

More on Group Quotients

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- given a group G and (normal) subgroup H , we can quotient G by H to get a new group, G/H .
- same happen with vector spaces V and subspace W . Form a new vector space V/W .

Group Example:

- take $G = \mathbb{Z}$ under addition, $+$.
 $H = 2\mathbb{Z}$, group of even numbers under $+$.
- note $H \subset G$ but still a group in its own right.
as a subset
- recall the coset of a group elt g wrt the subgroup H is:

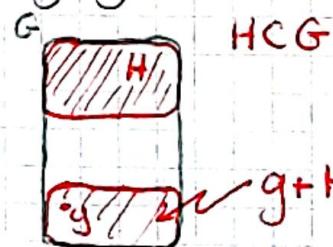
$$[g] = g + H = \{g + h \mid h \in H\} \quad \text{"a shift of } H \text{ by } g\text{"}$$

- try $0 \in G$.

$$[0] = 0 + 2\mathbb{Z}$$

$$= \{0 + h \mid h \in 2\mathbb{Z}\}$$

$$= \{0, 2, -2, 4, -4, \dots\} = \text{even numbers.}$$



try $1 \notin [0]$:

$$[1] = 1 + 2\mathbb{Z}$$

$$= \{1 + h \mid h \in 2\mathbb{Z}\}$$

$$= \{1, -1, 3, -3, \dots\} = \text{odd numbers.}$$

⇒ that's it!

⇒ So $\mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$ has two cosets: $[0], [1]$

- a group in two elts. & operation

$$[x] +_c [y] = [x +_0 y]$$

$$[0] + [0] = [0] \quad [0] + [1] = [1]$$

$$[1] + [1] = [0] \quad [1] + [0] = [1]$$



$$\begin{array}{ccc} & +([0]) & +([1]) \\ ([0]) & [0] & [1] \\ ([1]) & [1] & [0] \end{array}$$

$$\} \cong \mathbb{Z}_2$$

First Isomorphism Thm

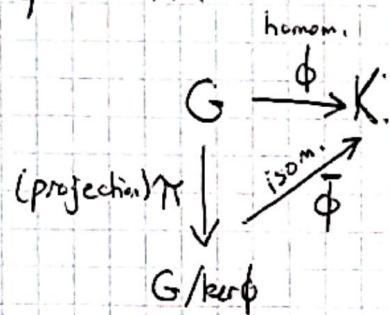
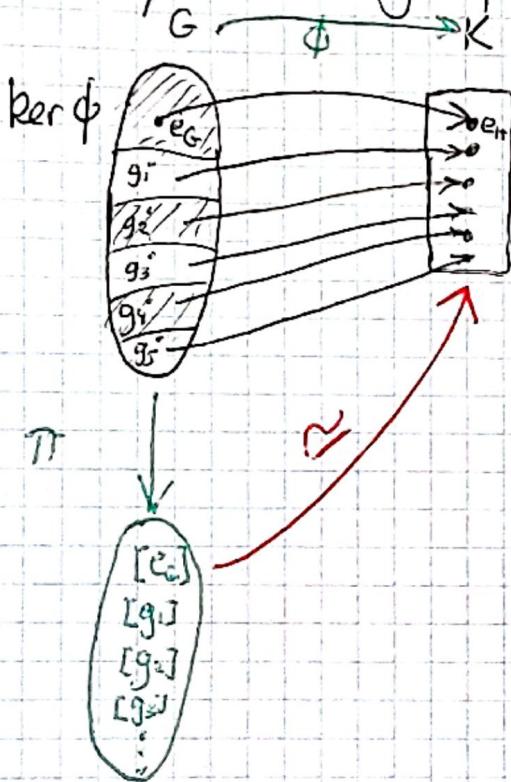
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Say you have a group G and a homomorphism ϕ from $G \rightarrow K$, so that:

$$\boxed{\phi(g_1 + g_2) = \phi(g_1) +_K \phi(g_2)}$$

① The kernel of ϕ , $\{g \in G \mid \phi(g) = e_K\}$ is a (normal) subgroup of G .

