



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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1 | Differential Calculus

1.1 Big Theorems / Tools:

Proposition 1.1.1 (*Fundamental Theorem of Calculus I*).

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

Proposition 1.1.2 (*Generalized Fundamental Theorem of Calculus*).

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

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 1.1.1.

Note that you can recover the original FTC by taking

$$\begin{aligned} a(x) &= c \\ b(x) &= x \\ f(x, t) &= f(t). \end{aligned}$$

Corollary 1.1.1 (?).

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \int_1^x f(x, t) dt = \int_1^x \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(x, t) dt + f(x, x)$$

Proposition 1.1.3 (Extreme Value Theorem).

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Proposition 1.1.4 (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 1.1.5 (Rolle's Theorem).

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Proposition 1.1.6 (L'Hopital's Rule).

If

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

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

Then it is necessarily the case that

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

Remark 1.1.2.

Note that this includes the following indeterminate forms:

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

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 $1^\infty, \infty^0$, 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 1.1.7 (Taylor Expansion).**

$$\begin{aligned}
T(a, x) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{(n)}(a)}{n!} (x-a)^n \\
&= f(a) + f'(a)(x-a) + \frac{1}{2}f''(a)(x-a)^2 \\
&\quad + \frac{1}{6}f'''(a)(x-a)^3 + \frac{1}{24}f^{(4)}(a)(x-a)^4 + \dots
\end{aligned}$$

There is a bound on the error:

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

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

Remark 1.1.3.

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

1.2 Limits

1.3 Tools for finding limits

Examples


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

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

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

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

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

 **Warning 1.1:** Be careful: limits may not exist!! Example : $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{x} \neq 0$.

1.4 Asymptotes

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

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

1.5 Recurrences

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

1.6 Derivatives

Proposition 1.6.1(Chain Rule).

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

Proposition 1.6.2(Product Rule).

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

Proposition 1.6.3(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 1.6.4(Inverse Rule).

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

1.7 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.

1.8 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 $y_t =$ known stuff

Example 1.8.1 (?).

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.

2 | Integral Calculus

2.1 Average Values

Proposition 2.1.1 (*Integral formula for average value*).

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

Proof (?).

Apply MVT to $F(x)$. ■

2.2 Area Between Curves

Area in polar coordinates:

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

2.3 Solids of Revolution

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

2.4 Arc Lengths

$$\begin{aligned} L &= \int ds & ds &= \sqrt{dx^2 + dy^2} \\ &= \int_{x_0}^{x_1} \sqrt{1 + \frac{\partial y}{\partial x}} dx \\ &= \int_{y_0}^{y_1} \sqrt{\frac{\partial x}{\partial y} + 1} dy \end{aligned}$$

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

2.5 Center of Mass

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

$$x_i = \frac{\int_R x_i \rho(x) dx}{\int_R \rho(x) dx}$$

2.6 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

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

2.6.1 Integration by Parts:

The standard form:

$$\int u dv = uv - \int v du$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} \int_a^b uv &= uv^{-1} \Big|_a^b - \int_a^b u^1 v^{-1} \\ &= uv^{-1} - u^1 v^{-2} \Big|_a^b + \int_a^b u^2 v^{-2} \\ &= uv^{-1} - u^1 v^{-2} + u^2 v^{-3} \Big|_a^b - \int_a^b u^3 v^{-3} \\ &\vdots \\ \Rightarrow \int_a^b uv &= \sum_{k=1}^n (-1)^k u^{k-1} v^{-k} \Big|_a^b + (-1)^n \int_a^b u^n v^{-n} \end{aligned}$$

- Generally useful when one term's n th derivative is a constant.

2.6.2 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
u	v	NA	NA
u'	$\int v$	+	$u \int v$
u''	$\int \int v$	-	$-u' \int \int v$
\vdots	\vdots	\vdots	\vdots

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

2.6.3 Differentiating under the integral

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

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

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

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Example 2.6.1 (?).

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

- Trigonometric Substitution

$$\begin{array}{lll} \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} & \Rightarrow & x = a \sin(\theta) \quad dx = a \cos(\theta) d\theta \\ \sqrt{a^2 + x^2} & \Rightarrow & x = a \tan(\theta) \quad dx = a \sec^2(\theta) d\theta \\ \sqrt{x^2 - a^2} & \Rightarrow & x = a \sec(\theta) \quad dx = a \sec(\theta) \tan(\theta) d\theta \end{array}$$

2.6.4 Partial Fractions

2.6.5 Trigonometric Substitution

Completing the square

- Trig Formulas

$$\begin{array}{lll} \sin^2(x) & = & \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 2x) \\ & = & \\ & = & \\ & = & \\ & = & \end{array}$$

Trig functions, double angle formulas.

- Products of trig functions

- Setup: $\int \sin^a(x) \cos^b(x) dx$
 - ◇ Both a, b even: $\sin(x) \cos(x) = \frac{1}{2} \sin(2x)$
 - ◇ a odd: $\sin^2 = 1 - \cos^2$, $u = \cos(x)$
 - ◇ b odd: $\cos^2 = 1 - \sin^2$, $u = \sin(x)$
- Setup: $\int \tan^a(x) \sec^b(x) dx$
 - ◇ a odd: $\tan^2 = \sec^2 - 1$, $u = \sec(x)$
 - ◇ b even: $\sec^2 = \tan^2 + 1$, $u = \tan(x)$

Other small but useful facts:

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

2.7 Optimization

- Critical points: boundary points and wherever $f'(x) = 0$
- Second derivative test:
 - $f''(p) > 0 \implies p$ is a min
 - $f''(p) < 0 \implies p$ 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

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

- Min/maxing - either derivatives or Lagrange 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 $\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{x} = d$.
- Since $\lambda \mathbf{n}$ is normal to P for all λ , solve $\mathbf{n} \cdot \lambda \mathbf{n} = d$, which is $\lambda = \frac{d}{\|\mathbf{n}\|^2}$
- A plane can be constructed from a point p and a normal n by the equation $\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{p} = 0$.
- 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

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- 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.
- Inflection points of h occur where the *tangent* of h' changes sign. (Note that this is where h' itself changes sign.)
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3 | Vector Calculus

Need lots of pictures

Notation:

$\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{a}, \dots$	vectors in \mathbb{R}^n
$\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{A}, \dots$	matrices
$\mathbf{r}(t)$	A parameterized curve $\mathbf{r} : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$
$\hat{\mathbf{v}}$	$\frac{\mathbf{v}}{\ \mathbf{v}\ }$

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 (?).

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

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:

$$\mathbf{v} = [a, b, c] \implies \mathbf{y} := \begin{cases} [-(b+c), a, a] & \mathbf{v} = [-1, -1, 0], \\ [c, c, -(a+b)] & \text{else} \end{cases} \in \mathbb{R}\mathbf{v}^\perp.$$

3.2 Projections

For a subspace given by a single vector \mathbf{a} :

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

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

$$\text{proj}_A(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i=1}^n \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{a}_i \rangle \hat{\mathbf{a}}_i = A(A^T A)^{-1} A^T \mathbf{x}$$

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 :

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

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 :
 - $D = \langle \mathbf{p}_0, \mathbf{n} \rangle = p_1n_1 + p_2n_2 + p_3n_3$
 - 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 \mathbf{p} . Key idea: find a subspace and project onto it.

Key equations: projection and orthogonal projection of \mathbf{b} onto \mathbf{a} :

$$\text{proj}_{\mathbf{a}}(\mathbf{b}) = \langle \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{a} \rangle \widehat{\mathbf{a}} \qquad \text{proj}_{\mathbf{a}}^\perp(\mathbf{b}) = \mathbf{b} - \text{proj}_{\mathbf{a}}(\mathbf{b}) = \mathbf{b} - \langle \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{a} \rangle \widehat{\mathbf{a}}$$

3.6.1 Point to plane

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

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

- 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 $\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{0}$,

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

3.6.2 Point to line

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

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

- 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 $\mathbf{r}_1(t) = \mathbf{p}_1 + t\mathbf{v}_1$ 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:

$$\begin{aligned} d &= \left\| \text{proj}_{\hat{\mathbf{n}}}(\mathbf{p}_2 - \mathbf{p}_1) \right\| \\ &= \left\| \langle \mathbf{p}_2 - \mathbf{p}_1, \hat{\mathbf{n}} \rangle \hat{\mathbf{n}} \right\| \\ &= \langle \mathbf{p}_2 - \mathbf{p}_1, \hat{\mathbf{n}} \rangle \\ &:= \langle \mathbf{p}_2 - \mathbf{p}_1, \mathbf{v}_1 \times \mathbf{v}_2 \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

3.7 Surfaces

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

3.7.1 Tangent plane to a surface

- Need a point \mathbf{p} and a normal \mathbf{n} . By cases:
- $f(x, y, z) = 0$
 - ∇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 .
 - ∇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. $\mathbf{n} = \nabla f \times \nabla g$, 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. $f(x, y, c) = 0$.

4 | Multivariable Calculus

Theorem 4.0.1 (Key Theorem).

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

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

4.1 Notation

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

$\mathbf{e}_i = [0, 0, \dots, \overbrace{1}^{\text{ith term}}, \dots, 0]$ the i th standard basis vector

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

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

4.2 Partial Derivatives

Definition 4.2.1 (Partial Derivative).

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

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

Example 4.2.1 ($n = 2$).

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

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

4.3 General Derivatives

Definition 4.3.1 (General definition of differentiability).

A function $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ is **differentiable** iff there exists a linear transformation $D_f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ such that the following limit exists

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

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 :

$$D_f(\mathbf{p}) \begin{bmatrix} \nabla f_1(\mathbf{p}) & \nabla f_2(\mathbf{p}) & \cdots & \nabla f_m(\mathbf{p}) \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1}(\mathbf{p}) & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_2}(\mathbf{p}) & \cdots & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_n}(\mathbf{p}) \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_1}(\mathbf{p}) & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_2}(\mathbf{p}) & \cdots & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_n}(\mathbf{p}) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f_m}{\partial x_1}(\mathbf{p}) & \frac{\partial f_m}{\partial x_2}(\mathbf{p}) & \cdots & \frac{\partial f_m}{\partial x_n}(\mathbf{p}) \end{bmatrix}.$$

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

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

Explicitly, we have

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

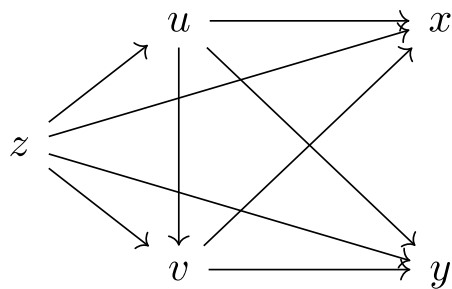
Remark 4.3.3.

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

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

4.5 Approximation

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

$$\begin{aligned} f(\mathbf{x}) &\approx f(\mathbf{p}) + \nabla f(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{p}_0) \\ \implies f(x, y) &\approx f(\mathbf{p}) + f_x(\mathbf{p})(x - x_0) + f_y(\mathbf{p})(y - y_0) \end{aligned}$$

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:

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

Proposition 4.6.1 (*Second Derivative Test*).

1. Compute

$$|H_f(\mathbf{p})| := \begin{vmatrix} f_{xx} & f_{xy} \\ f_{yx} & f_{yy} \end{vmatrix}(\mathbf{p})$$

2. Check by cases:

- $|H(\mathbf{p})| = 0$: No conclusion
- $|H(\mathbf{p})| < 0$: Saddle point
- $|H(\mathbf{p})| > 0$:
 - $f_{xx}(\mathbf{p}) > 0 \implies$ local min
 - $f_{xx}(\mathbf{p}) < 0 \implies$ 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 optimize like single-variable case.

