

## Série 9

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### 1 Isometries lineaires

**Exercice 1.** Pour chacune des matrices suivantes determiner si elles sont orthogonales et calculer leur determinant.

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{9} \begin{pmatrix} 8 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 8 & -4 \\ 4 & -4 & -7 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \frac{1}{9} \begin{pmatrix} 8 & 1 & -4 \\ 1 & 8 & -4 \\ 4 & -4 & -7 \end{pmatrix}, \\ & \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} -2 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 \\ -2 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \frac{1}{25} \begin{pmatrix} -9 & -12 & -20 \\ -20 & 15 & 0 \\ -12 & -16 & 15 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

**Preuve:** Denote the matrices by  $A$ .

1. For the first matrix, one can see that  ${}^tAA = A^tA = \text{Id}$ , so it is an orthogonal matrix. Moreover  $\det(A) = -1$ , so it is a symmetric matrix.
2. For the second matrix, it is NOT an orthogonal matrix.
3. The third matrix is an orthogonal matrix and moreover  $\det(A) = 1$ .
4. The fourth matrix is an orthogonal matrix and  $\det(A) = -1$ .

**Exercice 2.**

**Exercice 3.** Soit  $\varphi$  une isometrie et  $M = (x_{ij})_{i,j \leq n}$  sa matrice associee dans la base canonique. On rappelle que la trace de  $M$  est la somme des coefficient diagonaux

$$\text{tr}(M) = \sum_{i=1}^n x_{ii}.$$

1. Montrer que

$$\sum_{i,j \leq n} |x_{ij}|^2 = n$$

(utiliser le fait que  $M$  est orthogonale).

2. En deduire (utiliser Cauchy-Schwarz) que  $|\text{tr}(M)| \leq n$ .
3. Montrer que si  $|\text{tr}(M)| = n$  alors  $M = \pm \text{Id}_n$ .

**Preuve:**

1. Since  $M$  is an orthogonal matrix, we know each row vector of  $M$  is of norm 1 : for each  $1 \leq i \leq n$ ,  $\sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^n |x_{ij}|^2} = 1$ . That is,  $\sum_{j=1}^n |x_{ij}|^2 = 1$ , for  $1 \leq i \leq n$ . Then, we sum over  $1 \leq i \leq n$  to get  $\sum_{i,j \leq n} |x_{ij}|^2 = n$ .
2. By Cauchy-Schwarz inequality, we have

$$|\text{tr}(M)| = \left| \sum_{i=1}^n x_{ii} \right| \leq \left( \sum_{i=1}^n |x_{ii}|^2 \right)^{1/2} \left( \sum_{i=1}^n 1 \right)^{1/2} \leq \left( \sum_{i,j \leq n} |x_{ij}|^2 \right)^{1/2} \times \sqrt{n} = n.$$

3. We first note that since  $\sum_{j=1}^n |x_{ij}|^2 = 1$ , we have  $|x_{ij}| \leq 1$ , for any  $1 \leq i, j \leq n$ . If  $|\text{tr}(M)| = n$ , then the inequalities in the proof of Part 2 should become equalities. In particular, for the second equality to hold, we must have  $x_{ij} = 0$  whenever  $i \neq j$ . Then  $M$  becomes a diagonal matrix  $\text{diag}(x_{11}, x_{22}, \dots, x_{nn})$ . By further noticing that  $|x_{ii}| \leq 1$  ( $1 \leq i \leq n$ ),  $|\text{tr}(M)| = n$  would imply  $x_{ii} = 1$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq n$ , or  $x_{ii} = -1$  for all  $1 \leq i \leq n$ . That is, we must have  $M = \text{Id}_n$  or  $M = -\text{Id}_n$ .

**Exercice 4.**

**Exercice 5.** Soit  $\mathbf{0} \neq \vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n$  un vecteur non-nul ; on rappelle que l'application

$$\varphi_{\vec{v}} : \vec{u} \in \mathbb{R}^n \mapsto \vec{u} - 2 \frac{\langle \vec{u}, \vec{v} \rangle}{\langle \vec{v}, \vec{v} \rangle} \vec{v}$$

est une isometrie : la symetrie par rapport a l'hyperplan  $\vec{v}^\perp$ .

