

APS1070

Foundations of Data Analytics and
Machine Learning

Winter 2021

Week 5:

- *Linear Algebra*
- *Analytical Geometry*
- *Data Augmentation*

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Announcements

Mid-term assessment logistics

- Platform: Crowdmark
- Mock Assessment is available now (emailed to you) to get familiar with the logistics. It will not be graded. Due date Feb 10 at 9:00am.
- Some practice problems and solutions from past semesters are on Quercus
- Material in midterm:
 - Week 1 to 5 of Lectures, Tutorials 1 and 2, Project 1, Reading assignments 1-4.

Mid-term assessment logistics

- Midterm Assessment Distribution: **Tuesday, Feb 15 at 9am (Toronto time)**
- Deadline for Submitting the Assessment: **Wednesday, Feb 16 at 3pm (Toronto time)**
 - A countdown starts as soon as you access the assessment (**2.5 hours available** as per course schedule)
 - 30 minutes are already added to the countdown time for contingency. No excuses.
- Time needed for writing answers: about 90 minutes
- Late submission or no submission: 0 mark (as per syllabus).
- Use course material + online resources – NO HELP FROM OTHERS!! No Piazza.
- If needed, make assumptions and answer the questions. Do not contact us to ask.
- In case of a **logistic problem**, you can email Sinisa, Samin and Ali during your assessment. There is no guarantee that we can respond before your time runs out.

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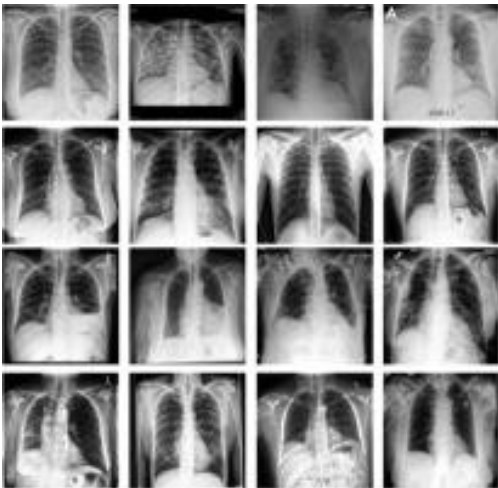
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Last Time

- Looked into assessing model performance
 - Probability Theory
 - Gaussians
 - Confusion Matrix
 - ROCs
- Data Processing to the Rescue
 - Data Augmentation (today)
 - Dimensionality Reduction (next week)

What do these datasets have in common?



➤ How can we improve these datasets?

ML Performance Benchmarks

Method	Depth	Params	C10	C10+	C100	C100+
Network in Network [22]	-	-	10.41	8.81	35.68	-
All-CNN [32]	-	-	9.08	7.25	-	33.71
Deeply Supervised Net [20]	-	-	9.69	7.97	-	34.57
Highway Network [34]	-	-	-	7.72	-	32.39
FractalNet [17]	21	38.6M	10.18	5.22	35.34	23.30
with Dropout/Drop-path	21	38.6M	7.33	4.60	28.20	23.73
ResNet [11]	110	1.7M	-	6.61	-	-
ResNet (reported by [13])	110	1.7M	13.63	6.41	44.74	27.22
ResNet with Stochastic Depth [13]	110	1.7M	11.66	5.23	37.80	24.58
	1202	10.2M	-	4.91	-	-
Wide ResNet [42]	16	11.0M	-	4.81	-	22.07
	28	36.5M	-	4.17	-	20.50
with Dropout	16	2.7M	-	-	-	-
ResNet (pre-activation) [12]	164	1.7M	11.26*	5.46	35.58*	24.33
	1001	10.2M	10.56*	4.62	33.47*	22.71
DenseNet ($k = 12$)	40	1.0M	7.00	5.24	27.55	24.42
DenseNet ($k = 12$)	100	7.0M	5.77	4.10	23.79	20.20
DenseNet ($k = 24$)	100	27.2M	5.83	3.74	23.42	19.25
DenseNet-BC ($k = 12$)	100	0.8M	5.92	4.51	24.15	22.27
DenseNet-BC ($k = 24$)	250	15.3M	5.19	3.62	19.64	17.60
DenseNet-BC ($k = 40$)	190	25.6M	-	3.46	-	17.18

- C10+ and C100+ highlight the error rates after data augmentation
- Data augmentation found to **consistently lower the error rates!**

Error rates of popular neural networks on the Cifar 10 and Cifar 100 datasets. (Source: [DenseNet](#))

Agenda

- Linear Algebra
 - Scalars, Vectors, Matrices
 - Solving Systems of Linear Equations
 - Linear Independence
 - Linear Mappings
- Analytic Geometry
 - Norms, Inner Products, Lengths, etc.
 - Angles and Orthonormal Basis
- Data Augmentation



Today's Theme:
Data Processing

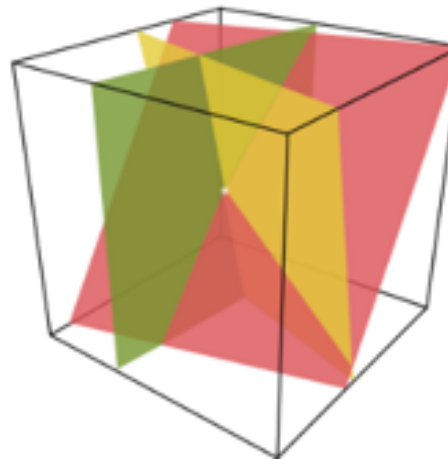
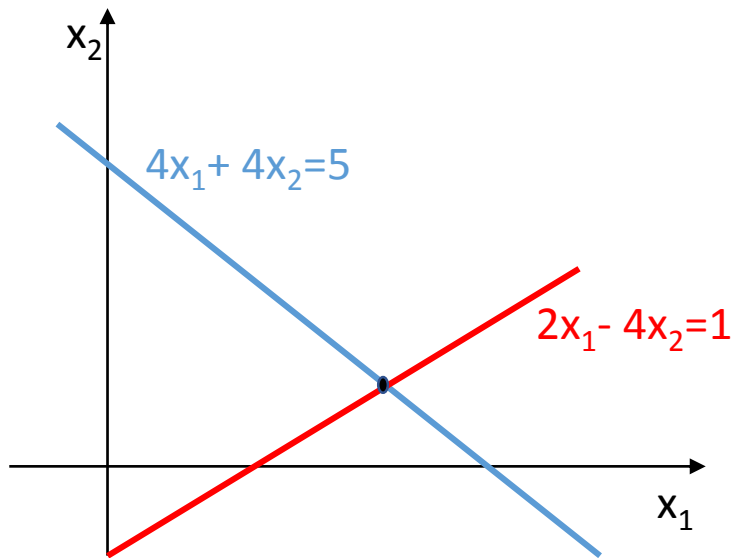
Linear Algebra

Readings:

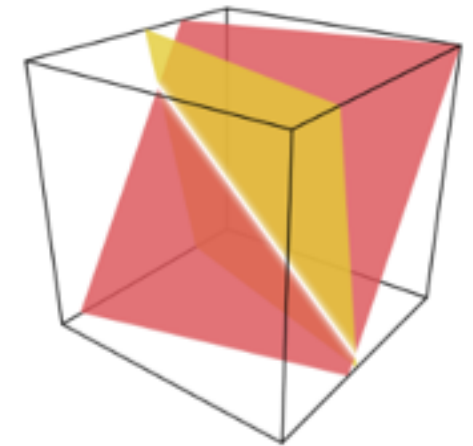
- **Chapter 2.1-5 MML Textbook**

Systems of Linear Equations

- The solution space of a system of two linear equations with two variables can be geometrically interpreted as the intersection of two lines
- intersection of planes in three variables



System in three variables – solution is at intersection



System with 2 equations and three variables – solution is typically a line

Matrix Representation

- Used to solve systems of linear equations more systematically
- Compact notation collects coefficients into vectors, and vectors into matrices:

$$x_1 \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} \\ \vdots \\ a_{m1} \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} a_{12} \\ \vdots \\ a_{m2} \end{bmatrix} + \dots + x_n \begin{bmatrix} a_{1n} \\ \vdots \\ a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ \vdots \\ b_m \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & \cdots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ \vdots \\ b_m \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix Notation

- A matrix has $m \times n$ elements (with $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$, and a_{ij} , $i=1, \dots, m$; $j=1, \dots, n$) which are ordered according to a rectangular scheme consisting of m rows and n columns:

$$A = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & \dots & n \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ \vdots \\ m \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix} \quad a_{ij} \in \mathbb{R}$$

- By convention (1 by n)-matrices are called **rows** and (m by 1)-matrices are called **columns**. These special matrices are also called row/column vectors.
- (1 by 1)-matrices are referred to as scalars

Addition and Scalar Multiplication

➤ Vector addition:

$$a + b = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 + b_1 \\ a_2 + b_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

➤ Scalar multiplication:

$$\alpha b = \alpha \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha b_1 \\ \alpha b_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Addition and Scalar Multiplication

- Matrix addition: The **sum of two matrices** $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}, B \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ is defined as the element-wise sum:

$$A + B = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} + b_{11} & \dots & a_{1n} + b_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} + b_{m1} & \dots & a_{mn} + b_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$

- Scalar multiplication of a **matrix** $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ is defined as:

$$\alpha * A = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha * a_{11} & \dots & \alpha * a_{1n} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \alpha * a_{m1} & \dots & \alpha * a_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix Multiplication

