

# Lecture 1 (Vectors)

1. Vector Sum:  $\vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\vec{w} = \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ \vdots \\ w_n \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\vec{v} + \vec{w} = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 + w_1 \\ \vdots \\ v_n + w_n \end{bmatrix}$
2. Scalar Multiplication:  $c\vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} cv_1 \\ \vdots \\ cv_n \end{bmatrix}$
3. Linear Combination:  $\vec{w} = a_1\vec{v}_1 + a_2\vec{v}_2 + \dots + a_n\vec{v}_n$
4. Convex Combination: Lincomb when  $a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n = 1$   
 $\hookrightarrow$  for two vectors, convex is  $(1-t)\vec{v} + t\vec{w}$ ,  $0 \leq t \leq 1$
5. Vector Properties:
  - $\vec{v} + \vec{w} = \vec{w} + \vec{v}$
  - $\vec{v} + (\vec{w} + \vec{u}) = (\vec{v} + \vec{w}) + \vec{u}$
  - $(ab)\vec{v} = a(b\vec{v})$
  - $a(\vec{v} + \vec{w}) = a\vec{v} + a\vec{w}$
  - $(a+b)\vec{v} = a\vec{v} + b\vec{v}$
6. Magnitude:  $\|\vec{v}\| = \sqrt{v_1^2 + \dots + v_n^2}$   
 $\|\vec{v}\| = \|\vec{w}\|$  and  $\|c\vec{v}\| = |c| \|\vec{v}\|$
7. Displacement:  $\vec{v} - \vec{w}$  is displacement vector,  
 $\|\vec{v} - \vec{w}\|$  is distance b/w  $\vec{v}$  &  $\vec{w}$

# Lecture 2 (Dot Product)

1.  $\cos\theta = \frac{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w}}{\|\vec{v}\| \|\vec{w}\|}$  (angle between  $\vec{v}$  and  $\vec{w}$ )
2. Dot prod:  $\vec{x} \cdot \vec{y} = x_1y_1 + \dots + x_ny_n = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i$
3. Orthogonal:  $\vec{x} \cdot \vec{y} = 0$
4. Dot prod properties:
  - $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w} = \vec{w} \cdot \vec{v}$
  - $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v} = \|\vec{v}\|^2$
  - $\vec{v} \cdot (c\vec{w}_1 + c_2\vec{w}_2) = c_1(\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w}_1) + c_2(\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w}_2)$
5. Correlation coefficient:  $r = \frac{\vec{x} \cdot \vec{y}}{\|\vec{x}\| \|\vec{y}\|}$ ,  $-1 \leq r \leq 1$

# Lecture 3 (Planes)

- To find side of plane at point, plug in point and compare to d.
- Equation form:  $ax + by + cz = d$  (normalized d)
- Normal vector: find point P and  $\vec{n} = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix}$  (orthogonal to plane)
- Parametric:  $P + te + t'e'$
- Equation  $\leftrightarrow$  Normal
1. Coefficients of equation is  $\vec{n} = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix}$
  2. Use displacement from  $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$  to point or plug in point to equation to find d.
- Equation  $\leftrightarrow$  Parametric
1. Find 3 points for equation,  $(x, y, z)$
  2. Pick one to be point P
  3. Find displacement  $\vec{e} = \vec{Q} - \vec{P}$ ,  $\vec{e}' = \vec{R} - \vec{P}$
  4. Put into parametric form
- Parametric  $\leftrightarrow$  Normal
1. solve for  $\vec{n}$ ,  $\vec{n} \cdot \vec{e} = 0$ ,  $\vec{n} \cdot \vec{e}' = 0$
  2. use point to find plane

# Lecture 4 (Subspaces)

1. Span:  $\text{span}(\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_n) = \{c_1\vec{v}_1 + \dots + c_n\vec{v}_n; c_1, \dots, c_n \in \mathbb{R}\}$   
 $\hookrightarrow \vec{0}$  is always in span,  $\text{span}(\vec{0}) = \{\vec{0}\}$   
 $\hookrightarrow$  spans are not unique. Multiple vectors can make same span  
 $\hookrightarrow$  linear subspace is same thing as span; must contain origin  
 $\hookrightarrow$  all linear comb. of vectors in subspace are also in subspace
2. Dimension: for subspace V,  $\dim(V)$  = smallest # of vectors to span V.  
 For  $V = \text{span}(\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_n)$ ,  $\dim(V) = k$  if each  $\vec{v}_i$  is not LC of other vectors.

