

CS 5100 02/10

HW2 (changing $P_2 \rightarrow$ similar to a problem we did in class)

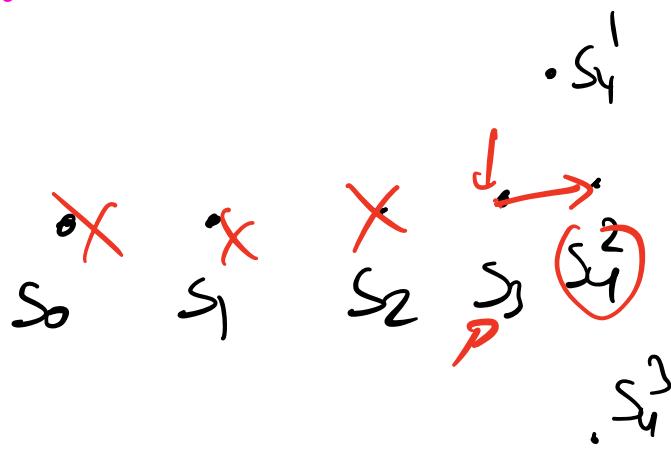
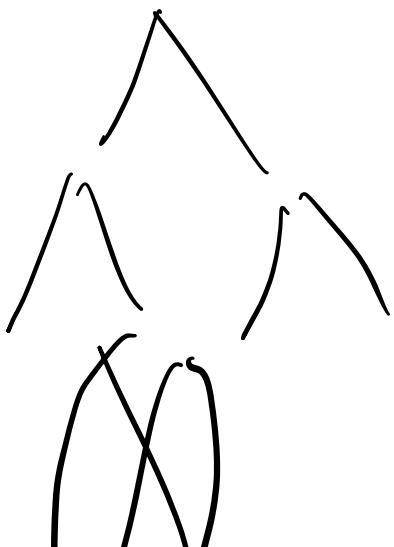
Review

Decision problem

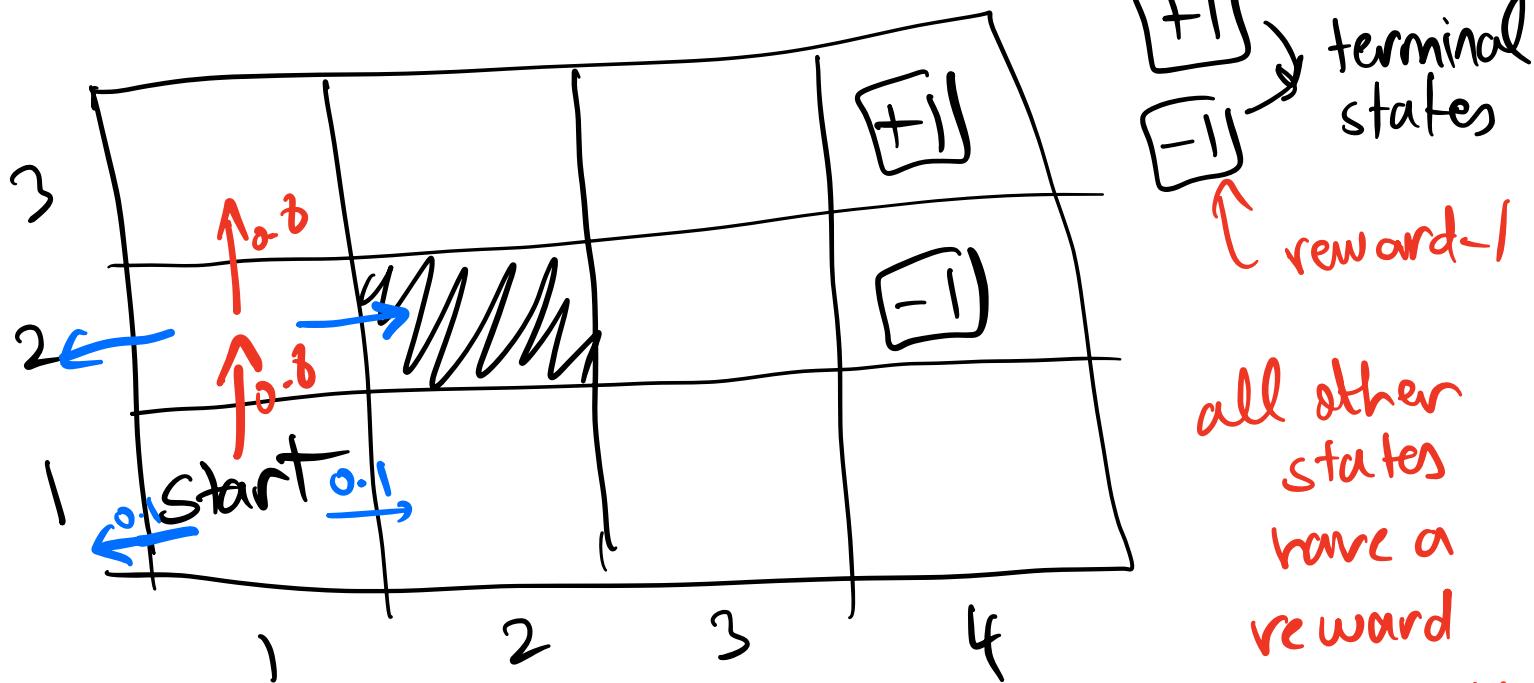
* Transition model (stochastic/random model)