② The quotient group $G/\ker\phi \cong K$.



Commutation Diagram

Example: From $\mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$.

$$G = \mathbb{Z}$$

$$K = \mathbb{Z}_2$$

- we need to choose a ϕ :

$$\text{Let } \phi: \mathbb{Z} \longrightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2$$

$$\begin{aligned} x &\mapsto 0 \quad \text{if } x \text{ even} \\ &\mapsto 1 \quad \text{" " odd} \end{aligned}$$

Note: $\ker\phi = \{x \in G \mid \phi(x) = 0\}$
 $= \text{even numbers}$,
 $= 2\mathbb{Z}$.

As expected from FIT:

$$G/\ker\phi \cong K$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z} \cong \mathbb{Z}_2}$$

Example:

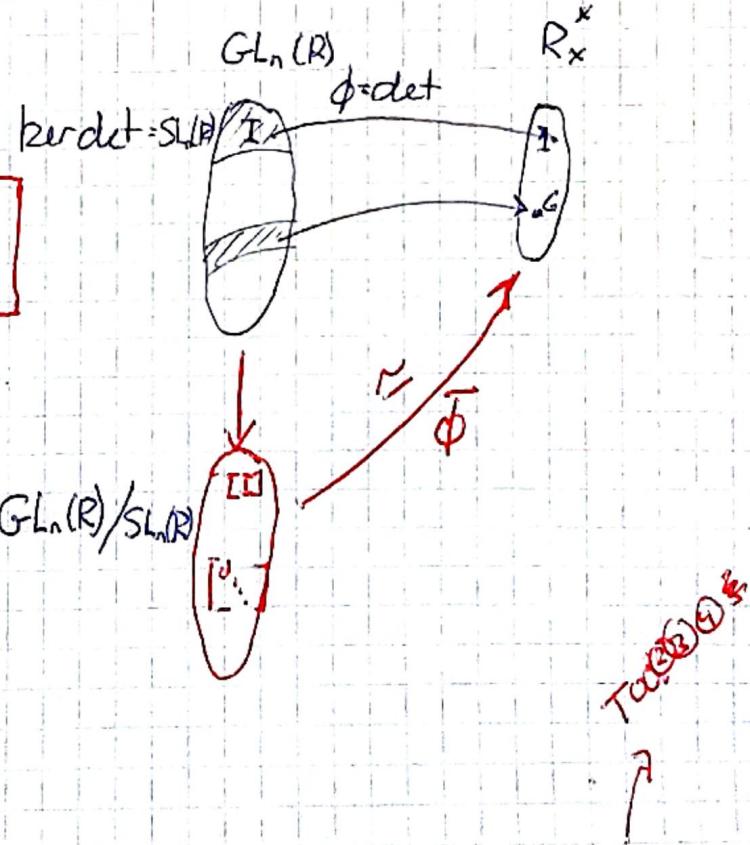
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- Start with real invertible $n \times n$ matrices under matrix mult.
- These are a group $G = GL_n(\mathbb{R})$.
- Choose a map to the real numbers : $\phi = \det$. function
- Take the target group of ϕ to be \mathbb{R}_x^*
- \rightarrow real numbers except 0 under mult \cong .
- $\therefore \phi = \det : GL_n(\mathbb{R}) \longrightarrow \mathbb{R}_x^*$
- $X \longmapsto \det X.$

- note it's a homomorphism : $\det(X \cdot Y) = \det X \times_{\mathbb{R}} \det Y$
- identity I_n in G is mapped to identity 1 in \mathbb{R} .
- the kernel of the det function is the set
- $\ker \phi = \{X \in GL_n(\mathbb{R}) \mid \det X = 1\}.$
- this is $SL_n(\mathbb{R})$.

