

AIFS Lecture 2: Objects and Operations in Linear Algebra

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What is Linear Algebra?

- Linear Algebra is the field of mathematics where linear equations and linear functions are represented by the interplay between scalars, vectors, matrices and vector-spaces.
- *Linear Equations*: An equation of the form

$$a_1x_1 + a_2x_2 + \dots + a_nx_n = b_1$$

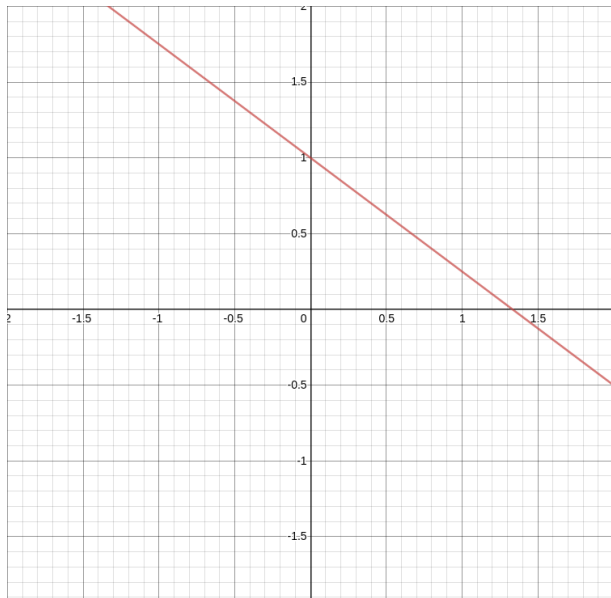
Here the variables, x_1, x_2, \dots , does not have power greater than 1.

Eg: $3x_1 + 4x_2 = 4$, $3x_1 + 4x_2 + 5x_3 = 4$

- *Linear Functions*: A function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be a linear function if
 - ① for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$, $f(x_1 + x_2 + \dots x_n) = f(x_1) + f(x_2) + \dots + f(x_n)$
 - ② $af(x) = f(ax)$

2D-Linear equation

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3D-Linear equation

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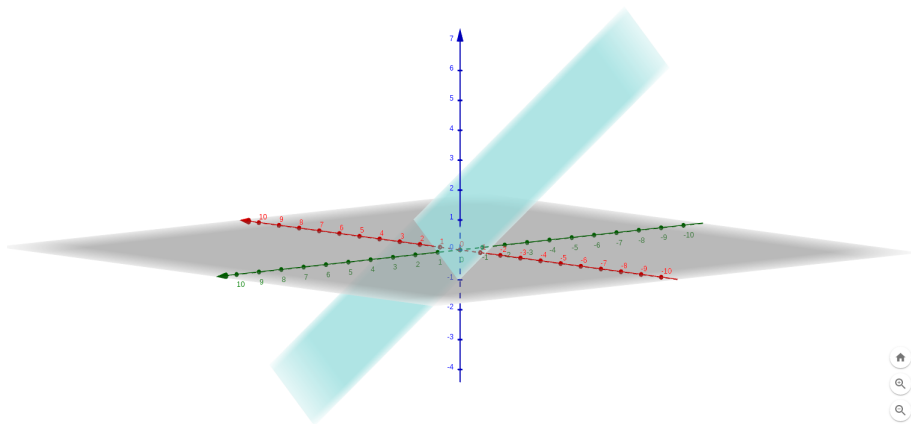


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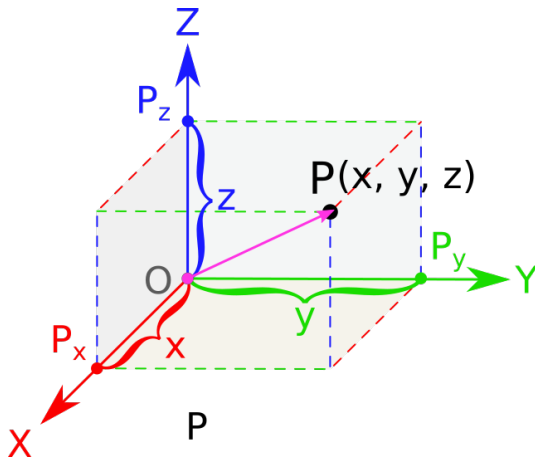
Scalars and Vectors

- *Scalar*: A single number. Usually written with lower case non-bold variable names. Eg: 3, 4.5, $\frac{1}{3}$, a for all $a \in \mathbb{N}$
- *Vector*: An array of ordered numbers. Can be written as a column of numbers, or as an n-tuple. Usually written with lower case bold variable names.

$$\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} \text{ OR } \mathbf{x} = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$$

- A vector can be thought of as a 1-D array of numbers or a 2-D array with one column.

