

# Matrices, Geometry & Mathematica

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TUTORIALS

## T.1) Making 3D perpendicular projections onto planes.

Making 3D positive definite matrices (frame stretchers).

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### □T.1.a) Making a perpendicular projection onto a plane

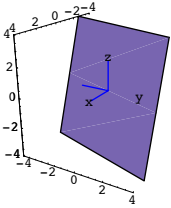
Any two non-parallel vectors determine a plane through {0,0,0}.

Here's a sample:

```
Clear[planevector];
planevector[1] = {0.95, 1.71, -1.19};
planevector[2] = {0.24, 1.83, 1.06};

ranger = 4;
b = 3;
planeplot = Graphics3D[
  Polygon[{-b planevector[1] - b planevector[2], -b planevector[1] +
    b planevector[2], b planevector[1] + b planevector[2],
    b planevector[1] - b planevector[2]}];

Show[planeplot, ThreeAxes[2], PlotRange →
  {{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
  Axes → True, Boxed → False, ViewPoint → CMView];
```



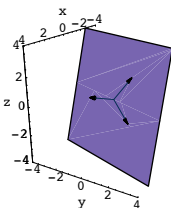
The question here is to come up with a matrix P so that when you hit a point {x,y,z} with your matrix P, you get the point on the plane that is closest to {x,y,z}. Illustrate the action of your matrix with decisive plots.

### □Answer:

Lots of folks like to call this matrix by the name "perpendicular projection."

This is a job for a custom perpendicular frame. Here's one:

```
normal = planevector[1] × planevector[2];
unitnormal =  $\frac{\text{normal}}{\sqrt{\text{normal} \cdot \text{normal}}}$ ;
perpframe[3] = unitnormal;
perpframe[1] =  $\frac{\text{planevector}[1]}{\sqrt{\text{planevector}[1] \cdot \text{planevector}[1]}}$ ;
perpframe[2] = perpframe[3] × perpframe[1];
scalefactor = 0.7 b;
frameplot = Table[Arrow[scalefactor perpframe[k],
  Tail → {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor → Indigo], {k, 1, 3}];
newplaneplot = Show[frameplot, planeplot, PlotRange →
  {{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
  Axes → True, ViewPoint → CMView, Boxed → False,
  AxesLabel → {"x", "y", "z"}];
```



The normal vector is perpframe[3].  
perpframe[1] and perpframe[2] frame the whole plane:

The job is to come up with a matrix P so that when you hit a point {x, y, z} with your matrix P, you get the point on the plane that is closest to {x, y, z}.

Notice that if {x, y, z} is on the plane, then {x, y, z}

is the point on the plane closest to

{x, y, z} + any multiple of perpframe[3].

perpframe[3] is normal to the plane  
and

the shortest distance from a point to the plane is the perpendicular distance.

In other words, if {x, y, z} is on the plane, then

$P \cdot \{x, y, z\} + \text{any multiple of perpframe}[3] = \{x, y, z\}$ .

This tells you that

$P \cdot \text{perpframe}[3] = \{0, 0, 0\}$

Also if {x, y, z} is on the plane, then {x, y, z} is the point on the plane closest to {x, y, z}.

And because perpframe[1] and perpframe[2] are on the plane, you now know that

$P \cdot \text{perpframe}[1] = \text{perpframe}[1]$

and

$P \cdot \text{perpframe}[2] = \text{perpframe}[2]$ .

This tells all.

The matrix P you want is:

```
Clear[alignerframe, hangerframe, k];
{alignerframe[1], alignerframe[2], alignerframe[3]} =
  {perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]};
aligner = {alignerframe[1], alignerframe[2], alignerframe[3]};

{xstretch, ystretch, zstretch} = {1, 1, 0};
stretcher = DiagonalMatrix[{xstretch, ystretch, zstretch}];

{hangerframe[1], hangerframe[2], hangerframe[3]} =
  {perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]};
hanger = Transpose[{hangerframe[1],
  hangerframe[2], hangerframe[3]}];

P = hanger.stretcher.aligner;
MatrixForm[P]
```

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0.177436 & 0.266458 & -0.273776 \\ 0.266458 & 0.913685 & 0.0886856 \\ -0.273776 & 0.0886856 & 0.908879 \end{pmatrix}$$

Check it:

```
P.perpframe[1] == perpframe[1]
P.perpframe[2] == perpframe[2]
P.perpframe[3]
True
```

True

{0, 0, 0}

Watch this matrix do its work in this action movie:

```
a = 3;
Clear[k, pointcolor];
points = Table[{Random[Real, {-a, a}],
  Random[Real, {-a, a}], Random[Real, {-a, a}]}, {k, 1, 40}];
pointcolor[k_] = RGBColor[0.5 (Sin[ $\frac{2 \pi k}{\text{Length}[points]}$ ] + 1),
  0.5 (Cos[ $\frac{2 \pi k}{\text{Length}[points]}$ ] + 1), 0.3];

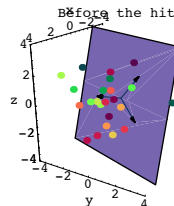
pointplot = Table[
  Graphics3D[{PointSize[0.04], pointcolor[k], Point[points[[k]]}],
  {k, 1, Length[points]}];
hitpointplot = Table[Graphics3D[{PointSize[0.04], pointcolor[k],
  Point[P.points[[k]]}], {k, 1, Length[points]}];

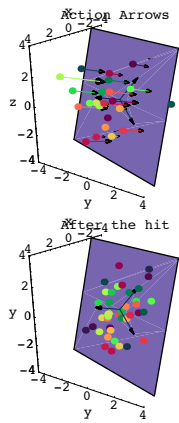
actionarrows = Table[Arrow[P.points[[k]] - points[[k], Tail → points[[k]],
  VectorColor → pointcolor[k]], {k, 1, Length[points]}];

before = Show[pointplot, newplaneplot,
  Axes → True, AxesLabel → {"x", "y", "z"}, PlotRange →
  {{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
  ViewPoint → CMView, Boxed → False, PlotLabel → "Before the hit"];

action = Show[before, actionarrows, PlotRange →
  {{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
  ViewPoint → CMView, PlotLabel → "Action Arrows"];

after = Show[hitpointplot, newplaneplot, Axes → True, AxesLabel → {"x", "y", "z"},
  Boxed → False, PlotRange →
  {{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
  ViewPoint → CMView, PlotLabel → "After the hit"];
```

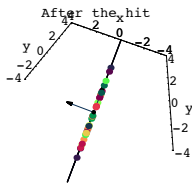
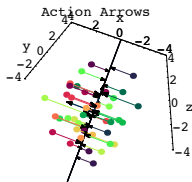
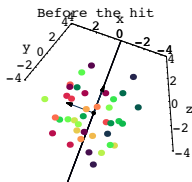




Grab, align and animate.

See the same thing from the view point of 6 perpframe[1].

```
Show[before, ViewPoint -> 6 perpframe[1];
Show[action, ViewPoint -> 6 perpframe[1];
Show[after, ViewPoint -> 6 perpframe[1];
```



Grab and animate.

You can see why some folks call this matrix by the name "perpendicular projection".

### □T.1.b) Making a 3D positive definite matrix (frame stretcher)

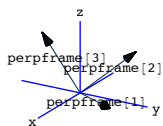
Here's a 3D perpendicular frame:

Where this formula comes from will be explained in one of the later Tutorials

```
{r, s, t} = N[{0.1 π, π/6, 0.2 π}];
```

```
Clear[perpframe];
{perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]} =
{{Cos[r] Cos[t] - Cos[s] Sin[r] Sin[t],
Cos[s] Cos[t] Sin[r] + Cos[r] Sin[t], Sin[r] Sin[s]},
{-Cos[t] Sin[r] - Cos[r] Cos[s] Sin[t],
Cos[r] Cos[s] Cos[t] - Sin[r] Sin[t], Cos[r] Sin[s]},
{Sin[s] Sin[t], -Cos[t] Sin[s], Cos[s]}};

ranger = 1;
Show[
Table[Arrow[perpframe[k], Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Indigo,
{k, 1, 3}], Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[1]", 0.6 perpframe[1]],
Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[2]", 0.6 perpframe[2]],
Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[3]", 0.6 perpframe[3]],
ThreeAxes[1], ViewPoint -> CMView, PlotRange -> {{-ranger, ranger},
{-ranger, ranger}}, Boxed -> False];
```



Make a 3D positive definite ( a frame stretcher) matrix A whose hits stretch vectors in the direction of perpframe[1] by a factor of 2.5, vectors in the direction of perpframe[2] by a factor of 4.1, and vectors in the direction of perpframe[3] by a factor of 3.2. Illustrate with plots.

□ Answer:

You want a matrix A with

A.perpframe[1] = 2.5 perpframe[1]

A.perpframe[2] = 4.1 perpframe[2]

A.perpframe[3] = 3.2 perpframe[3].

To make A, you go with the given perpendicular frame for both your aligner frame and your hanger frame and use the indicated numbers for your stretches.

Here you go:

```
Clear[alignerframe, hangerframe, k];
{alignerframe[1], alignerframe[2], alignerframe[3]} =
{perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]};
aligner = {alignerframe[1], alignerframe[2], alignerframe[3]};

{xstretch, ystretch, zstretch} = {2.5, 4.1, 3.2};
stretcher = DiagonalMatrix[{xstretch, ystretch, zstretch}];

{hangerframe[1], hangerframe[2], hangerframe[3]} =
{perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]};
hanger = Transpose[{hangerframe[1],
hangerframe[2], hangerframe[3]};

A = hanger.stretcher.aligner;
MatrixForm[A]
```

```
{ 3.42276 -0.652547 -0.380391
-0.652547 2.99044 0.123563
-0.380391 0.123563 3.3868 }
```

Check:

```
A.perpframe[1] == xstretch perpframe[1]
A.perpframe[2] == ystretch perpframe[2]
A.perpframe[3] == zstretch perpframe[3]
True
True
True
```

To illustrate, hit the unit sphere with A and see the resulting football:

```
Clear[x, y, s, t, pointcolor];
{x[s_, t_], y[s_, t_], z[s_, t_]} =
{Sin[s] Cos[t], Sin[s] Sin[t], Cos[s]};

{slow, shigh} = {0, π};
{tlow, thigh} = {0, 2 π};

ranger = Max[{xstretch, ystretch, zstretch, 1.2}];
pointcolor[s_, t_] =
RGBColor[0.5 (x[s, t] + 1), 0.5 (y[s, t] + 1), 0.5 (z[s, t] + 1)];

sjump = (shigh - slow) / 12;
tjump = (thigh - tlow) / 12;
```

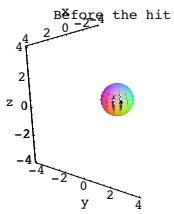
```
Clear[hitplotter, hitpointplotter, matrix3D];
hitplotter[matrix3D_] :=
ParametricPlot3D[matrix3D.{x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]},
{s, slow, shigh}, {t, tlow, thigh}, PlotRange ->
{{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
Axes -> True, AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}, Boxed -> False,
ViewPoint -> CMView, DisplayFunction -> Identity];
```

```
hitpointplotter[matrix3D_] :=
Show[Table[Graphics3D[{pointcolor[s, t], PointSize[0.025],
Point[matrix3D.{x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]}]},
{s, slow, shigh - sjump, sjump}, {t, tlow, thigh - tjump, tjump}],
Table[Arrow[matrix3D.alignerframe[k],
Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red], {k, 1, 3}],
Table[Arrow[-matrix3D.alignerframe[k], Tail -> {0, 0, 0},
VectorColor -> Red], {k, 1, 3}], PlotRange ->
{{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
Axes -> True, AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}, Boxed -> False,
ViewPoint -> CMView, DisplayFunction -> Identity];
```

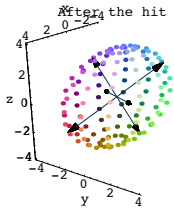
```
hitframeplotter[matrix3D_] :=
{Table[Arrow[matrix3D.alignerframe[k],
Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Indigo], {k, 1, 3}],
Table[Arrow[-matrix3D.alignerframe[k], Tail -> {0, 0, 0},
VectorColor -> Indigo], {k, 1, 3}];
```

```
pointsbefore = Show[hitpointplotter[IdentityMatrix[3]],
hitframeplotter[IdentityMatrix[3]], PlotLabel -> "Before the hit",
DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```

Grab both plots and animate at various speeds.



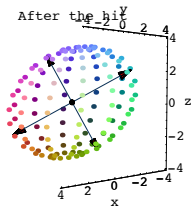
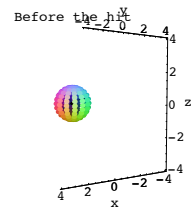
```
pointsafter = Show[hitpointplotter[A], hitframeplotter[A],
PlotLabel -> "After the hit", DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



Grab both plots and animate at various speeds.

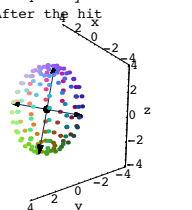
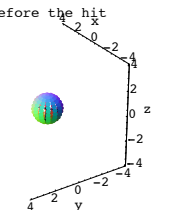
See the same thing from the view points of each of the given perpendicular frame vectors:

```
Show[pointsbefore, ViewPoint -> 10 perpframe[1]];
Show[pointsafter, ViewPoint -> 10 perpframe[1]];
```



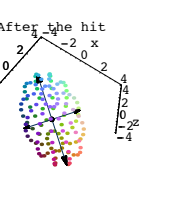
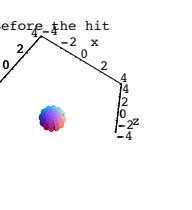
Grab both plots and animate at various speeds.

```
Show[pointsbefore, ViewPoint -> 10 perpframe[2]];
Show[pointsafter, ViewPoint -> 10 perpframe[2]];
```



Grab both plots and animate at various speeds.

```
Show[pointsbefore, ViewPoint -> 10 perpframe[3]];
Show[pointsafter, ViewPoint -> 10 perpframe[3]];
```

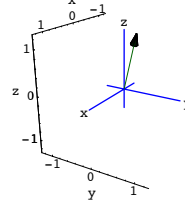


About as sensual as math gets.