Add examples

4.6.2 Lagrange Multipliers

The setup:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Optimize } f(\mathbf{x}) \quad \text{subject to } g(\mathbf{x}) &= c \\ \implies \nabla f &= \lambda \nabla g \end{aligned}$$

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 \mathbf{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 $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and region R ,

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

5 | Vector Calculus

5.1 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

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla : (\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}) &\rightarrow (\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n) \\ \varphi &\mapsto \nabla \varphi := \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial x_i} \mathbf{e}_i\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\operatorname{div}(\mathbf{F}) : (\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n) &\rightarrow (\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}) \\ \mathbf{F} &\mapsto \nabla \cdot \mathbf{F} := \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial \mathbf{F}_i}{\partial x_i}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\operatorname{curl}(\mathbf{F}) : (\mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3) &\rightarrow (\mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3) \\ \mathbf{F} &\mapsto \nabla \times \mathbf{F}\end{aligned}$$

Some terminology:

Scalar Field	$\varphi : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
Vector Field	$\mathbf{F} : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$
Gradient Field	$\mathbf{F} : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \mid \exists \varphi : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid \nabla \varphi = \mathbf{F}$

- 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

$$\mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{y} = \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i = x_1 y_1 + x_2 y_2 + \cdots \quad \text{inner/dot product}$$

$$\|\mathbf{x}\| = \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle} = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2} = \sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \cdots} \quad \text{norm}$$

$$\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} = \hat{\mathbf{n}} \|\mathbf{a}\| \|\mathbf{b}\| \sin \theta_{\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{\mathbf{x}} & \hat{\mathbf{y}} & \hat{\mathbf{z}} \\ a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \end{vmatrix} \quad \text{cross product}$$

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

$$\nabla := \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \mathbf{e}_i = \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial x_1}, \frac{\partial}{\partial x_2}, \dots, \frac{\partial}{\partial x_n} \right] \quad \text{del operator}$$

$$\nabla \varphi := \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial x_i} \mathbf{e}_i = \left[\frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial x_1}, \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial x_2}, \dots, \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial x_n} \right] \quad \text{gradient}$$

$$\Delta \varphi := \nabla \cdot \nabla \varphi := \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial x_i^2} = \frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial x_1^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial x_2^2} + \cdots + \frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial x_n^2} \quad \text{Laplacian}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F} := \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial \mathbf{F}_i}{\partial x_i} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{F}_1}{\partial x_1} + \frac{\partial \mathbf{F}_2}{\partial x_2} + \cdots + \frac{\partial \mathbf{F}_n}{\partial x_n} \quad \text{divergence}$$

$$\nabla \times \mathbf{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{e}_1 & \mathbf{e}_2 & \mathbf{e}_3 \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ \mathbf{F}_1 & \mathbf{F}_2 & \mathbf{F}_3 \end{vmatrix} = [\mathbf{F}_{3y} - \mathbf{F}_{2z}, \mathbf{F}_{1z} - \mathbf{F}_{3x}, \mathbf{F}_{2x} - \mathbf{F}_{1y}] \quad \text{curl}$$

$$\iint_S (\nabla \times \mathbf{F}) \cdot d\mathbf{S} = \iint_S (\nabla \times \mathbf{F}) \cdot \mathbf{n} \, dS \quad \text{surface integral}$$

5.2 Big Theorems

5.2.1 Stokes' and Consequences

Theorem 5.2.1 (*Stokes' Theorem*).

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

Remark 5.2.1.

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

Corollary 5.2.1 (*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 $\nabla \times \mathbf{F} = [0, 0, \frac{\partial M}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial L}{\partial y}]$

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Corollary 5.2.2 (*Divergence Theorem*).

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

Remark 5.2.2.

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

5.2.2 Directional Derivatives

Definition 5.2.1 (Directional Derivative).

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

Remark 5.2.3.

Note that the directional derivative uses a normalized direction vector!

Theorem 5.2.2 (*Dot product expression of directional derivative*).

Suppose $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ 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 :

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

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

Need a better proof, not clear that this works.



5.3 Computing Integrals

5.3.1 Changing Coordinates

Multivariable Chain Rule

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Polar and Cylindrical Coordinates

$$\begin{aligned} x &= r \cos \theta \\ y &= r \sin \theta \\ dV &\mapsto r \, dr \, d\theta \end{aligned}$$

Spherical Coordinates

$$\begin{aligned} x &= r \cos \theta = \rho \sin \varphi \cos \theta \\ y &= r \sin \theta = \rho \sin \varphi \sin \theta \\ dV &\mapsto r^2 \sin \varphi \, dr \, d\varphi \, d\theta \end{aligned}$$

5.3.2 Line Integrals

Curves

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

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

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

$$\begin{aligned}\int_C \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r} &:= \int_a^b (\mathbf{F} \circ \mathbf{r})(t) \cdot \mathbf{r}'(t) \, dt \\ &= \int_a^b [\mathbf{F}_1(x(t), y(t), \dots), \mathbf{F}_2(x(t), y(t), \dots)] \cdot [x_t, y_t, \dots] \, dt \\ &= \int_a^b \mathbf{F}_1(x(t), y(t), \dots)x_t + \mathbf{F}_2(x(t), y(t), \dots)y_t + \dots \, dt\end{aligned}$$

- 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 $[dx, dy, \dots] := [x_t, y_t, \dots] = \mathbf{r}'(t)$.

- *Remember to substitute dx back into the integrand!!*

5.3.3 Flux

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

5.3.4 Area

Proposition 5.3.1 (*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

$$\begin{aligned} \oint_{\partial R} x \, dy &= - \oint_{\partial R} y \, dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \oint_{\partial R} -y \, dx + x \, dy = \frac{1}{2} \iint_R 1 - (-1) \, dA = \iint_R 1 \, dA \end{aligned}$$

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5.3.5 Surface Integrals

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

$$\iint_S f \, dA = \iint_U (f \circ \mathbf{r})(s, t) \|\mathbf{n}\| \, dA$$

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

5.4 Other Results

Example 5.4.1 (?).

$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{F} = 0 \not\Rightarrow \exists G : \mathbf{F} = \nabla \times G$. A counterexample

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{F}(x, y, z) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}} [x, y, z], \quad S = S^2 \subset \mathbb{R}^3 \\ \Rightarrow \nabla \mathbf{F} &= 0 \text{ but } \iint_{S^2} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{S} = 4\pi \neq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Where by Stokes' theorem,

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{F} = \nabla \times \mathbf{G} &\Rightarrow \iint_{S^2} \mathbf{F} = \iint_{S^2} \nabla \times \mathbf{G} \\ &= \oint_{\partial S^2} \mathbf{G} \, d\mathbf{r} && \text{by Stokes} \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

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

Proposition 5.4.1 (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 6.0.1.

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

6.1 Notation

$\text{Mat}(m, n)$	the space of all $m \times n$ matrices
T	a linear map $\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$
$A \in \text{Mat}(m, n)$	an $m \times n$ matrix representing T
$A^t \in \text{Mat}(n, m)$	an $n \times m$ transposed matrix
\mathbf{a}	a $1 \times n$ column vector
\mathbf{a}^t	an $n \times 1$ row vector
$A = [\mathbf{a}_1, \dots, \mathbf{a}_n]$	a matrix formed with \mathbf{a}_i as the columns
V, W	vector spaces
$ V , \dim(W)$	dimensions of vector spaces
$\det(A)$	the determinant of A
$[A \mid \mathbf{b}] := [\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2, \dots, \mathbf{a}_n, \mathbf{b}]$	augmented matrices
$[A \mid B] := [\mathbf{a}_1, \dots, \mathbf{a}_n, \mathbf{b}_1, \dots, \mathbf{b}_m]$	block matrices
$\text{Spec}(A)$	the multiset of eigenvalues of A
$A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$	a system of linear equations
$r := \text{rank}(A)$	the rank of A
$r_b = \text{rank}([A \mid \mathbf{b}])$	the rank of A augmented by \mathbf{b} .

6.2 Big Theorems

Theorem 6.2.1 (*Rank-Nullity*).

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

Generalization: the following sequence is always exact:

$$0 \rightarrow \ker(A) \xrightarrow{\text{id}} \text{dom}(A) \xrightarrow{A} \text{im}(A) \rightarrow 0.$$

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

6.3 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 $\mathbf{b} \in \mathbb{R}^m$ -

The homogeneous system $A\mathbf{x} = 0$ has only the trivial solution $\mathbf{x} = 0$ - $\text{rank}(A) = n$ - i.e. A is full rank - $\text{nullity}(A) := \dim \text{nullspace}(A) = 0$ - $A = \prod_{i=1}^k E_i$ 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. $\text{colspace}(A) = \mathbb{R}^n$ - The rows of A are a basis for \mathbb{R}^m - i.e. $\text{rowspace}(A) = \mathbb{R}^m$ - $(\text{colspace}(A))^\perp = (\text{rowspace}(A))^\perp = \{0\}$ - 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
- $\text{rank } A < n$
- $\dim \text{nullspace } A > 0$
- 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: - $T^{-1} : \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ exists - $\text{im}(T) = \mathbb{R}^n$ - $\ker(T) = 0$ - T is injective - T is surjective - T is an isomorphism - The system $A\mathbf{x} = 0$ has infinitely many solutions

6.4 Vector Spaces

Proposition 6.4.1 (Two-step vector subspace test).

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

- (1) $\mathbf{0} \in V$
- (2) $\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b} \in V \implies t\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b} \in V.$

6.4.1 Linear Independence

Proposition 6.4.2(?).

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.

6.4.2 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 6.4.1 (The standard inner product).

The **Euclidean inner product** is defined as

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

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

Proposition 6.4.3 (*Inner products induce norms and angles*).

Yields a norm

$$\|\mathbf{x}\| := \sqrt{\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle}$$

which has a useful alternative formulation

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

This leads to a notion of angle:

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

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

Remark 6.4.1.

Since $\cos \theta = 0$ exactly when $\theta = \pm \frac{\pi}{2}$, we 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 6.4.2 (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 6.4.2.

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

Proposition 6.4.4 (*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 6.4.5 (*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.

6.4.3 Gram-Schmidt Process

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

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{u}_1 &= N(\mathbf{x}_1) \\ \mathbf{u}_2 &= N(\mathbf{x}_2 - \langle \mathbf{x}_2, \mathbf{u}_1 \rangle \mathbf{u}_1) \\ \mathbf{u}_3 &= N(\mathbf{x}_3 - \langle \mathbf{x}_3, \mathbf{u}_1 \rangle \mathbf{u}_1 - \langle \mathbf{x}_3, \mathbf{u}_2 \rangle \mathbf{u}_2) \\ &\vdots \\ \mathbf{u}_k &= N(\mathbf{x}_k - \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} \langle \mathbf{x}_k, \mathbf{u}_i \rangle \mathbf{u}_i) \end{aligned}$$

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 $\mathcal{B} = \{\mathbf{b}_1, \mathbf{b}_2, \dots\}$. We could form the change of basis matrix $B = [\mathbf{b}_1, \mathbf{b}_2, \dots]$ 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

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

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 $Q^T Q = I$, this simplifies to

$$P_S = Q Q^T ..$$

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

First define

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

$$\mathbf{x} \mapsto \hat{\mathbf{x}} := \frac{\mathbf{x}}{\|\mathbf{x}\|}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{u}_1 &= N(\mathbf{x}_1) \\ \mathbf{u}_2 &= N(\mathbf{x}_2 - \langle \mathbf{x}_2, \mathbf{u}_1 \rangle \mathbf{u}_1) \\ \mathbf{u}_3 &= N(\mathbf{x}_3 - \langle \mathbf{x}_3, \mathbf{u}_1 \rangle \mathbf{u}_1 - \langle \mathbf{x}_3, \mathbf{u}_2 \rangle \mathbf{u}_2) \\ &\vdots \\ \mathbf{u}_k &= N(\mathbf{x}_k - \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} \langle \mathbf{x}_k, \mathbf{u}_i \rangle \mathbf{u}_i) \end{aligned}$$

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.

6.4.4 The Fundamental Subspaces Theorem

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

$$\begin{aligned} A : \mathbb{R}^n &\rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m, \\ A^T : \mathbb{R}^m &\rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \end{aligned}$$

We have the following decompositions:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{R}^n &\cong \ker A \oplus \text{im } A^T && \cong \text{nullspace}(A) \oplus \text{colspace}(A^T) \\ \mathbb{R}^m &\cong \text{im } A \oplus \ker A^T && \cong \text{colspace}(A) \oplus \text{nullspace}(A^T) \end{aligned}$$

6.4.5 Computing change of basis matrices

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6.5 Matrices

Remark 6.5.1.

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 6.1: 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 $B = [\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{v}, \dots]$ yields $AB = 0$ with $A \neq 0, B \neq 0$.

Definition 6.5.1 (Rank of a matrix).

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

Proposition 6.5.1(?).

$\text{rank}(A)$ is equal to the number of nonzero rows in $\text{RREF}(A)$.

Definition 6.5.2 (Trace of a Matrix).

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

Definition 6.5.3 (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 6.5.2 (*Formula for matrix multiplication*).

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

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

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

6.5.1 Systems of Linear Equations**Definition 6.5.4** (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 6.5.5 (Homogeneous Systems).

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Remark 6.5.2.

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

Remark 6.5.3.

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

Proposition 6.5.3 (*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 checked by considering $r := \text{rank}(A)$:

- $r < r_b$: 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.

