

Explanation 1

So what we are trying to do is justify going from:

$$\sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^n \left(\sum_{k=1}^n c_{jk} (\xi_k - \zeta_k) \right)^2} \quad (1)$$

(2)

to:

$$\leq \sum_k \sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^n (c_{jk} (\xi_k - \zeta_k))^2} \quad (3)$$

in other words why can we take the sum out of the square root? I'll justify this right here. So remember if we have a vector x indexed by x_j then the two norm of this vector is given by:

$$\|x\| = \sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^n (x_j)^2} \quad (4)$$

if we set x_j equal to $\sum_{k=1}^n c_{jk} (\xi_k - \zeta_k)$ then notice the whole vector x looks like:

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} \sum_{k=1}^n c_{1k} (\xi_k - \zeta_k) \\ \vdots \\ \sum_{k=1}^n c_{nk} (\xi_k - \zeta_k) \end{bmatrix} \quad (5)$$

rewriting this by factoring out the sum we get:

$$x = \sum_{k=1}^n \begin{bmatrix} c_{1k} (\xi_k - \zeta_k) \\ \vdots \\ c_{nk} (\xi_k - \zeta_k) \end{bmatrix} \quad (6)$$

So x is in reality a linear combination of these c vectors. So in total we have:

$$\sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^n \left(\sum_{k=1}^n c_{jk} (\xi_k - \zeta_k) \right)^2} \quad (7)$$

$$= \sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^n (x_j)^2} \text{ by definition of } x_j \quad (8)$$

$$= \|x\|_2 \quad (9)$$

$$= \left\| \sum_{k=1}^n \begin{bmatrix} c_{1k} (\xi_k - \zeta_k) \\ \vdots \\ c_{nk} (\xi_k - \zeta_k) \end{bmatrix} \right\| \text{ by what we did in (6)} \quad (10)$$

From here we can now apply the triangle inequality because of the two norm here:

$$\leq \sum_{k=1}^n \left\| \begin{bmatrix} c_{1k}(\xi_k - \zeta_k) \\ \vdots \\ c_{nk}(\xi_k - \zeta_k) \end{bmatrix} \right\| \quad (11)$$

and then by definition of the two norm:

$$= \sum_{k=1}^n \sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^n (c_j(\xi_j - \zeta_k))^2} \quad (12)$$

So that is how we were able to pull out the sum. Is because there was a hidden two norm.