

wk2

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## Review

- Let  $\vec{y}$ ,  $\vec{v}_1$  and  $\vec{v}_2 \in R^m$  (this refers to  $m$  dimensional space where each elements is real number)

- Suppose you can express  $\vec{y}$  as linear combination of  $\vec{v}_1$  and  $\vec{v}_2$

$$\vec{y} = c_1\vec{v}_1 + c_2\vec{v}_2$$

- $c_1$  and  $c_2$  can be viewed as weight of  $\vec{v}_1$  and  $\vec{v}_2$
- Above equation is also saying that  $\vec{y}$  can be expressed as linear combination of  $\vec{v}_1$  and  $\vec{v}_2$
- Above equation is also saying that  $\vec{y} \in \text{Span}\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2\}$

### **Basis**

- Basis refers to minimum set of vectors to span a subspace or space.
  - Basis are independent of each other
  - For a given subspace or space, there are  $\infty$  number of set of basis
  - Basis are not unique.

### **Orthogonal basis**

- Refers to basis that are orthogonal to each other
- $\vec{v}_1$  and  $\vec{v}_2$  are orthogonal, if  $\vec{v}_1 \vec{v}_2 = 0$
- $\vec{v}^{\perp} = 0$

### **Orthonormal basis**

- basis that are
  - orthogonal
  - $\langle \vec{v}_i, \vec{v}_i \rangle = 1$  for all basis

## Conditional Probability example

In each week of a class, you are either caught up or behind.

- The probability that you are caught up in Week 1 is 0.7.
- If you are caught up in a given week, the probability that you will be caught up in the next week is 0.7.
- If you are behind in a given week, the probability that you will be caught up in the next week is 0.4.
- **What is the probability that you are caught up in week 3?**
- **Identify as many ways to improve this proof as you can:**

## Conditional probability with not so good notation

- If you are caught up in a week, there are two possibilities for the previous week: caught up and behind.
- Let  $P(X)$  be the probability of being caught up.
  - In week 1, the probability of being caught up  $P(X) = .7$ .
  - In week 1, the probability of being behind is  $P(Y) = 1 - .7 = .3$ .
- We first break down the probability for week 2:

$$P(X) = .7 \cdot .7 + .3 \cdot .4 = .61$$

Now we can repeat the process for week 3:

$$P(X) = .61 \cdot .7 + .39 \cdot .4 = .583$$

- Let  $C_i$  be the event that you are caught up in week  $i$ .
  - Given:
    - \*  $P(C_1) = 0.7$
    - \*  $P(C_{i+1}|C_i) = 0.7$
- Let  $C_i^C$  be the event that you are behind in week  $i$ 
  - $P(C_{i+1}|C_i^C) = 0.4$ .
- **For week 2**, we can partition the sample space into  $\{C_1, B_1\}$  and apply the law of total probability:

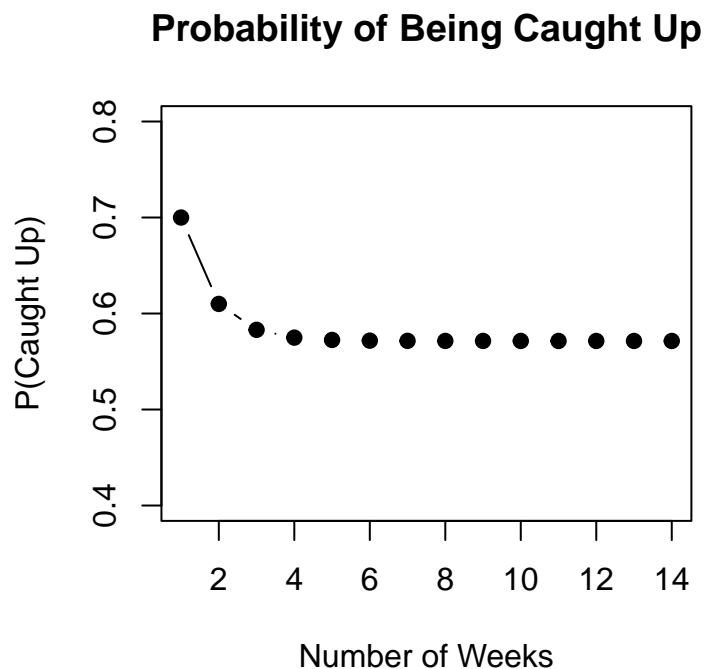
$$\begin{aligned} P(C_2) &= P(C_1)P(C_2|C_1) + P(B_1)P(C_2|B_1) \\ &= 0.7 \cdot 0.7 + 0.3 \cdot 0.4 = 0.61 \end{aligned}$$

- Next, repeat the process for **week 3**:

$$\begin{aligned} P(C_3) &= P(C_2)P(C_3|C_2) + P(B_2)P(C_3|B_2) \\ &= 0.7 \cdot 0.61 + 0.39 \cdot 0.4 = 0.58 \end{aligned}$$

## Solving it using R

- You can write a function in R and solve it



## Solving it using matrix

Given: - The probability of getting caught up with homework in this week only depends on the the outcome of the previous period.