Cartesian Coordinate View

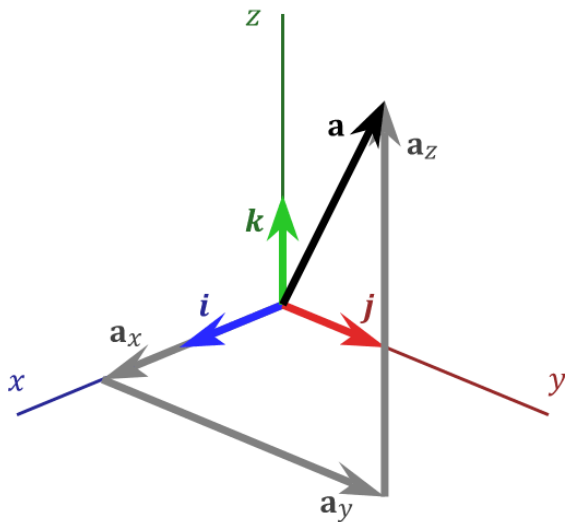


A vector can be visualized as an object identifying points in space, with each component of the vector giving the coordinate along a different axis.

- A real valued vector space is a set V on which two operations $+$ and \cdot are defined, called vector addition and scalar multiplication, and satisfy the following three properties for all scalars $c \in \mathbb{R}$.
- Closure under addition: If \mathbf{u} and \mathbf{v} are vectors in V then $\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}$ should also be in V .
- Closure under multiplication: If c is any scalar in \mathbb{R} and \mathbf{u} is a vector in V then $c \cdot \mathbf{u}$ is also in V .
- The zero vector $\mathbf{0}$ is in V .

Vector space

Vector space in \mathbb{R}^3



Matrices

- A *matrix* is a 2-D array of numbers arranged in rows and columns for which the addition (+) and multiplication (×) operations are defined.

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$

- If a matrix \mathbf{A} has m rows and n columns then we call it an $m \times n$ matrix, read as "*m by n matrix*" where m and n are called it's *dimensions*. $m \times n$ is also referred to as the *shape* of the matrix.
- *Notations*: $\mathbf{A}_{m \times n}$ specifies the dimensions of the matrix as subscript. $A_{i,j}$ refers to the value in the i^{th} row and j^{th} column.
- Eg. of a 2×3 matrix

$$\mathbf{A}_{2 \times 3} = \mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 9 & 1.2 \\ 3.5 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \text{ here, } A_{1,3} = 1.2$$

- *column-vector*: A matrix with m rows and 1 column.
- *row-vector*: A matrix with 1 row and n columns.
- *square matrix*: An $m \times n$ matrix where $m = n$
- *rectangular matrix*: An $m \times n$ matrix where $m \neq n$

Tensors

- A tensor is a mathematical object represented as a multidimensional array of numbers. It can be thought of as a generalization of the matrix to N-dimensions.

0-D Tensor
(Scalar)

1

NA

1-D Tensor
(Vector)

(1) (2) (3) (4) (5)

(k)

2-D Tensor
(Matrix)

j
↓
(1,1) (1,2)
(2,1) (2,2)
↓
k

(j, k)

3-D Tensor

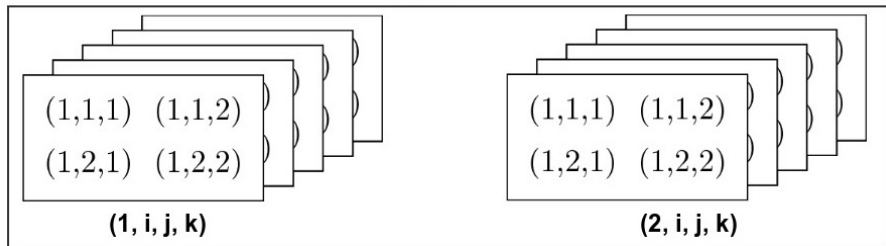
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(i, j, k)