6.5.2 Determinants**Proposition 6.5.4** (?).

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

Proposition 6.5.5 (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 6.5.6 (Properties of the determinant).

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

$$\begin{aligned} \det : \text{Mat}(m, m) &\rightarrow \mathbb{R} \\ A &\mapsto \det(A) \end{aligned}$$

satisfying the following properties:

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

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

– Some corollaries:

$$\begin{aligned} \det A^k &= k \det A \\ \det(A^{-1}) &= (\det A)^{-1} \det(A^t) &= \det(A). \end{aligned}$$

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

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

- Sign change under row permutation:

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ \text{--- } \mathbf{a}_i \text{ ---} \\ \vdots \\ \text{--- } \mathbf{a}_j \text{ ---} \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} = (-1) \det \begin{bmatrix} \vdots \\ \text{--- } \mathbf{a}_j \text{ ---} \\ \vdots \\ \text{--- } \mathbf{a}_i \text{ ---} \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

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

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

- Multilinearity in rows:

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

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} \text{--- } t\mathbf{a}_1 \text{ ---} \\ \text{--- } t\mathbf{a}_2 \text{ ---} \\ \vdots \\ \text{--- } t\mathbf{a}_m \text{ ---} \end{bmatrix} = t^m \det \begin{bmatrix} \text{--- } \mathbf{a}_1 \text{ ---} \\ \text{--- } \mathbf{a}_2 \text{ ---} \\ \vdots \\ \text{--- } \mathbf{a}_m \text{ ---} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} \text{--- } t_1\mathbf{a}_1 \text{ ---} \\ \text{--- } t_2\mathbf{a}_2 \text{ ---} \\ \vdots \\ \text{--- } t_m\mathbf{a}_m \text{ ---} \end{bmatrix} = \prod_{i=1}^m t_i \det \begin{bmatrix} \text{--- } \mathbf{a}_1 \text{ ---} \\ \text{--- } \mathbf{a}_2 \text{ ---} \\ \vdots \\ \text{--- } \mathbf{a}_m \text{ ---} \end{bmatrix}.$$

- Linearity in each row:

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

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

Proposition 6.5.7 (Characterizing singular matrices).

TFAE:

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

6.5.3 Computing Determinants

Useful shortcuts:

- If A is upper or lower triangular, $\det(A) = \prod_i a_{ii}$.

Definition 6.5.6 (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 6.5.7 (Cofactors).

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

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

Proposition 6.5.8 (Laplace/Cofactor Expansion).

For any fixed i , there is a formula

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

Example 6.5.1 (?)

Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Then

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

Proposition 6.5.9 (Computing determinant from RREF).

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

- $R_i \leftrightarrow R_i \pm tR_j$: no effect.
- $R_i \Rightarrow R_j$: multiply by (-1) .
- $R_i \leftrightarrow tR_i$: multiply by t .

6.5.4 Inverting a Matrix**Proposition 6.5.10 (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 \mathbf{b} .

Proposition 6.5.11 (Gauss-Jordan Method for inverting a matrix).

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

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

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

Proposition 6.5.12 (Cofactor formula for inverse).

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

where C_{ij} is the *cofactor* (Definition 6.5.7) at position i, j .^a

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

Example 6.5.2 (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 6.5.3 (Inverting a 3×3 matrix).

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

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

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!!

6.5.5 Bases for Spaces of a Matrix

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

Add examples.

Definition 6.5.8 (Pivot).
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Proposition 6.5.13.

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

The row space

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

Reduce to RREF, and take nonzero rows of $\text{RREF}(A)$.

The column space

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

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

Remark 6.5.4.

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

The nullspace

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

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

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

6.5.6 Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors

Definition 6.5.9 (Eigenvalues, eigenvectors, eigenspaces).

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

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

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

Remark 6.5.5.

- 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 6.5.14 (*How to find eigenvectors*).

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

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

Remark 6.5.6.

Some miscellaneous useful facts:

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

Finding generalized eigenvectors

todo

Diagonalizability

Remark 6.5.7.

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 6.5.8.

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

6.5.7 Useful Counterexamples

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

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

7 | Linear Algebra: Advanced Topics

7.1 Changing Basis

Proposition 7.1.1 (*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

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

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

7.2 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:

$$QQ^T = I \implies \text{The rows of } Q \text{ are orthogonal,}$$

$$Q^TQ = I \implies \text{The columns of } Q \text{ are orthogonal.}$$

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.

7.3 Projections

Remark 7.3.1.

A projection P induces a decomposition

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

Check! Domain or range..?

Distance from a point \mathbf{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 7.3.1 (*Projection onto range*).

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

Mnemonic:

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

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.

7.3.1 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

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

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 $\|\mathbf{r}(t)\|$.

7.3.2 Projection Onto a Subspace

In general, supposing one has a subspace $S = \text{span}\{\mathbf{y}_1, \mathbf{y}_2, \dots, \mathbf{y}_n\}$ 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

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

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

Letting $A = [\mathbf{y}_1, \mathbf{y}_2, \dots]$, 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

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

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

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} :

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

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.

7.3.3 Least Squares

Proposition 7.3.2 (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 \mathbf{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 $\mathbf{r}^\perp \text{im } A$. 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

$$\begin{aligned} A^T \mathbf{r} &= \mathbf{0} \\ \implies A^T (A\tilde{\mathbf{x}} - \mathbf{b}) &= \mathbf{0} \\ \implies A^T A \tilde{\mathbf{x}} &= A^T \mathbf{b}, \end{aligned}$$

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:

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

as well as the adjoint formula

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

From these, by letting $A = I$ we can derive

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

The derivation proceeds by solving the equation

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

7.4 Normal Forms

Remark 7.4.1.

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

7.5 Decompositions

7.5.1 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

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

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.

8 | Appendix: Lists of things to know

Textbook: Leon, *Linear Algebra with Applications*

8.1 Topics

- 1.6: Partition Matrices
- 3.5: Change of Basis
- 4.1: Linear Transformations
- 4.2: Matrix Representations
- 4.3: Similarity
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- 5.2: Orthogonal Subspaces
- 5.3: Least Squares
- 5.4: Inner Product Spaces
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- 6.7: Positive Definite Matrices
- 6.5: Singular Value Decomposition
- 7.7: The Moore-Penrose Pseudo-Inverse
 - *Final Exam*

8.2 Definitions

- System of equations
- Homogeneous system
- Consistent/inconsistent system
- Matrix
- Matrix (i.e. $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$)
- Inverse matrix
- Singular matrix
- Determinant
- Trace
- Rank
- Elementary row operation
- Row equivalence
- Pivot
- Row Echelon Form
- Reduced Row Echelon Form

- Gaussian elimination
- Block matrix
- Vector space
- Vector subspace
- Linear transformation
- Span
- Linear independence
- Basis
- Change of basis
- Dimension
- Row space
- Column space
- Image
- Null space
- Kernel
- Direct sum
- Projection
- Orthogonal subspaces
- Orthogonal complement
- Normal equations
- Least-squares solution
- Orthonormal
- Eigenvalue
- Eigenvector
- Characteristic polynomial
- Similarity
- Diagonalizable
- Inner product
- Bilinearity
- Multilinearity
- Defective
- Singular value decomposition
- QR factorization
- Gram-Schmidt process
- Spectral theorem
- Symmetric matrix
- Orthogonal matrix
- Positive-definite
- Quadratic form

8.3 Lower-division review

- Systems of linear equations
 - Consistent vs. Inconsistent
 - Possibilities for solutions
 - Geometric interpretation
- Matrix Inverses

- Detecting if a matrix is singular
 - Computing the inverse
 - ◊ Formula for 2x2 case
 - ◊ Augment with the identity
 - ◊ Cramer's Rule
- Vector Spaces
 - Definition in terms of closures
 - Span
 - Linear Independence
 - Subspace and the subspace test
 - Basis
- Common Computations
 - Reduction to RREF
 - Eigenvalues and eigenvectors
 - Basis for the column space
 - Basis for the nullspace
 - Basis for the eigenspace
 - Construct matrix from a given linear map
 - Construct change of basis matrix
 - Construct matrix projection onto subspace
 - Convert a basis to an orthonormal basis

8.4 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

8.5 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

9 | Ordinary Differential Equations

9.1 Techniques Overview

$$p(y)y' = q(x) \quad \text{separable}$$

$$y' + p(x)y = q(x) \quad \text{integrating factor}$$

$$y' = f(x, y), f(tx, ty) = f(x, y) \quad y = xV(x) \text{ COV reduces to separable}$$

$$y' + p(x)y = q(x)y^n \quad \text{Bernoulli, divide by } y^n \text{ and COV } u = y^{1-n}$$

$$M(x, y)dx + N(x, y)dy = 0 \quad M_y = N_x : \varphi(x, y) = c(\varphi_x = M, \varphi_y = N)$$

$$P(D)y = f(x, y) \quad x^k e^{rx} \text{ for each root}$$

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

9.2 Types of 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:

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

- ◇ 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:

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

- Exact:

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

$$\iff \frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial N}{\partial x}$$

- General solution:

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

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

- Cauchy Euler: #todo
- Bernoulli: todo

9.3 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

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

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

$$e^{(a \pm bi)x}, xe^{(a \pm bi)x}, \dots, x^{m_i-1}e^{(a \pm bi)x}$$

$$= e^{ax} \cos(bx), e^{ax} \sin(bx), xe^{ax} \cos(bx), xe^{ax} \sin(bx), \dots,$$

Example: by cases, second order equation of the form

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

- Two distinct roots: $c_1 e^{r_1 x} + c_2 e^{r_2 x}$ - One real root: $c_1 e^{rx} + c_2 x e^{rx}$ - Complex conjugates $\alpha \pm i\beta$: $e^{\alpha x}(c_1 \cos \beta x + c_2 \sin \beta x)$

9.4 Linear Inhomogeneous

General form:

$$y^{(n)} + c_{n-1}y^{(n-1)} + \cdots + c_2y'' + cy' + cy = F(x)$$

$$p(D)y = \prod (D - r_i)^{m_i} y = 0$$

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

9.4.1 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:

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

9.4.2 Variation of Parameters

todo

9.4.3 Reduction of Order

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9.5 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:

$$c_1 \mathbf{x}_1(t) + c_2 \mathbf{x}_2(t) + \cdots + c_n \mathbf{x}_n(t) = \mathbf{X}(t)\mathbf{c}$$

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

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

9.6 Laplace Transforms

Definitions:

$$H_a(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & 0 \leq t < a \\ 1, & t \geq a \end{cases}$$

$$\delta(t) : \int_{\mathbb{R}} \delta(t-a)f(t) dt = f(a), \quad \int_{\mathbb{R}} \delta(t-a) dt = 1$$

$$(f * g)(t) = \int_0^t f(t-s)g(s) ds$$

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

$t^n, n \in \mathbb{N}$	\iff	$n! \frac{1}{s^{n+1}}, \quad s > 0$
$t^{-\frac{1}{2}}$	\iff	$\sqrt{\pi} s^{-\frac{1}{2}}, \quad s > 0$
e^{at}	\iff	$\frac{1}{s-a}, \quad s > a$
$\cos(bt)$	\iff	$\frac{s}{s^2 + b^2}, \quad s > 0$
$\sin(bt)$	\iff	$\frac{b}{s^2 + b^2}, \quad s > 0$
$\delta(t-a)$	\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	$s^2L(f) - sf(0) - f'(0)$
$f^{(n)}(t)$	\iff	$s^nL(f) - \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} s^{n-1-i}f^{(i)}(0)$
$f(t)g(t)$	\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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$$P(D)y = f(x, y) \quad x^k e^{rx} \text{ for each root}$$

9.7 Systems of Differential Equations

Definition 9.7.1 (Wronskian).

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

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

The **Wronskian** of this collection is defined as

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

Proposition 9.7.1 (*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 9.1: $W \equiv 0$ 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 $L(y) = 0$.

10 | Algebra

This section is very sketchy!

10.1 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 i and each $1 \leq k_j \leq k_i$ 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 $Z_p \rtimes Z_{p^2}$.