# Lecture 5 (Basis/Orthogonality)

1. Basis: basis of subspace V is spanning set of  $\dim(V)$  vectors (no redundant vectors)  
 $\hookrightarrow \{e_1, e_2, e_3\}$  is basis of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ ; there are many more
2. Dimension Continues:
  - ① span of one vector has  $\dim(V) = 1$
  - ②  $\dim(V) \leq k$  if vectors are scalar mults of linear comb $\hookrightarrow$  remove all scalar mults & linear combos, remaining vectors is dimension
3. Orthogonal Basis: if  $\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_k$  is orthogonal collection (all  $\perp$  to each other), then it is a basis for  $\text{span}(\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_k)$ .  $\dim(\text{span}(\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_k)) = k \rightarrow$  orthogonal basis
4. Orthogonal basis: orthogonal basis w/ unit vectors  $\rightarrow \frac{\vec{v}_i}{\|\vec{v}_i\|}$
5. Standard basis: for  $\mathbb{R}^3$ , it's  $\text{span}\left\{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\right\}$
6. Fourier formula: for orthogonal collection  $\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_k \in \mathbb{R}^n$  and  $\vec{v} \in \text{span}(\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_k)$   
 $\vec{v} = \sum_{i=1}^k \left( \frac{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v}_i}{\vec{v}_i \cdot \vec{v}_i} \right) \vec{v}_i \rightarrow \left( c_i = \frac{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v}_i}{\vec{v}_i \cdot \vec{v}_i} \right) \rightarrow$  it's orthonormal,  $\vec{v} = \sum (\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v}_i) \vec{v}_i$

# Lecture 6 (Projections)

1. Proj:  $\vec{x} = \left( \frac{\vec{x} \cdot \vec{w}}{\vec{w} \cdot \vec{w}} \right) \vec{w}$  (point in  $L = \text{span}(\vec{w})$  closest to  $\vec{x}$ )
2. Projecting onto lines using dot prod:
  - $\text{Proj}_V(c_1x_1 + \dots + c_kx_k) = c_1\text{Proj}_V(x_1) + \dots + c_k\text{Proj}_V(x_k)$
  - $= \text{Proj}_V(\vec{x})$
  - $\hookrightarrow$  compute  $\text{Proj}_V(\vec{e}_1), \dots, \text{Proj}_V(\vec{e}_k)$
  - $\hookrightarrow$  then  $\vec{v} = v_1\vec{e}_1 + \dots + v_k\vec{e}_k$
3. Orthogonal Projection Theorem: (subspace V)  
 $\hookrightarrow$  for orthogonal basis  $\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_k$  of V  
 $\text{Proj}_V(\vec{x}) = \text{Proj}_{\vec{v}_1}(\vec{x}) + \dots + \text{Proj}_{\vec{v}_k}(\vec{x})$
4. Orthogonal Projection Theorem (Ver. 2):  $\vec{x} = \vec{v} + \vec{v}'$ , where  $\vec{v} = \text{Proj}_V(\vec{x})$  and  $\vec{v}' = \vec{x} - \text{Proj}_V(\vec{x})$  [ $\vec{v}' \perp V$ ]

# Lecture 7 (Orthogonal Basis)

1.  $\vec{y}$  and  $\vec{x}' = \vec{x} - \text{Proj}_V(\vec{x})$  is orthogonal basis of  $\text{span}(\vec{x}, \vec{y})$
2. Linear Regression Steps:
  - 1) find X and Y
  - 2) find  $\hat{X} = X - \text{Proj}_V(X) = X - \vec{x}$
  - 3) use  $\{\hat{X}, 1\}$  as ortho basis for the space  $V = \text{span}(X, 1)$
  - 4) Project Y into V  
 $\text{Proj}_V Y = \text{Proj}_{\hat{X}} Y + \text{Proj}_1 Y$   
 $= a\hat{X} + \vec{y}_1$
  - 5) sub  $(X - \hat{X})$  for  $\hat{X}$   
 $= a(X - \vec{x}) + \vec{y}_1$   
 $= aX - a\vec{x} + \vec{y}_1$
  - 6) remove a, b:  $\vec{y} = a\vec{x} + b$

# Lecture 8 (Level Sets)

1. Scalar-valued function:  $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
2. Vector-valued function:  $\vec{f}: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$  } sure  
 $\hookrightarrow$  component fnds:  $f_1, \dots, f_m: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$
3. Composition:  $(f \circ g)(x) = f(g(x))$   
 $\hookrightarrow$  match input of  $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^p$
4. Graph:  $\vec{f}: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$   
 $\text{Graph}(f) = \{(x_1, \dots, x_n, z) \in \mathbb{R}^{n+1}; z = f(x_1, \dots, x_n)\}$
5. Level sets: for  $\vec{f}: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  and  $c \in \mathbb{R}$ , level set is  $\{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \text{ s.t. } f(x_1, \dots, x_n) = c\}$
6. Contour Plot: depicts level sets in 2 plane for many values of  $c$  in  $\mathbb{R}$   
 let  $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2$   
 $c=0: 0 = x^2 + y^2$   
 $c=1: 1 = x^2 + y^2$   
 you can add constants to get 2 different functions w/ same level set