4D-Tensor

4-D Tensor



5-D Tensor

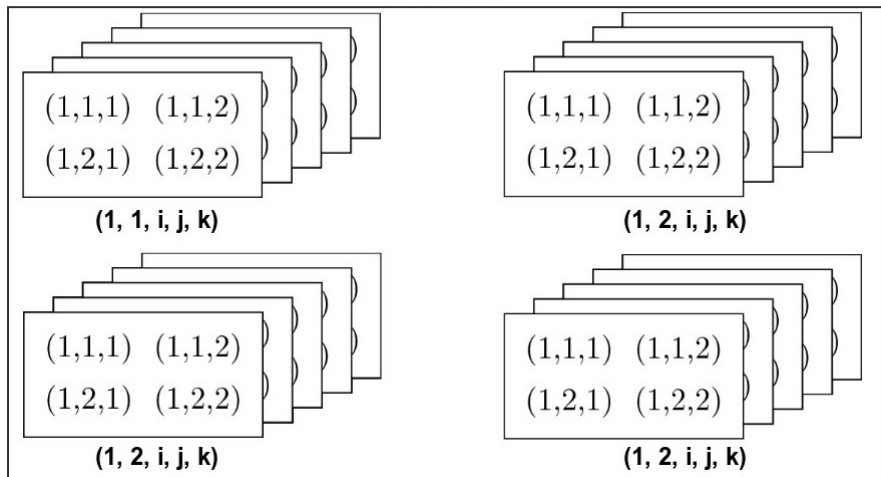
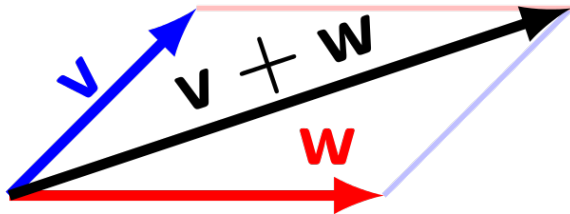


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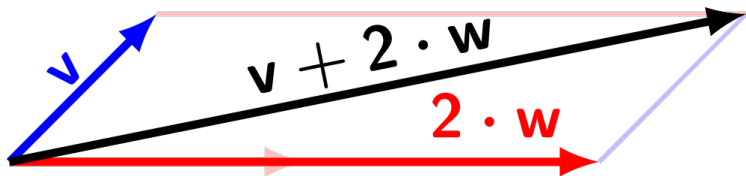
Vector addition

- Let $\mathbf{v} = (v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n)$ and $\mathbf{w} = (w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n)$,
- then $\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w} = (v_1 + w_1, v_2 + w_2, \dots, v_n + w_n)$



Scalar Multiplication

- Let $\mathbf{w} = (w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n)$, and c a scalar,
- then $c \cdot \mathbf{w} = (c \cdot w_1, c \cdot w_2, \dots, c \cdot w_n)$



Matrix Operations

- *Matrix Addition:* Two matrices can only be added together if they have the same shape. Given two matrices \mathbf{A} , \mathbf{B} of the same shape, then $\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}$, where $C_{i,j} = A_{i,j} + B_{i,j}$

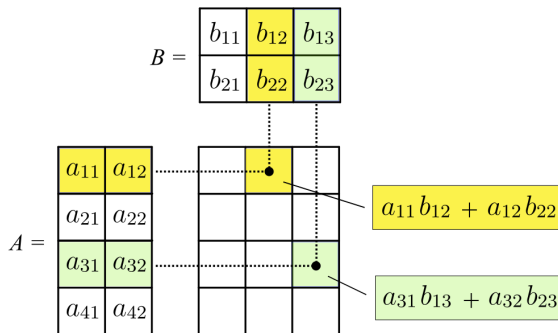
$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & \dots & b_{1n} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & \dots & b_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ b_{m1} & b_{m2} & \dots & b_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} + b_{11} & a_{12} + b_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} + b_{1n} \\ a_{21} + b_{21} & a_{22} + b_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} + b_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} + b_{m1} & a_{m2} + b_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} + b_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$

- *Scalar Multiplication and Addition:* Given a matrix \mathbf{A} and scalars c, d , the matrix $\mathbf{B} = c \cdot \mathbf{A} + d$ is given by $B_{i,j} = c \cdot A_{i,j} + d$

Matrix Operations

- *Matrix Multiplication*: Two matrices can only be multiplied together if the number of columns of the first matrix match the number of rows in the second. More concretely, given two matrices $\mathbf{A}_{m \times n}$ and $\mathbf{B}_{p \times q}$, the product $\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{AB}$ is only defined when $n = p$. The product is defined as:

$$C_{i,j} = \sum_{k=1}^n A_{i,k} B_{k,j}$$



Transpose Operation

- Transpose of a matrix (or a vector represented as a matrix) is the mirror image of the matrix across its main diagonal.
- Easier way to visualize: rows become columns and columns become rows.
- Transpose of a matrix \mathbf{A} is written as \mathbf{A}^\top

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{A}^\top = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{21} & \dots & a_{m1} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{m2} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{1n} & a_{2n} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$

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- Distance between two points (vectors)
- Length (magnitude, size) of a vector
- Angle between two vectors