- We can multiply a matrix by a column vector:

$$Ax = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + a_{13}x_3 \\ a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + a_{23}x_3 \\ a_{31}x_1 + a_{32}x_2 + a_{33}x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- We can multiply a matrix by a row vector:

$$x^T A = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} = [a_{11}x_1 + a_{21}x_2 + a_{31}x_3 \quad a_{12}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + a_{32}x_3 \quad a_{13}x_1 + a_{23}x_2 + a_{33}x_3]$$

- In general, we can multiply matrices A and B when the number of columns in A matches the number of rows in B:

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & b_{13} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & b_{23} \\ b_{31} & b_{32} & b_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}b_{11} + a_{12}b_{21} + a_{13}b_{31} & a_{11}b_{12} + a_{12}b_{22} + a_{13}b_{32} & a_{11}b_{13} + a_{12}b_{23} + a_{13}b_{33} \\ a_{21}b_{11} + a_{22}b_{21} + a_{23}b_{31} & a_{21}b_{12} + a_{22}b_{22} + a_{23}b_{32} & a_{21}b_{13} + a_{22}b_{23} + a_{23}b_{33} \\ a_{31}b_{11} + a_{32}b_{21} + a_{33}b_{31} & a_{31}b_{12} + a_{32}b_{22} + a_{33}b_{32} & a_{31}b_{13} + a_{32}b_{23} + a_{33}b_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

Example: Matrix Multiplication

➤ For two matrices: $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 3}, B = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 2},$

➤ we obtain:

$$AB = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2},$$

$$BA = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 4 & 2 \\ -2 & 0 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}$$

Not commutative! $AB \neq BA$

Basic Properties

➤ A few properties:

➤ **Associativity:**

$$\forall A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}, B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}, C \in \mathbb{R}^{p \times q}: (AB)C = A(BC)$$

➤ **Distributivity:**

$$\forall A, B \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}, C, D \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}: (A + B)C = AC + BC$$

$$A(C + D) = AC + AD$$

Inner Product and Outer Product

- The **inner product** between vectors of the same length is:

$$a^T b = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i b_i = a_1 b_1 + a_2 b_2 + \dots + a_n b_n = \gamma$$

The inner product is a **scalar**

- The **outer product** between vectors of the same length is:

$$ab^T = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 b_1 & a_1 b_2 & \dots & a_1 b_n \\ a_2 b_1 & a_2 b_2 & \dots & a_2 b_n \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_n b_1 & a_n b_2 & \dots & a_n b_n \end{bmatrix}$$

The outer product is a **matrix**

Identity Matrix

- We define the **identity matrix** as shown:

$$I_n := \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & \dots & 1 \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$$

- Any matrix multiplied by the identity will not change the matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1+0+0 & 0+2+0 & 0+0+3 \\ 4+0+0 & 0+5+0 & 0+0+6 \\ 7+0+0 & 0+8+0 & 0+0+9 \end{bmatrix}$$

Inverse

- If square matrices $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ and $B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ have the property that $AB = I_n = BA$. Then B is called the inverse of A and denoted by A^{-1} .
- Example, these matrices are inverse to each other:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 4 & 4 & 5 \\ 6 & 7 & 7 \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} -7 & -7 & 6 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 4 & 5 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

- We'll look at how to calculate the inverse later

Transpose

- **Transpose definition:** For $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ the matrix $B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$ with $b_{ij} = a_{ji}$ is called transpose of A . We write $B = A^T$.
- **Symmetric Matrix:** A matrix $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is symmetric if $A = A^T$.
- Some useful identities:

$$\begin{aligned}AA^{-1} &= I = A^{-1}A \\(AB)^{-1} &= B^{-1}A^{-1} \\(A + B)^{-1} &\neq A^{-1} + B^{-1} \\(A^T)^T &= A \\(A + B)^T &= A^T + B^T \\(AB)^T &= B^T A^T\end{aligned}$$

Solving Systems of Linear Equations

- Given A and b , we want to solve for x :

$$Ax = b \quad \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 4 & -6 & 0 \\ -2 & 7 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Key to solving a system of linear equations are elementary transformations that keep the solution set the same, but that **transform the equation system into a simpler form**.
1. Exchange of two equations (rows in the matrix)
 2. Multiplication of an equation (row) with a constant
 3. Addition of two equations (rows)
- This leads us to Gaussian Elimination (aka row reduction)

Triangular Linear Systems

- Consider a square linear system with an **upper triangular matrix** (non-zero diagonals):

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ 0 & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ 0 & 0 & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- We can solve this system bottom to top using substitution:

$$a_{33}x_3 = b_3$$

$$x_3 = \frac{b_3}{a_{33}}$$

$$a_{22}x_2 + a_{23}x_3 = b_2$$

$$x_2 = \frac{b_2 - a_{23}x_3}{a_{22}}$$

$$a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + a_{13}x_3 = b_1$$

$$x_1 = \frac{b_1 - a_{12}x_2 - a_{13}x_3}{a_{11}}$$

Example: Gaussian Elimination

- Gaussian elimination uses elementary row operations to transform a linear system into a triangular system:

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 2x_1 + x_2 + x_3 & = & 5 \\ 4x_1 - 6x_2 & = & -2 \\ -2x_1 + 7x_2 + 2x_3 & = & 9 \end{array} \longrightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 4 & -6 & 0 & -2 \\ -2 & 7 & 2 & 9 \end{array} \right]$$

- Add -2 times first row to second
- Add 1 times first row to third

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 2x_1 + x_2 + x_3 & = & 5 \\ -8x_2 - 2x_3 & = & -12 \\ 8x_2 + 3x_3 & = & 14 \end{array} \longrightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & -8 & -2 & -12 \\ 0 & 8 & 3 & 14 \end{array} \right]$$

- Add 1 times second row to third

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 2x_1 + x_2 + x_3 & = & 5 \\ -8x_2 - 2x_3 & = & -12 \\ x_3 & = & 2 \end{array}$$

$$\longrightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & -8 & -2 & -12 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right]$$

Row
Echelon
form

Row Echelon Form

- The first non-zero coefficient from the left (the “leading coefficient”) is always to the right of the first non-zero coefficient in the row above.
- Rows consisting of all zero coefficients are at the bottom of the matrix.

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & -8 & -2 & -12 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right]$$

Row
Echelon
form

Example: Reduced Echelon Form

- We can simplify this even further:

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 2x_1 + x_2 + x_3 & = & 5 \\ -8x_2 - 2x_3 & = & -12 \\ x_3 & = & 2 \end{array} \longrightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 1 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & -8 & -2 & -12 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right]$$

- Divide first row by 2

- Divide 2nd row by -8

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x_1 + 0.5x_2 + 0.5x_3 & = & 2.5 \\ x_2 + 0.25x_3 & = & 1.5 \\ x_3 & = & 2 \end{array} \longrightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0.5 & 0.5 & 2.5 \\ 0 & 1 & 0.25 & 1.5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right]$$

- Add -0.25 times third row to second row

- Add -0.5 times third row to first row

- Add -0.5 times second row to first row

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x_1 & = & 1 \\ x_2 & = & 1 \\ x_3 & = & 2 \end{array} \longrightarrow \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} \right] \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Reduced row} \\ \text{Echelon form} \end{array}$$

The coefficient matrix could be non-square
Example 2.6 from MML book (reading
assignment 4):

For $a \in \mathbb{R}$, we seek all solutions of the following system of equations:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc} -2x_1 & + & 4x_2 & - & 2x_3 & - & x_4 & + & 4x_5 & = & -3 \\ 4x_1 & - & 8x_2 & + & 3x_3 & - & 3x_4 & + & x_5 & = & 2 \\ x_1 & - & 2x_2 & + & x_3 & - & x_4 & + & x_5 & = & 0 \\ x_1 & - & 2x_2 & & & - & 3x_4 & + & 4x_5 & = & a \end{array} \quad (2.44)$$

Four equations and five unknowns

Alternative Method: Inverse Matrix

- We can also solve linear systems of equations by applying the inverse.
- The solution to $Ax = b$ can be obtained by multiplying by A^{-1} to isolate for x .

$$\begin{aligned} Ax &= b \\ A^{-1}Ax &= A^{-1}b \\ I_n x &= A^{-1}b \\ x &= A^{-1}b \end{aligned}$$

Note that A^{-1} will cancel out A only if multiplied from the left-hand side, otherwise we have $A^{-1}xA$

Calculating an Inverse Matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Write down the augmented matrix with the identity on the right-hand side

$$\left[\begin{array}{cccc|cccc} 1 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

- **Apply Gaussian elimination** to bring it into **reduced row-echelon form**.

$$\left[\begin{array}{cccc|cccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 2 & -2 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 2 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 & -1 & 2 \end{array} \right]$$

The desired inverse is given as its right-hand side.

We can verify that this is indeed the inverse by performing the multiplication AA^{-1} and observing that we recover I_n .

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 & -2 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 & -2 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

What can go wrong?

- Applying Gaussian Elimination (row reduction) does not always lead to a solution.
- **Singular Case:** When we have a 0 in a pivot column. This is an example of a matrix that is not invertible.
- For example:

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 2 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 & 2 \end{array} \right]$$

singular

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

singular

- To understand this better it helps to consider matrices from a geometric perspective.

