

Notes: These are notes I took while studying for the Mathematics Subject GRE. There are likely a lot of errors and mistakes, please let me know if you find any!

Undergraduate Compendium

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Proposition 0.2.1 (Fundamental Theorem of Calculus I).

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \int_{a}^{x} f(t)dt = f(x)$$

Proposition $0.2.2 (Generalized\ Fundamental\ Theorem\ of\ Calculus).$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \int_{a(x)}^{b(x)} f(x,t)dt - \int_{a(x)}^{b(x)} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(x,t)dt = f(x,t) \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (t) \Big|_{t=a(x)}^{t=b(x)}$$

$$= f(x,b(x)) \cdot b'(x) - f(x,a(x)) \cdot a'(x)$$

If f(x,t) = f(t) doesn't depend on x, then $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 0$ and the second integral vanishes:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \int_{a(x)}^{b(x)} f(t)dt = f(b(x)) \cdot b'(x) - f(a(x)) \cdot a'(x)$$

Find examples

Remark 0.2.1.

Note that you can recover the original FTC by taking

$$a(x) = c$$
$$b(x) = x$$
$$f(x,t) = f(t).$$

Corollary 0.2.1(?).

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \int_{1}^{x} f(x,t) dt = \int_{1}^{x} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(x,t) dt + f(x,x)$$

Proposition $0.2.3 (Extreme\ Value\ Theorem)$. Todo

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Proposition 0.2.4 (Mean Value Theorem).

$$f \in C^0(I) \implies \exists p \in I : f(b) - f(a) = f'(p)(b - a)$$

$$\implies \exists p \in I : \int_a^b f(x) \ dx = f(p)(b - a).$$

Proposition 0.2.5 (Rolle's Theorem).

todo

Proposition 0.2.6(L'Hopital's Rule).

If

• f(x) and g(x) are differentiable on $I - \{pt\}$, and

$$\lim_{x \to \{\text{pt}\}} f(x) = \lim_{x \to \{\text{pt}\}} g(x) \in \{0, \pm \infty\}, \qquad \forall x \in I, g'(x) \neq 0, \qquad \lim_{x \to \{\text{pt}\}} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)} \text{ exists},$$

Then it is necessarily the case that

$$\lim_{x \to \{\text{pt}\}} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \to \{\text{pt}\}} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}.$$

Remark 0.2.2.

Note that this includes the following indeterminate forms:

$$\frac{0}{0}$$
, $\frac{\infty}{\infty}$, $0 \cdot \infty$, 0^0 , ∞^0 , 1^∞ , $\infty - \infty$.

For $0 \cdot \infty$, can rewrite as $\frac{0}{\frac{1}{\infty}} = \frac{0}{0}$, or alternatively $\frac{\infty}{\frac{1}{0}} = \frac{\infty}{\infty}$.

For 1^{∞} , ∞^0 , and 0^0 , set

$$L := \lim f^g \implies \ln L = \lim g \ln(f)$$

to recover $\infty \cdot 0, 0 \cdot \infty$, or $0 \cdot 0$.

Proposition 0.2.7 (Taylor Expansion).

$$T(a,x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{(n)}(a)}{n!} (x-a)^n$$

$$= f(a) + f'(a)(x-a) + \frac{1}{2}f''(a)(x-a)^2 + \frac{1}{6}f'''(a)(x-a)^3 + \frac{1}{24}f^{(4)}(a)(x-a)^4 + \cdots$$

There is a bound on the error:

$$|f(x) - T_k(a, x)| \le \left| \frac{f^{(k+1)}(a)}{(k+1)!} \right|$$

where $T_k(a,x) = \sum_{n=0}^k \frac{f^{(n)}(a)}{n!} (x-a)^n$ is the kth truncation.

Remark 0.2.3.

Approximating change: $\Delta y \approx f'(x)\Delta x$

0.3 Differential

0.3.1 Limits

0.3.2 Tools for finding limits

Examples

How to find $\lim_{x\to a} f(x)$ in order of difficulty:

- Plug in: if f is continuous, $\lim_{x\to a} f(x) = f(a)$.
- Check for indeterminate forms and apply L'Hopital's Rule.
- Algebraic rules
- Squeeze theorem
- Expand in Taylor series at a
- \bullet Monotonic + bounded
- One-sided limits: $\lim_{x\to a^-} f(x) = \lim_{\varepsilon\to 0} f(a-\varepsilon)$
- Limits at zero or infinity:

$$\lim_{x\to\infty} f(x) = \lim_{\frac{1}{x}\to 0} f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \text{ and } \lim_{x\to 0} f(x) = \lim_{x\to \infty} f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$$

- Also useful: if $p(x) = p_n x^n + \cdots$ and $q(x) = q_n x^m + \cdots$,

$$\lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{p(x)}{q(x)} = \begin{cases} 0 & \deg p < \deg q \\ \infty & \deg p > \deg q \\ \frac{p_n}{q_n} & \deg p = \deg q \end{cases}$$

Warning 0.1: Be careful: limits may not exist!! Example : $\lim_{x\to 0} \frac{1}{x} \neq 0$.

0.3.3 Asymptotes

- Vertical asymptotes: at values x=p where $\lim_{x\to p}=\pm\infty$
- Horizontal asymptotes: given by points y=L where $L\lim_{x\to\pm\infty}f(x)<\infty$
- Oblique asymptotes: for rational functions, divide terms without denominators yield equation of asymptote (i.e. look at the asymptotic order or "limiting behavior").
 - Concretely:

$$f(x) = \frac{p(x)}{q(x)} = r(x) + \frac{s(x)}{t(x)} \sim r(x)$$

0.3.4 Recurrences

- Limit of a recurrence: $x_n = f(x_{n-1}, x_{n-2}, \cdots)$ If the limit exists, it is a solution to x = f(x)

0.3.5 Derivatives

Proposition 0.3.1 (Chain Rule).

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} (f \circ g) = (f' \circ g) \cdot g'$$

Proposition 0.3.2 (Product Rule).

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} f \cdot g = f' \cdot g + g' \cdot f$$

Proposition 0.3.3 (Quotient Rule).

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \frac{f'g - g'f}{g^2}$$

Mnemonic: Low d-high minus high d-low

Proposition 0.3.4 (Inverse Rule).

$$\frac{\partial f^{-1}}{\partial x} \left(f(x_0) \right) = \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right)^{-1} (x_0) = 1/f'(x_0)$$

0.3.6 Implicit Differentiation

$$(f(x))' = f'(x) dx, (f(y))' = f'(y) dy$$

- Often able to solve for $\frac{\partial y}{\partial x}$ this way.
 - Obtaining derivatives of inverse functions: if $y = f^{-1}(x)$ then write f(y) = x and implicitly differentiate.

0.3.7 Related Rates

General series of steps: want to know some unknown rate y_t

- Lay out known relation that involves y
- Take derivative implicitly (say w.r.t t) to obtain a relation between y_t and other stuff.
- Isolate $y_t = \text{known stuff}$

Example 0.3.1 (?).

Example: ladder sliding down wall

• Setup: l, x_t and x(t) are known for a given t, want y_t .

$$x(t)^{2} + y(t)^{2} = l^{2} \implies 2xx_{t} + 2yy_{t} = 2ll_{t} = 0$$

(noting that l is constant)

$$- So y_t = -\frac{x(t)}{y(t)}x_t$$

-
$$x(t)$$
 is known, so obtain $y(t) = \sqrt{l^2 - x(t)^2}$ and solve.

0.4 Integral

0.4.1 Average Values

Proposition 0.4.1 (Integral formula for average value).

$$\mu_f = \frac{1}{b-a} \int_a^b f(t)dt$$

Proof (?).

Apply MVT to F(x).

0.4.2 Area Between Curves

Area in polar coordinates:

$$A = \int_{r_1}^{r_2} \frac{1}{2} r^2(\theta) \ d\theta$$

0.4.3 Solids of Revolution

$$A = \int \pi r(t)^2 dt$$

$$A = \int 2\pi r(t)h(t) dt.$$

0.4.4 Arc Lengths

$$L = \int ds$$

$$= \int_{x_0}^{x_1} \sqrt{1 + \frac{\partial y}{\partial x}} dx$$

$$= \int_{y_0}^{y_1} \sqrt{\frac{\partial x}{\partial y} + 1} dy$$

$$ds = \sqrt{dx^2 + dy^2}$$

$$SA = \int 2\pi r(x) \ ds$$

0.4.5 Center of Mass

Given a density $\rho(\mathbf{x})$ of an object R, the x_i coordinate is given by

$$x_{i} = \frac{\int_{R} x_{i} \rho(x) \ dx}{\int_{R} \rho(x) \ dx}$$

0.4.6 Big List of Integration Techniques

Given f(x), we want to find an antiderivative $F(x) = \int f$ satisfying $\frac{\partial}{\partial x} F(x) = f(x)$

- Guess and check: look for a function that differentiates to f.
- *u* substitution
 - More generally, any change of variables

$$x = g(u) \implies \int_{a}^{b} f(x) \ dx = \int_{q^{-1}(a)}^{g^{-1}(b)} (f \circ g)(x) \ g'(x) \ dx$$

Integration by Parts: The standard form:

$$\int udv = uv - \int vdu$$

• A more general form for repeated applications: let $v^{-1} = \int v, v^{-2} = \int \int v$, etc.

$$\int_{a}^{b} uv = uv^{-1} \Big|_{a}^{b} - \int_{a}^{b} u^{1}v^{-1}$$

$$= uv^{-1} - u^{1}v^{-2} \Big|_{a}^{b} + \int_{a}^{b} u^{2}v^{-2}$$

$$= uv^{-1} - u^{1}v^{-2} + u^{2}v^{-3} \Big|_{a}^{b} - \int_{a}^{b} u^{3}v^{-3}$$

$$\vdots$$

$$\implies \int_{a}^{b} uv = \sum_{k=1}^{n} (-1)^{k} u^{k-1} v^{-k} \Big|_{a}^{b} + (-1)^{n} \int_{a}^{b} u^{n} v^{-n}$$

• Generally useful when one term's nth derivative is a constant.

Shoelace Method

• Note: you can choose u or v equal to 1! Useful if you know the derivative of the integrand.

| Derivatives | Integrals | Signs | Result |
|----------------|---------------|-------|--|
| \overline{u} | v | NA | NA |
| u' | $\int v$ | + | $u \int v$ |
| u'' | $\int \int v$ | _ | $ \begin{array}{c} u \int v \\ -u' \int \int v \end{array} $ |
| : | : | : | : |

Fill out until one column is zero (alternate signs). Get the result column by multiplying diagonally, then sum down the column.

Differentiating under the integral

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \int_{a(x)}^{b(x)} f(x,t)dt - \int_{a(x)}^{b(x)} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(x,t)dt = f(x,\cdot) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (\cdot) \Big|_{a(x)}^{b(x)}$$
$$= f(x,b(x)) b'(x) - f(x,a(x)) a'(x)$$

Proof(?).

Let F(x) be an antiderivative and compute F'(x) using the chain rule.

For constants, this should allow differentiating under the integral when f, f_x are "jointly continuous

- LIPET: Log, Inverse trig, Polynomial, Exponential, Trig: generally let u be whichever one comes first.
- The ridiculous trig sub: for any integrand containing only trig terms

- Transforms any such integrand into a rational function of
$$x$$

- Let $u = 2 \tan^{-1} x$, $du = \frac{2}{x^2 + 1}$, then

$$\int_{a}^{b} f(x) \ dx = \int_{\tan \frac{a}{2}}^{\tan \frac{b}{2}} f(u) \ du$$

Example 0.4.1 (?).

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{\sin \theta} \ d\theta = 1/2$$

• Trigonometric Substitution

$$\sqrt{a^2 - x^2} \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad x = a\sin(\theta) \qquad dx = a\cos(\theta) \ d\theta$$

$$\sqrt{a^2 + x^2} \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad x = a\tan(\theta) \qquad dx = a\sec^2(\theta) \ d\theta$$

$$\sqrt{x^2 - a^2} \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad x = a\sec(\theta) \qquad dx = a\sec(\theta)\tan(\theta) \ d\theta$$

Partial Fractions

Trigonometric Substitution

Completing the square

• Trig Formulas

$$\sin^2(x) = \frac{1}{2}(1 - 2\cos x)$$

$$=$$

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Trig functions, double angle formulas

• Products of trig functions

- Setup:
$$\int \sin^{a}(x) \cos^{b}(x) dx$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \text{Both } a, b \text{ even: } \sin(x) \cos(x) = \frac{1}{2} \sin(x)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow a \text{ odd: } \sin^{2} = 1 - \cos^{2}, \ u = \cos(x)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow b \text{ odd: } \cos^{2} = 1 - \sin^{2}, \ u = \sin(x)$$
- Setup:
$$\int \tan^{a}(x) \sec^{b}(x) dx$$

$$\Leftrightarrow a \text{ odd: } \tan^{2} = \sec^{2} -1, \ u = \sec(x)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow b \text{ even: } \sec^{2} = \tan^{2} -1, u = \tan(x)$$

Other small but useful facts:

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \sin\theta \ d\theta = \int_0^{2\pi} \cos\theta \ d\theta = 0.$$

0.4.7 Optimization

- Critical points: boundary points and wherever f'(x) = 0
- Second derivative test:

$$-f''(p) > 0 \implies p \text{ is a min}$$

 $-f''(p) < 0 \implies p \text{ is a max}$

- Inflection points of h occur where the tangent of h' changes sign. (Note that this is where h' itself changes sign.)
- Inverse function theorem: The slope of the inverse is reciprocal of the original slope
- If two equations are equal at exactly one real point, they are tangent to each other there therefore their derivatives are equal. Find the x that satisfies this; it can be used in the original equation.

• Fundamental theorem of Calculus: If

$$\int f(x)dx = F(b) - F(a) \implies F'(x) = f(x).$$

- Min/maxing either derivatives of Lagranage multipliers!
- Distance from origin to plane: equation of a plane

$$P: ax + by + cz = d.$$

- You can always just read off the normal vector $\mathbf{n} = (a, b, c)$. So we have $\mathbf{n}\mathbf{x} = d$.
- Since $\lambda \mathbf{n}$ is normal to P for all λ , solve $\mathbf{n}\lambda \mathbf{n} = d$, which is $\lambda = \frac{d}{\|\mathbf{n}\|^2}$
- A plane can be constructed from a point p and a normal n by the equation np = 0.
- In a sine wave $f(x) = \sin(\omega x)$, the period is given by $2\pi/\omega$. If $\omega > 1$, then the wave makes exactly ω full oscillations in the interval $[0, 2\pi]$.
- The directional derivative is the gradient dotted against a *unit vector* in the direction of interest
- Related rates problems can often be solved via implicit differentiation of some constraint function
- The second derivative of a parametric equation is not exactly what you'd intuitively think!
- For the love of god, remember the FTC!

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \int_0^x f(y) dy = f(x)$$

- Technique for asymptotic inequalities: WTS f < g, so show $f(x_0) < g(x_0)$ at a point and then show $\forall x > x_0, f'(x) < g'(x)$. Good for big-O style problems too.
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1 | Sequences

Notation: $\{a_n\}_{n\in\mathbb{N}}$ is a **sequence**, $\sum_{i\in\mathbb{N}} a_i$ is a **series**.

1.1 Known Examples

• Known sequences: let c be a constant.

$$c, c^2, c^3, \ldots = \{c^n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \to 0$$

$$\frac{1}{c}, \frac{1}{c^2}, \frac{1}{c^3}, \dots = \left\{\frac{1}{c^n}\right\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \to 0$$
 $\forall |c| > 1$

$$1, \frac{1}{2^c}, \frac{1}{3^c}, \dots = \left\{\frac{1}{n^c}\right\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \to 0$$
 $\forall c > 0$

 $\forall |c| < 1$

1.2 Convergence

Definition 1.2.1 (Convergence of a Sequence).

A sequence $\{x_i\}$ converges to L iff

$$\forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists N > 0 \text{ such that } n \geq N \implies |x_n - L| < \varepsilon.$$

Theorem 1.2.1 (Squeeze Theorem).

$$b_n \le a_n \le c_n$$
 and $b_n, c_n \to L \implies a_n \to L$

Theorem 1.2.2 (Monotone Convergence Theorem for Sequences).

If $\{a_i\}$ monotone and bounded, then $a_i \to L = \limsup a_i < \infty$.

Theorem 1.2.3 (Cauchy Criteria).

$$|a_m - a_n| \to 0 \in \mathbb{R} \implies \{a_i\} \text{ converges.}$$

1.2.1 Checklist

- Is the sequence bounded?
 - $\{a_i\}$ not bounded \implies not convergent
 - If bounded, is it monotone?
 - $\Diamond \{a_i\}$ bounded and monotone \implies convergent
- Use algebraic properties of limits
- Epsilon-delta definition

- Algebraic properties and manipulation:
 - Limits commute with $\pm, \times,$ Div and $\lim C = C$ for constants.
 - $\diamondsuit\,$ E.g. Divide all terms by n before taking limit
 - ♦ Clear denominators

2 | Sums ("Series")

Definition 2.0.1 (Series).

A **series** is an function of the form

$$f(x) = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} c_j x^j.$$

2.1 Known Examples

2.1.1 Conditionally Convergent

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k^{p} < \infty \qquad \iff p \le 1$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k^{p}} < \infty \qquad \iff p > 1$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k} = \infty$$

2.1.2 Convergent

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} < \infty$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^3} < \infty$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^{\frac{3}{2}}} < \infty$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} = e$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{c^n} = \frac{c}{c-1}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{1}{c^n} = \frac{c}{c+1}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{1}{n} = \ln 2$$

2.1.3 Divergent

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} = \infty$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} = \infty$$

2.2 Convergence

Useful reference: http://math.hawaii.edu/~ralph/Classes/242/SeriesConvTests.pdf

Definition 2.2.1 (Absolutely Convergent).

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Remark 2.2.1.

 $a_n \to 0$ does not imply $\sum a_n < \infty$. Counterexample: the harmonic series.

Proposition 2.2.1(?).

Absolute convergence \implies convergence

Proposition 2.2.2(The Cauchy Criterion).

$$\limsup a_i \to 0 \implies \sum a_i \text{ converges}$$

2.2.1 The Big Tests

Theorem 2.2.1 (Comparison Test).

- $a_n < b_n \sum b_n < \infty \implies \sum a_n < \infty$ $b_n < a_n \sum b_n = \infty \implies \sum a_n = \infty$

Theorem 2.2.2 (Ratio Test).

$$R = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right|$$

- R < 1: absolutely convergent
- R > 1: divergent
- R = 1: inconclusive

Theorem $2.2.3(Root\ Test)$.

$$R = \limsup_{n \to \infty} \sqrt[n]{|a_n|}$$

- R < 1: convergent - R > 1: divergent - R = 1: inconclusive

Theorem 2.2.4 (Integral Test).

$$f(n) = a_n \implies \sum a_n < \infty \iff \int_1^\infty f(x)dx < \infty$$

Theorem $2.2.5(Limit\ Test)$.

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n} = L < \infty \implies \sum a_n < \infty \iff \sum b_n < \infty$$

Theorem 2.2.6 (Alternating Series Test).

$$a_n \downarrow 0 \implies \sum (-1)^n a_n < \infty$$

Theorem 2.2.7 (Weierstrass M-Test).

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \|f_n\|_{\infty} < \infty \implies \exists f \text{ such that } \left\| \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n - f \right\|_{\infty} \to 0$$

In other words, the series converges uniformly.

Slogan: Convergence of the sup norms implies uniform convergence

Remark 2.2.2.

The M in the name comes from defining $\sup \{f_k(x)\} := M_n$ and requiring $\sum |M_n| < \infty$.

2.2.2 Checklist

- Do the terms tend to zero?
 - $\begin{array}{ccc} & a_i \not\to 0 \implies \sum a_i = \infty. \\ \diamondsuit \text{ Can check with L'Hopital's rule} \end{array}$

- There are exactly 6 tests at our disposal:
 - Comparison, root, ratio, integral, limit, alternating
- Is the series alternating?
 - If so, does $a_n \downarrow 0$?
 - \Diamond If so, convergent
- Is this series bounded above by a known convergent series?
- p series with p>1, i.e. : $\sum a_n \leq \sum \frac{1}{n^p} < \infty$ Geometric series with |x|<1, i.e. $\sum a_n \leq \sum x^n$ Is this series bounded below by a known divergent series?
- - -p series with $p \le 1$, i.e. $\infty = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{1}{n^p} \le \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_i$
- Are the ratios strictly less than or greater than 1?
 - $< 1 \implies$ convergent
 - $->1 \implies$ convergent
- Does the integral analogue converge?
- Try the root test
 - $< 1 \implies$ convergent
 - $->1 \implies$ convergent
- Try the limit test
 - Attempt to divide each term to obtain a known convergent/divergent series

Some Pattern Recognition:

- (stuff)!: Ratio test (only test that will work with factorials!!)
- $(stuff)^n$: Root test or ratio test
- Replace a_n with an f(x) that's easy to integrate integral test
- p(x) or $\sqrt{p(x)}$: comparison or limit test

2.3 Radius of Convergence

Proposition 2.3.1 (Finding the radius of convergence).

Use the fact that

$$\lim_{k \to \infty} \left| \frac{a_{k+1} x^{k+1}}{a_k x^k} \right| = |x| \lim_{k \to \infty} \left| \frac{a_{k+1}}{a_k} \right| < 1 \implies \sum a_k x^k < \infty,$$

so take $L \coloneqq \lim_{k \to \infty} \frac{a_{k+1}}{a_k}$ and then obtain the radius as

$$R = \frac{1}{L} = \lim_{k \to \infty} \frac{a_k}{a_{k+1}}$$

Remark 2.3.1.

- Note $L = 0 \implies$ absolutely convergent everywhere
- $L = \infty \implies$ convergent only at x = 0.
- Also need to check endpoints R, -R manually.

3 | Vector Calculus

Need lots of pictures

Notation:

$$\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{a}, \cdots$$
 vectors in \mathbb{R}^n $\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{A}, \cdots$ matrices $\mathbf{r}(t)$ A parameterized curve $\mathbf{r}: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}^n$ $\widehat{\mathbf{v}}$

3.1 Plane Geometry

Proposition 3.1.1(Slope of a vector in \mathbb{R}^2).

$$\mathbf{v} = [x, y] \in \mathbb{R}^2 \implies m = \frac{y}{x}.$$

Proposition 3.1.2(Rotation matrices in \mathbb{R}^2).

$$\mathbf{R}_{\theta} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} \implies \mathbf{R}_{\frac{\pi}{2}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Corollary 3.1.1(?).

$$\mathbf{R}_{\frac{\pi}{2}}\mathbf{x} \coloneqq \mathbf{R}_{\frac{\pi}{2}} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -y \\ x \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}\mathbf{x}^{\perp}.$$

Thus if a planar line is defined by the span of [x,y] and a slope of m=y/x, a normal vector is given by the span of [-y,x] of slope $-\frac{1}{m}=-x/y$.

Example 3.1.1 (?).

Given \mathbf{v} , the rotated vector $\mathbf{R}_{\frac{\pi}{2}}\mathbf{v}$ is orthogonal to \mathbf{v} , so this can be used to obtain normals and other orthogonal vectors in the plane.

Proposition 3.1.3.

There is a direct way to come up with one orthogonal vector to any given vector:

$$\mathbf{v} = [a, b, c] \implies \mathbf{y} \coloneqq \begin{cases} [-(b+c), a, a] & \mathbf{v} = [-1, -1, 0], \\ [c, c, -(a+b)] & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

3.2 Projections

For a subspace given by a single vector **a**:

$$\operatorname{proj}_{\mathbf{a}}(\mathbf{x}) = \langle \mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{a} \rangle \hat{\mathbf{a}}$$
 $\operatorname{proj}_{\mathbf{a}}^{\perp}(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{x} - \operatorname{proj}_{\mathbf{a}}(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{x} - \langle \mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{a} \rangle \hat{\mathbf{a}}$

In general, for a subspace colspace $(A) = \{\mathbf{a}_1, \cdots \mathbf{a}_n\},\$

$$\operatorname{proj}_{A}(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{a}_{i} \rangle \widehat{\mathbf{a}}_{i} = A(A^{T}A)^{-1}A^{T}\mathbf{x}$$

3.3 Lines

General Equation

$$Ax + By + C = 0$$

Parametric Equation

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = t\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{b}.$$

Characterized by an equation in inner products:

$$\mathbf{y} \in L \iff \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{n} \rangle = 0$$

Proposition 3.3.1 (Equation for a line between two points).

Given $\mathbf{p}_0, \mathbf{p}_1$, take $\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{p}_1 - \mathbf{p}_0$ and $\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{p}_i$ for either i:

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = t(\mathbf{p}_1 - \mathbf{p}_0) + \mathbf{p}_0 \qquad = t\mathbf{p}_1 + (1 - t)\mathbf{p}_0.$$

Proposition 3.3.2 (Symmetric equation of a line).

If a line L is given by

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = t[x_1, x_2, x_3] + [p_1, p_2, p_3],$$

then

$$(x, y, z) \in L \iff \frac{x - p_1}{x_1} = \frac{y - p_2}{x_2} = \frac{z - p_3}{x_3}.$$

Example 3.3.1 (?).