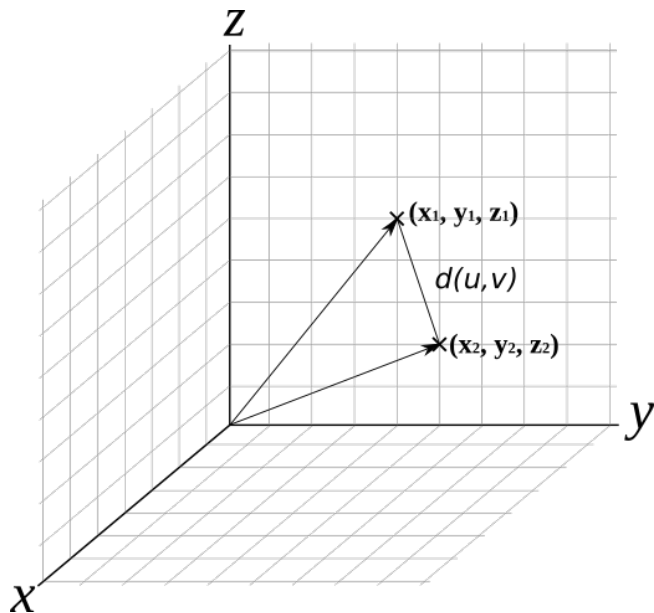
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- Length (magnitude, size) of a vector... **Normed Space**
- Angle between two vectors... **Inner Product Space**

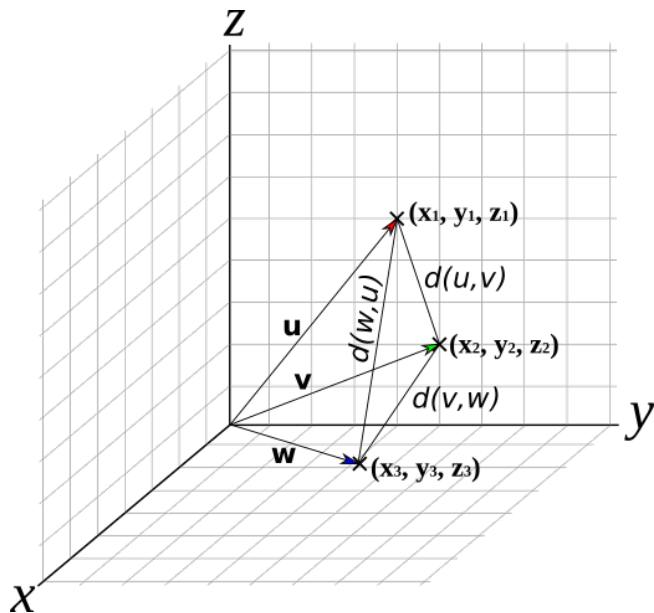
- A vector space with a *distance function* giving the distance between any two points is called a metric space.¹
- For a function, $d(\cdot, \cdot)$, to be a distance function, it needs to satisfy the following properties.
- *Identity of Indiscernibles*: $d(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) = 0 \Rightarrow \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{v}$
- *Symmetry*: $d(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) = d(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{u})$
- *Triangle Inequality*: $d(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) \leq d(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{w}) + d(\mathbf{w}, \mathbf{v})$

¹This definition is correct but not complete, to flush out the actual details we need to go more into pure math, which is not required for us.

Metric Spaces: Visualization



Metric Spaces: Visualization



Examples of Metric Spaces

- \mathbb{R}^n with euclidean distance. If $\mathbf{u} = (u_1, \dots, u_n)$ and $\mathbf{v} = (v_1, \dots, v_n)$,

$$d(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) = \sqrt{(u_1 - v_1)^2 + (u_2 - v_2)^2 + \dots + (u_n - v_n)^2}$$

- Manhattan distance or taxi-cab distance or L_1 -distance. If $\mathbf{u} = (u_1, \dots, u_n)$ and $\mathbf{v} = (v_1, \dots, v_n)$,

$$d(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) = \sum_{i=1}^n |u_i - v_i|$$

- Wasserstein metric. A metric that gives a measure of distance between two probability distributions. Useful in Deep learning. Formula? Too brutal!

More about Spaces

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- Distance between two points (vectors)... **Metric space** $(V, +, \cdot, d(\cdot, \cdot))$
- Length (magnitude, size) of a vector... **Normed Space**
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- A *Norm* is a function that gives the length (magnitude/size) of a vector. The notation $|| \cdot ||$ is often used for a norm.
- Since a vector is representative of a point in space, the length of a vector is always relative to the origin (the zero vector: $\mathbf{0}$)
- For a function, $f(\cdot) = || \cdot ||$, to be a norm, it has to satisfy the following properties.
- *Triangle Inequality*: $||\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}|| \leq ||\mathbf{u}|| + ||\mathbf{v}||$
- *Absolute Homogeneity*: $||a\mathbf{u}|| = |a| ||\mathbf{u}||$
- *Positive Definite*: If $||\mathbf{u}|| = 0 \Rightarrow \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{0}$