- so from the FIT :

$$GL_n(\mathbb{R}) / SL_n(\mathbb{R}) \cong \mathbb{R}_x^*$$



- note dim's :

$$\dim GL_n(\mathbb{R}) = n^2$$

$$\dim SL_n(\mathbb{R}) = n^2 - 1$$

$$\dim \mathbb{R}_x^* = 1.$$

- can do similar $\bar{\phi}$ the trace function: $\phi = \text{tr} : M_n(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+$.
- \Rightarrow kernel is $SL_n(\mathbb{R})$. \rightarrow all matrices $\bar{\phi}$ trace 1. (additive identity)

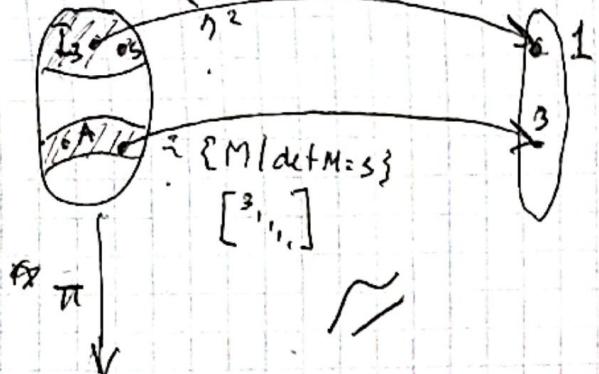
$n \times n$ R matrix under $\text{mn}x$

$$G = \text{GL}_n(R) \quad \phi = \det$$

$$\mathbb{R}^{\times} \cong 1 \text{ dim.} \quad \ker \phi = \{M \in \text{GL}_n(R) \mid \det M = 0\}$$

$$= \text{SL}_n(R).$$

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$$\text{GL}_n(R)/\text{SL}_n(R) \cong \mathbb{R}_{\sim}^{\times}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1, 1 \end{bmatrix} S = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} S = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S = \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1/6 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/3 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det S = 1.$$

\Rightarrow try \bar{c} trace func: $M_n(R) \xrightarrow{\text{tr}} \mathbb{R}^+$.

$$\ker \text{tr} = \{M \mid \text{tr } M = 0\}$$

$$= \text{sl}_n(R).$$

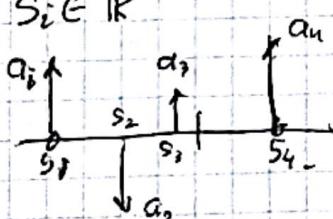
$$\Rightarrow M_n(R)/\text{sl}_n(R) \cong \mathbb{R}^+$$

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Recall the free vector space of a set S over \mathbb{R} .

$$F(S) = \sum_{i=1}^k a_i(s_i) \quad \text{where } s_i \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\text{or } \sum_{i=1}^k a_i s_i$$



\rightarrow each $s_i \in \mathbb{R}$ is an independent basis \bar{c} no relations or constraints.

\Rightarrow Now introduce "relations" or constraints.

\Rightarrow we want to create an n -dim^c vector space from this uncountably ∞ one.

- treat the $U = \sum_{k=1}^K \alpha_k S_{S_{k_2}}$ as a pseudo-pdf & 5

calc. its signed moments. via:

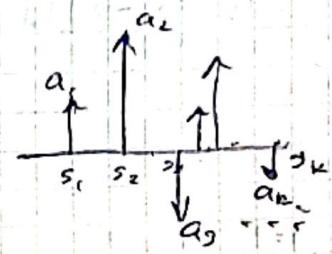
$$m_0 = \sum_k \alpha_k S_{k_2}^0 + \sum_k \alpha_k \rightarrow \text{"DC"}$$

$$m_1 = \sum_k \alpha_k S_{k_2} \rightarrow \text{"mean"}$$

$$m_2 = \sum_k \alpha_k S_{k_2}^2 \rightarrow \text{"var"}$$

$$\vdots$$

$$m_{n-1} = \sum_k \alpha_k S_{k_2}^{n-1}$$



\mathbb{R}^n

- this the "moment map" $M: F(S) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$