The symmetric equation of the line through [2, 1, -3] and [1, 4, -3] is given by

$$\frac{x-2}{1} = \frac{y+1}{-5} = \frac{z-3}{6}.$$

3.3.1 Tangent Lines / Planes

Key idea: just need a point and a normal vector, and the gradient is normal to level sets.

Theorem 3.3.1(The Tangent Plane Equation).

For any locus $f(\mathbf{x}) = 0$, we have

$$\mathbf{x} \in T_f(\mathbf{p}) \implies \langle \nabla f(\mathbf{p}), \ \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{p} \rangle = 0.$$

3.3.2 Normal Lines

Key idea: the gradient is normal.

To find a normal line, you just need a single point \mathbf{p} and a normal vector \mathbf{n} ; then

$$L = \left\{ \mathbf{x} \mid \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{p} + t\mathbf{v} \right\}.$$

3.4 Planes

General Equation

$$Ax + By + Cz + D = 0$$

Parametric Equation

$$\mathbf{y}(t,s) = t\mathbf{x}_1 + s\mathbf{x}_2 + \mathbf{b}$$

Characterized by an equation in inner products:

$$\mathbf{y} \in P \iff \langle \mathbf{y} - \mathbf{p}_0, \mathbf{n} \rangle = 0$$

Proposition 3.4.1 (Writing equation from a point and a normal).

Determined by a point \mathbf{p}_0 and a normal vector \mathbf{n}

Proposition 3.4.2 (Writing equation from two vectors).

Given $\mathbf{v}_0, \mathbf{v}_1$, set $\mathbf{n} = \mathbf{v}_0 \times \mathbf{v}_1$.

3.4.1 Finding a Normal Vector

- Normal vector to a plane
 - Can read normal off of equation: $\mathbf{n} = [a, b, c]$
- Computing D:
 - $-D = \langle \mathbf{p}_0, \mathbf{n} \rangle = p_1 n_1 + p_2 n_2 + p_3 n_3$
 - Useful trick: once you have \mathbf{n} , you can let \mathbf{p}_0 be any point in the plane (don't necessarily need to use the one you started with, so pick any point that's convenient to calculate)

3.4.2 Distance from origin to plane

• Given by $D/\|\mathbf{n}\| = \langle \mathbf{p}_0, \ \hat{\mathbf{n}} \rangle$. Gives a signed distance.

Distance from origin to plane.

3.4.3 Distance from point to plane

- Given by $\langle \cdot, \, \hat{\mathbf{n}} \rangle$
- Finding vectors in the plane
- Given $P = [A, B, C] \cdot [x, y, z] = 0$, can take $\left[-\frac{B}{A}, 1, 0 \right], \left[-\frac{C}{A}, 0, 1 \right]$

Distance from point to plane

3.5 Curves

$$\mathbf{r}(t) = [x(t), y(t), z(t)].$$

3.5.1 Tangent line to a curve

We have an equation for the tangent vector at each point:

$$\widehat{\mathbf{T}}(t) = \widehat{\mathbf{r}'}(t),$$

so we can write

$$\mathbf{L}_T(t) = \mathbf{r}(t_0) + t\widehat{\mathbf{T}}(t_0) := \mathbf{r}(t_0) + t\widehat{\mathbf{r}'}(t_0).$$

3.5.2 Normal line to a curve

• Use the fact that $\mathbf{r}''(t) \in \mathbb{R}\mathbf{r}'(t)^{\perp}$, so we have an equation for a normal vector at each point:

$$\widehat{\mathbf{N}}(t) = \widehat{\mathbf{r}''}(t).$$

Thus we can write

$$\mathbf{L}_N(t) = \mathbf{r}(t_0) + t\widehat{\mathbf{N}}(t_0) = \mathbf{r}(t_0) + t\widehat{\mathbf{r}''}(t_0).$$

Special case: planar graphs of functions Suppose y = f(x). Set g(x, y) = f(x) - y, then

$$\nabla g = [f_x(x), -1] \implies m = -\frac{1}{f_x(x)}$$

3.6 Minimal Distances

Fix a point **p**. Key idea: find a subspace and project onto it.

Key equations: projection and orthogonal projection of **b** onto **a**:

$$\operatorname{proj}_{\mathbf{a}}(\mathbf{b}) = \langle \mathbf{b}, \ \mathbf{a} \rangle \hat{\mathbf{a}}$$
 $\operatorname{proj}_{\mathbf{a}}^{\perp}(\mathbf{b}) = \mathbf{b} - \operatorname{proj}_{\mathbf{a}}(\mathbf{b}) = \mathbf{b} - \langle \mathbf{b}, \ \mathbf{a} \rangle \hat{\mathbf{a}}$

3.6.1 Point to plane

• Given a point \mathbf{p} and a plane $S = \{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid n_0x + n_1y + n_2z = d\}$, let $\mathbf{n} = [n_1, n_2, n_3]$, find any point $\mathbf{q} \in S$, and project $\mathbf{q} - \mathbf{p}$ onto $S^{\perp} = \mathrm{Span}(\mathbf{n})$ using

$$d = \|\operatorname{proj}_{\mathbf{n}}(\mathbf{q} - \mathbf{p})\| = \|\langle \mathbf{q} - \mathbf{p}, \ \mathbf{n} \rangle \widehat{\mathbf{n}}\| = \langle \mathbf{q} - \mathbf{p}, \ \mathbf{n} \rangle.$$

• Given just two vectors \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} : manufacture a normal vector $\mathbf{n} = \mathbf{u} \times \mathbf{v}$ and continue as above.

Origin to plane Special case: if p = 0,

$$d = \|\operatorname{proj}_{\mathbf{n}}(\mathbf{q})\| = \|\langle \mathbf{p}, \ \mathbf{n} \rangle \widehat{\mathbf{n}}\| = \langle \mathbf{p}, \ \mathbf{n} \rangle..$$

3.6.2 Point to line

• Given a line $L: \mathbf{x}(t) = t\mathbf{v}$ for some fixed \mathbf{v} , use

$$d = \left\| \operatorname{proj}_{\mathbf{v}}^{\perp}(\mathbf{p}) \right\| = \left\| \mathbf{p} - \langle \mathbf{p}, \ \mathbf{v} \rangle \widehat{\mathbf{v}} \right\|.$$

• Given a line $L: \mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{w}_0 + t\mathbf{w}$, let $\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{x}(1) - \mathbf{x}(0)$ and proceed as above.

3.6.3 Point to curve

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3.6.4 Line to line

Given $\mathbf{r}_1(t) = \mathbf{p}_1 + t\mathbf{v}_2$ and $\mathbf{r}_2(t) = \mathbf{p}_2 + t\mathbf{v}_2$, let d be the desired distance.

- Let $\hat{\mathbf{n}} = \widehat{\mathbf{v}_1 \times \mathbf{v}_2}$, which is orthogonal to both lines.
- Then project the vector connecting the two fixed points \mathbf{p}_i onto this subspace and take its norm:

$$d = \|\operatorname{proj}_{\mathbf{n}}(\mathbf{p}_{2} - \mathbf{p}_{1})\|$$

$$= \|\langle \mathbf{p}_{2} - \mathbf{p}_{1}, \ \mathbf{n} \rangle \hat{\mathbf{n}}\|$$

$$= \langle \mathbf{p}_{2} - \mathbf{p}_{1}, \ \mathbf{n} \rangle$$

$$\coloneqq \langle \mathbf{p}_{2} - \mathbf{p}_{1}, \ \mathbf{v}_{1} \times \mathbf{v}_{2} \rangle.$$

3.7 Surfaces

$$S = \left\{ (x, y, z) \mid f(x, y, z) = 0 \right\}$$
 $z = f(x, y)$

3.7.1 Tangent plane to a surface

- Need a point \mathbf{p} and a normal \mathbf{n} . By cases:
- f(x, y, z) = 0
 - $-\nabla f$ is a normal vector.
 - Write the tangent plane equation $\langle \mathbf{n}, \mathbf{x} \mathbf{p}_0 \rangle$, done.
- z = g(x, y):
 - Let f(x, y, z) = g(x, y) z, then $\mathbf{p} \in S \iff \mathbf{p}$ is in a level set of f.
 - $-\nabla f$ is normal to level sets (and thus the surface), so compute $\nabla f = [g_x, g_y, -1]$
 - Proceed as in previous case

3.7.2 Surfaces of revolution

- Given $f(x_1, x_2) = 0$, can be revolved around either the x_1 or x_2 axis.
 - f(x,y) around the x axis yields $f(x,\pm\sqrt{y^2+z^2})=0$
 - f(x,y) around the y axis yields $f(\pm \sqrt{x^2 + z^2}, y) = 0$
 - Remaining cases proceed similarly leave the axis variable alone, replace other variable with square root involving missing axis.
- Equations of lines tangent to an intersection of surfaces f(x, y, z) = g(x, y, z):
 - Find two normal vectors and take their cross product, e.g. $n = \nabla f \times \nabla g$, then

$$L = \left\{ \mathbf{x} \mid \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{p} + t\mathbf{n} \right\}$$

- Level curves:
 - Given a surface f(x, y, z) = 0, the level curves are obtained by looking at e.g. f(x, y, c) = 0.

Multivariable Calculus

Theorem 4.0.1 (Key Theorem).

Given a function $f: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}$, let $S_k := \{ \mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid f(\mathbf{p}) = k \}$ denote the level set for $k \in \mathbb{R}$.

$$\nabla f(\mathbf{p}) \in S_k^{\perp}$$
.

4.1 Notation

$$\mathbf{v} = [v_1, v_2, \cdots]$$
 a vector

$$\mathbf{e}_i = [0, 0, \cdots, \underbrace{1}^{i\text{th term}}, \cdots, 0]$$
 the *i*th standard basis vector

$$\varphi: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}$$
 a functional on \mathbb{R}^n $\varphi(x_1, x_2, \dots) = \dots$

$$\mathbf{F}: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^n$$
 a multivariable function $\mathbf{F}(x_1, x_2, \cdots) = [\mathbf{F}_1(x_1, x_2, \cdots), \mathbf{F}_2(x_1, x_2, \cdots), \cdots, \mathbf{F}_n(x_1, x_2, \cdots)]$

4.2 Partial Derivatives

Definition 4.2.1 (Partial Derivative).

For a functional $f: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}$, the **partial derivative** of f with respect to x_i is

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}(\mathbf{p}) := \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{f(\mathbf{p} + h\mathbf{e}_i) - f(\mathbf{p})}{h}$$

Example 4.2.1 (n = 2).

$$f: \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(x_0, y_0) = \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{f(x_0 + h, y_0) - f(x_0, y_0)}{h}$$

4.3 General Derivatives

Definition 4.3.1 (General definition of differentiability). A function $f: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^m$ is **differentiable** iff there exists a linear transformation $D_f: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^m$

such that the following limit exists

$$\lim_{\mathbf{x}\to\mathbf{p}}\frac{\|f(\mathbf{x})-f(\mathbf{p})-D_f(\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{p})\|}{\|\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{p}\|}=0.$$

Remark 4.3.1.

 D_f is the "best linear approximation" to f.

Definition 4.3.2 (Jacobian).

When f is differentiable, D_f can be given in coordinates by

$$(D_f)_{ij} = \frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x_j}$$

This yields the **Jacobian** of f:

$$D_{f}(p) \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ \nabla f_{1}(\mathbf{p}) & \nabla f_{2}(\mathbf{p}) & \cdots & \nabla f_{m}(\mathbf{p}) \end{bmatrix}^{T} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_{1}}{\partial x_{1}}(\mathbf{p}) & \frac{\partial f_{1}}{\partial x_{2}}(\mathbf{p}) & \cdots & \frac{\partial f_{1}}{\partial x_{n}}(\mathbf{p}) \\ \frac{\partial f_{2}}{\partial x_{1}}(\mathbf{p}) & \frac{\partial f_{2}}{\partial x_{2}}(\mathbf{p}) & \frac{\partial f_{2}}{\partial x_{2}}(\mathbf{p}) & \cdots & \frac{\partial f_{2}}{\partial x_{n}}(\mathbf{p}) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f_{m}}{\partial x_{1}}(\mathbf{p}) & \frac{\partial f_{m}}{\partial x_{2}}(\mathbf{p}) & \cdots & \frac{\partial f_{m}}{\partial x_{n}}(\mathbf{p}) \end{bmatrix}.$$

Remark 4.3.2.

This is equivalent to

- Taking the gradient of each component f_i of f,
- Evaluating ∇f_i at \mathbf{p} ,
- Forming a matrix using these as the columns, and
- Transposing the resulting matrix.

Definition 4.3.3 (Hessian).

For a function $f: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}$, the **Hessian** is a generalization of the second derivative, and is given in coordinates by

$$(H_f)_{ij} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_i x_j}$$

Explicitly we have

$$H_f(\mathbf{p}) = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | & | \\ D\nabla f_1(\mathbf{p}) & D\nabla f_2(\mathbf{p}) & \cdots & D\nabla f_m(\mathbf{p}) \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1 \partial x_1}(\mathbf{a}) & \cdots & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_1 \partial x_n}(\mathbf{a}) \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_n \partial x_1}(\mathbf{a}) & \cdots & \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_n \partial x_n}(\mathbf{a}) \end{bmatrix}.$$

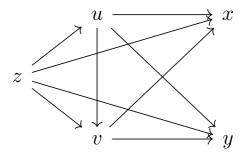
Remark 4.3.3.

Mnemonic: make matrix with ∇f as the columns, and then differentiate variables left to right.

4.4 The Chain Rule

Example 4.4.1 (How to expand a partial derivative).

Write out tree of dependent variables:



Then sum each possible path.

Let subscripts denote which variables are held constant, then

$$\begin{split} \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}\right)_y &= \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}\right)_{u,y,v} \\ &+ \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial v}\right)_{x,y,u} \left(\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}\right)_y \\ &+ \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial u}\right)_{x,y,v} \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}\right)_{v,y} \\ &+ \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial u}\right)_{x,y,v} \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial v}\right)_{x,y} \left(\frac{\partial v}{\partial x}\right)_y \end{split}$$

4.5 Approximation

Let z = f(x, y), then to approximate near $\mathbf{p}_0 = [x_0, y_0]$,

$$f(\mathbf{x}) \approx f(\mathbf{p}) + \nabla f(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{p}_0)$$

$$\implies f(x, y) \approx f(\mathbf{p}) + f_x(\mathbf{p})(x - x_0) + f_y(\mathbf{p})(y - y_0)$$

4.6 Optimization

4.6.1 Classifying Critical Points

Definition 4.6.1 (Critical Points).

Critical points of f given by points \mathbf{p} such that the derivative vanishes:

$$\operatorname{crit}(f) = \left\{ \mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid D_f(\mathbf{p}) = 0 \right\}$$

Proposition 4.6.1 (Second Derivative Test).

1. Compute

$$|H_f(\mathbf{p})| \coloneqq \left| egin{array}{cc} f_{xx} & f_{xy} \\ f_{yx} & f_{yy} \end{array} \right| (\mathbf{p})$$

2. Check by cases:

- $|H(\mathbf{p})| = 0$: No conclusion
- $|H(\mathbf{p})| < 0$: Saddle point
- $|H(\mathbf{p})| > 0$:
 - $-f_{xx}(\mathbf{p}) > 0 \implies \text{local min}$
 - $-f_{xx}(\mathbf{p}) < 0 \implies \text{local max}$

Remark 4.6.1.

What's really going on?

- Eigenvalues have same sign \iff positive definite or negative definite
 - Positive definite \implies convex \implies local min
 - Negative definite \implies concave \implies local max
- Extrema occur on boundaries, so parameterize each boundary to obtain a function in one less variable and apply standard optimization techniques to yield critical points. Test all critical points to find extrema.
- If possible, use constraint to just reduce equation to one dimension and optimze like single-variable case.

Add examples

4.6.2 Lagrange Multipliers

The setup:

Optimize
$$f(\mathbf{x})$$
 subject to $g(\mathbf{x}) = c$
 $\implies \nabla f = \lambda \nabla g$

- 1. Use this formula to obtain a system of equations in the components of x and the parameter λ .
 - 2. Use λ to obtain a relation involving only components of x.
 - 3. Substitute relations back into constraint to obtain a collection of critical points.

4. Evaluate f at critical points to find max/min.

Add examples

4.7 Change of Variables

For any $f: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^n$ and region R,

$$\int_{g(R)} f(\mathbf{x}) \ dV = \int_{R} (f \circ g)(\mathbf{x}) \cdot |D_g(\mathbf{x})| \ dV$$

4.8 Notation

R is a region, S is a surface, V is a solid.

$$\oint_{\partial S} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \oint_{\partial S} [\mathbf{F}_1, \mathbf{F}_2, \mathbf{F}_3] \cdot [dx, dy, dz] = \oint_{\partial S} \mathbf{F}_1 dx + \mathbf{F}_2 dy + \mathbf{F}_3 dz$$

The main vector operators

$$\nabla : (\mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}) \to (\mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^n)$$
$$\varphi \mapsto \nabla \varphi \coloneqq \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial x_i} \mathbf{e}_i$$

$$\operatorname{div}(\mathbf{F}) : (\mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^n) \to (\mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R})$$
$$\mathbf{F} \mapsto \nabla \cdot \mathbf{F} \coloneqq \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial \mathbf{F}_i}{\partial x_i}$$

$$\operatorname{curl}(\mathbf{F}): (\mathbb{R}^3 \to \mathbb{R}^3) \to (\mathbb{R}^3 \to \mathbb{R}^3)$$
$$\mathbf{F} \mapsto \nabla \times \mathbf{F}$$

Some terminology:

- The Gradient: lifts scalar fields on \mathbb{R}^n to vector fields on \mathbb{R}^n
- Divergence: drops vector fields on \mathbb{R}^n to scalar fields on \mathbb{R}^n
- Curl: takes vector fields on \mathbb{R}^3 to vector fields on \mathbb{R}^3

$$\mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{y} = \langle \mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{y} \rangle = \sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i} y_{i} = x_{1} y_{1} + x_{2} y_{2} + \cdots \qquad \text{inner/dot product}$$

$$\|\mathbf{x}\| = \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{x} \rangle} = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_{i}^{2}} = \sqrt{x_{1}^{2} + x_{2}^{2} + \cdots} \qquad \text{norm}$$

$$\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} = \hat{\mathbf{n}} \|\mathbf{a}\| \|\mathbf{b}\| \sin \theta_{\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{\mathbf{x}} & \hat{\mathbf{y}} & \hat{\mathbf{z}} \\ a_{1} & a_{2} & a_{3} \\ b_{1} & b_{2} & b_{3} \end{vmatrix} \qquad \text{cross product}$$

$$D_{\mathbf{u}}(\varphi) = \nabla \varphi \cdot \hat{\mathbf{u}} \qquad \text{directional derivative}$$

$$\nabla \coloneqq \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{i}} \mathbf{e}_{i} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{1}}, \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{2}}, \cdots, \frac{\partial}{\partial x_{n}} \end{bmatrix} \qquad \text{del operator}$$

$$\nabla \varphi \coloneqq \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial x_{i}} \mathbf{e}_{i} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial x_{1}}, \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial x_{2}}, \cdots, \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial x_{n}} \end{bmatrix} \qquad \text{gradient}$$

$$\Delta \varphi \coloneqq \nabla \cdot \nabla \varphi \coloneqq \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{\partial^{2} \varphi}{\partial x_{i}^{2}} = \frac{\partial^{2} \varphi}{\partial x_{1}^{2}} + \frac{\partial^{2} \varphi}{\partial x_{2}} + \cdots + \frac{\partial^{2} \varphi}{\partial x_{n}^{2}} \qquad \text{Laplacian}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F} := \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{\partial \mathbf{F}_{i}}{\partial x_{i}} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{F}_{1}}{\partial x_{1}} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{F}_{2}}{\partial x_{2}} + \dots + \frac{\partial \mathbf{F}_{n}}{\partial x_{n}}$$
 divergence

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{e}_{1} & \mathbf{e}_{2} & \mathbf{e}_{3} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ \mathbf{F}_{1} & \mathbf{F}_{2} & \mathbf{F}_{3} \end{vmatrix} = [\mathbf{F}_{3y} - \mathbf{F}_{2z}, \mathbf{F}_{1z} - \mathbf{F}_{3x}, \mathbf{F}_{2x} - \mathbf{F}_{1y}] \qquad \text{curl}$$

$$\iint_{S} (\nabla \times \mathbf{F}) \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iint_{S} (\nabla \times \mathbf{F}) \cdot \mathbf{n} \ dS \qquad \text{surface integral}$$

4.9 Big Theorems

4.9.1 Stokes' and Consequences

Theorem 4.9.1 (Stokes' Theorem).

$$\oint_{\partial S} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} = \iint_{S} (\nabla \times \mathbf{F}) \cdot d\mathbf{S}.$$

Remark 4.9.1.

Note that if S is a closed surface, so $\partial S = \emptyset$, this integral vanishes.

Corollary 4.9.1 (Green's Theorem).

$$\oint_{\partial R} (L \ dx + M \ dy) = \iint_{R} \left(\frac{\partial M}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial L}{\partial y} \right) dx dy.$$

Proof (?).

Recovering Green's Theorem from Stokes' Theorem:

Let
$$\mathbf{F} = [L, M, 0]$$
, then $\nabla \times \mathbf{F} = [0, 0, \frac{\partial M}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial L}{\partial y}]$

Corollary 4.9.2 (Divergence Theorem).

$$\iint_{\partial V} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iiint_{V} (\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F}) \ dV.$$

Remark 4.9.2.

- $\nabla \times (\nabla \varphi) = 0$
- $\nabla \cdot (\nabla \times \mathbf{F}) = 0$

4.9.2 Directional Derivatives

Definition 4.9.1 (Directional Derivative).

$$D_{\mathbf{v}}f(\mathbf{p}) \coloneqq \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} (\mathbf{p} + t\mathbf{v}) \Big|_{t=0}.$$

Remark 4.9.3.

Note that the directional derivative uses a normalized direction vector!

Theorem 4.9.2 (Dot product expression of directional derivative).

Suppose $f: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}$ and $\mathbf{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n$. Then

$$D_{\mathbf{v}}f(\mathbf{p}) = \langle \nabla f(\mathbf{p}), \mathbf{v} \rangle.$$

Proof (?).

We first use the fact that we can find L, the best linear approximation to f:

$$L(\mathbf{x}) \coloneqq f(\mathbf{p}) + D_f(\mathbf{p})(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{p})$$

$$\begin{split} D_{\mathbf{v}}f(\mathbf{p}) &= D_{\mathbf{v}}L(\mathbf{p}) \\ &= \lim_{t \to 0} \frac{L(\mathbf{p} + t\mathbf{v}) - L(\mathbf{p})}{t} \\ &= \lim_{t \to 0} \frac{f(\mathbf{p}) + D_f(\mathbf{p})(\mathbf{p} + t\mathbf{v} - \mathbf{p}) - (f(\mathbf{p}) + D_f(\mathbf{p})(\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{p}))}{t} \\ &= \lim_{t \to 0} \frac{D_f(\mathbf{p})(t\mathbf{v})}{t} \\ &= D_f(\mathbf{p})\mathbf{v} \\ &\coloneqq \nabla f(\mathbf{p}) \cdot \mathbf{v}. \end{split}$$

Need a better proof, not clear that this works

4.10 Computing Integrals

4.10.1 Changing Coordinates

Multivariable Chain Rule

todo

Polar and Cylindrical Coordinates

$$x = r \cos \theta$$
$$y = r \sin \theta$$
$$dV \mapsto r dr d\theta$$

Spherical Coordinates

$$x = r \cos \theta = \rho \sin \varphi \cos \theta$$
$$y = r \sin \theta = \rho \sin \varphi \sin \theta$$
$$dV \mapsto r^2 \sin \varphi \quad dr \ d\varphi \ d\theta$$

4.10.2 Line Integrals

Curves

• Parametrize the path C as $\{\mathbf{r}(t): t \in [a,b]\}$, then

$$\int_C f \ ds \coloneqq \int_a^b (f \circ \mathbf{r})(t) \|\mathbf{r}'(t)\| \ dt$$
$$= \int_a^b f(x(t), y(t), z(t)) \sqrt{x_t^2 + y_t^2 + z_t^2} \ dt$$

Vector Fields

• If exact:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y} \mathbf{F_1} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \mathbf{F_2} \implies \int \mathbf{F_1} \ dx + \mathbf{F_2} \ dy = \varphi(\mathbf{p_1}) - \varphi(\mathbf{p_0})$$

The function φ can be found using the same method from ODEs.

• Parametrize the path C as $\{\mathbf{r}(t): t \in [a,b]\}$, then

$$\int_{C} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} := \int_{a}^{b} (\mathbf{F} \circ \mathbf{r})(t) \cdot \mathbf{r}'(t) dt$$

$$= \int_{a}^{b} [\mathbf{F}_{1}(x(t), y(t), \cdots), \mathbf{F}_{2}(x(t), y(t), \cdots)] \cdot [x_{t}, y_{t}, \cdots] dt$$

$$= \int_{a}^{b} \mathbf{F}_{1}(x(t), y(t), \cdots) x_{t} + \mathbf{F}_{2}(x(t), y(t), \cdots) y_{t} + \cdots dt$$

• Equivalently written:

$$\int_a^b \mathbf{F}_1 \ dx + \mathbf{F}_2 \ dy + \dots := \int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$$

in which case $[dx, dy, \cdots] := [x_t, y_t, \cdots] = \mathbf{r}'(t)$.