Examples of Normed spaces

- \mathbb{R}^n with ℓ_1 -norm (Taxicab norm):

$$\|\mathbf{u}\| = \|\mathbf{u}\|_1 = \sum_{i=1}^n |u_i|$$

- \mathbb{R}^n with ℓ^2 -norm (Euclidean norm):

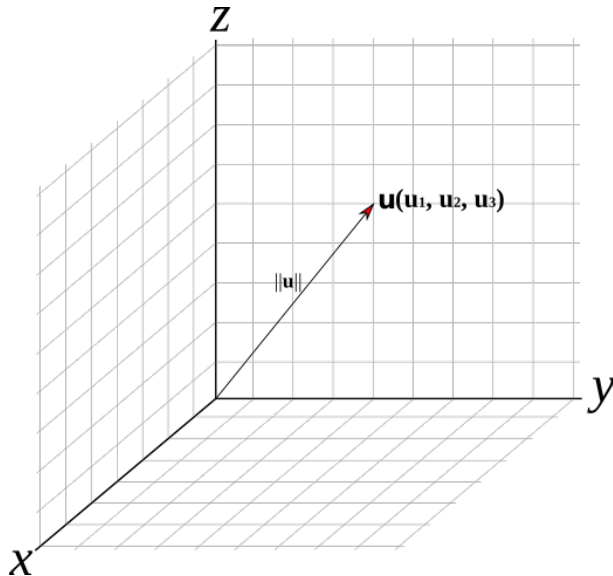
$$\|\mathbf{u}\| = \|\mathbf{u}\|_2 = \sqrt{u_1^2 + u_2^2 + \dots + u_n^2}$$

- \mathbb{R}^n with \max -norm (Infinity norm):

$$\|\mathbf{u}\| = \|\mathbf{u}\|_\infty = \max(|u_1|, |u_2|, \dots, |u_n|)$$

Visualization: Normed Spaces

Do you see a connection between metric spaces and normed spaces?

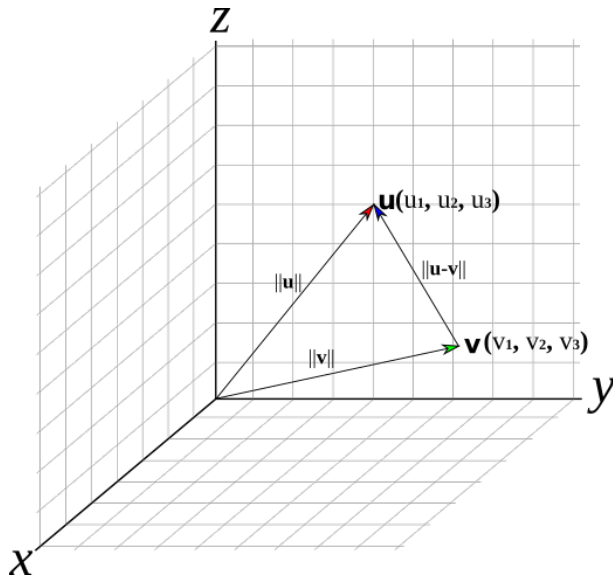


Norm induces a Metric

- A Norm induces a Metric in the space.
- If \mathbf{u} and \mathbf{v} are vectors in \mathbb{R}^n and $\|\mathbf{u}\|$, $\|\mathbf{v}\|$ are their respective norms, then the norm $\|\cdot\|$ induces the following metric:

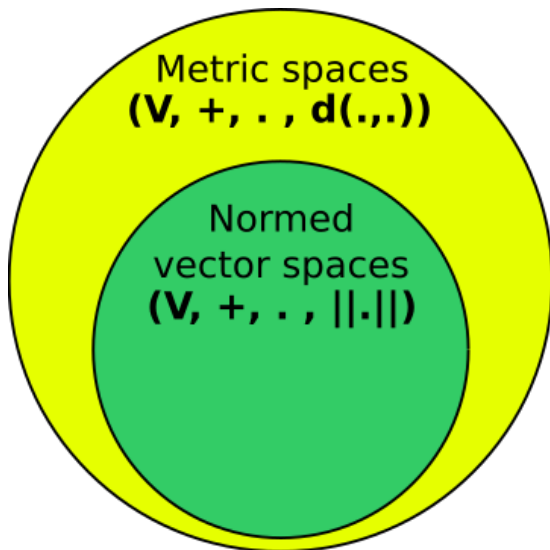
$$d(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) = \|\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}\|$$

Visualization: Norms and Metrics



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All normed spaces are metric spaces, but not all metric spaces are normed spaces.