Several Interpretations

- Given A and b , we want to solve for x :

$$Ax = b \quad \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

- This can be given several interpretations:

- **By rows:** x is the intersection of hyper-planes:

$$\begin{aligned} 2x - y &= 1 \\ x + y &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

- **By columns:** x is the linear combination that gives b :

$$x \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

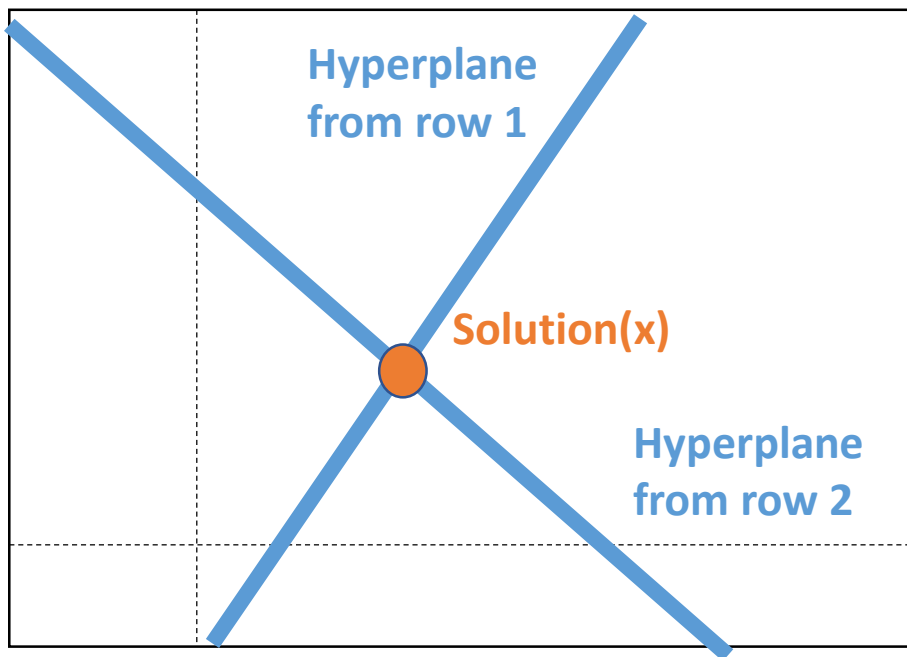
- **Transformation:** x is the vector transformed to b :

$$T(x) = b$$

Geometry of Linear Equations

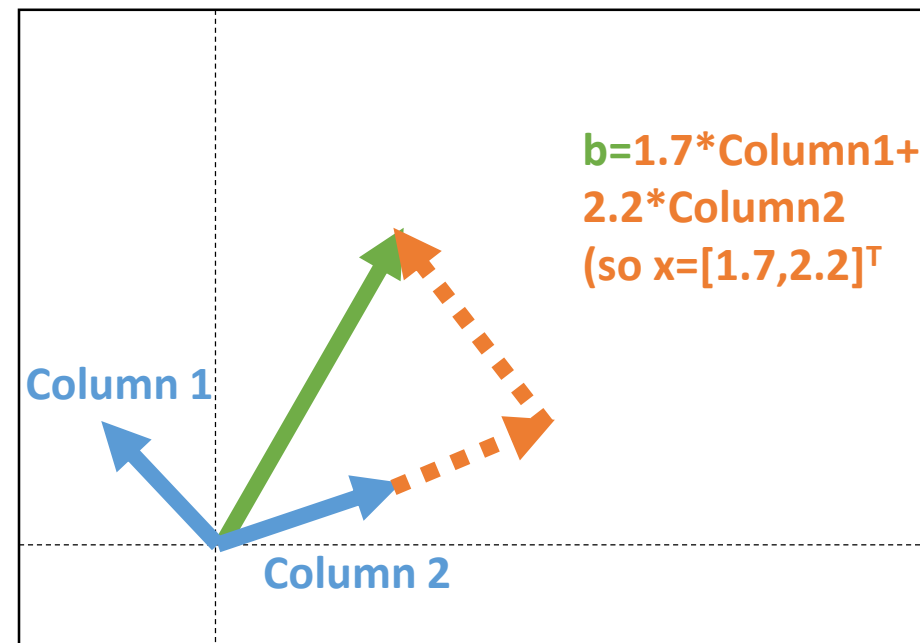
➤ By Rows:

Find intersection of hyperplanes



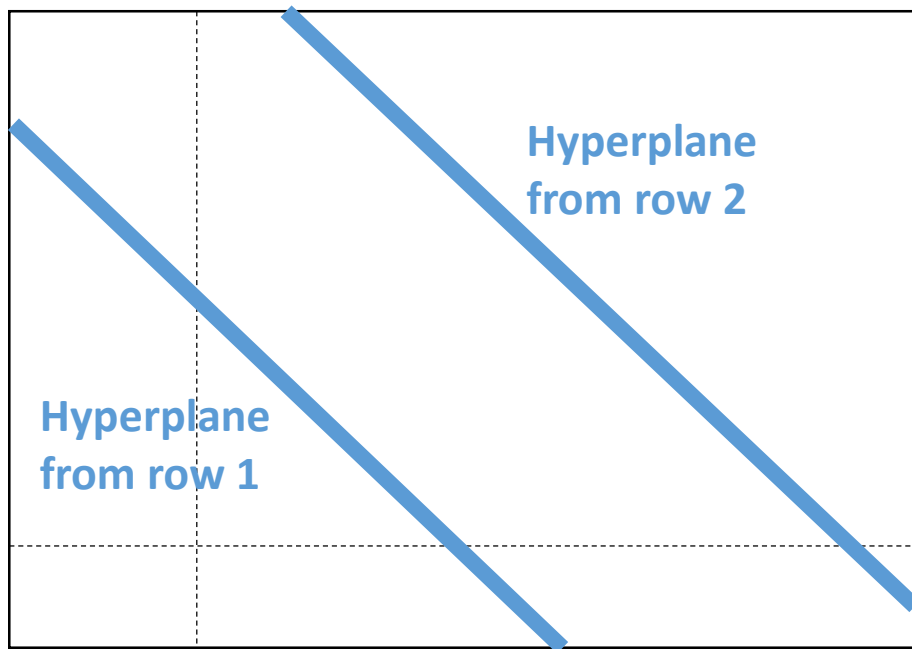
➤ By Columns:

Find linear combination of columns

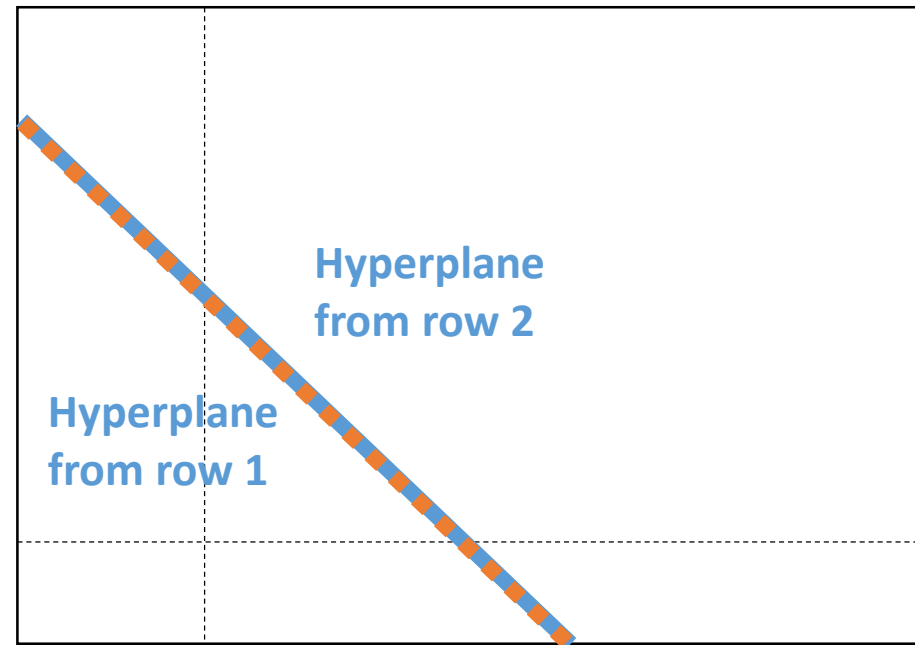


What can go wrong?

➤ By rows:



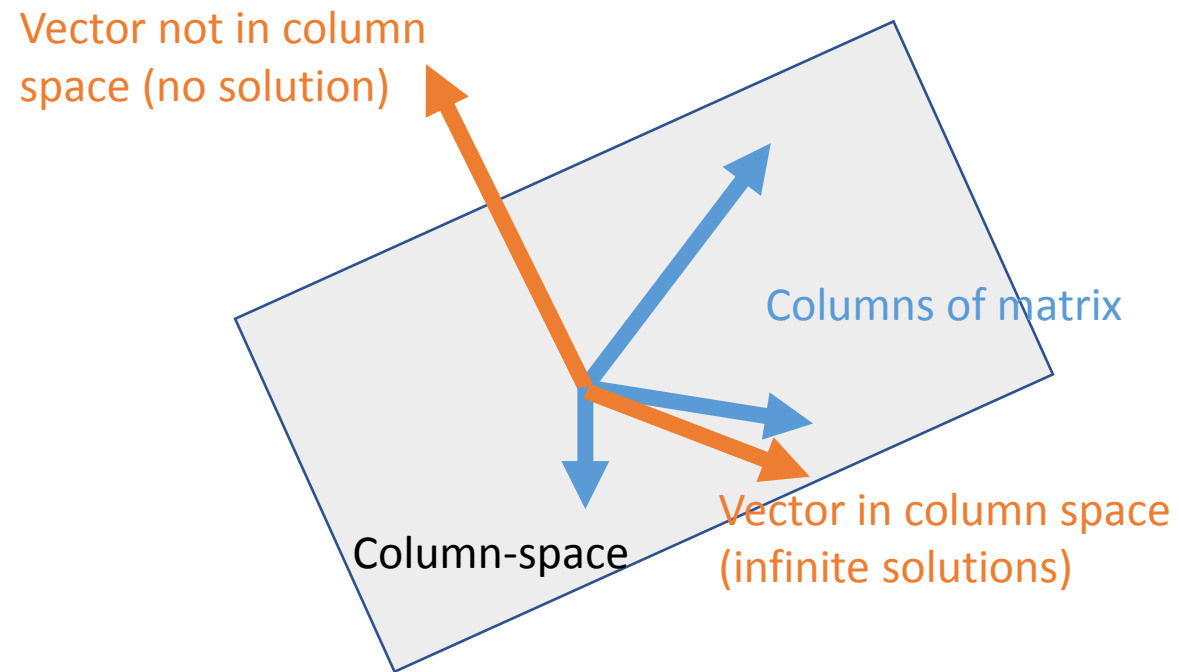
No intersection



Infinite intersection

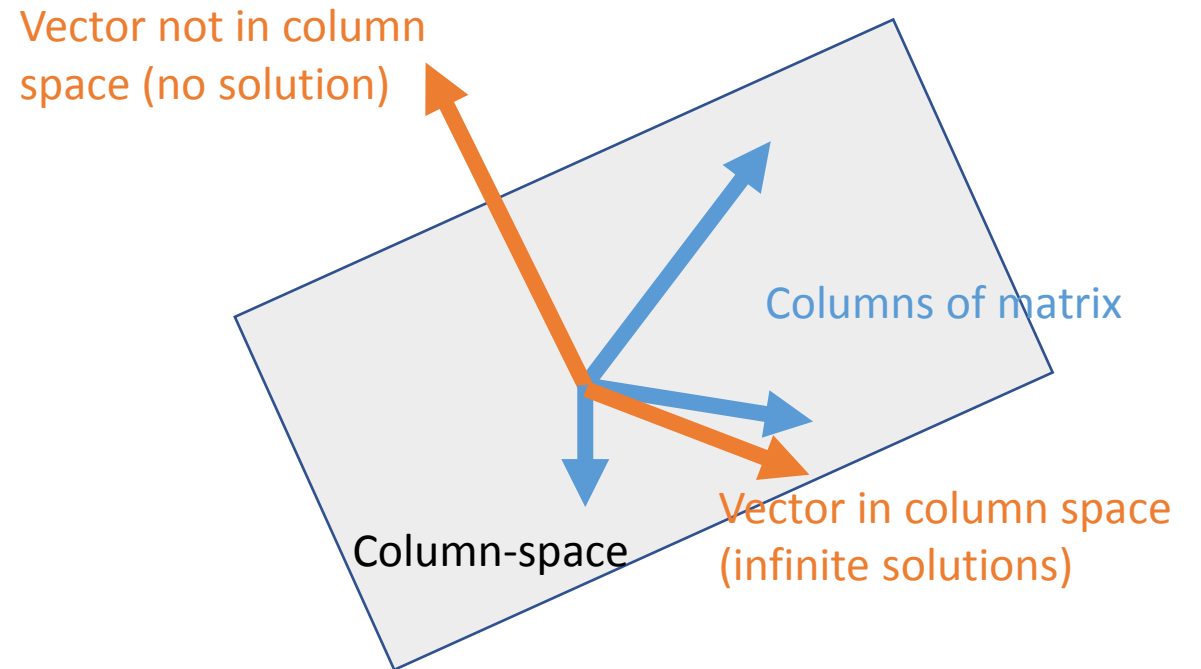
What can go wrong?

➤ By columns:



Solutions to $Ax=b$

- Q: In general, when does $Ax=b$ have a unique solution?
- A: When b is in the column-space of A , and the columns of A are **linearly independent**
- Q: What does it mean to be independent?



Linear Dependence

- A set of vectors is either linearly dependent or linearly independent.
- A vector is linearly dependent on a set of vectors if it can be written as a linear combination of them:

$$c = \alpha_1 b_1 + \alpha_2 b_2 + \dots \alpha_n b_n$$

- We say that c is “linearly dependent” on $\{b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n\}$, and that the set $\{c, b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n\}$ is “linearly dependent”
- A set is linearly dependent iff the zero vector can be written as a combination of the vectors $\{b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n\}$:
 $\exists \alpha \neq 0, \text{ s.t. } 0 = \alpha_1 b_1 + \alpha_2 b_2 + \dots \alpha_n b_n \Rightarrow \{b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n\} \text{ dependent}$

Linear Independence

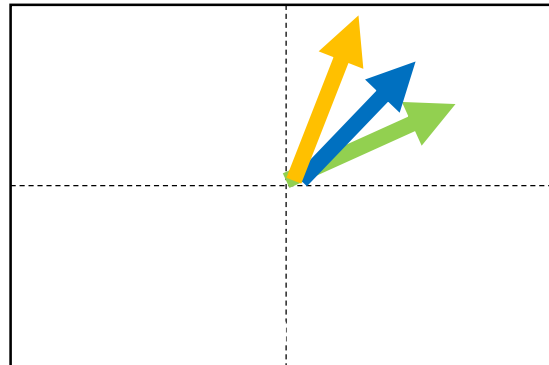
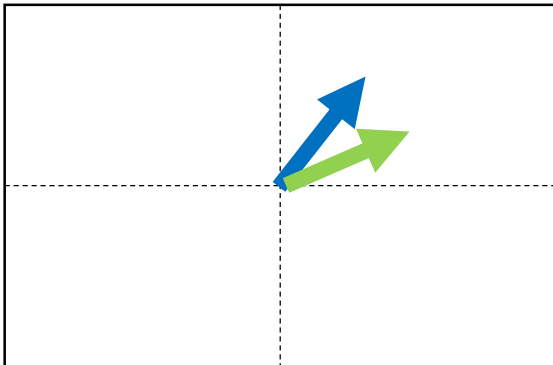
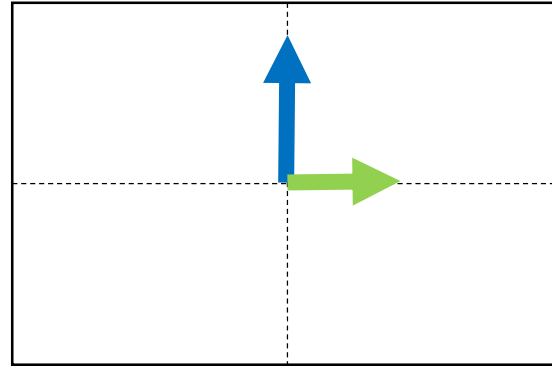
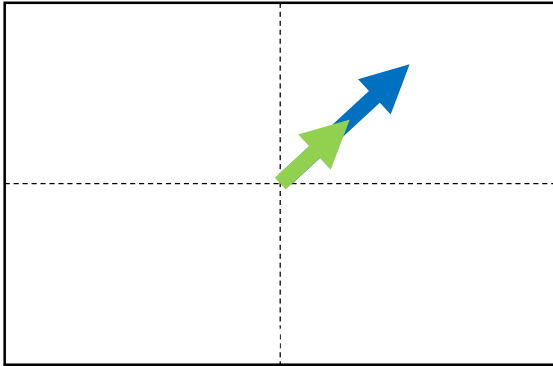
- If a set of vectors is not linearly dependent, we say it is linearly independent
- The zero vector **cannot** be written as a combination of independent vectors unless all coefficients α are set to zero:

$$0 = \alpha_1 b_1 + \alpha_2 b_2 + \dots \alpha_n b_n \Rightarrow \alpha_i = 0 \quad \forall_i$$

- If the **vectors are independent**, then **there is no way represent one of the vectors as a combination of the others.**

Linear Dependence vs Independence

➤ Q: Determine independence in \mathbb{R}^2 for the following.



Linear Independence

- Consider we have a set of three vectors $\{x_1, x_2, x_3\} \in \mathbb{R}^4$
- To check whether they are linearly dependent, we solve: $\lambda_1 x_1 + \lambda_2 x_2 + \lambda_3 x_3 = 0$
- We write the vectors $x_i, i = 1, 2, 3$, as the columns of a matrix and **apply elementary row operations** until we identify the pivot columns.
- All column vectors are **linearly independent if and only if all columns are pivot columns**. If there is at least one non-pivot column the vectors are linearly dependent.

$$x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}, x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, x_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_1 x_1 + \lambda_2 x_2 + \lambda_3 x_3 = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 & -2 \\ -3 & 0 & 1 \\ 4 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Vector Space