1. Montrer que  $\vec{v}$  est un vecteur propre.
2. Montrer qu'il existe une base orthonormee formee uniquement de vecteurs propres de  $\varphi_{\vec{v}}$ , ie. une base orthonormee  $(\mathbf{e}_i)_{i \leq n}$  telle que

$$\varphi(\mathbf{e}_i) = \lambda_i \mathbf{e}_i$$

(ne pas chercher tres loin).

3. Montrer que  $\varphi$  est non speciale.

**Preuve:**

1.  $\varphi_{\vec{v}}(\vec{v}) = \vec{v} - 2 \frac{\langle \vec{v}, \vec{v} \rangle}{\langle \vec{v}, \vec{v} \rangle} \vec{v} = -\vec{v}$ . Therefore  $\vec{v}$  is an eigenvector of  $\varphi_{\vec{v}}$  with eigenvalue  $-1$ .

2. For any  $\vec{u} \in \vec{v}^\perp$ , we have  $\varphi_{\vec{v}}(\vec{u}) = \vec{u}$ . Then any  $\vec{u} \in \vec{v}^\perp$  is an eigenvector of  $\varphi_{\vec{v}}$  with eigenvalue 1. Let  $\{\vec{u}_1, \dots, \vec{u}_{n-1}\}$  be an orthonormal basis of  $\vec{v}^\perp$ . Then

$$\varphi_{\vec{v}} \left( \vec{u}_1, \dots, \vec{u}_{n-1}, \frac{\vec{v}}{\|\vec{v}\|} \right) = \left( \vec{u}_1, \dots, \vec{u}_{n-1}, \frac{\vec{v}}{\|\vec{v}\|} \right) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & 1 & \\ & & & -1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Then  $(\mathbf{e}_i)_{i \leq n} := \{\vec{u}_1, \dots, \vec{u}_{n-1}, \frac{\vec{v}}{\|\vec{v}\|}\}$  is an orthonormal basis satisfying the condition.

3. From part 2 we know that matrix  $M_\varphi$  corresponding to  $(\mathbf{e}_i)_{i \leq n}$  is of determinant  $-1$ . In particular  $\varphi$  is non-special.

**Exercice 6.**

## 2 Isometries de $\mathbb{R}^3$

**Exercice 7.** (Criteres matriciels pour reconnaître une isométrie de  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .) On connaît la forme de la matrice d'une isométrie  $\varphi$  dans une BO convenable, mais souvent ce dont on dispose c'est de la matrice  $M_{0,\varphi}$  de l'isométrie  $\varphi$  dans la base canonique. Dans cet exercice on explicite des critères donnant des indices sur la nature de  $\varphi$  à partir de la matrice  $M_{0,\varphi}$ .

1. Montrer que si  $\varphi$  est une rotation, sa trace appartient à l'intervalle  $[-1, 3]$ . Que dire si sa trace vaut 3 ? si elle vaut  $-1$  ?
2. Montrer que si  $\varphi$  est une anti-rotation, sa trace appartient à l'intervalle  $[-3, 1]$ . Que dire si sa trace vaut  $-3$  ? si elle vaut 1 ?
3. Que vaut  $\text{tr}(\varphi)$  si  $\varphi$  est une symétrie (par rapport à un plan).
4. Soit  $M = M_{0,\varphi}$  la matrice de  $\varphi$  dans la base canonique. Montrer que  $\varphi$  est l'identité ou bien une symétrie (par rapport à un plan, une droite ou encore à l'origine) si et seulement si  $M$  est une matrice symétrique : ie.

$${}^t M = M.$$

Pour cela on considérera la matrice de  $\varphi$  dans une base orthonormée convenable et on observera que la matrice de changement de base est elle aussi une matrice orthogonale.

5. Montrer que si  $\varphi$  est une symétrie, son type (identité, centrale, axiale, par rapport à un plan) est complètement déterminé par sa trace.

6. Montrer que si  $M$  est une rotation ou une anti-rotation (d'axe  $\mathbb{R}\mathbf{e}_1$  et d'angle  $c + is$  ou  $\theta$  radians) on a

$$c = \cos(\theta) = \frac{1}{2}(\text{tr}M - \det(M)).$$

Cette formule permet donc de determiner  $\pm\theta$  (mod  $2\pi$ ) ou si on parle en terme de nombre complexes de module 1 de determine l'angle a conjugaison complexe pres :  $c \pm is$ ).