◇ 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

10.2 Big List of Notation

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

10.3 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
- \mathbf{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
 - ◊ Of a group: $o(G) = |G|$, the cardinality of G
 - ◊ 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 $f : X \times G \rightarrow G$ satisfying
 - ◊ $x \in X, g_1, g_2 \in G \implies g_1.(g_2.x) = (g_1g_2).x$

- ◊ $x \in X \implies e.x = x$
 - Orbits partition any set
 - Transitive Action
 - Conjugacy Class: $C \subset G$ is a conjugacy class \iff
 - ◊ $x \in C, g \in G \implies gxg^{-1} \in C$
 - ◊ $x, y \in C \implies \exists g \in G : gxg^{-1} = y$
 - ◊ i.e. subsets that are closed under G acting on itself by conjugation and on which the action is transitive
 - ◊ i.e. orbits under the conjugation action
 - ◊ 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: $0 \trianglelefteq H_0 \trianglelefteq H_1 \cdots \trianglelefteq G$
 - 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
 - $\varphi(e) = e$
 - $|g| = m < \infty \implies |\varphi(g)| = m$
 - Inverses, i.e. $\varphi(a)^{-1} = \varphi(a^{-1})$
 - $H < G \implies \varphi(H) < G'$
 - ◊ $H' < G' \implies \varphi^{-1}(H') < G$
 - $|G| < \infty \implies \varphi(G)$ divides $|G|, |G'|$

10.4 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

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

- 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: \mathbf{Q}
 - $G/Z(G) \cong \text{Inn}(G)$
 - $H, K < G$ with $H \cong K \not\implies G/H \cong G/K$
 - ◊ Counterexample: $G = \mathbb{Z}_4 \times \mathbb{Z}_2, H = \langle (0, 1) \rangle, K = \langle (2, 0) \rangle$. 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 $\varphi : A \twoheadrightarrow B$ 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

10.4.1 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 $H = \langle a^{\frac{n}{d}} \rangle$

10.4.2 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
 - odd \circ odd = even
 - even \circ odd = odd

10.5 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:

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- 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
- ◇ 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?

11 | Number Theory

11.1 Notation and Basic Definitions

$$(a, b) := \gcd(a, b)$$

the greatest common divisor

$$\mathbb{Z}_n$$

the ring of integers mod n

$$\mathbb{Z}_n^\times$$

the group of units mod n .

Definition 11.1.1 (Multiplicative Functions).

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

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

11.2 Big Theorems

Link to theorems.

11.3 Primes

Theorem 11.3.1 (*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 11.3.1.

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

11.4 Divisibility

Definition 11.4.1 (Divisibility).

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

11.4.1 gcd, lcm

Remark 11.4.1.

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

Check

Proposition 11.4.1 (*Relationship between gcd and lcm*).

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

Proposition 11.4.2 (?).

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

$$\begin{aligned} \gcd(x, y) &= d \cdot \gcd\left(\frac{x}{d}, \frac{y}{d}\right) \\ \text{lcm}(x, y) &= d \cdot \text{lcm}\left(\frac{x}{d}, \frac{y}{d}\right) \end{aligned}$$

Check

Proposition 11.4.3 (*Useful properties of gcd*).

$$\gcd(x, y, z) = \gcd(\gcd(x, y), z)$$

$$\gcd(x, y) = \gcd(x \bmod y, y)$$

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

11.4.2 The Euclidean Algorithm

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

Example of Euclidean algorithm,

11.5 Modular Arithmetic

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

Theorem 11.5.1 (*The Chinese Remainder Theorem*).

The system

$$x \equiv a_1 \pmod{m_1}$$

$$x \equiv a_2 \pmod{m_2}$$

$$\vdots$$

$$x \equiv a_r \pmod{m_r}$$

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

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

Theorem 11.5.2 (*Euler's Theorem*).

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

Theorem 11.5.3 (*Fermat's Little Theorem*).

$$x^p \equiv x \pmod{p}$$

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

11.5.1 Diophantine Equations**Proposition 11.5.1** (*Solutions to linear Diophantine equations*).Consider $ax + by = c$. This has solutions iff $c \equiv 0 \pmod{(a,b)} \iff \gcd(a,b)$ divides c .

How to obtain solutions.

11.5.2 Computations**Proposition 11.5.2** (?).If $x \equiv 0 \pmod{n}$, then $x \equiv 0 \pmod{p^k}$ for all p^k appearing in the prime factorization of n .**Remark 11.5.1.**If there are factors of the modulus in the equation, peel them off with addition, using the fact that $nk \equiv 0 \pmod{n}$.

$$\begin{aligned} x &\equiv nk + r \pmod{n} \\ &\equiv r \pmod{n} \end{aligned}$$

So take $x = 463, n = 4$, then use $463 = 4 \cdot 115 + 3$ to write

$$\begin{aligned} 463 &\equiv y \pmod{4} \\ \implies 4 \cdot 115 + 3 &\equiv y \pmod{4} \\ \implies 3 &\equiv y \pmod{4}. \end{aligned}$$

Proposition 11.5.3 (*Repeated square/fast exponentiation*).For any n ,

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

Example 11.5.1 (?).

$$\begin{aligned} 2^{25} &\equiv (2^5 \pmod{5})^5 \pmod{5} \\ &\equiv 2^5 \pmod{5} \\ &\equiv 2 \pmod{5} \end{aligned}$$

Remark 11.5.2.Make things easier with negatives! For example, $\pmod{5}$,

$$\begin{aligned} 4^{25} &\equiv (-1)^{25} \pmod{5} \\ &\equiv (-1) \pmod{5} \\ &\equiv 4 \pmod{5} \end{aligned}$$

11.5.3 Invertibility**Proposition 11.5.4** (*Reduction of modulus*).

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

Proposition 11.5.5 (*Characterization of invertibility*).

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

and thus

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

and $|\mathbb{Z}_n^\times| = \varphi(n)$.**Example 11.5.2** (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

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

11.6 The Totient Function**Definition 11.6.1** (Euler's Totient Function).

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

Example 11.6.1 (?).

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

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

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

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

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

Proposition 11.6.1 (*Formulas involving the totient*).

$$\begin{aligned}
\varphi(p) &= p - 1 \\
\varphi(p^k) &= p^{k-1}(p - 1) \\
\varphi(n) &= n \prod_{i=1}^? \left(1 - \frac{1}{p_i}\right) \\
n &= \sum_{d \mid n} \varphi(d)
\end{aligned}$$

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. $\{p, p^2, \dots, p^{k-1}\}$ 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:

$$\begin{aligned}
\varphi(n) &= \varphi\left(\prod_i p_i^{k_i}\right) \\
&= \prod_i p_i^{k_i-1}(p_i - 1) \\
&= n \left(\frac{\prod_i (p_i - 1)}{\prod_i p_i}\right) \\
&= n \prod_i \left(1 - \frac{1}{p_i}\right)
\end{aligned}$$

\todo[inline]{Check and explain}

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11.7 Quadratic Residues

Definition 11.7.1 (Quadratic Residue).

x is a **quadratic residue** mod n iff there exists an a such that $a^2 = x \pmod{n}$.

Proposition 11.7.1(?).

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

Proposition 11.7.2(?).

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

Definition 11.7.2 (The Jacobi Symbols).

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Definition 11.7.3 (The Legendre Symbol).

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11.8 Primality Tests

Proposition 11.8.1 (*Fermat Primality Test*).

If n is prime, then

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

Proposition 11.8.2 (*Miller-Rabin Primality Test*).

n is prime iff

$$x^2 = 1 \pmod{n} \implies x = \pm 1$$

11.9 Sequences in Metric Spaces

Theorem 11.9.1 (*Bolzano-Weierstrass*).

Every bounded sequence has a convergent subsequence.

Theorem 11.9.2 (*Heine-Borel*).

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

Remark 11.9.1.

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 11.9.1 (*Converse of Heine-Borel*).

Converse holds iff bounded is replaced with totally bounded

12 | Sequences

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

12.1 Known Examples

- Known sequences: let c be a constant.

$$c, c^2, c^3, \dots = \{c^n\}_{n=1}^{\infty} \rightarrow 0 \quad \forall |c| < 1$$

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

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

12.2 Convergence

Definition 12.2.1 (Convergence of a Sequence).

A sequence $\{x_j\}$ **converges** to L iff

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

Theorem 12.2.1 (*Squeeze Theorem*).

$$b_n \leq a_n \leq c_n \text{ and } b_n, c_n \rightarrow L \implies a_n \rightarrow L$$

Theorem 12.2.2 (*Monotone Convergence Theorem for Sequences*).

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

Theorem 12.2.3 (*Cauchy Criteria*).

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

12.2.1 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.
 - \diamond E.g. Divide all terms by n before taking limit
 - \diamond Clear denominators

13 | Sums (“Series”)

Definition 13.0.1 (Series).

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

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

13.1 Known Examples

13.1.1 Conditionally Convergent

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k^p < \infty \quad \Longleftrightarrow \quad p \leq 1$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k^p} < \infty \quad \Longleftrightarrow \quad p > 1$$

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

13.1.2 Convergent

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

13.1.3 Divergent

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

13.2 Convergence

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

Definition 13.2.1 (Absolutely Convergent).

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Remark 13.2.1.

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

Proposition 13.2.1(?).

Absolute convergence \implies convergence

Proposition 13.2.2 (*The Cauchy Criterion*).

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

13.2.1 The Big Tests

Theorem 13.2.1 (*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 13.2.2 (*Ratio Test*).

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

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

Theorem 13.2.3 (Root Test).

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

- $R < 1$: convergent - $R > 1$: divergent - $R = 1$: inconclusive**Theorem 13.2.4 (Integral Test).**

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

Theorem 13.2.5 (Limit Test).

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

Theorem 13.2.6 (Alternating Series Test).

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

Theorem 13.2.7 (Weierstrass M-Test).

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

In other words, the series converges uniformly.

Slogan: Convergence of the sup norms implies uniform convergence"

Remark 13.2.2.The M in the name comes from defining $\sup \{f_k(x)\} := M_n$ and requiring $\sum |M_n| < \infty$.**13.2.2 Checklist**

- Do the terms tend to zero?
 - $a_i \not\rightarrow 0 \implies \sum a_i = \infty$.
 - ◊ Can check with L'Hopital's rule
- There are exactly 6 tests at our disposal:
 - Comparison, root, ratio, integral, limit, alternating
- Is the series alternating?
 - If so, does $a_n \downarrow 0$?
 - ◊ 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 $p \leq 1$, i.e. $\infty = \sum \frac{1}{n^p} \leq \sum a_i$
- Are the ratios strictly less than or greater than 1?
 - $< 1 \implies$ **convergent**
 - $> 1 \implies$ **convergent**
- Does the integral analogue converge?
 - Integral converges \iff sum converges
- 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 $\sqrt[p(x)]{p(x)}$: comparison or limit test

13.3 Radius of Convergence

Proposition 13.3.1 (*Finding the radius of convergence*).

Use the fact that

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

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

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

Remark 13.3.1.

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

14 | Real Analysis

14.1 Notation

Definition 14.1.1 (Continuously Differentiable).

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

Conventions:

- *Integrable* means *Riemann integrable*.

f	a functional $\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
\mathbf{f}	a function $\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$
A, E, U, V	open sets
A'	the limit points of A
\bar{A}	the closure of A
$A^\circ := A \setminus A'$	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 $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
$\{f_n\}$	a sequence of functions
$\{x_n\}$	a sequence of real numbers
$f_n \rightarrow f$	pointwise convergence
$f_n \Rightarrow f$	uniform convergence
$x_n \nearrow x$	$x_i \leq x_j$ and x_j converges to x
$x_n \searrow x$	$x_i \geq x_j$ and x_j converges to x
$\sum_{k \in \mathbb{N}} f_k$	a series
$D(f)$	the set of discontinuities of f .

14.2 Big Ideas

Summary for GRE:

- Limits,
- Continuity,
- 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 14.2.1 (*Generalized Mean Value Theorem*).

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

Corollary 14.2.1 (*Mean Value Theorem*).

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14.3 Important Examples

14.4 Limits

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14.5 Commuting Limits

- Suppose $f_n \rightarrow f$ (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?

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

Answer: Sort of (but possibly not).

Counterexample:

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

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?

$$\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial x}, \lim_{x_i \rightarrow x}\right] : \quad \lim_{x_i \rightarrow x} f'(x_i) \stackrel{?}{=} f'(\lim_{x_i \rightarrow x} x)$$

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?

$$\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial x}, \lim_{f_n \rightarrow f}\right] : \quad \lim_{f_n \rightarrow f} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f_n(x) \stackrel{?}{=} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \lim_{f_n \rightarrow f} f_n(x)$$

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

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

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

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

$$\left[\int dx, \lim_{f_n \rightarrow f}\right](f) : \quad \lim_{f_n \rightarrow f} \int f_n(x) dx \stackrel{?}{=} \int \lim_{f_n \rightarrow f} f_n(x) dx$$

Answer: No.

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

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

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?

$$\left[\int dx, \lim_{x_i \rightarrow x} \right] : \quad \lim_{x_i \rightarrow x} F(x_i) \stackrel{?}{=} F(\lim_{x_i \rightarrow x} x_i)$$

Answer: Yes.

