

Vv214 Linear Algebra

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Linear Space

Definition

A **linear space** V is a set endowed with a rule for (closed) addition and a rule for (closed) scalar multiplication such that these operations satisfy the following eight rules (for all f, g, h in V and all c, k in \mathbb{R}):

1. $(f + g) + h = f + (g + h)$.
2. $f + g = g + f$.
3. There exists a neutral element n in V such that $f + n = f$, for all f in V . This n is unique and denoted by 0 .
4. For each f in V there exists a g in V such that $f + g = 0$. This g is unique and denoted by $-f$.
5. $k(f + g) = kf + kg$.
6. $(c + k)f = cf + kf$.
7. $c(kf) = (ck)f$.
8. $1f = f$.

Inner Product Space

Definition

An **inner product** in a linear space V is a rule that assigns a real scalar (denoted by $\langle f, g \rangle$) to any pair f, g of elements of V , such that the following properties hold for all f, g, h in V , and all c in \mathbb{R} :

1. $\langle f, g \rangle = \langle g, f \rangle$.
2. $\langle f + h, g \rangle = \langle h, g \rangle + \langle f, g \rangle$.
3. $\langle cf, g \rangle = c \langle f, g \rangle$.
4. $\langle f, f \rangle \geq 0$ and $\langle f, f \rangle = 0$ if and only if $f = 0$.

A linear space endowed with an inner product is called an **inner product space**.

Norm, Orthogonality, Distance

Norm

$$\|f\| = \sqrt{\langle f, f \rangle}.$$

Orthogonality

$$\langle f, g \rangle = 0.$$

Distance

$$\text{dist}(f, g) = \|f - g\|.$$

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Orthonormal Vectors

Definition

the vectors u_1, \dots, u_m in \mathbb{R}^n are called **orthonormal** if they are unit vectors and orthogonal to one another:

$$u_i \cdot u_j = \begin{cases} 1, i = j \\ 0, i \neq j \end{cases}.$$

Remarks

1. Orthonormal vectors are linearly independent.
2. Orthonormal vectors form a basis.

Orthogonal Complement

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Consider a subspace V of \mathbb{R}^n .

$$V^\perp = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n : \langle v, x \rangle = 0, \forall v \in V\}$$

Orthogonal Projection

Consider a vector x in \mathbb{R}^n and a subspace V of \mathbb{R}^n . Then we can write in a unique way

$$x = x^\parallel + x^\perp,$$

where $x^\parallel \in V$ and $x^\perp \in V^\perp$.

Orthogonal Complement

Remarks

1. $V \cap V^\perp = \{0\}$.
2. $\dim(V) + \dim(V^\perp) = \dim(\mathbb{R}^n) = n$.
3. $(V^\perp)^\perp = V$.

QR Factorization

The Gram-Schmidt process

Given linearly independent v_1, \dots, v_n , find u_1, \dots, u_n , such that

- ▶ $\text{span}\{v_1, \dots, v_n\} = \text{span}\{u_1, \dots, u_n\}$;
- ▶ u_1, \dots, u_n is an orthonormal basis.

QR Factorization

Consider an $n \times m$ matrix M with linearly independent columns. Then there exists an $n \times m$ matrix Q whose columns are orthonormal and an upper triangular matrix R with positive diagonal entries such that

$$M = QR.$$

This representation is unique.

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Transpose

Properties

- ▶ $(AB)^T = B^T A^T$;
- ▶ $(A^T)^{-1} = (A^{-1})^T$;
- ▶ $\text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}(A^T)$.

Theorem

$$(\text{im} A)^\perp = \ker(A^T).$$

Least-squares Solution

The normal equation

The least-squares solutions of the system $Ax = b$ are the exact solution of the system

$$A^T Ax = A^T b.$$

If A is invertible x is given by

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

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Isomorphisms

Definition

An invertible linear transformation T is called an **isomorphism**.

Properties

- ▶ T is an isomorphism from V to $W \Leftrightarrow \ker(T) = \{0\}$ & $\text{im}(T) = W$
- ▶ T is an isomorphism from V to $W \Rightarrow \dim(V) = \dim(W)$.
- ▶ $\dim(V) = \dim(W)$ & $\text{im}(T) = W \Rightarrow T$ is an isomorphism from V to W .
- ▶ $\dim(V) = \dim(W)$ & $\ker(T) = \{0\} \Rightarrow T$ is an isomorphism from V to W .

Coordinates

Definition

If $\mathcal{B} = (v_1, \dots, v_m)$ is a basis of a subspace V in \mathbb{R}^n , and $x \in V$,

then $x = c_1 v_1 + \dots + c_m v_m$ and $\begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ \vdots \\ c_m \end{bmatrix}$ is called the \mathcal{B} -coordinate vector of x , denoted $[x]_{\mathcal{B}}$.

\mathcal{B} -matrix of a linear transformation

Matrix of Transformation

For the basis v_1, \dots, v_m

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 & v_2 & \cdots & v_m \end{bmatrix} [x]_{\mathcal{B}},$$

or

$$x = S[x]_{\mathcal{B}}.$$

Obtain $[x]_{\mathcal{B}}$ from x

If $m = n$, we can find $[x]_{\mathcal{B}}$ for arbitrary x ,

$$[x]_{\mathcal{B}} = S^{-1}x.$$

The Matrix of a Linear Transformation

Definition

Consider $T : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ and \mathcal{B} is a basis of \mathbb{R}^n . Then the \mathcal{B} -matrix of T transforms $[x]_{\mathcal{B}}$ to $[Tx]_{\mathcal{B}}$,

$$[Tx]_{\mathcal{B}} = B[x]_{\mathcal{B}}.$$

If $\mathcal{B} = (v_1, \dots, v_n)$,

$$\begin{aligned} B &= \begin{bmatrix} [T(v_1)]_{\mathcal{B}} & \cdots & [T(v_n)]_{\mathcal{B}} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} S^{-1}T(v_1) & \cdots & S^{-1}T(v_n) \end{bmatrix} \\ &= S^{-1}T \begin{bmatrix} v_1 & \cdots & v_n \end{bmatrix} = S^{-1}TS \end{aligned}$$

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Properties

- ▶ Division: dividing a row/column by a non zero scalar k , $\det(A') = \det(A)/k$.
- ▶ Swap: swapping two rows/columns, $\det(A') = -\det(A)$.
- ▶ Addition: adding a multiple of a row/column to another row/column, $\det(A') = \det(A)$.

Properties

- ▶ $\det(AB) = \det(A)\det(B)$.
- ▶ $\det(A^{-1}) = 1/\det(A)$.

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Go over

- ▶ The textbook,
- ▶ Homework 4-6,
- ▶ Slides and exercises on recitation classes.