### □T.1.c) Making a 3D reflection matrix ( plane flipper)

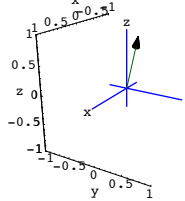
Here is a single vector in 3D:

```
normal = {0.2, 0.4, 1.3};
ranger = Max[{normal[[1]], normal[[2]], normal[[3]]}];
Show[Arrow[normal, Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> GosiaGreen],
Axes3D[ranger], PlotRange -> {{-ranger, ranger},
{-ranger, ranger}}, Axes -> True,
ViewPoint -> CMView, AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}, Boxed -> False];
```



Make this vector into a unit vector and plot:

```
unitnormal = normal / Sqrt[normal.normal];
ranger = 1;
Show[Arrow[unitnormal, Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> GosiaGreen],
Axes3D[1], PlotRange -> {{-ranger, ranger},
{-ranger, ranger}}, Axes -> True,
ViewPoint -> CMView, AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}, Boxed -> False];
```



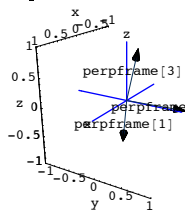
Envision this unit vector as a unit normal for a plane passing through {0,0,0}. Call

```
perpframe[3] = unitnormal
```

You can use cross products to come up with perpframe[1] and perpframe[2] to frame this plane.

Here's how it goes:

```
perpframe[3] = unitnormal;
throwawayvector = {Random[Real, {-1, 1}],
Random[Real, {-1, 1}], Random[Real, {-1, 1}]}];
planevector = throwawayvector x perpframe[3];
perpframe[1] = planevector / Norm[planevector];
perpframe[2] = perpframe[3] x perpframe[1];
frameplot = Table[Arrow[perpframe[k],
Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Indigo], {k, 1, 3}];
framelabels = {Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[1]", 0.6 perpframe[1]]],
Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[2]", 0.6 perpframe[2]]],
Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[3]", 0.6 perpframe[3]]]};
customframe = Show[frameplot, framelabels, ThreeAxes[1], PlotRange ->
{{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
Axes -> True, ViewPoint -> CMView, Boxed -> False,
AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}];
```



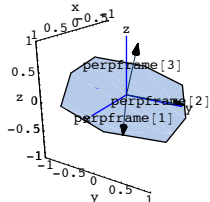
Rerun until you get a nice one.

Throw in a plot of the plane framed by perpframe[1] and perpframe[2]:

```
{slow, shigh} = {-1, 1};
{tlow, thigh} = {-1, 1};
ranger = 1.4;
Clear[planeplotter, s, t];
planeplotter[s_, t_] = s perpframe[1] + t perpframe[2];
planeplot = ParametricPlot3D[planeplotter[s, t],
```

```
{s, slow, shigh}, {t, tlow, thigh}, PlotRange → All,
PlotPoints → {2, 2}, DisplayFunction → Identity];
```

```
planeframe = Show[customframe, planeplot];
```



Rerun both cells several times. You will probably get different perpframe[1] and perpframe[2] vectors each time, but you will always get the same normal vector (perpframe[3]) each time. Here's a new plane through {0,0,0} and a perpendicular frame set so that perpframe[1] and perpframe[2] frame the plane:

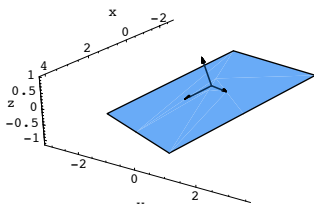
```
normal = {0.2, -0.3, 1.1};
perpframe[3] =  $\frac{\text{normal}}{\text{Norm}[\text{normal}]}$ ;
throwawayvector = {Random[Real, {-1, 1}],
Random[Real, {-1, 1}], Random[Real, {-1, 1}]}];
planevector = throwawayvector × perpframe[3];
perpframe[1] =  $\frac{\text{planevector}}{\text{Norm}[\text{planevector}]}$ ;
perpframe[2] = perpframe[3] × perpframe[1];

frameplot = Table[Arrow[perpframe[k],
Tail → {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor → Indigo], {k, 1, 3}];

{slow, shigh} = {-2, 3};
{tlow, thigh} = {-2, 3};
```

```
Clear[planeplotter, s, t];
planeplotter[s_, t_] = s perpframe[1] + t perpframe[2];
planeplot = ParametricPlot3D[planeplotter[s, t],
{s, slow, shigh}, {t, tlow, thigh}, PlotRange → All,
PlotPoints → {2, 2}, DisplayFunction → Identity];

planeandframe =
Show[planeplot, frameplot, PlotRange → All, BoxRatios → Automatic,
Axes → True, AxesLabel → {"x", "y", "z"}, Boxed → False,
ViewPoint → CMView, DisplayFunction → $DisplayFunction];
```



That's perpframe[3] = unit normal vector sticking out of the plane.

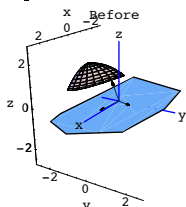
Throw in a 3D surface:

```
Clear[x, y, z, s, t, pointcolor];
{x[s_, t_], y[s_, t_], z[s_, t_]} =
{1, -1, 1.5} + {1.5 Sin[s] Cos[2 t], Sin[s] Sin[t], 0.4 Cos[2 s]};

{slow, shigh} = {0, π};
{tlow, thigh} = {0, π};

sjump =  $\frac{\text{shigh} - \text{slow}}{5}$ ;
tjump =  $\frac{\text{thigh} - \text{tlow}}{5}$ ;

ranger = 2.8;
Clear[hitplotter, matrix];
hitplotter[matrix3D_] :=
ParametricPlot3D[matrix3D.{x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]},
{s, slow, shigh}, {t, tlow, thigh}, PlotRange →
{{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
BoxRatios → Automatic, Axes → True, AxesLabel → {"x", "y", "z"},
Boxed → False, ViewPoint → CMView, DisplayFunction → Identity];
before = Show[hitplotter[IdentityMatrix[3]],
planeandframe, Axes3D[ranger], PlotLabel → "Before",
DisplayFunction → $DisplayFunction];
```



Use a 3D matrix hit to flip this surface underneath the plane.

□ Answer:

Remember that perpframe[3] is perpendicular to the plane and perpframe[1] and perpframe[2] frame the plane.

To make a matrix whose hits flip about the plane,

→ align with {perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]}

→ go with stretch factors all equal to 1

→ hang on the reversed frame {perpframe[1], perpframe[2], -perpframe[3]}:

Note the minus sign on perpframe[3].

```
{alignerframe[1], alignerframe[2], alignerframe[3]} =
{perpframe[1],
perpframe[2], perpframe[3]};

{xstretch, ystretch, zstretch} = {1, 1, 1};

{hangerframe[1], hangerframe[2], hangerframe[3]} =
{perpframe[1],
perpframe[2], -perpframe[3]};

aligner = {alignerframe[1], alignerframe[2], alignerframe[3]};
stretcher = DiagonalMatrix[{xstretch, ystretch, zstretch}];
hanger =
Transpose[{hangerframe[1], hangerframe[2], hangerframe[3]}];

A = hanger.stretcher.aligner;
MatrixForm[A]
```

```
{ 0.940299  0.0895522  -0.328358
  0.0895522  0.865672  0.492537
 -0.328358  0.492537  -0.80597 }
```

Hits with this matrix preserve everything in the plane framed by perpframe[1] and perpframe[2]:

```
Clear[s, t];
Expand[A.(s perpframe[1] + t perpframe[2])]
{0.828234 s + 0.533084 t,
-0.483926 s + 0.835854 t, -0.282568 s + 0.131036 t}

s perpframe[1] + t perpframe[2]
{0.828234 s + 0.533084 t,
-0.483926 s + 0.835854 t, -0.282568 s + 0.131036 t}
```

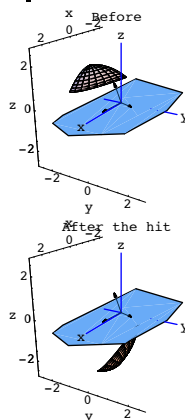
Hits with this matrix reverse the direction of anything in the direction of perpframe[3]:

```
A.(s perpframe[3])
{-0.172774 s, 0.259161 s, -0.950255 s}

-s perpframe[3]
{-0.172774 s, 0.259161 s, -0.950255 s}
```

See a hit with this matrix do the flip:

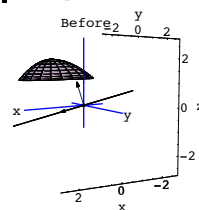
```
Show[before];
after = Show[hitplotter[A], planeandframe, Axes3D[ranger],
PlotLabel → "After the hit", DisplayFunction → $DisplayFunction];
```

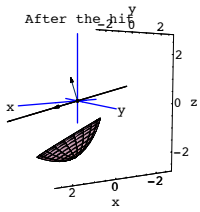


Grab, ALIGN and animate both plots.

See both from the viewpoint of perpframe[2]:

```
Show[before, ViewPoint → 6 perpframe[2]];
Show[after, ViewPoint → 6 perpframe[2]];
```





Grab, ALIGN and animate both plots.

Just a little groovy.

#### □T.1.d.i) Making a matrix for bouncing a light ray off a 3D surface

Here are a surface in 3D and a point above the surface all plotted in true scale:

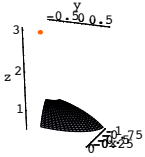
```
Clear[x, y, z, s, t];
{x[s_, t_], y[s_, t_], z[s_, t_]} =
  {-1, -1, 0} + {Sin[s] Cos[t], 2 Sin[s] Sin[t], Cos[s]};

{{s[low, shigh], {t[low, thigh]} = {{0.2, 1.0}, {0.2, 1.5}};

point = {0, -0.5, 3};
Clear[surfaceplotter];
surfaceplotter[s_, t_] = {x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]};

surfaceplot = ParametricPlot3D[Evaluate[surfaceplotter[s, t]],
  {s, s[low, shigh], {t, t[low, thigh]}, Boxed -> False,
  BoxRatios -> Automatic, ViewPoint -> CMView,
  AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}, DisplayFunction -> Identity];
pointplot = Graphics3D[{CadmiumOrange,
  PointSize[0.05], Point[point]}];

Show[surfaceplot, pointplot, Boxed -> False,
  BoxRatios -> Automatic, ViewPoint -> CMView, PlotRange -> All,
  AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}, DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



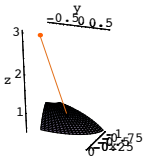
A light ray emanates from the point and hits the surface:

```
Clear[ray];
ray[s_, t_] = surfaceplotter[s, t] - point;

sjump = (shigh - slow) / 2;
tjump = (thigh - tlow) / 2;

rayplots =
  Table[Arrow[ray[s, t], Tail -> point, VectorColor -> MarsYellow,
  HeadSize -> 0.15], {s, s[low + sjump, shigh - sjump, sjump],
  {t, t[low + tjump, thigh - tjump, tjump]};

setup = Show[surfaceplot, pointplot, rayplots, Boxed -> False,
  BoxRatios -> Automatic, ViewPoint -> CMView, PlotRange -> All,
  AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}, DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



Your job is to plot the reflected light ray.

Do it.

□ Answer:

At a point  $\{x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]\}$  on the surface, the vectors

$$\tan1[s, t] = \{D[x[s, t], s], D[y[s, t], s], D[z[s, t], s]\};$$

and

$$\tan2[s, t] = \{D[x[s, t], t], D[y[s, t], t], D[z[s, t], t]\};$$

are tangent to the surface.

At each point

$$\{x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]\}$$

on the surface, use these two tangential vectors to make a 3D perpendicular frame including

two tangential vectors and one normal vector and plot:

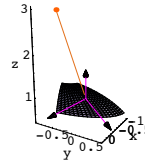
```
Clear[tan1, tan2];
tan1[s_, t_] = {D[x[s, t], s], D[y[s, t], s], D[z[s, t], s]};
```

```
tan2[s_, t_] = {D[x[s, t], t], D[y[s, t], t], D[z[s, t], t]};

Clear[alignerframe, s, t, cross];
alignerframe[1, s_, t_] := {tan1[s, t], tan2[s, t]};
cross[s_, t_] := tan1[s, t] x tan2[s, t];
alignerframe[3, s_, t_] := {cross[s, t], tan1[s, t], tan2[s, t]};
alignerframe[2, s_, t_] :=
  alignerframe[1, s, t] x alignerframe[3, s, t];

frameplots =
  Table[Arrow[alignerframe[k, s, t], Tail -> {x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]},
  VectorColor -> Magenta], {s, s[low + sjump, shigh - sjump, sjump],
  {t, t[low + tjump, thigh - tjump, tjump]}, {k, 1, 3}];

step1 = Show[setup, rayplots,
  frameplots, DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```

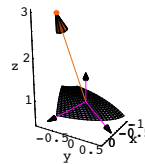


The two tangential vectors are alignerframe[1,s,t] and alignerframe[2,s,t].  
The normal vector is alignerframe[3,s,t].

Now reverse the light vector:

```
reversedrayplots =
  Table[Arrow[-ray[s, t], Tail -> {x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]},
  VectorColor -> MarsYellow], {s, s[low + sjump, shigh - sjump, sjump],
  {t, t[low + tjump, thigh - tjump, tjump]};

step2 = Show[surfaceplot, pointplot,
  reversedrayplots, frameplots, Boxed -> False,
  BoxRatios -> Automatic, ViewPoint -> CMView, PlotRange -> All,
  AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}, DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



alignerframe[1,s,t] and alignerframe[2,s,t] are tangent to the surface.

