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Level 2 Further Maths

Matrix Transformations



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Guidance

1. Read each question carefully before you begin answering it.
2. Check your answers seem right.
3. Always show your workings

Revision for this topic

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1. Find where the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 5 & -2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ maps the point $(-3, 1)$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 5 & -2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -17 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underline{\underline{(-17, 6)}}$$

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2. Find where the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 4 \\ 2 & -8 \end{pmatrix}$ maps the point $(2, -1)$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 4 \\ 2 & -8 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 12 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underline{\underline{(-4, 12)}}$$

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3. The transformation matrix $\begin{pmatrix} b & -2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ maps the point $(5, 1)$ onto the point $(16, c)$

$$\begin{pmatrix} b & -2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5b-2 \\ -5+3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$5b - 2 = 16$$

$$5b = 18$$

$$b = 3.6$$

$$b = \underline{\underline{3.6}} \quad c = \underline{\underline{-2}}$$

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4. The transformation matrix **M** is $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & a \\ -4 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

The image of the point $(b, 3)$ under **M** is $(14, -5)$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & a \\ -4 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} b \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} b+3a \\ -4b+3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3a + b &= 14 \\ 3a + 2 &= 14 \\ 3a &= 12 \\ a &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} -4b + 3 &= -5 \\ -4b &= -8 \\ b &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$a = 4 \quad b = 2$$

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5. The matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & x \\ 6 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$ maps the point $(y, 4)$ onto the point $(-14, 24)$

Find the values of x and y

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & x \\ 6 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} y \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3y+4x \\ 6y-12 \end{pmatrix}$$

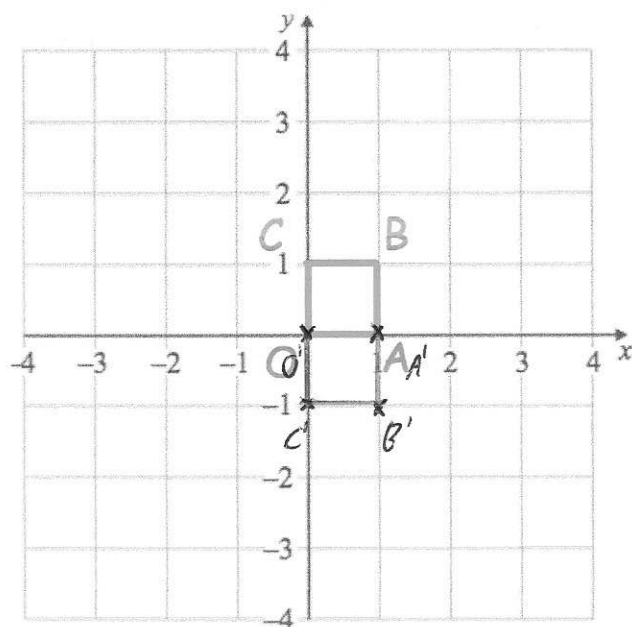
$$\begin{aligned} 6y - 12 &= 24 \\ 6y &= 36 \\ y &= 6 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 18 + 4x &= -14 \\ 4x &= -32 \\ x &= -8 \end{aligned}$$

$$x = -8 \quad y = 6$$

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6. The diagram shows the unit square OABC



OABC is transformed by the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ to give OA'B'C'

- (a) Draw and label OA'B'C'

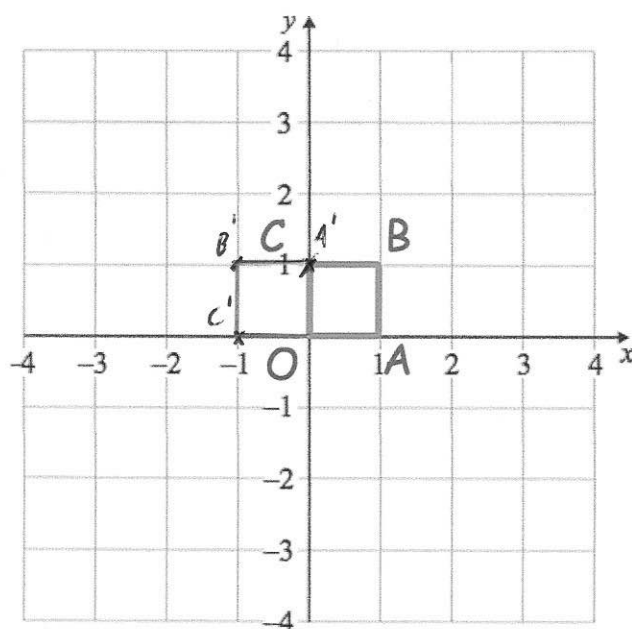
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- (b) Describe the transformation fully.