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

$$|f(x)| < M \implies \left| \int_c^x f(t) dt \right| < \int_c^x M dt \implies |F(x) - F(c)| < M(b-a) \rightarrow 0$$

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

$$\left[\lim_{x_i \rightarrow x}, \lim_{f_n \rightarrow f} \right] : \quad \lim_{f_n \rightarrow f} \lim_{x_i \rightarrow x} f(x_i) \stackrel{?}{=} \lim_{x_i \rightarrow x} \lim_{f_n \rightarrow f} f_n(x_i)$$

Answer: No.

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

Sufficient Condition: $f_n \Rightarrow f$

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

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

Answer: No.

Counterexample: $f_n(x) = \frac{\sin(nx)}{\sqrt{n}} \Rightarrow 0 := f$, but $f'_n = \sqrt{n} \cos(nx) \not\rightarrow 0 = f'$ (at, say, $x = 0$)

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

14.6 Continuity

Definition 14.6.1 (Limit definition of continuity).

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

Definition 14.6.2 (ε - δ definition of continuity).

$$f : (X, d_X) \rightarrow (Y, d_Y) \text{ continuous} \iff \forall \varepsilon, \exists \delta \mid d_X(x, y) < \delta \implies d_Y(f(x), f(y)) < \varepsilon$$

Example 14.6.1 (A nonobviously discontinuous function).

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

Proof (?).

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Example 14.6.2 (The Dirichlet function).

The Dirichlet function is nowhere continuous:

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

Proposition 14.6.1 (*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 $|S| \leq 1 + 2 + \cdots (n-1)$, so choose $\delta = \min_{s \in S} |s - x_0|$
- Then

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

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

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

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Remark 14.6.1.

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

Definition 14.6.3 (Uniform Continuity).

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Definition 14.6.4 (Absolute Continuity).

Theorem 14.6.1 (*Extreme Value Theorem*).

A continuous function on a compact space attains its extrema.

14.6.1 Lipschitz Continuity

14.7 Differentiability

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

- 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:

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

14.7.1 Properties, strongest to weakest

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

- Example showing $f \in C^0 \not\Rightarrow f$ is differentiable **and** f not differentiable $\not\Rightarrow f \notin C^0$.
 - Take $f(x) = |x|$ at $x = 0$.
- Example showing that f differentiable $\not\Rightarrow f \in C^1$:
 - 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 $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f'(x)$ does not exist and thus f' is not continuous at zero.

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

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

14.8 Giant Table of Relations

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

f'	f	$\therefore f$	F
exists	continuous	K-integrable	exists
continuous	differentiable	continuous	exists
exists	integrable	continuous	differentiable

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 $\not\Rightarrow f$ integrable. Necessity of compactness:

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

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

14.9 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 14.9.1 (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 $p \in [a, b]$,

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

Proposition 14.9.1.

The Dirichlet function is Lebesgue integrable but not Riemann integrable:

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

Proof (?).

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14.10 List of Free Conclusions:

- f integrable on $U \implies$:
 - 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

14.11 Convergence

14.11.1 Sequences and Series of Functions

Definition 14.11.1 (Convergence of an infinite series).

Define

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

and

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

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

Proposition 14.11.1(?).

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

Proposition 14.11.2(?).

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

14.11.2 Pointwise convergence

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

Summary:

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

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

Proposition 14.11.3(?).

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

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

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Proposition 14.11.4 (*A pointwise limit of continuous functions is not necessarily continuous.*).

$$f_n \text{ continuous} \not\Rightarrow f := \lim_n f_n \text{ is continuous.}$$

Proof (?).

Take

$$f_n(x) = x^n, \quad f_n(x) \rightarrow \mathbb{1}_{[0,1]}(x).$$

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Proposition 14.11.5 (*The limit of derivatives need not equal the derivative of the limit.*).

$$\begin{aligned} f_n \text{ differentiable} &\not\Rightarrow f'_n \text{ converges} \\ f'_n \text{ converges} &\not\Rightarrow \lim f'_n = f'. \end{aligned}$$

Proof (?).

Take

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

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Proposition 14.11.6 (?).

$$f_n \in \mathcal{R}_I \not\Rightarrow \lim_{f_n \rightarrow f} \int_I f_n \neq \int_I \lim_{f_n \rightarrow f} f_n.$$

Proof (?).

May fail to converge to same value, take

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

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14.11.3 Uniform Convergence

Notation:

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

Summary:

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

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

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

“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 :

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

– $(B(X, Y), \|\cdot\|_{\infty})$ is a metric space and $f_n \Rightarrow f \iff \|f_n - f\|_{\infty} \rightarrow 0$ (where $B(X, Y)$ are bounded functions from X to Y and $\|f\|_{\infty} = \sup_{x \in I} \{f(x)\}$)

- $f_n \Rightarrow f \implies f_n \rightarrow f$ pointwise
- f_n continuous $\implies f$ continuous
 - i.e. “the uniform limit of continuous functions is continuous”
- $f_n \in C^1$, $\exists x_0 : f_n(x_0) \rightarrow f(x_0)$, and $f'_n \Rightarrow g \implies f$ differentiable and $f' = g$ (i.e. $f'_n \rightarrow f'$)
 - Necessity of C^1 – look at failures of f'_n to be continuous:
 - ◇ Take $f_n(x) = \sqrt{\frac{1}{n^2} + x^2} \Rightarrow |x|$, not differentiable
 - ◇ Take $f_n(x) = n^{-\frac{1}{2}} \sin(nx) \Rightarrow 0$ but $f'_n \not\Rightarrow f' = 0$ and $f' \neq g$
- f_n integrable $\implies f$ integrable and $\int f_n \rightarrow \int f$
- f_n bounded $\implies f$ bounded
- $f_n \Rightarrow f_n \not\Rightarrow f'_n$ converges
 - Says nothing about it general
- $f'_n \Rightarrow f' \not\Rightarrow f_n \Rightarrow f$
 - Unless f converges at one or more points.

Proposition 14.11.7 (*All subsequences of a convergent sequence share a limit*).
 $\{x_i\} \rightarrow p \implies$ every subsequence also converges to p .

Definition 14.11.2 (Cauchy Sequence).

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Proposition 14.11.8(?).

Every convergent sequence in X is a Cauchy sequence.

Remark 14.11.1.

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 14.11.2.

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

Definition 14.11.3 (Metric).

$d(x, y) \geq 0$	Positive
$d(x, y) = 0 \iff x = y$	Nondegenerate
$d(x, y) = d(y, x)$	Symmetric
$d(x, y) \leq d(x, p) + d(p, y) \quad \forall p$	Triangle Inequality.

Definition 14.11.4 (Complete).

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Definition 14.11.5 (Bounded).

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14.12 Topology

Definition 14.12.1 (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 14.12.1.

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

test against these first!

Remark 14.12.2.

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

Proposition 14.12.1(?)

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 $p_0 < p_1 < \dots$, can be written

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

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Proposition 14.12.2(?)

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 14.12.3(?)

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

Proposition 14.12.4(?)

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

Remark 14.12.3.

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 14.12.5(?)

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

Definition 14.12.2 (Sequential Compactness).

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

Proposition 14.12.6 (Compactness and sequential compactness).

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

Remark 14.12.4.

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

14.13 Counterexamples**Proposition 14.13.1 (?).**

There are functions differentiable only at a single point. Example:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 & x \in \mathbb{Q} \\ -x^2 & x \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q} \end{cases}.$$

This is discontinuous everywhere except for $x = 0$, and you can compute

$$\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} \Big|_{x=0} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \begin{cases} h & x \in \mathbb{Q} \\ -h & x \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \mathbb{Q} \end{cases} = 0.$$

Proposition 14.13.2 (?).

The product of two non-differentiable functions can be differentiable: take $f(x) = g(x) = |x|$ which are not differentiable at $x = 0$, then $fg(x) = |x|^2$ is differentiable at $x = 0$.

Proposition 14.13.3 (?).

A continuous function that is zero on a dense set $A \subset X$ is identically zero.

Proof (?).

Since A is dense, for any $x \in X \setminus A$ take a sequence $\{x_n\}$ in A converging to x . Then $0 = f(x_n) \rightarrow f(x)$ implies $f(x) = 0$.

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15 | Point-Set Topology

15.1 Definitions

Bring in Rudin's list

- Epsilon-neighborhood
 - $N_r(p) = \{q \mid d_X(p, q) < r\}$
- 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
 - $\forall x, y \in X \exists f : I \rightarrow X \mid f(0) = x, f(1) = y$
 - Path connected \implies connected
- Simply Connected
- Totally Disconnected
- Hausdorff

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

Example 15.1.1 (?).

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.

16 | Probability

16.1 Definitions

$$L^2(X) = \left\{ f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R} : \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(x) dx < \infty \right\} \quad \text{square integrable functions}$$

$$\langle g, f \rangle_2 = \int_{\mathbb{R}} g(x)f(x) dx \quad \text{the } L^2 \text{ inner product}$$

$$\|f\|_2^2 = \langle f, f \rangle = \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(x)^2 dx \quad \text{norm}$$

$$E[\cdot] = \langle \cdot, f \rangle \quad \text{expectation}$$

$$(\tau_p f)(x) = f(p - x) \quad \text{translation}$$

$$(f * g)(p) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(t)g(p - t) dt = \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(t)(T_p g)(t) dt = \langle T_p g, f \rangle \quad \text{convolution}$$

Definition 16.1.1 (Random Variable).

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

Definition 16.1.2 (Probability Density Function (PDF)).

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

$$\begin{aligned} P(X \in U) &= \int_U f(x) dx \\ \implies P(a \leq X \leq b) &= \int_a^b f(x) dx \end{aligned}$$

Definition 16.1.3 (Cumulative Distribution Function (CDF)).
The antiderivative of the PDF

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

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

Definition 16.1.4 (Mean/Expected Value).

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

Also denoted μ_X .

Proposition 16.1.1 (*Linearity of Expectation*).

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

Does not matter whether or not the X_i are independent.

Definition 16.1.5 (Variance).

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Var}(X) &= E[(X - E[X])^2] \\ &= \int (x - E[X])^2 f(x) \, dx \\ &= E[X^2] - E[X]^2 \\ &:= \sigma^2(X) \end{aligned}$$

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

???

Proposition 16.1.2 (*Properties of Variance*).

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Var}(aX + b) &= a^2 \text{Var}(X) \\ \text{Var} \left(\sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} X_i \right) &= \sum_i \text{Var}(X_i) + 2 \sum_{i < j} \text{Cov}(X_i, X_j). \end{aligned}$$

Definition 16.1.6 (Covariance).

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Cov}(X, Y) &= E[(X - \mu_X)(Y - \mu_Y)] \\ &= E[XY] - E[X]E[Y]\end{aligned}$$

Proposition 16.1.3 (*Properties of Covariance*).

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Cov}(X, X) &= \text{Var}(X) \\ \text{Cov}(aX, Y) &= a\text{Cov}(X, Y) \\ \text{Cov}\left(\sum_{\mathbb{N}} X_i, \sum_{\mathbb{N}} Y_j\right) &= \sum_i \sum_j \text{Cov}(X_i, Y_j)\end{aligned}$$

Proposition 16.1.4 (*Stirling's Approximation*).

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

Proposition 16.1.5 (*Markov Inequality*).

$$P(X \geq a) \leq \frac{1}{a} E[X]$$

One-sided Markov:

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

Proposition 16.1.6 (*Chebyshev's Inequality*).

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

Proof (?).

Apply Markov to the variable $(X - \mu)^2$ and $a = k^2$

■

Theorem 16.1.1 (*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 16.1.2 (*Strong Law of Large Numbers*).

$$P\left(\frac{1}{n} \sum X_i \rightarrow \mu\right) = 1.$$

Proposition 16.1.7 (*Chernoff Bounds*).

For all $t > 0$,

$$P(X \in N_\varepsilon(a)^c) \leq 2e^{-at} M_X(t)$$

Proposition 16.1.8 (*Jensen's Inequality*).

$$E[f(X)] \geq f(E[X])$$

Definition 16.1.7 (Entropy).

$$H(X) = - \sum p_i \ln p_i$$

16.2 Theory and Background

Definition 16.2.1 (Axioms for a Probability Space).

Given a sample space Σ with events S , 1. $\mu(\Sigma) = 1$ 1. Yields $S \in \Sigma \implies 0 \leq P(S) \leq 1$ 2. For mutually exclusive events, $P(\cup_{\mathbb{N}} S_i) = \sum_{\mathbb{N}} P(S_i)$ 1. Yields $P(\emptyset) = 0$

Proposition 16.2.1 (*Properties that follow from axioms*).

