



Lecture 8: Matrices

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$$Tv_k = A_{1,k}w_1 + \dots + A_{m,k}w_m.$$

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We will **choose** to define matrix multiplication so that this is true.

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$$\begin{aligned}(ST)u_k &= S\left(\sum_{r=1}^n C_{r,k}v_r\right) && \text{use def'n matrix of map} \\ &= \sum_{r=1}^n C_{r,k}Sv_r && \text{using linearity} \\ &= \sum_{r=1}^n C_{r,k} \sum_{j=1}^m A_{j,r}v_r && \text{use def'n matrix of map} \\ &= \sum_{r=j}^m \left(\sum_{r=1}^n A_{j,r}C_{r,k}\right)w_j && \text{rearranging the sums}\end{aligned}$$

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Let $c = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ \vdots \\ c_n \end{pmatrix}$. Then

$$Ac = c_1 A_{.,1} + \dots + c_n A_{.,n}.$$

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