**Preuve:**

1. Under the convenient orthonormal basis  $\mathcal{B} = \{\mathbf{e}_1, \mathbf{e}_2, \mathbf{e}_3\}$ , the matrix of  $\varphi$  is of the form

$$M_{\varphi, \mathcal{B}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c & -s \\ 0 & s & c \end{pmatrix},$$

where  $c = \cos(\theta)$  and  $s = \sin(\theta)$ . We know that the trace and determinant of  $\varphi$  do not depend on the choices of the bases (if  $\mathcal{B}$  and  $\mathcal{B}'$  are two bases and  $A$  is the base change matrix from  $M_{\varphi, \mathcal{B}}$  to  $M_{\varphi, \mathcal{B}'}$ , then  $M_{\varphi, \mathcal{B}'} = A \cdot M_{\varphi, \mathcal{B}} \cdot A^{-1}$  which would imply  $\text{tr}(M_{\varphi, \mathcal{B}'}) = \text{tr}(M_{\varphi, \mathcal{B}})$  and  $\det(M_{\varphi, \mathcal{B}'}) = \det(M_{\varphi, \mathcal{B}})$ ). Hence  $\text{tr}(\varphi) = \text{tr}(M_{\varphi, \mathcal{B}}) = 1 + 2\cos(\theta) \in [-3, 3]$ . If  $\theta = \pi$ , that is, if  $\varphi$  is an axial symmetry, then  $\text{tr}(\varphi) = 1 - 2 = -1$ . If  $\theta = 0$ , i.e.,  $\varphi = id$ , then  $\text{tr}(\varphi) = 3$ .

2. Under the convenient orthonormal basis  $\mathcal{B}$ , the matrix of  $\varphi$  is of the form

$$M_{\varphi, \mathcal{B}} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c & -s \\ 0 & s & c \end{pmatrix}, c = \cos(\theta), s = \sin(\theta).$$

Then  $\text{tr}(\varphi) = \text{tr}(M_{\varphi, \mathcal{B}}) = -1 + 2\cos(\theta) \in [-3, 1]$ .  $\text{tr}(\varphi) = -3$  if  $\cos(\theta) = -1$ , if  $\theta = \pi$  and  $\varphi$  is a point symmetry (symetrie centrale). If  $\text{tr}(\varphi) = 1$ , then  $\cos(\theta) = 1$  and  $\theta = 0$ , in which case  $\varphi$  is an orthogonal symmetry with respect to the plane  $\mathbb{R}\mathbf{e}_2 + \mathbb{R}\mathbf{e}_3$ .

3. Under an appropriate orthonormal basis, the matrix of  $\varphi$  is of the form

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

which implies that  $\text{tr}(\varphi) = \text{tr}(M) = 1$ .

4. The matrix of a plane symmetry in the convenient orthonormal basis  $\mathcal{B}$  is given by  $M_{\varphi, \mathcal{B}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ . Let  $A$  be the base change matrix from  $M_{\varphi, \mathcal{B}}$  to  $M_{0, \varphi}$ .

Then  $M_{0,\varphi} = A \cdot M_{\varphi,\mathcal{B}} \cdot A^{-1} = A \cdot M_{\varphi,\mathcal{B}} \cdot {}^t A$ , where  $A$  is an orthogonal matrix.  
Now

$${}^t M_{0,\varphi} = {}^t(A \cdot M_{\varphi,\mathcal{B}} \cdot {}^t A) = {}^t({}^t A) \cdot {}^t M_{\varphi,\mathcal{B}} \cdot {}^t A = A \cdot M_{\varphi,\mathcal{B}} \cdot {}^t A = M_{0,\varphi},$$

since  ${}^t M_{\varphi,\mathcal{B}} = M_{\varphi,\mathcal{B}}$ .