These are not the reflected rays. To get the reflected rays, just use these choices of aligner, stretcher and hanger and plot:

```
Clear[aligner, hanger, hangerframe, reflectormatrix];
aligner[s_, t_] = {alignerframe[1, s, t],
  alignerframe[2, s, t], alignerframe[3, s, t]};

{xstretch, ystretch, zstretch} = {1, 1, 1};
stretcher = DiagonalMatrix[{xstretch, ystretch, zstretch}];

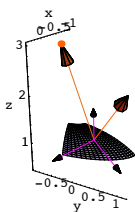
{hangerframe[1, s_, t_],
  hangerframe[2, s_, t_], hangerframe[3, s_, t_]} =
  {-alignerframe[1, s, t], -alignerframe[2, s, t],
  alignerframe[3, s, t]};

hanger[s_, t_] = Transpose[{hangerframe[1, s, t],
  hangerframe[2, s, t], hangerframe[3, s, t]};

reflectormatrix[s_, t_] = hanger[s, t].(stretcher.aligner[s, t]);

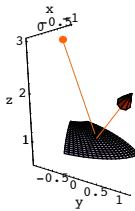
reflectedrayplots =
  Table[Arrow[reflectormatrix[s, t].(-ray[s, t]),
  Tail -> {x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]}, VectorColor -> CadmiumOrange],
  {s, s[low + sjump, shigh - sjump, sjump],
  {t, t[low + tjump, thigh - tjump, tjump]};

step3 = Show[surfaceplot, pointplot,
  reversedrayplots, frameplots, reflectedrayplots,
  frameplots, PlotRange -> All,
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



Clean it up with a plot showing both the incoming rays and the reflected rays:

```
finalproduct = Show[setup, rayplots,
  reflectedrayplots, DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



Done.

□ T.1.d.ii) Making matrices for bouncing lots of light rays off a 3D surface

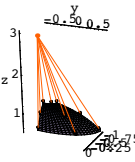
Here's the same setup as in part i), but this time there are many light rays hitting the surface:

```
Clear[ray];
ray[s_, t_] = surfaceplotter[s, t] - point;

sjump = (shigh - slow) / 2;
tjump = (thigh - tlow) / 2;

rayplots = Table[Arrow[ray[s, t], Tail -> point,
  VectorColor -> CadmiumOrange, HeadSize -> 0.1],
  {s, slow, shigh, sjump}, {t, tlow, thigh, tjump}];

setup = Show[surfaceplot, pointplot, rayplots, Boxed -> False,
  BoxRatios -> Automatic, ViewPoint -> CMView, PlotRange -> All,
  AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}, DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



Your job is to plot the reflected light rays.  
Do it.

□ Answer:

At a point  $\{x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]\}$  on the surface, the vectors  
 $\tan1[s, t] = \{D[x[s, t], s], D[y[s, t], s], D[z[s, t], s]\};$

and

$$\tan2[s, t] = \{D[x[s, t], t], D[y[s, t], t], D[z[s, t], t]\}$$

are tangent to the surface.

At each point

$$\{x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]\}$$

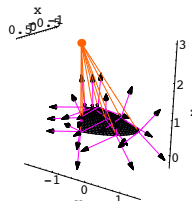
on the surface, use these two tangential vectors to make a 3D perpendicular frame including two tangential vectors and one normal vector and plot:

```
Clear[tan1, tan2];
tan1[s_, t_] = {D[x[s, t], s], D[y[s, t], s], D[z[s, t], s]};
tan2[s_, t_] = {D[x[s, t], t], D[y[s, t], t], D[z[s, t], t]};

Clear[alignerframe, s, t, cross];
alignerframe[1, s_, t_] := (tan1[s, t] /
  Sqrt[tan1[s, t].tan1[s, t]]);
cross[s_, t_] := tan1[s, t] x tan2[s, t];
alignerframe[3, s_, t_] := (cross[s, t] /
  Sqrt[cross[s, t].cross[s, t]]);
alignerframe[2, s_, t_] :=
  alignerframe[1, s, t] x alignerframe[3, s, t];

frameplots = Table[Arrow[alignerframe[k, s, t],
  Tail -> {x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]}, VectorColor -> Magenta],
  {s, slow, shigh, sjump}, {t, tlow, thigh, tjump}, {k, 1, 3}];

step1 = Show[setup, rayplots,
  frameplots, DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```

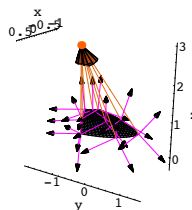


At each point, the two tangential vectors are alignerframe[1,s,t] and alignerframe[2,s,t].  
The normal vector is alignerframe[3,s,t].

Now reverse the light vectors:

```
reversedrayplots = Table[Arrow[-ray[s, t],
  Tail -> {x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]}, VectorColor -> MarsYellow],
  {s, slow, shigh, sjump}, {t, tlow, thigh, tjump}];

step2 = Show[surfaceplot, pointplot,
  reversedrayplots, frameplots, Boxed -> False,
  BoxRatios -> Automatic, ViewPoint -> CMView, PlotRange -> All,
  AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}, DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



These are not the reflected rays. To get the reflected rays, just use these choices of aligner, stretcher and hanger and plot:

```
Clear[aligner, hanger, hangerframe, reflectormatrix];
aligner[s_, t_] = {alignerframe[1, s, t],
  alignerframe[2, s, t], alignerframe[3, s, t]};

{xstretch, ystretch, zstretch} = {1, 1, 1};
stretcher = DiagonalMatrix[{xstretch, ystretch, zstretch}];

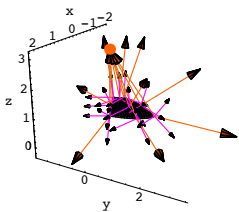
{hangerframe[1, s_, t_],
  hangerframe[2, s_, t_], hangerframe[3, s_, t_]} =
  {-alignerframe[1, s, t], -alignerframe[2, s, t],
  alignerframe[3, s, t]};

hanger[s_, t_] = Transpose[{hangerframe[1, s, t],
  hangerframe[2, s, t], hangerframe[3, s, t]};

reflectormatrix[s_, t_] = hanger[s, t].stretcher.aligner[s, t];

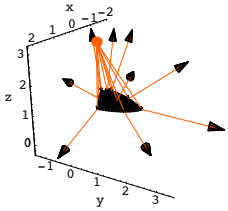
reflectedrayplots =
  Table[Arrow[reflectormatrix[s, t].(-ray[s, t]),
    Tail -> {x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]}, VectorColor -> CadmiumOrange],
  {s, slow, shigh, sjump},
  {t, tlow, thigh, tjump}];

step3 = Show[surfaceplot, pointplot,
  reversedrayplots, frameplots, reflectedrayplots,
  reflectedrayplots, frameplots, PlotRange -> All,
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



Clean it up with a plot showing both the incoming rays and the reflected rays:

```
finalproduct = Show[setup, rayplots,
  reflectedrayplots, DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



Done.

## T.2) 3D rotations: Rotating about lines in 3D

### □T.2.a.i) Making matrices whose hits rotate about the z-axis

Here's a double pyramid:

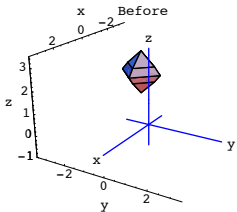
```
ranger = 3.5;
Clear[x, y, z, s, t];
{x[s_, t_], y[s_, t_], z[s_, t_]} =
  {-1, -1, 2} + {Sin[s] Cos[t], Sin[s] Sin[t], Cos[s]^3};

{slow, shigh} = {0, π};
{tlow, thigh} = {0, 2 π};

ranger = 3.5;
Clear[hitplotter, matrix];
hitplotter[matrix3D_] :=
  ParametricPlot3D[matrix3D.{x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]},
    {s, slow, shigh}, {t, tlow, thigh}, PlotPoints -> {5, 5},
    PlotRange -> {{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-1, ranger}},
    BoxRatios -> Automatic, Axes -> True, AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"},
```

```
Boxed -> False, ViewPoint -> CMView, DisplayFunction -> Identity];
```

```
surfacebefore = Show[hitplotter[IdentityMatrix[3]], Axes3D[ranger],
  PlotLabel -> "Before", DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



That line is pointing out the z-axis.

Use hits with a 3D rotation matrix to rotate this surface about the z-axis.

□ Answer:

In 2D, to rotate by s counterclockwise radians, you hit with:

```
Clear[rotater2D, s];
rotater2D[s_] =
  Transpose[{{Cos[s], Sin[s]}, {Cos[s + π/2], Sin[s + π/2]}}];

MatrixForm[rotater2D[s]]
```

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos[s] & -\sin[s] \\ \sin[s] & \cos[s] \end{pmatrix}$$

You can carry this over a 3D matrix whose hits rotate about the z-axis this way:

```
Clear[zrotater3D, s];
zrotater3D[s_] = Transpose[
  {{Cos[s], Sin[s], 0}, {Cos[s + π/2], Sin[s + π/2], 0}, {0, 0, 1}}];

MatrixForm[zrotater3D[s]]
```

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos[s] & -\sin[s] & 0 \\ \sin[s] & \cos[s] & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

To see why this works, look at:

```
rotater2D[s].{x, y}
{x Cos[s] - y Sin[s], y Cos[s] + x Sin[s]}
```

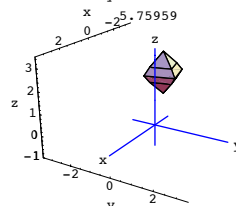
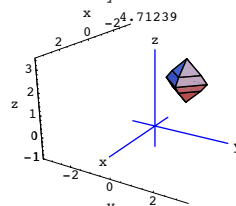
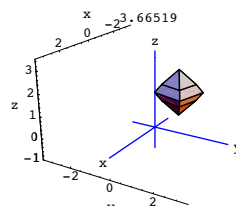
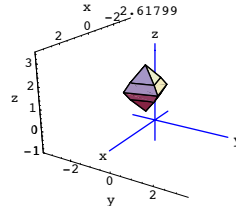
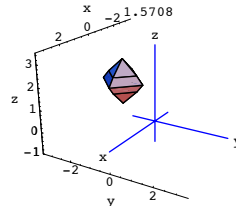
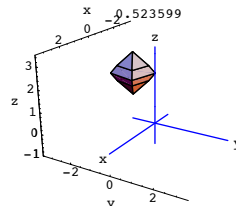
And look at:

```
zrotater3D[s].{x, y, z}
{x Cos[s] - y Sin[s], y Cos[s] + x Sin[s], z}
```

A hit with rotater3D[s] rotates the x's and y's just the way a hit with rotater2D[s] does and rotater3D[s] does not disturb the z's at all.

Watch hits with rotater3D[s] whirl the double pyramid around the z - axis:

```
jump = 2 π / 6;
Table[Show[hitplotter[zrotater3D[s]], Axes3D[ranger],
  PlotLabel -> N[s], DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction],
  {s, jump/2, 2 π - jump/2, jump}]
```



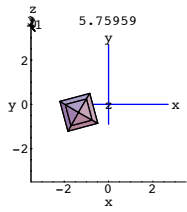
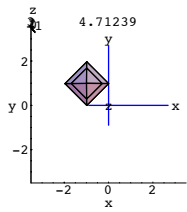
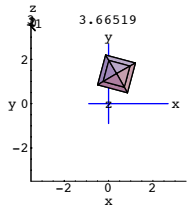
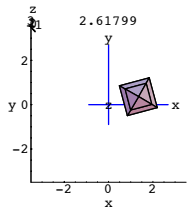
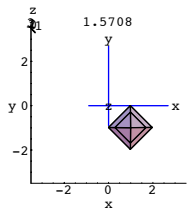
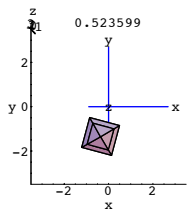
```
{- Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -,
- Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -}
```

Grab, align and animate at various speeds.

See the same thing from a view point way out the positive z axis.

```
jump = 2 π / 6;
Table[Show[hitplotter[zrotater3D[s]],
  Axes3D[0.8 ranger], PlotLabel -> N[s], ViewPoint -> 12 {0, 0, 1},
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction], {s, jump/2, 2 π - jump/2, jump}]
```





{- Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -,  
- Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -}

Just as it was made to do.

