

(d) Length invariance: Show that $\|R_\alpha x\| = \|x\|$. (Skip $\|R_\alpha y\| = \|y\|$).

$$1) \|x\| = \sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2} = \sqrt{1+1} = \sqrt{2}$$

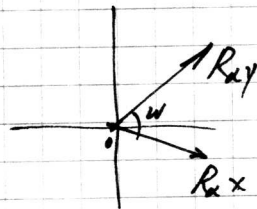
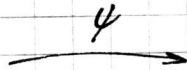
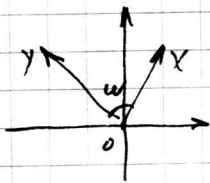
$$2) \|R_\alpha x\| = \left\| \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \alpha & -\sin \alpha \\ 0 & \sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\| = \left\| \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -\sin \alpha \\ \cos \alpha \end{pmatrix} \right\| = \sqrt{1 + \sin^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \alpha} = \sqrt{2}.$$

Thus the rotation map (represented by R_α) keeps the length of x invariant.

For general case see lecture notes, page 23.

Angle invariance: Show that $\langle x, y \rangle = \langle R_\alpha x, R_\alpha y \rangle$.

$$\cos w = \frac{\langle x, y \rangle}{\|x\| \|y\|} \stackrel{!}{=} \frac{\langle R_\alpha x, R_\alpha y \rangle}{\|R_\alpha x\| \|R_\alpha y\|} \cdot \|x\| \|y\|$$



$$\langle x, y \rangle = \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle = \underline{\underline{1}} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle R_\alpha x, R_\alpha y \rangle &= \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \alpha & -\sin \alpha \\ 0 & \sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \alpha & -\sin \alpha \\ 0 & \sin \alpha & \cos \alpha \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle = \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -\sin \alpha \\ \cos \alpha \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -\cos \alpha \\ -\sin \alpha \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle = \\ &= 1 + \underbrace{\sin \alpha \cos \alpha}_{=0} - \sin \alpha \cdot \cos \alpha = \underline{\underline{1}} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

So this mapping keeps the angle of intersection between x and y invariant.