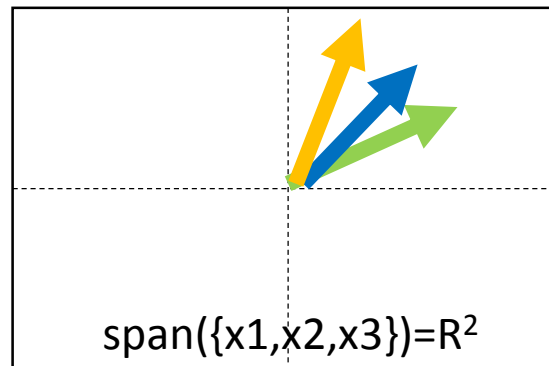
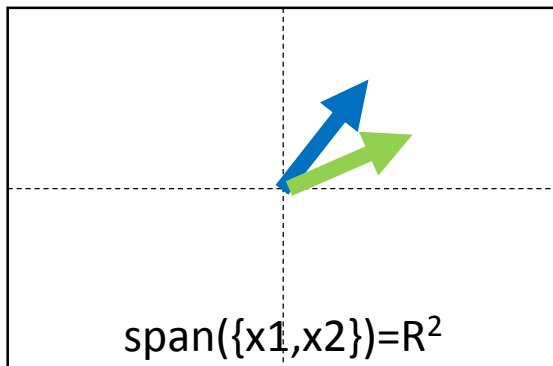
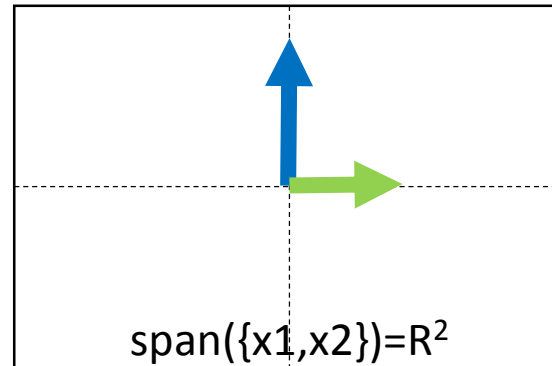
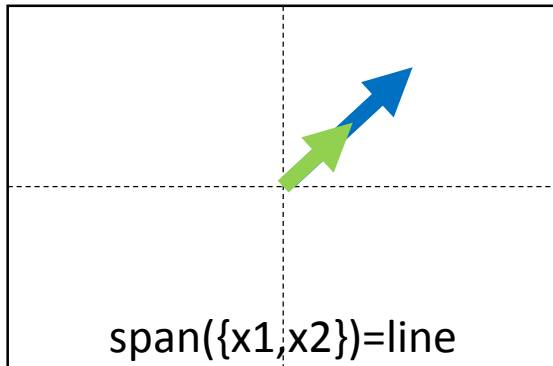
➤ A vector space is a set of objects called “vectors”, with closed operations “addition” and “scalar multiplication” satisfying certain axioms:

1. $x + y = y + x$
2. $x + (y + z) = (x + y) + z$
3. *exists a zero vector “0” s.t. $\forall x, x + 0 = x$*
4. *$\forall x$, exists an additive inverse “ $-x$ ”, s.t. $x + (-x) = 0$*
5. $1x = x$
6. $(c_1 c_2)x = c_1(c_2 x)$
7. $c(x + y) = cx + cy$
8. $(c_1 + c_2)x = c_1 x + c_2 x$

➤ Examples: $\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R}^2, \mathbb{R}^n$

Subspace

➤ Subspaces generated in \mathbb{R}^2 :



set of vectors $\mathcal{A} = \{x_1, \dots, x_k\} \subseteq \mathcal{V}$

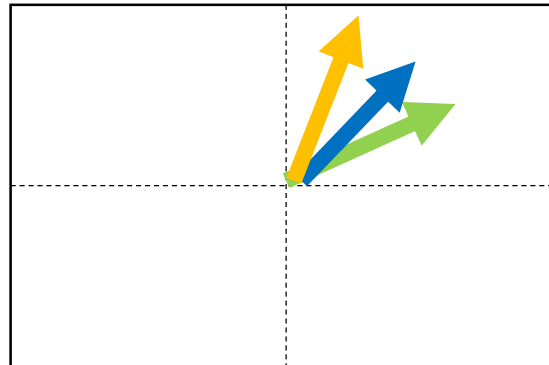
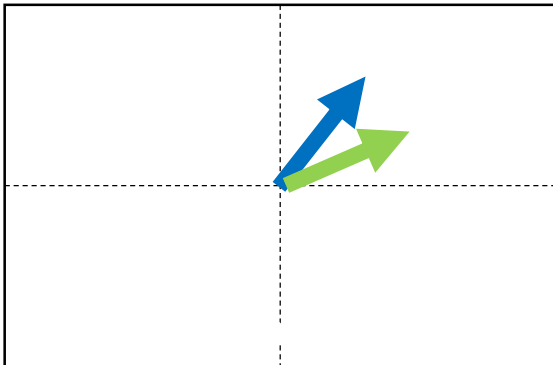
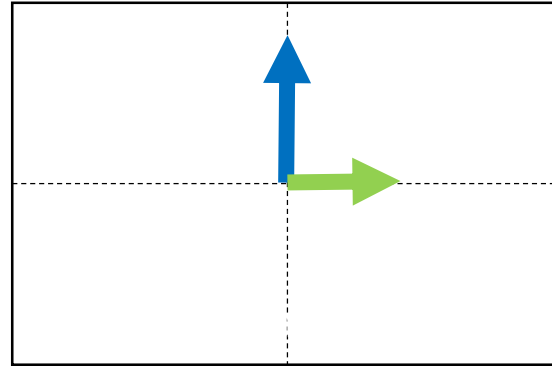
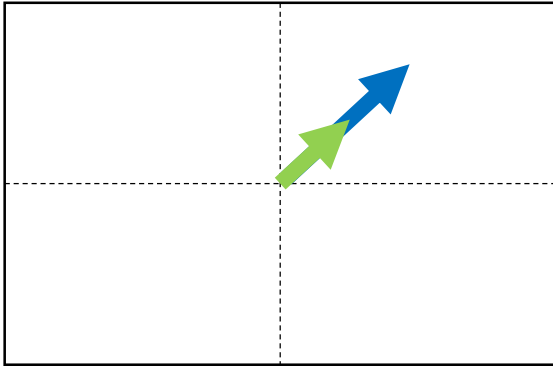
The set of all linear combinations of vectors in \mathcal{A} is called the span of \mathcal{A} . If \mathcal{A} spans the vector space V , write $V = \text{span}[\mathcal{A}]$ or $V = \text{span}[x_1, \dots, x_k]$

Basis

- The vectors that span a subspace are not unique
- However, the minimum number of vectors needed to span a subspace is unique
- This number is called the **dimension or rank of the subspace**
- A **minimal set of vectors that span a subspace is called a basis** for the space
- The **vectors in a basis must be linearly independent**, otherwise we could remove one and still span space

Basis

➤ Basis in vector space $V \in \mathbb{R}^2$:



Every **linearly independent set of vectors** that span V is called a basis of V

Example Bases

➤ In \mathbb{R}^3 , the **canonical/standard basis** is:

$$\mathcal{B} = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

➤ Two different bases of \mathbb{R}^3 are:

$$\mathcal{B}_1 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} \quad \mathcal{B}_2 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 \\ 0.8 \\ 0.4 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1.8 \\ 0.3 \\ 0.3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2.2 \\ -1.3 \\ 3.5 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

Linear Mapping/Transformation

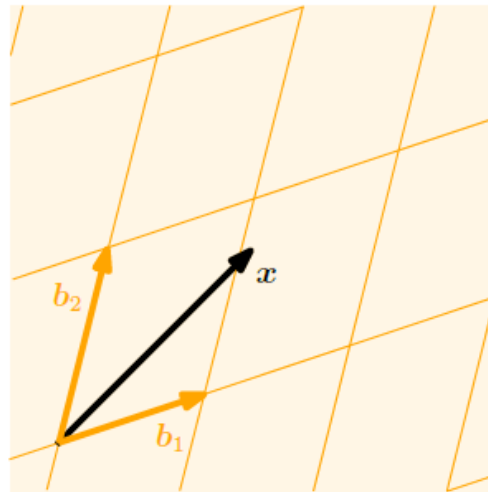
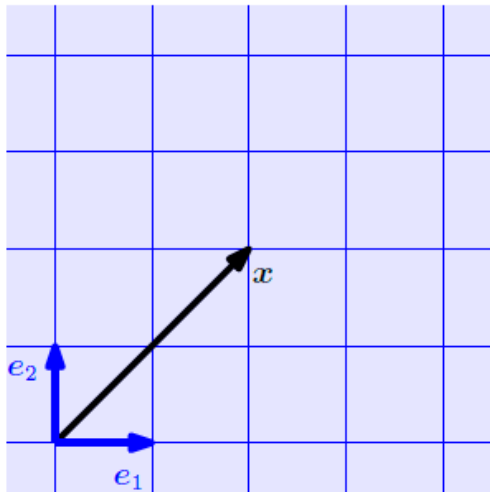
- Earlier, we saw that vectors are objects that can be added together and multiplied by a scalar, and the resulting object is still a vector
- Now, we do the same for vector spaces
- **Linear Mapping:** For vector spaces V, W , a mapping $\phi: V \rightarrow W$ is called a linear mapping (or linear transformation) if:

$$\forall x, y \in V \quad \forall \lambda, \psi \in \mathbb{R}: \phi(\lambda x + \psi y) = \lambda \phi(x) + \psi \phi(y)$$