□T.2.a.ii) Making matrices whose hits rotate about the x-axis

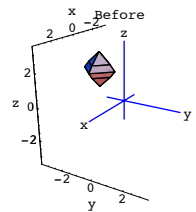
Here's another double pyramid :

```
ranger = 4;
Clear[x, y, z, s, t];
{x[s_, t_], y[s_, t_], z[s_, t_]} =
  {1, -1, 2} + {Sin[s] Cos[t], Sin[s] Sin[t], Cos[s]^3};

{slow, shigh} = {0, π};
{tlow, thigh} = {0, 2 π};

ranger = 3.5;
Clear[hitplotter, matrix];
hitplotter[matrix3D_] :=
  ParametricPlot3D[matrix3D.{x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]},
    {s, slow, shigh}, {t, tlow, thigh}, PlotPoints -> {5, 5}, PlotRange ->
    {{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
    BoxRatios -> Automatic, Axes -> True, AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"},
    Boxed -> False, ViewPoint -> CMView, DisplayFunction -> Identity];

surfacebefore = Show[hitplotter[IdentityMatrix[3]], Axes3D[ranger],
  PlotLabel -> "Before", DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



Use hits with a 3D rotation matrix to rotate this surface about the plotted x-axis.

□Answer:

In 2D, to rotate by s counterclockwise radians, you hit with:

```
Clear[rotater2D, s];
rotater2D[s_] =
  Transpose[{{Cos[s], Sin[s]}, {Cos[s + π/2], Sin[s + π/2]}}];
MatrixForm[rotater2D[s]]
```

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos[s] & -\sin[s] \\ \sin[s] & \cos[s] \end{pmatrix}$$

You can carry this over a 3D matrix whose hits rotate about the x-axis this way:

```
Clear[xrotater3D, s];
xrotater3D[s_] = Transpose[
  {{1, 0, 0}, {0, Cos[s], Sin[s]}, {0, Cos[s + π/2], Sin[s + π/2]}}];
MatrixForm[xrotater3D[s]]
```

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos[s] & -\sin[s] \\ 0 & \sin[s] & \cos[s] \end{pmatrix}$$

To see why this works, look at:

```
rotater2D[s].{y, z}
{y Cos[s] - z Sin[s], z Cos[s] + y Sin[s]}
```

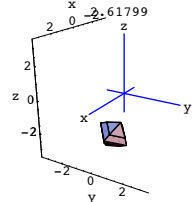
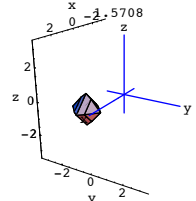
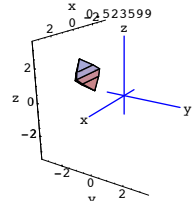
And look at:

```
xrotater3D[s].{x, y, z}
{x, y Cos[s] - z Sin[s], z Cos[s] + y Sin[s]}
```

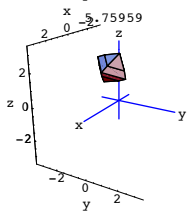
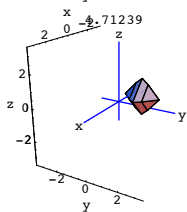
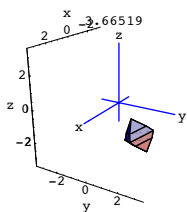
A hit with xrotater3D[s] rotates the y's and z's just the way a hit with rotater2D[s] does and xrotater3D[s] does not disturb the x's at all.

Watch hits with xrotater3D[s] whirl the double pyramid around the x - axis:

```
jump = 2 π / 6;
Table[Show[hitplotter[xrotater3D[s]], Axes3D[ranger],
  PlotLabel -> N[s], DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction],
  {s, jump/2, 2 π - jump/2, jump}]
```





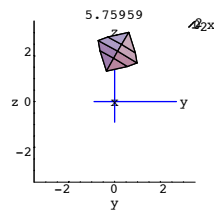
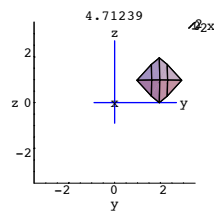
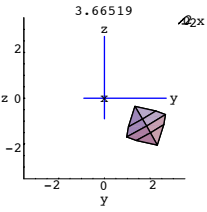
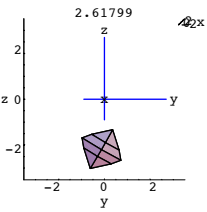
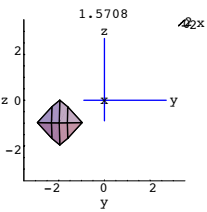
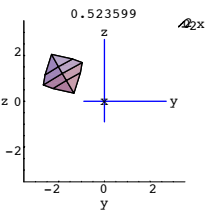


```
{- Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -,
- Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -}
```

Grab, align and animate at various speeds.

See the same thing from a view point way out the positive x axis.

```
jump =  $\frac{2\pi}{6}$ ;
Table[Show[hitplotter[xrotater3D[s]],
Axes3D[0.8 ranger], PlotLabel -> N[s], ViewPoint -> 12 {1, 0, 0},
DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction], {s,  $\frac{jump}{2}$ , 2\pi -  $\frac{jump}{2}$ , jump}]
```



```
{- Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -,
- Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -}
```

Grab, align and animate at various speeds.

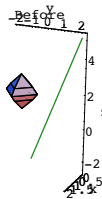
Just as it was made to do.

Whirlaway.

□ T.3.a.iii) Rotating about 3D lines through (0,0,0)

Here's the same setup as in part i) shown with a line through {0,0,0}

```
linedirectionvector = {0.1, 1.1, 2.6};
newline = Graphics3D[{ForestGreen,
Line[{-linedirectionvector, 2 linedirectionvector}]}];
Show[hitplotter[IdentityMatrix[3]], newline, PlotRange -> All,
PlotLabel -> "Before", DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```

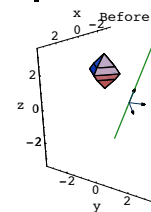


Use matrix hits to rotate this surface about the plotted line.

□ Answer:

Make a custom perpendicular frame, taking care that perpframe[3] is a unit vector pointing in the direction of the plotted line:

```
perpframe[3] =  $\frac{\text{linedirectionvector}}{\text{Norm}[\text{linedirectionvector}]}$ ;
throwawayvector = {Random[Real, {-1, 1}],
Random[Real, {-1, 1}], Random[Real, {-1, 1}]}];
planevector = throwawayvector x perpframe[3];
perpframe[1] =  $\frac{\text{planevector}}{\text{Norm}[\text{planevector}]}$ ;
perpframe[2] = perpframe[3] x perpframe[1];
frameplot = Table[Arrow[perpframe[k],
Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Indigo], {k, 1, 3}];
Show[hitplotter[IdentityMatrix[3]], frameplot, newline,
PlotLabel -> "Before", DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



Rerun until you see all three unit vectors in the custom frame.

Activate:

```
Clear[zrotater3D, s];
zrotater3D[s_] = Transpose[
{{Cos[s], Sin[s], 0}, {Cos[s +  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ ], Sin[s +  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ ], 0}, {0, 0, 1}}];
MatrixForm[zrotater3D[s]]
```

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos[s] & -\sin[s] & 0 \\ \sin[s] & \cos[s] & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Use the custom frame for the aligner frame and for the hanger frame:

```
Clear[alignerframe, hangerframe];
{alignerframe[1], alignerframe[2], alignerframe[3]} =
{perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]};
aligner = {alignerframe[1], alignerframe[2], alignerframe[3]};
```

```
MatrixForm[aligner]
{ 0.669932  0.674151  -0.310985 }
{ -0.741578  0.627607  -0.237004 }
{ 0.0353996  0.389396   0.92039 }
```

```
{hangerframe[1], hangerframe[2], hangerframe[3]} =
{perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]};
hanger = Transpose[{hangerframe[1],
hangerframe[2], hangerframe[3]}];
```

```
MatrixForm[hanger]
{ 0.669932  -0.741578  0.0353996 }
{ 0.674151  0.627607  0.389396 }
{ -0.310985 -0.237004  0.92039 }
```

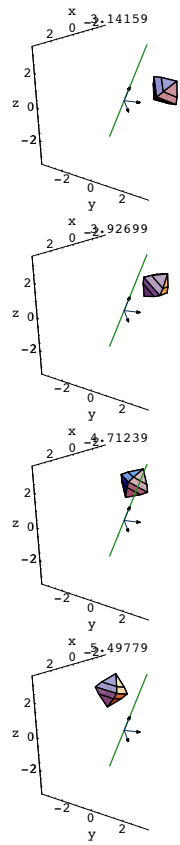
The matrix you want is:

```
Clear[linerotator];
linerotator[s_] = Expand[hanger.zrotator3D[s].aligner]
{{0.00125313 + 0.998747 Cos[s],
0.0137845 - 0.0137845 Cos[s] - 0.92039 Sin[s],
0.0325815 - 0.0325815 Cos[s] + 0.389396 Sin[s]},
{0.0137845 - 0.0137845 Cos[s] + 0.92039 Sin[s],
0.151629 + 0.848371 Cos[s],
0.358396 - 0.358396 Cos[s] - 0.0353996 Sin[s]},
{0.0325815 - 0.0325815 Cos[s] - 0.389396 Sin[s],
0.358396 - 0.358396 Cos[s] + 0.0353996 Sin[s],
0.847118 + 0.152882 Cos[s]}}
```

Ugly, but effective.

Watch this ugly rotation matrix do its work:

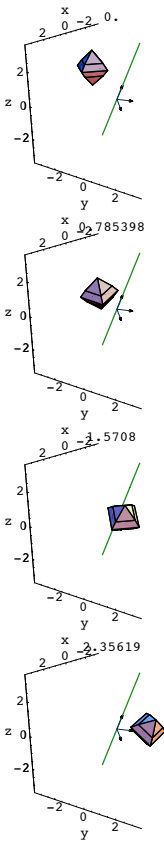
```
jump =  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ ;
Table[Show[hitplotter[linerotator[s]],
frameplot, newline, PlotLabel -> N[s],
DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction], {s, 0, 2  $\pi$  -  $\frac{jump}{2}$ , jump}]
```



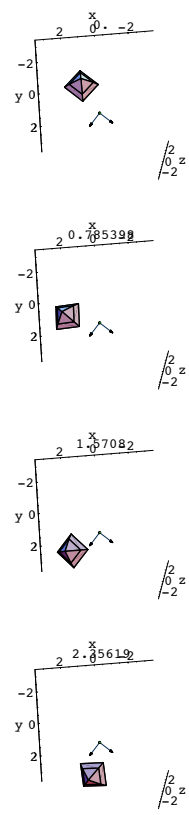
{- Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -,  
- Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -}

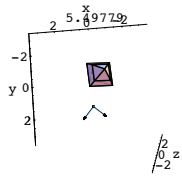
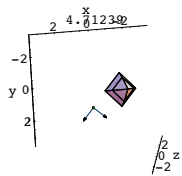
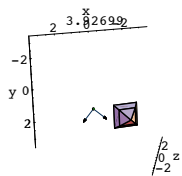
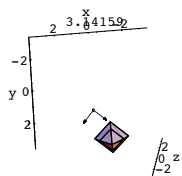
Grab, align and animate.

See it from the viewpoint of perpframe[3]:



```
Table[Show[hitplotter[linerotator[s]], frameplot,
newline, PlotLabel -> N[s], ViewPoint -> 6 perpframe[3],
DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction], {s, 0, 2  $\pi$  -  $\frac{jump}{2}$ , jump}]
```





```

{- Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -,
- Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -, - Graphics3D -}

```

Grab, align and animate.

Getting dizzy.

If you want a plain language explanation of why `linerotater[s] = hanger.zrotater3D[s].aligner.` does the job, click on the right.

The hit with aligner replots the surface with

the positive x - axis playing the former role of `perpframe[1]`,

the positive y - axis playing the former role of `perpframe[2]`,

and the positive z - axis playing the former role of `perpframe[3]`.

Then the hit with `zrotater3D[s]` rotates about the z-axis.

And the hit with `hanger` replots the rotated surface with

`perpframe[1]` playing the former role of the positive x-axis

`perpframe[2]` playing the former role of the positive y-axis

`perpframe[3]` playing the former role of the positive z-axis.

The final result is nothing more or less than a rotation about `perpframe[3]`

### T.3) Euler angles and the 3D right hand frame maker.

#### Right and left hand perpendicular frames in 3D.

##### □T.3.a.i) Euler angles r, s and t and the 3D right hand frame maker

Here's that nasty formula that produces beautiful 3D right hand perpendicular frames.