- $P(S^c) = 1 - P(S)$
- $E \subseteq F \implies P(E) \leq P(F)$
- 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 16.2.2 (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 16.2.1 (*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 16.2.3 (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 16.2.4 (Independence).

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B)$$

Proposition 16.2.2 (*Change of Variables for PDFs*).

If g is differentiable and monotonic and $Y = g(X)$, then

$$f_Y(y) = \begin{cases} (f_X \circ g^{-1})(y) \left| \frac{\partial}{\partial y} g^{-1}(y) \right| & y \in \text{im}(g) \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

Proposition 16.2.3 (*PDF for a sum of independent random variables*).

$$f_{X+Y} = (f_X * f_Y)$$

16.3 Distributions

Let X be a random variable, and f be its probability density function satisfying $f(k) = P(X = k)$

16.3.1 Uniform

- Consider an event with n mutually exclusive outcomes of equal probability, and let $X \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ denote which outcome occurs. Then,

$$\begin{aligned}f(k) &= \frac{1}{n} \\ \mu &= \frac{n}{2} \\ \sigma^2 &= a\end{aligned}$$

- Examples:
 - Dice rolls where $n = 6$.
 - Fair coin toss where $n = 2$.
- Continuous: $\mu = (1/2)(b + a), \sigma^2 = (1/12)(b - a)^2$

16.3.2 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,

$$\begin{aligned}f(k) &= \begin{cases} 1 - p, & k = 0 \\ p, & k = 1 \end{cases} \\ \mu &= p \\ \sigma^2 &= p(1 - p)\end{aligned}$$

- Examples: - A weighted coin with $P(\text{Heads}) = p$

16.3.3 Binomial

- Consider a sequence of independent Bernoulli trials, let $X \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ denote the number of successes occurring in n trials. Then,

$$\begin{aligned}f(k) &= \binom{n}{k} p^k (1 - p)^{n-k} \\ \mu &= np \\ \sigma^2 &= np(1 - p)\end{aligned}$$

- Examples:
 - A sequence of coin flips and the numbers of total heads occurring.

16.3.4 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,

$$\begin{aligned}f(k) &= \frac{\lambda^k}{k!} e^{-\lambda} \\ \mu &= \lambda \\ \sigma^2 &= \lambda^2\end{aligned}$$

- Approximates binomial when $n \gg 1$ and $p \ll 1$ by using $\lambda = np$

16.3.5 Negative Binomial

- $B^-(r, p)$: similar to binomial, where X is the number of trials it takes to accumulate r successes

$$\begin{aligned}f(k) &= \binom{k-1}{r-1} p^r (1-p)^{k-r} \\ \mu &= \frac{r}{p} \\ \sigma^2 &= \frac{r(1-p)}{p^2}\end{aligned}$$

16.3.6 Geometric

- Consider a sequence of independent Bernoulli trials, let $X \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ where $X = k$ denotes the first success happening on the k -th trial. Then,

$$\begin{aligned}f(k) &= (1-p)^{k-1} p \\ \mu &= \frac{1}{p} \\ \sigma^2 &= \frac{1-p}{p^2}\end{aligned}$$

- Note this is equal to $B^-(1, p)$
- Examples:
 - A sequence of coin flips and the number of flips before the first heads appears.

16.3.7 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:

$$\begin{aligned}f(k) &= \binom{m}{k} \binom{n-m}{s-k} \binom{n}{s}^{-1} \\ \mu &= \frac{ms}{n} \\ \sigma^2 &= \frac{ms}{n} \left(1 - \frac{m}{n}\right) \left(1 - \frac{s-1}{n-1}\right)\end{aligned}$$

16.3.8 Normal

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

z	$\Phi(z)$
0	0.5
1	0.69
1.5	0.84
2	0.93
2.5	0.97
> 3	0.99

16.4 Table of Distributions

Table: let $q = 1 - p$.

Distribution $f(x)$	μ	$\sigma^2 M(t)$
$B(n, p) \binom{n}{x} p^x q^{n-x}$	np	$npq(pe^t + q)^n$
$P(\lambda) \frac{\lambda^x}{x!} e^{-\lambda}$	λ	$\lambda e^{\lambda(e^t - 1)}$
$G(p) q^{x-1} p$	$\frac{1}{p}$	$\frac{q}{p^2} \frac{pe^t}{1 - qe^t}$
$B^-(r, p) \binom{n-1}{r-1} p^r q^{n-r}$	$\frac{r}{p}$	$\frac{rq}{p^2} \left(\frac{pe^t}{1 - qe^t} \right)^r$
$U(a, b) \mathbb{1}[a \leq x \leq b] \frac{1}{b-a}$	$\frac{1}{2}(a+b)$	$\frac{1}{12}(b-a)^2 \frac{e^{tb} - e^{ta}}{t(b-a)}$
$Exp(\lambda) \mathbb{1}[0 \leq x] \lambda e^{-\lambda x}$	$\frac{1}{\lambda}$	$\frac{1}{\lambda^2} \frac{\lambda}{\lambda - t}$
$\Gamma(s, \lambda) \mathbb{1}[0 \leq x] \frac{\lambda e^{-\lambda x} (\lambda x)^{s-1}}{\Gamma(s)}$	$\frac{s}{\lambda}$	$\frac{s}{\lambda^2} \left(\frac{\lambda}{\lambda - t} \right)^s$
$N(\mu, \sigma^2) \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$	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

$$Z = \begin{cases} X, & X = 1 \\ Y, & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

then $|Z| = |\mathbb{R}|$ so Z is not discrete, but $P(X = 1) = \frac{1}{2} \neq 0$ so Z is not continuous. Definition:

$$\int_a^b g(x) dF(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^n g(x_i) (F(x_i) - F(x_{i-1})).$$

16.5 Common Problems

- Birthday Paradox
- Coupon Collectors
 - Given $X = \{1, \dots, n\}$, what is the expected number of draws until all n outcomes are seen?

16.6 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 16.6.1 (The Gamma Function).

$$\Gamma(x+1) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^+} e^{-t} t^x dt.$$

Integrate by parts to obtain functional relation $\Gamma(x+1) = x\Gamma(x)$

Proposition 16.6.1 (*Boole's Inequality*).

$$P(\cup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} A_i) \leq \sum_{i \in \mathbb{N}} P(A_i)$$

- For any function $f : X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, there is a lower bound: $\max_{x \in X} f(x) \geq E[f(x)]$

Definition 16.6.2 (Moment Generating Functions).

Define

$$M(t) = E[e^{Xt}]$$

- 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,

17 | Combinatorics

17.1 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
$\binom{n}{m_1, m_2, \dots, m_k} = \frac{n!}{\prod_{i=1}^k m_i!}$	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:

$$(x_1 + x_2 + \cdots + x_k)^n = \sum_{\substack{m_1, m_2, \dots, m_k \\ \sum m_i = n}} \binom{n}{m_1, m_2, \dots, m_k} x_1^{m_1} x_2^{m_2} \cdots x_k^{m_k}$$

which contains $\binom{n+r-1}{r-1}$ terms.

Inclusion-Exclusion:

$$\begin{aligned} |\cup_{i=1}^n A_i| &= \sum_i |A_i| - \sum_{i_1 < i_2} \binom{n}{2} |A_{i_1} \cap A_{i_2}| + \sum_{i_1 < i_2 < i_3} \binom{n}{3} |A_{i_1} \cap A_{i_2} \cap A_{i_3}| + \cdots + (-1)^{n+1} |\cap_{i=1}^n A_i| \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^n \sum_{i_1 < \cdots < i_k} (-1)^{k+1} \left| \cap_{j=1}^k A_{i_j} \right| \end{aligned}$$

17.2 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 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: $\left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ k \end{matrix} \right\}$

- Counts the number of ways to partition a set N into k non-empty subsets S_i (i.e. such that $S_i \cap S_j = \emptyset$, $\coprod_{i=1}^k S_i = N$)

- Recurrence relation:

$$\left\{ \begin{matrix} n+1 \\ k \end{matrix} \right\} = k \left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ k \end{matrix} \right\} + \left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ k-1 \end{matrix} \right\}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{matrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{matrix} \right\} = 1, \quad \left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ 0 \end{matrix} \right\} = \left\{ \begin{matrix} 0 \\ n \end{matrix} \right\} = 0$$

- Explicit formula: $\left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ k \end{matrix} \right\} = \frac{1}{k!} \sum_{i=0}^k (-1)^{k-i} \binom{k}{i} i^n$

- $B_n = \sum_{i=0}^n \left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ i \end{matrix} \right\}$

- 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 $0 < k_i \leq n$, 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.

◇ 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

17.2.1 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

17.2.2 The Twelfold Way

Consider a function $f : N \rightarrow K$ 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	$k^{\underline{n}}$	$k! \left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ k \end{matrix} \right\}$
$f \circ \sigma_N$		$\binom{n+k-1}{n}$	$\binom{k}{n}$	$\binom{n-1}{n-k}$
$\sigma_X \circ f$		$\sum_{i=0}^k \left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ i \end{matrix} \right\}$	$\mathbb{1}[n \leq k]$	$\left\{ \begin{matrix} n \\ k \end{matrix} \right\}$
$\sigma_X \circ f \circ \sigma_N$		$p_k(n+k)$	$\mathbb{1}[n \leq k]$	$p_k(n)$

In words (todo: explain)

Perm. / Rest.	—	Injective	Surjective
—	A sequence of any n elements of K	Sequences of n <i>distinct</i> 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
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.

18 | Complex Analysis

- $\lim_{z \rightarrow z_0} f(z) = x_0 + iy_0$ iff the component functions limit to x_0 and y_0 respectively. Moreover, both ways are equal!

Notation: $z = a + ib, f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$

18.1 Useful Equations and Definitions

$$\begin{aligned}|z| &= \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \\ |z|^2 &= z\bar{z} = a^2 + b^2 \\ \frac{z\bar{z}}{|z|^2} &= \frac{(a+ib)(a-ib)}{a^2 + b^2} = 1 \\ \frac{1}{z} &= \frac{\bar{z}}{|z|^2} = \frac{a-ib}{a^2 + b^2} \\ e^{zx} &= e^{(a+ib)x} = e^{ax}(\cos(bx) + i\sin(bx)) \\ x^z &:= e^{z \ln x} \\ \text{Log}(z) &= \ln|z| + i \text{Arg}(z) \\ \cos z &= \frac{1}{2}(e^{iz} + e^{-iz}) \\ \sin z &= \frac{1}{2i}(e^{iz} - e^{-iz}) \\ (x-z)(x-\bar{z}) &= x^2 - 2\mathcal{R}[z]x + (a^2 + b^2) \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial z} &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} - i \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{z}} &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + i \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right)\end{aligned}$$

18.2 Complex Arithmetic and Calculus

- n -th roots:

$$e^{\frac{ki}{2\pi n}}, \quad k = 1, 2, \dots, n-1$$

18.2.1 Complex Differentiability

$$z' = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(z+h) - f(z)}{h}$$

- A complex function that is not differentiable at a point: $f(z) = z/\bar{z}$ at $z = 0$

- Cauchy-Riemann Equations

$$u_x = v_y \quad u_y = -v_x$$

- Alternatively:
 - $\frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{f}} \bar{z} = 0$
 - $\langle \nabla u, \nabla v \rangle = 0$
 - $\Delta u = \Delta v = 0$ (both components are harmonic)

18.3 Complex Integrals

The main theorem:

$$\oint_C f(z) dz = 2\pi i \sum_k \text{Res}(f, z_k)$$

Computing residues:

$$\text{Res}(f, c) = \frac{1}{(n-1)!} \lim_{z \rightarrow c} \frac{d^{n-1}}{dz^{n-1}} ((z-c)^n f(z))$$

$$f(z) = \frac{g(z)}{h(z)} \implies \text{Res}(f, c) = \frac{g(c)}{h'(c)}$$

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

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -\frac{1}{2}x^2 & x < 0 \\ \frac{1}{2}x^2 & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

19 | Common Mistakes

$$-x^{-2} \neq \int x^{-1} = \int \frac{1}{x} = \ln x$$

$$\frac{1}{x} \neq \int \ln x = x \ln x - x$$

$$\int x^{-k} = \frac{1}{-k+1} x^{-k+1} \neq \frac{1}{-(k+1)} x^{-(k+1)}$$

$$\text{e.g. } \int x^{-2} = -x^{-1} \neq -\frac{1}{3} x^{-3} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{n}{n+1} = 1 \neq 0$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} a^x = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} e^{x \ln a} = e^{x \ln a} \ln a = a^x \ln a.$$

Exponentials: when in doubt, write $a^b = e^{b \ln a}$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} x^{f(x)} = ?$$

$$\sum x^k = \frac{1}{1-x} \neq \frac{1}{1+x} = \sum (-1)^k x^k$$

20 | Appendix 1

20.1 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 $a(x), b(x) \in C^1, a(x), b(x) \in C_1$.
- If a, b are constant, boundary terms vanish.
- Recover the fundamental theorem with $a(x) = a, b(x) = b, a(x) = a, b(x) = b$, and $f(x, t) = f(t)$.