• Remember to substitute dx back into the integrand!!

4.10.3 Flux

$$\iint_{S} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iint_{S} \mathbf{F} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}} \ dS.$$

4.10.4 Area

Proposition 4.10.1 (Areas can be computed with Green's Theorem). Given R and f(x,y) = 0,

$$A(R) = \oint_{\partial R} x \ dy = -\oint_{\partial R} y \ dx = \frac{1}{2} \oint_{\partial R} -y \ dx + x \ dy.$$

Proof (?). Compute

$$\oint_{\partial R} x \, dy = -\oint_{\partial R} y \, dx$$
$$= \frac{1}{2} \oint_{\partial R} -y \, dx + x \, dy = \frac{1}{2} \iint_{R} 1 - (-1) \, dA = \iint_{R} 1 \, dA$$

4.10.5 Surface Integrals

• For a paramterization $\mathbf{r}(s,t):U\to S$ of a surface S and any function $f:\mathbb{R}^n\to\mathbb{R}$,

$$\iint_{S} f \ dA = \iint_{U} (f \circ \mathbf{r})(s, t) \|\mathbf{n}\| \ dA$$

• Can obtain a normal vector $\mathbf{n} = T_u \times T_v$

4.11 Other Results

Example 4.11.1 (?).

 $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F} = 0 \iff \exists G : \mathbf{F} = \nabla \times G$. A counterexample

$$\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} [x, y, z] , \quad S = S^2 \subset \mathbb{R}^3$$

$$\implies \nabla \mathbf{F} = 0 \text{ but } \iint_{S^2} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = 4\pi \neq 0$$

Where by Stokes' theorem,

$$\mathbf{F} = \nabla \times \mathbf{G} \implies \iint_{S^2} \mathbf{F} = \iint_{S^2} \nabla \times \mathbf{G}$$

$$= \oint_{\partial S^2} \mathbf{G} \ d\mathbf{r}$$
 by Stokes
$$= 0$$

since $\partial S^2 = \emptyset$.

Proposition 4.11.1 (Sufficient Conditions).

Sufficient condition: if \mathbf{F} is everywhere C^1 ,

 $\exists \mathbf{G}: \ \mathbf{F} = \nabla \times \mathbf{G} \iff \iint_{S} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = 0 \text{ for all closed surfaces } S.$

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Remark 5.0.1.

The underlying field will be assumed to be \mathbb{R} for this section.

5.1 Notation

5.2 Big Theorems

Theorem 5.2.1(Rank-Nullity).

$$|\ker(A)| + |\operatorname{im}(A)| = |\operatorname{dom}(A)|.$$

Generalization: the following sequence is always exact:

$$0 \to \ker(A) \stackrel{\mathrm{id}}{\hookrightarrow} \mathrm{dom}(A) \xrightarrow{A} \mathrm{im}(A) \to 0.$$

Moreover, it always splits, so dom $A = \ker A \oplus \operatorname{im} A$ and thus $|\operatorname{dom}(A)| = |\ker(A)| + |\operatorname{im}(A)|$.

5.3 Big List of Equivalent Properties

Let A be an $m \times n$ matrix. TFAE: - A is invertible and has a unique inverse A^{-1} - A^T is invertible - $\det(A) \neq 0$ - The linear system $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ has a unique solution for every $b \in \mathbb{R}^m$ -

The homogeneous system $A\mathbf{x}=0$ has only the trivial solution $\mathbf{x}=0$ - rank(A)=n - i.e. A is full rank - nullity $(A):=\dim \operatorname{nullispace}(A)=0$ - $A=\prod_{i=1}^k E_i$ for some finite k, where each E_i is an elementary matrix. - A is row-equivalent to the identity matrix I_n - A has exactly n pivots - The columns of A are a basis for \mathbb{R}^n - i.e. $\operatorname{colspace}(A)=\mathbb{R}^n$ - The rows of A are a basis for \mathbb{R}^m - i.e. $\operatorname{rowspace}(A)=\mathbb{R}^m$ - ($\operatorname{colspace}(A))^\perp=(\operatorname{rowspace}(A)^\perp=\{\mathbf{0}\}$ - Zero is not an eigenvalue of A. - A has n linearly independent eigenvectors - The rows of A are coplanar.

Similarly, by taking negations, TFAE:

- A is not invertible
- A is singular
- A^T is not invertible
- $\det A = 0$
- The linear system $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ has either no solution or infinitely many solutions.
- The homogeneous system $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$ has nontrivial solutions
- $\operatorname{rank} A < n$
- dim nullspace A > 0
- At least one row of A is a linear combination of the others
- The RREF of A has a row of all zeros.

Reformulated in terms of linear maps T, TFAE: - T^{-1} : $\mathbb{R}^m \to \mathbb{R}^n$ exists - $\operatorname{im}(T) = \mathbb{R}^n$ - $\ker(T) = 0$ - T is injective - T is surjective - T is an isomorphism - The system $A\mathbf{x} = 0$ has infinitely many solutions

5.4 Vector Spaces

Proposition 5.4.1 (Two-step vector subspace test).

If $V \subseteq W$, then V is a subspace of W if the following hold:

$$\mathbf{0} \in V$$

(2)
$$\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b} \in V \implies t\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b} \in V.$$

5.4.1 Linear Independence

Proposition 5.4.2(?).

Any set of two vectors $\{\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w}\}$ is linearly **dependent** $\iff \exists \lambda : \mathbf{v} = \lambda \mathbf{w}$, i.e. one is not a scalar multiple of the other.

5.4.2 The Inner Product

The point of this section is to show how an inner product can induce a notion of "angle", which agrees with our intuition in Euclidean spaces such as \mathbb{R}^n , but can be extended to much less intuitive things, like spaces of functions.

Definition 5.4.1 (The standard inner product).

The Euclidean inner product is defined as

$$\langle \mathbf{a}, \ \mathbf{b} \rangle = \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_i b_i = a_1 b_1 + a_2 b_2 + \dots + a_n b_n.$$

Also sometimes written as $\mathbf{a}^T \mathbf{b}$ or $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}$.

Proposition 5.4.3 (Inner products induce norms and angles).

Yields a norm

$$\|\mathbf{x}\| \coloneqq \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{x} \rangle}$$

which has a useful alternative formulation

$$\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle = \|\mathbf{x}\|^2.$$

This leads to a notion of angle:

$$\langle \mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{y} \rangle = \|\mathbf{x}\| \|\mathbf{y}\| \cos \theta_{x,y} \implies \cos \theta_{x,y} \coloneqq \frac{\langle \mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{y} \rangle}{\|\mathbf{x}\| \|\mathbf{y}\|} = \langle \widehat{\mathbf{x}}, \ \widehat{\mathbf{y}} \rangle$$

where $\theta_{x,y}$ denotes the angle between the vectors **x** and **y**.

Remark 5.4.1.

Since $\cos \theta = 0$ exactly when $\theta = \pm \frac{\pi}{2}$, we can can declare two vectors to be **orthogonal** exactly in this case:

$$\mathbf{x} \in \mathbf{y}^{\perp} \iff \langle \mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{y} \rangle = 0.$$

Note that this makes the zero vector orthogonal to everything.

Definition 5.4.2 (Orthogonal Complement/Perp).

Given a subspace $S \subseteq V$, we define its **orthogonal complement**

$$S^{\perp} = \left\{ \mathbf{v} \in V \mid \forall \mathbf{s} \in S, \ \langle \mathbf{v}, \ \mathbf{s} \rangle = 0 \right\}.$$

Remark 5.4.2.

Any choice of subspace $S \subseteq V$ yields a decomposition $V = S \oplus S^{\perp}$.

Proposition 5.4.4 (Formula expanding a norm and 'Pythagorean theorem').

A useful formula is

$$\|\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}\|^2 = \|\mathbf{x}\|^2 + 2\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \|\mathbf{y}\|^2$$
,

When $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbf{y}^{\perp}$, this reduces to

$$\|\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}\|^2 = \|\mathbf{x}\|^2 + \|\mathbf{y}\|^2.$$

Proposition 5.4.5 (Properties of the inner product).

1. Bilinearity:

$$\left\langle \sum_{j} \alpha_{j} \mathbf{a}_{j}, \sum_{k} \beta_{k} \mathbf{b}_{k} \right\rangle = \sum_{j} \sum_{i} \alpha_{j} \beta_{i} \langle \mathbf{a}_{j}, \mathbf{b}_{i} \rangle.$$

2. Symmetry:

$$\langle \mathbf{a}, \ \mathbf{b} \rangle = \langle \mathbf{b}, \ \mathbf{a} \rangle$$

3. Positivity:

$$\mathbf{a} \neq \mathbf{0} \implies \langle \mathbf{a}, \ \mathbf{a} \rangle > 0$$

4. Nondegeneracy:

$$\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{0} \iff \langle \mathbf{a}, \ \mathbf{a} \rangle = 0$$

Proof of Cauchy-Schwarz: See Goode page 346.

5.4.3 Gram-Schmidt Process

Extending a basis $\{\mathbf{x}_i\}$ to an orthonormal basis $\{\mathbf{u}_i\}$

$$\mathbf{u}_{1} = N(\mathbf{x}_{1})$$

$$\mathbf{u}_{2} = N(\mathbf{x}_{2} - \langle \mathbf{x}_{2}, \mathbf{u}_{1} \rangle \mathbf{u}_{1})$$

$$\mathbf{u}_{3} = N(\mathbf{x}_{3} - \langle \mathbf{x}_{3}, \mathbf{u}_{1} \rangle \mathbf{u}_{1} - \langle \mathbf{x}_{3}, \mathbf{u}_{2} \rangle \mathbf{u}_{2})$$

$$\vdots \qquad \vdots$$

$$\mathbf{u}_{k} = N(\mathbf{x}_{k} - \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} \langle \mathbf{x}_{k}, \mathbf{u}_{i} \rangle \mathbf{u}_{i})$$

where N denotes normalizing the result.

In more detail The general setup here is that we are given an orthogonal basis $\{\mathbf{x}_i\}_{i=1}^n$ and we want to produce an **orthonormal** basis from them.

Why would we want such a thing? Recall that we often wanted to change from the standard basis \mathcal{E} to some different basis $\mathcal{B} = \{\mathbf{b}_1, \mathbf{b}_2, \cdots\}$. We could form the change of basis matrix $B = [\mathbf{b}_1, \mathbf{b}_2, \cdots]$ acts on vectors in the \mathcal{B} basis according to

$$B[\mathbf{x}]_{\mathcal{B}} = [\mathbf{x}]_{\mathcal{E}}.$$

But to change from \mathcal{E} to \mathcal{B} requires computing B^{-1} , which acts on vectors in the standard basis according to

$$B^{-1}[\mathbf{x}]_{\mathcal{E}} = [\mathbf{x}]_{\mathcal{B}}.$$

If, on the other hand, the \mathbf{b}_i are orthonormal, then $B^{-1} = B^T$, which is much easier to compute. We also obtain a rather simple formula for the coordinates of \mathbf{x} with respect to \mathcal{B} . This follows because we can write

$$\mathbf{x} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{b}_i \rangle \mathbf{b}_i := \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_i \mathbf{b}_i,$$

and we find that

$$[\mathbf{x}]_{\mathcal{B}} = \mathbf{c} := [c_1, c_2, \cdots, c_n]^T$$
...

This also allows us to simplify projection matrices. Supposing that A has orthonormal columns and letting S be the column space of A, recall that the projection onto S is defined by

$$P_S = Q(Q^T Q)^{-1} Q^T ...$$

Since Q has orthogonal columns and satisfies $Q^TQ = I$, this simplifies to

$$P_S = QQ^T$$
..

The Algorithm Given the orthogonal basis $\{\mathbf{x}_i\}$, we form an orthonormal basis $\{\mathbf{u}_i\}$ iteratively as follows.

First define

$$N: \mathbb{R}^n \to S^{n-1}$$

 $\mathbf{x} \mapsto \widehat{\mathbf{x}} \coloneqq \frac{\mathbf{x}}{\|\mathbf{x}\|}$

which projects a vector onto the unit sphere in \mathbb{R}^n by normalizing. Then,

$$\mathbf{u}_{1} = N(\mathbf{x}_{1})$$

$$\mathbf{u}_{2} = N(\mathbf{x}_{2} - \langle \mathbf{x}_{2}, \mathbf{u}_{1} \rangle \mathbf{u}_{1})$$

$$\mathbf{u}_{3} = N(\mathbf{x}_{3} - \langle \mathbf{x}_{3}, \mathbf{u}_{1} \rangle \mathbf{u}_{1} - \langle \mathbf{x}_{3}, \mathbf{u}_{2} \rangle \mathbf{u}_{2})$$

$$\vdots \qquad \vdots$$

$$\mathbf{u}_{k} = N(\mathbf{x}_{k} - \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} \langle \mathbf{x}_{k}, \mathbf{u}_{i} \rangle \mathbf{u}_{i})$$

In words, at each stage, we take one of the original vectors \mathbf{x}_i , then subtract off its projections onto all of the \mathbf{u}_i we've created up until that point. This leaves us with only the component of \mathbf{x}_i that is orthogonal to the span of the previous \mathbf{u}_i we already have, and we then normalize each \mathbf{u}_i we obtain this way.

5.4.4 The Fundamental Subspaces Theorem

Given a matrix $A \in Mat(m, n)$, and noting that

$$A: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^m,$$
$$A^T: \mathbb{R}^m \to \mathbb{R}^n$$

We have the following decompositions:

$$\mathbb{R}^{n} \qquad \cong \ker A \oplus \operatorname{im} A^{T} \qquad \cong \operatorname{nullspace}(A) \oplus \operatorname{colspace}(A^{T})$$

$$\mathbb{R}^{m} \qquad \cong \operatorname{im} A \oplus \ker A^{T} \qquad \cong \operatorname{colspace}(A) \oplus \operatorname{nullspace}(A^{T})$$

5.4.5 Computing change of basis matrices

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5.5 Matrices

Remark 5.5.1.

An $m \times n$ matrix is a map from n-dimensional space to m-dimensional space. The number of rows tells you the dimension of the codomain, the number of columns tells you the dimension of the domain.

⚠ Warning 5.1: The space of matrices is not an integral domain! Counterexample: if A is singular and nonzero, there is some nonzero \mathbf{v} such that $A\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{0}$. Then setting $B = [\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{v}, \cdots]$ yields AB = 0 with $A \neq 0, B \neq 0$.

Definition 5.5.1 (Rank of a matrix).

The **rank** of a matrix A representing a linear transformation T is dim colspace(A), or equivalently dim im T.

Proposition 5.5.1(?).

rank(A) is equal to the number of nonzero rows in RREF(A).

Definition 5.5.2 (Trace of a Matrix).

$$\operatorname{Trace}(A) = \sum_{i=1}^{m} A_{ii}$$

Definition 5.5.3 (Elementary Row Operations).

The following are **elementary row operations** on a matrix:

- Permute rows
- Multiple a row by a scalar
- Add any row to another

Proposition 5.5.2 (Formula for matrix multiplication).

If $A = [\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2, \cdots] \in \operatorname{Mat}(m, n)$ and $B = [\mathbf{b}_1, \mathbf{b}_2, \cdots] \in \operatorname{Mat}(n, p)$, then

$$C := AB \implies c_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^{n} a_{ik} b_{kj} = \langle \mathbf{a_i}, \ \mathbf{b_j} \rangle$$

where $1 \le i \le m$ and $1 \le j \le p$. In words, each entry c_{ij} is obtained by dotting row i of A against column j of B.

5.5.1 Systems of Linear Equations

Definition 5.5.4 (Consistent and inconsistent).

A system of linear equations is **consistent** when it has at least one solution. The system is **inconsistent** when it has no solutions.

Definition 5.5.5 (Homogeneous Systems).

Remark 5.5.2.

Homogeneous systems are always consistent, i.e. there is always at least one solution.

Remark 5.5.3.

- Tall matrices: more equations than unknowns, overdetermined
- Wide matrices: more unknowns than equations, underdetermined

Proposition 5.5.3 (Characterizing solutions to a system of linear equations).

There are three possibilities for a system of linear equations:

- 1. No solutions (inconsistent)
- 2. One unique solution (consistent, square or tall matrices)
- 3. Infinitely many solutions (consistent, underdetermined, square or wide matrices)

These possibilities can be check by considering $r := \operatorname{rank}(A)$:

- $r < r_b$: case 1, no solutions.
- $r = r_b$: case 1 or 2, at least one solution.
 - $-r_b=n$: case 2, a unique solution.
 - $-r_b < n$: case 3, infinitely many solutions.

5.5.2 Determinants

Proposition 5.5.4(?).

 $\det (A \mod p) \mod p \equiv (\det A) \mod p$

Proposition 5.5.5 (Inverse of a 2×2 matrix).

For 2×2 matrices,

$$A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det A} \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix}$$

In words, swap the main diagonal entries, and flip the signs on the off-diagonal.

Proposition 5.5.6 (Properties of the determinant).

Let $A \in Mat(m, n)$, then there is a function

$$\det: \operatorname{Mat}(m, m) \to \mathbb{R}$$
$$A \mapsto \det(A)$$

satisfying the following properties:

• det is a group homomorphism onto (\mathbb{R},\cdot) :

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

- Some corollaries:

$$\det A^k = k \det A$$
$$\det(A^{-1}) = (\det A)^{-1} \det(A^t) = \det(A).$$

• Invariance under adding scalar multiples of any row to another:

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ -\mathbf{a}_i \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} = \det \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ -\mathbf{a}_i + t\mathbf{a_j} \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

• Sign change under row permutation:

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ -\mathbf{a}_{i} & - \\ \vdots \\ -\mathbf{a}_{j} & - \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} = (-1)\det \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ -\mathbf{a}_{j} & - \\ \vdots \\ -\mathbf{a}_{i} & - \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

- More generally, for a permutation $\sigma \in S_n$,

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ -\mathbf{a}_{i} & - \\ \vdots \\ -\mathbf{a}_{j} & - \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} = (-1)^{\operatorname{sgn}(\sigma)} \det \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ -\mathbf{a}_{\sigma(j)} & - \\ \vdots \\ -\mathbf{a}_{\sigma(i)} & - \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

• Multilinearity in rows:

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ -t\mathbf{a}_{i} \\ -t\mathbf{a}_{i} \end{bmatrix} = t \det \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ -\mathbf{a}_{i} \\ -t\mathbf{a}_{i} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} -t\mathbf{a}_{1} \\ -t\mathbf{a}_{2} \\ \vdots \\ -t\mathbf{a}_{m} \end{bmatrix} = t^{m} \det \begin{bmatrix} -\mathbf{a}_{1} \\ -\mathbf{a}_{2} \\ \vdots \\ -\mathbf{a}_{m} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} -t\mathbf{a}_{1} \\ -t\mathbf{a}_{2} \\ -t\mathbf{a}_{m} \end{bmatrix} = \prod_{i=1}^{m} t_{i} \det \begin{bmatrix} -\mathbf{a}_{1} \\ -\mathbf{a}_{2} \\ -t\mathbf{a}_{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} -t\mathbf{a}_{1} \\ -t\mathbf{a}_{2} \\ -t\mathbf{a}_{m} \end{bmatrix}$$

• Linearity in each row:

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ -\mathbf{a}_i + \mathbf{a}_j \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} = \det \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ -\mathbf{a}_i \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} + \det \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ -\mathbf{a}_j \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}.$$

- det(A) is the volume of the parallelepiped spanned by the columns of A.
- If any row of A is all zeros, det(A) = 0.

Proposition 5.5.7 (Characterizing singular matrices).

TFAE:

- $\det(A) = 0$
- A is singular.

5.5.3 Computing Determinants

Useful shortcuts:

• If A is upper or lower triangular, $det(A) = \prod_{i} a_{ii}$.

Definition 5.5.6 (Minors).

The **minor** M_{ij} of $A \in \text{Mat}(n,n)$ is the *determinant* of the $(n-1) \times (n-1)$ matrix obtained by deleting the *i*th row and *j*th column from A.

Definition 5.5.7 (Cofactors).

The **cofactor** C_{ij} is the scalar defined by

$$C_{ij} := (-1)^{i+j} M_{ij}.$$

Proposition 5.5.8(Laplace/Cofactor Expansion).

For any fixed i, there is a formula

$$\det(A) = \sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{ij} C_{ij}.$$

Example 5.5.1 (?).

Let

$$A = \left[\begin{array}{rrr} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{array} \right].$$

Then

$$\det A = 1 \cdot \left| \begin{array}{cc} 5 & 6 \\ 8 & 9 \end{array} \right| - 2 \cdot \left| \begin{array}{cc} 4 & 6 \\ 7 & 9 \end{array} \right| + 3 \cdot \left| \begin{array}{cc} 4 & 5 \\ 7 & 8 \end{array} \right| = 1 \cdot (-3) - 2 \cdot (-6) + 3 \cdot (-3) = 0.$$

Proposition 5.5.9 (Computing determinant from RREF).

 $\det(A)$ can be computed by reducing A to $\mathrm{RREF}(A)$ (which is upper triangular) and keeping track of the following effects:

- $R_i \leftarrow R_i \pm tR_i$: no effect.
- $R_i \rightleftharpoons R_j$: multiply by (-1).
- $R_i \leftarrow tR_i$: multiply by t.

5.5.4 Inverting a Matrix

Proposition 5.5.10(Cramer's Rule).

Given a linear system $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$, writing $\mathbf{x} = [x_1, \dots, x_n]$, there is a formula

$$x_i = \frac{\det(B_i)}{\det(A)}$$

where B_i is A with the *i*th column deleted and replaced by **b**.

Proposition 5.5.11 (Gauss-Jordan Method for inverting a matrix).

Under the equivalence relation of elementary row operations, there is an equivalence of augmented matrices:

$$\left[A \mid I\right] \sim \left[I \mid A^{-1}\right]$$

where I is the $n \times n$ identity matrix.

Proposition 5.5.12 (Cofactor formula for inverse).

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$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(A)} [C_{ij}]^t.$$

where C_{ij} is the cofactor(Definition 5.5.7) at position i, j.^a

Example 5.5.2 (Inverting a 2×2 matrix).

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad - bc} \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{where } ad - bc \neq 0$$

What's the pattern?

- 1. Always divide by determinant
- 2. Swap the diagonals
- 3. Hadamard product with checkerboard

Example 5.5.3 (Inverting a 3×3 matrix).

$$\begin{bmatrix} + & - \\ - & + \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} \coloneqq \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det A} \begin{bmatrix} ei - fh & -(bi - ch) & bf - ce \\ -(di - fg) & ai - cg & -(af - cd) \\ dh - eg & -(ah - bg) & ae - bd \end{bmatrix}.$$

The pattern:

- 1. Divide by determinant
- 2. Each entry is determinant of submatrix of A with corresponding col/row deleted
- 3. Hadamard product with checkerboard

$$\begin{bmatrix} + & - & + \\ - & + & - \\ + & - & + \end{bmatrix}$$

4. Transpose at the end!!

5.5.5 Bases for Spaces of a Matrix

Let $A \in \operatorname{Mat}(m, n)$ represent a map $T : \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^m$.

Add examples.

^aNote that the matrix appearing here is sometimes called the *adjugate*.

Definition 5.5.8 (Pivot).

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Proposition 5.5.13.

$$\dim \operatorname{rowspace}(A) = \dim \operatorname{colspace}(A).$$

The row space

$$\operatorname{im}(T)^{\vee} = \operatorname{rowspace}(A) \subset \mathbb{R}^n.$$

Reduce to RREF, and take nonzero rows of RREF(A).

The column space

$$im(T) = colspace(A) \subseteq \mathbb{R}^m$$

Reduce to RREF, and take columns with pivots from original A.

Remark 5.5.4.

Not enough pivots implies columns don't span the entire target domain

The nullspace

$$\ker(T) = \operatorname{nullspace}(A) \subseteq \mathbb{R}^n$$

Reduce to RREF, zero rows are free variables, convert back to equations and pull free variables out as scalar multipliers.

Eigenspaces For each $\lambda \in \operatorname{Spec}(A)$, compute a basis for $\ker(A - \lambda I)$.

5.5.6 Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors

 $\textbf{Definition 5.5.9} \ (\textbf{Eigenvalues}, \ \textbf{eigenvectors}, \ \textbf{eigenspaces}).$

A vector **v** is said to be an **eigenvector** of A with **eigenvalue** $\lambda \in \operatorname{Spec}(A)$ iff

$$A\mathbf{v} = \lambda \mathbf{v}$$

For a fixed λ , the corresponding **eigenspace** E_{λ} is the span of all such vectors.

Remark 5.5.5.

- Similar matrices have identical eigenvalues and multiplicities.
- Eigenvectors corresponding to distinct eigenvalues are always linearly independent
- A has n distinct eigenvalues \implies A has n linearly independent eigenvectors.
- A matrix A is diagonalizable \iff A has n linearly independent eigenvectors.

Proposition 5.5.14 (How to find eigenvectors).