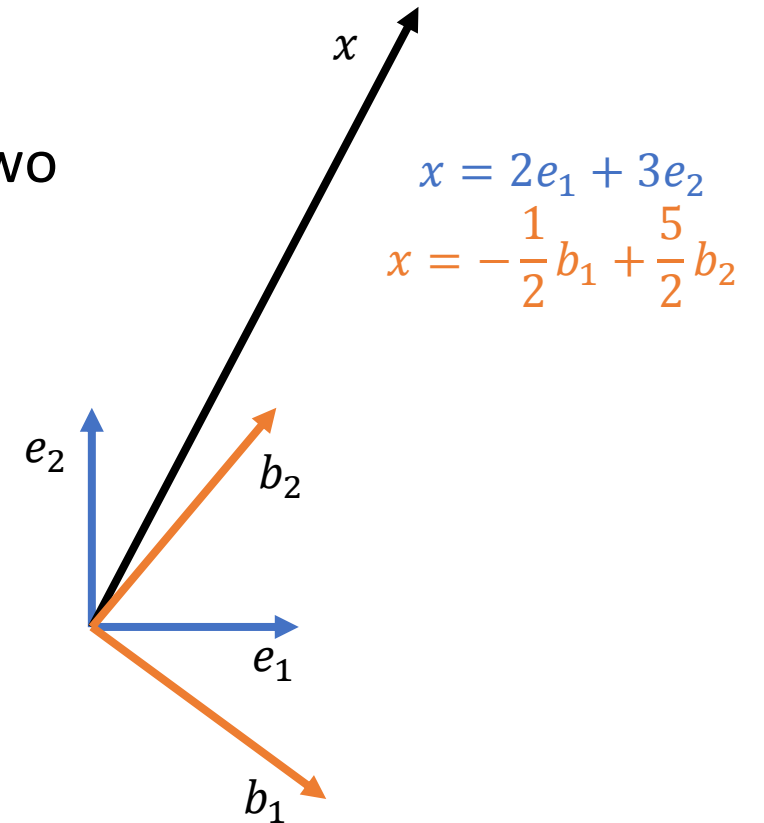
It turns out that we can represent linear mappings as matrices. Recall that we can also collect a set of vectors as columns of a matrix. When working with matrices, we have to keep in mind what the matrix represents: **a linear mapping or a collection of vectors.**

Linear Mapping/Transformation

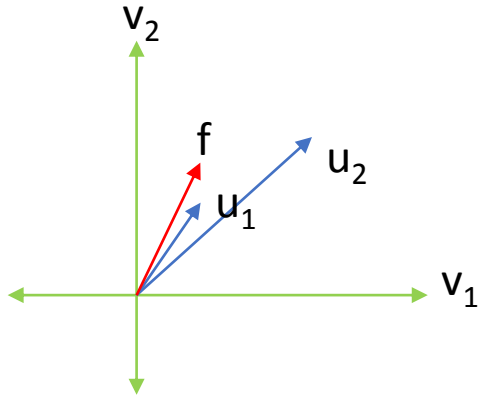
- A vector has different coordinate representations depending on which coordinate system or basis is chosen.
- Example: two different coordinate systems defined by two sets of basis vectors.



two different bases



Example: Change of Basis Matrix



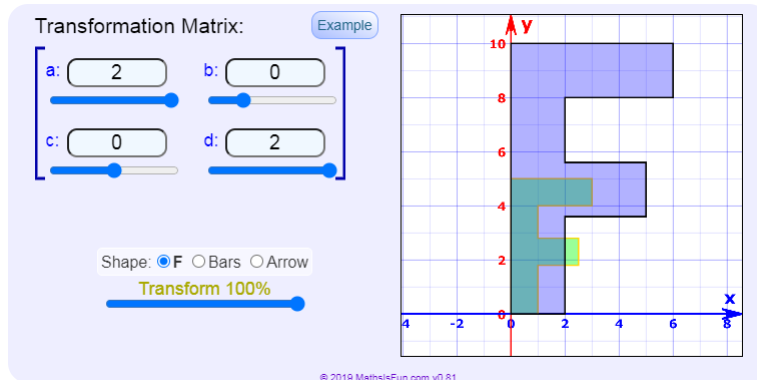
$$U = [2 \ 3]^T [4 \ 5]^T$$

$$[f]_v = [2 \ 4]^T$$

$$[f]_u = ?$$

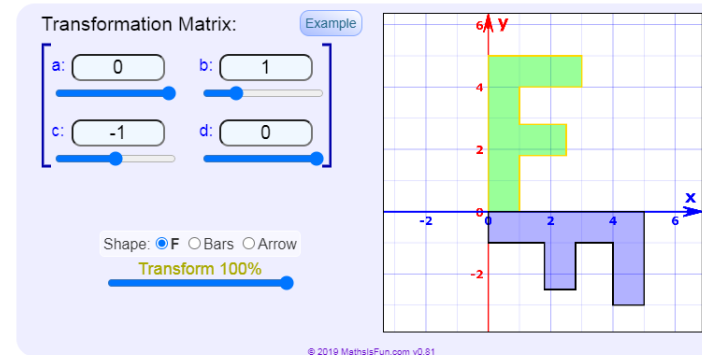
Examples of Transforms

➤ Scale

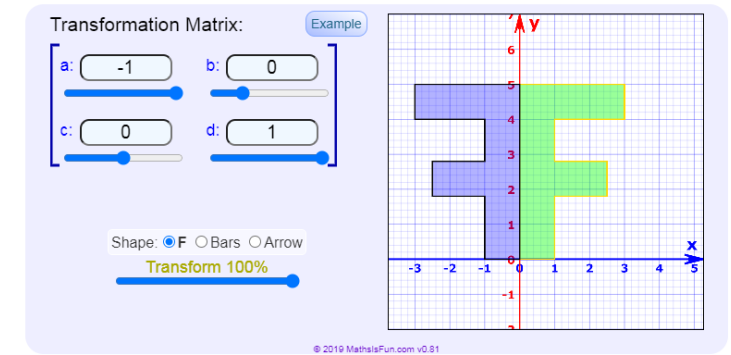


➤ Rotation

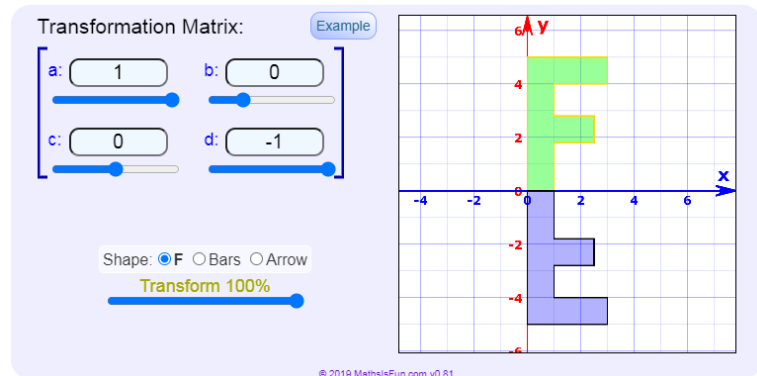
Have a play with this 2D transformation app:



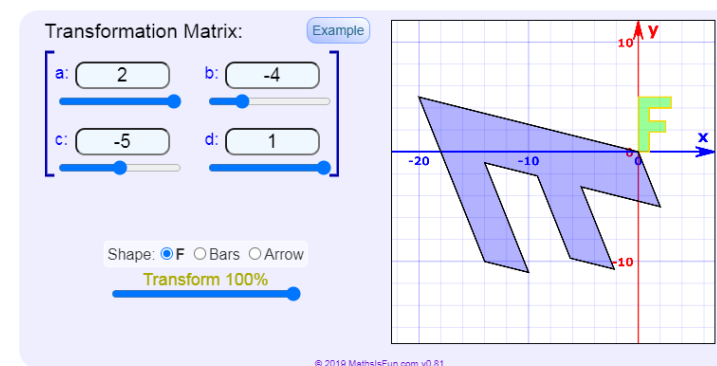
➤ Horizontal Mirror



➤ Vertical Mirror



➤ Combination of Transformations



Short Break

Analytical Geometry

Readings:

- Chapter 3.1-5,8,9 MML Textbook

Norms

- A norm is a scalar measure of a vector's length.
- The most important norm is the Euclidean norm and for $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is defined as:

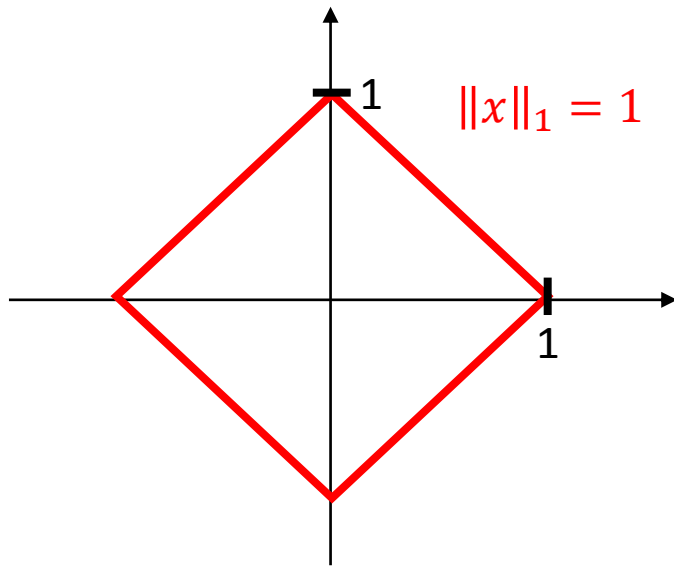
$$\|x\|_2 := \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2} = \sqrt{x^T x}$$

computes the Euclidian distance of x from the origin.

