



Analytical Geometry and Linear Algebra I, Lab 5

Test 1 Solutions

Matrix Rank

Q/A session

Questions from the class



No questions for today

Test 1, Solutions



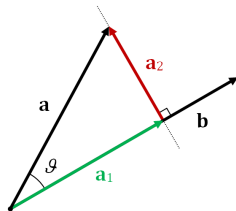
Task 1

(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** (**a₁**), and rejection of **a** from **b** (**a₂**)

Where it can be used:

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

Projection

2D Case, Classical way

Project \vec{b} on \vec{a}_1

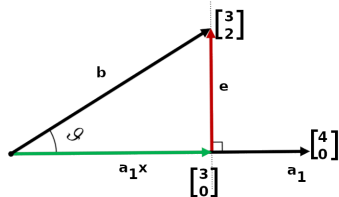
$e = b - a_1x$, e — error b/w similar vectors

$$a_1 \cdot (b - a_1x) = 0$$

$$a_1^T (b - a_1x) = 0$$

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

$$\frac{a_1^T b}{a_1^T a_1} = x \text{ — Classical formula from school}$$



Case study

$$\frac{a_1^T b}{a_1^T a_1} = x \Rightarrow \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}}{\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}} = \frac{3}{4}$$

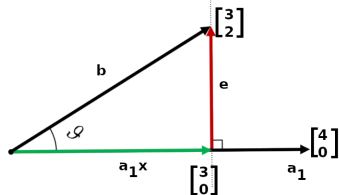
$$\text{Projection } p = a_1x = \frac{3}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Projection

2D Case, Projection matrix

$$\left. \begin{aligned} Pb &= xa_1 = a_1x \\ \frac{a_1^T b}{a_1^T a_1} &= x \end{aligned} \right\} P = \frac{a_1 a_1^T}{a_1^T a_1}$$

Where P — projection matrix



Case study

$$P = \frac{a_1 a_1^T}{a_1^T a_1} = \frac{\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}}{\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

Projection

2D Case, Projection matrix

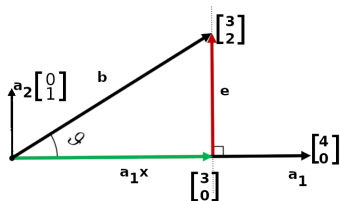
Project \vec{b} on \vec{a}_2 , which is perpendicular to \vec{a}_1

$$P_{d_1} = I - P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Where $P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

P_{d_1} is an error between the whole space and current projection matrix.

$$p_{d_1} = P_{d_1}b = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$



Projection

Case study: Reinforcement Learning fitness function

Goal

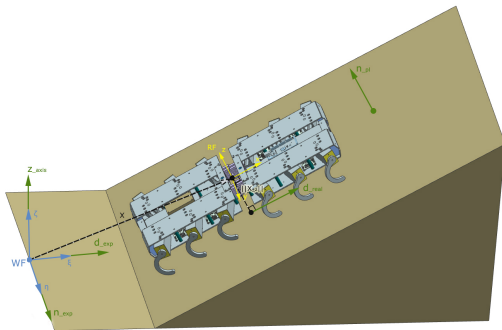
It is necessary for the robot to move in a straight line in all directions, as well as as efficiently as possible.

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, ω_* - weight coeffs.



StriRus – task description

Task 1

Answer



$$\cos \alpha = \frac{p \cdot a}{\|p\| \|a\|} = \frac{i - 4 + 6}{\sqrt{14} \cdot 3} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{14}}$$

$$\begin{cases} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 & 2 \\ a & b & c \end{vmatrix} = 0 \\ a - 2b + 2c = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$r(2, 8, 7)$$

$$q(1, -2, 2)$$

$$p = xq + yr = x \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + y \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 8 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x + 2y \\ -2x + 2y \\ 2x + 7y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{cases} x = 1/3 \\ 15y = 5 \\ y = 1/3 \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{1}{3}q + \frac{1}{3}r$$

$$\begin{cases} a[4+6] + b + c[-2-2] = \\ 10a + b - 4c = 0 \\ a - 2b + 2c = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} a = 2b - 2c \\ 20b - 20c + b - 4c = 0 \\ 21b = 24c \\ b = 8/7c \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} c = 7 & b = 8 & a = 16 - 14 = 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} \frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3} = 1 \\ \frac{2}{3} + \frac{8}{3} = 2 \checkmark \\ \frac{2}{3} + \frac{7}{3} = 3 \end{cases}$$

Task 2



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) .

Task 2

Answer

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 7 & x \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -1 \\ x & 2 \\ -3 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5+2x-15 & -1+4-5 \\ 15+7x-3x & -3+14-x \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2x-10 & -2 \\ 15+4x & x+11 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det = (2x-10)(x+11) + 2(15+4x) =$$

$$= 2x^2 + 22x - 10x - 110 + 30 + 8x = 2x^2 + 20x + 80$$

$$x_{\min} = -\frac{b}{2a} = -\frac{20}{4} = -5$$

$$f_{\max} = +\infty$$

$$y_{\min} = 50 - 100 + 80 = 30$$

Task 3



For which values x , vectors \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b} are basis of some space? Explain your answer.

$$\mathbf{a} = \begin{bmatrix} 1-x \\ x \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1-x \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Task 3

Answer

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1-x & 1-x \\ x & -2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$\boxed{\text{Ans: } x \neq 1, \\ x \neq -2}$$

$$-2 + 2x - x + x^2 = 0$$

$$x^2 + x - 2 = 0$$

$$x_{3,2} = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1+8}}{2} = \frac{-1 \pm 3}{2} =$$
$$= \begin{cases} 1 \\ -2 \end{cases}$$



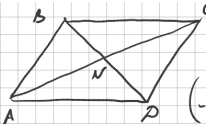
Task 4

Given a parallelogram $ABCD$. Point N is the crossing of its diagonals. The old coordinate system has origin A and the basis AB, AD .

1. Define a new coordinate system formed by the point D and two new basis vectors: DB and DC .
2. Compute the transitions matrix A from the old basis to the new basis.
3. Calculate coordinates of point N in both bases, using the transition matrix A .

Task 4

Answer



A, AB, AD - old
 D, DB, DC - new

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = DB = DA + AB = AB - AD$$
$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = DC = AB + 0 \cdot AD$$
$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = AD = 0 \cdot AB + AD$$
$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}_{\text{old}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}_A \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix}_{\text{new}} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}_{\text{shift}}$$
$$N \text{ in new} = \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and } DN = \frac{1}{2} DB + 0 DC$$
$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1/2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/2 \\ -1/2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/2 \\ 1/2 \end{pmatrix}$$
$$= \frac{1}{2} AB + \frac{1}{2} AD - \text{correct}$$

How to get out of an exam

Video



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 α :

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

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

Reference material



- Matrix Rank (OnlineMschool)

Deserve "A" grade!

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🏢 Room 105 (Underground robotics lab)