For $\lambda \in \operatorname{Spec}(A)$,

$$\mathbf{v} \in E_{\lambda} \iff \mathbf{v} \in \ker(A - I\lambda).$$

Remark 5.5.6.

Some miscellaneous useful facts:

- $\lambda \in \operatorname{Spec}(A) \implies \lambda^2 \in \operatorname{Spec}(A^2)$ with the same eigenvector.
- $\prod \lambda_i = \det A$
- $\sum \lambda_i = \operatorname{Tr} A$

Finding generalized eigenvectors

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Diagonalizability

Remark 5.5.7.

An $n \times n$ matrix P is diagonalizable iff its eigenspace is all of \mathbb{R}^n (i.e. there are n linearly independent eigenvectors, so they span the space.)

Remark 5.5.8.

A is diagonalizable if there is a basis of eigenvectors for the range of P.

5.5.7 Useful Counterexamples

$$A := \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \implies A^n = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & n \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \qquad \operatorname{Spec}(A) = [1, 1]$$

$$A := \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \implies A^2 = I_2, \qquad \operatorname{Spec}(A) = [1, -1]$$

5.6 Advanced Topics

5.6.1 Changing Basis

Proposition 5.6.1 (Changing to the standard basis).

The transition matrix from a given basis $\mathcal{B} = \{\mathbf{b}_i\}_{i=1}^n$ to the standard basis is given by

$$A \coloneqq \begin{bmatrix} | & | & & | \\ \mathbf{b}_1 & \mathbf{b}_2 & \cdots & \mathbf{b}_n \\ | & | & & | \end{bmatrix},$$

and the transition matrix from the standard basis to \mathcal{B} is A^{-1} .

5.6.2 Orthogonal Matrices

Given a notion of orthogonality for vectors, we can extend this to matrices. A square matrix is said to be orthogonal iff $QQ^T = Q^TQ = I$. For rectangular matrices, we have the following characterizations:

$$QQ^T = I \implies$$
 The rows of Q are orthogonal,
 $Q^TQ = I \implies$ The columns of Q are orthogonal.

To remember which condition is which, just recall that matrix multiplication AB takes the inner product between the **rows** of A and the **columns** of B. So if, for example, we want to inspect whether or not the columns of Q are orthogonal, we should let B = Q in the above formulation – then we just note that the rows of Q^T are indeed the columns of Q, so Q^TQ computes the inner products between all pairs of the columns of Q and stores them in a matrix.

5.6.3 Projections

Remark 5.6.1.

A projection P induces a decomposition

$$dom(P) = \ker(P) \oplus \ker(P)^{\perp}.$$

Check! Domain or range..?

Distance from a point **p** to a line $\mathbf{a} + t\mathbf{b}$: let $\mathbf{w} = \mathbf{p} - \mathbf{a}$, then: $\|\mathbf{w} - P(\mathbf{w}, \mathbf{v})\|$

Proposition 5.6.2 (Projection onto range).

$$\operatorname{Proj}_{\operatorname{range}(A)}(\mathbf{x}) = A(A^t A)^{-1} A^t \mathbf{x}.$$

Mnemonic:

$$P \approx \frac{A^t A}{AA^t}.$$

With an inner product in hand and a notion of orthogonality, we can define a notion of **orthogonal projection** of one vector onto another, and more generally of a vector onto a subspace spanned by multiple vectors.

Projection Onto a Vector Say we have two vectors \mathbf{x} and \mathbf{y} , and we want to define "the component of \mathbf{x} that lies along \mathbf{y} ", which we'll call \mathbf{p} . We can work out what the formula should be using a simple model:

We notice that whatever p is, it will in the direction of \mathbf{y} , and thus $\mathbf{p} = \lambda \hat{\mathbf{y}}$ for some scalar λ , where in fact $\lambda = \|\mathbf{p}\|$ since $\|\hat{\mathbf{y}}\| = 1$. We will find that $\lambda = \langle \mathbf{x}, \hat{\mathbf{y}} \rangle$, and so

$$\mathbf{p} = \langle \mathbf{x}, \ \widehat{\mathbf{y}} \rangle \widehat{\mathbf{y}} = \frac{\langle \mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{y} \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{y}, \ \mathbf{y} \rangle} \mathbf{y}.$$

Notice that we can then form a "residual" vector $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{p}$, which should satisfy $\mathbf{r}^{\perp}\mathbf{p}$. If we were to let λ vary as a function of a parameter t (making \mathbf{r} a function of t as well) we would find that this particular choice minimizes $\|\mathbf{r}(t)\|$.

Projection Onto a Subspace In general, supposing one has a subspace $S = \text{span}\{\mathbf{y}_1, \mathbf{y}_2, \cdots, \mathbf{y}_n\}$ and (importantly!) the \mathbf{y}_i are orthogonal, then the projection of \mathbf{p} of x onto S is given by the sum of the projections onto each basis vector, yielding

$$\mathbf{p} = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{\langle \mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{y}_i \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{y}_i, \ \mathbf{y}_i \rangle} \mathbf{y}_i = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \langle \mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{y}_i \rangle \widehat{\mathbf{y}}_i.$$

Note: this is part of why having an orthogonal basis is desirable!

Letting $A = [\mathbf{y}_1, \mathbf{y}_2, \cdots]$, then the following matrix projects vectors onto S, expressing them in terms of the basis \mathbf{y}_i^1 :

$$\tilde{P}_A = (AA^T)^{-1}A^T$$

while this matrix performs the projection and expresses it in terms of the standard basis:

$$P_A = A(AA^T)^{-1}A^T.$$

Equation of a plane: given a point \mathbf{p}_0 on a plane and a normal vector \mathbf{n} , any vector \mathbf{x} on the plane satisfies

$$\langle \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{p}_0, \mathbf{n} \rangle = 0$$

To find the distance between a point \mathbf{a} and a plane, we need only project \mathbf{a} onto the subspace spanned by the normal \mathbf{n} :

$$d = \langle \mathbf{a}, \mathbf{n} \rangle$$
.

¹For a derivation of this formula, see the section on least-squares approximations.

One important property of projections is that for any vector \mathbf{v} and for any subspace S, we have $\mathbf{v} - P_S(\mathbf{v}) \in S^{\perp}$. Moreover, if $\mathbf{v} \in S^{\perp}$, then $P_s(\mathbf{v})$ must be zero. This follows by noting that in equation ??, every inner product appearing in the sum vanishes, by definition of $\mathbf{v} \in S^{\perp}$, and so the projection is zero.

Least Squares

Proposition 5.6.3 (Normal Equations).

 \mathbf{x} is a least squares solution to $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ iff

$$A^t A \mathbf{x} = A^t \mathbf{b}$$

Derivation of normal equations

The general setup here is that we would like to solve $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ for \mathbf{x} , where \mathbf{b} is not in fact in the range of A. We thus settle for a unique "best" solution $\tilde{\mathbf{x}}$ such that the error $||A\tilde{\mathbf{x}} - \mathbf{b}||$ is minimized.

Geometrically, the solution is given by projecting **b** onto the column space of A. To see why this is the case, define the residual vector $\mathbf{r} = A\tilde{\mathbf{x}} - \mathbf{b}$. We then seek to minimize $\|\mathbf{r}\|$, which happens exactly when \mathbf{r}^{\perp} im A. But this happens exactly when $\mathbf{r} \in (\text{im } A)^{\perp}$, which by the fundamental subspaces theorem, is equivalent to $\mathbf{r} \in \ker A^T$.

From this, we get the equation

$$A^{T}\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{0}$$

$$\implies A^{T}(A\tilde{\mathbf{x}} - \mathbf{b}) = \mathbf{0}$$

$$\implies A^{T}A\tilde{\mathbf{x}} = A^{T}\mathbf{b},$$

where the last line is described as the **normal equations**.

If A is an $m \times n$ matrix and is of full rank, so it has n linearly independent columns, then one can show that $A^T A$ is nonsingular, and we thus arrive at the least-squares solution

$$\tilde{\mathbf{x}} = (A^T A)^{-1} A^T \mathbf{b} \blacksquare$$

These equations can also be derived explicitly using Calculus applied to matrices, vectors, and inner products. This requires the use of the following formulas:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{x}} \langle \mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{a} \rangle = \mathbf{a}$$
$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{x}} \langle \mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{A} \mathbf{x} \rangle = (A + A^T) \mathbf{x}$$

as well as the adjoint formula

$$\langle A\mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{x} \rangle = \left\langle \mathbf{x}, \ A^T\mathbf{x} \right\rangle..$$

From these, by letting A = I we can derive

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{x}} \left\| \mathbf{x} \right\|^2 = \frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{x}} \left\langle \mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{x} \right\rangle = 2\mathbf{x}$$

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The derivation proceeds by solving the equation

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{x}} \|\mathbf{b} - A\mathbf{x}\|^2 = \mathbf{0}..$$

5.6.4 Normal Forms

Remark 5.6.2.

Every square matrix is similar to a matrix in Jordan canonical form.

5.6.5 Decompositions

The QR Decomposition Gram-Schmidt is often computed to find an orthonormal basis for, say, the range of some matrix A. With a small modification to this algorithm, we can write A = QR where R is upper triangular and Q has orthogonal columns.

Why is this useful? One reason is that this also allows for a particularly simple expression of least-squares solutions. If A = QR, then R will be invertible, and a bit of algebraic manipulation will show that

$$\tilde{\mathbf{x}} = R^{-1} Q^T \mathbf{b}..$$

How does it work? You simply perform Gram-Schmidt to obtain $\{\mathbf{u}_i\}$, then

$$Q = [\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \cdots].$$

The matrix R can then be written as

$$r_{ij} = \begin{cases} \langle \mathbf{u}_i, \ \mathbf{x}_j \rangle, & i \leq j, \\ 0, & \text{else.} \end{cases}$$

Explicitly, this yields the matrix

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} \langle \mathbf{u}_1, \ \mathbf{x}_1 \rangle & \langle \mathbf{u}_1, \ \mathbf{x}_2 \rangle & \langle \mathbf{u}_1, \ \mathbf{x}_3 \rangle & \cdots \\ 0 & \langle \mathbf{u}_2, \ \mathbf{x}_2 \rangle & \langle \mathbf{u}_2, \ \mathbf{x}_3 \rangle & \cdots \\ 0 & 0 & \langle \mathbf{u}_3, \ \mathbf{x}_3 \rangle & \cdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots \end{bmatrix}$$

Explain shortcut for diagonal.

5.7 Appendix: Lists of things to know

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5.7.2 Definitions

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- Consistent/inconsistent system
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- Singular matrix
- Determinant
- Trace
- Rank
- Elementary row operation
- Row equivalence
- Pivot
- Row Echelon Form
- Reduced Row Echelon Form
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- Block matrix
- Vector space
- Vector subspace
- Linear transformation
- Span

- Linear independence
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5.7.3 Lower-division review

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 - Convert a basis to an orthonormal basis

5.7.4 Things to compute

- Construct a matrix representing a linear map
 - With respect to the standard basis in both domain and range
 - With respect to a nonstandard basis in the range
 - With respect to a nonstandard basis in the domain
 - With respect to nonstandard bases in both the domain and range
- Construct a change of basis matrix
- Check that a map is a linear transformation
- Compute the following spaces of a matrix and their orthogonal complements:
 - Row space
 - Column space
 - Null space
- Compute the shortest distance between a point and a plane
- Compute the least squares solution to linear system
- Prove that something is a vector space
- Prove that a map is an inner product
- Compute determinants
- Compute the RREF of a matrix
- Compute characteristic polynomials, eigenvalues, and eigenvectors
- Diagonalize a matrix
- Solve a system of ODEs resulting arising from tank mixing
- Compute the singular value decomposition of a matrix
- Compute the rank and nullity of a matrix
- Convert a set of vectors to a basis
- Convert a basis to an orthonormal basis
- Determine if a matrix is diagonalizable
- Compute the matrix for a projection onto a subspace
- Find the QR factorization of a matrix

5.7.5 Things to prove

- Prove facts about block matrices
- Prove facts about injective linear maps
- Prove facts about similar matrices
- Prove facts about orthogonal spaces and orthogonal complements
- Prove facts about inner products
- Prove facts about orthonormal sets
- Prove facts about eigenvalues/eigenvectors
- Understand when a matrix can be diagonalized
- Prove facts about diagonalizable matrices
- Prove facts about the orthogonal decomposition theorem

5.8 Techniques Overview

$$p(y)y'=q(x)$$
 separable $y'+p(x)y=q(x)$ integrating factor $y'=f(x,y), f(tx,ty)=f(x,y)$ $y=xV(x)$ COV reduces to separable $y'+p(x)y=q(x)y^n$ Bernoulli, divide by y^n and COV $u=y^{1-n}$ $M(x,y)dx+N(x,y)dy=0$ $M_y=N_x: \varphi(x,y)=c(\varphi_x=M,\varphi_y=N)$ $P(D)y=f(x,y)$

Where e^{zx} yields $e^{ax} \cos bx$, $e^{ax} \sin bx$

5.9 Ordinary Differential Equations

• Separable equations:

$$p(y)\frac{dy}{dx} - q(x) = 0 \implies \int p(y)dy = \int q(x)dx + C$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x)g(y) \implies \int \frac{1}{g(y)}dy = \int f(x)dx + C$$

- Population growth:

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = kP \implies P = P_0 e^{kt}$$

- Logistic growth:

$$\diamondsuit$$
 General form: $\frac{dP}{dt} = (B(t) - D(t))P(t)$

 \diamondsuit Assume birth rate is constant $B(t) = B_0$ and death rate is proportional to instantaneous population $D(t) = D_0 P(t)$. Then let $r = B_0, C = B_0/D_0$ be the carrying capacity:

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = r\left(1 - \frac{P}{C}\right)P \implies P(t) = \frac{P_0}{\frac{P_0}{C} + e^{-rt}(1 - \frac{P_0}{C})}$$

• First order linear:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + p(x)y = q(x) \implies I(x) = e^{\int p(x)dx}, \qquad y(x) = \frac{1}{I(x)} \left(\int q(x)I(x)dx + C \right)$$

• Exact:

$$-M(x,y)dx + N(x,y)dy = 0 \text{ is exact } \iff \exists \varphi : \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial x} = M(x,y), \ \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial y} = N(x,y)$$
$$\iff \frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial N}{x}$$

- General solution:

$$\varphi(x,y) = \int_{-\infty}^{x} M(s,y)ds + \int_{-\infty}^{y} N(x,t)dt - \int_{-\infty}^{y} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(\int_{-\infty}^{x} M(s,t)ds \right) dt$$

(where $\int_{-x}^{x} f(t)dt$ means take the antiderivative of f and consider it a function of x)

- Cauchy Euler: #todo
- Bernoulli: todo

5.10 Linear Homogeneous

General form:

$$y^{(n)} + c_{n-1}y^{(n-1)} + \dots + c_2y'' + cy' + cy = 0$$
$$p(D)y = \prod (D - r_i)^{m_i} y = 0$$

where p is a polynomial in the differential operator D with roots r_i :

• Real roots: contribute m_i solutions of the form

$$e^{rx}, xe^{rx}, \cdots, x^{m_i-1}e^{rx}$$

• Complex conjugate roots: for r = a + bi, contribute $2m_i$ solutions of the form

$$e^{(a\pm bi)x}, xe^{(a\pm bi)x}, \cdots, x^{m_i-1}e^{(a\pm bi)x}$$
$$= e^{ax}\cos(bx), e^{ax}\sin(bx), xe^{ax}\cos(bx), xe^{ax}\sin(bx), \cdots,$$

Example: by cases, second order equation of the form

$$ay'' + by' + cy = 0$$

- Two distinct roots: $c_1e^{r_1x} + c_2e^{r_2x}$ - One real root: $c_1e^{rx} + c_2xe^{rx}$ - Complex conjugates $\alpha \pm i\beta$: $e^{\alpha x}(c_1\cos\beta x + c_2\sin\beta x)$

5.11 Linear Inhomogeneous

General form:

$$y^{(n)} + c_{n-1}y^{(n-1)} + \dots + c_2y'' + cy' + cy = F(x)$$
$$p(D)y = \prod (D - r_i)^{m_i} y = 0$$

Then solutions are of the form $y_c + y_p$, where y_c is the solution to the associated homogeneous system and y_p is a particular solution.

Methods of obtaining particular solutions

5.11.1 Undetermined Coefficients

- Find an operator p(D) the annihilates F(x) (so q(D)F = 0)
- Find solution of q(D)p(D) = 0, subtract of known solutions from homogeneous part to obtain the form of the trial solution $A_0 f(x)$, where A_0 is the undetermined coefficient
- Substitute trial solution into original equation to determine A_0

Useful Annihilators:

$$\begin{split} F(x) &= p(x): & D^{\deg(p)+1} \\ F(x) &= p(x)e^{ax}: & (D-a)^{\deg(p)+1} \\ F(x) &= \cos(ax) + \sin(ax): & D^2 + a^2 \\ F(x) &= e^{ax}(a_0\cos(bx) + b_0\sin(bx)): & (D-z)(D-\overline{z}) = D^2 - 2aD + a^2 + b^2 \\ F(x) &= p(x)e^{ax}\cos(bx) + p(x)e^{ax}\cos(bx): & ((D-z)(D-\overline{z}))^{\max(\deg(p),\deg(q))+1} \end{split}$$

5.11.2 Variation of Parameters

todo

5.11.3 Reduction of Order

todo

5.12 Systems of Differential Equations

General form:

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{x}(t)}{\partial t} = A\mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{b}(t) \iff \mathbf{x}'(t) = A\mathbf{x}(t) + \mathbf{b}(t)$$

General solution to homogeneous equation:

$$c_1\mathbf{x_1}(t) + c_2\mathbf{x_2}(t) + \dots + c_n\mathbf{x_n}(t) = \mathbf{X}(t)\mathbf{c}$$

If A is a matrix of constants: $\mathbf{x}(t) = e^{\lambda_i t} \mathbf{v}_i$ is a solution for each eigenvalue/eigenvector pair $(\lambda_i, \mathbf{v}_i)$ - If A is defective, you'll need generalized eigenvectors.

Inhomogeneous Equation: particular solutions given by

$$\mathbf{x}_p(t) = \mathbf{X}(t) \int_0^t \mathbf{X}^{-1}(s) \mathbf{b}(s) \ ds$$

5.13 Laplace Transforms

Definitions:

$$H_a(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & 0 \le t < a \\ 1, & t \ge a \end{cases}$$
$$\delta(t) : \int_{\mathbb{R}} \delta(t-a)f(t) \ dt = f(a), \quad \int_{\mathbb{R}} \delta(t-a) \ dt = 1$$
$$(f * g)(t) = \int_0^t f(t-s)g(s) \ ds$$

Useful property: for $a \leq b$, $H_a(t) - H_b(t) = \mathbb{1}[[a, b]]$.

$$t^{n}, n \in \mathbb{N} \iff n! \frac{1}{s^{n+1}}, s > 0$$

$$t^{-\frac{1}{2}} \iff \sqrt{\pi}s^{-\frac{1}{2}} s > 0$$

$$e^{at} \iff \frac{1}{s-a}, s > a$$

$$\cos(bt) \iff \frac{s}{s^{2}+b^{2}}, s > 0$$

$$\sin(bt) \iff \frac{b}{s^{2}+b^{2}}, s > 0$$

$$\delta(t-a) \iff e^{-as}$$

$$H_{a}(t) \iff s^{-1}e^{-as}$$

$$e^{at}f(t) \iff f(s-a)$$

$$H_{a}(t)f(t-a) \iff e^{-as}F(s)$$

$$f'(t) \iff sL(f)-f(0)$$

$$f''(t) \iff s^{2}L(f)-sf(0)-f'(0)$$

$$f^{(n)}(t) \iff s^{n}L(f)-\sum_{i=0}^{n-1}s^{n-1-i}f^{(i)}(0)$$

$$f(t)g(t) \iff F(s)*G(s)$$

• For f periodic with period T,
$$L(f) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-sT}} \int_0^T e^{-st} f(t) dt$$

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5.14 Systems of Differential Equations

Definition 5.14.1 (Wronksian).

For a collection of n functions $f_i: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}$, define the $n \times 1$ column vector

$$W(f_i)(\mathbf{p}) \coloneqq \begin{bmatrix} f_i(\mathbf{p}) \\ f'_i(\mathbf{p}) \\ f''_i(\mathbf{p}) \\ \vdots \\ f^{(n-1)}(\mathbf{p}) \end{bmatrix}.$$

The Wronskian of this collection is defined as

$$W(f_1, \dots, f_n)(\mathbf{p}) \coloneqq \det \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | & | \\ W(f_1)(\mathbf{p}) & W(f_2)(\mathbf{p}) & \dots & W(f_n)(\mathbf{p}) \end{bmatrix}.$$

 ${\bf Proposition}~5.14.1 ({\it Wronskian}~detects~linear~dependence~of~functions).$

A set of functions $\{f_i\}$ is linearly independent on $I \iff \exists x_0 \in I : W(x_0) \neq 0$.

Warning 5.2: $W \equiv 0$ on I does not imply that $\{f_i\}$ is linearly dependent! Counterexample: $\{x, x + x^2, 2x - x^2\}$ where $W \equiv 0$ but $x + x^2 = 3(x) + (2x - x^2)$ is a linear combination of the other two functions.

Sufficient condition: each f_i is the solution to a linear homogeneous ODE L(y)=0.

5.15 To Sort

- Burnside's Lemma
- Cauchy's Theorem

- If $|G| = n = \prod p_i^{k_i}$, then for each *i* there exists a subgroup *H* of order p_i .
- The Sylow Theorems
 - If $|G| = n = \prod p_i^{k_i}$, for each ii and each $1 \le k_j \le k_i$ then there exists a subgroup H of order $p_i^{k_j}$.
- Galois Theory
- More terms: http://mathroughguides.wikidot.com/glossary:abstract-algebra
- Order p: One, Z_p
- Order p^2 : Two abelian groups, Z_{p^2}, Z_p^2
- Order p^3 :
 - -3 abelian $Z_{p^3}, Z_p \times Z_{p^2}.Z_p^3$,
 - -2 others $Z_p \rtimes Z_{p^2}$.
 - \Diamond The other is the quaternion group for p=2 and a group of exponent p for p>2.
- Order pq:
 - $-p \mid q-1$: Two groups, Z_{pq} and $Z_q \rtimes Z_p$
 - Else cyclic, Z_{pq}
- Every element in a permutation group is a product of disjoint cycles, and the order is the lcm of the order of the cycles.
- The product ideal IJ is not just elements of the form ij, it is all sums of elements of this form! The product alone isn't enough.
- The intersection of any number of ideals is also an ideal

5.16 Big List of Notation

$$C(x) = \begin{cases} g \in G : gxg^{-1} = x \end{cases} & \subseteq G \qquad \text{Centralizer} \\ C_G(x) = \begin{cases} gxg^{-1} : g \in G \end{cases} & \subseteq G \qquad \text{Conjugacy Class} \\ G_x = \{g.x : x \in X\} & \subseteq X \qquad \text{Orbit} \\ x_0 = \{g \in G : g.x = x\} & \subseteq G \qquad \text{Stabilizer} \\ Z(G) = \{x \in G : \forall g \in G, \ gxg^{-1} = x \} & \subseteq G \qquad \text{Center} \\ \text{Inn}(G) = \{\varphi_g(x) = gxg^{-1}\} & \subseteq \text{Aut}(G) \qquad \text{Inner Aut.} \\ \text{Out}(G) = \qquad \text{Aut}(G)/\text{Inn}(G) & \hookrightarrow \text{Aut}(G) \qquad \text{Outer Aut.} \\ N(H) = \{g \in G : gHg^{-1} = H\} & \subseteq G \qquad \text{Normalizer} \end{cases}$$

5.17 Group Theory

Notation: H < G a subgroup, N < G a normal subgroup, concatenation is a generic group operation.

- \mathbb{Z}_n the unique cyclic group of order n
- $oldsymbol{\cdot}$ **Q** the quaternion group
- $G^n = G \times G \times \cdots G$
- Z(G) the center of G
- o(G) the order of a group
- S_n the symmetric group
- A_n the alternating group
- D_n the dihedral group of order 2n
- Group Axioms
 - Closure: $a, b \in G \implies ab \in G$
 - Identity: $\exists e \in G \mid a \in G \implies ae = ea = a$
 - Associativity: $a, b, c \in G \implies (ab)c = a(bc)$
 - Inverses: $a \in G \implies \exists b \in G \mid ab = ba = e$
- Definitions:
 - Order
 - \diamondsuit Of a group: o(G) = |G|, the cardinality of G
 - \Diamond Of an element: $o(g) = \min \{ n \in \mathbb{N} : g^n = e \}$
 - Index
 - Center: the elements that commute with everything
 - Centralizer: all elements that commute with a given element/subgroup.
 - Group Action: a function $f: X \times G \to G$ satisfying
 - $\Diamond x \in X, g_1, g_2 \in G \implies g_1.(g_2.x) = (g_1g_2).x$
 - $\Diamond x \in X \implies e.x = x$
 - Orbits partition any set
 - Transitive Action
 - Conjugacy Class: $C \subset G$ is a conjugacy class \iff
 - $\Diamond x \in C, g \in G \implies gxg^{-1} \in C$
 - $\Diamond x, y \in C \implies \exists g \in G : gxg^{-1} = y$
 - \Diamond i.e. subsets that are closed under G acting on itself by conjugation and on which the action is transitive
 - \Diamond i.e. orbits under the conjugation action
 - \Diamond The order of any conjugacy class divides the order of G
 - p-group: Any group of order p^n .
 - Simple Group: no nontrivial normal subgroups
 - Normal Series: $0 ext{ ≤ } H_0 ext{ ≤ } H_1 \cdots ext{ ≤ } G$
 - Composition Series: The successive quotients of the normal series
 - Solvable: G is solvable \iff G has an abelian composition series.