20.2 Big Derivative / Integral Table

$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \Leftarrow$	f	$\Rightarrow \int f dx$
$\frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$	\sqrt{x}	$\frac{2}{3}x^{\frac{3}{2}}$
nx^{n-1}	$x^n, n \neq -1$	$\frac{1}{n+1}x^{n+1}$
$-nx^{-(n+1)}$	$\frac{1}{x^n}, n \neq 1$	$-\frac{1}{n-1}x^{-(n-1)}$
$\frac{1}{x}$	$\ln(x)$	$x \ln(x) - x$
$a^x \ln(a)$	a^x	$\frac{a^x}{\ln a}$
$\cos(x)$	$\sin(x)$	$-\cos(x)$
$-\csc(x) \cot(x)$	$\csc(x)$	$\ln \csc(x) - \cot(x) $
$-\sin(x)$	$\cos(x)$	$\sin(x)$
$\sec(x) \tan(x)$	$\sec(x)$	$\ln \sec(x) + \tan(x) $
$\sec^2(x)$	$\tan(x)$	$\ln \left \frac{1}{\cos x} \right $
$-\csc^2(x)$	$\cot(x)$	$\ln \sin x $
$\frac{1}{1+x^2}$	$\tan^{-1}(x)$	$x \tan^{-1} x - \frac{1}{2} \ln(1+x^2)$
$\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$	$\sin^{-1}(x)$	$x \sin^{-1} x + \sqrt{1-x^2}$
$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$	$\cos^{-1}(x)$	$x \cos^{-1} x - \sqrt{1-x^2}$
$\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2+a}}$	$\ln x + \sqrt{x^2+a} $.
$2 \sin x \cos x$	$\sin^2(x)$	$\frac{1}{2}(x - \sin x \cos x)$
$-2 \sin x \cos x$	$\cos^2(x)$	$\frac{1}{2}(x + \sin x \cos x)$
$2 \csc^2(x) \cot(x)$	$\csc^2(x)$	$-\cot(x)$
$2 \sec^2(x) \tan(x)$	$\sec^2(x)$	$\tan(x)$
?	?	?
?	?	?
?	?	?
?	?	?
?	?	?
?	?	?
?	?	?
$(ax+1)e^{ax}$	xe^{ax}	$\frac{1}{a^2}(ax-1)e^{ax}$
?	$e^{ax} \sin(bx)$	$\frac{1}{a^2+b^2}e^{ax}(a \sin bx - b \cos bx)$
?	$e^{ax} \cos(bx)$	$\frac{1}{a^2+b^2}e^{ax}(a \sin bx + b \cos bx)$
?	?	?

20.3 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:

$$\left(\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k x^k \right) \left(\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} b_k x^k \right) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{i=0}^k a_i b_{k-i} \right) x^k$$

- 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

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{k=0}^N x^k &= \frac{1 - x^{N+1}}{1 - x} \\
 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} x^k &= \frac{1}{1 - x} \quad \text{for } |x| < 1 \\
 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} kx^{k-1} &= \frac{1}{(1 - x)^2} \quad \text{for } |x| < 1 \\
 \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} k(k-1)x^{k-2} &= \frac{2}{(1 - x)^3} \quad \text{for } |x| < 1 \\
 \sum_{k=3}^{\infty} k(k-1)(k-2)x^{k-3} &= \frac{6}{(1 - x)^4} \quad \text{for } |x| < 1 \\
 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{n}{k} x^k y^{n-k} &= (x + y)^n \\
 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k} &= -\log(1 - x) \\
 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k!} &= e^x \\
 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{(2n+1)!} x^{2k+1} &= x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} = \sin(x) \\
 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{(2n)!} x^{2k} &= 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} = \cos(x) \\
 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{2n+1} x^{2k+1} &= x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^5}{5} = \arctan(x) \\
 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2k+1)!} x^{2n+1} &= x + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} + \dots = \sinh(x) \\
 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2k)!} x^{2k} &= 1 + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \dots = \cosh(x) \\
 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{2k+1}}{2k+1} &= \operatorname{arctanh} x \\
 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k} &= \infty \\
 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{1}{k} &= \ln(2) \\
 \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{1}{k} &= \approx \ln(N) + \gamma + \frac{1}{2N} \\
 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k^2} &= \frac{\pi^2}{6}
 \end{aligned}$$

20.4 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

$$r_i(x) = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{A_k}{(ax + b)^k} = \frac{A_1}{ax + b} + \frac{A_2}{(ax + b)^2} + \dots$$

- Irreducible quadratics of the form $q_i(x) = (ax^2 + bx + c)^n$ contribute

$$r_i(x) = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{A_k x + B_k}{(ax^2 + bx + c)^k} = \frac{A_1 x + B_1}{ax^2 + bx + c} + \frac{A_2 x + B_2}{(ax^2 + bx + c)^2} + \dots$$

– 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

$$A_k = \frac{1}{(n - k)!} P^{(n-k)}(a), \quad k = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

$$\implies A_n = P(a), \quad A_{n-1} = P'(a), \quad \dots, \quad A_1 = \frac{1}{(n-1)!} P^{(n-1)}(a)$$

– Note: #todo check, might need to evaluate at $-b/a$ instead, extend to quadratics.

20.5 Properties of Norms

$$\begin{aligned} \|t\mathbf{x}\| &= |t| \|\mathbf{x}\| \\ |\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle| &\leq \|\mathbf{x}\| \|\mathbf{y}\| \\ \|\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}\| &\leq \|\mathbf{x}\| + \|\mathbf{y}\| \\ \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{z}\| &\leq \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\| + \|\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{z}\| \end{aligned}$$

20.6 Logic Identities

- $P \implies Q \iff Q \text{ or } \neg P$
- $P \implies Q \iff \neg Q \implies \neg P$
- $P \text{ or } (Q \text{ and } S) \iff (P \text{ or } Q) \text{ and } (P \text{ or } S)$
- $P \text{ and } (Q \text{ or } S) \iff (P \text{ and } Q) \text{ or } (P \text{ and } S)$
- $\neg(P \text{ and } Q) \iff \neg P \text{ or } \neg Q$
- $\neg(P \text{ or } Q) \iff \neg P \text{ and } \neg Q$

20.7 Set Identities

$$\begin{array}{lll}
A \cup B & = & A \cup (A^c \cap B) \\
A & = & (B \cap A) \cup (B^c \cap A) \\
(\cup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} A_i)^c & = & \cap_{i \in \mathbb{N}} A_i^c \\
(\cap_{i \in \mathbb{N}} A_i)^c & = & \cup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} A_i^c \\
A - B & = & A \cap B^c \\
(A - B)^c & = & A^c \cup B \\
(A \cup B) - C & = & (A - C) \cup (B - C) \\
(A \cap B) - C & = & (A - C) \cap (B - C) \\
A - (B \cup C) & = & (A - B) \cap (A - C) \\
A - (B \cap C) & = & (A - B) \cup (A - C) \\
A - (B - C) & = & (A - B) \cup (A \cap C) \\
(A - B) \cap C & = & (A \cap C) - B = A \cap (C - B) \\
(A - B) \cup C & = & (A \cup C) - (B - C) \\
A \cup (B \cap C) & = & (A \cup B) \cap (A \cup C) \\
A \cap (B \cup C) & = & (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C) \\
A \subseteq C \text{ and } B \subseteq C & \implies & A \cup B \subseteq C \\
C \subseteq A \text{ and } C \subseteq B & \implies & C \subseteq A \cap B \\
A_k \text{ countable} & \implies & \prod_{k=1}^n A_k, \cup_{k=1}^\infty A_k \text{ countable}
\end{array}$$

20.8 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

- $A \subseteq B \implies f(A) \subseteq f(B)$ or $f^{-1}(A) \subseteq f^{-1}(B)$
- $f^{-1}(\cup_{i \in I} A_i) = \cup_{i \in I} f^{-1}(A_i)$
 - Also holds for $f(\cup_{i \in I} A_i) = \cup_{i \in I} f(A_i)$
- $f^{-1}(\cap_{i \in I} A_i) = \cap_{i \in I} f^{-1}(A_i)$
 - 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

- $A \subset B \implies f(A) \subset f(B)$
- $f(\cup A_i) = \cup f(A_i)$
- $f(\cap A_i) \subset \cap f(A_i)$
- $f(A - B) \supset f(A) - f(B)$
- $f(A^c) = \text{im}(f) - f(A)$

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

20.9 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, 6, 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.

20.10 Table of Small Factorials

n	$n!$
2	2
3	6
4	24
5	120
6	720
7	5040
8	40320
9	362880
10	3628800

$$\pi \approx 3.1415926535 \quad e \approx 2.71828 \quad \sqrt{2} \approx 1.4142135$$

20.11 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

20.12 Checking Divisibility by Small Numbers

Note that $n \bmod 10^k$ 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 $y = 0 \dots 9$
- Let $n_1 = x + ky$, repeat until $n_i < 10$.

p	$p \mid n \iff$	Mnemonic
2	$n \equiv 2, 4, 6, 8 \pmod{10}$	Last digit is even
3	$\sum d_i \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$	3 divides the sum of digits (apply recursively)
4	$n \equiv 4k \pmod{10^2}$	Last two digits are divisible by 4
5	$n \equiv 0, 5 \pmod{10}$	Last digit is 0 or 5
6	$n \equiv 0 \pmod{2}$ and $n \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$	Reduce to 2, 3 case
7	RPP, $k = -2$	$-20 \equiv 1 \pmod{7} \implies$ $10x + y \equiv 10(x - 2y) \pmod{7}$
8	$n \equiv 8k \pmod{10^3}$	Manually divide the last 3 digits by 8 (or peel off factors of 2)
9	$\sum d_i \equiv 0 \pmod{9}$	9 divides the sum of digits (apply recursively)
10	$n \equiv 0 \pmod{10}$	Last digit is 0
11	$\sum (-1)^i d_i \equiv 0 \pmod{11}$ or	11 divides alternating sum

p	$p \mid n \iff$	Mnemonic
13	RPP, $k = 4$	$40 \equiv 1 \pmod{13} \implies$ $10x + y \equiv 10(x + 4y) \pmod{13}$
17	RPP, $k = -5$	$-50 \equiv 1 \pmod{17} \implies$ $10x + y \equiv 10(x - 5y) \pmod{17}$
19	RPP, $k = 2$	$20 \equiv 1 \pmod{19} \implies$ $10x + y \equiv 10(x + 2y) \pmod{19}$

20.13 Hyperbolic Functions

$$\cosh(x) = \frac{1}{2}(e^x + e^{-x})$$

$$\sinh(x) = \frac{1}{2}(e^x - e^{-x})$$

$$\cos(iz) = \cosh z$$

$$\cosh(iz) = \cos z$$

$$\sin(iz) = \sinh z$$

$$\sinh(iz) = \sin z$$

$$\sinh^{-1} x = ? = \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1})$$

$$\cosh^{-1} x = ? = \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2 - 1})$$

$$\tanh^{-1} x = \frac{1}{2} \ln\left(\frac{1+x}{1-x}\right)$$

20.14 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 \sec(x) $
$\sec(x) \tan(x)$	$\sec(x)$	$\ln \sec(x) + \tan(x) $
$-\csc(x) \cot(x)$	$\csc(x)$	$\ln \csc(x) - \cot(x) $
$\frac{1}{1+x^2}$	$\tan^{-1}(x)$	$x \tan^{-1} x - \frac{1}{2} \ln(1+x^2)$
$\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$	$\sin^{-1}(x)$	$x \sin^{-1} x + \sqrt{1-x^2}$
$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$	$\cos^{-1}(x)$	$x \cos^{-1} x - \sqrt{1-x^2}$
$\frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2+a}}$	$\ln x + \sqrt{x^2+a} $.
$-\csc^2(x)$	$\cot(x)$?
?	$\cos^2(x)$?
?	$\sin^2(x)$?
?	xe^{ax}	$\frac{1}{a^2}(ax-1)e^{ax}$
?	$e^{ax} \sin(bx)$	$\frac{1}{a^2+b^2}e^{ax}(a \sin bx - b \cos bx)$
?	$e^{ax} \cos(bx)$	$\frac{1}{a^2+b^2}e^{ax}(a \sin bx + b \cos bx)$
?	?	?