$P(s'|s)$ proba of reaching state s' from state s

Assumption on the transition model
(Markovian assumption)



- * Reward that we receive at every state (positive or negative)
- * Whenever we were looking at a sequence of states, we were summing up the rewards obtained at every state to get the total reward for the sequence.

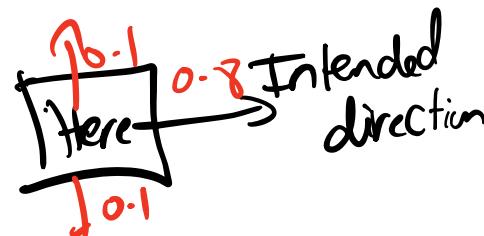
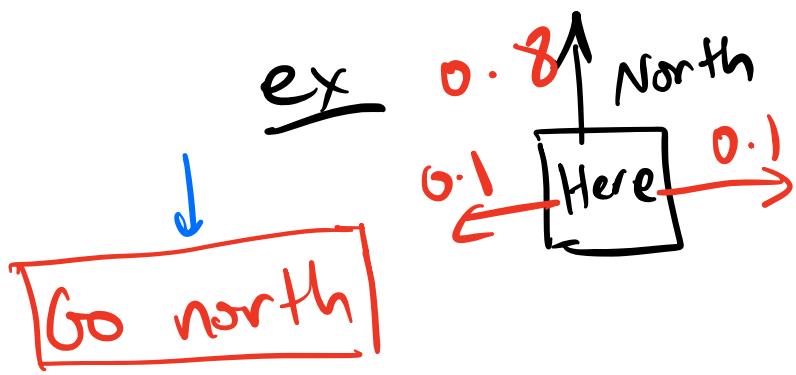


Whenever we selected a direction, we will be able to get there with Probability 0.8.

$A = \text{left}, B = \text{right}$, we will end up at

With probability 0.8 states that are any of the states that are perpendicular to the target state.

NN EEE



$$U(1,1) = -0.04 + \underline{0.8 U(1,2)} \\ + 0.1 U(2,1) \\ + 0.1 U(1,1)$$

At state (1,2) (North)

$$U(1,2) = -0.04 + 0.8 U(1,3) + 0.1 U(1,2) \\ + 0.1 U(1,2) \\ = -0.04 + 0.8 U(1,3) + 0.2 U(1,2)$$

At state (1,3) (East)

$$U(1,3) = -0.04 + 0.8 U(2,3) + 0.1 U(1,3) \\ + 0.1 U(1,2)$$

At state (2,3) (East)

$$U(2,3) = -0.04 + 0.8 U(3,3) + 0.1 U(2,3) \\ + 0.1 U(2,3) \\ = -0.04 + 0.8 U(3,3) + 0.2 U(2,3)$$

→ At state (3,3) (East)

$$U(3,3) = -0.04 + 0.8 U(4,3) + 0.1 U(3,3) \\ + 0.1 U(3,2)$$

At state (4,3)

$$U(4,3) = 1$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} U(1,1) = -0.04 + 0.8 U(1,2) + 0.1 U(1,1) + 0.1 \\ U(2,1) \end{array} \right\}$$