- The transition matrix,  $\mathbb{P}$ , has nonzero values such that it is **regular**
- Since  $\mathbb{P}$  is regular, it has limiting matrix

	$C_i$	$C_i^C$
$C_{i+1}$	0.7	0.4
$C_{i+1}^C$		

- Above matrix contains the given information:
- Let  $C_i$  be the event that you are caught up in week  $i$ .
  - $P(C_{i+1}|C_i) = 0.7$
- Let  $C_i^C$  be the event that you are behind in week  $i$ 
  - $P(C_{i+1}|C_i^C) = 0.4$ .
- Then, we can fill in the blank:

	$C_i$	$C_i^C$
$C_{i+1}$	0.7	0.4
$C_{i+1}^C$	0.3	0.6

And if we multiply the above matrix by the initial state vector, see what you get

$$[0.7, 0.3]^T$$

```
P <- matrix(c(0.7,0.4,0.3,0.6), nrow=2, byrow =T)
print(P)
```

```
##      [,1] [,2]
## [1,]  0.7  0.4
## [2,]  0.3  0.6
```

```
print(P^%2)
```

```
##      [,1] [,2]
## [1,] 0.61 0.52
## [2,] 0.39 0.48
```

```
print(P^%1000)
```

```
##      [,1]      [,2]
## [1,] 0.5714286 0.5714286
## [2,] 0.4285714 0.4285714
```

## Solving it using eigenvalue

- Will talk about this more later in the class

```
#####
# Using eigenvalues
#####
myeigen <- eigen(P)    #gets you the eigenvalues and eigenvectors

## getting the eigenvalues and eigenvectors into vector and matrix.

lambda <- myeigen$values    #eigenvalues

E <- myeigen$vectors    #corresponding eigenvectors

print(lambda)
```

```
## [1] 1.0 0.3
```

```
print(E)

##      [,1]      [,2]
## [1,]  0.8 -0.7071068
## [2,]  0.6  0.7071068

p_vector <- function(x){
  y <- sum(abs(x))
  x <- abs(x)/y
  return(x)
}

#converting the eigenvector corresponding to eigenvalue = 1
p_vector(E[,1])

## [1] 0.5714286 0.4285714
```

## More about linear combination

### Definitions

#### Linear combination

$$A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$$

#### Subspace

- If  $\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_p \in R^n$ , then  $\text{Span}\{\vec{v}_1, \dots, \vec{v}_p\}$  is called the subset of  $R^n$  by these vectors.

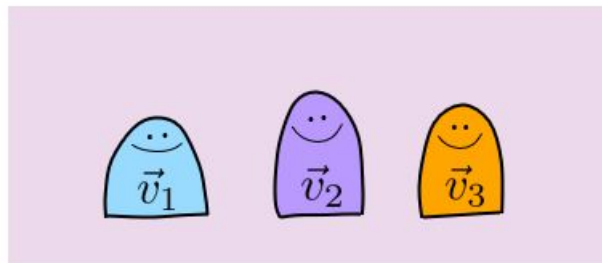
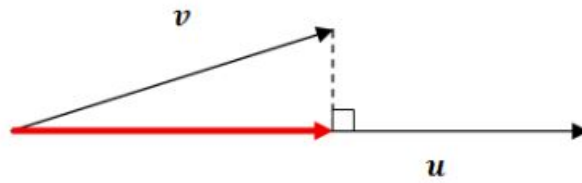
#### Linear combination, Projection and transformation

$$A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$$

## Projection

$$\text{Proj}_{\vec{u}} \vec{v} = \frac{\vec{v}\vec{u}}{||\vec{u}||}$$

Given two vectors  $u, v$ , what is  $proj_u v$ ?



example 1

```
v <- c(3,4)
u <- c(5,-12)

p <- v%*%u/Norm(u)

p
```

```
##           [,1]
## [1,] -2.538462
```