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- Angle between two vectors... **Inner Product Space**

Inner product space

- A vector space with an additional function called the *inner product*, is called an inner product space.
- An inner product, denoted by $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$, is a function that takes two vectors and returns a scalar, and also satisfies the following properties.
- *Symmetry*: $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle$
- *Linearity in first (or second) argument*:
$$a\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \langle a\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle$$
$$\langle \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{z} \rangle = \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{z} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{z} \rangle$$
- *Positive Definiteness*: for all $\mathbf{x} \in V \setminus \{\mathbf{0}\}$ $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle > 0$

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③ *Positive Definiteness*: for all $\mathbf{x} \in V \setminus \{\mathbf{0}\}$ $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle > 0$

- Important Results:

- $\langle \mathbf{0}, \mathbf{0} \rangle = 0$

$$\langle \mathbf{0}, \mathbf{0} \rangle = \langle 0\mathbf{x}, 0\mathbf{x} \rangle = 0\langle \mathbf{x}, 0\mathbf{x} \rangle = 0 \quad (\text{Linearity in first argument})$$

- *Cauchy-Schwarz inequality*:

$$|\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle| \leq \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle} \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle}$$

Inner Product induces a Norm

Theorem

$\sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle}$ is a norm.

Proof.

We have to prove that $\sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle}$ satisfies all the properties of a norm.

- *Positive Definiteness*: We need to prove $\sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle} = 0 \rightarrow \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$
To do that let's prove the contrapositive, meaning it is enough to show that $\mathbf{x} \neq \mathbf{0} \rightarrow \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle} \neq 0$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{x} \neq \mathbf{0} &\rightarrow \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle > 0 && \text{(Positive Definiteness of Inner product)} \\ &\rightarrow \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle \neq 0 \\ &\rightarrow \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle} \neq 0\end{aligned}$$



Inner Product induces a Norm

Proof.

- *Absolute Homogeneity*: We need to prove $\sqrt{\langle a\mathbf{x}, a\mathbf{x} \rangle} = |a|\sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle}$

$$\sqrt{\langle a\mathbf{x}, a\mathbf{x} \rangle} = \sqrt{a\langle \mathbf{x}, a\mathbf{x} \rangle} \quad (\text{Linearity in first argument})$$

$$= \sqrt{a^2\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle} \quad (\text{Linearity in second argument})$$

$$= |a|\sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle} \quad (\sqrt{a^2} = |a|)$$



Inner Product induces a Norm

Proof.

- *Triangle Inequality*: To show: $\sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} \rangle} \leq \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle} + \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle}$

$$\langle \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} \rangle = \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} \rangle \quad (\text{Linearity in 1}^{st})$$

$$= \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle \quad (\text{ " in 2}^{nd})$$

$$= (\sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle})^2 + 2\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + (\sqrt{\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle})^2 \quad (\text{Symmetry})$$

$$\leq (\sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle})^2 + 2|\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle| + (\sqrt{\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle})^2 \quad (a \leq |a|)$$

$$\leq (\sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle})^2 + 2\sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle}\sqrt{\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle} + (\sqrt{\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle})^2$$

(Cauchy-Schwarz inequality)

$$= (\sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle} + \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle})^2$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y} \rangle} \leq \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle} + \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle}$$



Inner Product induces a Norm and Metric

Definition

Give a vector \mathbf{u} in an inner product space: $(V, +, \cdot, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$, the norm of the vector, $\|\mathbf{u}\|$ is defined as:

$$\|\mathbf{u}\| = \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u} \rangle}$$

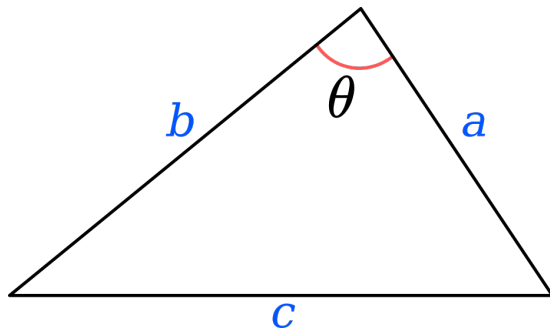
We know that a norm induces a metric in the space, therefore by association an inner product also induces a metric.

Definition

Give two vectors \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} in an inner product space: $(V, +, \cdot, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$, the distance between the vector, $d(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v})$, is defined as:

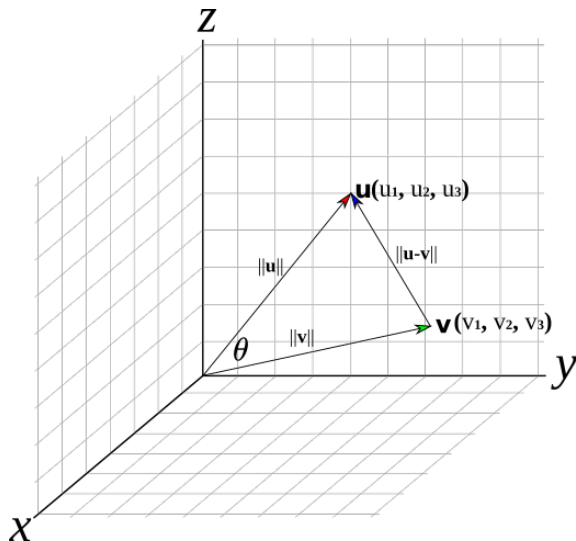
$$d(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) = \|\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}\| = \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v} \rangle}$$