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$$U(4,3) = 1$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} x+y=2 \\ 2x-y=4 \end{array} \right.$$

look at these
equations today
(Linear algebra)

google search
algorithm

One way

add the two equations

$$3x=6 \Rightarrow x=2$$

\Rightarrow plug in $x=2$ in the first equation $\Rightarrow y=0$

$$y=2-x$$

$$2x - (2-x) = 4 \Rightarrow 3x = 6 \Rightarrow x=2$$

Many equations and lots of variables
 \Rightarrow hard to solve them by hand

Suppose we have this system of 3 equations and 3 unknowns

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} x + 2y = 3 \\ y - 3z = 4 \\ x + y - 2z = 1 \end{array} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (1) x + (2) y + (0) z = 3 \\ (0) x + (1) y + (-3) z = 4 \\ (1) x + (1) y + (-2) z = 1 \end{array} \right.$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

matrix

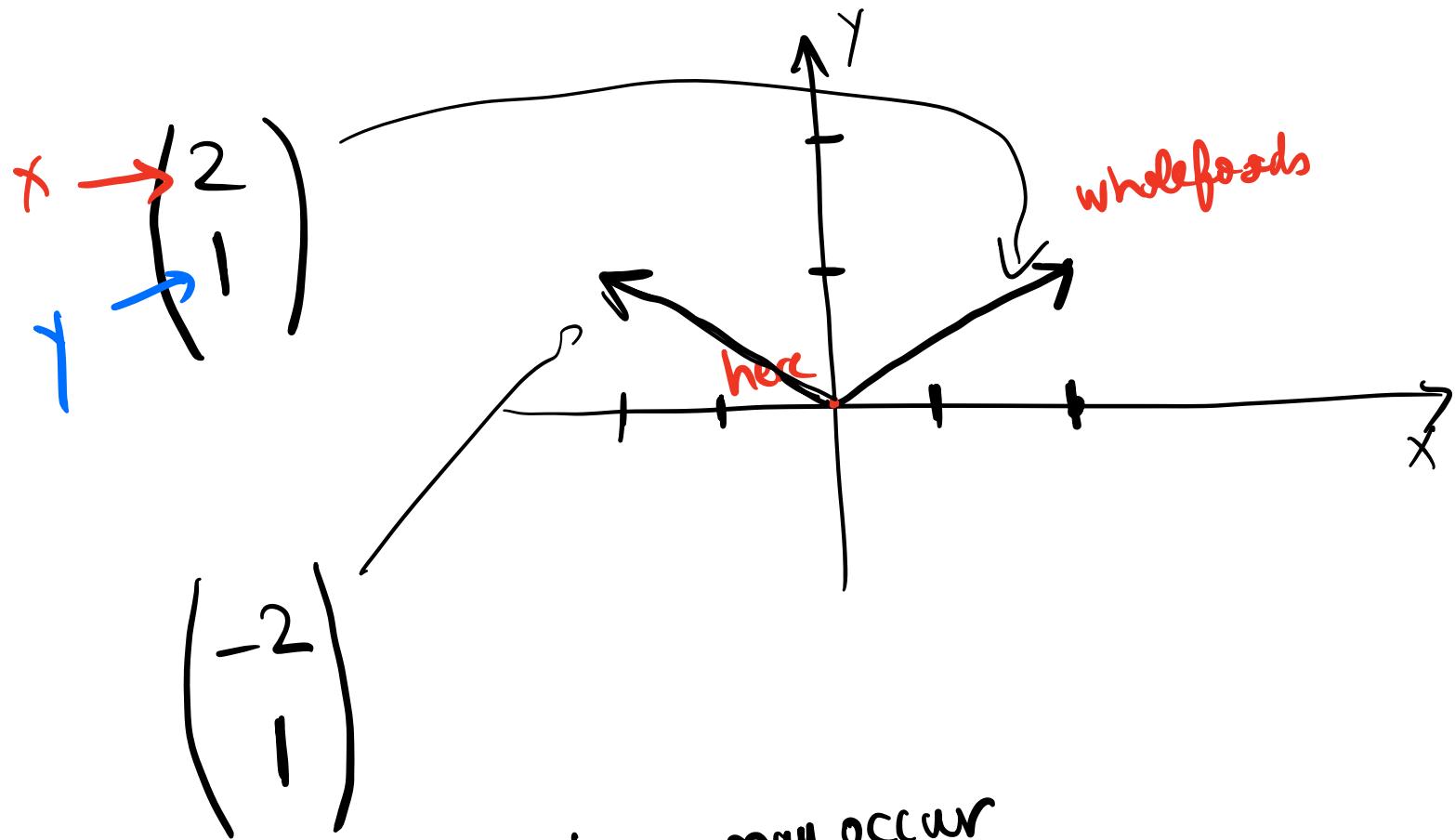
vector

vector

(they're everywhere)

Vector

object that has some direction and magnitude



Example where vectors may occur

Northeastern students are outstanding

Search query

Northeastern
students

outstanding

are
students

outstanding
students

Northeastern students are outstanding

| | Northeastern | students | are | outstanding |
|-----------|--------------|----------|-----|-------------|
| website 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| website 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| website 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| website 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |

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Google will try to figure out which website vectors are the most similar to my search query vector.

