

# Linear Algebra

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# 1 Vector

## 1.1 How to prove Two-vector collinear theorem

**Definition 1.1** (scalar multiplication of vectors)

A real number  $\lambda$  times a vector  $\mathbf{a}$  is equal to a vector  $\lambda\mathbf{a}$ :

- In the direction: when  $\lambda > 0$ , they are in the same direction, when  $\lambda = 0$ ,  $\lambda\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{0}$ , when  $\lambda < 0$ , they are in the opposite direction.
- $|\lambda\mathbf{a}| = |\lambda||\mathbf{a}|$

**Theorem 1.1** (Two-vector collinear theorem)

There are two non-zero vector  $\mathbf{a}$ ,  $\mathbf{b}$ . If it exists a real number  $\lambda$ , such that:

$$\mathbf{a} \parallel \mathbf{b} \iff \mathbf{b} = \lambda\mathbf{a}$$

### 1.1.1 Three-point collinear decision theorem

**Theorem 1.2** (Three-point collinear decision theorem)

If  $A, B, C$  are collinear, then:

$$\overrightarrow{OB} = \lambda\overrightarrow{OA} + (1 - \lambda)\overrightarrow{OC}$$

*Proof:* Since  $A, B, C$  are collinear, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\overrightarrow{CB} &\parallel \overrightarrow{AC} \\ \overrightarrow{CB} &= \lambda\overrightarrow{AC}\end{aligned}$$

So

$$\overrightarrow{OB} - \overrightarrow{OC} = \lambda(\overrightarrow{OA} - \overrightarrow{OC})$$

Hence

$$\overrightarrow{OB} = \lambda\overrightarrow{OA} + (1 - \lambda)\overrightarrow{OC}$$

□

### 1.1.2 Expand to triangle

**Theorem 1.3** (Three-point collinear decision theorem in triangle)

In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $D$  is the  $n$  equal component of  $BC$  :  $nBD = kDC = BC$ .

$$\overrightarrow{AD} = \frac{n}{n+k}\overrightarrow{AB} + \frac{k}{n+k}\overrightarrow{AC}$$

*Proof:* We have

$$\begin{aligned}\overrightarrow{AB} + \overrightarrow{BD} &= \overrightarrow{AD} \\ \overrightarrow{AD} + \overrightarrow{DC} &= \overrightarrow{AC}\end{aligned}$$

Since  $nBD = kDC = BC$ , We can have

$$\begin{aligned}\overrightarrow{BC} &= n\overrightarrow{AD} - n\overrightarrow{AB} \\ \overrightarrow{BC} &= k\overrightarrow{AC} - k\overrightarrow{AD}\end{aligned}$$

So

$$k\overrightarrow{AC} - k\overrightarrow{AD} = n\overrightarrow{AD} - n\overrightarrow{AB}$$

Hence

$$\overrightarrow{AD} = \frac{n}{n+k}\overrightarrow{AB} + \frac{k}{n+k}\overrightarrow{AC}$$

□

## 1.2 In three dimensions space

**Lemma 1.1** (Fundamental theorem of space vectors)

In three dimensions, we have three noncoplanar vectors  $e_1, e_2, e_3$ , for arbitrary vector  $P$ , exist a unique tuple  $(x, y, z)$ , hence:

$$P = xe_1 + ye_2 + ze_3$$

Hence, we can define:

**Definition 1.2**

Let the three cross-perpendicular vector  $e_1, e_2, e_3$  as orthogonal bases in three dimensions space, and let  $(x, y, z)$  represent vector's coordinates.

**Theorem 1.4** (Fundamental theorem of cooriented quantities)

If threr are two non-collinear vector  $x, y$ , the sufficient and necessary condition that vector  $P$  is coplanar with  $x, y$  is exists the unique real pair  $(\lambda, \mu)$  such that:

$$P = \lambda x + \mu y$$

## 1.3 Expand

### 1.3.1 Rotation of vector

**Theorem 1.5**

In two-dimensions space, set the angle of vector  $a$  is  $\theta$ , the cordinate of  $a$  is  $(x, y)$ , the length of  $a$  is  $l = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ , then the cordinate of  $a$  can be represent as  $(l \cos \theta, l \sin \theta)$ , set a vector  $b$  have angle  $\alpha$  respect to  $a$ , such that:

$$b = (x \cos \alpha - y \sin \alpha, y \cos \alpha + x \sin \alpha)$$

*Proof:* We have angle  $\alpha$  respect to  $a$ , so that

$$b = (l \cos(\theta + \alpha), l \sin(\theta + \alpha))$$

According to Triangle identity transformation

$$\mathbf{b} = (l \cos \theta \cos \alpha - l \sin \theta \sin \alpha, l \sin \theta \cos \alpha + l \cos \theta \sin \alpha)$$