- 5. (a) If  $\varphi = id$  is the identity, then  $\text{tr}(\varphi) = \text{tr}\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = 3$ .
- (b) If  $\varphi$  is a point symmetry (symetrie centrale), then from Part 2, we know that  $\text{tr}(\varphi) = \text{tr}(M_{\varphi,\mathcal{B}}) = -1 = 2 \cos(\pi) = -3$  (with  $\theta = \pi$  there).
- (c) If  $\varphi$  is an axial symmetry, then from Part 1, we know that  $\text{tr}(\varphi) = \text{tr}(M_{\varphi,\mathcal{B}}) = 1 + 2 \cos(\pi) = -1$  (with  $\theta = \pi$  there).
- (d) If  $\varphi$  is a symmetry with respect to a plane, then from Part 3, we know that  $\text{tr}(\varphi) = \text{tr}(M) = 1$ .
- 6. If  $\varphi$  is a rotation, then from Part 1, we know that under the basis  $\mathcal{B}$ ,  $\text{tr}(\varphi) = 1 + 2 \cos(\theta)$  and  $\det(\varphi) = 1$ . Then  $\frac{1}{2}(\text{tr}(M_{\varphi,\mathcal{B}}) - \det(M_{\varphi,\mathcal{B}})) = \frac{1}{2}(1 + 2 \cos(\theta) - 1) = \cos(\theta)$ .  
Similarly, if  $\varphi$  is an anti-rotation, then from Part 2, we know that  $\text{tr}(M_{\varphi,\mathcal{B}}) = -1 + 2 \cos(\theta)$  and  $\det(M_{\varphi,\mathcal{B}}) = -1$ . Hence  $\frac{1}{2}(\text{tr}(M_{\varphi,\mathcal{B}}) - \det(M_{\varphi,\mathcal{B}})) = \frac{1}{2}(-1 + 2 \cos(\theta) + 1) = \cos(\theta)$ .

### Exercice 8.

**Exercice 9.** Soit  $\varphi$  et  $\psi$  deux isometries affines de parties lineaires  $\varphi_0$  et  $\psi_0$ .

- 1. Montrer que si  $\varphi$  est d'un certain type (translation, rotation, vissage, symetrie centrale, axiale, planaire, glissee, anti-rotation) alors la conjuguee

$$\varphi' = \text{Ad}(\psi)(\varphi) = \psi \circ \varphi \circ \psi^{-1}$$

est du meme type.

- 2. Montrer qu'en cas de rotation, anti-rotation ou vissage, l'angle est preserve au signe pres (si l'angle est le nombre complexe de module 1,  $z$  le nouvel angle sera  $z^{\pm 1}$ ; ou si l'angle est exprime en radians  $\theta \pmod{2\pi}$  le nouvel angle sera  $\pm\theta \pmod{2\pi}$ ). Calculer l'axe de  $\varphi'$  en fonction de  $\psi$  et de l'axe de  $\varphi$ .
- 3. En general, quels sont les points fixes de  $\varphi'$  en fonction de  $\psi$  et de ceux de  $\varphi$ .

### Preuve:

- Let us consider first the case  $\phi = t_u$  a translation. When  $\psi = t_v$  is another translation, it is easy to check that

$$\text{Ad}(\psi)(\phi) = t_v \circ t_u \circ t_v^{-1} = t_u \quad (2.1)$$

since translations commute which each other. When  $\psi = \psi_0$  is linear we have

$$\text{Ad}(\psi)(\phi) = \psi_0 \circ t_u \circ \psi_0^{-1} = t_{\psi_0(u)} \quad (2.2)$$

as one can see by checking what both members do to  $z \in \mathbb{R}^3$ . Therefore, writing  $\psi$  as a composition of a linear part  $\psi_0$  and a translation  $t_v$  one proves that

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ad}(\psi)(\phi) &= (\text{Ad}(t_v) \circ \text{Ad}(\psi_0))(t_u) = \text{Ad}(t_v)(\text{Ad}(\psi_0)(t_u)) \\ &= \text{Ad}(t_v)(t_{\psi_0(u)}) = t_{\psi_0(u)} \end{aligned}$$

which is another translation (we applied successively (2.2) and (2.1)).