Let's answer this question for numbers first

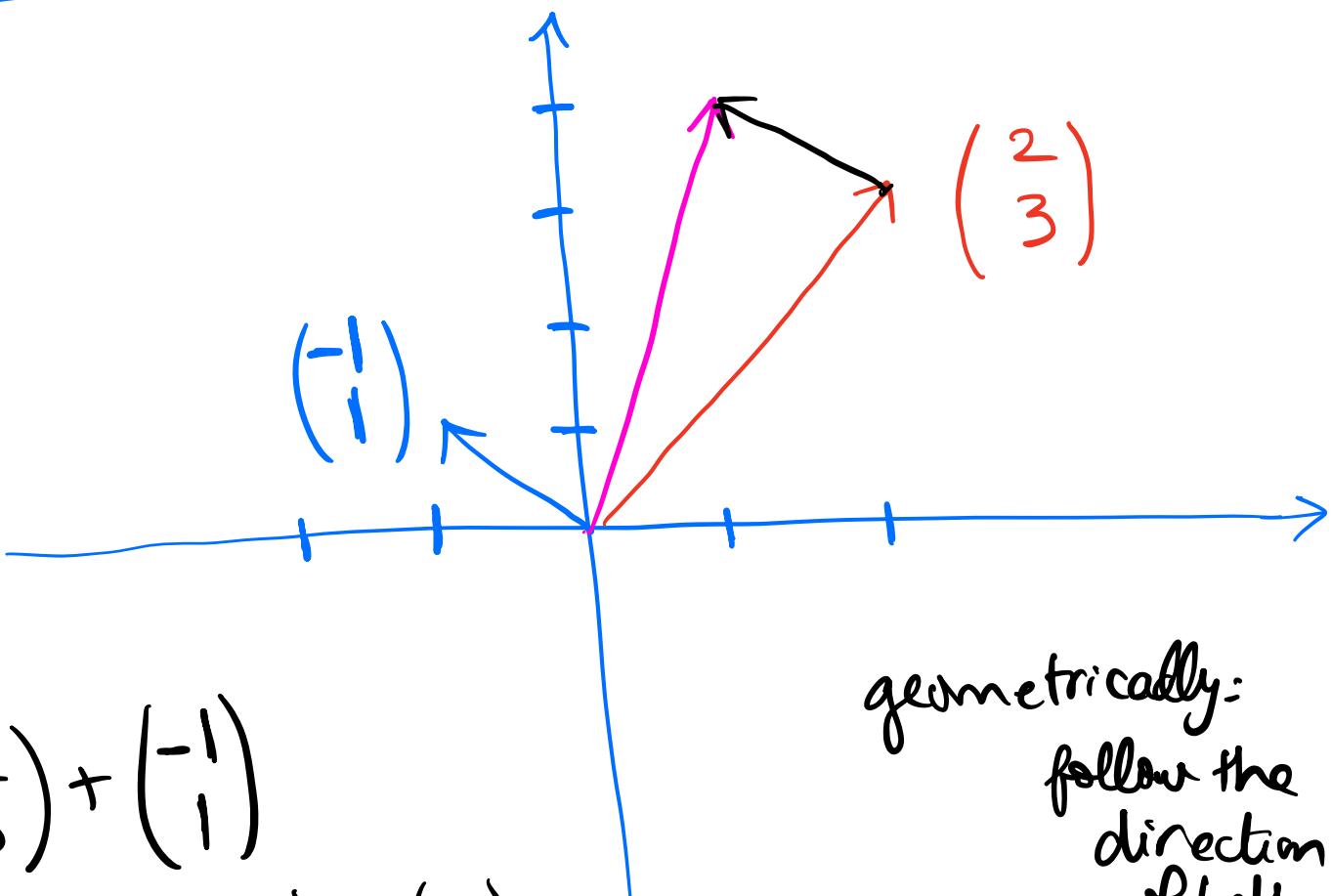
2 and 3

vs

2 and 5

We need to understand how to do operations on vectors to be able to compare vectors

Addition of vectors



