



## Questions from the class



*No questions for today*

# Matrix Rank

## *Definition*

$N_r(A)$  — max number of **lineary independent** rows of matrix  $A$ .

$N_c(A)$  — max number of **lineary independent** columns of matrix  $A$ .

$$\text{Rank}(A) = N_r(A) = N_c(A)$$

The rank of the matrix is how many of the rows (columns) are «unique»: not formed out by other rows (columns).

# Matrix Rank

## *Motivation*

- Computation of the number of solutions of a system of linear equations.
- Analysis of the linear dependency of rows and columns.
- Applications in Control Theory (next year): observability and controllability.



# Matrix Rank

*How to find*



There are 3 ways:

1. **Look at matrix** and find linear dependencies.
2. **Reduced form** (transform matrix to upper triangular form (The first part of the algorithm for finding inverse matrix)).
3. **Minor method** ([Метод окаймляющих миноров](#)) *not popular in western education.*

# Matrix Rank

*Case Study (on whiteboard)*

Calculate the rank of the following matrix:  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

**Answer: 2**

# Matrix Rank

## Task 2

Determine the ranks of the following matrices for all real values of parameter  $\alpha$ :

1. 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \alpha & -1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & \alpha & 5 \\ 1 & 10 & -6 & 1 \end{bmatrix};$$

2. 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & \alpha & \alpha^2 \\ 1 & \alpha^2 & \alpha \end{bmatrix};$$

# How to get out of an exam

*Video*





# Test 1, Solutions



## Task 1

(2 points) For each of the following statements mark it as True or False. Justify each answer.

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| 1. If matrix $B$ is produced by interchanging two columns of matrix $A$ , then $\det(B) = -\det(A)$ .<br>Explain your answer in $2 \times 2$ case. |  |
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| 2. For any square matrix $A$ there exists exactly one inverse matrix. |  |
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# Test 1, Solutions



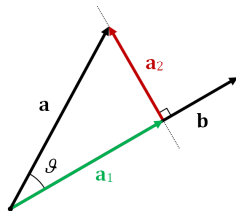
## Task 2

(2 points) Decompose the vector  $\mathbf{p} = (1, 2, 3)$  into components parallel and perpendicular to the vector  $\mathbf{q} = (1, -2, 2)$ .

# Projection

## Definition

The *vector projection* of a vector **a** on (or onto) a nonzero vector **b**, sometimes denoted  $\text{proj}_{\mathbf{b}} \mathbf{a}$  is the orthogonal projection of **a** onto a straight line parallel to **b**.



Projection of **a** on **b** (**a<sub>1</sub>**), and rejection of **a** from **b** (**a<sub>2</sub>**)

## Where it can be used:

- Maps
- Blueprints
- Fitting algorithms (Least squares)
- Reduce matrix dimension
- Reinforcement Learning (RL) fitness functions

# Projection (1)

2D case Classical way

Project "b" on "a<sub>1</sub>"

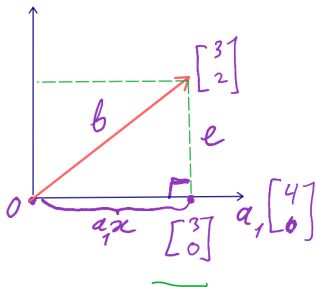
$$e = b - a_1 x$$

$$a_1^T (b - a_1 x) = 0$$

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$$a_1^T b = a_1^T a_1 x$$

$$\frac{a_1^T b}{a_1^T a_1} = x \quad \text{--- classic formula from school}$$



Particular example

$$\frac{a_1^T b}{a_1^T a_1} = x$$

$$\frac{\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}}{\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}} = \frac{12}{16} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\text{projection } p = a_1 x = \frac{3}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

## Projection (2)

2D case

Projection matrix

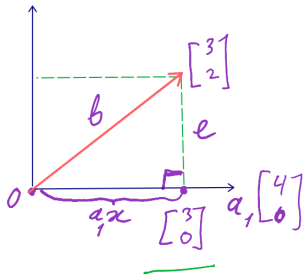
Project "b" on "a<sub>1</sub>"

Like affine transformation matrix

$$p \cdot b = x a_1 = a_1 x$$

$$\frac{a_1^T b}{a_1^T a_1} = x \rightarrow p = \frac{a_1 a_1^T}{a_1^T a_1}$$

Projection matrix



Particular example

$$P = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}}{16} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$p = P b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Projection

Case study: Reinforcement Learning fitness function

## Goal

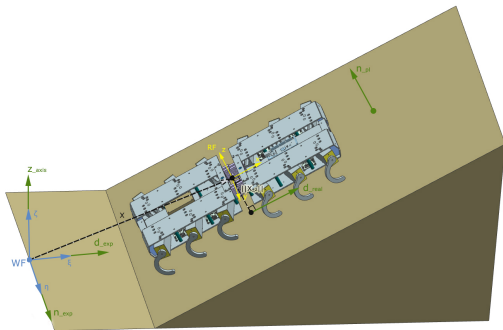
It is necessary for the robot to move in a straight line in all directions, as well as as efficiently as possible.

The efficiency criteria are: course deviation error, max velocity and clearance.

$$F = \omega_1 X_z + \omega_2 \frac{1}{|err| + \varepsilon} + \omega_3 (P_{d_{real}} \vec{X}), \text{ where}$$

$$err = |(I - P_{d_{real}})(I - P_{n_{pl}})\vec{X}|,$$

$P_*$  - projection matrix,  $\omega_*$  - weight coeffs.



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# Test 1, Solutions

## Task 3



1. Find the matrix product  $AB$  if  $A = \begin{bmatrix} x & -2 & -1 \\ 4 & 1 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 1 \\ 1 & -3 \\ 2 & x \end{bmatrix}$
2. Find the largest possible value of determinant  $(AB)$ .

# Test 1, Solutions



## Task 4

(3 points) Point A has coordinates  $(5; -1; 8)$  in the old coordinate system. Find its coordinates in the new coordinate system obtained from the initial one by transferring the origin to point N that has coordinates  $(33; -1; 2)$  in the old coordinate system.



# Test 1, Solutions



## Task 5

(3 points) Subspace  $S$  of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  is formed by linear combination of vectors  $v_1$  and  $v_2$ . Find a vector  $v$  that is orthogonal to  $S$ , if  $v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$

# Test 1, Solutions

## Task 6

(3 points) Let

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (1)$$

Find All **Natural** numbers ( $k \in \mathbb{N}$ ) where:  $A^k = A^{-1}$  ( Also you need to check if A is invertible),

Note that  $A^k = \underbrace{A.A \dots A}_{k \text{ times}}$

## Reference material



- Matrix Rank (OnlineMschool)

# Deserve "A" grade!

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🏢 Room 105 (Underground robotics lab)