• One step subgroup test:

$$a, b \in H \implies ab^{-1} \in H$$

- Useful isomorphism invariants:
 - Order profile of elements: n_1 elements of order p_1 , n_2 elements of order p_2 , etc ♦ Useful to look at elements of order 2!
 - Order profile of subgroups
 - $-Z(A) \cong Z(B)$
 - Number of generators (generators are sent to generators)
 - Number and size of conjugacy classes
 - Number of Sylow-p subgroups.
 - Commutativity
 - "Being cyclic"
 - Automorphism Groups
 - Solvability
 - Nilpotency
- Useful homomorphism invariants

$$-\varphi(e) = e$$
$$-|g| = m < 0$$

$$-|g| = m < \infty \implies |\varphi(g)| = m$$

- Inverses, i.e.
$$\varphi(a)^{-1} = \varphi(a^{-1})$$

$$-H < G \implies \varphi(H) < G'$$

$$\Diamond H' < G' \Longrightarrow \varphi^{-1}(H') < G$$

$$-|G| < \infty \implies \varphi(G) \text{ divides } |G|, |G'|$$

5.18 Big Theorems

• Classification of Abelian Groups

$$G \cong \mathbb{Z}_{p_1^{k_1}} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_{p_2^{k_2}} \oplus \cdots \oplus \mathbb{Z}_{p_n^{k_n}},$$

where (p_i, k_i) are the set of elementary divisors of G.

• Isomorphism Theorems

$$\begin{split} \varphi: G \to G' \implies & \frac{G}{\ker \varphi} \cong \varphi(G) \\ H \trianglelefteq G, \ K < G \implies & \frac{K}{H \cap K} \cong \frac{HK}{H} \\ H, K \trianglelefteq G, \ K < H \implies & \frac{G/K}{H/K} \cong \frac{G}{H} \end{split}$$

- Lagrange's Theorem: $H < G \implies o(H) \mid o(G)$
 - Converse is false: $o(A_4) = 12$ but has no order 6 subgroup.

- The GZ Theorem: G/Z(G) cyclic implies that $G \in \mathbf{Ab}$.
- Orbit Stabilizer Theorem: $G/x_0 \cong Gx$
- The Class Equation
 - Let $G \curvearrowright X$ and $\mathcal{O}_i \subseteq X$ be the nontrivial orbits, then

$$|X| = |X_0| + \sum_{[x_i] \in X/G} |Gx|.$$

- The right hand side is the number of fixed points, plus a sum over all of the orbits of size greater than 1, where any representative within the orbit is chosen and we look at the index of its stabilizer in G.
- Let $G \curvearrowright G$ and for each nontrivial conjugacy class C_G choose a representative $[x_i] = C_G = C_G(x_i)$ to obtain

$$|G| = |Z(G)| + \sum_{[x_i] = C_G(x_i)} [G : [x_i]].$$

- Useful facts:
 - $-H < G \in \mathbf{Ab} \implies H \trianglelefteq G$
 - ♦ Converse doesn't hold, even if all subgroups are normal. Counterexample: Q
 - $-G/Z(G) \cong \operatorname{Inn}(G)$
 - $-H, K < G \text{ with } H \cong K \not \Longrightarrow G/H \cong G/K$
 - \diamondsuit Counterexample: $G = \mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2, H = <(0,1)>, K = <(2,0)>$. Then $G/H \cong \mathbb{Z}_4 \not\cong \mathbb{Z}_2^2 \cong G/K$
 - $-G \in \mathbf{Ab} \implies$ for each p dividing o(G), there is an element of order p
 - Any surjective homomorphism $\varphi: A \to B$ where o(A) = o(B) is an isomorphism
 - If G is abelian, for each $d \mid |G|$ there is exactly one subgroup of order d.
- Sylow Subgroups:
 - Todo
- Big List of Interesting Groups
 - $-\mathbb{Z}_4,\mathbb{Z}_2^2$
 - $-D_4$
 - $-Q = \langle a, b | a^4 = 1, a^2 = b^2, ab = ba^3 \rangle$ the quaternion group
 - $-S^3$, the smallest nonabelian group
- Chinese Remainder Theorem:

$$\mathbb{Z}_{pq} \cong \mathbb{Z}_p \oplus \mathbb{Z}_q \iff (p,q) = 1$$

- Fundamental Theorem of Finitely Generated Abelian Groups:
- $-G = \mathbb{Z}^n \oplus \bigoplus \mathbb{Z}_{q_i}$
- Finding all of the unique groups of a given order: #todo

5.18.1 Cyclic Groups

- Generated by ?
- For each d dividing o(G), there exists a subgroup H of order d.
 - If $G = \langle a \rangle$, then take $H = \langle a^{\frac{n}{d}} \rangle$

5.18.2 The Symmetric Group

- Generated by:
 - Transpositions
 - #todo
- Cycle types: characterized by the number of elements in the cycle.
 - Two elements are in the same conjugacy class \iff they have the same cycle type.
- Inversions: given $\tau = (p_1 \cdots p_n)$, a pair p_i, p_j is inverted iff i < j but $p_j < p_i$
- Can count inversions $N(\tau)$
 - Equal to minimum number of transpositions to obtain non-decreasing permutation
- Sign of a permutation: $\sigma(\tau) = (-1)^{N(\tau)}$
- Parity of permutations $\cong (\mathbb{Z}, +)$
 - even \circ even = even
 - $\text{ odd } \circ \text{ odd } = \text{even}$
 - even \circ odd = odd

5.19 Ring Theory

Ring Axioms

- Examples:
- Non-Examples:
- Definition of an Ideal
- Definitions of types of rings:
 - Field
 - Unique Factorization Domain (UFD)
 - Principal Ideal Domain (PID)
 - Euclidean Domain:
 - Integral Domain
 - Division Ring

field \implies Euclidean Domain \implies PID \implies UFD \implies integral domain.

- Counterexamples to inclusions are strict:
 - An ED that is not a field:
 - A PID that is not an ED: $\mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{19}]$
 - A UFD that is not a PID:
 - An integral domain that is not a UFD:
- Integral Domains
- Unique Factorization Domains
- Prime Elements
- Prime Ideals
- Field Extensions

- The Chinese Remainder Theorem for Rings
- Polynomial Rings
 - Irreducible Polynomials

$$\Diamond$$
 Over \mathbb{Z}_2 :

$$x, x + 1, x^2 + x + 1, x^3 + x + 1, x^3 + x^2 + 1.$$

- ♦ Eisenstein's Criterion
- Gauss' Lemma

When is $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{d})$ a field?

6 Number Theory

6.1 Notation and Basic Definitions

$$(a,b) := \gcd(a,b)$$
 the greatest common divisor the ring of integers $\mod n$ \mathbb{Z}_n^{\times} the group of units $\mod n$.

Definition 6.1.1 (Multiplicative Functions).

A function $f: \mathbb{Z} \to \mathbb{Z}$ is said to be **multiplicative** iff

$$(a,b) = 1 \implies f(ab) = f(a)f(b).$$

6.2 Big Theorems

Link to theorems.

6.3 Primes

Theorem 6.3.1 (The fundamental theorem of arithmetic).

Every $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ can be written uniquely as

$$n = \prod_{i=1}^{m} p_i^{k_i}$$

where the p_i are the m distinct prime divisors of n.

Remark 6.3.1.

Note that the number of distinct prime factors is m, while the total number of factors is $\prod_{i=1}^{m} (k_i + 1)$.

6.4 Divisibility

Definition 6.4.1 (Divisibility).

$$a \mid b \iff b \equiv 0 \mod a \iff \exists k \text{ such that } ak = b$$

6.4.1 gcd, lcm

Remark 6.4.1.

gcd(a,b) can be computed by taking prime factorizations of a and b, intersecting the primes occurring, and taking the lowest exponent that appears. Dually, lcm(a,b) can be computed by taking the *union* and the *highest* exponent.

Check

Proposition 6.4.1 (Relationship between gcd and lcm).

$$xy = \gcd(x, y) \operatorname{lcm}(x, y)$$

Proposition 6.4.2(?).

If $d \mid x$ and $d \mid y$, then

$$\gcd(x, y) = d \cdot \gcd\left(\frac{x}{d}, \frac{y}{d}\right)$$
$$\operatorname{lcm}(x, y) = d \cdot \operatorname{lcm}\left(\frac{x}{d}, \frac{y}{d}\right)$$

Check

Proposition 6.4.3 (Useful properties of gcd).

$$\gcd(x, y, z) = \gcd(\gcd(x, y), z)$$
$$\gcd(x, y) = \gcd(x \bmod y, y)$$
$$\gcd(x, y) = \gcd(x - y, y).$$

6.4.2 The Euclidean Algorithm

gcd(a, b) can be computed via the Euclidean algorithm, taking the final bottom-right coefficient.

Example of Euclidean algorithm,

6.5 Modular Arithmetic

Generally concerned with the multiplicative group (\mathbb{Z}_n, \times) .

Theorem 6.5.1 (The Chinese Remainder Theorem).

The system

$$x \equiv a_1 \mod m_1$$

 $x \equiv a_2 \mod m_2$
 \vdots
 $x \equiv a_r \mod m_r$

has a unique solution $x \mod \prod m_i \iff (m_i, m_j) = 1$ for each pair i, j, given by

$$x = \sum_{j=1}^{r} a_j \frac{\prod_i m_i}{m_j} \left[\frac{\prod_i m_i}{m_j} \right]^{-1} \mod m_j.$$

Theorem 6.5.2 (Euler's Theorem).

$$a^{\varphi(p)} \equiv 1 \mod n$$
.

Theorem 6.5.3 (Fermat's Little Theorem).

$$x^p \equiv x \mod p$$

 $x^{p-1} \equiv 1 \mod p \quad \text{if } p \nmid a$

6.5.1 Diophantine Equations

Proposition 6.5.1 (Solutions to linear Diophantine equations).

Consider ax + by = c. This has solutions iff $c = 0 \mod(a, b) \iff \gcd(a, b)$ divides c.

How to obtain solutions

6.5.2 Computations

Proposition 6.5.2(?).

If $x \equiv 0 \mod n$, then $x \equiv 0 \mod p^k$ for all p^k appearing in the prime factorization of n.

Remark 6.5.1.

If there are factors of the modulus in the equation, peel them off with addition, using the fact that $nk \equiv 0 \mod n$.

$$x \equiv nk + r \mod n$$
$$\equiv r \mod n$$

So take x = 463, n = 4, then use $463 = 4 \cdot 115 + 4$ to write

$$463 \equiv y \mod 4$$

$$\implies 4 \cdot 115 + 3 \equiv y \mod 4$$

$$\implies 3 \equiv y \mod 4.$$

Proposition 6.5.3 (Repeated square/fast exponentiation). For any n,

$$x^k \mod n \equiv (x^{k/d} \mod n)^d \mod n.$$

Example 6.5.1 (?).

$$2^{25} \equiv (2^5 \mod 5)^5 \mod 5$$
$$\equiv 2^5 \mod 5$$
$$\equiv 2 \mod 5$$

Remark 6.5.2.

Make things easier with negatives! For example, mod 5,

$$4^{25} \equiv (-1)^{25} \mod 5$$
$$\equiv (-1) \mod 5$$
$$\equiv 4 \mod 5$$

6.5.3 Invertibility

Proposition 6.5.4 (Reduction of modulus).

$$xa = xb \mod n \implies a = b \mod \frac{n}{(x,n)}.$$

Proposition 6.5.5 (Characterization of invertibility).

$$x \in \mathbb{Z}_n^{\times} \iff (x, n) = 1,$$

and thus

$$\mathbb{Z}_n^{\times} = \{1 \le x \le n : (x, n) = 1\}$$

and $|\mathbb{Z}_n^{\times}| = \varphi(n)$.

Example 6.5.2 (Using invertibility).

One can reduce equations by dividing through by a unit. Pick any x such that $x \mid a$ and $x \mid b$ with (x, n) = 1, then

$$a = b \mod n \implies \frac{a}{x} = \frac{b}{x} \mod n.$$

6.6 The Totient Function

Definition 6.6.1 (Euler's Totient Function).

$$\varphi(n) = |\{1 \le x \le n : (x, n) = 1\}|$$

Example 6.6.1 (?).

$$\varphi(1) = |\{1\}| = 1$$

$$\varphi(2) = |\{1\}| = 1$$

$$\varphi(3) = |\{1, 2\}| = 2$$

$$\varphi(4) = |\{1, 3\}| = 2$$

$$\varphi(5) = |\{1, 2, 3, 4\}| = 4$$

Proposition 6.6.1 (Formulas involving the totient).

$$\varphi(p) = p - 1$$

$$\varphi(p^k) = p^{k-1}(p - 1)$$

$$\varphi(n) = n \prod_{i=1}^{?} \left(1 - \frac{1}{p_i}\right)$$

$$n = \sum_{d \mid n} \varphi(d)$$

Proof (?).

All numbers less than p are coprime to p; there are p^k numbers less than p^k and the only numbers not coprime to p^k are multiples of p, i.e. $\left\{p, p^2, \cdots p^{k-1}\right\}$ of which there are k-1, yielding $p^k - p^{k-1}$

Along with the fact that φ is multiplicative, so $(p,q)=1 \implies \varphi(pq)=\varphi(p)\varphi(q)$, compute this for any n by taking the prime factorization.

With these properties, one can compute:

$$\varphi(n) = \varphi\left(\prod_{i} p_i^{k_i}\right)$$

$$= \prod_{i} p_i^{k_i - 1} (p_i - 1)$$

$$= n \left(\frac{\prod_{i} (p_i - 1)}{\prod_{i} p_i}\right)$$

$$= n \prod_{i} \left(1 - \frac{1}{p_i}\right)$$

\todo[inline]{Check and explain}

6.7 Quadratic Residues

Definition 6.7.1 (Quadratic Residue). x is a quadratic residue mod n iff there exists an a such that $a^2 = x \mod n$.

Proposition 6.7.1(?).

In \mathbb{Z}_p , exactly half of the elements (even powers of generator) are quadratic residues.

Proposition 6.7.2(?).

-1 is a quadratic residue in $\mathbb{Z}_p \iff p = 1 \mod 4$.

Definition 6.7.2 (The Jacobi Symbols).

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Definition 6.7.3 (The Legendre Symbol).

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6.8 Primality Tests

Proposition 6.8.1 (Fermat Primality Test).

If n is prime, then

$$a^{n-1} = 1 \mod n$$

Proposition 6.8.2 (Miller-Rabin Primality Test).

n is prime iff

$$x^2 = 1 \mod n \implies x = \pm 1$$

7 Real Analysis

7.1 Notation

Definition 7.1.1 (Continuously Differentiable).

A function is **continuously differentiable** iff f is differentiable and f' is continuous. Conventions:

 $\bullet \ \ Integrable \ {\it means} \ Riemann \ integrable.$

| f | a functional $\mathbb{R}^n 	o \mathbb{R}$ |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| ${f f}$ | a function $\mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^m$ |
| A, E, U, V | open sets |
| A' | the limit points of A |
| \overline{A} | the closure of A |
| $A^{\circ} \coloneqq A \setminus A'$ | the interior of A |
| K | a compact set |
| \mathcal{R}_A | the space of Riemann integral functions on A |
| $C^{j}(A)$ | the space of j times continuously differentiable functions $f:\mathbb{R}^n\to\mathbb{R}$ |
| $\{f_n\}$ | a sequence of functions |
| $\{x_n\}$ | a sequence of real numbers |
| $f_n 	o f$ | pointwise convergence |
| $f_n ightrightarrows f$ | uniform convergence |
| $x_n \nearrow x$ | $x_i \leq x_j$ and x_j converges to x |
| $x_n \searrow x$ | $x_i \ge x_j$ and x_j converges to x |
| $\sum_{k\in\mathbb{N}}f_k$ | a series |
| D(f) | the set of discontinuities of f . |

7.2 Big Ideas

Summary for GRE:

- Limits,
- Continuity,

7.3 Important Examples

- Boundedness,
- Compactness,
- Definitions of topological spaces,
- Lipschitz continuity
- Sequences and series of functions.
- Know the interactions between the following major operations:
 - Continuity (pointwise limits)
 - Differentiability
 - Integrability
 - Limits of sequences
 - Limits of series/sums
- The derivative of a continuous function need not be continuous
- A continuous function need not be differentiable
- A uniform limit of differentiable functions need not be differentiable
- A limit of integrable functions need not be integrable
- An integrable function need not be continuous
- An integrable function need not be differentiable

Theorem 7.2.1 (Generalized Mean Value Theore).

$$f, g$$
 differentiable on $[a, b] \implies \exists c \in [a, b] : [f(b) - f(a)] g'(c) = [g(b) - g(a)] f'(c)$

Corollary 7.2.1 (Mean Value Theorem).

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7.3 Important Examples

7.4 Commuting Limits

- Suppose $f_n \to f$ (pointwise, not necessarily uniformly)
- Let $F(x) = \int f(t)$ be an antiderivative of f
- Let $f'(x) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(x)$ be the derivative of f.

Then consider the following possible ways to commute various limiting operations:

Does taking the derivative of the integral of a function always return the original function?

$$\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial x}, \int dx\right]: \qquad \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \int f(x,t)dt = \int \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(x,t)dt$$

Answer: Sort of (but possibly not).

Counterexample:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & x > 0 \\ -1 & x \le 0 \end{cases} \implies \int f \approx |x|,$$

which is not differentiable. (This is remedied by the so-called "weak derivative")

Sufficient Condition: If f is continuous, then both are always equal to f(x) by the FTC.

Is the derivative of a continuous function always continuous?

$$\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial x}, \lim_{x_i \to x}\right]: \qquad \qquad \lim_{x_i \to x} f'(x_n) =_? f'(\lim_{x_i \to x} x)$$

Answer: No.

Counterexample:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \sin(1/x) & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases} \implies f'(x) = \begin{cases} 2x \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) - \cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$

which is discontinuous at zero.

Sufficient Condition: There doesn't seem to be a general one (which is perhaps why we study C^k functions).

Is the limit of a sequence of differentiable functions differentiable and the derivative of the limit?

$$\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial x}, \lim_{f_n \to f}\right]: \qquad \lim_{f_n \to f} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f_n(x) =_{?} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \lim_{f_n \to f} f_n(x)$$

Answer: Super no – even the uniform limit of differentiable functions need not be differentiable!

Counterexample:
$$f_n(x) = \frac{\sin(nx)}{\sqrt{n}} \Rightarrow f = 0 \text{ but } f'_n \not\to f' = 0$$

Sufficient Condition: $f_n \rightrightarrows f$ and $f_n \in C^1$.

Is the limit of a sequence of integrable functions integrable and the integral of the limit?

$$\left[\int dx, \lim_{f_n \to f} \right](f): \qquad \lim_{f_n \to f} \int f_n(x) dx = \int \lim_{f_n \to f} f_n(x) dx$$

Answer: No.

Counterexample: Order $\mathbb{Q} \cap [0,1]$ as $\{q_i\}_{i \in \mathbb{N}}$, then take

$$f_n(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{1}[q_n] \to \mathbb{1}[\mathbb{Q} \cap [0,1]]$$

where each f_n integrates to zero (only finitely many discontinuities) but f is not Riemann-integrable.

Sufficient Condition: - $f_n \Rightarrow f$, or - f integrable and $\exists M : \forall n, |f_n| < M$ (f_n uniformly bounded)

Is the integral of a continuous function also continuous?

$$\left[\int dx, \lim_{x_i \to x}\right] : \qquad \lim_{x_i \to x} F(x_i) =_{?} F(\lim_{x_i \to x} x_i)$$

Answer: Yes.

Proof: |f(x)| < M on I, so given c pick a sequence $x \to c$. Then

$$|f(x)| < M \implies \left| \int_{c}^{x} f(t)dt \right| < \int_{c}^{x} Mdt \implies |F(x) - F(c)| < M(b-a) \to 0$$

Is the limit of a sequence of continuous functions also continuous?

$$\left[\lim_{x_i \to x}, \lim_{f_n \to f}\right]: \qquad \qquad \lim_{f_n \to f} \lim_{x_i \to x} f(x_i) = \lim_{x_i \to x} \lim_{f_n \to f} f_n(x_i)$$

Answer: No.

Counterexample: $f_n(x) = x^n \to \delta(1)$

Sufficient Condition: $f_n \rightrightarrows f$

Does a sum of differentiable functions necessarily converge to a differentiable function?

$$\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial x}, \sum_{f_n}\right]: \qquad \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} f_k = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f_k$$

Answer: No.

Counterexample:
$$f_n(x) = \frac{\sin(nx)}{\sqrt{n}} \Rightarrow 0 := f$$
, but $f'_n = \sqrt{n}\cos(nx) \neq 0 = f'$ (at, say, $x = 0$)

Sufficient Condition: When $f_n \in C^1$, $\exists x_0 : f_n(x_0) \to f(x_0)$ and $\sum ||f'_n||_{\infty} < \infty$ (continuously differentiable, converges at a point, and the derivatives absolutely converge)

7.5 Continuity

Definition 7.5.1 (Limit definition of continuity).

$$f$$
 continuous $\iff \lim_{x \to p} f(x) = f(p)$

Definition 7.5.2 (ε - δ definition of continuity).

$$f:(X,d_X)\to (Y,d_Y)$$
 continuous $\iff \forall \varepsilon,\ \exists \delta\ \Big|\ d_X(x,y)<\delta \implies d_Y(f(x),f(y))<\varepsilon$

Example 7.5.1 (A nonobviously discontinuous function).

$$f(x) = \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) \implies 0 \in D(f)$$

Proof(?).

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Example 7.5.2 (The Dirichlet function).

The Dirichlet function is nowhere continuous:

$$f(x) = \mathbb{1}[\mathbb{Q}]$$

Proposition 7.5.1 (Thomae's function: the set of points of continuity and of discontinuity can both be infinite).

The following function continuous at infinitely many points and discontinuous at infinitely many points:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q} \\ \frac{1}{q} & x = \frac{p}{q} \in \mathbb{Q} \end{cases}$$

Then f is discontinuous on \mathbb{Q} and continuous on $\mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q}$.

Proof (?).

f is continuous on \mathbb{Q} :

- Fix ε , let $x_0 \in \mathbb{R} \mathbb{Q}$, choose $n : \frac{1}{n} < \varepsilon$ using Archimedean property.
 - Define $S = \left\{ x \in \mathbb{Q} : x \in (0,1), x = \frac{m}{n'}, n' < n \right\}$ Then $|S| \le 1 + 2 + \dots + (n-1)$, so choose $\delta = \min_{s \in S} |s x_0|$

$$x \in N_{\delta}(x_0) \implies f(x) < \frac{1}{n} < \varepsilon.$$

f is discontinuous on $\mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q}$:

• Let $x_0 = \frac{p}{q} \in \mathbb{Q}$ and $\{x_n\} = \left\{x - \frac{1}{n\sqrt{2}}\right\}$. Then

$$x_n \uparrow x_0$$
 but $f(x_n) = 0 \to 0 \neq \frac{1}{q} = f(x_0)$

Remark 7.5.1.

There are no functions that are continuous on \mathbb{Q} but discontinuous on $\mathbb{R} - \mathbb{Q}$

Definition 7.5.3 (Uniform Continuity).

Definition 7.5.4 (Absolute Continuity).

Theorem 7.5.1 (Extreme Value Theorem).

A continuous function on a compact space attains its extrema.

7.6 Differentiability

$$f'(p) := \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}(p) = \lim_{x \to p} \frac{f(x) - f(p)}{x - p}$$

- For multivariable functions: existence and continuity of $\frac{\partial \mathbf{f}}{\partial x_i} \forall i \implies \mathbf{f}$ differentiable
 - Necessity of continuity: example of a continuous functions with all partial and directional derivatives that is not differentiable:

$$f(x,y) = \begin{cases} \frac{y^3}{x^2 + y^2} & (x,y) \neq (0,0) \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}.$$

7.6.1 Properties, strongest to weakest

$$C^{\infty} \subsetneq C^k \subsetneq \text{ differentiable } \subsetneq C^0 \subset \mathcal{R}_K.$$

- Example showing $f \in C^0 \implies f$ is differentiable and f not differentiable $\implies f \notin C^0$. - Take f(x) = |x| at x = 0.
- Example showing that f differentiable $\implies f \in C^1$:
 - Take

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) & x \neq 0 \\ 0 & x = 0 \end{cases} \implies f'(x) = \begin{cases} -\cos\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) + 2x\sin\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) & x \neq 0 \\ 0 & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

but $\lim_{x\to 0} f'(x)$ does not exist and thus f' is not continuous at zero.