# Dimension Criterion

- One Vector:  $\text{span}(\vec{v})$  has  $\dim=1$
- Two Vectors:  $\dim(\text{span}(\vec{v}, \vec{w})) = 2$  if  $\vec{v}$  &  $\vec{w}$  not scalar mults, else  $\dim=1$
- Three Vectors:  $\dim(V) = 3$  except
- ① all three vectors scalar mult  $\rightarrow \dim=1$
  - ② two vectors scalar mult  $\rightarrow \dim=2$
  - ③ no scalar mult, but one  $\vec{v}_i$  is linear comb of other two  $\rightarrow \dim=2$
- $\hookrightarrow$  any  $\vec{v}_i$  will be linear comb of other two if one is

Ex: span  $\mathbb{R}^3$  subspace in  $\mathbb{R}^4$

$$U = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ w \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^4 : \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$-x + 2y + 3z + w = 0$$

$$x = 2y + 3z + w$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ w \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2y + 3z + w \\ y \\ z \\ w \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 2y \\ y \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 3z \\ 0 \\ z \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} w \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ w \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= y \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + z \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + w \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$U = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

Ex: find 3 5-vectors whose  $\text{span}(u_1, u_2, u_3) = U$

$$U = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^5 : x \cdot u_1 = 0, x \cdot u_2 = 0\}$$

$$x \cdot u_1 = 0, u_1 = (1, -2, 0, -4, 3)$$

$$x_1 - 2x_2 - 4x_4 + 3x_5 = 0$$

$$x_1 = 2x_2 + 4x_4 - 3x_5$$

$$x \cdot u_2 = 0, u_2 = (0, 5, -1, 2, 2)$$

$$5x_2 - x_3 + 2x_4 + 2x_5 = 0$$

$$x_3 = 5x_2 + 2x_4 + 2x_5$$

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} 2x_2 + 4x_4 - 3x_5 \\ x_2 \\ 5x_2 + 2x_4 + 2x_5 \\ x_4 \\ x_5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= x_2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 5 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_4 \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_5 \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$u_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 5 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, u_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, u_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x_0, u_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 5 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, u_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, u_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Lecture 13: Linear Functions & Matrices**

- Affine:  $f(x) = a_1x_1 + \dots + a_nx_n + b$  ( $b$  is constant)
- Linear:  $f(x) = a_1x_1 + \dots + a_nx_n$  ( $b=0$ , all components linear)
- Linear function:  $f(x) = A \cdot x$
- Affine function:  $f(x) = A \cdot x + b$
- Transformation  $T(x) = A \cdot x$ , find  $A$  by getting columns through standard basis
- Derivative/Jacobian Matrix
- Linear Approximation:  $f(x) \approx f(a) + Df(a)(x-a)$  for  $x$  near  $a$

Ex: line as span of 2 vectors

$$y = 2x$$

$$L = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

To show that three vectors are not on a line, get displacement vectors  $\vec{PQ}$  and  $\vec{PR}$  and make sure they are not scalar multiples.

Two var, all 2nd partials

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right)$$

**Lecture 10: Extrema & Critical Points**

- Local max @  $(a,b)$  if  $f(a,b) \geq f(x,y)$  for all  $(x,y)$  nearby
- Local min @  $(a,b)$  if  $f(a,b) \leq f(x,y)$
- Crit Point:  $\nabla f = 0$ , possible extrema
- Saddle Point: local min in one dir, max in other dir if point is local/global extremum in both, not saddle
- Extrema on region:
  - find crit points in interior ( $\nabla f = 0$ )
  - find crit points on boundary (single-var)
  - find crit points on corners (intersection of boundaries)
  - plug all into  $f$

**Lecture 14: Linear Transformations**

Function is linear when  $f(ax+by) = af(x) + bf(y)$

- $T_A(x) = A \cdot x$ ,  $T_B(x) = B \cdot x$ ,  $T_A \circ T_B(x) = A(Bx)$
- $T_{A \circ B}(x) = (A \circ B)x = A(Bx) = A \cdot Bx = (AB)x = T_{AB}(x)$
- $T_{A^T}(x) = (A^T)x = (A^T)x = (A^T)x$