Reflection in the x-axis

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7. The diagram shows the unit square OABC



OABC is transformed by the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ to give OA'B'C'

- (a) Draw and label OA'B'C'

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- (b) Describe the transformation fully.

90° rotation anticlockwise about (0,0)

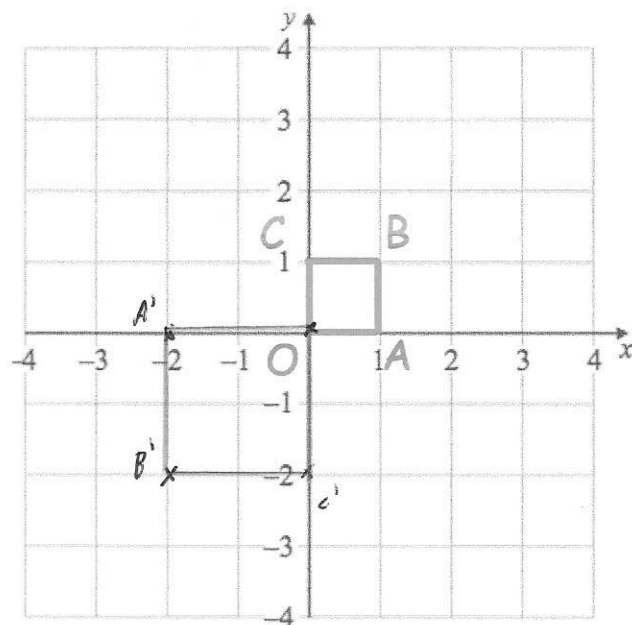
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8. The diagram shows the unit square OABC



OABC is transformed by the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix}$ to give OA'B'C'

- (a) Draw and label OA'B'C'

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- (b) Describe the transformation fully.

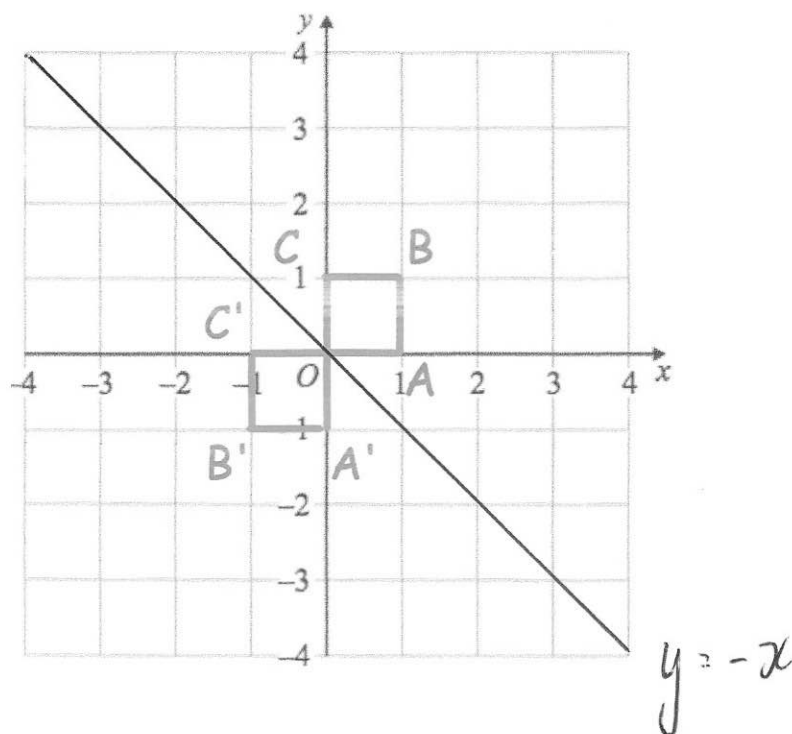
Enlargement with scale factor -2 , centre $(0,0)$

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9. The unit square OABC has vertices

$$O(0, 0) \quad A(1, 0) \quad B(1, 1) \quad C(0, 1)$$

OABC is mapped to OA'B'C' under transformation matrix **M**



Work out matrix **M**

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

$$a = 0$$

$$c = -1$$

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

$$b = -1$$

$$d = 0$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad (3)$$

10. The point $(4, a)$ is invariant when transformed by the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} -5 & -2 \\ 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