$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 2 + (-1) \\ 3 + 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

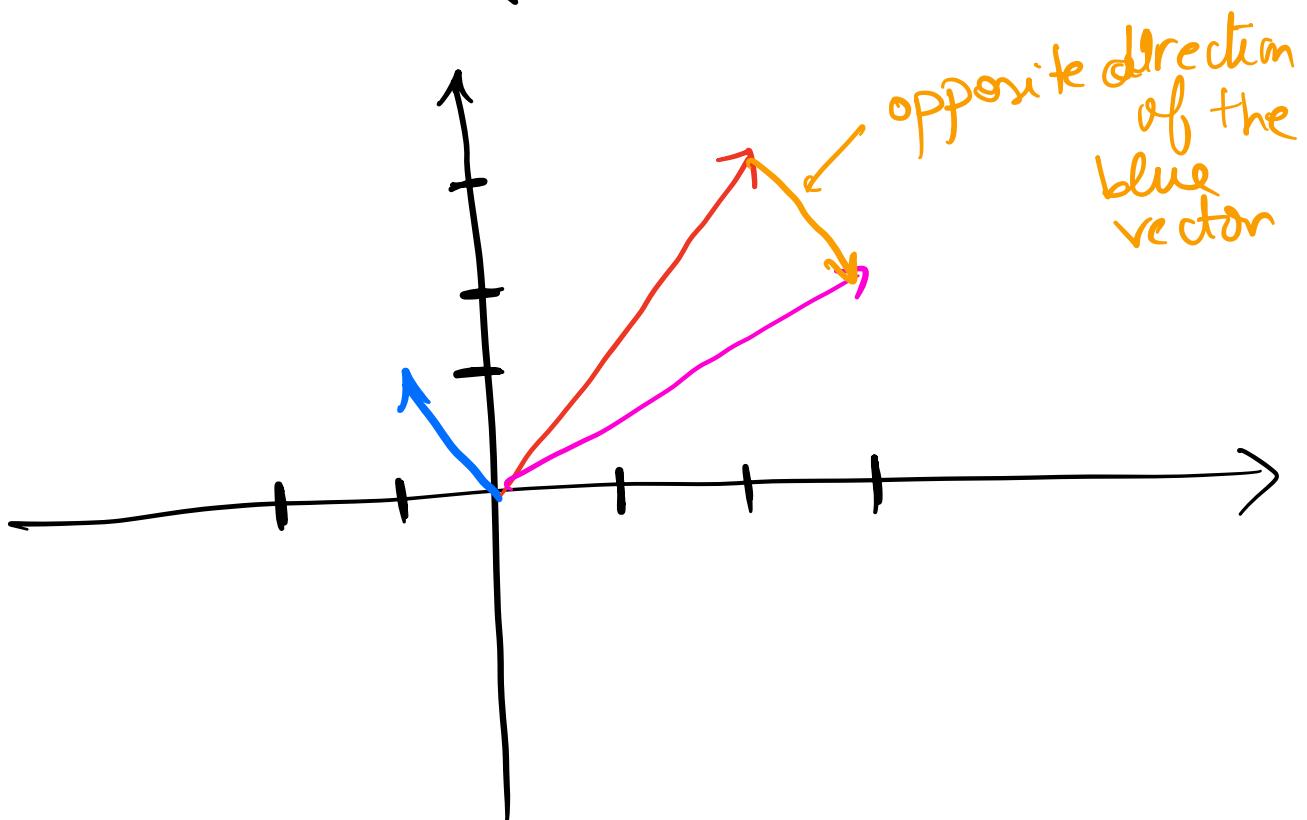
geometrically:
follow the
direction
of both
vectors

