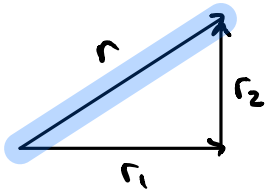
1. The size of a vector is the root of the squared sum of all it's components



$$|r| = \sqrt{|r|_1^2 + |r|_2^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\sum_i^d |r|_i^2}$$

, more generally this distance (euclidean) holds across any number of dimensions d.

What is the size of

$v = [1 \; 3 \; 4 \; 2]^T$

$$|v| = \sqrt{(1)^2 + (3)^2 + (4)^2 + (2)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{30}$$

PROBLEM #2

What is $r = [-5 \; 3 \; 2 \; 8]^T$ dotted with $s = [1 \; 2 \; -1 \; 0]^T$

$$r \cdot s = -5(1) + 3(2) + 2(-1) + 8(0)$$

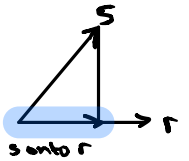
$$= -1$$

PROBLEM #3

Scalar projection can happen in any dimension

What is the scalar proj. of $r = [3 \; -4 \; 0]^T$ onto $s = [10 \; 5 \; -6]^T$

scalar proj: $\frac{r \cdot s}{|r|} = |s| \cos\theta$



"Want to find the size of the blue vector". -scalar proj.

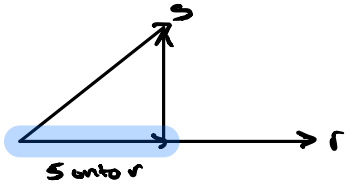
$$r \cdot s = 3(10) + (-4)(5) + 0(-6)$$

$$|r| = \sqrt{3^2 + (-4)^2 + (0)^2}$$

$$\frac{r \cdot s}{|r|} = \frac{10}{5}$$

$$= 2$$

Problem #4.



The vector proj. is the blue vector.

What is the vector projection of $r = [3\ -4\ 0]^T$ $s = [10\ s\ -6]^T$?

$$\text{vector proj.} = \frac{r}{|r|} \times \text{scalar proj.}$$

$$= \frac{r}{|r|} \times \frac{r \cdot s}{|r|}, \text{ or } \frac{r}{|r|} \times |s|\cos\theta$$

$$= r\,\frac{r \cdot s}{r \cdot r}$$

$$r \cdot s = 3(10) + (-4)(s) + (0)(-6)$$
$$= 10$$

$$r \cdot r = (3)^2 + (-4)^2 + (0)^2$$
$$= 25$$

$$r\,\frac{r \cdot s}{r \cdot r} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \frac{10}{25}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 6/5 \\ -8/5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Problem #5.

Which is larger given $a = [3\ 0\ 4]^T$ and $b = [0\ s\ 12]^T$

is $|a+b|$ or $|a| + |b|$?

Options:

(in this case).

I. $|a+b| < |a| + |b|$

II. $|a+b| = |a| + |b|$

III. $|a+b| > |a| + |b|$

Given the two vectors conjoined have an angle between them from $[0° - 180°]$, their addition will either be synergistic or otherwise.

Therefor $|a+b| \leq |a| + |b|$.

$$|a| = \sqrt{(3)^2 + (0)^2 + (4)^2} = s$$

$$|b| = \sqrt{(0)^2 + (s)^2 + (12)^2} = 13$$

$$a+b = [(3+0)\ (0+s)\ (4+12)]^T$$

$$|a+b| = \sqrt{3^2 + (s)^2 + 16^2} = \sqrt{290}$$

PROBLEM #6.

Which of the following statements about the dot-product are correct?

☐ The dot product is not commutative (i.e $s \cdot r \neq r \cdot s$) $\Rightarrow$ dot prod $= \forall_{i \in D} |s_i| \times |r_i|$. multiplication is always commutative

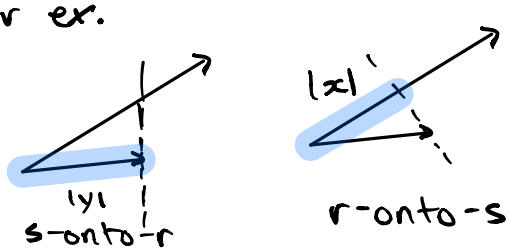
☐ The scalar projection of s-onto-r is always the same as r-onto-s.

$$\text{scalar proj of } r\text{-onto-}s = \frac{s \cdot r}{|s|} = |r|\cos\theta$$

$$\text{scalar proj of } s\text{-onto-}r = \frac{r \cdot s}{|r|} = |s|\cos\theta$$

Both equations share $r \cdot s$, which is commutative.
But $|s|$ is not always equal to $|r|$.
Therefor the scalar projections are not always equal.

For ex.



$|x| \neq |y|$

☑ The vector proj of s-onto-r is equal to scalar proj of s-onto-r multiplied by vector of unit length with direction of r.

$$\text{vector proj} = \frac{r}{|r|} \cdot \text{scalar proj.}$$

$$= \frac{r}{|r|} \times \frac{r \cdot s}{|r|}$$

$$= r \frac{r \cdot s}{r \cdot r}$$

given this formula the statement is true.

☑ We can find the angle between two vectors using the dot product.

$$\text{dot prod} = \forall i \in d \quad d_i = s_i \times r_i$$

$$= |r||s|\cos\theta$$, by equating the dot product and cosine rule (using vectors) and simplifying.

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$$r \cdot s = x \iff x = |r||s|\cos\theta$$

$$\iff \cos\theta = x \times \frac{1}{|r||s|}$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{|r||s|}\right)$$

Thus, you could find the angle using the dot prod and moduli of participating vectors.

☑ The size of the vector is equal to the square root of the dot product of the vector with itself.

Assume the converse,

$$|r| \neq \sqrt{r \cdot r}.$$

$$|r| = \sqrt{\sum_i^d |r|_i^2}$$

$$\sqrt{r \cdot r} = \sqrt{|r||r|\cos\theta}$$

$$= \sqrt{|r||r|\cos(0)}$$

$$= \sqrt{|r||r|(1)}$$

$$= \sqrt{|r|^2}$$

$$= |r|$$, Therefor $|r| \neq \sqrt{r \cdot r}$ is false and the hypothesis must be true!