Proof that f differentiable $\implies f \in C^0$:

$$f(x) - f(p) = \frac{f(x) - f(p)}{x - p} (x - p) \stackrel{\text{hypothesis}}{=} f'(p) (x - p) \stackrel{x \to p}{\rightrightarrows} 0$$

7.7 Giant Table of Relations

Bold are assumed hypothesis, regular text is the strongest conclusion you can reach, strikeout denotes implications that aren't necessarily true.

| <i>F</i> | $\therefore f$ | f | f' |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------------|
| exists | K-integrable | continuous | e xis ts |
| exists | continuous | differentiable | continuous |
| differentiable | continuous | integrable | exists |

Explanation of items in table:

- K-integrable: compactly integrable.
- f integrable $\implies F$ differentiable $\implies F \in C_0$
 - By definition and FTC, and differentiability \implies continuity
- f differentiable and K compact $\implies f$ integrable on K.
 - In general, f differentiable $\implies f$ integrable. Necessity of compactness:

$$f(x) = e^x \in C^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}) \text{ but } \int_{\mathbb{R}} e^x dx \to \infty.$$

- f integrable $\implies f$ differentiable
 - An integrable function that is not differentiable: f(x) = |x| on \mathbb{R}
- f differentiable $\implies f$ continuous a.e.

7.8 Integrability

- Sufficient criteria for Riemann integrability:
 - f continuous
 - -f bounded and continuous almost everywhere, or
 - f uniformly continuous
- f integrable \iff bounded and continuous a.e.

Theorem 7.8.1(FTC for the Riemann Integral).

If F is a differentiable function on the interval [a,b], and F' is bounded and continuous a.e., then $F' \in L_R([a,b])$ and

$$\forall x \in [a,b]: \int_a^x F'(t) \ dt = F(x) - F(a)$$

Suppose f bounded and continuous a.e. on [a, b], and define

$$F(x) := \int_{a}^{x} f(t) dt$$

Then F is absolutely continuous on [a, b], and for $p \in [a, b]$,

$$f \in C^0(p) \implies F$$
 differentiable at $p, F'(p) = f(p), \text{ and } F' \stackrel{\text{a.e.}}{=} f.$

Proposition 7.8.1.

The Dirichlet function is Lebesgue integrable but not Riemann integrable:

$$f(x) = \mathbb{1}\left[x \in \mathbb{Q}\right]$$

Proof (?).

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7.9 List of Free Conclusions:

- f integrable on $U \Longrightarrow$:
 - f is bounded
 - -f is continuous a.e. (finitely many discontinuities)
 - $-\int f$ is continuous
 - $-\int f$ is differentiable
- f continuous on U:
 - -f is integrable on compact subsets of U
 - -f is bounded
 - -f is integrable
- f differentiable at a point p:
 - f is continuous

- f is differentiable in U
 - -f is continuous a.e.
- Defining the Riemann integral: #todo

7.10 Convergence

7.10.1 Sequences and Series of Functions

Definition 7.10.1 (Convergence of an infinite series).

Define

$$s_n(x) \coloneqq \sum_{k=1}^n f_k(x)$$

and

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} f_k(x) := \lim_{n \to \infty} s_n(x),$$

which can converge pointwise, absolutely, uniformly, or not all.

Proposition 7.10.1(?).

If $\limsup_{k\in\mathbb{N}} |f_k(x)| \neq 0$ then f_k is not convergent.

Proposition 7.10.2(?).

If f is injective, then f' is nonzero in some neighborhood of ???

7.10.2 Pointwise convergence

$$f_n \to f = \lim_{n \to \infty} f_n$$
.

Summary:

$$\lim_{f_n \to f} \lim_{x_i \to x} f_n(x_i) \neq \lim_{x_i \to x} \lim_{f_n \to f} f_n(x_i).$$

$$\lim_{f_n \to f} \int_I f_n \neq \int_I \lim_{f_n \to f} f_n.$$

Proposition 7.10.3(?).

Pointwise convergence is strictly weaker than uniform convergence.

Proof (?).

 $f_n(x) = x^n$ on [0,1] converges pointwise but not uniformly.

• Towards a contradiction let $\varepsilon = \frac{1}{2}$.

• Let
$$n = N\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$
 and $x = \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{\frac{1}{n}}$.
• Then $f(x) = 0$ but

$$|f_n(x) - f(x)| = x^n = \frac{3}{4} > \frac{1}{2}$$

Proposition 7.10.4(A pointwise limit of continuous functions is not necessarily continuous.).

 f_n continuous $\implies f := \lim_n f_n$ is continuous.

Proof(?).Take

$$f_n(x) = x^n, \quad f_n(x) \to 1 \text{ [[] } x = 1\text{]}.$$

Proposition 7.10.5 (The limit of derivatives need not equal the derivative of the limit).

$$f_n$$
 differentiable $\implies f'_n$ converges f'_n converges $\implies \lim f'_n = f'$.

Proof (?). Take

$$f_n(x) = \frac{1}{n}\sin(n^2x) \to 0,$$
 but $f'_n = n\cos(n^2x)$ does not converge.

Proposition 7.10.6(?).

$$f_n \in \mathcal{R}_I \implies \lim_{f_n \to f} \int_I f_n \neq \int_I \lim_{f_n \to f} f_n.$$

Proof (?).

May fail to converge to same value, take

$$f_n(x) = \frac{2n^2x}{(1+n^2x^2)^2} \to 0$$
 but $\int_0^1 f_n = 1 - \frac{1}{n^2+1} \to 1 \neq 0$.

7.10.3 Uniform Convergence

Notation:

$$f_n \rightrightarrows f = \lim_{n \to \infty} f_n \text{ and } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n \rightrightarrows S.$$

Summary:

$$\lim_{x_i \to x} \lim_{f_n \to f} f_n(x_i) = \lim_{f_n \to f} \lim_{x_i \to x} f_n(x_i) = \lim_{f_n \to f} f_n(\lim_{x_i \to x} x_i).$$

$$\lim_{f_n \to f} \int_I f_n = \int_I \lim_{f_n \to f} f_n.$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_{I} f_n = \int_{I} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_n.$$

"The uniform limit of a(n) x function is x", for $x \in \{\text{continuous, bounded}\}\$

• Equivalent to convergence in the uniform metric on the metric space of bounded functions on X:

$$f_n \rightrightarrows f \iff \sup_{x \in X} |f_n(x) - f(x)| \to 0.$$

- $(B(X,Y), \|\|_{\infty})$ is a metric space and $f_n \rightrightarrows f \iff \|f_n f\|_{\infty} \to 0$ (where B(X,Y) are bounded functions from X to Y and $\|f\|_{\infty} = \sup_{x \in I} \{f(x)\}$
- $f_n \rightrightarrows f \implies f_n \to f$ pointwise
- f_n continuous $\implies f$ continuous
 - i.e. "the uniform limit of continuous functions is continuous"
- $f_n \in C^1$, $\exists x_0 : f_n(x_0) \to f(x_0)$, and $f'_n \rightrightarrows g \implies f$ differentiable and f' = g (i.e. $f'_n \to f'$)
 - Necessity of C^1 look at failures of f'_n to be continuous:

$$\diamondsuit$$
 Take $f_n(x) = \sqrt{\frac{1}{n^2} + x^2} \Rightarrow |x|$, not differentiable

$$\diamondsuit$$
 Take $f_n(x) = n^{-\frac{1}{2}} \sin(nx) \Rightarrow 0$ but $f'_n \not\to f' = 0$ and $f' \neq g$

- f_n integrable $\implies f$ integrable and $\int f_n \to \int f$
- f_n bounded $\implies f$ bounded
- $f_n \Rightarrow f_n \implies f'_n$ converges
 - Says nothing about it general
- $f'_n \rightrightarrows f' \implies f_n \rightrightarrows f$
 - Unless f converges at one or more points.

7.11 Sequences and Metric Spaces

Theorem 7.11.1 (Bolzano-Weierstrass).

Every bounded sequence has a convergent subsequence.

Theorem 7.11.2 (Heine-Borel).

In \mathbb{R}^n , X is compact \iff X is closed and bounded.

Remark 7.11.1.

Necessity of \mathbb{R}^n : $X = (\mathbb{Z}, d(x, y) = 1)$ is closed, complete, bounded, but not compact since $\{1, 2, \dots\}$ has no convergent subsequence

Proposition 7.11.1 (Converse of Heine-Borel).

Converse holds iff bounded is replaced with totally bounded

Definition 7.11.1 (Sequential Compactness).

A topological space X is **sequentially compact** iff every sequence $\{x_n\}$ has a subsequence converging to a point in X.

Proposition 7.11.2 (Compactness and sequential compactness).

If X is a metric space, X is compact iff X is sequentially compact.

Remark 7.11.2.

Note that in general, neither form of compactness implies the other.

Proposition 7.11.3(All subsequences of a convergent sequence share a limit).

 $\{x_i\} \to p \implies \text{ every subsequence also converges to } p.$

Definition 7.11.2 (Cauchy Sequence).

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Proposition 7.11.4(?).

Every convergent sequence in X is a Cauchy sequence.

Remark 7.11.3.

The converse need not hold in general, but if X is complete, every Cauchy sequence converges. An example of a Cauchy sequence that doesn't converge: take $X = \mathbb{Q}$ and set $x_i = \pi$ truncated to i decimal places.

Remark 7.11.4.

If any subsequence of a Cauchy sequence converges, the entire sequence converges.

Definition 7.11.3 (Metric).

$$\begin{array}{ll} d(x,y) \geq 0 & \text{Positive} \\ d(x,y) = 0 \iff x = y & \text{Nondegenerate} \\ d(x,y) = d(y,x) & \text{Symmetric} \\ d(x,y) \leq d(x,p) + d(p,y) & \forall p & \text{Triangle Inequality.} \end{array}$$

Definition 7.11.4 (Complete).

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Definition 7.11.5 (Bounded).

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7.12 Topology

Definition 7.12.1 (Axioms for a Topology).

Open Set Characterization: Arbitrary unions and finite intersections of open sets are open. Closed Set Characterization: Arbitrary intersections and finite unions of closed sets are closed.

Remark 7.12.1.

The best source of examples and counterexamples is the open/closed unit interval in \mathbb{R} . Always test against these first!

Remark 7.12.2.

If f is a continuous function, the preimage of every open set is open and the preimage of every closed set is closed.

Proposition 7.12.1(?).

In \mathbb{R} , singleton sets and finite discrete sets are closed.

Proof (?).

A singleton set can be written

$$\{p_0\} = (-\infty, p) \cup (p, \infty).$$

A finite discrete set $\{p_0\}$, which wlog (by relabeling) can be assumed to satisfy $p_0 < p_1 < \cdots$, can be written

$$\{p_0, p_1, \cdots, p_n\} = (-\infty, p_0) \cup (p_0, p_1) \cup \cdots \cup (p_n, \infty).$$

Proposition 7.12.2(?).

This yields a good way to produce counterexamples to continuity.

In \mathbb{R} , singletons are closed. This means any finite subset is closed, as a finite union of singleton sets!

Proposition 7.12.3(?).

If X is a compact metric space, then X is complete and bounded.

Proposition 7.12.4(?).

If X complete and $X \subset Y$, then X closed in Y.

Remark 7.12.3.

The converse generally does not hold, and completeness is a necessary condition. Counterexample: $\mathbb{Q} \subset \mathbb{Q}$ is closed but $\mathbb{Q} \subset \mathbb{R}$ is not.

Proposition 7.12.5(?).

If X is compact, then $Y \subset X \implies Y$ is compact $\iff Y$ closed.

- 7.13 Limits
- 7.14 Continuity
- 7.14.1 Lipschitz Continuity
- 7.15 Integrability

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8.1 Definitions

Bring in Rudin's list

• Epsilon-neighborhood

$$- N_r(p) = \left\{ q \mid d_X(p,q) < r \right\}$$

- Limit Point
 - p is a limit point of E iff $\forall N_r(p), \exists q \neq p \mid q \in N_r(p)$
 - Equivalently, $\forall N_r(p), N_r(p) \cap E \neq \emptyset$
 - Let L(E) be the set of limit points of E.
 - Example: $E = (0,1) \implies 0 \in L(E)$
- Isolated Point
 - -p is an isolated point of E iff p is not a limit point of E
 - Equivalently, $\exists N_r(p) \mid N_r(p) \cap E = \emptyset$
 - Equivalently, E L(E)
- Perfect
 - E is perfect iff E is closed and $E \subseteq L(E)$
 - Equivalently, L(E) = E
- Interior
 - -p is an interior point of E iff $\exists N_r(p) \mid N_r(p) \subsetneq E$
 - Denote the interior of E by E°
- Exterior
- Closed sets
 - E is closed iff p a limit point of $E \implies p \in E$
 - Equivalently if $L(E) \subseteq E$
 - Closed under finite unions, arbitrary intersections
- Open sets
 - -E is open iff $p \in E \implies p \in E^{\circ}$
 - Equivalently, if $E \subseteq E^{\circ}$
 - Closed under arbitrary unions, finite intersections
- Boundary
- Closure
- Dense
 - -E is dense in X iff $X \subseteq E \cup L(E)$
- Connected
 - Space of connected sets closed under union, product, closures
 - Convex \implies connected
- Disconnected
- Path Connected

$$- \forall x, y \in X \exists f : I \to X \mid f(0) = x, f(1) = y$$

- Path connected \implies connected

- Simply Connected
- Totally Disconnected
- Hausdorff
- Compact
 - Every covering has a finite subcovering.
 - X compact and $U \subset X : (U \text{ closed} \implies U \text{ compact})$ $\diamondsuit U \text{ compact} \implies U \text{ closed } \text{ iff } X \text{ is Hausdorff}$
 - Closed under products

Example 8.1.1 (?).

The space $\left\{\frac{1}{n}\right\}_{n\in\mathbb{N}}$.

List of properties preserved by continuous maps:

- Connectedness
- Compactness

Checking if a map is homeomorphism:

• f continuous, X compact and Hausdorff $\implies f$ is a homeomorphism.

8.2 Definitions

$$L^2(X) = \left\{ f: X \to \mathbb{R} : \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(x) \ dx < \infty \right\}$$
 square integrable functions
$$\langle g, \ f \rangle_2 = \int_{\mathbb{R}} g(x) f(x) \ dx$$
 the L^2 inner product
$$\|f\|_2^2 = \langle f, \ f \rangle = \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(x)^2 \ dx$$
 norm
$$E[\cdot] = \langle \cdot, \ f \rangle$$
 expectation
$$(\tau_p f)(x) = f(p-x)$$
 translation
$$(f*g)(p) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(t) g(p-t) \ dt = \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(t) (T_p g)(t) \ dt = \langle T_p g, \ f \rangle$$
 convolution

Definition 8.2.1 (Random Variable).

For (Σ, E, μ) a probability space with sample space Σ and probability measure μ , a random variable is a function $X : \Sigma \to \mathbb{R}$

Definition 8.2.2 (Probability Density Function (PDF)).

For any $U \subset \mathbb{R}$, given by the relation

$$P(X \in U) = \int_{U} f(x) \ dx$$

$$\implies P(a \le X \le b) = \int_{a}^{b} f(x) \ dx$$

 $\textbf{Definition 8.2.3} \ (\text{Cumulative Distribution Function (CDF)}).$

The antiderivative of the PDF

$$F(x) = P(X \le x) = \int_{-\infty}^{x} f(x) \ dx.$$

Yields $\frac{\partial F}{\partial x} = f(x)$

Definition 8.2.4 (Mean/Expected Value).

$$E[X] := \langle \mathrm{id}, f \rangle = \int_{\mathbb{R}} x f(x) dx.$$

Also denoted μ_X .

Proposition 8.2.1 (Linearity of Expectation).

$$E\left[\sum_{i\in\mathbb{N}}a_iX_i\right] = \sum_{i\in\mathbb{N}}a_iE[X_i].$$

Does not matter whether or not the X_i are independent.

Definition 8.2.5 (Variance).

$$Var(X) = E[(X - E[X])^{2}]$$

$$= \int (x - E[X])^{2} f(x) dx$$

$$= E[X^{2}] - E[X]^{2}$$

$$= \sigma^{2}(X)$$

where σ is the standard deviation. Can also defined as $\langle (\mathrm{id} - \langle \mathrm{id}, f \rangle)^2, f \rangle$ Take the portion of the id function in the orthogonal complement of f, squared, and project it back onto f?

Proposition 8.2.2 (Properties of Variance).

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$$\operatorname{Var}(aX + b) = a^{2}\operatorname{Var}(X)$$

$$\operatorname{Var}\left(\sum_{\mathbb{N}} X_{i}\right) = \sum_{i} \operatorname{Var}(X_{i}) + 2\sum_{i < j} \operatorname{Cov}(X_{i}, X_{j}).$$

Definition 8.2.6 (Covariance).

$$Cov(X,Y) = E[(X - \mu_X)(Y - \mu_Y)]$$
$$= E[XY] - E[X]E[Y]$$

Proposition 8.2.3 (Properties of Covariance).

$$Cov(X, X) = Var(X)$$

$$Cov(aX, Y) = aCov(X, Y)$$

$$Cov(\sum_{\mathbb{N}} X_i, \sum_{\mathbb{N}} Y_j) = \sum_{i} \sum_{j} Cov(X_i, Y_j)$$

 ${\bf Proposition~8.2.4} (Stirling's~Approximation).$

$$k! \sim k^{\frac{k+1}{2}} e^{-k} \sqrt{2\pi}.$$

Proposition 8.2.5 (Markov Inequality).

$$P(X \ge a) \le \frac{1}{a}E[X]$$

One-sided Markov:

$$P(X \in N_{\varepsilon}(\mu)) = 2 \frac{\sigma^2}{\sigma^2 + a^2}.$$

Proposition 8.2.6 (Chebyshev's Inequality).

$$P(|X - \mu| \ge a) \le \left(\frac{\sigma}{k}\right)^2$$

Proof(?).

Apply Markov to the variable $(X - \mu)^2$ and $a = k^2$

Theorem 8.2.1 (Central Limit Theorem).

For X_i i.i.d.,

$$\lim_{n} \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} X_i - n\mu}{\sigma\sqrt{n}} \sim N(0, 1).$$

Theorem 8.2.2 (Strong Large of Large Numbers).

$$P(\frac{1}{n}\sum X_i \to \mu) = 1.$$

Proposition 8.2.7 (Chernoff Bounds).

For all t > 0,

$$P(X \in N_{\varepsilon}(a)^c) \le 2e^{-at}M_X(t)$$

Proposition 8.2.8 (Jensen's Inequality).

$$E[f(X)] \ge f(E[X])$$

Definition 8.2.7 (Entropy).

$$H(X) = -\sum p_i \ln p_i$$

8.3 Theory and Background

Definition 8.3.1 (Axioms for a Probability Space).

Given a sample space Σ with events S, 1. $\mu(\Sigma) = 1$ 1. Yields $S \in \Sigma \implies 0 \le P(S) \le 1$ 2. For mutually exclusive events, $P(\cup_{\mathbb{N}} S_i) = \sum_{\mathbb{N}} P(S_i)$ 1. Yields $P(\emptyset) = 0$

Proposition 8.3.1 (Properties that follow from axioms).

- $P(S^c) = 1 P(S)$
- $E \subseteq F \implies P(E) \le P(F)$
- Proof: $E \subseteq F \implies F = E \cup (E^c \cap F)$, which are disjoint, so $P(E) \leq P(E) + P(E^c \cap F) = P(F)$.
- $P(E \cup F) = P(E) + P(F) P(E \cap F)$

Definition 8.3.2 (Conditional Probability).

$$P(F)P(E \mid F) = P(E \cap F) = P(E)P(F \mid E)$$

Generalization:

$$P(\cap_{\mathbb{N}} E_i) = P(E_1)P(E_2 \mid E_1)P(E_3 \mid E_1 \cap E_2) \cdots$$

Theorem 8.3.1 (Bayes' Rule).

$$P(E) = P(F)P(E \mid F) + P(F^{c})P(E \mid F^{c})$$
$$P(E) = \sum_{i} P(A_{i})P(E \mid A_{i})$$

Generalization: for $\prod_{i=1}^{n} A_i = \Sigma$ and $A = A_i$ for some i,

$$P(A \mid B) = \frac{P(A)P(B \mid A)}{\sum_{j=1}^{n} P(B \mid A_j)}.$$

The LHS: the posterior probability, while $P(A_i)$ are the priors.

Definition 8.3.3 (Odds).

$$P(A)/P(A^c)$$

Conditional odds:

$$\frac{P(A \mid E)}{P(A^c \mid E)} = \frac{P(A)}{P(A^c)} \frac{P(E \mid A)}{P(E \mid A^c)}$$

Definition 8.3.4 (Independence).

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B)$$

Proposition 8.3.2 (Change of Variables for PDFs).

If g is differentiable and monotonic and Y = g(X), then

$$f_Y(y) = \begin{cases} (f_X \circ g^{-1})(y) \middle| \frac{\partial}{\partial y} g^{-1}(y) \middle| & y \in \text{im}(g) \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

Proposition 8.3.3(PDF for a sum of independent random variables).

$$f_{X+Y} = (F_X * f_y)$$

8.4 Distributions

Let X be a random variable, and f be its probability density function satisfying f(k) = P(X = k)

8.4.1 Uniform

• Consider an event with n mutually exclusive outcomes of equal probability, and let $X \in \{1, 2, ..., n\}$ denote which outcome occurs. Then,

$$f(k) = \frac{1}{n}$$
$$\mu = \frac{n}{2}$$
$$\sigma^2 = a$$

- Examples:
 - Dice rolls where n = 6.
 - Fair coin toss where n=2.
- Continuous: $\mu = (1/2)(b+a), \sigma^2 = (1/12)(b-a)^2$

8.4.2 Bernoulli

• Consider a trial with either a positive or negative outcome, and let $X \in \{0, 1\}$ where 1 denotes a success with probability p. Then,

$$f(k) = \begin{cases} 1 - p, & k = 0 \\ p, & k = 1 \end{cases}$$
$$\mu = p$$
$$\sigma^2 = p(1 - p)$$

- Examples: - A weighted coin with P(Heads) = p

8.4.3 Binomial

• Consider a sequence of independent Bernoulli trials, let $X \in \{1, ..., n\}$ denote the number of successes occurring in n trials. Then,

$$f(k) = \binom{n}{k} p^k (1-p)^{n-k}$$
$$\mu = np$$
$$\sigma^2 = np(1-p)$$

- Examples:
 - A sequence of coin flips and the numbers of total heads occurring.

8.4.4 Poisson

• Given a parameter $\lambda > 0$ that denotes the rate per unit time of an event occurring and X the number of times the event occurs in one unit of time,

$$f(k) = \frac{\lambda^k}{k!} e^{-\lambda}$$
$$\mu = \lambda$$
$$\sigma^2 = \lambda^2$$

• Approximates binomial when n >> 1 and p << 1 by using $\lambda = np$

8.4.5 Negative Binomial

• $B^-(r,p)$: similar to binomial, where X is the number of trials it takes to accumulate r successes

$$f(k) = {k-1 \choose r-1} p^r (1-p)^{k-r}$$
$$\mu = \frac{r}{p}$$
$$\sigma^2 = \frac{r(1-p)}{p^2}$$

8.4.6 Geometric

• Consider a sequence of independent Bernoulli trials, let $X \in \{1, ..., n\}$ where X = k denotes the first success happening on the k-th trial. Then,

$$f(k) = (1-p)^{k-1}p$$

$$\mu = \frac{1}{p}$$

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{1-p}{p^2}$$

- Note this is equal to $B^-(1,p)$
- Examples:
 - A sequence of coin flips and the number of flips before the first heads appears.

8.4.7 Hypergeometric

• H(n, m, s) An urn filled with n balls, where m are white and n - m are black; pick a sample of size s and let X denote the number of white balls:

$$f(k) = {m \choose k} {n-m \choose s-k} {n \choose s}^{-1}$$

$$\mu = \frac{ms}{n}$$

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{ms}{n} (1 - \frac{m}{n}) \left(1 - \frac{s-1}{n-1}\right)$$

8.4.8 Normal

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}}e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

| \overline{z} | $\Phi(z)$ |
|----------------|-----------|
| 0 | 0.5 |
| 1 | 0.69 |
| 1.5 | 0.84 |
| 2 | 0.93 |
| 2.5 | 0.97 |
| > 3 | 0.99 |

8.5 Common Problems

- Birthday Paradox
- Coupon Collectors
 - Given $X = \{1, \dots, n\}$, what is the expected number of draws until all n outcomes are seen?