→ Note: It's linear in that:

$$M(aU + bU) = aM(U) + bM(U).$$

$$\cdot \text{say} \cdot M\left(a \cdot \sum_i \alpha_i S_{\alpha_i} + b \sum_j \beta_j S_{\beta_j}\right)$$

$$= M\left(\sum_i a \alpha_i S_{\alpha_i} + \sum_j b \beta_j S_{\beta_j}\right). = \underline{m}$$

$$m_0 = \sum_i a \alpha_i + \sum_j b \beta_j = a M_0(U) + b M_0(U).$$

$$m_1 = \sum_i a \alpha_i \underline{s}_{\alpha_i} + \sum_j b \beta_j \underline{s}_{\beta_j} = a M_1(U) + b M_1(U).$$

$$m_2 = \sum_i a \underline{U_i}^2 + \sum_j b \underline{U_j}^2 = a M_2(U) + b M_2(U).$$

\Rightarrow So ~~an~~ homomorphism.

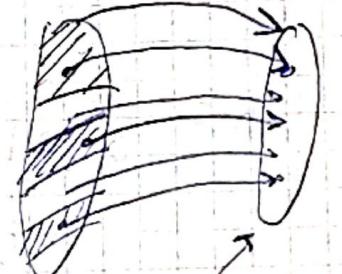
• From the FIT:
$$F(S)/\ker M \cong \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$\bullet \text{ so } \ker M = \left\{ U \in F(S) \mid M\left(\sum_k \alpha_k S_{\alpha_k}\right) = 0_{\mathbb{R}^n} \right\}$$

\rightarrow the first n "moments" equal zero.

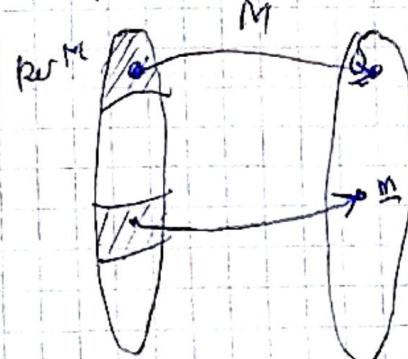
• also $U \sim V$ in $F(S)$ iff $M_U = M_V = \underline{m} \rightarrow$ they have the same n -moments.

$F(S) \quad M \quad \mathbb{R}^n$



\mathbb{R}
 $\begin{pmatrix} U \\ V \\ W \end{pmatrix}$
 $F(S)/\ker M$
 It's linear in each coord.

$F(S) \quad M \quad \mathbb{R}^n$



- what does this kernel look like?

• given a $v \in F(S)$, $v = \sum_{k=1}^K w_k s_{s_k}$
 "moment map":

$$M_n : F(S) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$v = \sum_{k=1}^K w_k s_{s_k} \rightarrow$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \sum_k w_k \\ \sum_k w_k s_k \\ \sum_k w_k s_k^2 \\ \vdots \\ \sum_k w_k s_k^{n-1} \end{bmatrix}_{n \times 1}$$

DC

mean

varf-

$$= \sum_{k=1}^K w_k \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ s_k \\ s_k^2 \\ \vdots \\ s_k^{n-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

• For a given K (which varies in general $< \infty$).

N_n is the set of all $\{(w_k, s_k)\}_{k=1}^K$ s.t.

⇒ See back of pg ③ for examples.

→ so, we need $K > n$ anchor points. For non-zero, Ω , elements of N_n .

$$n=1: S_1 \rightarrow [1]$$

$$\sum_k w_k = 0$$

Note:
All V 's are
Vandermonde
& invertible

$$n=2$$

$$S_2 \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ s \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \left. \begin{array}{l} \sum_k w_k = 0 \\ \sum_k w_k s_k = 0 \end{array} \right\} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ s_1 & s_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$n=3: S_3 \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ s \\ s^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ s_1 & s_2 & s_3 \\ s_1^2 & s_2^2 & s_3^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \\ w_3 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

from
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$$n=4$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ s_1 & s_2 & s_3 & s_4 \\ s_1^2 & s_2^2 & s_3^2 & s_4^2 \\ s_1^3 & s_2^3 & s_3^3 & s_4^3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \\ w_3 \\ w_4 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