Now assume  $\phi = \phi_0$  is linear and  $\psi = t_v \circ \psi_0$  as before. In this case

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ad}(\psi)(\phi) &= t_v \circ \psi_0 \phi_0 \psi_0^{-1} \circ t_{-v} = t_v \circ t_{-\psi_0 \phi_0 \psi_0^{-1}(v)} \circ \psi_0 \phi_0 \psi_0^{-1} \\ &= t_{v - \psi_0 \phi_0 \psi_0^{-1}(v)} \circ \psi_0 \phi_0 \psi_0^{-1} \end{aligned} \quad (2.3)$$

by (2.2) again.

Let us observe that the linear part  $\phi'_0 = \psi_0 \phi_0 \psi_0^{-1}$  gets conjugated by  $\psi_0$  (and therefore, has the same eigenvalues than  $\phi_0$ ) and there is a translation by a vector in the image of  $\text{Id} - \phi'_0$ .

In the general case  $\phi = t_v \circ t_w \circ \phi_0$  where  $v \in \ker(\text{Id} - \phi_0)$  and  $w \in \text{Im}(\text{Id} - \phi_0)$ . Then

$$\text{Ad}(\psi)(\phi) = \text{Ad}(\psi)(t_v \circ t_w \circ \phi_0) = \text{Ad}(\psi)(t_v) \circ \text{Ad}(\psi)(t_w) \circ \text{Ad}(\psi)(\phi_0)$$

which is a composition of two translations  $\text{Ad}(\psi)(t_v) = t_{\psi_0(v)}$  and  $\text{Ad}(\psi)(t_w) = t_{\psi_0(w)}$  together with  $\text{Ad}(\psi)(\phi_0)$ , whose linear part is  $\phi'_0 = \psi_0 \phi_0 \psi_0^{-1}$ .

Since  $v$  is in the kernel of  $\text{Id} - \phi_0$ , then

$$(\text{Id} - \phi'_0)(\psi_0(v)) = \psi_0(v) - \phi'_0(\psi_0(v)) = \psi_0(v) - \psi_0 \phi_0 \psi_0^{-1} \psi_0(v) = \psi_0(v - \phi_0(v)) = 0$$

from which  $\psi_0(v) \in \ker(\text{Id} - \phi'_0)$ .

Analogously, since  $w \in \text{Im}(\text{Id} - \phi_0)$ , we may write  $w = (\text{Id} - \phi_0)(u)$  for certain  $u$  and conclude that

$$\psi_0(w) = \psi_0(\text{Id} - \phi_0)(u) = (\psi_0 - \psi_0 \phi_0)(u) = (\psi_0 - \psi_0 \phi_0 \psi_0^{-1} \psi_0)(u) = (\text{Id} - \psi_0 \phi_0 \psi_0^{-1})(\psi_0(u))$$

belongs to  $\text{Im}(\text{Id} - \phi'_0)$ , just as the additional translation that may appear in  $\text{Ad}(\psi)(\phi_0)$  from (2.3).

Thus, by the classification of affine isometries in the lecture notes, one can check that the different types of isometries are preserved by conjugation since

$$\begin{aligned}
\phi_0 = \text{Id} &\Leftrightarrow \phi'_0 = \psi_0 \phi_0 \psi_0^{-1} = \text{Id}, \\
\phi_0 = -\text{Id} &\Leftrightarrow \phi'_0 = \psi_0 \phi_0 \psi_0^{-1} = -\text{Id}, \\
v \neq 0 &\Leftrightarrow \psi_0(v) \neq 0, \\
\ker(\phi_0 - \text{Id}) = \{0\} &\Leftrightarrow \ker(\phi'_0 - \text{Id}) = \ker(\psi_0(\phi_0 - \text{Id})\psi_0^{-1}) = \{0\}, \\
\text{Im}(\phi_0 - \text{Id}) = \mathbb{R}^3 &\Leftrightarrow \text{Im}(\phi'_0 - \text{Id}) = \text{Im}(\psi_0(\phi_0 - \text{Id})\psi_0^{-1}) = \mathbb{R}^3,
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\phi'_0 = \psi_0 \phi_0 \psi_0^{-1}$$

and thus they are both the same kind of linear isometry (rotation, anti-rotation, symmetry with respect to a plane, etc).

2. The angle  $\theta$  is computed up to sign by the formula

$$\cos(\theta) = \frac{1}{2}(\text{tr}(\phi_0) - \det(\phi_0))$$

and both the trace and the determinant are preserved by conjugation. In the case of a rotation, the axis is the line of fixed points, so it must be  $\psi(\ell)$  where  $\ell$  is the axis of  $\phi$ .