algebraically

* Subtraction of vectors

$$2 - 3 = 2 + (-3) \quad (\text{scalars})$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \left[-\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right]$$
$$= \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$



Addition and subtraction is the same
for vectors with more entries

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + y_1 \\ x_2 + y_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n + y_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 - y_1 \\ x_2 - y_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n - y_n \end{pmatrix}$$

Multiplication of two vectors

$$\vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} \quad \vec{y} = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix} \quad \vec{x} * \vec{y} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \cdot y_1 \\ x_2 \cdot y_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \cdot y_n \end{pmatrix}$$

Notation
for vector

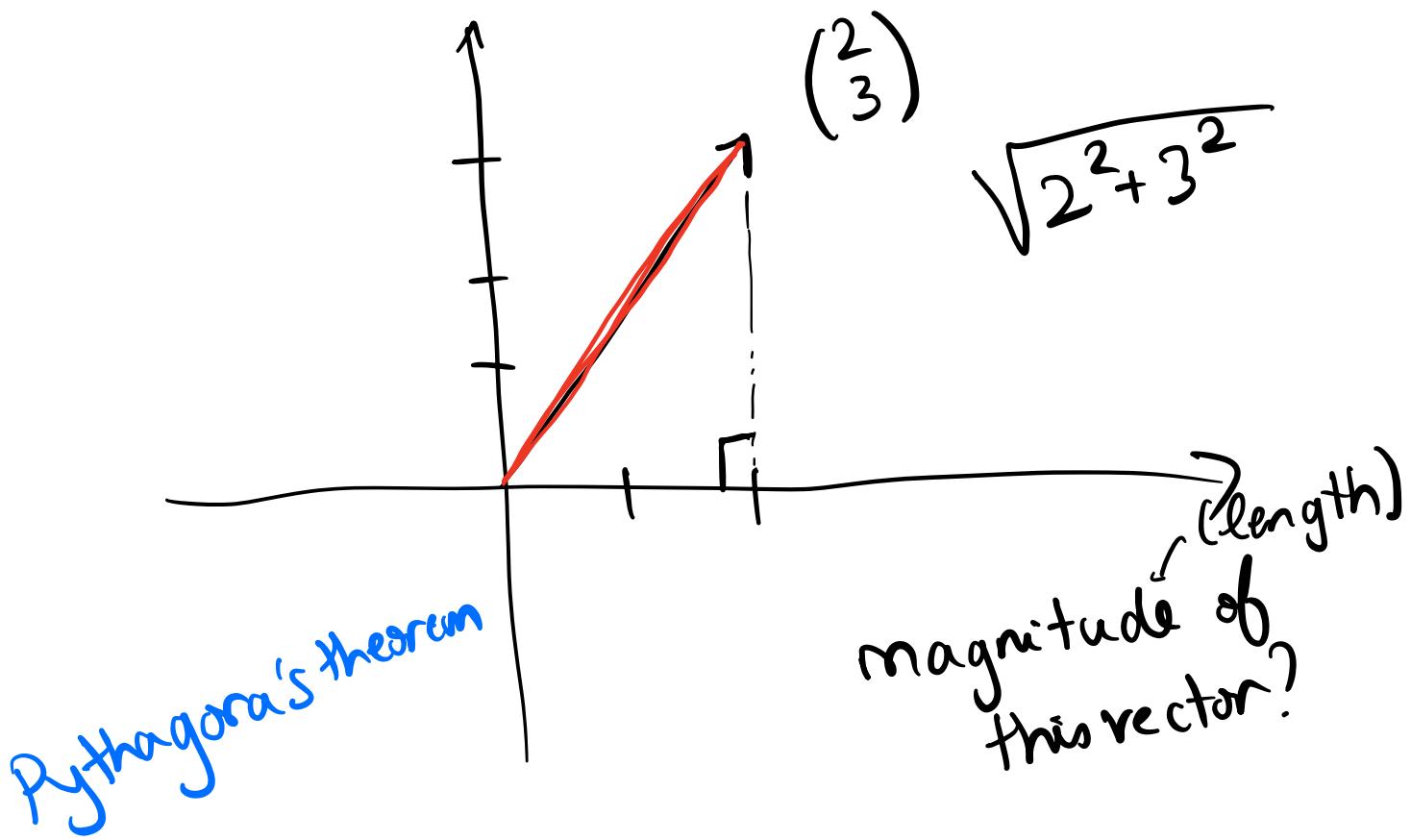
one way of
multiplying vectors

useful for coding
Hadamard product

there is another product that is used more in applications which we call the dot product (inner product)

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix} = \boxed{x_1 y_1 + x_2 y_2 + \dots + x_n y_n}$$

↓
scalar
(not a vector)



magnitude of $\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix}$

$$= \sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_n^2}$$

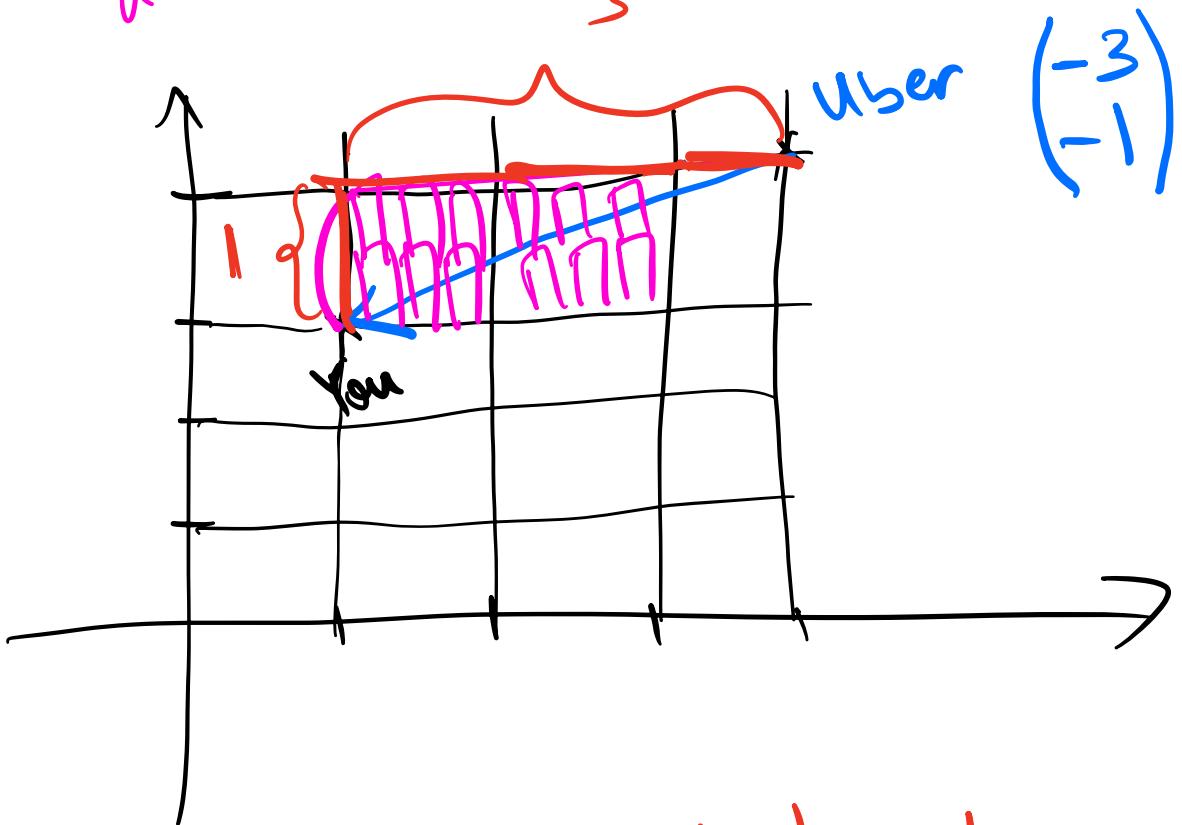
$$= \sqrt{x_1 \cdot x_1 + x_2 \cdot x_2 + \dots + x_n \cdot x_n}$$