- need $k \geq n+1$ to get non- $w=0$ sol's.

$$x \cdot \tilde{x} = \sum_{k=1}^K \beta_k s_{s_k} \xrightarrow{M} M$$

\uparrow
 $F(\mathbb{R})$

\uparrow
 \mathbb{R}^n

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- note, any elt in $[S_{s_i}]$ equals $s_{s_i} + n$ for some $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$

Why: $M(s_{s_i} + n) = M(s_{s_i}) + M(n) = M(s_{s_i}) + 0 = M(s_{s_i})$.

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- start w/ free vect. spc. over on \mathbb{R} over \mathbb{R} , $F(S)$.

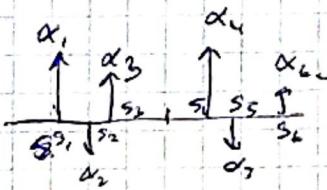
- typical elt $v = \alpha_1 s_{s_1} + \alpha_2 s_{s_2} + \dots + \alpha_K s_{s_K}$.

$$\rightarrow \alpha_i, s_i \in \mathbb{R}$$

- is unct. ∞ in dim -

- picture like a signed, unnormalized pdf:

- evaluates its "moments" - via moment map:

$\text{"mean"} \left[\begin{array}{c} \sum_k \alpha_k \\ \vdots \\ \sum_k \alpha_k s_k \end{array} \right] \in \mathbb{R}^n$	$= Mv$	<div style="display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: space-between;"> Note: M is linear in v.  </div> $M: F(S) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$
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- so we can get a V.S. by quotienting out $\ker M$ from $F(S)$: $F(S)/\ker M$

- denote $\ker M = N_0$ (nullspace)

$$F(S)/N_0 = Q_0 \quad (\text{quotient}).$$

- we have $v_1 \sim v_2$ iff $Mv_1 = Mv_2 \rightarrow$ have the same moment vcts

$$\rightarrow M(v_1 - v_2) = 0$$

$$\rightarrow [v_1 - v_2 \in N_0]$$

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\Rightarrow difference of vectors have vanishing moments after apply of moment map.

- to get concrete basis to work in our \mathbb{R} choose k_n

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anchor
distinct n points in \mathbb{P}^1 to index basis vectors in $F(S)$, $\{s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n\}$

- Create the $V_n \times n$ Vandermonde matrix

e.g. $n=2$ $V_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ s_1 & s_2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} s_1^0 & s_2^0 & \cdots & s_n^0 \\ s_1^1 & s_2^1 & \cdots & s_n^1 \\ s_1^2 & s_2^2 & \cdots & s_n^2 \\ \vdots & & & \\ s_1^{n-1} & s_2^{n-1} & \cdots & s_n^{n-1} \end{bmatrix}_{n \times n}$$

$$V_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ s_1 & s_2 & s_3 \\ s_1^2 & s_2^2 & s_3^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- these s_i 's correspond to the basis vectors $\delta_{s_1}, \delta_{s_2}, \dots, \delta_{s_n}$ in $F(S)$.

- we know that $\underline{x}_1 \sim \underline{v}_1 \sim \underline{v}_2$ iff

$$M\underline{v}_1 = M\underline{v}_2$$

$$\text{or } M_1 = M_2$$

- Suppose we are given a moment vector $\underline{m} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ & want to find weights w_i for the δ_{s_i} so $\underline{v} = \sum_{i=1}^n w_i \delta_{s_i}$ has $M\underline{v} = \underline{m}$

$$w_i = \begin{bmatrix} w_0 \\ w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{note } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ s_1 & s_2 & s_3 \\ s_1^2 & s_2^2 & s_3^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w_0 \\ w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} w_0 + w_1 + w_2 \\ w_0 s_1 + w_1 s_2 + w_2 s_3 \\ w_0 s_1^2 + w_1 s_2^2 + w_2 s_3^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \sum_k w_k \\ \sum_k w_k s_k \\ \sum_k w_k s_k^2 \end{bmatrix} \equiv \underline{w} \begin{bmatrix} m_0 \\ m_1 \\ m_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

or $V_n \underline{w} = \underline{m} \Rightarrow \boxed{\underline{w} = V_n^{-1} \underline{m}}$

