## Linear Algebra

Chapter 3: Orthogonality
Solution of highlighted problems

Two lines in the plane are perpendicular when the product of their slopes is −1.
 Apply this to the vectors x = (x<sub>1</sub>,x<sub>2</sub>) and y = (y<sub>1</sub>,y<sub>2</sub>), whose slopes are x<sub>2</sub>/x<sub>1</sub> and y<sub>2</sub>/y<sub>1</sub>, to derive again the orthogonality condition x<sup>T</sup>y = 0.

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad y = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{Slope} = \frac{x_2}{x_1} \quad \text{Slope} = \frac{y_2}{y_1}$$

$$Product \quad \text{of Slope} = \frac{x_2 \cdot y_2}{x_1 \cdot y_1} = -1 \quad \text{if } x_2 y_2 = -x_1 y_1 \text{ (*)}$$

$$x \quad y = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{bmatrix} = x_1 y_1 + x_2 y_2 = x_1 y_1 - x_1 y_1 = 0 \quad \text{orthogonality}$$

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7. Find a vector x orthogonal to the row space of A, and a vector y orthogonal to the column space, and a vector z orthogonal to the nullspace:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 \\ 3 & 6 & 4 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$A \times = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 \\ 3 & 6 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{Elimination}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X_{1+2} \times_{2+3} \times_{3=0} \times_{3=0} \times_{3=0} \xrightarrow{X_{3=0}} X_{1=-2} \times_{2} : X_{3=0} \xrightarrow{X_{2}} X_{2} = 0 \xrightarrow{X_{2}} X_{2} = 0$$

$$X_{3=0} \times_{3=0} \times_{3=0} \xrightarrow{X_{3=0}} X_{3=0} \xrightarrow{X_{3=0}} X_$$

- 27. (a) If Ax = b has a solution and  $A^{T}y = 0$ , then y is perpendicular to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - (b) If  $A^{T}y = c$  has a solution and Ax = 0, then x is perpendicular to \_\_\_\_\_.

- (a) Ax = b it has a solution b is in the column space of A Ay = 0 Since y is perpendicular to column space of A, we can

  conclude that y is also perpendicular to b.
  - (b)  $Ay = C \rightarrow it$  has a solution  $\rightarrow c$  is in row space of A.  $Ax = 0 \rightarrow since x$  is perpendicular to row space of A, we can conclude that x is also perpendicular to c.

35. The floor and the wall are not orthogonal subspaces because they share a nonzero vector (along the line where they meet). Two planes in 
$$\mathbb{R}^3$$
 cannot be orthogonal! Find a vector in both column spaces  $C(A)$  and  $C(B)$ :

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 4 \\ 6 & 3 \\ 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

This will be a vector Ax and also  $B\hat{x}$ . Think 3 by 4 with the matrix  $[A \ B]$ .

$$C = [A \mid B] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 5 & 4 \\ 1 & 3 & 6 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 5 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

on the column spaces of A and B.

It can be considered as feasible right hand side of the below 2 equation. As it lies on the C(A) and C(B).

$$\xrightarrow{X_2} = 0 \; ; \; X_2 = \hat{X}_1 \; ; \; X_1 = 3\hat{X}_1 \; X_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \; , \; \hat{X}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Ax = B\hat{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = V$$
 it lies both on the C(A) and C(B)

## Problem set 3.1

12. Find the matrix that projects every point in the plane onto the line x + 2y = 0.

Line 
$$x+2y=0 \longrightarrow x=-2y$$
  $a=\begin{bmatrix} -2\\1 \end{bmatrix}$ 

$$P = \frac{aa^{T}}{a^{T}a} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} -2\\1 \end{bmatrix}\begin{bmatrix} -2\\1 \end{bmatrix}\begin{bmatrix} -2\\1 \end{bmatrix}}{\begin{bmatrix} -2\\1 \end{bmatrix}\begin{bmatrix} -2\\1 \end{bmatrix}} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 4-2\\-2/5 \end{bmatrix}}{5} = \begin{bmatrix} 4/5-2/5\\-2/5 \end{bmatrix}$$
So we end up with a Matrix  $P$  that is able to the line  $P$  roject all the given  $P$  onto the line  $P$  and  $P$  and  $P$  onto the line  $P$  and  $P$  and

17. Project the vector 
$$b$$
 onto the line through  $a$ . Check that  $e$  is perpendicular to  $a$ :

(a) 
$$b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and  $a = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . (b)  $b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $a = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

a) 
$$b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P = \frac{aa^{T}}{a^{T}a} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}}{3} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix}$$

**25.** In Problem 24, the projection of *b* onto the *plane* of  $a_1$  and  $a_2$  will equal *b*. Find  $P = A(A^TA)^{-1}A^T$  for  $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ .

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \qquad P = A(A^{T}A)^{-1}A^{T}$$

$$A^{T}A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 25 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow (A^{T}A)^{-1} = \frac{1}{\text{clet}(A^{T}A)} \begin{bmatrix} 25 & -3 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 25/16 & -3/16 \\ -3/16 & 3/16 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 25/16 & -3/16 \\ -3/16 & 3/16 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -12/16 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I$$

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 25/16 & -3/16 \\ -3/16 & 3/16 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = I$$

**6.** Find the projection of *b* onto the column space of *A*:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \\ -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, \qquad b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Split b into p+q, with p in the column space and q perpendicular to that space. Which of the four subspaces contains q?

Then find the projection of b = (4, 3, 1, 0) onto the column space of

$$b = 4$$
 at  $t = -2$ ,  $b = 3$  at  $t = -1$ ,  $b = 1$  at  $t = 0$ ,  $b = 0$  at  $t = 2$ .

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$(AA)^{-1} = \frac{1}{35} \begin{bmatrix} 9 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 9/35 & 1/35 \\ 1/35 & 1/35 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\int_{0}^{1} x = \begin{bmatrix} c \\ c \end{bmatrix} \qquad b = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \\ c \end{bmatrix} \qquad \longrightarrow \qquad Ax = b$$

$$\hat{X} = \begin{bmatrix} 9/35 & 1/35 \\ 1/35 & 1/35 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -2 & -1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 47 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

As vector b does not lie on the column space of A, we should Project it on CLA). In this way can compute the estimation

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 9/35 & 1/35 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ -11 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 61/35 \\ -36/35 \end{bmatrix}$$
 line:  $\hat{b} = 61/35 - 36/35 \pm 1$ 

$$b = 61/35 - 36/35$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ -1 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

Project it on C(A). In this way can compute the estimation of vector 
$$\hat{X}$$
.

of vector  $\hat{X}$ .

$$\hat{X} = (ATA)^{-1}A^{T}b \longrightarrow ATA = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -2 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1-2 \\ 1-1 \\ 1-2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4-1 \\ -1 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P = A \hat{X} = \begin{bmatrix} 1-2 \\ 1-1 \\ 1-2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 61/35 \\ -36/35 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 133/35 \\ 97/35 \\ 61/35 \end{bmatrix}$$

Problem set 3.3

**2.** Project b = (0,3,0) onto each of the orthonormal vectors  $a_1 = (\frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, -\frac{1}{3})$  and  $a_2 = (-\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3})$ , and then find its projection p onto the plane of  $a_1$  and  $a_2$ .

$$\begin{array}{lll}
 & D_{1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} & Q_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \end{pmatrix} \\
 & P_{1} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \end{pmatrix} & D_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \end{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2/3 & 2/3 & -1/3 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & D_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \end{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & D_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} \end{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & D_{3} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{1} & D_{2} & D_{3} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{3} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{3} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{1} & D_{2} & D_{3} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{3} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{1} & D_{2} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{3} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{1} & D_{2} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{3} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{3} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{2} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{3} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} \\ D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_{4} & D_$$

**6.** Find a third column so that the matrix

$$Q = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{14} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} & 2/\sqrt{14} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} & -3/\sqrt{14} \end{bmatrix}$$

is orthogonal. It must be a unit vector that is orthogonal to the other columns; how much freedom does this leave? Verify that the rows automatically become orthonormal at the same time.

$$Q = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{13} & \sqrt{14} & \chi_1 \\ \sqrt{13} & \sqrt{14} & \chi_2 \\ \sqrt{13} & \sqrt{14} & \chi_2 \\ \sqrt{13} & -3/\sqrt{14} & \chi_3 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{cases} \chi_{1} + \chi_{2} + \chi_{3} = 0 & (*) \\ \chi_{1} + 2\chi_{2} - 3\chi_{2} = 0 & -7 & \chi_{3} = \frac{\chi_{1} + 2\chi_{2}}{3} & (**) \\ \chi_{1}^{2} + \chi_{2}^{2} + \chi_{3}^{2} = 4 & (**) \end{cases}$$

13. Apply the Gram-Schmidt process to

$$a = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \qquad b = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \qquad c = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

and write the result in the form A = QR.

## Thanks for your attention