8.6 Notes, Shortcuts, Misc

- When computing expected values, variation, etc, just insert a parameter k and compute the moments $E[X^k]$. Then with a solution in terms of k, let k = 1, 2 etc.
- Neat property of pdfs: $P(X \in N_{\varepsilon}(a)) \approx \varepsilon f(a)$

Definition 8.6.1 (The Gamma Function).

$$\Gamma(x+1) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^{>0}} e^{-t} t^x dt.$$

Integrate by parts to obtain functional relation $\Gamma(x+1) = x\Gamma(x)$

Proposition 8.6.1 (Boole's Inequality).

$$P(\cup_{\mathbb{N}} A_i) \le \sum_{\mathbb{N}} P(A_i)$$

• For any function $f: X \to \mathbb{R}$, there is a lower bound: $\max_{x \in X} f(x) \ge E[f(x)]$

Definition 8.6.2 (Moment Generating Functions).

$$M(t) = E[e^{Xt}]$$

- Then $M^{(n)}(0)$ is the *n*-th moment, i.e. $M'(0) = E[X], M''(0) = E[X^2]$, etc. $M_{X+Y}(t) = M_X(t)M_Y(t)$ (if independent) $M_{aX+b}(t) = e^{bt}M_X(at)$ $f_X = \mathcal{F}^{-1}(M_X(it))$, denoting the inverse Fourier transform,

8.7 Table of Distribution Info

Table: let q = 1 - p.

| Distribution $f(x)$ | μ | $\sigma^2 M(t)$ |
|--|---------------------|---|
| $B(n,p)\binom{n}{x}p^xq^{n-x}$ | np | $npq(pe^t+q)^n$ |
| $P(\lambda) \frac{\lambda^x}{x!} e^{-\lambda}$ | λ | $\lambda e^{\lambda(e^t-1)}$ |
| $G(p)q^{x-1}p$ | $\frac{1}{p}$ | $\frac{q}{p^2} \frac{pe^t}{1 - qe^t}$ |
| $B^{-}(r,p)\binom{n-1}{r-1}p^{r}q^{n-r}$ | $rac{r}{p}$ | $\frac{rq}{p^2} \left(\frac{pe^t}{1 - qe^t} \right)^r$ |
| $U(a,b) \mathbbm{1} \left[a \leq x \leq b \right] \frac{1}{b-a}$ | $\frac{1}{2}(a+b)$ | $\frac{1}{12}(b-a)^2 \frac{e^{tb} - e^{ta}}{t(b-a)}$ |
| $Exp(\lambda)\mathbb{1}\left[0 \le x\right]\lambda e^{-\lambda x}$ | $\frac{1}{\lambda}$ | $\frac{1}{\lambda^2} \frac{\lambda}{\lambda - t}$ |
| $\Gamma(s,\lambda) \mathbb{1} \left[0 \le x\right] \frac{\lambda e^{-\lambda x} (\lambda x)^{s-1}}{\Gamma(s)}$ | $rac{s}{\lambda}$ | $rac{s}{\lambda^2} \left(rac{\lambda}{\lambda-t} ight)^s$ |
| $N(\mu, \sigma^2) \frac{1}{\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$ | μ | $\sigma^2 e^{\mu t + \frac{1}{2}\sigma^2 t^2}$ |

• Why you need the Stieltjes Integral: let $X \sim B(n, \frac{1}{2}), Y \sim U(0, 1)$, and

$$Z = \begin{cases} X, & X = 1 \\ Y, & else \end{cases}$$

then $|Z|=|\mathbb{R}|$ so Z is not discrete, but $P(X=1)=\frac{1}{2}\neq 0$ so Z is not continuous. Definition:

$$\int_{a}^{b} g(x) \ dF(x) = \lim \sum_{i=1}^{n} g(x_i) (F(x_i) - F(x_{i-1})).$$

8.8 Notation

$$S_n = \{1, 2, \dots n\}$$
 the symmetric group
$$\binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$$
 binomial coefficient
$$n^{\underline{k}} = n(n-1)\cdots(n-k+1) = k!\binom{n}{k}$$
 falling factorial
$$n^{\overline{k}} = n(n+1)\cdots(n+k-1) = k!\binom{n+n-1}{n}$$
 rising factorial
$$\binom{n}{m_1, m_2, \cdots m_k} = \frac{n!}{\prod_{i=1}^k m_i!}$$
 multinomial coefficient

Note that the rising and falling factorials always have exactly k terms.

Multinomial: A set of n items divided into k distinct, disjoint subsets of sizes $m_1 \cdots m_k$. Multinomial theorem:

$$(x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_k)^n = \sum_{\substack{m_1, m_2, \dots, m_k \\ \sum m_i = n}} {n \choose m_1, m_2, \dots, m_k} x_1^{m_1} x_2^{m_2} \dots x_k^{m_k}$$

which contains $\binom{n+r-1}{r-1}$ terms.

Inclusion-Exclusion:

$$|\cup_{i=1}^{n} A_{i}| = \sum_{i} |A|_{i} - \sum_{i_{1} < i_{2}}^{\binom{n}{2^{2}}} |A_{i_{1}} \cap A_{i_{2}}| + \sum_{i_{1} < i_{2} < i_{3}}^{\binom{n}{2^{3}}} |A_{i_{1}} \cap A_{i_{2}} \cap A_{i_{3}}| + \dots + (-1)^{n+1} |\cap_{i=1}^{n} A_{i}|$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{n} \sum_{i_{1} < \dots < i_{k}} (-1)^{k+1} |\cap_{j=1}^{k} A_{i_{j}}|$$

$oldsymbol{9}$ | The Important Numbers

• Binomial Coefficients

- The Binomial Theorem:

$$(x+y)^n = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} x^k y^{n-k}$$

- Choosing: $\binom{n}{k}$
- Choosing with repetition allowed: $\binom{n+k-1}{k}$
- Signed Stirling Numbers of the First Kind: s(n, k)
 - Count the number of permutations of n elements with k disjoint cycles, i.e. the number of elements elements in S_n that are the product of k disjoint cycles (including trivial cycles that fix a point).
 - Recurrence relation:

$$s(n,k) = s(n-1,k-1) + ks(n-1,k).$$

- Relation to falling factorial: $x^{\underline{n}} = \sum_{k=1}^{n} s(n,k)x^{k}$ Stirling Numbers of the Second Kind: $\begin{Bmatrix} n \\ k \end{Bmatrix}$
- - Counts the number of ways to partition a set N into k non-empty subsets S_i (i.e. such that $S_i \cap S_j = \emptyset$, $\prod_{i=1}^{\kappa} S_i = N$)

 - Recurrence relation:

$${n+1 \brace k} = k {n \brace k} + {n \brace k-1}$$

$${0 \brace 0} = 1, \quad {n \brace 0} = {0 \brack n} = 0$$

- Explicit formula:
$${n \brace k} = \frac{1}{k!} \sum_{i=0}^{k} (-1)^{k-i} {k \choose i} i^n$$

- $-B_n = \sum_{i=0}^n \begin{Bmatrix} n \\ i \end{Bmatrix}$
- Betti Numbers
- Bell Numbers
- Compositions
 - A composition of n is a way of writing n as a sum of strictly positive integers, ie. $k_1 + k_2 + \cdots + k_i = n$ where each $0 < k_i \le n$, where order matters (and distinct orders count as distinct compositions).
 - Weak compositions: identical, but some terms are allowed to be zero.
 - Number of compositions of n into k parts: $\binom{n-1}{k-1}$
 - Number of weak compositions of n into k parts: $\binom{n+k-1}{n}$
 - Total number of compositions of n (into any number of parts): 2^{n-1}
- Partitions
 - A partition of n is a composition of n quotiented by permutations of the ordering of terms.

- \diamondsuit Example: 2 compositions of 5 involving 1 and 4, given by 4+1 and 1+4, whereas there is only one such partition of 5 given by 4 + 1.
- Visualize with Young diagrams

9.1 Common Problems

• Stars and Bars

– No two bars adjacent: $\binom{n-1}{k-1}$ – Allowing adjacent bars: $\binom{n+k-1}{k-1}$

Coupon Collectors Problem

9.2 The Twelvefold Way

Consider a function $f: N \to K$ where |N| = n, |K| = k.

A number of valid interpretations: - f labels elements of N by elements of K - For each element of N, f chooses an element of K - f partitions N into classes that are mapped to the same element of K - Throw each of N balls into some of K boxes

Dictionary: - No restrictions: - Assign n labels, repetition allowed - Form a multiset of K of size n - Injectivity - Assign n labels without repetition - Select n distinct elements from K - Number of n-combinations of k elements - No more than one ball per box - Surjectivity: - Use every label at least once - Every element of K is selected at least once - "Indistinguishable" - Quotient by the action of S_n or S_k - n-permutations = injective functions - n-combinations = injective functions / S_n - n-multisets = all functions / S^n - Partitions of N into k subsets = surjective functions / S_k -Compositions of n into k parts = surjective functions / S_n

| Permutations Restrictions | $N \xrightarrow{f} K$ | $N \hookrightarrow K$ | $N \twoheadrightarrow K$ |
|-----------------------------------|--|-----------------------|--|
| f | k^n | $k^{\underline{n}}$ | $k! {n \brace k}$ |
| $f\circ\sigma_N$ | $\binom{n+k-1}{n}$ | $\binom{k}{n}$ | $\binom{n-1}{n-k}$ |
| $\sigma_X \circ f$ | $\sum_{i=0}^{k} {n \brace i}$ | $1 [n \le k]$ | $\begin{Bmatrix} n \\ k \end{Bmatrix}$ |
| $\sigma_X \circ f \circ \sigma_N$ | $ \begin{vmatrix} \overline{a} = 0 \\ p_k(n+k) \end{vmatrix} $ | $1 [n \le k]$ | $p_k(n)$ |

In words (todo: explain)

| Perm. / Rest. | _ | Injective | Surjective |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--|
| _ | A sequence of any n elements of K | Sequences of n distinct elements of K | Compositions of N with exactly k subsets |
| Permutations of N | Multisets of K with n elements | An n -element subset of K | Compositions of n with k terms |

| Perm. / Rest. | _ | Injective | Surjective |
|---------------------|---|-----------|---|
| Permutations of X | Partitions of N into $\leq k$ subsets | ? | Partitions of N into exactly k nonempty subsets |
| Both | Partitions of n into $\leq k$ parts | ? | Partitions of n into exactly k parts |

Proofs/Explanations: todo

• Counting non-isomorphic things: Pick a systematic way. Can descend my maximum vertex degree, or ascend by adding nodes/leaves.

10 | Complex Analysis

• $\lim_{z\to z_0} f(z) = x_0 + iy_0$ iff the component functions limit to x_0 and y_0 respectively. Moreover, both ways are equal!

Notation: z = a + ib, f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)

10.1 Useful Equations and Definitions

$$|z| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$$

$$|z|^2 = z\overline{z} = a^2 + b^2$$

$$\frac{z\overline{z}}{|z|^2} = \frac{(a+ib)(a-ib)}{a^2 + b^2} = 1$$

$$\frac{1}{z} = \frac{\overline{z}}{|z|^2} = \frac{a-ib}{a^2 + b^2}$$

$$e^{zx} = e^{(a+ib)x} = e^{ax}(\cos(bx) + i\sin(bx))$$

$$x^z := e^{z\ln x}$$

$$\text{Log}(z) = \ln|z| + i \text{ Arg}(z)$$

$$\cos z = \frac{1}{2}(e^{iz} + e^{-iz})$$

$$\sin z = \frac{1}{2i}(e^{iz} - e^{-iz})$$

$$(x-z)(x-\overline{z}) = x^2 - 2\mathcal{R}(z)x + (a^2 + b^2)$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial z} = \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} - i\frac{\partial}{\partial y}\right)$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \overline{z}} = \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + i\frac{\partial}{\partial y}\right)$$

10.2 Complex Arithmetic and Calculus

• *n*-th roots:

$$e^{\frac{ki}{2\pi n}}, \qquad k=1,2,\cdots n-1$$

10.2.1 Complex Differentiability

$$z' = \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{f(z+h) - f(z)}{h}$$

- A complex function that is not differentiable at a point: $f(z) = z/\bar{z}$ at z = 0
 - Cauchy-Riemann Equations

$$u_x = v_y$$
 $u_y = -v_x$

• Alternatively:

$$-\frac{\partial[}{\partial f}]\bar{z} = 0$$
$$-\langle \nabla u, \nabla v \rangle = 0$$

 $-\Delta u = \Delta v = 0$ (both components are harmonic)

10.3 Complex Integrals

The main theorem:

$$\oint_C f(z) \ dz = 2\pi i \sum_k \operatorname{Res}(f, z_k)$$

Computing residues:

$$\operatorname{Res}(f, c) = \frac{1}{(n-1)!} \lim_{z \to c} \frac{d^{n-1}}{dz^{n-1}} ((z-c)^n f(z))$$
$$f(z) = \frac{g(z)}{h(z)} \implies \operatorname{Res}(f, c) = \frac{g(c)}{h'(c)}$$

Definitions

- Analytic: differentiable everywhere
- Entire
- Holomorphic
- Meromorphic

Complex Analytic \implies smooth and all derivatives are analytic

Not true in real case, take the everywhere differentiable but not C^1 function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -\frac{1}{2}x^2 & x < 0\\ \frac{1}{2}x^2 & x \ge 0 \end{cases}$$

11 | My Common Mistakes

$$-x^{-2} \neq \int x^{-1} = \int \frac{1}{x} = \ln x$$

$$\frac{1}{x} \neq \int \ln x = x \ln x - x$$

$$\int x^{-k} = \frac{1}{-k+1} x^{-k+1} \neq \frac{1}{-(k+1)} x^{-(k+1)}$$
e.g.
$$\int x^{-2} = -x^{-1} \neq -\frac{1}{3} x^{-3} \lim_{n \to \infty} \frac{n}{n+1} = 1 \neq 0$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} a^x = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} e^{x \ln a} = e^{x \ln a} \ln a = a^x \ln a.$$

Exponentials: when in doubt, write $a^b = e^{b \ln a}$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x}x^{f(x)} = ?$$

$$\sum x^k = \frac{1}{1-x} \neq \frac{1}{1+x} = \sum (-1)^k x^k$$

11.1 Definitions

$$e^x = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n = \lim_{n \to \infty} \left(\frac{n+1}{n}\right)^n$$

11.2 Neat Tricks

• Commuting differentials and integrals:

$$\frac{d}{dx} \int_{a(x)}^{b(x)} f(x,t)dt = f(x,b(x)) \frac{d}{dx} b(x) - f(x,a(x)) \frac{d}{dx} a(x) + \int_{a(x)}^{b(x)} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(x,t)dt$$

- Need $f, df dx f, \frac{df}{dx}$ to be continuous in both variables. Also need $a(x), b(x) \in C1a(x), b(x) \in C1a(x)$
- If a, b are constant, boundary terms vanish.
- Recover the fundamental theorem with a(x) = a, b(x) = ba(x) = a, b(x) = b, and f(x,t) = f(t)f(x,t) = f(t).

11.3 Big Derivative / Integral Table

| $\Rightarrow \int f dx$ | f | $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \Leftarrow$ |
|--|----------------------------------|--|
| 2 <u>3</u> | /- | 1 |
| $\frac{2}{3}x^{\frac{3}{2}}$ | \sqrt{x} | $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$ |
| $\frac{1}{n+1}x^{n+1}$ | $x^n, n \neq -1$ | nx^{n-1} |
| $-\frac{1}{n-1}x^{-(n-1)}$ | $\frac{1}{x^n}, n \neq 1$ | $-nx^{-(n+1)}$ |
| $x\ln(x) - x$ | $\ln(x)$ | $\frac{1}{x}$ |
| $\frac{a^x}{\ln a}$ | a^x | $a^x \ln(a)$ |
| $\lim a - \cos(x)$ | $\sin(x)$ | $\cos(x)$ |
| $\ln \csc(x) - \cot(x) $ | $\csc(x)$ | $-\csc(x)\cot(x)$ |
| $\sin(x)$ | $\cos(x)$ | $-\sin(x)$ |
| $\ln \sec(x) + \tan(x) $ | $\sec(x)$ | $\sec(x)\tan(x)$ |
| $\ln \left \frac{1}{\cos x} \right $ | $\tan(x)$ | $\sec^2(x)$ |
| $\ln \sin x $ | $\cot(x)$ | $-\csc^2(x)$ |
| $x\tan^{-1}x - \frac{1}{2}\ln(1+x^2)$ | $\tan^{-1}(x)$ | $\frac{1}{1+x^2}$ $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ |
| $x\sin^{-1}x + \sqrt{1-x^2}$ | $\sin^{-1}(x)$ | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ |
| $x\cos^{-1}x - \sqrt{1-x^2}$ | $\cos^{-1}(x)$ | $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ |
| | $\ln\left x+\sqrt{x^2+a}\right $ | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + a}}$ |
| $\frac{1}{2}(x-\sin x\cos x)$ | $\sin^2(x)$ | $2\sin x\cos x$ |
| $\frac{1}{2}(x+\sin x\cos x)$ | $\cos^2(x)$ | $-2\sin x\cos x$ |
| $-\cot(x)$ | $\csc^2(x)$ | $2\csc^2(x)\cot(x)$ |
| $\tan(x)$ | $\sec^2(x)$ | $2\sec^2(x)\tan(x)$ |
| ? | ? | ? |
| ? | ? | ? |
| ? | ? | ? |
| ? | ? | ? |
| ? | ? | ? |
| ? | ? | ? |
| ? | ? | ? |
| $\frac{1}{a^2}(ax-1)e^{ax}$ | xe^{ax} | $(ax+1)e^{ax}$ |
| $\frac{1}{a^2 + b^2}e^{ax}(a\sin bx - b\cos bx)$ | $e^{ax}\sin(bx)$ | ? |

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11.4 Useful Series and Sequences

Notation: \uparrow,\downarrow : monotonically converges from below/above.

• Taylor Series:

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{(n)}(x_0)}{n!} (x - x_0)^n$$

• Cauchy Product:

$$\left(\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k\right) \left(\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} b_i x^n\right) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{i=0}^{k} a_n b_n\right) x^k$$

• Differentiation:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \sum_{k=i}^{\infty} a_k x^k = \sum_{k=i+1}^{\infty} k \, a_k x^{k-1}$$

• Common Series

$$\sum_{k=0}^{N} x^{k} = \frac{1-x^{N+1}}{1-x}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} x^{k} = \frac{1}{1-x} \quad \text{for } |x| < 1$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k(x^{k-1}) = \frac{1}{(1-x)^{2}} \quad \text{for } |x| < 1$$

$$\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} k(k-1)x^{k-2} = \frac{2}{(1-x)^{3}} \quad \text{for } |x| < 1$$

$$\sum_{k=3}^{\infty} k(k-1)(k-2)x^{k-3} = \frac{6}{(1-x)^{4}} \quad \text{for } |x| < 1$$

$$\sum_{k=3}^{\infty} \binom{n}{k} x^{k} y^{n-k} = (x+y)^{n}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^{k}}{k} = -\log(1-x)$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{k}}{k!} = e^{x}$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{k}}{(2n+1)!} x^{2k+1} = x - \frac{x^{3}}{3!} + \frac{x^{5}}{5!} = \sin(x)$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{k}}{(2n)!} x^{2k} = 1 - \frac{x^{2}}{2!} + \frac{x^{4}}{4!} = \cos(x)$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{k}}{(2k+1)!} x^{2n+1} = x + \frac{x^{3}}{3!} + \frac{x^{5}}{5!} + \cdots = \sin(x)$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2k)!} x^{2k} = 1 + \frac{x^{2}}{2!} + \frac{x^{4}}{4!} + \cdots = \cosh(x)$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2k)!} x^{2k} = 1 + \frac{x^{2}}{2!} + \frac{x^{4}}{4!} + \cdots = \cosh(x)$$

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11.5 Partial Fraction Decomposition

Given $R(x) = \frac{p(x)}{q(x)}$, factor q(x) into $\prod q_i(x)$.

• Linear factors of the form $q_i(x) = (ax + b)^n$ contribute

$$r_i(x) = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{A_k}{(ax+b)^k} = \frac{A_1}{ax+b} + \frac{A_2}{(ax+b)^2} + \cdots$$

• Irreducible quadratics of the form $q_i(x) = (ax^2 + bx + c)^n$ contribute

$$r_i(x) = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{A_k x + B_k}{(ax^2 + bx + c)^k} = \frac{A_1 x + B_1}{ax^2 + bx + c} + \frac{A_2 x + B_2}{(ax^2 + bx + c)^2} + \cdots$$

– Note: $ax^2 + bx + c$ is irreducible $\iff b^2 < 4ac$

- Write $R(x) = \frac{p(x)}{\prod q_i(x)} = \sum r_i(x)$, then solve for the unknown coefficients A_k, B_k .
 - IMPORTANT SHORTCUT: don't try to solve the resulting linear system: for each $q_i(x)$, multiply through by that factor and evaluate at its root to zero out many terms!
 - For linear terms $q_i(x) = (ax + b)^n$, define $P(x) = (ax + b)^n R(x)$; then

$$A_k = \frac{1}{(n-k)!} P^{(n-k)}(a), \quad k = 1, 2, \dots n$$

$$\implies A_n = P(a), \ A_{n-1} = P'(a), \dots, \ A_1 = \frac{1}{(n-1)!} P^{(n-1)}(A)$$

- Note: #todo check, might need to evaluate at -b/a instead, extend to quadratics.

11.6 Properties of Norms

$$\begin{aligned} &\|t\mathbf{x}\| = |t|\|\mathbf{x}\| \\ &|\langle \mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{y} \rangle| \le \|\mathbf{x}\|\|\mathbf{y}\| \\ &\|\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}\| \le \|\mathbf{x}\| + \|\mathbf{y}\| \\ &\|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{z}\| \le \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\| + \|\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{z}\| \end{aligned}$$

11.7 Logic Identities

- $P \implies Q \iff Q \text{ or } \neg P$
- $P \implies \dot{Q} \iff \neg Q \implies \neg P$
- $P \text{ or } (Q \text{ and } S) \iff (P \text{ or } Q) \text{ and } (P \text{ or } S)$
- P and $(Q \text{ or } S) \iff (P \text{ and } Q) \text{ or } (P \text{ and } S)$
- $\neg (P \text{ and } Q) \iff \neg P \text{ or } \neg Q$
- $\neg (P \text{ or } Q) \iff \neg P \text{ and } \neg Q$

11.8 Set Identities

$$A \cup B = A \cup (A^c \cap B)$$

$$A = (B \cap A) \cup (B^c \cap A)$$

$$(\cup_N A_i)^c = \bigcap_N A_i^c$$

$$(\cap_N A_i)^c = \bigcup_N A_i^c$$

$$A - B = A \cap B^c$$

$$(A - B)^c = A^c \cup B$$

$$(A \cup B) - C = (A - C) \cup (B - C)$$

$$(A \cap B) - C = (A - C) \cap (B - C)$$

$$A - (B \cup C) = (A - B) \cap (A - C)$$

$$A - (B \cap C) = (A - B) \cup (A \cap C)$$

$$A - (B - C) = (A - B) \cup (A \cap C)$$

$$(A - B) \cap C = (A - B) \cup (A \cap C)$$

$$(A - B) \cup C = (A \cup C) - (B - C)$$

$$A \cup (B \cap C) = (A \cup B) \cap (A \cup C)$$

$$A \cap (B \cup C) = (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$$

$$A \subseteq C \text{ and } B \subseteq C \implies A \cup B \subseteq C$$

$$C \subseteq A \text{ and } C \subseteq B \implies C \subseteq A \cup B$$

$$A_k \text{ countable} \implies \prod_{k=1}^n A_k, \ \bigcup_{k=1}^\infty A_k \text{ countable}$$

11.9 Preimage Identities

Summary

- Injectivity: left cancellation
- Surjectivity: right cancellation
- Everything commutes with unions
- Preimage commutes with everything
- Image generally only results in an inequality

Preimage Equations

- $A \subseteq B \implies f(A) \subseteq f(B) \text{ or } f^{-1}(A) \subseteq f^{-1}(B)$
- $f^{-1}(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i) = \bigcup_{i \in I} f^{-1}(A_i)$ Also holds for $f(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i) = \bigcup_{i \in I} f(A_i)$
- $f^{-1}(\cap_{i\in I}A_i) = \cap_{i\in I}f^{-1}(A_i)$
 - Also holds for $f(\cap_{i\in I} A_i) = \cap_{i\in I} f(A_i)$
- $f^{-1}(A) f^{-1}(B) = f^{-1}(A B)$ - BUT $f(A) - f(B) \subseteq f(A - B)$
- For $X \subset A, Y \subset B$:

$$- (f|_X)^{-1} = X \cap f^{-1}(Y) - (f \circ f^{-1})(Y) = Y \cap f(A)$$

• Summary: preimage commutes with:

- Union
- Intersection
- Complements
- Difference
- Symmetric Difference

Image Equations

- $A \subset B \implies f(A) \subset f(B)$
- $f(\cup A_i) = \cup f(A_i)$
- $f(\cap A_i) \subset \cap f(A_i)$
- $f(A B) \supset f(A) f(B)$
- $f(A^c) = \operatorname{im}(f) f(A)$

Equations Involving Both

- $A \subseteq f^{-1}(f(A))$
 - Equal \iff f is injective
- $f(f^{-1}(A)) \subseteq A$
 - Equal $\iff f$ is surjective

11.10 Pascal's Triangle:

| n | Sequence |
|---|----------------------------|
| 3 | 1, 2, 1 |
| 4 | 1, 3, 3, 1 |
| 5 | 1, 4, 6, 4, 1 |
| 6 | 1, 5, 10, 10, 5, 1 |
| 7 | 1, 6, 15, 20, 15, 16, 1 |
| 8 | 1, 7, 21, 35, 35, 21, 7, 1 |

Obtain new entries by adding in L pattern rotated by π (e.g. 7 = 1+6, 12 = 6 + 15, etc). Note that $\binom{n}{i}$ is given by the entry in the *n*-th row, *i*-th column.