In the case of an anti-rotation, its axis is the line passing through the unique fixed point of  $\phi'$  (which is the image by  $\psi$  of the unique fixed point of  $\phi$ ) with the direction of the eigenvector of eigenvalue  $-1$  of  $\phi'_0$  (which is the image by  $\psi_0$  of the corresponding eigenvector of  $\phi_0$ ).

3. In general,  $P$  is a fixed point of  $\varphi$  if and only if  $\psi(P)$  is a fixed point of  $\varphi' = \psi \circ \varphi \circ \psi^{-1}$ .

### Exercice 10.

- Exercice 11.**
1. Determiner la matrice dans la base canonique de la rotation linéaire  $r$  d'angle  $\pi/6$  et d'axe  $\mathbb{R}(1, 1, 1)$ .
  2. Soit l'isométrie affine  $r' = t_{(1,0,-1)} \circ r$ . Quelle est la nature de  $r'$ , ces éventuels points fixes et calculer  $(r')^{2018}$ .
  3. Même question pour  $r'' = t_{(2,2,2)} \circ r$ .

### Preuve:

1. In a positively oriented orthonormal basis  $B = \{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$  where  $\mathbb{R}v_1 = \mathbb{R}(1, 1, 1)$  is must be the rotation matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos(\pi/6) & -\sin(\pi/6) \\ 0 & \sin(\pi/6) & \cos(\pi/6) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix}.$$

To find such a basis one normalizes  $v_1$  to  $v_1 = (\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}})$ , then one finds an orthogonal unitary vector like  $v_2 = (0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}})$  and completes the basis with the cross product  $v_3 = v_1 \times v_2 = (-\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}})$ . Another way is with the Gram–Schmidt process.

Finally, one computes the matrix in the canonical basis using the base change

matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & 0 & -\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \end{pmatrix}$ . The matrix under the canonical base is therefore given by

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & 0 & -\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ -\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1+\sqrt{3}}{3} & \frac{1-\sqrt{3}}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1+\sqrt{3}}{3} & \frac{1-\sqrt{3}}{3} \\ \frac{1-\sqrt{3}}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1+\sqrt{3}}{3} \end{pmatrix}.$$

2. The vector  $(1, 0, -1)$  is orthogonal to  $(1, 1, 1) \in \ker(r - \text{Id})$  and hence belongs to  $\text{Im}(r - \text{Id})$ . By the classification 6.2.1 (2) it is a rotation around the line of fixed points of angle  $\pi/6$ .

The axis of rotation of  $r'$  is equal to  $D_{r'} = -z + D_0$  (see Proposition 3.17), where  $D_0$  denotes the axis of rotation  $r$ , and  $z$  is defined to be a vector such that  $(1, 0, -1) = (r - \text{Id})(z)$ . For instance, one can take  $z = (0, -1 - \sqrt{3}, 1)$ . Therefore the axis of rotation of  $r'$  is

$$\text{Fix}(r') = -z + \mathbb{R}(1, 1, 1).$$

To calculate  $(r')^{2018}$ , since  $2018 = 168 \times 12 + 2$ ,  $(r')^{2018}$  gives 168 full rotations, followed by two rotations of  $\pi/6$ , which results in a rotation of  $\pi/3$  around the axis described above.

3. This time  $(2, 2, 2) \in \ker(r - \text{Id})$ . By the classification 6.2.1 (3),  $r''$  is the composition of the affine rotation  $r$  around the axis  $\mathbb{R}(1, 1, 1)$ , followed by a translation with translation vector  $(2, 2, 2)$ , which is a vissage along  $\mathbb{R}(1, 1, 1)$ .

Note that  $t_{(2,2,2)} \circ r = r \circ t_{(2,2,2)}$  (see Theorem 3.12 (2)), then

$$(r'')^{2018} = (t_{(2,2,2)} \circ r)^{2018} = t_{(2,2,2)}^{2018} \circ r^{2018} = t_{(2,2,2)}^{2018} \circ r^{12 \cdot 168 + 2} = t_{(4036, 4036, 4036)} \circ r^2.$$