}{5} & \frac{36}{5} \\ -\frac{9}{5} & \frac{23}{5} \end{pmatrix}$$



Question 46 (****+)

A transformation in two dimensional space maps a general point with coordinates (x, y) onto the point with coordinates (X, Y) according to the equation

$$\begin{pmatrix} X - 4 \\ Y + 4 \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{A} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix},$$

where \mathbf{A} is the 2×2 matrix $\begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$.

Investigate whether this transformation has any lines of invariant points or any invariant lines, giving any relevant equations of such lines if they exist.

Final P, line of invariant points : $3x - 2y = 4$, invariant line : $y = -x + C$

START WITH LINE OF INVARIANT POINTS, i.e. $(x, y) \rightarrow (x, y)$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x-4 \\ y+4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2 \\ 3 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} x-4 \\ y+4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2x+2y \\ 3x-y \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x-4 &= -2x+2y \\ y+4 &= 3x-y \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3x-2y &= 4 \\ 4 &= 3x-2y \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore 3x-2y=4$ IS A LINE OF INVARIANT POINTS

NEXT INVESTIGATE INVARIANT LINES, SAY $y = mx + c$

$$\begin{aligned} X-4 &= -2x+2y \\ Y+4 &= 3x-y \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} X &= 4-2x+2(mx+c) \\ Y &= 4+3x-(mx+c) \end{aligned}$$

SUBSTITUTE INTO $Y = mX + c$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow -4+3x-(mx+c) &= (4-2x+2(mx+c))m+c \\ \Rightarrow -4+3x-mx-c &= (4-2x+2mx+2c)m+c \\ \Rightarrow -4-2c-4m+2mc &= -2mx+2mx+2mx+2mc+c \\ \Rightarrow -[2mc+4m+2c+4] &= [2m^2-m-3]x \\ \Rightarrow -[2m(c+2)+2c(c+2)] &= (2m-3)(m+1)x \\ \Rightarrow -(2m+2)(c+2) &= (2m-3)(m+1)x \\ \Rightarrow -2(m+1)(c+2) &= (2m-3)(m+1)x \\ \Rightarrow (2m-3)(m+1)x + 2(m+1)(c+2) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

NOW LOOKING AT THE EQUATION

- If $m = -1$ IT IS AUTOMATICALLY SATISFIED FOR ALL C
 $\therefore y = -x + C$ IS AN INVARIANT LINE
- If $m = \frac{3}{2}$ AND $C = -2$ IT IS ALSO SATISFIED
 $y = \frac{3}{2}x - 2$
 $2y = 3x - 4$
 $0 = 3x - 2y - 4$
 $3x - 2y = 4$
WHICH ALSO TURNS TO BE A LINE OF INVARIANT POINTS

Question 47 (****+)

A transformation T , maps the general point (x, y) onto the general point (X, Y) , by

$$\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}.$$

- Find the area scale factor of the transformation.
- Determine the equation of the line of invariant points under this transformation.
- Show that all the straight lines of the form $y = x + c$, where c is a constant, are invariant lines under T .
- Hence state the name of T .
- Show that the acute angle formed by the straight line with equation $y = -x$ and its the image under T is

$$\frac{3\pi}{4} - \arctan\left(\frac{5}{3}\right).$$

$\boxed{\text{SF} = 1}$, $\boxed{y = x}$, $\boxed{\text{shear}}$

Handwritten solution for Question 47:

a) $\det \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = -1(3-(-4)) = -3+4 = 1$

b) INVARIANT POINTS $(x, y) \rightarrow (x, y)$
 $\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$
 $-x + 2y = x$
 $-2x + 3y = y$ $\rightarrow y = x$

c) INVARIANT DIRECTION
 $\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$
 $\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -x + 2y \\ -2x + 3y \end{pmatrix}$
 $X = -x + 2y$
 $Y = -2x + 3y$ subtract $X - Y = -c$
 $Y = X + c$

d) IT IS A SHEAR, PARALLEL TO THE LINE WITH EQUATION $y = x$

PARAMETERISE THE LINE $y = -x$
 $x = t$
 $y = -t$
 THEN
 $\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} t \\ -t \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -t - 2t \\ -2t - 3t \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3t \\ -5t \end{pmatrix}$
 $X = -3t$
 $Y = -5t$ \Rightarrow DIVIDE $\frac{Y}{X} = \frac{5}{3}$
 $\therefore Y = \frac{5}{3}X$

Diagram: A coordinate plane showing the line $y = x$ (green) and its image under T , $y = \frac{5}{3}x$ (red). The acute angle between them is indicated.

THIS ACUTE ANGLE IS $\frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\pi}{3} - \arctan \frac{5}{3}$
 $= \frac{5\pi}{6} - \arctan \frac{5}{3}$

Question 48 (****+)

A curve has equation

$$5x^2 - 16xy + 13y^2 = 25.$$

This curve is to be mapped onto another curve C , under the transformation defined by the 2×2 matrix A , given below.