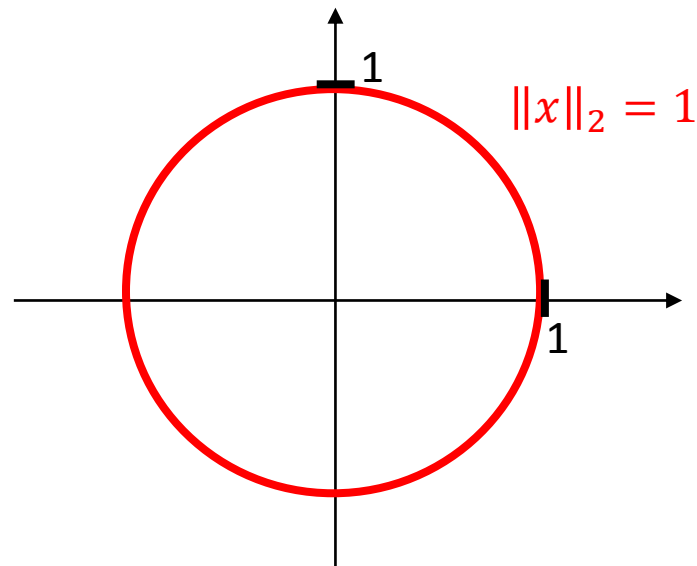
Euclidean norm is also known as the L2 norm

Norms

- For different norms, the red lines indicate the set of vectors with norm 1.



Manhattan norm



Euclidean distance

Dot product

➤ Dot product:

$$x^T y = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i$$

$$a_1 \cdot b_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = (1 \cdot 3) + (7 \cdot 5) = 38$$

➤ Commonly, the dot product between two vectors a , b is denoted by $a^T b$ or $\langle a, b \rangle$.

Lengths and Distances

➤ Consider an inner product space.

➤ Then

$$d(x, y) := \|x - y\| = \sqrt{\langle x - y, x - y \rangle}$$

is called the distance between x and y for $x, y \in V$.

➤ If we use the dot product as the inner product, then the distance is called Euclidean distance.

Angles

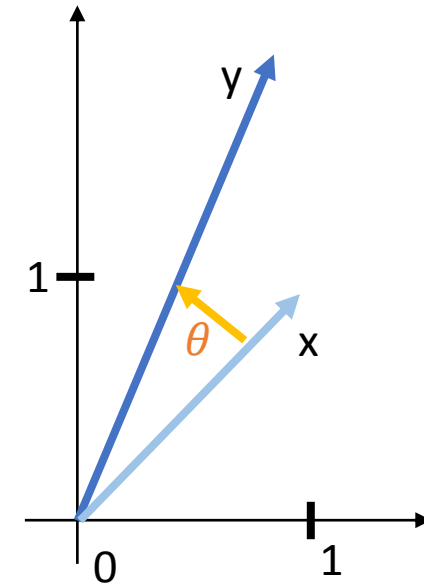
➤ The angle θ between two vectors x, y is computed using the inner product.

➤ For Example: Let us compute the angle between $x = [1,1]^T \in \mathbb{R}^2$ and $y = [1,2]^T \in \mathbb{R}^2$

➤ Using the dot product as the inner product we get:

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\langle x, y \rangle}{\sqrt{\langle x, x \rangle \langle y, y \rangle}} = \frac{x^T y}{\sqrt{x^T x y^T y}} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}$$

➤ Then the angle between the two vectors is $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}\right) \approx 0.32 \text{ rad}$, which corresponds to approximately 18° .



Orthogonality

- **Orthonormal = Orthogonal and unit vectors**
- **Orthogonal Matrix:** A square matrix $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is an orthogonal matrix if and only if its columns are orthonormal so that

$$AA^T = I = A^T A,$$

- which implies that

$$A^{-1} = A^T,$$

i.e., the inverse is obtained by simply transposing the matrix.

Orthonormal Basis

- In n -dimensional space, we need n basis vectors that are linearly independent, if these vectors are orthogonal, and each has length 1, it's a special case: **orthonormal basis**

- Consider an n -dimensional vector space V and a basis $\{b_1, \dots, b_n\}$ of V . If

$$\langle b_i, b_j \rangle = 0 \text{ for } i \neq j$$

$$\langle b_i, b_i \rangle = 1$$

for all $i, j = 1, \dots, n$ then the basis is called an orthonormal basis (ONB). Note that $\langle b_i, b_i \rangle = 1$ implies that every basis vector has length/norm 1.

- If only $\langle b_i, b_j \rangle = 0 \text{ for } i \neq j$ is satisfied, then the basis is called an orthogonal basis.

Orthonormal Basis

- The **canonical/standard basis** for a **Euclidean vector space** \mathbb{R}^n is an **orthonormal basis**, where the inner product is the dot product of vectors.
- Example: In \mathbb{R}^2 , the vectors:

$$b_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad b_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix},$$

form an orthonormal basis since $b_1^T b_2 = 0$ and $\|b_1\| = 1 = \|b_2\|$.

Orthogonal Projections

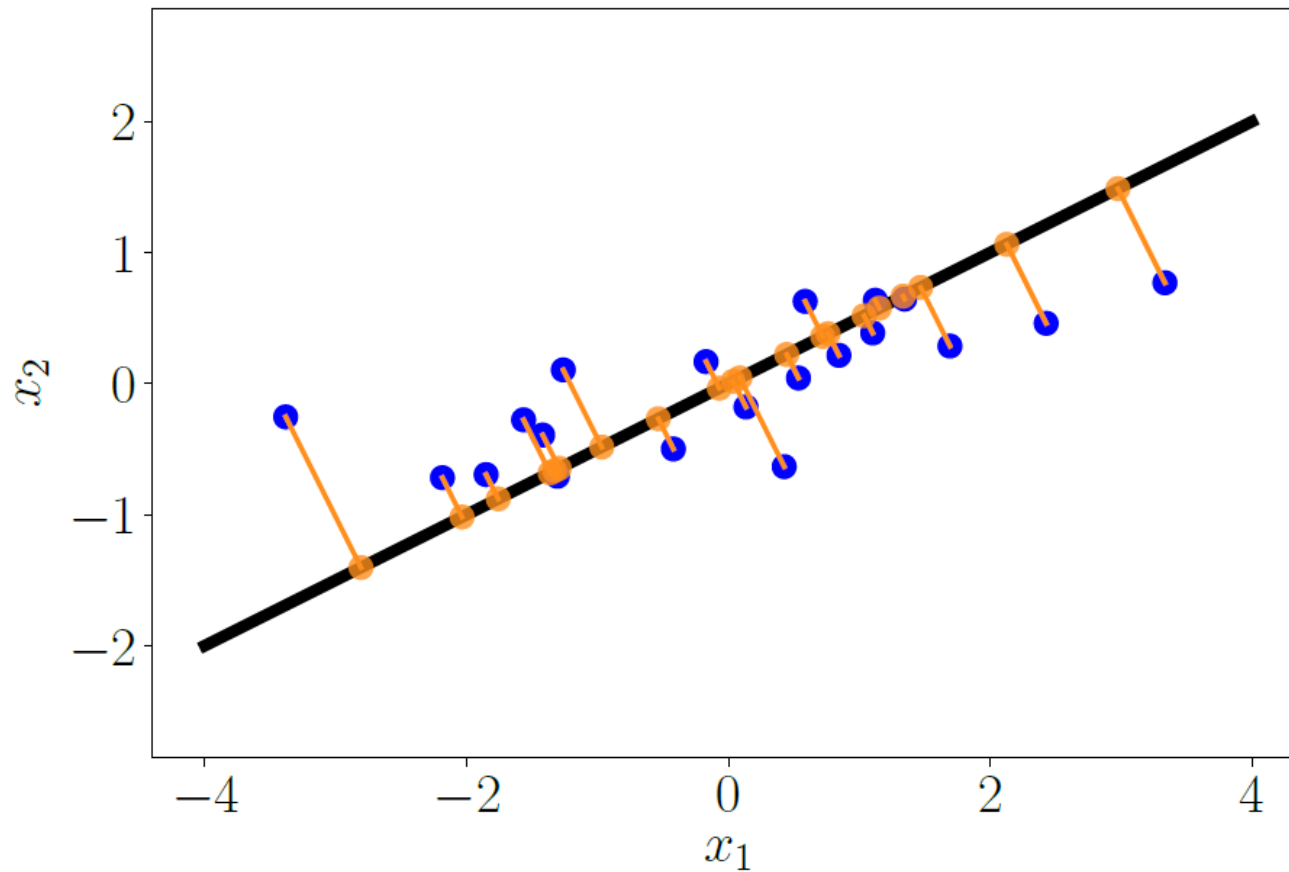
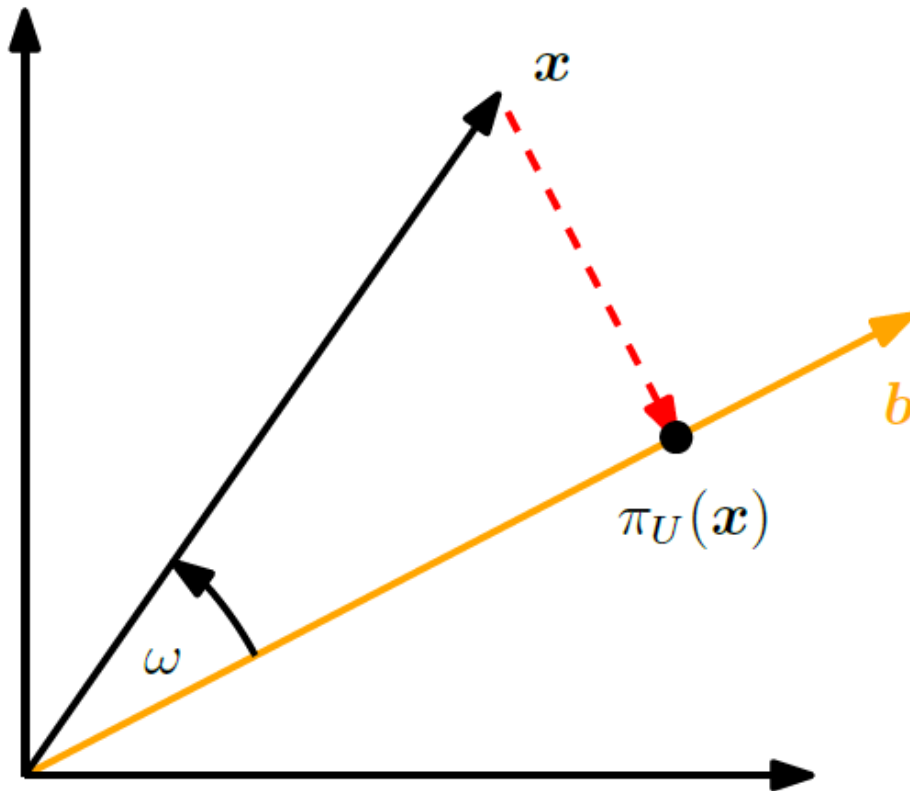


Figure 3.9
Orthogonal projection (orange dots) of a two-dimensional dataset (blue dots) onto a one-dimensional subspace (straight line).