```

Clear[perpframe, r, s, t];
{perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]} =
{{Cos[r] Cos[t] - Cos[s] Sin[r] Sin[t],
Cos[s] Cos[t] Sin[r] + Cos[r] Sin[t], Sin[r] Sin[s]},
{-Cos[t] Sin[r] - Cos[r] Cos[s] Sin[t], Cos[r] Cos[s] Cos[t] - Sin[r] Sin[t],
Cos[r] Sin[s]}, {Sin[s] Sin[t], -Cos[t] Sin[s], Cos[s]}}
{{Cos[r] Cos[t] - Cos[s] Sin[r] Sin[t],
Cos[s] Cos[t] Sin[r] + Cos[r] Sin[t], Sin[r] Sin[s]},
{-Cos[t] Sin[r] - Cos[r] Cos[s] Sin[t],
Cos[r] Cos[s] Cos[t] - Sin[r] Sin[t], Cos[r] Sin[s]},
{Sin[s] Sin[t], -Cos[t] Sin[s], Cos[s]}}

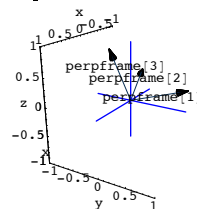
```

See one:

```

r = π/4;
s = π/8;
t = π/3;
Clear[perpframe];
{perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]} =
{{Cos[r] Cos[t] - Cos[s] Sin[r] Sin[t],
Cos[s] Cos[t] Sin[r] + Cos[r] Sin[t], Sin[r] Sin[s]},
{-Cos[t] Sin[r] - Cos[r] Cos[s] Sin[t],
Cos[r] Cos[s] Cos[t] - Sin[r] Sin[t], Cos[r] Sin[s]},
{Sin[s] Sin[t], -Cos[t] Sin[s], Cos[s]}};
ranger = 1.0;
frameplot = Show[
Table[Arrow[perpframe[k], Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Indigo],
{k, 1, 3}], Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[1]", 0.4 perpframe[1]]],
Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[2]", 0.7 perpframe[2]]],
Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[3]", 0.7 perpframe[3]]],
Axes3D[2, 0.1], PlotRange ->
{{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
Boxed -> False, Axes -> True, ViewPoint -> CMView,
AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}];

```



See some more:

```

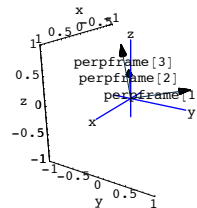
r = Random[Real, {-π/2, π/2}];
s = Random[Real, {-π/2, π/2}];
t = Random[Real, {-π/2, π/2}];
{perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]} =
{{Cos[r] Cos[t] - Cos[s] Sin[r] Sin[t],
Cos[s] Cos[t] Sin[r] + Cos[r] Sin[t], Sin[r] Sin[s]},
{-Cos[t] Sin[r] - Cos[r] Cos[s] Sin[t],
Cos[r] Cos[s] Cos[t] - Sin[r] Sin[t], Cos[r] Sin[s]},
{Sin[s] Sin[t], -Cos[t] Sin[s], Cos[s]}};

```

```

ranger = 1;
frameplot = Show[Table[
Arrow[perpframe[k],
Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Indigo], {k, 1, 3}],
Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[1]", 0.4 perpframe[1]]],
Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[2]", 0.7 perpframe[2]]],
Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[3]", 0.7 perpframe[3]]],
Axes3D[1, 0.1],
PlotRange ->
{{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
Boxed -> False,
Axes -> True, ViewPoint -> CMView, AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}];

```



Rerun many times.

Explain what the parameters r, s and t mean.

□ Answer:

This is one situation in which the explanation is easier than the formula.

Dial up the matrix `zrot[r]` whose hits rotate everything r radians about the z-axis:

```

Clear[zrot, r];
zrot[r_] = Transpose[
{{Cos[r], Sin[r], 0}, {Cos[r + π/2], Sin[r + π/2], 0}, {0, 0, 1}}];
MatrixForm[zrot[r]]

```

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos[r] & -\sin[r] & 0 \\ \sin[r] & \cos[r] & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Dial up the matrix `xrot[s]` whose hits rotate everything s radians about the x-axis:

```

Clear[xrot, s];
xrot[s_] = Transpose[
{{1, 0, 0}, {0, Cos[s], Sin[s]}, {0, Cos[s + π/2], Sin[s + π/2}}];
MatrixForm[xrot[s]]

```

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos[s] & -\sin[s] \\ 0 & \sin[s] & \cos[s] \end{pmatrix}$$

Now start with the usual x-y-z axes perpendicular frame

$$\{(1, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 1)\}$$

and hit it with `zrot[r]`, thereby rotating `r` radians about the z- axis.

This gives a new perpendicular frame:

```
{zrot[r].{1, 0, 0},
 zrot[r].{0, 1, 0},
 zrot[r].{0, 0, 1}}
{{Cos[r], Sin[r], 0}, {-Sin[r], Cos[r], 0}, {0, 0, 1}}
```

Hit this perpendicular frame with `xrot[s]`, thereby rotating `s` radians about the x- axis.

This gives a new perpendicular frame:

```
{xrot[s].zrot[r].{1, 0, 0},
 xrot[s].zrot[r].{0, 1, 0},
 xrot[s].zrot[r].{0, 0, 1}}
{{Cos[r], Cos[s] Sin[r], Sin[r] Sin[s]},
 {-Sin[r], Cos[r] Cos[s], Cos[r] Sin[s]}, {0, -Sin[s], Cos[s]}}
```

Finally hit this perpendicular frame with `zrot[t]`, thereby rotating `t` radians about the z- axis (again).

This is the perpendicular frame corresponding to the Euler angles `r`, `s` and `t`:

```
{zrot[t].xrot[s].zrot[r].{1, 0, 0},
 zrot[t].xrot[s].zrot[r].{0, 1, 0},
 zrot[t].xrot[s].zrot[r].{0, 0, 1}}
{{0.092929 Cos[r] - 0.995673 Cos[s] Sin[r],
 0.995673 Cos[r] + 0.092929 Cos[s] Sin[r], Sin[r] Sin[s]},
 {-0.995673 Cos[r] Cos[s] - 0.092929 Sin[r],
 0.092929 Cos[r] Cos[s] - 0.995673 Sin[r], Cos[r] Sin[s]},
 {0.995673 Sin[s], -0.092929 Sin[s], Cos[s]}}
```

This is the same as the formula

```
{perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]} =
{{Cos[r] Cos[t] - Cos[s] Sin[r] Sin[t], Cos[s] Cos[t] Sin[r] + Cos[r] Sin[t], Sin[r] Sin[s]},
 {-Cos[t] Sin[r] - Cos[r] Cos[s] Sin[t], Cos[r] Cos[s] Cos[t] - Sin[r] Sin[t], Cos[r] Sin[s]},
 {Sin[s] Sin[t], -Cos[t] Sin[s], Cos[s]}}.
```

Now you know where this formula comes from.

And you know that the Euler angles `r`, `s` and `t` specify:

An initial rotation by `r` radians about the z-axis,

followed by a rotation by `s` radians about the x-axis

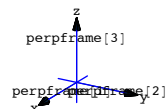
and then

followed by a rotation by `t` radians about the z-axis.

See it happen in stages:

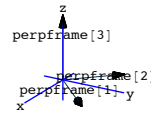
Start with `r`, `s` and `t` zeroed out:

```
r = 0;
s = 0;
t = 0;
{perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]} =
{{Cos[r] Cos[t] - Cos[s] Sin[r] Sin[t],
 Cos[s] Cos[t] Sin[r] + Cos[r] Sin[t], Sin[r] Sin[s]},
 {-Cos[t] Sin[r] - Cos[r] Cos[s] Sin[t],
 Cos[r] Cos[s] Cos[t] - Sin[r] Sin[t], Cos[r] Sin[s]},
 {Sin[s] Sin[t], -Cos[t] Sin[s], Cos[s]}};
ranger = 1;
frameplot = Show[Table[
 Arrow[perpframe[k],
 Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Indigo], {k, 1, 3}],
 Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[1]", 0.4 perpframe[1]]],
 Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[2]", 0.7 perpframe[2]]],
 Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[3]", 0.7 perpframe[3]]],
 Axes3D[1, 0.1],
 PlotRange ->
 {{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
 Boxed -> False, PlotLabel -> "Before",
 ViewPoint -> CMView, AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}];
Before
```



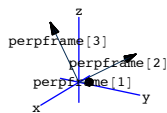
First rotate this frame `r` radians about the z- axis:

```
r = π/4;
s = 0;
t = 0;
{perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]} =
{{Cos[r] Cos[t] - Cos[s] Sin[r] Sin[t],
 Cos[s] Cos[t] Sin[r] + Cos[r] Sin[t], Sin[r] Sin[s]},
 {-Cos[t] Sin[r] - Cos[r] Cos[s] Sin[t],
 Cos[r] Cos[s] Cos[t] - Sin[r] Sin[t], Cos[r] Sin[s]},
 {Sin[s] Sin[t], -Cos[t] Sin[s], Cos[s]}};
ranger = 1;
frameplot = Show[Table[
 Arrow[perpframe[k],
 Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Indigo], {k, 1, 3}],
 Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[1]", 0.4 perpframe[1]]],
 Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[2]", 0.7 perpframe[2]]],
 Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[3]", 0.7 perpframe[3]]],
 Axes3D[1, 0.1],
 PlotRange ->
 {{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
 Boxed -> False, PlotLabel -> "Rotate r radians about z-axis",
 ViewPoint -> CMView, AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}];
tate r radians about z-ax
```



Second rotate the frame above by `s` radians about the x-axis

```
r = π/4;
s = π/6;
t = 0;
{perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]} =
{{Cos[r] Cos[t] - Cos[s] Sin[r] Sin[t],
 Cos[s] Cos[t] Sin[r] + Cos[r] Sin[t], Sin[r] Sin[s]},
 {-Cos[t] Sin[r] - Cos[r] Cos[s] Sin[t],
 Cos[r] Cos[s] Cos[t] - Sin[r] Sin[t], Cos[r] Sin[s]},
 {Sin[s] Sin[t], -Cos[t] Sin[s], Cos[s]}};
ranger = 1;
frameplot = Show[Table[
 Arrow[perpframe[k],
 Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Indigo], {k, 1, 3}],
 Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[1]", 0.4 perpframe[1]]],
 Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[2]", 0.7 perpframe[2]]],
 Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[3]", 0.7 perpframe[3]]],
 Axes3D[1, 0.1],
 PlotRange ->
 {{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
 Boxed -> False, PlotLabel -> "Then rotate\\ StyleBox["",
 FontColor -> RGBColor[0, 0, 1]]s radians about x-axis",
 ViewPoint -> CMView, AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}];
FontColor -> RGBColor[0, 0
```

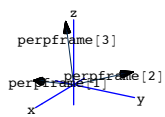


Finally rotate the frame above by `t` radians about the z-axis

```

r =  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ ;
s =  $\frac{\pi}{6}$ ;
t =  $-\frac{\pi}{4}$ ;
{perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]} =
{{Cos[r] Cos[t] - Cos[s] Sin[r] Sin[t],
Cos[s] Cos[t] Sin[r] + Cos[r] Sin[t], Sin[r] Sin[s]},
{-Cos[t] Sin[r] - Cos[r] Cos[s] Sin[t],
Cos[r] Cos[s] Cos[t] - Sin[r] Sin[t], Cos[r] Sin[s]},
{Sin[s] Sin[t], -Cos[t] Sin[s], Cos[s]}};
ranger = 1;
frameplot = Show[Table[
Arrow[perpframe[k],
Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Indigo, {k, 1, 3}],
Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[1]", 0.4 perpframe[1]]],
Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[2]", 0.7 perpframe[2]]],
Graphics3D[Text["perpframe[3]", 0.7 perpframe[3]]],
Axes3D[1, 0.1],
PlotRange ->
{{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
Boxed -> False, PlotLabel -> "Finally rotate\ StyleBox[" ",
FontColor -> RGBColor[0, 0, 1]]t radians about z-axis",
ViewPoint -> CMView, AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}];
n FontColor -> RGBColor[0,

```



Grab all four plots and animate. Then go back and change the specifications of r, s and t rerun.

□T.3.a.ii) The 3D frame maker produces right hand perpendicular frames

A right hand 3D perpendicular frame is any frame that has the same orientation as the x-y-z coordinate frame  $\{\{1,0,0\},\{0,1,0\},\{0,0,1\}\}$ :

$$\mathbf{1} \quad \{1, 0, 0\} \cdot \text{Cross}[\{0, 1, 0\}, \{0, 0, 1\}] = 1$$

So a 3D perpendicular frame

$$\{\text{perpframe}[1], \text{perpframe}[2], \text{perpframe}[3]\}$$

is a right hand frame if

$$\text{perpframe}[1] \cdot (\text{perpframe}[2] \times \text{perpframe}[3]) = 1.$$

And a hand 3D perpendicular frame

$$\{\text{perpframe}[1], \text{perpframe}[2], \text{perpframe}[3]\}$$

is a left hand frame if

$$\text{perpframe}[1] \cdot (\text{perpframe}[2] \times \text{perpframe}[3]) = -1.$$

Explain why the 3D perpendicular frame produced by:

```

Clear[perpframe, r, s, t];
{perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]} =
{{Cos[r] Cos[t] - Cos[s] Sin[r] Sin[t],
Cos[s] Cos[t] Sin[r] + Cos[r] Sin[t], Sin[r] Sin[s]},
{-Cos[t] Sin[r] - Cos[r] Cos[s] Sin[t],
Cos[r] Cos[s] Cos[t] - Sin[r] Sin[t], Cos[r] Sin[s]},
{Sin[s] Sin[t], -Cos[t] Sin[s], Cos[s]}};
{{Cos[r] Cos[t] - Cos[s] Sin[r] Sin[t],
Cos[s] Cos[t] Sin[r] + Cos[r] Sin[t], Sin[r] Sin[s]},
{-Cos[t] Sin[r] - Cos[r] Cos[s] Sin[t],
Cos[r] Cos[s] Cos[t] - Sin[r] Sin[t], Cos[r] Sin[s]},
{Sin[s] Sin[t], -Cos[t] Sin[s], Cos[s]}};

```

is a right hand frame.

□Answer:

From the last part

$$\{\text{perpframe}[1], \text{perpframe}[2], \text{perpframe}[3]\}$$

comes from successive rotations of

$$\{\{1,0,0\},\{0,1,0\},\{0,0,1\}\};$$

so it has the same relative orientation as

$$\{\{1,0,0\},\{0,1,0\},\{0,0,1\}\}.$$

So the fact that

$$\text{perpframe}[1] \cdot (\text{perpframe}[2] \times \text{perpframe}[3]) = 1$$

is guaranteed:

$$\mathbf{1} \quad \text{Simplify}[\text{perpframe}[1] \cdot \text{Cross}[\text{perpframe}[2], \text{perpframe}[3]]] = 1$$

□T.3.a.iii) Left hand perpendicular frames in 3D

Look at this:

```

Clear[perpframe, r, s, t];
{perpframe[1], perpframe[2], perpframe[3]} =
{{Cos[r] Cos[t] - Cos[s] Sin[r] Sin[t],

```

```

Cos[s] Cos[t] Sin[r] + Cos[r] Sin[t], Sin[r] Sin[s]},
{-Cos[t] Sin[r] - Cos[r] Cos[s] Sin[t], Cos[r] Cos[s] Cos[t] - Sin[r] Sin[t],
Cos[r] Sin[s]}, {Sin[s] Sin[t], -Cos[t] Sin[s], Cos[s]}};
{{Cos[r] Cos[t] - Cos[s] Sin[r] Sin[t],
Cos[s] Cos[t] Sin[r] + Cos[r] Sin[t], Sin[r] Sin[s]},
{-Cos[t] Sin[r] - Cos[r] Cos[s] Sin[t],
Cos[r] Cos[s] Cos[t] - Sin[r] Sin[t], Cos[r] Sin[s]},
{Sin[s] Sin[t], -Cos[t] Sin[s], Cos[s]}};

```

Make a new perpendicular frame by interchanging perpframe[1] and perpframe[2] and see whether the new frame is a right hand frame:

```

Clear[newperpframe];
newperpframe[1] = perpframe[2];
newperpframe[2] = perpframe[1];
newperpframe[3] = perpframe[3];
Simplify[newperpframe[1] \cdot Cross[newperpframe[2], newperpframe[3]]]
-1

```

You make the call:

Is

$$\{\text{newperpframe}[1], \text{newperpframe}[2], \{\text{newperpframe}[3]\}$$

a left or a right hand frame in 3D?

□Answer:

Look at newperpframe[1]. ( newperpframe[2] × newperpframe[3]) again:

```

Simplify[newperpframe[1] \cdot Cross[newperpframe[2], newperpframe[3]]]
-1

```

This signals loudly and clearly that

$\{\text{newperpframe}[1], \text{newperpframe}[2], \{\text{newperpframe}[3]\}$  is a left hand perpendicular frame.

T.4)  $\text{Det}[A \cdot B] = \text{Det}[A] \text{Det}[B]$

If A is a 3D diagonal matrix, then  $\text{Det}[A] = \text{product of diagonal entries}$

Why  $\text{Det}[A^{-1}] = \frac{1}{\text{Det}[A]}$

If A is a 3D hanger or aligner based on a right hand frame, then  $\text{Det}[A] = 1$ .

If A is a 3D hanger or aligner based on a left hand frame, then  $\text{Det}[A] = -1$ .

Why  $\text{Det}[A^t] = \text{Det}[A]$

□T.4.a.)  $\text{Det}[A \cdot B] = \text{Det}[A] \text{Det}[B]$

Here are two random 3D matrices A and B

```

A =
{Random[Real, {-4, 4}] Random[Real, {-4, 4}] Random[Real, {-4, 4}]
Random[Real, {-4, 4}] Random[Real, {-4, 4}] Random[Real, {-4, 4}]
Random[Real, {-4, 4}] Random[Real, {-4, 4}] Random[Real, {-4, 4}]
};
B =
{Random[Real, {-4, 4}] Random[Real, {-4, 4}] Random[Real, {-4, 4}]
Random[Real, {-4, 4}] Random[Real, {-4, 4}] Random[Real, {-4, 4}]
Random[Real, {-4, 4}] Random[Real, {-4, 4}] Random[Real, {-4, 4}]
};
MatrixForm[A]
MatrixForm[B]

```

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3.73636 & -3.03642 & 0.188843 \\ -3.04138 & -2.86992 & -1.34501 \\ 2.37052 & 3.03679 & 1.29534 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -3.38532 & -1.22694 & -2.39366 \\ -1.12707 & -0.378595 & -1.83774 \\ 0.948037 & -0.2051 & -1.03671 \end{pmatrix}$$

Here are calculations of  $\text{Det}[A \cdot B]$  and  $\text{Det}[A] \text{Det}[B]$ :

```

Det[A \cdot B]
Det[A] Det[B]

```

-2.88399

-2.88399

All clued in matrix folks know that when you go with two 3D matrices A and B, then you can be sure that

$$\text{Det}[A.B] = \text{Det}[A].\text{Det}[B].$$

Explain this.

□ Answer:

This is a job for pure bean-counting. Doing it by hand would be a big project. But turning the supreme bean-counter - namely the computer loose on this one makes the explanation into a snap.

Enter a cleared matrix 3D A:

```
Clear[a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j]
A =  $\begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & f & g \\ h & i & j \end{pmatrix}$ ;
MatrixForm[A]
```

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & f & g \\ h & i & j \end{pmatrix}$$

Apply the formula  $\text{Det}[A] = \text{col}[1].(\text{col}[2] \times \text{col}[3])$  to calculate Det[A]

```
Det[A]
-c f h + b g h + c d i - a g i - b d j + a f j
```

Enter another cleared matrix B:

```
Clear[r, s, t, u, v, w, x, y, z]
B =  $\begin{pmatrix} r & s & t \\ u & v & w \\ x & y & z \end{pmatrix}$ ;
MatrixForm[B]
```

$$\begin{pmatrix} r & s & t \\ u & v & w \\ x & y & z \end{pmatrix}$$

Apply the formula  $\text{Det}[B] = \text{col}[1].(\text{col}[2] \times \text{col}[3])$  to calculate Det[B]

```
Det[B]
-t v x + s w x + t u y - r w y - s u z + r v z
```

Calculate A.B:

```
MatrixForm[A.B]
```

$$\begin{pmatrix} ar+bu+cx & as+bv+cy & at+bw+cz \\ dr+fu+gx & ds+fv+gy & dt+fw+gz \\ hr+iu+jx & hs+iv+jy & ht+iw+jz \end{pmatrix}$$

Apply the formula  $\text{Det}[A.B] = \text{col}[1].(\text{col}[2] \times \text{col}[3])$  to calculate Det[A.B]

```
productdet = Expand[Det[A.B]]
cfhtvx-bghtvx-cditvx+agitvx+bdjtvx-afjtvx-
cfhs wx+bghs wx+cdis wx-agis wx-bdjs wx+afjswx-
cfhtuy+bghtuy+cdituy-agituy-bdjtyuy+afjtyuy+
cfhrwy-bghrwy-cdirwy+agirwy+bdjrvy-afjrvy+
cfhsuz-bghsuz-cdisuz+agisuz+bdjsuz-afjsuz-
cfhrvz+bghrvz-cdirvz-agirvz-bdjrvz+afjrvz
```

Now calculate Det[A] times Det[B]

```
Expand[Det[A] Det[B]]
cfhtvx-bghtvx-cditvx+agitvx+bdjtvx-afjtvx-
cfhs wx+bghs wx+cdis wx-agis wx-bdjs wx+afjswx-
cfhtuy+bghtuy+cdituy-agituy-bdjtyuy+afjtyuy+
cfhrwy-bghrwy-cdirwy+agirwy+bdjrvy-afjrvy+
cfhsuz-bghsuz-cdisuz+agisuz+bdjsuz-afjsuz-
cfhrvz+bghrvz-cdirvz-agirvz-bdjrvz+afjrvz
```

Both give you the same thing:

```
Expand[Det[A.B]] == Expand[Det[A] Det[B]]
True
```

And because A and B could stand for any choices of 3D matrices A and B, you see conclusively that

$$\text{Det}[A.B] = \text{Det}[A] \text{Det}[B]$$

is a sure bet for any 3D matrices A and B.

□ T.4.b) If A is 3D diagonal matrix, then  $\text{Det}[A] = \text{product of diagonal entries}$

Here's a random 3D diagonal matrix

```
Clear[diagonaleentry];
diagonaleentry[1] = Random[Real, {-2, 2}];
diagonaleentry[2] = Random[Real, {-2, 2}];
diagonaleentry[3] = Random[Real, {-2, 2}];
diagonalmatrix =
 $\begin{pmatrix} \text{diagonaleentry}[1] & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \text{diagonaleentry}[2] & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \text{diagonaleentry}[3] \end{pmatrix}$ ;
MatrixForm[diagonalmatrix]
```

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1.71832 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1.78377 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1.28872 \end{pmatrix}$$

Det[diagonalmatrix] is:

```
Det[diagonalmatrix]
3.95005
```

Compare:

```
diagonaleentry[1] diagonaleentry[2] diagonaleentry[3]
3.95005
```

Explain why the same thing happens for any and all 3D diagonal matrices.

□ Answer:

The easiest way to see this is to use the formula

$$\text{Det}[A] = \text{col}[1].(\text{col}[2] \times \text{col}[3])$$

from the Basics.

Applying this formula to

$$\text{Det}[\text{diagonalmatrix}] = \text{Det}[\text{diagonaleentry}[1] \text{ diagonaleentry}[2] \text{ diagonaleentry}[3]]$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \text{diagonaleentry}[1] & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \text{diagonaleentry}[2] & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \text{diagonaleentry}[3] \end{pmatrix}$$

gives

```
Clear[col, diagonaleentry];
col[1] = {diagonaleentry[1], 0, 0};
col[2] = {0, diagonaleentry[2], 0};
col[3] = {0, 0, diagonaleentry[3]};
col[1].Cross[col[2], col[3]]
diagonaleentry[1] diagonaleentry[2] diagonaleentry[3]
```

There you go.

□ T.4.c) Why  $\text{Det}[A^{-1}] = \frac{1}{\text{Det}[A]}$

Look at these calculations of  $\text{Det}[A^{-1}]$  and  $\frac{1}{\text{Det}[A]}$  for a random matrix A:

```
A = {Random[Real, {-3, 3}] Random[Real, {-3, 3}];
Random[Real, {-3, 3}] Random[Real, {-3, 3}};
Det[Inverse[A]]
-0.251186
1
Det[A]
-0.251186
```

Apparently,  $\text{Det}[A^{-1}] = \frac{1}{\text{Det}[A]}$ .

Explain why this is guaranteed for any and all invertible 2D matrices A.

□ Answer:

$$\text{Identity} = A^{-1} . A$$

So

$$1 = \text{Det}[\text{Identity}] = \text{Det}[A^{-1}] \text{Det}[A].$$

And so

$$\frac{1}{\text{Det}[A]} = \text{Det}[A^{-1}].$$

That's all there is to it.

□ T.4.d.i) The determinant of a 3D hanger or aligner based on a right hand perpendicular frame is equal to +1

Explain this:

The determinant of a hanger or aligner based on a right hand perpendicular frame is equal to 1.

□ Answer:

Go with a right hand 3D perpendicular frame {perpframe[1],perpframe[2],perpframe[3]} so that

$$\text{perpframe}[1].(\text{perpframe}[2] \times \text{perpframe}[3]) = 1.$$

The hanger matrix based on this right hand perpendicular frame is

$$\text{hanger} = \begin{pmatrix} \text{perpframe}[1] & \text{perpframe}[2] & \text{perpframe}[3] \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \end{pmatrix}.$$

In other words column[j] of A is perpframe[j].

So  $\text{Det}[\text{hanger}] = \text{column}[1].(\text{column}[2] \times \text{column}[3]) = \text{perpframe}[1].(\text{perpframe}[2] \times \text{perpframe}[3]) = 1.$

The aligner matrix based on this right hand frame is

$$\text{aligner} = \begin{pmatrix} \text{perpframe}[1] & \rightarrow \\ \text{perpframe}[2] & \rightarrow \\ \text{perpframe}[3] & \rightarrow \end{pmatrix}.$$

Remembering that hanger and aligner are mutually inverse, you get

$$\text{Identity} = \text{hanger}.\text{aligner}.$$

So

$$1 = \text{Det}[\text{Identity}] = \text{Det}[\text{hanger}] \text{Det}[\text{aligner}].$$

And because  $\text{Det}[\text{hanger}] = 1$ , you get

$$1 = 1 \text{Det}[\text{aligner}].$$

This tells you that  $\text{Det}[\text{aligner}] = 1$ .

□T.4.d.ii) The determinant of a 3D hanger or aligner based on a left hand perpendicular frame is equal to -1

Explain this:

The determinant of a hanger or aligner based on a left hand perpendicular frame is equal to -1.

□Answer:

Go with a left hand 3D perpendicular frame {perpframe[1],perpframe[2],perpframe[3]} so that

$$\text{perpframe}[1]. (\text{perpframe}[2] \times \text{perpframe}[3]) = -1.$$

The hanger matrix based on this right hand perpendicular frame is

$$\text{hanger} = \begin{pmatrix} \text{perpframe}[1] & \text{perpframe}[2] & \text{perpframe}[3] \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \end{pmatrix}.$$

In other words  $\text{column}[j]$  of A is  $\text{perpframe}[j]$ .

So  $\text{Det}[\text{hanger}] = \text{column}[1]. (\text{column}[2] \times \text{column}[3]) = \text{perpframe}[1]. (\text{perpframe}[2] \times \text{perpframe}[3]) = -1$ .

The aligner matrix based on this right hand frame is

$$\text{aligner} = \begin{pmatrix} \text{perpframe}[1] & \rightarrow \\ \text{perpframe}[2] & \rightarrow \\ \text{perpframe}[3] & \rightarrow \end{pmatrix}.$$

Remembering that hanger and aligner are mutually inverse, you get

$$\text{Identity} = \text{hanger}.\text{aligner}.$$

So

$$1 = \text{Det}[\text{Identity}] = \text{Det}[\text{hanger}] \text{Det}[\text{aligner}].$$

And because  $\text{Det}[\text{hanger}] = -1$ , you get

$$1 = -1 \text{Det}[\text{aligner}].$$

This tells you that  $\text{Det}[\text{aligner}] = -1$ .

□T.3.e) Why  $\text{Det}[A^t] = \text{Det}[A]$

Look at these calculations of  $\text{Det}[A]$  and  $\text{Det}[A^t]$  for random 3D matrices A:

```
A =
{
  Random[Real, {-5, 5}] Random[Real, {-5, 5}] Random[Real, {-5, 5}]
  Random[Real, {-5, 5}] Random[Real, {-5, 5}] Random[Real, {-5, 5}]
  Random[Real, {-5, 5}] Random[Real, {-5, 5}] Random[Real, {-5, 5}]
};
Det[A]
Det[Transpose[A]]
-21.8972
-21.8972
```

Rerun many times.

This is strong evidence that when you go with any 3D matrix A, then both A and A<sup>t</sup> have the same determinant.

Explain why this is guaranteed.

□Answer:

This is the same explanation used in 2D in the last lesson.

Go with any 3D matrix

$$A = \text{hanger}.\text{stretcher}.\text{aligner}.$$

This gives

$$A^t = \text{aligner}^t.\text{stretcher}.\text{hanger}^t.$$

So

$$\text{Det}[A] = \text{Det}[\text{hanger}] \text{Det}[\text{stretcher}] \text{Det}[\text{aligner}]$$

and

$$\text{Det}[A^t] = \text{Det}[\text{aligner}^t] \text{Det}[\text{stretcher}] \text{Det}[\text{hanger}^t].$$

But  $\text{Det}[\text{aligner}^t] = \text{Det}[\text{aligner}]$  and  $\text{Det}[\text{hanger}^t] = \text{Det}[\text{hanger}]$

Reasons: If the aligner frame is a right hand frame, then aligner<sup>t</sup> is a hanger based on the same right hand frame.

So  $\text{Det}[\text{aligner}] = \text{Det}[\text{aligner}^t] = 1$ .

If the aligner frame is a left hand frame, then aligner<sup>t</sup> is a hanger based on the same left hand frame.

So  $\text{Det}[\text{aligner}] = \text{Det}[\text{aligner}^t] = -1$ .

If the hanger frame is a right hand frame, then hanger<sup>t</sup> is a aligner based on the same right hand frame.

So  $\text{Det}[\text{hanger}] = \text{Det}[\text{hanger}^t] = 1$ .

If the hanger frame is a left hand frame, then hanger<sup>t</sup> is a aligner based on the same left hand frame.

So  $\text{Det}[\text{hanger}] = \text{Det}[\text{hanger}^t] = -1$ .

The upshot:  $\text{Det}[A]$  and  $\text{Det}[A^t]$  are both the product of the same three numbers.

This makes them equal.

T.5) Hits with 3D matrices with positive determinants preserve orientation.

Hits with 3D matrices with negative determinants reverse orientation

□T.3.a.i) Saying that A is a 3D matrix with a positive determinant

is the same as saying that hits with A preserve orientation in the sense that

$$\text{vector}[1].(\text{vector}[2] \times \text{vector}[3]) \text{ and } (A.\text{vector}[1]).(A.\text{vector}[2] \times A.\text{vector}[3])$$

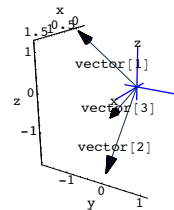
have the same sign

Here is a 3D matrix A with a positive determinant

```
A = {
  -1.2 -0.7 -1.7
  -1.8 -1.1 -0.3
  -1.4 0.6 -1.4
};
Det[A]
3.86
```

Here are three vectors in 3D:

```
Clear[vector];
vector[1] = {0, -1.7, 1.2};
vector[2] = {1.3, -0.1, -1.8};
vector[3] = {1.6, 0.2, -0.2};
Show[Table[
  Arrow[vector[k],
    Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Indigo], {k, 1, 3}],
Graphics3D[Text["vector[1]", 0.4 vector[1]]],
Graphics3D[Text["vector[2]", 0.7 vector[2]]],
Graphics3D[Text["vector[3]", 0.7 vector[3]]],
Axes3D[1, 0.1],
PlotRange -> All,
Boxed -> False,
Axes -> True, ViewPoint -> CMView, AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}];
```



Check the orientation of {vector[1],vector[2],vector[3]} by calculating  $\text{vector}[1].(\text{vector}[2] \times \text{vector}[3])$ :

```
vector[1].Cross[vector[2], vector[3]]
4.958
```

{vector[1],vector[2],vector[3]} are positively oriented.

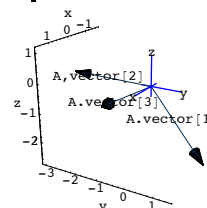
Now check the orientation of {A.vector[1],A.vector[2],A.vector[3]} by calculating  $(A.\text{vector}[1]).((A.\text{vector}[2]) \times (A.\text{vector}[3]))$ :

```
(A.vector[1]).Cross[A.vector[2], A.vector[3]]
19.1379
```

{A.vector[1],A.vector[2],A.vector[3]} are also positively oriented.

See them:

```
Show[Table[
  Arrow[A.vector[k], Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Indigo],
  {k, 1, 3}],
Graphics3D[Text["A.vector[1]", 0.4 A.vector[1]]],
Graphics3D[Text["A.vector[2]", 0.7 A.vector[2]]],
Graphics3D[Text["A.vector[3]", 0.7 A.vector[3]]],
Axes3D[1, 0.1],
PlotRange -> All,
Boxed -> False,
Axes -> True, ViewPoint -> CMView, AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}];
```



Explain this:

Saying that A is a 3D matrix with a positive determinant is the same as saying that hits



with A preserve orientation in the sense that  $\text{vector}[1].(\text{vector}[2] \times \text{vector}[3])$  and  $(A.\text{vector}[1]).((A.\text{vector}[2]) \times (A.\text{vector}[3]))$  have the same sign (positive or negative) no matter what choices you make of  $\text{vector}[1], \text{vector}[2]$  and  $\text{vector}[3]$ .

□ Answer:

Make a new matrix

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} \text{vector}[1] & \text{vector}[2] & \text{vector}[3] \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \\ & & \text{vector}[j] \text{ is in column}[j] \text{ of } B \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$\text{The product } A.B = \begin{pmatrix} A.\text{vector}[1] & A.\text{vector}[2] & A.\text{vector}[3] \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \end{pmatrix}.$$

On one hand,

$$\text{Det}[A.B] = \text{col}[1].(\text{col}[2] \times \text{col}[3]) = A.\text{vector}[1].(A.\text{vector}[2] \times A.\text{vector}[3]).$$

On the other hand,

$$\text{Det}[A.B] = \text{Det}[A] \text{Det}[B] = \text{Det}[A] (\text{vector}[1].(\text{vector}[2] \times \text{vector}[3])).$$

So

$$A.\text{vector}[1].(A.\text{vector}[2] \times A.\text{vector}[3]) = \text{Det}[A] (\text{vector}[1].(\text{vector}[2] \times \text{vector}[3])).$$

So saying that hits with A preserve orientation in the sense that

$\text{vector}[1].(\text{vector}[2] \times \text{vector}[3])$  and  $(A.\text{vector}[1]).((A.\text{vector}[2]) \times (A.\text{vector}[3]))$  have the same sign

is the same as saying that

$$\text{Det}[A] > 0.$$

□ T.3.a.ii) Saying that A is a 3D matrix with a negative determinant

is the same as saying that hits with A reverse orientation in the sense that

$$\text{vector}[1].(\text{vector}[2] \times \text{vector}[3]) \text{ and } (A.\text{vector}[1]).((A.\text{vector}[2]) \times (A.\text{vector}[3]))$$

have the opposite signs

Explain this:

Saying that A is a 3D matrix with a negative determinant is the same as saying that hits with A reverse orientation in the sense that

$$\text{vector}[1].(\text{vector}[2] \times \text{vector}[3]) \text{ and } (A.\text{vector}[1]).((A.\text{vector}[2]) \times (A.\text{vector}[3]))$$

have opposite signs no matter what choices you make of  $\text{vector}[1], \text{vector}[2]$  and  $\text{vector}[3]$ .

□ Answer:

Make a new matrix

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} \text{vector}[1] & \text{vector}[2] & \text{vector}[3] \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \\ & & \text{vector}[j] \text{ is in column}[j] \text{ of } B \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$\text{The product } A.B = \begin{pmatrix} A.\text{vector}[1] & A.\text{vector}[2] & A.\text{vector}[3] \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \end{pmatrix}.$$

On one hand,

$$\text{Det}[A.B] = \text{col}[1].(\text{col}[2] \times \text{col}[3]) = A.\text{vector}[1].(A.\text{vector}[2] \times A.\text{vector}[3]).$$

On the other hand,

$$\text{Det}[A.B] = \text{Det}[A] \text{Det}[B] = \text{Det}[A] (\text{vector}[1].(\text{vector}[2] \times \text{vector}[3])).$$

So

$$A.\text{vector}[1].(A.\text{vector}[2] \times A.\text{vector}[3]) = \text{Det}[A] (\text{vector}[1].(\text{vector}[2] \times \text{vector}[3])).$$

So saying that hits with A reverse orientation in the sense that

$\text{vector}[1].(\text{vector}[2] \times \text{vector}[3])$  and  $(A.\text{vector}[1]).((A.\text{vector}[2]) \times (A.\text{vector}[3]))$  have the opposite signs

is the same as saying that

$$\text{Det}[A] < 0.$$

## T.6) Matrices that hit on 2D and hang in 3D.

### Matrices that hit on 3D and hang in 2D

□ T.6.a.i) Matrices that hit on 2D and hang in 3D

Here's a new kind of matrix:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2. & -0.4 \\ 1.3 & 1.8 \\ -0.9 & 1.2 \end{pmatrix};$$

MatrixForm[A]

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2. & -0.4 \\ 1.3 & 1.8 \\ -0.9 & 1.2 \end{pmatrix}$$

When you hit this matrix on a 2D Point {x,y}, you get a 3D point:

```
Clear[x, y];
A.{x, y}
{2. x - 0.4 y, 1.3 x + 1.8 y, -0.9 x + 1.2 y}
```

Note the three slots in A.{x,y}.

Watch this matrix hit the 2D unit circle and hang the unit circle in 3D:

```
Clear[x, y, t, hitplotter,
hitpointplotter, pointcolor, actionarrows, matrix2D];
{tlow, thigh} = {0, 2 π};
ranger = Max[1.2, Max[SingularValues[A][[2]]]];

{x[t_], y[t_]} = {Cos[t], Sin[t]};

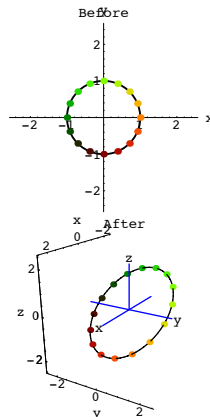
pointcolor[t_] = RGBColor[0.5 (Cos[t] + 1), 0.5 (Sin[t] + 1), 0];
jump = (thigh - tlow) / 16;

twoDcircleplot = ParametricPlot[{x[t], y[t]},
{t, tlow, thigh}, PlotStyle -> {{Thickness[0.01]}},
PlotRange -> {{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
AxesLabel -> {"x", "y"}, DisplayFunction -> Identity];
twoDpointplot = Table[Graphics[{pointcolor[t], PointSize[0.035],
Point[{x[t], y[t]}]}], {t, tlow, thigh - jump, jump}];

before = Show[twoDcircleplot, twoDpointplot,
PlotLabel -> "Before", DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```

```
threeDhitplot = ParametricPlot3D[A.{x[t], y[t]},
{t, tlow, thigh}, PlotRange ->
{{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"}, DisplayFunction -> Identity];
threeDhitpointplot = Table[Graphics3D[
{pointcolor[t], PointSize[0.035], Point[A.{x[t], y[t]}]}],
{t, tlow, thigh - jump, jump}];

after = Show[threeDhitplot, threeDhitpointplot,
ThreeAxes[2], PlotLabel -> "After", ViewPoint -> CMView,
Boxed -> False, DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];
```



When you hit the 2D unit circle with A you get an ellipse centered on {0,0,0} sitting on a plane in 3D.

How do you frame up this ellipse?

□ Answer:

You do exactly the same thing you do for 2D matrices:

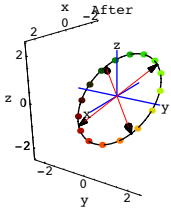
```
Clear[alignerframe, hangerframe, k];
{alignerframe[1], alignerframe[2]} = SingularValues[A][[3]];
{xstretch, ystretch} = SingularValues[A][[2]];
{hangerframe[1], hangerframe[2]} = SingularValues[A][[1]];

frameup = Show[after,
Arrow[xstretch hangerframe[1], Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red],
Arrow[-xstretch hangerframe[1],
Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red],
```

```

Arrow[ystretch hangerframe[2], Tail -> {0, 0, 0},
VectorColor -> Red],
Arrow[-ystretch hangerframe[2],
Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red]];

```



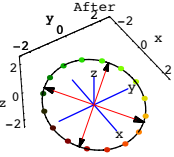
There you go.

See the ellipse from a view point perpendicular to the plane determined by the ellipse:

```

planenormal = Cross[hangerframe[1], hangerframe[2]];
Show[frameup, ViewPoint -> 10 planenormal, Boxed -> False];

```



Just like 2D.

