

1. Cosine similarity measures the similarity between two non-zero vectors using the dot product. It is defined as

$$\cos(\theta) = \frac{\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}}{\|\mathbf{u}\| \cdot \|\mathbf{v}\|}.$$

A result of -1 indicates the two vectors are exactly opposite, 0 indicates they are orthogonal, and 1 indicates they are the same.

- (a) Write a function in Python that calculates the cosine similarity using only the dot product and norm functions.
- (b) In Python, use your function to compute the cosine similarity of the following set of vectors.

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}, \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 2 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} \right\}, \text{ and } \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ -4 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

- (c) Compute the cosine similarity by hand to compare the results.

$$1) \frac{-6 - 3 + 4}{\sqrt{26} \cdot \sqrt{14}} = \frac{-5}{\sqrt{364}} = -0.26207 \quad \checkmark$$

$$2) \frac{30 + 12 + 25}{\sqrt{86} \cdot \sqrt{65}} = \frac{67}{\sqrt{5590}} = 0.896125 \dots \quad \checkmark$$

$$3) \frac{-21 - 4 + 49}{\sqrt{59} \cdot \sqrt{114}} = \frac{24}{\sqrt{6726}} = 0.29263 \quad \checkmark$$

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e:\Download\A10>python problem1.py
The answer is: -0.2620712091804796
The answer is: 0.8961256300885553
The answer is: 0.2926394084397884
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2. Two common loss functions in machine learning are the L1 loss, or Manhattan distance, and L2 loss, known as Euclidean distance. That is,

$$\mathcal{L}_1(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) = \sum_i |u_i - v_i| \text{ and } \mathcal{L}_2(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}) = \sum_i (u_i - v_i)^2$$

The L2 loss is particularly sensitive to outliers, since the result is squared.

- Create a Python script that generates a plot of the L1 distance versus L2 distance. That is, the y-axis represents the output of each function and the x-axis is the vector $\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}$
- Create a function in Python that, given two vectors, computes the L1 and L2 loss. The loss should be printed out.
- To test the above function, randomly generate two 4×1 vectors and pass them as input to your function.

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3. Create a function in Python that calculates the projection of one vector onto another using the definition

(a) Calculate the projection of $\mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \\ 4 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$ onto $\mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 5 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$ by hand.

- (b) Calculate the same projection using the function you wrote in Python.

a)

$$\frac{0+5+16-10}{0+25+16+25} = \frac{11}{66} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$\frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 5 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 5/6 \\ 2/3 \\ 5/6 \end{bmatrix}$$

4. Find the closest point in the subspace spanned by \mathbf{v}_1 and \mathbf{v}_2 to the point \mathbf{x} , where

$$\mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -6 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ and } \mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{12+6+15}{9+36+25} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -6 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{28-3+12}{49+9+16} \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{33}{70} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -6 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{37}{74} \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{172}{35} \\ -\frac{93}{70} \\ \frac{61}{14} \end{bmatrix}$$

5. Find the best approximation to \mathbf{z} by vectors of the form $c_1\mathbf{v}_1 + c_2\mathbf{v}_2$, where

$$\mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ and } \mathbf{z} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{4-3}{4+1+9} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{10-8+2}{25+4+16+4} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{3.5}{49} \cancel{\frac{1}{14}} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{4}{49} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{1}{49} \left(\begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 0 \\ -2.5 \\ -10.5 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 20 \\ -8 \\ 16 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} \right) = \frac{1}{49} \begin{bmatrix} 27 \\ -8 \\ 13.5 \\ -2.5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 27/49 \\ -8/49 \\ 23/98 \\ -5/98 \end{bmatrix}$$

6. Verify that $\{\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2\}$ is an orthogonal set, and then find the orthogonal projection of \mathbf{y} onto $\text{Span}\{\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2\}$, where

$$\mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ and } \mathbf{y} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$3 \cdot -4 + 3 \cdot 4 + 0 = 0$$

orthogonal

$$\frac{(4 \cdot 3) + (3 \cdot 4) + 0}{3^2 + 4^2} \mathbf{u}_1 + \frac{(-4 \cdot 4) + (3 \cdot 3) + 0}{4^2 + 3^2} \mathbf{u}_2$$

$$\frac{24}{25} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{5}{25} \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{1}{25} \begin{bmatrix} 72 \\ 96 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{1}{25} \begin{bmatrix} -20 \\ 15 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{1}{25} \begin{bmatrix} 92 \\ 81 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 92/25 \\ 81/25 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

7. Let $\mathbf{y} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \\ \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \end{bmatrix}$, and $W = \text{Span}\{\mathbf{u}_1\}$.

(a) Let U be the 2×1 matrix whose only column is \mathbf{u}_1 . Compute $U^T U$ and $U U^T$.

(b) Compute $\text{proj}_W \mathbf{y}$ and $(U U^T) \mathbf{y}$.

$$a) \quad \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} & -\frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \\ \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{10} + \frac{9}{10} \quad U^T U = 1$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \\ \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} & -\frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \end{bmatrix} = U U^T = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{10} & -\frac{3}{10} \\ -\frac{3}{10} & \frac{9}{10} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$b) \quad \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \\ \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \end{bmatrix}}{\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \\ \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \\ \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \end{bmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \\ \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{\frac{7}{\sqrt{10}} - \frac{27}{\sqrt{10}}}{\frac{1}{10} + \frac{9}{10}} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \\ \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \end{bmatrix} = \frac{-20}{\sqrt{10}} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \\ \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = \text{proj}_W \mathbf{y}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{10} & -\frac{3}{10} \\ -\frac{3}{10} & \frac{9}{10} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix} = (U U^T) \mathbf{y} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$