- if $\underline{m} = M\underline{v}$ is the moment vector for $\underline{v} \in F(S)$

$$\underline{w} = \sum_{i=1}^n w_i \delta_{s_i} \sim \underline{v} \in F(S), \in \mathbb{R}^n$$



Serves as a coset rep' for $[\underline{v}]$ for any $\underline{v} \in F(S)$

$$\therefore \underline{w} \sim \text{all } \underline{v} \in [\underline{w}]$$

- So the $[S_{s_i}]_{i=1}^n$ serve as coset basis in $F(S)/\text{Ker } M = Q_n$
- $m_{s_i} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ s_i \\ s_i^2 \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}$ is the ^{moment} mean vector of S_{s_i}

• note, since V_n is invertible its col^{as}'s $[m_1, m_2, \dots, m_n]$ are linearly indep. & form a basis in \mathbb{R}^n .

\Rightarrow Why are the $[S_{s_i}]_{i=1}^n$ in Q_n a basis?

For if $\sum_{j=1}^n \gamma_j [S_{s_j}] = [0] \rightarrow$ if only sol^{is} is $\gamma_j = 0 \forall j$ the lin^{dep}

$$\text{i.e. } \sum_j \gamma_j S_{s_j} \in N_n$$

$$\text{i.e. } \sum_j \gamma_j S_j^m = 0 \quad \forall m$$

$$\begin{aligned} m=1 & \left[\gamma_1 s_1 + \gamma_2 s_2 + \gamma_3 s_3 \right] = 0 = \begin{bmatrix} s_1 & s_2 & s_3 \\ s_1^2 & s_2^2 & s_3^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \gamma_1 \\ \gamma_2 \\ \gamma_3 \end{bmatrix} = V\gamma \\ m=2 & \left[\gamma_1 s_1^2 + \gamma_2 s_2^2 + \gamma_3 s_3^2 \right] \\ m=3 & \left[\gamma_1 s_1^3 + \gamma_2 s_2^3 + \gamma_3 s_3^3 \right] \end{aligned}$$

But $V\gamma = 0 \rightarrow \gamma = 0 \therefore V$ is inv.

$\therefore [S_{s_i}]$ are l.i.m. indep. as a basis in Q_n .

* a general S_s has mean vector $m_s = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ s \\ s^2 \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}$

* Converting to a basis cosets is just

$$w_s \rightarrow w_s = V_n^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ s \\ s^2 \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \text{For } n=2:$$

$$V = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ s_1 & s_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$V^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} s_2 - 1 \\ -s_1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{s_2 - s_1}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{For } s_1=0, s_2=1 \\ V^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$w_s = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ s \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1-s \\ s \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{w_s} = (1-s) \underline{s_0} + s \underline{s_1}$$

$$(\underline{s_0}, \underline{s_1}) [S_{s_i}] = (1-s) \underline{s_0} + s \underline{s_1}$$

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• For $n=2$ the null space N_2 is just

$$\{S_s - (1-s)S_0 - sS_1\} \text{ for basis pts } s=0,1.$$

$$\therefore \underbrace{[S_s] - (1-s)[S_0] - s[S_1]}_{-[S_s]} = [S_s] - [S_s] = [0] \checkmark.$$

\rightarrow is parameterized by s but each $\otimes S_s$ is an indep. dim 2 .

Tensor Products:-

Extend from $S = V = \{v \in V\}$ to $S = U \times V = \{(u, v) \in U \times V\}$

- say $U \cong V \cong \mathbb{R}$.