21 | Definitions

$$e^x = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{n+1}{n}\right)^n.$$

21.1 Set Theory

- Injectivity

$$\begin{aligned} f : X \rightarrow Y \text{ injective} &\iff \forall x_1, x_2 \in X, \quad f(x_1) = f(x_2) \implies x_1 = x_2 \\ &\iff \forall x_1, x_2 \in X, \quad x_1 \neq x_2 \implies f(x_1) \neq f(x_2). \end{aligned}$$

- Surjectivity

$$f : X \rightarrow Y \text{ surjective} \iff \forall y \in Y, \exists x \in X : f(x) = y.$$

- Preimage

$$f : X \rightarrow Y, U \subseteq Y \implies f^{-1}(U) = \{x \in X : f(x) \in U\}.$$

21.2 Calculus

- Limit

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow p} f(x) = L &\iff \forall \varepsilon, \exists \delta : \\ d(x, p) < \delta &\implies d(f(x), L) < \varepsilon \end{aligned}$$

- Continuity

- Epsilon-delta definition:

$$\begin{aligned} f : X \rightarrow Y \text{ continuous at } p &\iff \forall \varepsilon, \exists \delta : \\ d_X(x, p) < \delta &\implies d_Y(f(x), f(p)) < \varepsilon \end{aligned}$$

- Limit/Sequential definition:

$$\begin{aligned} f : X \rightarrow Y \text{ continuous at } p &\iff \forall \{x_i\}_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \subseteq X : \{x_i\} \rightarrow p, \\ &\quad \lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} f(x_i) = f(\lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} x_i) = f(p) \end{aligned}$$

- Topological Definition:

$$f : X \rightarrow Y \text{ continuous} \iff U \text{ open in } \text{im}(f) \subseteq Y \implies f^{-1}(U) \text{ open in } X.$$

- Differentiability and the Derivative

- For single variable functions:

$$\begin{aligned} f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \text{ differentiable at } p &\iff \forall \{x_i\}_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \rightarrow p, \\ f'(p) &:= \lim_{i \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x_i) - f(p)}{x_i - p} < \infty \end{aligned}$$

– For multivariable functions:

$\mathbf{f} : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ differentiable at $\mathbf{p} \iff \exists$ a linear map $\mathbf{J} : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ such that:

$$\lim_{\mathbf{h} \rightarrow 0} \frac{\|\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{p} + \mathbf{h}) - \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{p}) - \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{h})\|_{\mathbb{R}^m}}{\|\mathbf{h}\|_{\mathbb{R}^n}} = 0$$

- Gradient

$$\nabla f = [f_x, f_y, f_z].$$

- Divergence
- Curl
- Taylor Series (at a point a)
 - Single Variable $\mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$\begin{aligned} T_a(x) &= f(a) + \frac{f'(a)}{1!}(x-a) + \frac{f''(a)}{2!}(x-a)^2 + \frac{f'''(a)}{3!}(x-a)^3 + \cdots \\ \implies T_a(x) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{(n)}(a)}{n!}(x-a)^n. \end{aligned}$$

– Multivariable $\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$:

$$T_a(\mathbf{x}) = f(\mathbf{a}) + (\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a})^T \nabla f(\mathbf{a}).$$

– Multivariable $\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$:

$$\begin{aligned} T_{(a,b)}(x,y) &= f(a,b) + (x-a)f_x(a,b) + (y-b)f_y(a,b) + \\ &\frac{1}{2!} \left((x-a)^2 f_{xx}(a,b) + 2(x-a)(y-b)f_{xy}(a,b) + (y-b)^2 f_{yy}(a,b) \right) + \cdots \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} T_a(\mathbf{x}) &= f(\mathbf{a}) + (\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a})^T \mathbf{J}(\mathbf{a}) + \frac{1}{2!} (\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a})^T \mathbf{H}(\mathbf{a}) (\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a}) + \cdots \\ \implies T_a(\mathbf{x}) &= \sum_{|\alpha| \geq 0} \frac{(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{a})^\alpha}{\alpha!} (\partial^\alpha f)(\mathbf{a}) \end{aligned}$$

21.3 Analysis

- Archimedean Property: $x \in \mathbb{R} \implies \exists n \in \mathbb{N} : x < n$ 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

$$\begin{aligned} - |a + b| &\leq |a| + |b| \\ - |a - b| &\leq |a| + |b| \end{aligned}$$

- Reverse Triangle Inequality

$$- ||a| - |b|| \leq |a - b|$$

- Least Upper Bound / Supremum (for $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$)

$$\alpha \text{ is a LUB for } S \iff s \in S \implies s < \alpha \text{ and } \forall t : (s \in S \implies s < t), \alpha < t.$$

- Greatest Lower Bound / Infimum (for $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$)

$$\alpha \text{ is a GLB for } S \iff s \in S \implies \alpha < s \text{ and } \forall t : (s \in S \implies t < s), t < \alpha.$$

- Open Set

- Closed Set

- Limit Point

- Interior Point

- Closure of a Set

- Boundary

- Metric

- Cauchy Sequence:

$$\{a_i\} \text{ is a cauchy sequence } \iff \forall \varepsilon \exists N \in \mathbb{N} : m, n > N \implies d(x_m, x_n) < \varepsilon.$$

- Connected: S is connected $\iff \nexists U, V \subset S$ nonempty, open, disjoint such that $S = U \cup V$

- Compact: Every open cover has a finite subcover:

$$X \subseteq \cup_{j \in J} V_j \implies \exists I \subseteq J : |I| < \infty \text{ and } X \subseteq \cup_{i \in I} V_i.$$

- Sequential Compactness Every sequence has a convergent subsequence:

$$\{x_i\}_{i \in I} \subseteq X \implies \exists J \subseteq I, \exists p \in X : \{x_j\}_{j \in J} \rightarrow p.$$

- Bounded (sequences, subsets, metric spaces)

$$U \subseteq X \text{ is bounded } \iff \exists x \in X, \exists M \in \mathbb{R} : u \in U \implies d(x, u) < M.$$

- Totally Bounded

todo

- Pointwise Convergence

$$\text{For } \{f_n : X \rightarrow Y\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}, \\ f_n \rightarrow f \iff \forall \varepsilon > 0, \forall x \in X, \exists N(x, \varepsilon) \in \mathbb{N} : n > N \implies d_Y(f_n(x), f(x)) < \varepsilon$$

- Uniform Convergence

$$\text{For } \{f_n : X \rightarrow Y\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}, \\ f_n \rightrightarrows f \iff \forall \varepsilon > 0, \exists N(\varepsilon) \in \mathbb{N} : \forall x \in X, n > N \implies d_Y(f_n(x), f(x)) < \varepsilon$$

- Generalized Mean Value Theorem

$$(f(b) - f(a))g'(c) = (g(b) - g(a))f'(c).$$

21.4 Linear Algebra

Convention: always over a field k , and $T : k^n \rightarrow k^m$ 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

- Row Equivalent

- Pivot

- Cofactor

$$\text{cofactor}(A)_{i,j} = (-1)^{i+j} M_{i,j}$$

where $M_{i,j}$ is the minor obtained by deleting the i -th row and j -th column of A .

- Adjugate

$$\text{adjugate}(A) = \text{cofactor}(A)^T = (-1)^{i+j} M_{j,i}.$$

- 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 $\mathbf{0}$ satisfying $\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{0} = \mathbf{0} + \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v}$
6. Existence of additive inverse $-\mathbf{v}$ satisfying $\mathbf{v} + (-\mathbf{v}) = \mathbf{0}$
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

$$\text{Span}(S) = \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^n c_i \mathbf{x}_i \mid c_i \in k \right\}.$$

- Row Space

- The range of the linear map T .

$$\text{– Given } T = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}_1 \rightarrow \\ \mathbf{x}_2 \rightarrow \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{x}_m \rightarrow \end{bmatrix}, \text{ defined as}$$

$$\text{Span}(\{\mathbf{x}_i\}_{i=1}^m) \subseteq k^m.$$

- $\text{rowspan}(T)^\perp = \text{null}(T)$
- $|\text{rowspan}(T)| = \text{Rank}(T)$

- Column Space

- Null Space

- Defined as $\text{null}(T) = \{\mathbf{x} \in k^n \mid T(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{0} \in k^m\}$
- $\text{null}(T)^\perp = \text{rowspan}(T)$

- 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 $\text{Span}(S) = V$
- 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

$$T = [\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \dots, \mathbf{x}_n]^T.$$

(linearly independent iff T is singular)

- Rank
 - Dimension of rowspace
- Rank-Nullity Theorem
 - $|\text{Nullspace}(A)| + |\text{Rank}(A)| = |\text{Codomain}(A)|$
- Nullspace
 - $\text{nullspace}(A) = \{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n : A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}\}$
- Singular
 - A square $n \times n$ matrix T is singular iff $\text{Rank}(T) < n$
- 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 $U = \text{Span}(\{\mathbf{u}_i\})$ is given by
$$P_U(\mathbf{v}) = \sum_i P_{\mathbf{u}_i}(\mathbf{v}) = \sum_i \langle \mathbf{u}_i, \mathbf{v} \rangle \hat{u}_i.$$
- 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

$$\text{Tr}(A) = \sum_{i=1}^n A_{ii}.$$

- 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

- $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle \geq 0$
- $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle = 0 \iff \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0}$
- $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \overline{\langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} \rangle}$
- $\langle [\cdot, k]\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = k \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \langle \mathbf{x}, [k]\mathbf{y} \rangle$
- $\langle \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{z} \rangle = \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{z} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{z} \rangle$
- $\langle [a]\mathbf{x}, b\mathbf{y} \rangle = \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle + \langle a\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{x}, b\mathbf{y} \rangle + \langle \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \rangle$
- 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: $|\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle| \leq \|\mathbf{x}\| \|\mathbf{y}\|$

- 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} :

$$P(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) = \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle \hat{\mathbf{y}} = \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle \frac{\mathbf{y}}{\|\mathbf{y}\|^2}.$$

- 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 .

21.5 Differential Equations

- Homogeneous

$$f(x, y) \text{ homogeneous of degree } n \iff \exists n \in \mathbb{N} : f(tx, ty) = t^n f(x, y)..$$

- 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:

$$L_f(s) = \int_0^\infty e^{-st} f(t) dt.$$

21.6 Algebra

- Ring
- Group
- Subgroup
 - Two step subgroups test:
- Integral Domain
- Division Ring
- Principal Ideal Domain
- Tensor Product: #todo insert construction

21.7 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

$$\Gamma(p) = \int_0^\infty t^{p-1} e^{-t} dt, \quad p > 0.$$

21.8 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 $p(x) = ax^n + \dots + c$ and $r = \frac{p}{q}$ where $p(r) = 0$, then $p \mid c$ and $q \mid a$.

- Properties of logs:

$$\begin{aligned} - \ln(\prod) &= \sum \ln \text{ but } \prod \ln \neq \ln \sum \\ - \log_b x &= \frac{\ln x}{\ln b} \end{aligned}$$

Be careful! $\frac{\ln x}{\ln y} \neq \ln \frac{x}{y} = \ln x - \ln y$

- Completing the square:

$$- p(x) = ax^2 + bx + c \implies p(x) = a\left(x + \frac{b}{2a}\right)^2 - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{b^2 - 4ac}{2a} \right)$$

21.9 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:

$$Ax^2 + By^2 + C = 0 \qquad (x - x_0)^2 + (y - y_0)^2 = r^2$$

- Defining trait: locus of points at a constant distance from the **center**
- **Center** at (x_0, y_0)

- Parabolas:

$$Ax^2 + Bx + Cy + D = 0 \qquad y = ax^2$$

- Defining Trait:
 - ◇ Locus of points equidistant from the **focus** (a point) and the **directrix** (a line)
 - ◇ #todo add image
- **Focus** at $(0, \frac{1}{4a})$
- **Directrix** at the line $y = -\frac{1}{4a}$
 - ◇ For an arbitrary quadratic: complete the square to write in the form $y = a(x - w_0)^2 + h_0$, 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:
 - ◇ The locus of points where the *sum* of distances to two **foci** 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:
 - ◇ 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 :
 - ◇ Distance to p is constant: circle
- Two points a, b :
 - ◇ Distance to a equal to distance to b equals a constant: a line bisecting the midpoint of the line connecting them
 - ◇ Difference of distances constant: ellipse
 - ◇ Sum of differences constant: hyperbola
- Point p and a line l :
 - ◇ Distance to p equals distance to l equals a constant: parabola

- Areas of certain figures:

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