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Assignment-4

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https://github.com/AI20BTECH11014/EE3900-Linear-Systems-and-Signal-processing/blob/ main/Assignment_4/Assignment_4.tex

1 QUESTION: LINEAR FORMS Q.2.14

The sum of the perpendicular distances of a variable point $\bf P$ from the lines

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{x} = 0$$
$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{x} = -7$$

is always 10. Show that P must move on a line.

2 SOLUTION

The foot of perpendicular from point **P** to line $\mathbf{n}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{x} = c$ is given as $\mathbf{P} + \alpha \mathbf{n}$, where $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\mathbf{n}^{\mathsf{T}} \left(\mathbf{P} + \alpha \mathbf{n} \right) = c \tag{2.0.1}$$

$$\mathbf{n}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{P} + ||\mathbf{n}||^2 \alpha = c \tag{2.0.2}$$

The perpendicular distance from a point **P** to line $\mathbf{n}^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{x} = c$ is given as,

$$= ||\mathbf{P} - (\mathbf{P} + \alpha \mathbf{n})|| \qquad (2.0.3)$$

$$= |\alpha||\mathbf{n}|| \tag{2.0.4}$$

using (2.0.2) in (2.0.4), perpendicular distance is given as,

$$= \frac{|c - \mathbf{n}^{\mathsf{T}} \mathbf{P}|}{\|\mathbf{n}\|} \tag{2.0.5}$$

Given,

$$\frac{|0 - (1 \quad 1)\mathbf{P}|}{\|(1 \quad 1)\|} + \frac{|7 + (3 \quad -2)\mathbf{P}|}{\|(3 \quad -2)\|} = 10 \quad (2.0.6)$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}|\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}\mathbf{P}| + \frac{1}{\sqrt{13}}|\begin{pmatrix} 3 & -2 \end{pmatrix}\mathbf{P} + 7| = 10 \quad (2.0.7)$$

... point **P** lies on either of the lines

$$L_{1}: \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{3}{\sqrt{13}} \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{2}{\sqrt{13}}\right) \mathbf{P} = 10 - \frac{7}{\sqrt{13}}$$

$$(2.0.8)$$

$$L_{2}: \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{3}{\sqrt{13}} \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{13}}\right) \mathbf{P} = 10 + \frac{7}{\sqrt{13}}$$

$$(2.0.9)$$

$$L_{3}: \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{3}{\sqrt{13}} \quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{2}{\sqrt{13}}\right) \mathbf{P} = -10 - \frac{7}{\sqrt{13}}$$

$$(2.0.10)$$

$$L_{4}: \left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{3}{\sqrt{13}} \quad -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{2}{\sqrt{13}}\right) \mathbf{P} = 10 - \frac{7}{\sqrt{13}}$$