- Projections are linear transformations, project to lower dimensional feature space

Orthogonal Projections



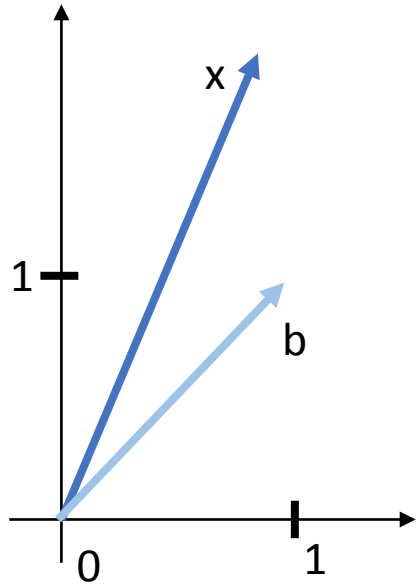
(a) Projection of $x \in \mathbb{R}^2$ onto a subspace U with basis vector b .

➤ The projection is defined

$$\pi_U(x) = \lambda b = b \frac{b^T x}{\|b\|^2} = \frac{b b^T}{\|b\|^2} x$$

Example: Orthogonal Projections

- Compute the projection of $x = [1, 2]^T \in \mathbb{R}^2$
onto $b = [1, 1]^T \in \mathbb{R}^2$



$$\pi_U(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{\mathbf{b}\mathbf{b}^T}{\|\mathbf{b}\|^2} \mathbf{x}$$

Projection Matrix

- We can also use a projection matrix, which allows us to project any vector x onto the subspace defined by π .

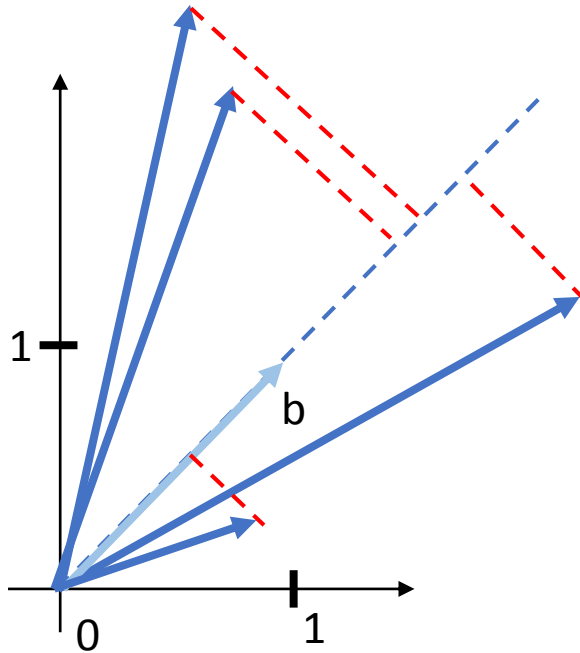
$$P_{\pi} = \boxed{\frac{\mathbf{b}\mathbf{b}^T}{\|\mathbf{b}\|^2}}$$

$$\pi_U(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{\mathbf{b}\mathbf{b}^T}{\|\mathbf{b}\|^2} \mathbf{x}$$

- Note that $\mathbf{b}\mathbf{b}^T$ will be a symmetric matrix

Example: Applying Projection Matrix

- Compute the projection matrix for $b = [1, 1]^T \in \mathbb{R}^2$



$$P_{\pi} = \frac{bb^T}{\|b\|^2}$$

Examples in Google Colab

Data Augmentation

Non-Representative Data

- Everything our algorithms learn comes from the data used to train them.
- If the data is of **poor quality, unbalanced** or **not representative** of the task we want to solve, then how are our algorithms going to learn to generalize?



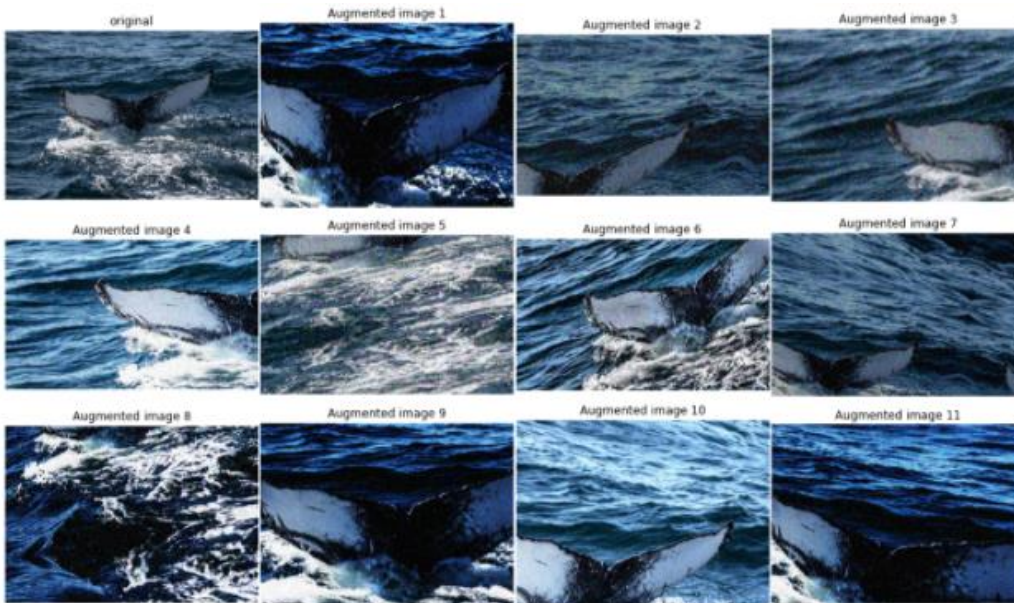
Capacity and Training

- Deep learning algorithms **have the capacity to classify real images** in various orientations and scales.
- If you train your algorithms on perfectly processed samples, then they won't know how to predict anything but perfectly cropped images.



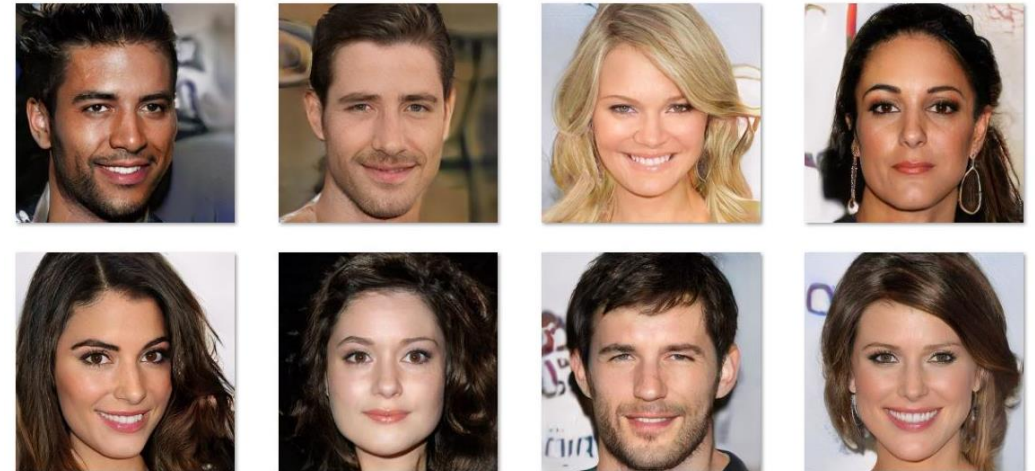
Data Augmentation

- Use linear algebra to perform common transformations to supplement datasets
 - Translation, Scaling, Rotation, Reflection
 - Noise, Light and Colour Intensity
 - Many more...



Source: [kaggle.com](https://www.kaggle.com)

GAN Fake Celebrities



Source: [Viridian Martinez](#)

- Advanced:
 - Generative models (i.e., Deep learning) to create new images with similar characteristics

Test Time Data Augmentation

- You can also apply data augmentation to better evaluate your performance on test examples.
- Great way to assess limitations of your model to images of different rotations, scales, noise, etc.

Data Augmentation in Google Colab

Next Time

- Week 5 Tutorial 2 on Anomaly Detection
 - Project 2 Overview
- **Feb 15-16 Midterm (no lecture)**
- **Q&A Session on Thur. Feb 17**
- Project 2 is due on Feb 28th
- Week 7 – Dimensionality Reduction
 - Curse of Dimensionality
 - Eigendecomposition
 - Singular Value Decomposition
 - Principle Component Analysis