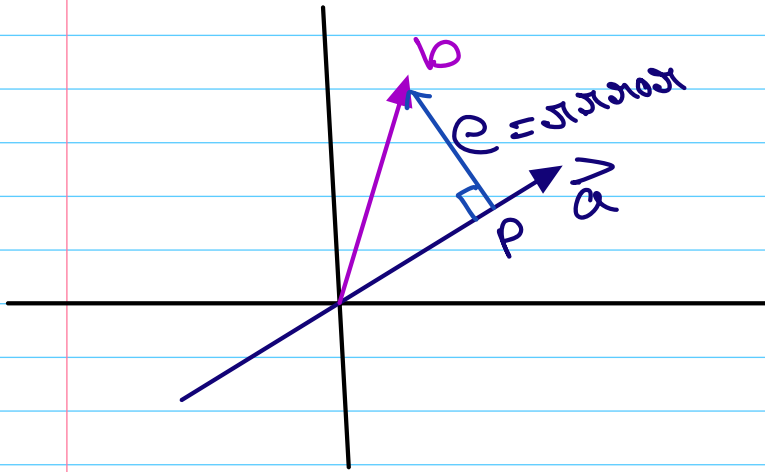


lec 15: Projection's onto subspaces



Projection P onto the line \vec{a}

$$e = b - P$$

$$\Rightarrow e \perp a$$

We know P is some multiple of a

$$\Rightarrow P = \alpha a$$

$$a \perp e = b - P$$

$$\Rightarrow a \perp b - \alpha a$$

$$\Rightarrow a^T (b - \alpha a) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a^T b - \alpha a^T a = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{a^T b}{a^T a}$$

in calculus

$$\alpha = \frac{a^T b}{a^T a} = \frac{\cancel{\|a\|_2} \|b\|_2 \cos \theta}{\cancel{\|a\|_2} \|a\|_2}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{\|b\|_2 \cos \theta}{\|a\|_2}$$

$$\text{let } A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ a_1 & a_2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^T b = \begin{bmatrix} a_1^T \\ a_2^T \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} a_1^T b \\ a_2^T b \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^T A x = A^T b$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_1^T \\ a_2^T \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} d_1 & a_2^T \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} x = A^T b$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_1^T a_1 & a_1^T a_2 \\ a_2^T a_1 & a_2^T a_2 \end{pmatrix} x = \begin{bmatrix} a_1^T b \\ a_2^T b \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x = \frac{a^T b}{a^T a} \quad p = ax$$

$$\Rightarrow p = a \cdot \frac{a^T b}{a^T a}$$

$$\Rightarrow p = \frac{aa^T}{a^T a} \cdot b$$

$$P = \frac{aa^T}{a^T a} \quad (\text{projection matrix})$$

* what's the column space of projection matrix?

if we multiply that matrix by any vector we always get into the column space?

And The column space of a matrix is when we multiply any vector by that matrix - any vector b , we always land in the column space.

\Rightarrow we always land in column space.

if $b \in C(A)$ then $Pb = b$

\Rightarrow rank of projection matrix is rank of column space.

① is P symmetric? $P = \frac{aa^T}{a^Ta}$

$$P^T = \left(\frac{aa^T}{a^Ta} \right)^T = \frac{aa^T}{a^Ta} \quad \text{yes}$$

② $P^2 = ?$

let $p = Pb$ where p is the projected vector of b

the $Pp = p$ again because $P \in C(A)$

$$\Rightarrow P^2 b = Pp = Pb$$

$$\Rightarrow P^2 = P$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Projection matrix } P = P^T$$

$$P^2 = P$$

Why project?

Because $Ax = b$ may have no solution.
($m > n = 1$)

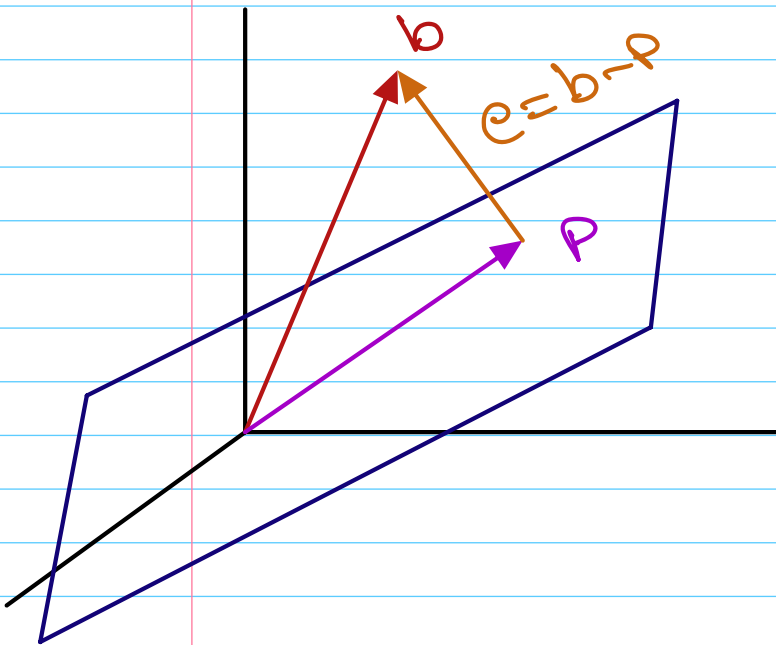
* what should we do, let's solve the closest problem.

* The problem is $Ax \in C(A)$
& b probably not in $C(A)$

* Let's change b to the closest vector in $C(A)$

* Now solve $Ax = p$

* where p is the projection of b onto $C(A)$



a_1, a_2 two vectors
on the plane

\mathcal{C} plane is column
space of A

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$e = b - p \perp$ to plane
to $C(A)$

Projection vector

$$p = x_1 a_1 + x_2 a_2$$

$$p = A \hat{x}$$

key:

$$p = A\hat{x} \quad \text{find } \hat{x}$$

$$e \perp a_1 \Rightarrow a_1^T e = 0 \Rightarrow a_1^T (b - A\hat{x}) = 0$$

$$\underbrace{e \perp a_2}_{\text{red wavy line}} \Rightarrow a_2^T e = 0 \Rightarrow a_2^T (b - A\hat{x}) = 0$$

$$e \perp C(A)$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$e \in N(A^T)$$

$$\Rightarrow$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_1^T \\ a_2^T \end{bmatrix} (b - A\hat{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow A^T (b - A\hat{x}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A^T b - A^T A \hat{x} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow A^T A \hat{x} = A^T b$$

$$\hat{x} = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T b$$

↳ all the columns need to be independent.

$$p = A\hat{x} = \underbrace{A(A^T A)^{-1} A^T}_{\text{red wavy line}} b$$

Projection matrix

matrix $P = A(A^T A)^{-1} A^T$

$$P^T = (A(A^T A)^{-1} A^T)^T$$

$$= A(A^T A)^{-1 T} A^T$$

$$= A(A^T A)^{-1} A^T = P$$

$$\Rightarrow P^T = P$$

$$P^2 = A(A^T A)^{-1} A^T \cdot A(A^T A)^{-1} A^T$$

$$= A(A^T A)^{-1} \underbrace{A^T A}_{I} (A^T A)^{-1} A^T$$

$$= A(A^T A)^{-1} A^T = P$$