**Lecture 15: Matrix Algebra**

- Diagonal: Lower/Upper triangular: all entries above/below diagonal are zero

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

**Lecture 9: Partial Derivatives**

- Partial Notation:  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}(a,b)$ ,  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} \Big|_{(a,b)}$ ,  $f_{x_i}(a,b)$
- Definition:  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i}(a,b) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(a+h, b) - f(a,b)}{h}$
- Symbolic: Don't plug constants until final calculation
- Numerical: replace each  $x_j$  with constants before differentiating
- Partial Derivatives on contour plot
- Second partial:  $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_i^2 \partial x_j^2} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_j^2 \partial x_i^2}$
- Clairaut-Schwarz:  $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y \partial x} = \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} \rightarrow f_{xy} = f_{yx}$
- Functions that satisfy  $f_{xx} + f_{yy} = 0$  are called harmonic
- Chain Rule:  $\frac{\partial}{\partial x}(F^2) = \frac{\partial}{\partial F} \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} = 2F \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} = 2FF_x$

**Lecture 11: Gradients**

$\nabla f(x,y) = \begin{bmatrix} f_x \\ f_y \end{bmatrix}$  grad points in dir of maximal increase

Linear Approx:  $f(x) \approx f(a) + \nabla f(a) \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x-a \\ y-a \end{bmatrix}$

Tangent Line:  $\nabla f(a,b) \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x-a \\ y-b \end{bmatrix} = 0$

Tangent Plane:  $\nabla f(a,b,c) \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x-a \\ y-b \\ z-c \end{bmatrix} = 0$

Unit Vector:  $\nabla f(x)/\|\nabla f(x)\|$

Gradient Descent:  $\vec{a}_1 = \vec{a}_0 + b \nabla f(\vec{a}_0)$

**Lecture 16: Markov Matrices**

- Markov Matrix: square matrix, non-negative
- Columns sum to 1
- Markov matrices with all positive entries will always stabilize (can still stabilize w/ 0 entries)
- IL stabilizes, initial distribution doesn't matter
- Steps: suppose  $P_n$  and  $P_{n+1}$  using it
- $\vec{P}_{n+1} = [A_{n+1}] = [P_n A_n + P_n B_n] = [1/2 \ 1/3] [A_n] = M \vec{P}_n$
- $\vec{P}_n = M^n \vec{P}_0$
- If  $M$  has all positive entries, all columns of the stabilized matrix  $M^k$  will be same
- $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$  stabilizes, but columns not all same

**Lagrange Multiplier Example**

Find max/min of  $f(x,y,z) = 6xy + z^2$  subject to the constraint  $g(x,y,z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 36$

$\nabla f = \lambda \nabla g$

$\nabla f = \begin{bmatrix} 6y \\ 6x \\ 2z \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\nabla g = \begin{bmatrix} 2x \\ 2y \\ 2z \end{bmatrix}$

$\begin{bmatrix} 6y \\ 6x \\ 2z \end{bmatrix} = \lambda \begin{bmatrix} 2x \\ 2y \\ 2z \end{bmatrix}$

$6y = 2\lambda x$ ,  $6x = 2\lambda y$ ,  $2z = 2\lambda z$

$3y = \lambda x$ ,  $3x = \lambda y$ ,  $z = \lambda z$

Case 1:  $z = 0$

Case 2:  $z \neq 0 \rightarrow \lambda = 1$

Case 3:  $\lambda = 0$

**Properties:**

- $AB \cdot \vec{0}$  does not mean  $A$  and  $B$  is zero matrix
- $AB \cdot AC$ ,  $B$  not always  $C$
- $(AB)^T = A^T B^T$
- $(A+B) \cdot C = AC + BC$

**Lecture 12: Lagrange Multiplier**

Maximize  $f$  subject to constraint  $g=c$

Step 1: check  $\nabla g(x) = 0$ , find possible pts

Step 2: check  $\nabla f = \lambda \nabla g$

Method 1: find  $\lambda$  by dividing by  $\nabla g$ , always check  $\nabla g \neq 0$  as a case for all

Method 2: cross multiply

Case 1: check  $\lambda = 0$  with all

Case 2:  $\lambda \neq 0$ , eliminate lambda, solve new system with cross-multiplied equation

Case 2.1: if 3-variable, try getting two to equal 0 ( $y=x=0$ ), also for  $z=0$

Step 3: plug all points into  $f$

**Lecture 17: Multi-var Chain Rule**

- $(D(f \circ g))(\vec{a}) = Df(g(\vec{a})) \cdot Dg(\vec{a})$
- single var:  $(f(g(x)))' = f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$
- Linear Approx:  $(f \circ h)(\vec{a}) = (f \circ h)(\vec{a}) + (D(f \circ h)(\vec{a}))(\vec{x} - \vec{a})$
- Alternate form:  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_i} = \sum_j \frac{\partial f}{\partial y_j} \frac{\partial y_j}{\partial x_i}$

**Derivatives**

$\frac{d}{dx}(u \cdot v) = u'v + uv'$

$\frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{u}{v} \right) = \frac{u'v - uv'}{v^2}$

$\frac{d}{dx} f(g(x)) = f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$

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