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1 Inner Product

Prove the Pythagorean theorem for norms defined by inner products. That is, if $z = x + y$ and $x \perp y$, then $\|x\|^2 + \|y\|^2 = \|z\|^2$

2 Valid or Invalid Inner Product

Consider signals in \mathbb{R}^2 . Your friend tells you he has discovered a new inner product. He writes the expression for the new inner product below (length 2 signals).

$$\langle x, y \rangle = x_1^3 y_1^3 + x_2 y_2$$

a)

Does the proposed computation satisfy the positivity requirement of an inner product?

($\langle x, x \rangle \geq 0$ and $\langle x, x \rangle = 0$ iff $x = 0$)

b)

Recall that for an inner product space, the following property must be true. $\langle \alpha x, y \rangle = \alpha^* \langle x, y \rangle$.

For a real vector space, only containing real entries, the following property must be satisfied.

$$\langle \alpha x, y \rangle = \alpha \langle x, y \rangle$$

Has your friend satisfied this requirement?

3 DFT Basis

Recall the following valid un-normalized basis function.

$$w_k[n] = W_N^{-nk} = e^{\frac{j2\pi nk}{N}}$$

a) Generate the Fourier Basis Vectors for \mathbb{R}^3

b) Verify that the Vectors you found in a) are orthogonal

c) Recall the definition of the DFT:

$$X[k] = \sum_n x[n] e^{-j2\pi nk/N}$$

Compute $X[k]$ for $x[n] = [3 \ 5 \ 1]$

d) Compute the inverse DFT of $X[k]$

e) Compute the coordinates of $x[n]$ with respect to the normalized Basis from part a)

f) Let γ represent the normalizing constant you used in e) to create the normalized basis from a). Using γ explain the relationship between $X[k]$ and the coordinates you found in e)

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$$B = [b_1 \ b_2 \ b_3]$$

6 A different way of thinking

Your friend has a favorite two digit number. But your friend is cheeky and he doesn't want to give you this important information without a bit of trickery.

The secret number is encoded as a length two signal. He gives you the **coordinates with respect to the Normalized Basis Function from part 3** of the length two signal.

$$c_0 = \frac{9}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$c_1 = \frac{7}{\sqrt{2}}$$

What is your friend's favorite number?

7 Free Response

Express the length 4 signal $\mathbf{x} = [1 \ 2 \ 1 \ 4]^T$ as a weighted sum of $\frac{1}{N} \mathbf{W}_N^{-nk}$ terms (4 terms total)