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Linear Algebra. (3Blue1Brown)

Chp 1: Vectors

$$a\hat{i} + b\hat{j} = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}$$

- Representing 2d ^{plane's} points as vectors.

- Representing points in 3d plane as vectors.

- Addition of vectors (Parallelogram law)

$$\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} c \\ d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a+c \\ b+d \end{bmatrix}$$

- Scalar multiplication of vectors

Chp 2: Span

- Representation of any vector/point by addition of scaled basis vectors (linear combination)

Notes (1) Span of two vectors (set of all their linear combinations)

(2) Span of most 2-d vectors is all 2d vectors.

(3) If two vectors line up \rightarrow their span is all points on that line

(4) Similar for 3-d vectors.

Chp 3

Chp 3: Linear transformation of vectors

- Visualization of linear transformation.

- Understanding matrix multiplication. Linear transformation and its importance visually

- If $\hat{i} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}$ and $\hat{j} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} c \\ d \end{bmatrix}$ then $\vec{v} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j}$ in new plane

is same as $\vec{v} = x \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} c \\ d \end{bmatrix}$ in old plane.

Chp 4: Mat Matrix multiplication as composition.

- Understanding how and why matrix multiplication works in 2 and 3-d spaces.
- Developing instincts of basic matrix properties such as
 - associativity $A(BC) = (AB)C$
 - Non-Commutative $AB \neq BA$ and so on.

Chp 5: 3-d linear transformations.

- Same as 2d, 3×3 matrices.
- Visualization, cube, volume.

Chp 6: Determinant $|A|$.

- Is the factor by which a unit square or unit volume is scaled in the transformed 2 or 3-d space.
- ~~80%~~ Negative determinant indicates flipping of space.

Chp 7: Inverse, Rank and Null Space.

- Use of matrices to solve linear sys of eqs, $A\bar{x} = \bar{v}$ (Visualization).
- Visualization of inverse (doing transformation in reverse).
- Hence understanding $AA^{-1} = I \rightarrow$ does nothing.
 $\therefore A\bar{x} = \bar{v}$ means if A is your transformation, you are searching for a vector \bar{x} such that transforming \bar{x} you land on \bar{v} . (Hence, $\bar{x} = A^{-1}\bar{v}$)
This is possible only if it is not squished into a line (inverse method).

lower dimension (i.e. $1 \times 1 = 0$)

- Rank 3. (If rank goes from 3 to 2 better than from 3 to 1, $0 \rightarrow \text{Point}$)

If rank reduces, possible so (exists but rare).

- Column space \rightarrow Span (set of) columns (vectors) of your matrix.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Column space = 3. Rank better def \rightarrow No of dimensions in column space.

Null space \rightarrow Span of (set of) all vectors that result in 0 vector, after squishing (to the origin).

Clip 8: Non-square matrices.

- If dimensions are squished, results in non-square matrices.

Clip 9: Dot Product and Duality.

- Visualization of how projection is basically very similar to linear transformation of say a 2d vector onto a point.

- And this leading understanding similarities between dot product and the geometric interpretation.

- Projection matrix of $u : [u_x \ u_y]$

- Thus, whenever we do 2d to 1d linear transform there exists a vector v such that doing that linear transform is same as doing dot product with that vector.

- Duality: That vector v is dual of that linear transform.

Chp 10: Cross Product (Standard)

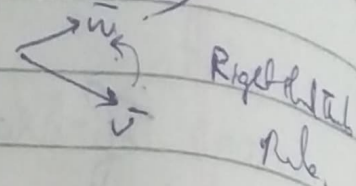
$\vec{v} \times \vec{w}$ is area of parallelogram (ve)
 $\vec{w} \times \vec{v}$ (-ve area)

$$\vec{v} \times \vec{w} = \det [\vec{v} \ \vec{w}]$$

Properties: $3\vec{v} \times \vec{w} = 3[\vec{v} \times \vec{w}]$

~~But this is fake cross product.~~

But remember, cross product is not just value of the area, but the vector in that dir.



Chp 10: Understanding Duality of cross product
 If \vec{p} is the dual of our linear transform that
 $\vec{v} \times \vec{w} = \vec{p} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$ (length of projection) \times (length of \vec{p}).
 Signifies cross product

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} z & v_1 & w_1 \\ y & v_2 & w_2 \\ x & v_3 & w_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

where $\vec{p} = [\vec{v} \ \vec{w}]$.

$$= (\text{area of parallelogram}) \times (\text{Component of } \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \perp \text{ to } \vec{v} \ \& \ \vec{w})$$

↪ Direction

Chp 12: Cramer's rule → geometric

Chp 13: Change of basis.

- \hat{i} & \hat{j} are basis vectors of standard coordinate system.
- Can use a separate coord sys with diff basis vectors \vec{b}_1 and \vec{b}_2 .
- Origin of all systems should line up, but angle of basis vectors and grid spacing can change.

Suppose $\vec{b}_1 = 2\hat{i} + \hat{j}$; $\vec{b}_2 = -\hat{i} + \hat{j}$.

Change of basis matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Multiplying by this matrix that by linear transformation transforms grid from (\vec{b}_1, \vec{b}_2) system to (\hat{i}, \hat{j}) system.

(\vec{b}_1, \vec{b}_2) sys \rightarrow (Standard)

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

\rightarrow Our sys' (Scalars)

$$\therefore 2x - y = 3 \quad x + y = 2 \quad x = 5/3, y = -1/3$$

Chp 14: Eigenvectors Eigenvalues

- Only in rare cases, vector don't get knocked off their span during transformation. \rightarrow Called eigenvectors \rightarrow Scalars by which all values on span of eigenvectors \rightarrow eigenvalues
- $A\vec{v} = \lambda\vec{v}$ \rightarrow Equivalent for eigenvector \vec{v} .

$\underbrace{\lambda}_{\text{Eigenvalue}}$
- $\therefore (A - \lambda I)\vec{v} = \vec{0}$