

# Introduction to Linear Algebra Excercises

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## Chapter 1

### Exercise 3

#### *Problem 3*

Given that  $A$  and  $B$  are two vectors defined on the same dimention, prove that  $(A + B)^2 = A^2 + B^2 + 2AB$ , and that  $(A - B)^2 = A^2 + B^2 - 2AB$

#### *Solution*

$$\begin{aligned} A &= (a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n) \\ \therefore A^2 &= (a_1^2, a_2^2, a_3^2, \dots, a_n^2) \\ B &= (b_1, b_2, b_3, \dots, b_n) \\ \therefore B^2 &= (b_1^2, b_2^2, b_3^2, \dots, b_n^2) \\ \therefore 2AB &= (2a_1b_1, 2a_2b_2, 2a_nb_n) \\ \therefore (A + B) &= (a_1 + b_1, a_2 + b_2, \dots, a_n + b_n) \\ \therefore (A + B)^2 &= ((a_1^2 + b_1^2 + 2a_1b_1), (a_2^2 + b_2^2 + 2a_2b_2), \dots, (a_n^2 + b_n^2 + 2a_nb_n)) \\ &= (a_1^2, a_2^2, a_3^2, \dots, a_n^2) + (b_1^2, b_2^2, b_3^2, \dots, b_n^2) + (2a_1b_1, 2a_2b_2, 2a_nb_n) \\ &= A^2 + B^2 + 2AB \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore Q.E.D.$

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Now, we move on to the next proof.

$$\begin{aligned}
A &= (a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n) \\
\therefore A^2 &= (a_1^2, a_2^2, a_3^2, \dots, a_n^2) \\
B &= (b_1, b_2, b_3, \dots, b_n) \\
\therefore B^2 &= (b_1^2, b_2^2, b_3^2, \dots, b_n^2) \\
\therefore 2AB &= (2a_1b_1, 2a_2b_2, 2a_nb_n) \\
\therefore (A - B)^2 &= (a_1 - b_1, a_2 - b_2, \dots, a_n - b_n) \\
\therefore (A - B)^2 &= ((a_1 - b_1)^2, (a_2 - b_2)^2, \dots, (a_n - b_n)^2) \\
&= ((a_1^2 + b_1^2 - 2a_1b_1), (a_2^2 + b_2^2 - 2a_2b_2), \dots, (a_n^2 + b_n^2 - 2a_nb_n)) \\
&= (a_1^2, a_2^2, a_3^2, \dots, a_n^2) + (b_1^2, b_2^2, b_3^2, \dots, b_n^2) - (2a_1b_1, 2a_2b_2, 2a_nb_n) \\
&= A^2 + B^2 - 2AB
\end{aligned}$$

*$\therefore Q.E.D.$*

#### **Problem 5**

Given that vector  $A$  is perpendicular to any and all vectors, prove that  $A$  is a 0 vector. You may take any and all vectors to be  $X$ .

#### **Solution**

$$\begin{aligned}
A &= (a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n) \\
X &= (x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_n) \\
AX &= \sum_{i=1}^n a_i x_i
\end{aligned}$$

Because  $x_i$  can be any number, the only way the sum of all the terms is 0 is by ensuring that all the terms are equal to 0, and that can only be the case if  $a_i$  is 0 in all cases, because 0 is the only number which yields 0 as the product when multiplied with any number.

$\therefore a_i = 0$  for all  $i$ .  
 $\therefore A$  is a 0 vector.

### Exercise 4

Find the norm of the vector A in the following cases.

#### *Part A*

$$A = (2, -1)$$

#### *Solution*

$$\begin{aligned} \|A\| &= \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n a_i^2} \\ &= \sqrt{2^2 + (-1)^2} = \sqrt{4 + 1} = \sqrt{5} \end{aligned}$$

#### *Part E*

$$A = (\pi, 3, -1)$$

#### *Solution*

$$\begin{aligned} \|A\| &= \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n a_i^2} \\ &= \sqrt{\pi^2 + 3^2 + (-1)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{\pi^2 + 10} \end{aligned}$$

#### *Problem 3*

Find the projection of A along B.

#### *Part B*

$$A = (-1, 3); \quad B = (0, 4)$$

#### *Solution*

$$\begin{aligned} c &= \frac{A \cdot B}{B \cdot B} \\ &= \frac{(-1 \cdot 0) + (3 \cdot 4)}{(0 \cdot 0) + (4 \cdot 4)} = \frac{12}{16} = \frac{3}{4} \end{aligned}$$

Projection of A along B =  $cB$

$$= \frac{3}{4}(0, 4) = (0, 3)$$

**Problem 5**

Find the cosine between the following vectors  $A$  and  $B$ .

**Part A**

$$A = (1, -2); B = (5, 3)$$

**Solution**

$$A \cdot B = 1 \cdot 5 + (-2) \cdot 3 = -1$$

$$\|A\| = \sqrt{1^2 + (-2)^2} = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\|B\| = \sqrt{5^2 + 3^2} = \sqrt{34}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\cos \theta &= \frac{A \cdot B}{\|A\| \|B\|} \\ &= -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}\sqrt{34}}\end{aligned}$$

**Problem 6 A**

Find the cosine of the angle formed by these vertices:

$$(2, -1, 1), (1, -3, 5), (3, -4, -4)$$

**Solution**

I shall consider the angle to be denoted by  $\vartheta$  instead of  $\theta$  to phleks the seski math symbol.

Firstly, we shall lable the points.

$$(2, -1, 1) = A$$

$$(1, -3, 5) = B$$

$$(3, -4, -4) = C$$

$$\overrightarrow{AB} = B - A = (-1, -2, 4)$$

$$\overrightarrow{BC} = C - B = (2, -1, -9)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \cos \vartheta &= \frac{A \cdot B}{\|A\| \|B\|} \\ &= \frac{(-1) \cdot 2 + (-2) \cdot (-1) + 4 \cdot 9}{(\sqrt{(-1)^2 + (-2)^2 + 4^2})(\sqrt{2^2 + (-1)^2 + (-9)^2})} \\ &= \frac{36}{\sqrt{21}\sqrt{41}}\end{aligned}$$

$$f'(x) = f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$$

***Problem 7***

Actually fuck it if you wanna see the solution head to my chat with *yang\_neo* so ya.

No wait we chat about a lot of shit which you dont wanna see youre gonna judge us so dont

## Exercise 6

### *Problem 2*

Let  $y = mx + b$  and  $y = m'x + c$  be the equations of two lines in the plane. Write down vectors perpendicular to these lines. Show that these vectors are perpendicular to each other if and only if  $mm' = -1$

### *Solution*

$$b = y - mx$$

$$c = y - m'x$$

$$\therefore (1, -m) = \text{Vector } \beta \{\text{seski phlex}\},$$

$$(1, -m') = \text{Vector } \gamma \{\text{seski phlex again}\}$$

$$\beta \cdot \gamma = 0$$

$$\therefore 1 \cdot 1 + -m \cdot (-m') = 0$$

$$\therefore 1 + mm' = 0$$

$$\therefore mm' = (-1)$$

*$\therefore Q.E.D.$*