Law of Cosines in Trigonometry



Law of Cosines: $c^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos \theta$

Angle between two Vectors



$$\|\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}\|^2 = \|\mathbf{u}\|^2 + \|\mathbf{v}\|^2 - 2\|\mathbf{u}\| \cdot \|\mathbf{v}\| \cos \theta$$

Angle between two Vectors

$$\begin{aligned} ||\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}||^2 &= (\sqrt{\langle \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v} \rangle})^2 \\ &= \langle \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v} \rangle \\ &= \langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v} \rangle + \langle -\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v} \rangle && \text{(Linearity in 1st)} \\ &= \langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u} \rangle - \langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \rangle - \langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{u} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{v} \rangle && \text{(" in 2nd)} \\ &= \langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u} \rangle - 2\langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{v} \rangle && \text{(Symmetry)} \end{aligned}$$

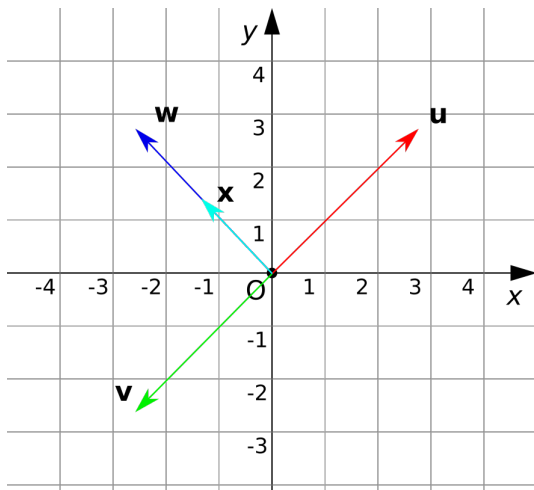
$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u} \rangle - 2\langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{v} \rangle &= ||\mathbf{u}||^2 + ||\mathbf{v}||^2 - 2||\mathbf{u}|| \cdot ||\mathbf{v}|| \cos \theta \\ \Rightarrow \langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u} \rangle - 2\langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{v} \rangle &= \langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{v} \rangle - 2||\mathbf{u}|| \cdot ||\mathbf{v}|| \cos \theta \\ \Rightarrow \cos \theta &= \frac{\langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \rangle}{||\mathbf{u}|| \cdot ||\mathbf{v}||} \\ \therefore \theta &= \arccos \frac{\langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \rangle}{||\mathbf{u}|| \cdot ||\mathbf{v}||} \end{aligned}$$

Question?

Why did we need the inner product space if the angle can be derived from the Norm?

Angle between two Vectors

The previous derivation overlooked a special case. What happens when one vector is a scalar multiple of the other? The Law of cosines does not work anymore because the distance between the two vectors is not the side opposite to the angle. We need a new proof for such cases.



Angle between two Vectors

Give two vectors \mathbf{u} and \mathbf{v} , which are scalar multiples of each other, without loss of generality, we can write:

$$\mathbf{u} = c\mathbf{v}$$

The inner product between the two vectors can be written as:

$$\begin{aligned}\langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \rangle &= \langle c\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{v} \rangle \\ &= c\langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{v} \rangle && \text{(Linearity in 1st)} \\ &= \text{sign}(c)|c|\langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{v} \rangle \\ &= \text{sign}(c)|c| \cdot \|\mathbf{v}\|^2 && (\|\mathbf{v}\| = \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{v} \rangle}) \\ &= \text{sign}(c)|c| \cdot \|\mathbf{v}\| \cdot \|\mathbf{v}\| \\ &= \text{sign}(c)\|\mathbf{cv}\| \cdot \|\mathbf{v}\| && \text{(Absolute Homogeneity)} \\ \therefore \langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \rangle &= \text{sign}(c)\|\mathbf{u}\| \cdot \|\mathbf{v}\| && (\mathbf{u} = c\mathbf{v})\end{aligned}$$

Angle between two vectors

We have:

$$\langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \rangle = \text{sign}(c) \|\mathbf{u}\| \cdot \|\mathbf{v}\|$$

When $\text{sign}(c) = 1, \theta = 0 \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \cos 0 = 1$ (Same Direction)

When $\text{sign}(c) = -1, \theta = 180 \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \cos 180 = -1$ (Opp. Direction)

Therefore, we can replace $\text{sign}(c)$ with $\cos \theta$.