Find the value of a

$$\begin{pmatrix} -5 & -2 \\ 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ a \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -20 - 2a \\ 12 + 2a \end{pmatrix}$$

$$-20 - 2a = 4$$

$$12 + 2a$$

$$-24 = 2a$$

$$12 + (-24) = -12$$

$$a = -12$$

$$a = \underline{\underline{-12}} \quad (4)$$

11. The transformation matrix $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ -a & 2b \end{pmatrix}$ maps the point $(2, -4)$ onto the point $(10, 40)$

Find the values of a and b

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ -a & 2b \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2a - 4b \\ -2a - 8b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$2a - 4b = 10$$

$$2a - (-16\frac{2}{3}) = 10$$

$$-2a - 8b = 40$$

$$2a = -6\frac{2}{3}$$

add

$$\underline{-12b = 50}$$

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

$$b = -4\frac{1}{6}$$

$$a = \underline{\underline{-3\frac{1}{3}}} \quad b = \underline{\underline{-4\frac{1}{6}}} \quad (5)$$

12. The transformation matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 3a & 4b \\ b & a \end{pmatrix}$ maps the point $(1, -2)$ onto the point $(-2, -1)$

Find the values of a and b

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3a & 4b \\ b & a \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3a - 8b \\ b - 2a \end{pmatrix}$$

$$3a - 8b = -2$$

$$-16a + 8b = -8$$

$$-13a = -10$$

$$a = \frac{10}{13}$$

$$\begin{matrix} \swarrow \times 8 \\ b - 2a = -1 \end{matrix}$$

$$b = \frac{7}{13}$$

$$a = \frac{10}{13}$$

$$b = \frac{7}{13}$$

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13. The transformation matrix $\begin{pmatrix} -a & 2b \\ -8b & 3a \end{pmatrix}$ maps the point $(-1, -2)$ onto the point $(-12, 32)$

Find the values of a and b

$$\begin{pmatrix} -a & 2b \\ -8b & 3a \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a - 4b \\ 8b - 6a \end{pmatrix}$$

$$a - 4b = -12$$

$$8b - 6a = 32$$

$$6a - 24b = -72$$

$$\begin{matrix} \text{add} \\ 8b - 6a = 32 \end{matrix}$$

$$-16b = -40$$

$$b = 2.5$$

$$20 - 6a = 32$$

$$-6a = 12$$

$$a = -2$$

$$a = -2$$

$$b = 2.5$$

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14. Work out the matrix that transforms the unit square by a 90° anticlockwise rotation about O

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

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15. Work out the matrix that transforms the unit square by a 180° rotation about O .

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

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16. Work out the matrix that transforms the unit square by a reflection in the y-axis.

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

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17. Work out the matrix that transforms the unit square by a reflection in line $y = x$

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

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18. Describe fully the **single** transformation represented by $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

A rotation of 90° clockwise about the origin.

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19. Describe fully the **single** transformation represented by $\begin{pmatrix} 5 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$

Enlargement of scale factor 5, centre (0,0)

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20. The transformation matrix $\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ maps point P to point Q.

The transformation matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ maps point Q to point R.

Point P is $(-3, 2)$.

Work out the coordinates of point R.

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$(-2, -3)$

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21. The transformation matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ maps point P to point Q.

The transformation matrix $\begin{pmatrix} -3 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$ maps point Q to point R.

Point R is $(-6, -15)$.

Work out the coordinates of point P. (x, y)

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

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

$$\begin{array}{lcl} -3y = -6 & -3x = -15 & \text{.....} \end{array}$$
$$\begin{array}{lcl} y = 2 & x = 5 & \text{.....} \end{array}$$

$(5, 2)$

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22. The unit square OABC is transformed by a reflection in the y-axis followed by enlargement scale factor 3, centre the origin.

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

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

What is the matrix of the combined transformation?

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

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23. Here are two transformation:

A: A rotation of 180° $\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$

B: A reflection in the x-axis $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$

Work out the single matrix which represents the combined transformation A followed by B.

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

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

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24. The transformation matrix **M** represents a 270° clockwise rotation about the origin.

(a) Write down matrix **M**

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

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(b) Describe fully the **single** transformation represented by **M**³

90° clockwise rotation about the origin

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(c) Write down the matrix for the **single** transformation represented by **M**³

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

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25. The unit square is transformed by matrix **Q** followed by matrix **R** followed by the matrix **S**

This is equivalent to transforming the unit square by the identity matrix.

Matrix **R** represents a rotation.

Matrices **Q** and **S** represent reflections.

Write down three possible matrices for **Q**, **R** and **S**

Possible solution:

Q - reflection in the y -axis

R - rotation 180° about O .

S - reflection in the x -axis

$$\mathbf{Q} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{R} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{S} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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