11.11 Table of Small Factorials

| n | n! |
|----|---------|
| 2 | 2 |
| 3 | 6 |
| 4 | 24 |
| 5 | 120 |
| 6 | 720 |
| 7 | 5040 |
| 8 | 40320 |
| 9 | 362880 |
| 10 | 3628800 |

 $\pi \approx 3.1415926535 \ e \approx 2.71828 \ \sqrt{2} \approx 1.4142135$

11.12 Primes Under 100:

2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19, 23, 29, 31, 37, 41, 43, 47, 53, 59, 61, 67, 71, 73, 79, 83, 89, 97, 101

11.13 Checking Divisibility by Small Numbers

Note that $n \mod 10^k$ yields the last k digits. Let d_i denote the i-th digit of n.

The recursive prime procedure (RPP): for each prime p, there exists a k such recursive application of this procedure to n yields the same remainder mod p as n itself.

- Write $n_0 = 10x + y$ where y = 0...9
- Let $n_1 = x + ky$, repeat until $n_i < 10$.

| p | $p \mid n \iff$ | Mnemonic |
|----|--|---|
| 2 | $n \equiv 2, 4, 6, 8 \mod 10$ | Last digit is even |
| 3 | $\sum d_i \equiv 0 \mod 3$ | 3 divides the sum of digits (apply recursively) |
| 4 | $n \equiv 4k \mod 10^2$ | Last two digits are divisible by 4 |
| 5 | $n \equiv 0, 5 \mod 10$ | Last digit is 0 or 5 |
| 6 | $n \equiv 0 \mod 2$ and $n \equiv 0$ | Reduce to 2, 3 case |
| | $\mod 3$ | |
| 7 | RPP, $k = -2$ | $-20 \equiv 1 \mod 7 \implies$ |
| | | $10x + y \equiv 10(x - 2y) \mod 7$ |
| 8 | $n \equiv 8k \mod 10^3$ | Manually divide the last 3 |
| | | digits by 8 (or peel off factors of 2) |
| 9 | $\sum d_i \equiv 0 \mod 9$ | 9 divides the sum of digits (apply recursively) |
| 10 | $n \equiv 0 \mod 10$ | Last digit is 0 |
| 11 | $\sum (-1)^i d_i \equiv 0 \mod 11 \text{ or }$ | 11 divides alternating sum |

| p | $p \mid n \iff$ | Mnemonic |
|----|-----------------|-------------------------------------|
| 13 | RPP, $k=4$ | $40 \equiv 1 \mod 13 \implies$ |
| | | $10x + y \equiv 10(x + 4y) \mod 13$ |
| 17 | RPP, $k = -5$ | $-50 \equiv 1 \mod 17 \implies$ |
| | | $10x + y \equiv 10(x - 5y) \mod 19$ |
| 19 | RPP, $k=2$ | $20 \equiv 1 \mod 19 \implies$ |
| | | $10x + y \equiv 10(x + 2y) \mod 19$ |

11.14 Hyperbolic Functions

$$\cosh(x) = \frac{1}{2}(e^{x} + e^{-x})$$

$$\sinh(x) = \frac{1}{2}(e^{x} - e^{-x})$$

$$\cos(iz) = \cosh z$$

$$\cosh(iz) = \cos z$$

$$\sin(iz) = \sinh z$$

$$\sinh(iz) = \sin z$$

$$\sinh^{-1} x =? = \ln(x + \sqrt{x^{2} + 1})$$

$$\cosh^{-1} x =? = \ln(x + \sqrt{x^{2} - 1})$$

$$\tanh^{-1} x = \frac{1}{2}\ln(\frac{1+x}{1-x})$$

11.15 Integral Tables

| $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \Leftarrow$ | f | $\Rightarrow \int f dx$ |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|
| $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$ | \sqrt{x} | $\frac{2}{3}x^{\frac{3}{2}}$ |
| nx^{n-1} | $x^n, n \neq -1$ | $\frac{1}{n+1}x^{n+1}$ |
| $\frac{1}{x}$ | ln(x) | $x \ln(x) - x$ |
| $a^x \ln(a)$ | a^x | $\frac{a^x}{\ln a}$ |
| $\cos(x)$ | $\sin(x)$ | $-\cos(x)$ |
| $-\sin(x)$ | $\cos(x)$ | $\sin(x)$ |
| $2\sec^2(x)\tan(x)$ | $\sec^2(x)$ | $\tan(x)$ |
| $2\csc^2(x)\cot(x)$ | $\csc^2(x)$ | $-\cot(x)$ |
| $\sec^2(x)$ | tan(x) | $\ln \mathrm{sec}(x) $ |
| $\sec(x)\tan(x)$ | sec(x) | $\ln \sec(x) + \tan(x) $ |
| $-\csc(x)\cot(x)$ | $\csc(x)$ | $\ln \csc(x) - \cot(x) $ |
| $\frac{1}{1+x^2}$ $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ | $\tan^{-1}(x)$ | $x \tan^{-1} x - \frac{1}{2} \ln(1 + x^2)$ |
| $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ | $\sin^{-1}(x)$ | $x\sin^{-1}x + \sqrt{1-x^2}$ |
| $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ | $\cos^{-1}(x)$ | $x\cos^{-1}x - \sqrt{1-x^2}$ |
| $\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + a}}$ | $\ln\left x + \sqrt{x^2 + a}\right $ | |
| $-\csc^2(x)$ | $\cot(x)$ | ? |
| ? | $\cos^2(x)$ | ? |
| ? | $\sin^2(x)$ | ? |
| ? | xe^{ax} | $\frac{1}{a^2}(ax-1)e^{ax}$ |
| ? | $e^{ax}\sin(bx)$ | $\frac{1}{a^2 + b^2}e^{ax}(a\sin bx - b\cos bx)$ |
| ? | $e^{ax}\cos(bx)$ | $\frac{1}{a^2 + b^2}e^{ax}(a\sin bx + b\cos bx)$ |
| ? | ? | ? |

12 Definitions

12.1 Set Theory

• Injectivity

$$f: X \to Y$$
 injective $\iff \forall x_1, x_2 \in X, \quad f(x_1) = f(x_2) \implies x_1 = x_2$
 $\iff \forall x_1, x_2 \in X, \quad x_1 \neq x_2 \implies f(x_1) \neq f(x_2)$

• Surjectivity

$$f: X \to Y$$
 surjective $\iff \forall y \in Y, \exists x \in X : f(x) = y$

• Preimage

$$f: X \to Y, U \subseteq Y \implies f^{-1}(U) = \{x \in X : f(x) \in U\}$$

12.2 Calculus

• Limit

$$\lim_{x \to p} f(x) = L \iff \forall \varepsilon, \ \exists \delta:$$

$$d(x, p) < \delta \implies d(f(x), L) < \varepsilon$$

- Continuity
 - Epsilon-delta definition:

$$f: X \to Y$$
 continuous at $p \iff \forall \varepsilon, \ \exists \delta:$
 $d_X(x,p) < \delta \implies d_Y(f(x),f(p)) < \varepsilon$

- Limit/Sequential definition:

$$f: X \to Y$$
 continuous at $p \iff \forall \{x_i\}_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subseteq X: \{x_i\} \to p$,
$$\lim_{i \to \infty} f(x_i) = f(\lim_{i \to \infty} x_i) = f(p)$$

- Topological Definition:

$$f:X\to Y$$
 continuous $\iff U$ open in $\operatorname{im}(f)\subseteq Y\implies f^{-1}(U)$ open in X

- Differentiability and the Derivative
 - For single variable functions:

$$f: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$$
 differentiable at $p \iff \forall \{x_i\}_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \to p$,
$$f'(p) := \lim_{i \to \infty} \frac{f(x_i) - f(p)}{x_i - p} < \infty$$

- For multivariable functions:

 $\mathbf{f}: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^m$ differentiable at $\mathbf{p} \iff \exists$ a linear map $\mathbf{J}: \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^m$ such that: $\lim_{\mathbf{h}\to 0}\frac{\|\mathbf{f}\left(\mathbf{p}+\mathbf{h}\right)-\mathbf{f}\left(\mathbf{p}\right)-\mathbf{J}(\mathbf{h})\|_{\mathbb{R}^{n}}}{\|\mathbf{h}\|_{\mathbb{R}^{m}}}=0$

$$\lim_{\mathbf{h}\to 0} \frac{\mathbf{h}}{\|\mathbf{h}\|_{\mathbb{R}^m}} = 0$$

• Gradient

$$\nabla f = [f_x, f_y, f_z]$$

- Divergence
- Curl
- Taylor Series (at a point a)
 - Single Variable $\mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$

$$T_a(x) = f(a) + \frac{f'(a)}{1!}(x-a) + \frac{f''(a)}{2!}(x-a)^2 + \frac{f'''(a)}{3!}(x-a)^3 + \cdots$$

$$\implies T_a(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{(n)}(a)}{n!}(x-a)^n$$

– Multivariable $\mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}$:

$$T_a(\mathbf{x}) = f(\mathbf{a}) + (\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a})^T \nabla f(\mathbf{a})$$

– Multivariable $\mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^m$:

$$T_{(a,b)}(x,y) = f(a,b) + (x-a)f_x(a,b) + (y-b)f_y(a,b) + \frac{1}{2!} \left((x-a)^2 f_{xx}(a,b) + 2(x-a)(y-b)f_{yy}(a,b) + (y-b)^2 f_{yx}(a,b) \right) + \cdots$$

$$T_a(\mathbf{x}) = f(\mathbf{a}) + (\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a})^{\mathrm{T}} \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{a}) + \frac{1}{2!} (\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a})^{\mathrm{T}} \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{a}) (\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a}) + \cdots$$

$$\implies T_a(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{|\alpha| \ge 0} \frac{(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a})^{\alpha}}{\alpha!} (\partial^{\alpha} f) (\mathbf{a})$$

12.3 Analysis

- Archimedean Property: $x \in \mathbb{R} \implies \exists n \in \mathbb{N}: x < n \text{ and } x > 0 \implies \exists n: \frac{1}{n} < x$
- Upper Bound (for $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$)

 α is an upper bound for $S \iff s \in S \implies s < \alpha$

• Triangle Inequality

$$- |a+b| \le |a| + |b|
- |a-b| \le |a| + |b|$$

$$-|a-b| \le |a| + |b|$$

• Reverse Triangle Inequality

$$- ||a| - |b|| \le |a - b|$$

• Least Upper Bound / Supremum (for $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$)

$$\alpha$$
 is a LUB for $S \iff s \in S \implies s < \alpha$ and $\forall t : (s \in S \implies s < t), \alpha < t$

• Greatest Lower Bound / Infimum (for $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$)

$$\alpha$$
 is a GLB for $S \iff s \in S \implies \alpha < s$ and $\forall t : (s \in S \implies t < s), t < \alpha$

- Open Set
- Closed Set
- Limit Point
- Interior Point
- Closure of a Set
- Boundary
- Metric
- Cauchy Sequence:

$$\{a_i\}$$
 is a cauchy sequence $\iff \forall \varepsilon \; \exists N \in \mathbb{N}: \; m,n>N \; \implies \; d(x_m,x_n) < \varepsilon$

- Connected: S is connected $\iff \not\exists U, V \subset S$ nonempty, open, disjoint such that $S = U \cup V$
- Compact: Every open cover has a finite subcover:

$$X \subseteq \bigcup_{i \in J} V_i \implies \exists I \subseteq J : |I| < \infty \text{ and } X \subseteq \bigcup_{i \in I} V_i$$

• Sequential Compactness Every sequence has a convergent subsequence:

$$\{x_i\}_{i\in I}\subseteq X\implies \exists J\subseteq I,\ \exists p\in X:\quad \{x_j\}_{j\in J}\to p$$

• Bounded (sequences, subsets, metric spaces)

$$U \subseteq X$$
 is bounded $\iff \exists x \in X, \exists M \in \mathbb{R}: u \in U \implies d(x,u) < M$

- Totally Bounded asdsa#todo
- Pointwise Convergence

For
$$\{f_n: X \to Y\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$$
, $f_n \to f \iff \forall \varepsilon > 0, \ \forall x \in X, \ \exists N(x, \varepsilon) \in \mathbb{N}: \quad n > N \implies d_Y(f_n(x), f(x)) < \varepsilon$

• Uniform Convergence

For
$$\{f_n : X \to Y\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$$
, $f_n \rightrightarrows f \iff \forall \varepsilon > 0, \ \exists N(\varepsilon) \in \mathbb{N} : \ \forall x \in X, \ n > N \implies d_Y(f_n(x), f(x)) < \varepsilon$

• Generalized Mean Value Theorem

$$(f(b) - f(a))g'(c) = (g(b) - g(a))f'(c)$$

12.4 Linear Algebra

Convention: always over a field k, and $T: k^n \to k^m$ is a generic linear map (or $m \times n$ matrix).

• Consistent

A system of linear equations is *consistent* when it has at least one solution.

• Inconsistent

A system of linear equations is *inconsistent* when it has no solutions.

• Rank

The number of nonzero rows in RREF

• Elementary Matrix

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• Row Equivalent

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• Pivot

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• Cofactor

$$\operatorname{cofactor}(A)_{i,j} = (-1)^{i+j} M_{i,j}$$

where $M_{i,j}$ is the minor obtained by deleting the *i*-th row and *j*-th column of A.

• Adjugate

$$\operatorname{adjugate}(A) = \operatorname{cofactor}(A)^T = (-1)^{i+j} M_{j,i}$$

- Vector Space Axioms
 - Let k be a field and $\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w} \in V$ and $r, s, t \in k$. A vector space V over k satisfies:
 - 1. Closure under addition: $\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w} \in V$
 - 2. Closure under scalar multiplication: $r\mathbf{v} \in V$
 - 3. Commutativity of addition: $\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w} = \mathbf{w} + \mathbf{v}$
 - 4. Associativity of addition: $\mathbf{u} + (\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w}) = (\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}) + \mathbf{w}$
 - 5. Existence of an additive zero **0** satisfying $\mathbf{v} + 0 = 0 + \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v}$
 - 6. Existence of additive inverse $-\mathbf{v}$ satisfying $v + (-\mathbf{v}) = 0$
 - 7. Unit property: $1\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v}$
 - 8. Associativity of scalar multiplication: $(rs)\mathbf{v} = r(s\mathbf{v})$
 - 9. Distribution of scalars multiplication over vector addition: $r(\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w}) = r\mathbf{v} + r\mathbf{w}$
 - 10. Distribution of scalar multiplication over scalar addition: $(r+s)\mathbf{v} = r\mathbf{v} + s\mathbf{v}$
- Subspace

- A nonempty subset $W \subseteq V$ that is a vector space and satisfies

$$\left\{ \sum_{i} c_{i} \mathbf{x}_{i} \mid c_{i} \in \mathbb{F}, \ x_{i} \in W \right\} \subseteq W$$

- Quick counter-check: find \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} such that $a\mathbf{x} + b\mathbf{y} \notin W$
- Span Given a set of n vectors $S = \{\mathbf{x}_i\}_{i=1}^n$, defined as

$$\operatorname{Span}(S) = \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^{n} c_i \mathbf{x}_i \mid c_i \in k \right\}$$

- Row Space
 - The range of the linear map T.

- Given
$$T = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}_1 \to \\ \mathbf{x}_2 \to \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{x}_m \to \end{bmatrix}$$
, defined as

$$\operatorname{Span}(\{\mathbf{x}_i\}_{i=1}^m) \subseteq k^m$$

- $-\operatorname{rowspace}(T)^{\perp} = \operatorname{null}(T)$ $-|\operatorname{rowspace}(T)| = \operatorname{Rank}(T)$
- Column Space
- Null Space
 - Defined as $\operatorname{null}(T) = \left\{ \mathbf{x} \in k^n \mid T(\mathbf{x}) = 0 \in k^m \right\}$
 - $\text{ null}(T)^{\perp} = \text{rowspace}(T)$
- Eigenvalue
 - A value λ such that $Ax = \lambda x$
 - Invariant under similarity.
- Eigenspace
 - For a linear map T with eigenvalue λ , defined as $E_{\lambda} = \{ \mathbf{x} \in k^n \mid T(\mathbf{x}) = \lambda \mathbf{x} \}$
- Dimension
 - The cardinality of a basis of V
- Basis
 - A linearly independent set of vectors $S = \{\mathbf{x}_i\} \subset V$ such that $\mathrm{Span}(S) = V$
- Linear independence
 - A set of vectors $\{\mathbf{x}_i\}_{i=1}^n$ is linearly independent $\iff \sum_{i=1}^n c_i \mathbf{x}_i = 0 \implies c_i = 0$ for all i.

- Can be detected by considering the matrix

$$T = [\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \cdots, \mathbf{x}_n]^T$$

(linearly independent iff T is singular)

- Rank
 - Dimension of rowspace
- Rank-Nullity Theorem
 - |Nullspace(A)| + |Rank(A)| = |Codomain(A)|
- Nullspace
 - nullspace(A) = { $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n : A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$ }
- Singular
 - A square $n \times n$ matrix T is singular iff Rank(T) < n
- Similarity
 - Two matrices A, B are similar iff there exists an invertible matrix S such that $B = SAS^{-1}$
- Diagonalizable
 - A matrix X is diagonalizable if it can be written $X = EDE^{-1}$ where D is diagonal.
 - If X is $n \times n$ and has n linearly independent eigenvectors λ_i , then $D_{ii} = \lambda_i$, and $E = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & \lambda_2 & \cdots & \lambda_n \\ \downarrow & \downarrow & \cdots & \downarrow \end{bmatrix}$
- Positive Definite
 - A matrix A is positive definite iff $\forall \mathbf{x} \in k^n$, we have the scalar inequality $\mathbf{x}^T A \mathbf{x} > 0$
- Projection
 - The projection of a vector \mathbf{v} onto \mathbf{u} is given by $P_{\mathbf{u}}(\mathbf{v}) = \langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \rangle \, \hat{u}$
 - The projection of a vector \mathbf{v} onto a space $U = \mathrm{Span}(\{\mathbf{u}_i\})$ is given by

$$P_U(\mathbf{v}) = \sum_i P_{\mathbf{u}_i}(\mathbf{v}) = \sum_i \langle \mathbf{u}_i, \mathbf{v} \rangle \, \widehat{u}_i$$

- Orthogonal Complement
 - Given a subspace $U \subseteq V$, defined as $U^{\perp} = \{ \mathbf{v} \in V \mid \forall \mathbf{u} \in U, \langle \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \rangle = 0 \}$
- Determinant

$$\det(A) = \sum_{\tau \in S^n} \prod_{i=1}^n \sigma(\tau) a_{i,\tau(i)}$$

• Trace

$$Tr(A) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} A_{ii}$$

• Characteristic Polynomial

$$-p_A(x) = \det(xI - A)$$

- Roots of p_A are eigenvalues of A

• Symmetric: $A = A^T$

• Skew-Symmetric: $A = -A^T$

• Inner Product

$$-\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle \ge 0$$

$$-\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle = 0 \iff \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$$

$$-\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \overline{\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle}$$

$$-\langle [, k\rangle \mathbf{x}] \mathbf{y} = k\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \langle \mathbf{x}, k\mathbf{y} \rangle$$

$$-\langle \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{z} \rangle = \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{z} \rangle + \langle [, y\rangle] \mathbf{z}$$

$$-\langle [, a\rangle \mathbf{x}] b \mathbf{y} = \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + \langle a\mathbf{x}, y\rangle + \langle \mathbf{x}, b\mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle$$

$$- \text{ Defines a norm: } \|\mathbf{x}\| = \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle} \implies \|\mathbf{x}\|^2 = \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle$$

- Cauchy-Schwarz Inequality: $|\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle| \le ||\mathbf{x}|| ||\mathbf{y}||$
- Orthogonality:
 - For vectors: $\mathbf{x}^{\perp}\mathbf{y} \iff \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = 0$
 - For matrices: A is orthogonal $\iff A^{-1} = A^T$
- Orthogonal Projection of \mathbf{x} onto \mathbf{y} :

$$P(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) = \langle \mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{y} \rangle \widehat{y} = \langle \mathbf{x}, \ \mathbf{y} \rangle \frac{\mathbf{y}}{\|\mathbf{y}\|^2}$$

- Note
$$||P(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y})|| = ||\mathbf{x}|| \cos \theta_{x,y}$$

• Defective: An $n \times n$ matrix A is defective \iff the number of linearly independent eigenvectors of A is less than n.

12.5 Differential Equations

Homogeneous

f(x,y) homogeneous of degree $n \iff \exists n \in \mathbb{N} : f(tx,ty) = t^n f(x,y)$.

• Separable

$$p(y)\frac{dy}{dx} - q(x) = 0$$

• Wronskian:

$$W[f_1, f_2, \dots, f_k](x) = \begin{vmatrix} f_1(x) & f_2(x) & \dots & f_k(x) \\ f'_1(x) & f'_2(x) & \dots & f'_k(x) \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ f_1^{(k-1)}(x) & f_2^{(k-1)}(x) & \dots & f_k^{(k-1)}(x) \end{vmatrix}$$

• Laplace Transform:

$$L_f(s) = \int_0^\infty e^{-st} f(t) dt$$

12.6 Algebra

- Ring
- Group
- Subgroup
 - Two step subgroups test:
- Integral Domain
- Division Ring
- Principal Ideal Domain
- Tensor Product: #todo insert construction

12.7 Complex Analysis

- Analytic
- Harmonic
- Cauchy-Euler Equations
- Holomorphic
- The Complex Derivative
- Meromorphic
- The Gamma Function: Satisfies $\Gamma(p+1) + p\Gamma(p)$ and $\Gamma(1) = 1$, defined as

$$\Gamma(p) = \int_0^\infty t^{p-1} e^{-t} dt, \quad p > 0$$

12.8 Algebra

- Looking at real roots:
 - Let p be number of sign changes in f(x);
 - Let q be number of sign changes in f(-x);
 - Let n be the degree of f.
 - Then p gives the maximum number of positive real roots, q gives the maximum number of negative real roots, and n-p-q gives the *minimum* number of complex roots.
 - Rational Roots Theorem: If $p(x) = ax^n + \cdots + c$ and $r = \frac{p}{q}$ where p(r) = 0, then $p \mid c$ and $q \mid a$.
- Properties of logs:

$$-\ln(\prod) = \sum_{b \in A} \ln b \operatorname{ut} \prod_{b \in A} \ln \sum_{b \in A} -\log_b x = \frac{\ln x}{\ln b}$$

Be careful!
$$\frac{\ln x}{\ln y} \neq \ln \frac{x}{y} = \ln x - \ln y$$

• Completing the square:

$$-p(x) = ax^{2} + bx + c \implies p(x) = a(x + \frac{b}{2a})^{2} + -\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{b^{2} - 4ac}{2a}\right)$$

12.9 Geometry

• Generic Conic Sections

$$Ax^2 + Bxy + Cy^2 + Dx + Ey + F = 0$$

$$\frac{(x-x_0)^2}{w_0} \pm \frac{(y-y_0)^2}{h_0} = c$$

• Circles:

$$Ax^{2} + By^{2} + C = 0$$
 $(x - x_{0})^{2} + (y - y_{0})^{2} = r^{2}$

- Defining trait: locus of points at a constant distance from the **center**
- Center at (x_0, y_0)
- Parabolas:

$$Ax^2 + Bx + Cy + D = 0 y = ax^2$$

- Defining Trait:
 - ♦ Locus of points equidistant from the **focus** (a point) and the **directrix** (a line)
 - \diamondsuit #todo add image
- **Focus** at $(0, \frac{1}{4a})$
- **Directrix** at the line $y = -\frac{1}{4a}$ \$\diangle\$ For an arbitrary quadratic: complete the square to write in the form y = a(x a) $(w_0)^2 + h_0$, and translate points of interest by $(x + w_0, y + h_0)$
- Ellipses:

$$\frac{x^2}{w^2} + \frac{y^2}{h^2} = 1$$

- Defining trait:
 - \Diamond The locus of points where the *sum* of distances to two **focii** are constant.
- Center at (0,0) (can translate easily)
- Vertices at $(\pm w, 0)$ and $(0, \pm h)$
- Focii at $F_1 = (\sqrt{w^2 h^2}, 0), F_2 = (-\sqrt{w^2 h^2}, 0)$
- Another useful shortcut form:
- Hyperbolas:

$$\frac{x^2}{w^2} - \frac{y^2}{h^2} = 1$$

- Defining trait:
 - \Diamond Locus of points where the difference between the distances to two **focii** are constant.
- **Vertices** at $(0, \pm h)$ and $(\pm w, 0)$
- **Focii** at $F_1 = (\sqrt{w^2 + h^2}, 0), F_2 = (-\sqrt{w^2 + h^2}, 0)$
- Summary of Traits:
 - One point p:
 - \diamondsuit Distance to p is constant: circle
 - Two points a, b:
 - \diamondsuit Distance to a equal to distance to b equals a constant: a line bisecting the midpoint of the line connecting them
 - \diamondsuit Difference of distances constant: ellipse
 - ♦ Sum of differences constant: hyperbola
 - Point p and a line l:
 - \diamondsuit Distance to p equals distance to l equals a constant: parabola
- Areas of certain figures:

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