

LA-HW4

Zahra Rafati

February 9, 2025

Question 1

$$\text{Proj}_S(\mathbf{Y}) = \mathbf{P}_S \mathbf{Y}$$

$\mathbf{P}_S = \mathbf{U}_c \mathbf{U}_c^T$, where $\mathbf{U}_c = [\mathbf{u}_1, \dots, \mathbf{u}_k]$ is the basis of S .

$$\mathbf{y} \in S \implies ^{(I)} \mathbf{y} \in \mathcal{C}(\mathbf{U}_c)$$

$$\mathbf{P}_S \mathbf{y} \xrightarrow{(I)} \mathbf{U}_c \mathbf{U}_c^T \mathbf{y} \stackrel{(I)}{=} \mathbf{U}_c \mathbf{U}_c^T \mathbf{U}_c$$

\mathbf{U}_c is orthonormal. $\rightarrow \mathbf{P}_S \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{y}$

Question 2

$$S^\perp = \{\mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid \mathbf{y}^T \mathbf{x} = 0 \text{ for all } \mathbf{x} \in S\}.$$

$$(I) \quad \forall \mathbf{x} \in S, \exists \mathbf{0} \in \mathbb{R}^n : \mathbf{0}^T \mathbf{x} = 0 \implies \mathbf{0} \in S^\perp.$$

$$(II) \quad \mathbf{y}_1, \mathbf{y}_2 \in S^\perp \implies \mathbf{y}_1^T \mathbf{x} = 0, \mathbf{y}_2^T \mathbf{x} = 0, \forall \mathbf{x} \in S.$$

$$(\mathbf{y}_1 + \mathbf{y}_2)^T \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{y}_1^T \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}_2^T \mathbf{x} = 0 + 0 = 0 \implies \mathbf{y}_1 + \mathbf{y}_2 \in S^\perp.$$

\rightarrow closed under addition.

$$(III) \quad \mathbf{y} \in S^\perp \text{ and } c \in \mathbb{R}.$$

$$\mathbf{y}^T \mathbf{x} = 0, \forall \mathbf{x} \in S.$$

$$(c\mathbf{y})^T \mathbf{x} = c(\mathbf{y}^T \mathbf{x}) = c(0) = 0 \implies c\mathbf{y} \in S^\perp.$$

\rightarrow closed under scalar multiplication.

(I), (II), (III) $\rightarrow S^\perp$ is a linear subspace of \mathbb{R}^n .

Question 3

$$\mathbf{x} \in \text{null}(\mathbf{A}) \rightarrow \mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{0}.$$

Orthogonal complement: $\mathbf{r}_i \perp \mathbf{x}, \forall \mathbf{x} \in R(\mathbf{A})$.

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{r}_1^T \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{r}_m^T \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{0} \rightarrow \mathbf{r}_1 \mathbf{x} = 0, \dots, \mathbf{r}_m \mathbf{x} = 0$$

$$\rightarrow \text{null}(\mathbf{A}) \subseteq R(\mathbf{A})^\perp \quad (\text{I}).$$

$$\dim(\text{null}(\mathbf{A})) + \dim(R(\mathbf{A})) = n$$

and

$$\dim(R(\mathbf{A})^\perp) = n - \dim(R(\mathbf{A}))$$

$$\rightarrow \dim(\text{null}(\mathbf{A})) = \dim(R(\mathbf{A})^\perp) \quad (\text{II}).$$

$$\rightarrow \text{null}(\mathbf{A}) = R(\mathbf{A})^\perp.$$

Question 4

We know:

$$\mathbf{P}^2 = \mathbf{P}, \quad \mathbf{P}^T = \mathbf{P}.$$

$$(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{P})^2 = (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{P})(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{P}) = \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{P} - \mathbf{P} + \mathbf{P}^2.$$

Since $\mathbf{P}^2 = \mathbf{P}$:

$$(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{P})^2 = \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{P}.$$

$$(\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{P})^T = \mathbf{I}^T - \mathbf{P}^T = \mathbf{I} - \mathbf{P}.$$

$\therefore \mathbf{P}$ is a projection matrix.

Decompose \mathbf{v} :

$$\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v}_S + \mathbf{v}_S^\perp, \quad P\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v}_S.$$

$$(I - P)\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v} - P\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v}_S^\perp \rightarrow (I - P)\mathbf{v} \in V_S^\perp.$$

Question 5

$$Q^T Q = I, \quad Q^T = Q^{-1}.$$

$$\det(Q^T Q) = \det(I) = 1.$$

$$\det(AB) = \det(A) \cdot \det(B) \rightarrow$$

$$\det(Q^T Q) = \det(Q^T) \cdot \det(Q) = 1.$$

$$\det(Q^T) = \det(Q), \quad \det(Q)^2 = 1.$$

$$\therefore \det(Q) = \pm 1.$$

Question 6

$$P^2 = P \rightarrow \det(P^2) = \det(P).$$

$$\det(P^2) = \det(P)^2 \rightarrow \det(P)^2 = \det(P).$$

$$\det(P)^2 - \det(P) = 0.$$

$$\det(P)(\det(P) - 1) = 0 \rightarrow \det(P) = 0 \text{ or } 1.$$

Geometrical interpretation: If the matrix is already in the aimed space, then $P = I$ and $\det(P) = 1$.

Otherwise, the column space of the matrix will be dependent, and $\det(P) = 0$.