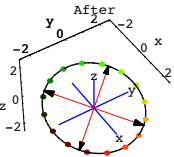
#### □T.6.a.ii) Measuring the planar area enclosed by the ellipse

Take another look at the ellipse from part i)

```

Show[frameup, ViewPoint -> 10 planenormal, Boxed -> False];

```



Measure the planar area enclosed by this ellipse.

□ Answer:

Remember that you got this ellipse by hitting the unit circle with A.

The planar area enclosed by this ellipse measures out (in square units) to

```

circlearea = π;
ellipsearea = xstretch ystretch circlearea
17.5616

```

Again just like 2D.

#### □T.6.a.iii) Would the determinant help?

Could you have used the determinant of A to help in measuring the area enclosed by the ellipse?

□ Answer:

Try it and see:

```

Det[A]
Det::matsq:
Argument {{2., -0.4}, {1.3, 1.8}, {-0.9, 1.2}} at position 1 is not a square matrix.
Det[{{2., -0.4}, {1.3, 1.8}, {-0.9, 1.2}}]

```

Useless.

Reason: The determinant of a matrix that hits on 2D and hangs in 3D is not defined.

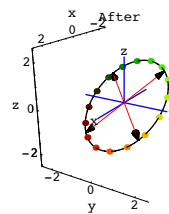
#### □T.6.a.iv) Another way of framing the ellipse

Take another look at the frame up of the ellipse in part i):

```

Show[after,
Arrow[xstretch hangerframe[1],
Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red],
Arrow[-xstretch hangerframe[1], Tail -> {0, 0, 0},
VectorColor -> Red],
Arrow[ystretch hangerframe[2], Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red],
Arrow[-ystretch hangerframe[2],
Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red]];

```

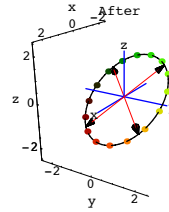


Now look at this:

```

Show[after,
Arrow[A.alignerframe[1], Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red],
Arrow[-A.alignerframe[1], Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red],
Arrow[A.alignerframe[2], Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red],
Arrow[-A.alignerframe[2], Tail -> {0, 0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red]];

```



Exactly the same thing.

Explain why this was guaranteed to happen.

□ Answer:

In the first plot, the plotted frame ups are

xstretch hangerframe[1]

and

ystretch hangerframe[2]

and their negatives.

In the second plot, the plotted frame ups are

A.alignerframe[1]

and

A.alignerframe[2]

and their negatives.

The plots are the same because, just as in 2D, SVD analysis guarantees that

A.alignerframe[1] = xstretch hangerframe[1]

and

A.alignerframe[2] = ystretch hangerframe[2];

```

A.alignerframe[1] == xstretch hangerframe[1]

```

```

A.alignerframe[2] == ystretch hangerframe[2]

```

True

True

#### □T.6.a.v) The rank of A is 2

Stay with the same matrix A as in the earlier parts and say why the rank of A is 2.

□ Answer:

The rank of a matrix is the number of dimensions that matrix uses to hang its hits.

When the above matrix A is hit on all of on all of 2D, it hangs its hits on the two dimensional plane (within 3D) defined by hangerframe[1] and hangerframe[2].

That's why the rank of A is 2.

#### □T.6.b.i) Matrices that hit on 3D and hang in 2D

Here's another new kind of matrix:

```

A = ( 2 -0.4 1.2
      1.3 1.8 -0.9 );
MatrixForm[A]

```

```

( 2 -0.4 1.2
  1.3 1.8 -0.9 )

```

When you hit this matrix on a 3D Point {x,y,z}, you get a 2D point:

```

Clear[x, y, z];
A.{x, y, z}
{2 x - 0.4 y + 1.2 z, 1.3 x + 1.8 y - 0.9 z}

```

Note the two slots in A.{x,y,z}.

Watch this matrix hit points on the 3D unit sphere and hang its hits in 2D:

```

Clear[x, y, z, s, t, pointcolor];
{x[s_, t_], y[s_, t_], z[s_, t_]} =
{Sin[s] Cos[t], Sin[s] Sin[t], Cos[s]};

```

```

{slow, shigh} = {0, π};

```

```

{tlow, thigh} = {0, 2 π};

```

```

ranger = 3.5;

```

```

sjump = (shigh - slow) / 15;

```

```

tjump = (thigh - tlow) / 15;

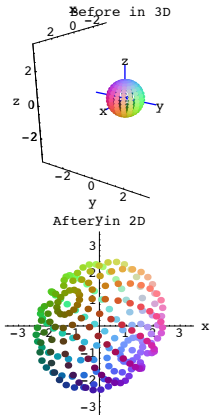
pointcolor[s_, t_] =
  RGBColor[0.5 (x[s, t] + 1), 0.5 (y[s, t] + 1), 0.5 (z[s, t] + 1)];
threeDpointplot = Table[Graphics3D[{pointcolor[s, t],
  PointSize[0.025], Point[{x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]}]}],
  {s, slow, shigh - sjump, sjump}, {t, tlow, thigh - tjump, tjump}];

pointsbefore = Show[threeDpointplot,
  ThreeAxes[2], PlotLabel -> "Before in 3D", PlotRange ->
  {{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
  Axes -> True, Boxed -> False, AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"},
  ViewPoint -> CMView, DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];

twoDhitpointplot =
  Table[Graphics[{pointcolor[s, t], PointSize[0.035],
  Point[A.x[s, t], y[s, t], z[s, t]}]}],
  {s, slow, shigh - sjump, sjump}, {t, tlow, thigh - tjump, tjump}];

pointsafter = Show[twoDhitpointplot,
  PlotRange -> {{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
  Axes -> True, AxesLabel -> {"x", "y"}, PlotLabel -> "After in 2D",
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];

```



After the hit, the points on the 3D unit sphere seems to have been deposited on and inside an ellipse in 2D. Try to identify and plot this ellipse.

```

threeDcircle = ParametricPlot3D[threeDcircleplotter[t],
  {t, tlow, thigh}, DisplayFunction -> Identity];

pointcolor[t_] = RGBColor[0.5 (Cos[t] + 1), 0.5 (Sin[t] + 1), 0];
tjump = π / 8;

threeDcirclepoints =
  Table[Graphics3D[{pointcolor[t], PointSize[0.025], Point[
  threeDcircleplotter[t]}]}, {t, tlow, thigh - tjump, tjump}];

beforehit =
  Show[threeDcircle, threeDcirclepoints, ThreeAxes[1.5], PlotRange ->
  {{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
  Axes -> True, Boxed -> False, AxesLabel -> {"x", "y", "z"},
  PlotLabel -> "Before", ViewPoint -> CMView,
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];

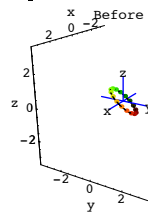
hitthreeDcircle =
  ParametricPlot[A.threeDcircleplotter[t], {t, tlow, thigh},
  PlotStyle -> {{Thickness[0.01]}}, DisplayFunction -> Identity];

hitthreeDcirclepoints =
  Table[Graphics[{pointcolor[t], PointSize[0.03], Point[
  A.threeDcircleplotter[t]}]}, {t, tlow, thigh - tjump, tjump}];

afterhit = Show[hitthreeDcircle, hitthreeDcirclepoints,
  PlotRange -> {{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
  PlotLabel -> "Hit circle", AxesLabel -> {"x", "y"},
  DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];

Show[afterhit, pointsafter,
  PlotLabel -> "Hit circle and hit sphere points"];

```



□ Answer:

Do the same thing you do for 2D matrices that are of rank 2

```

Clear[alignerframe, hangerframe, k];
{alignerframe[1], alignerframe[2]} = SingularValues[A][[3]];
aligner = {alignerframe[1], alignerframe[2]};

MatrixForm[aligner]

( 0.907798  0.415401  0.0578371 )
( 0.270294 -0.6849   0.676649 )

{xstretch, ystretch} = SingularValues[A][[2]];
stretcher = DiagonalMatrix[{xstretch, ystretch}];

MatrixForm[stretcher]

( 2.54422  0 )
( 0        2.20611 )

{hangerframe[1], hangerframe[2]} = SingularValues[A][[1]];
hanger = Transpose[{hangerframe[1], hangerframe[2]}];

MatrixForm[hanger]

( 0.675586  0.737281 )
( 0.737281 -0.675586 )

```

Check:

```

MatrixForm[hanger.stretcher.aligner]
MatrixForm[A]

( 2.  -0.4  1.2 )
( 1.3  1.8  -0.9 )

( 2  -0.4  1.2 )
( 1.3  1.8  -0.9 )

```

This checks

The ellipse you are after comes from hitting the two dimensional planar unit circle (within 3D) defined by alignerframe[1] and alignerframe[2] with A.

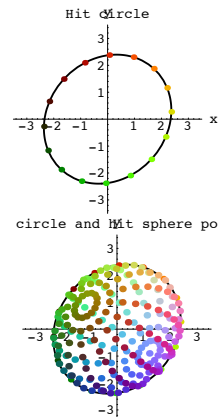
See it happen:

```

Clear[threeDcircleplotter, t];
threeDcircleplotter[t_] =
  Cos[t] alignerframe[1] + Sin[t] alignerframe[2];

{tlow, thigh} = {0, 2 π};

```



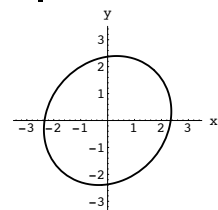
There you go.

When you hit the 3D unit sphere with A, you get everything inside and on this ellipse:

```

ellipseplot = Show[hitthreeDcircle,
  PlotRange -> {{-ranger, ranger}, {-ranger, ranger}},
  AxesLabel -> {"x", "y"}, DisplayFunction -> $DisplayFunction];

```



A parametric formula for this ellipse is:

```

Expand[A.threeDcircleplotter[t]]
{1.71884 Cos[t] + 1.62653 Sin[t], 1.87581 Cos[t] - 1.49042 Sin[t]}

```

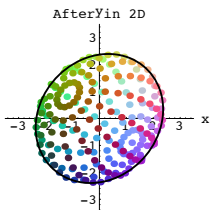
□ T.6.b.ii) Framing up the ellipse

Take another look at the ellipse in part i):

```

Show[pointsafter, ellipseplot];

```

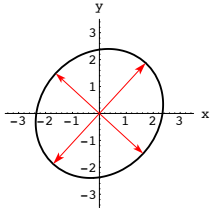


Frame up this ellipse.

□ Answer:

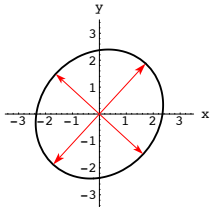
You've got two choices which end up being the same:

```
frameup = Show[ellipseplot,
  Arrow[xstretch hangerframe[1], Tail -> {0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red],
  Arrow[-xstretch hangerframe[1], Tail -> {0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red],
  Arrow[ystretch hangerframe[2], Tail -> {0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red],
  Arrow[-ystretch hangerframe[2], Tail -> {0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red];
```



Or:

```
Show[ellipseplot,
  Arrow[A.alignerframe[1], Tail -> {0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red],
  Arrow[-A.alignerframe[1], Tail -> {0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red],
  Arrow[A.alignerframe[2], Tail -> {0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red],
  Arrow[-A.alignerframe[2], Tail -> {0, 0}, VectorColor -> Red];
```



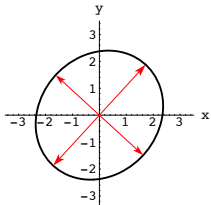
They are the same because SVD analysis always guarantees:

```
A.alignerframe[1] == xstretch hangerframe[1]
A.alignerframe[2] == ystretch hangerframe[2]
True
True
```

□ T.6.b.iii) Measuring the area enclosed by the ellipse

Take another look at the framed ellipse in part ii):

```
Show[frameup];
```



Measure the area enclosed by this ellipse.

□ Answer:

The area enclosed by the ellipse measures out to:

```
xstretch ystretch π
17.6333
```

Another way of seeing this is to take the parametric formula for the ellipse:

```
Expand[A.threeDCircleplotter[t]]
{1.71884 Cos[t] + 1.62653 Sin[t], 1.87581 Cos[t] - 1.49042 Sin[t]}
```

Put:

```
B = { 1.71884 -1.62653
      1.87581  1.49042 };
MatrixForm[B]
```

```
( 1.71884 -1.62653
  1.87581  1.49042 )
```

Note that the ellipse is also parameterized by:

```
B.{Cos[t], Sin[t]}
{1.71884 Cos[t] - 1.62653 Sin[t], 1.87581 Cos[t] + 1.49042 Sin[t]}
```

Knowing what you do about 2D matrices, you find quickly that the area enclosed by the ellipse measures out to:

```
Abs[Det[B]] π
17.6333
```

□ T.6.b.iv) Would the determinant help?

Could you have used the determinant of A to help in measuring the area enclosed by the ellipse?

□ Answer:

Try it and see:

```
Det[A]
Det::matsq: Argument {{2, -0.4, 1.2}, {1.3, 1.8, -0.9}} at position 1 is not a square matrix.
Det[{{2, -0.4, 1.2}, {1.3, 1.8, -0.9}}]
```

Useless.

Reason: The determinant of a matrix that hits on 3D and hangs in 2D is not defined.

□ T.6.b.v) The rank of A is 2

Stay with the same matrix A as in the earlier parts and say why the rank of A is 2.

□ Answer:

The rank of a matrix is the number of dimensions that matrix uses to hang its hits. When the above matrix A is hit on all of on all of 3D, it hangs its hits on all of 2D. That's why the rank of A is 2.