According to  $\mathbf{a} = (l \cos \theta, l \sin \theta)$ , hence

$$\mathbf{b} = (x \cos \alpha - y \sin \alpha, y \cos \alpha + x \sin \alpha)$$

□

## 1.4 Inner product

### Definition 1.3 Inner product

$$\alpha \cdot \beta = |\alpha| |\beta| \cos(\widehat{\alpha, \beta})$$

### Lemma 1.2 Coordinate representation

$$\alpha \cdot \beta = x_1 x_2 + y_1 y_2 + z_1 z_2$$

*Proof:* Set orthogonal bases  $\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{j}, \mathbf{k}$ , we can have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{i}^2 &= \mathbf{j}^2 = \mathbf{k}^2 = 1 \\ \mathbf{i} \cdot \mathbf{j} &= \mathbf{j} \cdot \mathbf{k} = \mathbf{i} \cdot \mathbf{k} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Let  $\alpha = (x_1, y_1, z_1), \beta = (x_2, y_2, z_2)$  since

$$\alpha \cdot \beta = (x_1 \mathbf{i} + y_1 \mathbf{j} + z_1 \mathbf{k}) \cdot (x_2 \mathbf{i} + y_2 \mathbf{j} + z_2 \mathbf{k})$$

Simplify it

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha \cdot \beta &= (x_1 x_2) \mathbf{i}^2 + (x_1 y_2) \mathbf{i} \cdot \mathbf{j} + (x_1 z_2) \mathbf{i} \cdot \mathbf{k} \\ &+ (y_1 y_2) \mathbf{j}^2 + (y_1 x_2) \mathbf{j} \cdot \mathbf{i} + (y_1 z_2) \mathbf{j} \cdot \mathbf{k} \\ &+ (z_1 z_2) \mathbf{k}^2 + (z_1 x_2) \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{i} + (z_1 y_2) \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{j} \\ &= x_1 x_2 + y_1 y_2 + z_1 z_2 \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\alpha \cdot \beta = x_1 x_2 + y_1 y_2 + z_1 z_2$$

□

## 1.5 Outer product

### Definition 1.4 Outer product

$\alpha \times \beta$  is a vector.

$\alpha \times \beta, \alpha, \beta$  allows right hand rule.

$$\begin{aligned} |\alpha \times \beta| &= |\alpha| |\beta| \sin(\widehat{\alpha, \beta}) \\ \alpha \times \beta &\perp \alpha \perp \beta \end{aligned}$$

### Lemma 1.3 Reverse-exchange law

$$\alpha \times \beta = -\beta \times \alpha$$

## Outer product matrix representation in three dimensions

$$\alpha \times \beta = \begin{vmatrix} i & j & k \\ x_1 & y_1 & z_1 \\ x_2 & y_2 & z_2 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} y_1 & z_1 \\ y_2 & z_2 \end{vmatrix} i - \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & z_1 \\ x_2 & z_2 \end{vmatrix} j + \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & y_1 \\ x_2 & y_2 \end{vmatrix} k$$

## 2 Matrix

Normally,  $I$  represent the unit matrix: main diagonal all equal to 1, rest all equal to 0.

### Definition 2.1

Set the number of rows of a matrix  $X$  is  $r_X$ , column of it is  $c_X$ ,  $X$  is arbitrary.

**Homomorphic matrix :** There are two matrix  $A, B$ ,  $r_A = r_B \wedge c_A = c_B$ .

**Square :** There is a matrix  $A$ ,  $r_A = c_A$ .

**Main diagonal :** There is a square  $A$  have  $n$  factorial, the set of the main diagonal element is

$$\{A_{ij} \mid i = j \in [1, n]\}$$

**symmetric matrix :** There is a square matrix of  $n$  factorials

$$A : A_{ij} = A_{ji} \quad (i \in [1, n], j \in [1, n]).$$

**Diagonal matrix :** A matrix have nonzero element only on the main diagonal, with the rest of the elements are being 0, It can be represented as

$$\text{diag}\{\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n\} \quad (\lambda_n = A_{nn})$$

**Triangle matrix :**