one way of computing the magnitude of a vector \vec{x}

$$= \sqrt{\vec{x} \cdot \vec{x}}$$

\Rightarrow dot products are everywhere

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$$|-3| + |-1| = 4$$

$$\| \vec{x} \|_1 = |x_1| + |x_2| + \dots + |x_n|$$

magnitude
or
norm

1-norm

$$\|\vec{x}\|_2 = \sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_n^2}$$

2-norm

* maximum norm or infinity norm

Testing whether you use some product
perfume

measuring the concentration of some
chemical substance in 100 samples
of the perfume

If the concentration of any of
the samples exceeds 100, you
can't use the perfume.

$$\|\vec{x}\|_{\infty} = \max(|x_1|, |x_2|, |x_3|, \dots, |x_n|)$$

$$= \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |x_i|$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} (1) \\ (0) \\ (1) \end{pmatrix} x + \begin{pmatrix} (2) \\ (1) \\ (1) \end{pmatrix} y + \begin{pmatrix} (0) \\ (-3) \\ (-2) \end{pmatrix} z = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} * \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

matrix vector vector

(they're everywhere)

matrix-vector multiplication

→ extension of a dot product

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1*x + 2*y + 0*z \\ 0*x + 1*y + (-3)*z \\ 1*x + 1*y + (-2)*z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} x+2y \\ y-3z \\ x+y-2z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

↓

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -3 \\ 1 & 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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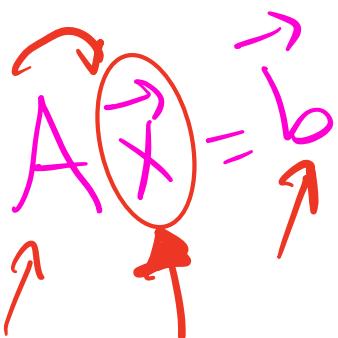
A

$\vec{x} = \vec{b}$

`np.linalg.solve(A, b) → \vec{x}`

$$\|A\|_F = \sqrt{1^2 + 2^2 + 0^2 + 0^2 + 1^2 + (-1)^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 + (-2)^2}$$

↑
Frobenius norm
of a matrix



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$$U(1,2) = -0.04 + 0.8U(1,3) + 0.2U(1,2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{aligned} -0.9U(1,1) + 0.8U(1,2) + 0.1U(2,1) &= 0.04 \\ -0.8U(1,2) + 0.8U(1,3) &= 0.04 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -0.9 & 0.8 & 0.1 & 0 \\ 0 & -0.8 & 0 & 0.8 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} v(1,1) \\ v(1,2) \\ v(2,1) \\ v(1,3) \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.04 \\ 0.04 \end{pmatrix}$$