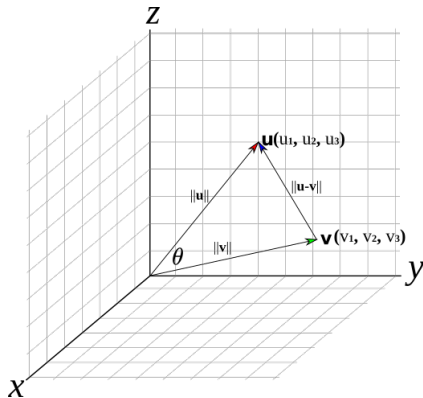
$$\Rightarrow \langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \rangle = \cos \theta \|\mathbf{u}\| \cdot \|\mathbf{v}\|$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \rangle}{\|\mathbf{u}\| \cdot \|\mathbf{v}\|}$$

$$\therefore \theta = \arccos \frac{\langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \rangle}{\|\mathbf{u}\| \cdot \|\mathbf{v}\|}$$

Putting it all together

Given an **Inner Product Space**: $(V, +, \cdot, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$. We have,



- 1 Angle between two vectors: $\theta = \arccos \frac{\langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \rangle}{\|\mathbf{u}\| \cdot \|\mathbf{v}\|}$
- 2 Length of a vector: $\|\mathbf{u}\| = \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{u} \rangle}$
- 3 Distance between two vectors: $d(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) = \|\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}\| = \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v} \rangle}$

Dot Product

The dot product is the most famous example of an inner product. A Vector space equipped with the dot product is an inner product space. The dot product is defined as follows

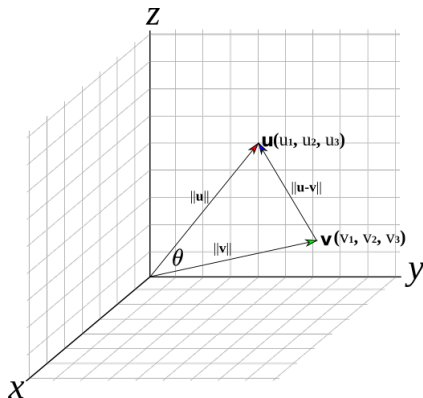
$$\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{y} = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i$$

Where,

$$\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{y} = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{y} = [x_1 \quad x_2 \quad \dots \quad x_n] \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\therefore \mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{y} = [x_1 y_1 + x_2 y_2 + \dots x_n y_n]$$

Vector Space as we know it

Given a vector space, $(V, +, \cdot)$ along with the dot product $\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{u}^T \mathbf{v}$.



- 1 Angle between two vectors: $\theta = \arccos \frac{\mathbf{u}^T \mathbf{v}}{||\mathbf{u}|| \cdot ||\mathbf{v}||}$
- 2 Length of a vector: $||\mathbf{u}|| = \sqrt{\mathbf{u}^T \mathbf{u}}$
- 3 Distance b/w two vectors: $d(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) = ||\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}|| = \sqrt{(\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v})^T (\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v})}$

Inner Product Spaces

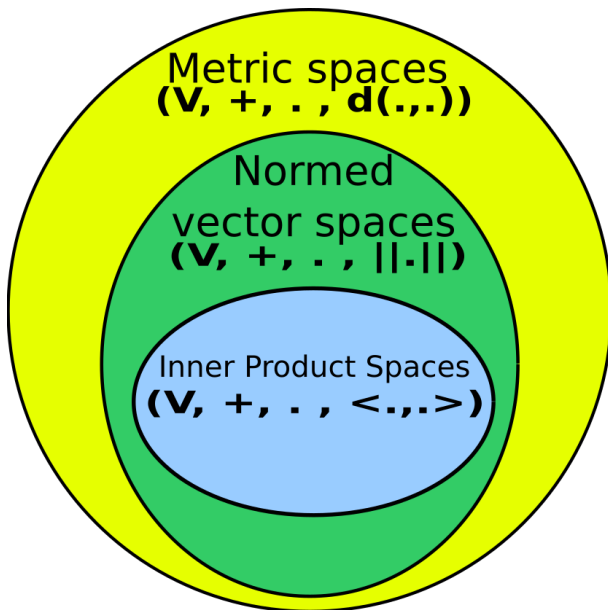


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- *Dot Product*: A operation between two vectors that results in a scalar value, also know as the scalar product. $\mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{y}$
- *Norm*: The norm operator gives the magnitude or length of a vector. $\|\mathbf{x}\|$
- *Trace*: Trace is a matrix operator that returns the sum of the diagonal elements of a matrix. $\text{Tr}(\mathbf{A}) = \sum_i A_{i,i}$