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Show that the equation of C is the circle with equation

$$x^2 + y^2 = 25.$$

, proof

DETERMINE THE TRANSFORMATION EQUATIONS

$$\begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \Leftrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{-3+4} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \end{bmatrix}$$

THUS WE HAVE

- $x = 3X - 2Y$
- $y = 2X - Y$

SUBSTITUTE INTO THE EQUATION $5x^2 - 16xy + 13y^2 = 25$

$$\Rightarrow 5(3X - 2Y)^2 - 16(3X - 2Y)(2X - Y) + 13(2X - Y)^2 = 25$$

$$\Rightarrow 5(9X^2 - 12XY + 4Y^2) - 16(6X^2 - 7XY + 2Y^2) + 13(4X^2 - 4XY + Y^2) = 25$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} 45X^2 - 60XY + 20Y^2 \\ -96X^2 + 112XY - 32Y^2 \\ 52X^2 - 52XY + 13Y^2 \end{cases} = 25$$

$$\Rightarrow X^2 + Y^2 = 25$$

or

$$x^2 + y^2 = 25$$

Question 49 (****+)

The 2×2 matrix \mathbf{P} is given below.

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -3 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

The points on the x - y plane which lie on the curve with equation

$$13x^2 - 16xy + 5y^2 + 8x - 6y = 4,$$

are transformed by \mathbf{P} onto the points which lie on another curve C .

Determine an equation for C and hence describe it geometrically.

, $(x-1)^2 + (y-2)^2 = 9$

START BY OBTAINING THE INVERSE OF \mathbf{P}

$$\mathbf{P}^{-1} = \frac{1}{2(2) - 3(-1)} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

THIS CAN BE INTERPRETED BY THE TRANSFORMATION EQUATIONS

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -3 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} \Leftrightarrow \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix}$$

i.e. $\begin{cases} x = 2X + Y \\ y = 3X + 2Y \end{cases}$

SUBSTITUTING INTO THE EQUATION WE OBTAIN

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow 13x^2 - 16xy + 5y^2 + 8x - 6y = 4 \\ &\Rightarrow 13(2x+y)^2 - 16(2x+y)(3x+2y) + 5(3x+2y)^2 + 8(2x+y) - 6(3x+2y) = 4 \\ &\Rightarrow 13(4x^2 + 4xy + y^2) - 16(6x^2 + 7xy + 2y^2) + 5(9x^2 + 12xy + 4y^2) + 16x + 8y - 18x - 12y = 4 \\ &\Rightarrow 52x^2 + 52xy + 13y^2 - 96x^2 - 112xy - 32y^2 + 45x^2 + 60xy + 20y^2 - 2x - 4y = 4 \\ &\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y = 4 \\ &\Rightarrow (x-1)^2 - 1 + (y-2)^2 - 4 = 4 \\ &\Rightarrow (x-1)^2 + (y-2)^2 = 9 \end{aligned}$$

\therefore A CIRCLE OF RADIUS 3, CENTER AT (1,2)

Question 50 (*****)

A shear is defined by the 2×2 matrix

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & 4 \end{pmatrix},$$

where a , b and c are scalar constants.

Under this transformation the point with coordinates $(1,2)$ is mapped onto the point with coordinates $(-8,11)$.

The shear defined by \mathbf{M} has an invariant line L , which passes through the point with coordinates $(0,1)$.

Determine an equation of L .

, $L : y = 1 - x$

As this is a shear the determinant must be 1

$$\Rightarrow \begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & 4 \end{vmatrix} = 1$$

MAKING THE MAPPING $(1,2) \rightarrow (-8,11)$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ 11 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} a + 2b = -8 \\ c + 8 = 11 \end{cases}$$

SECOND TO GET

- $c = 3$
- $\begin{cases} 4a - 3b = 1 \\ a + 2b = -8 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 8a - 6b = 2 \\ 3a + 6b = -24 \end{cases} \Rightarrow 11a = -22 \Rightarrow a = -2$
- $\begin{cases} a + 2b = -8 \\ -2 + 2b = -8 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 2b = -6 \\ b = -3 \end{cases}$

$\therefore \mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -3 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$

NEED THE LINE FOR INvariant LINES OF THE FORM $y = mx + 1$

$$\begin{pmatrix} X \\ Y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -3 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} X = -2a - 3b \\ Y = 3a + 4b \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} X = -2a - 3(mx + 1) \\ Y = 3a + 4(mx + 1) \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} X = -2a - 3mx - 3 \\ Y = 3a + 4mx + 4 \end{cases}$$

NEED SUB INTO $Y = mx + 1$

$$\Rightarrow 3a + 4mx + 4 = m(-2a - 3mx - 3) + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 3a + 4mx + 4 = -2am - 3m^2x - 3m + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 3m^2x + 4mx + 3a + 3m + 3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3a(m^2 + 2m + 1) + 3(m + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3a(m + 1)^2 + 3(m + 1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3(m + 1)^2 + 3(m + 1) = 0$$

EQUATION IS SATISFIED FOR $m = -1$

\therefore INvariant LINE IS $y = 1 - x$