

Exam 2

Avg : 77

A 88

B 76

C 60

D 50

6.1 Inner Product, Length, and Orthogonality

If \vec{u}, \vec{v} are in \mathbb{R}^n $\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ \vdots \\ u_n \end{bmatrix}$ $\vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \end{bmatrix}$

the inner product (or dot product) of \vec{u} and \vec{v} is

$$\begin{aligned}\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} &= \vec{u}^T \vec{v} = [u_1, u_2, \dots, u_n] \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \end{bmatrix} \\ &= u_1 v_1 + u_2 v_2 + \dots + u_n v_n \quad \text{a scalar}\end{aligned}$$

$$\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 5 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = [1 \ 2 \ 3] \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 5 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = 6 + 10 + 12 = 28$$

note $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = \vec{v} \cdot \vec{u}$

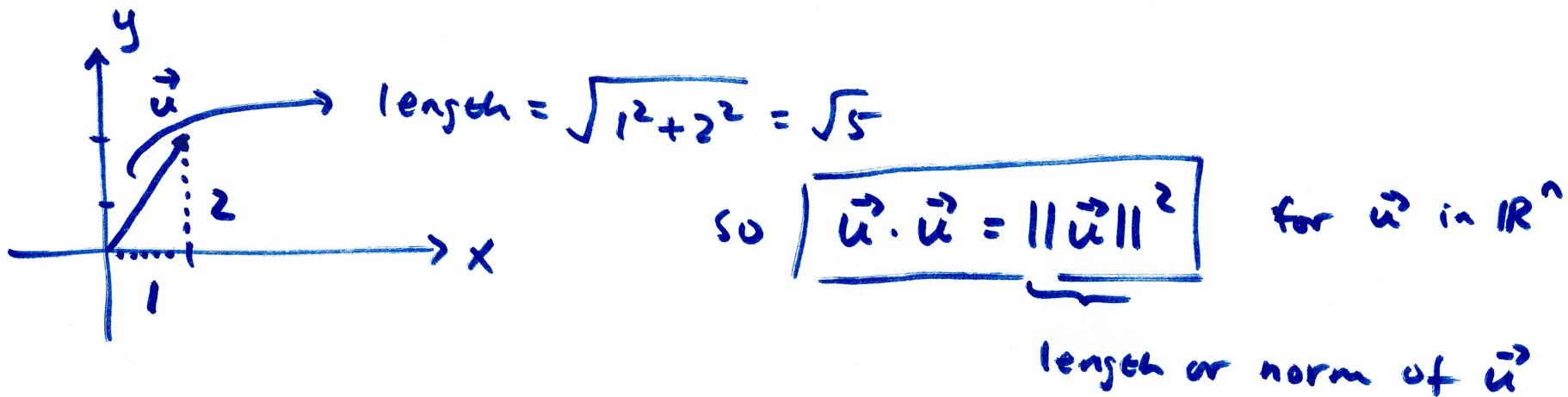
properties: $\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ $\vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ $\vec{w} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$ $c = 7$

$$(\vec{u} + \vec{v}) \cdot \vec{w} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = [4 \ 6] \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = 56$$

$$= \vec{u} \cdot \vec{w} + \vec{v} \cdot \vec{w} = [1 \ 2] \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} + [3 \ 4] \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = 17 + 39 = 56$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (\vec{c}\vec{u}) \cdot \vec{v} &= [7 \ 14] \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = 21 + \cancel{56} = \cancel{85} \ 77 \\
 &= c(\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}) = 7 [1 \ 2] \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = 7(3+8) = 77
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{u} \cdot \vec{u} = [1 \ 2] \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = 1+4 = 5$$

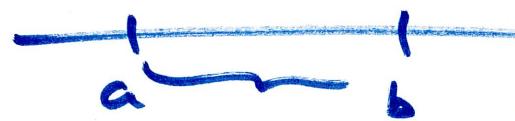


a vector is called a unit vector if its length is 1.

so a unit vector in the same direction as \vec{u}
is $\frac{\vec{u}}{\|\vec{u}\|} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{5} \\ 2/\sqrt{5} \end{bmatrix}$

in \mathbb{R}^1 , the distance between 2 numbers is $\|a-b\|=1$

$$|b-a| = |a-b|$$



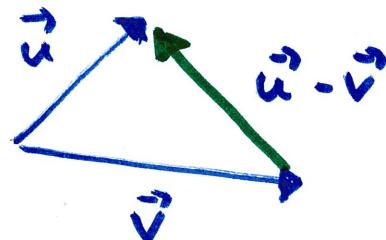
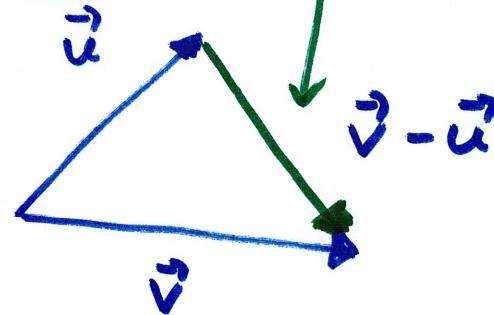
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extend to \mathbb{R}^n

example: \mathbb{R}^3

distance between 2 vectors is

$$\text{dist}(\vec{u}, \vec{v}) = \|\vec{v}-\vec{u}\| = \|\vec{u}-\vec{v}\|$$

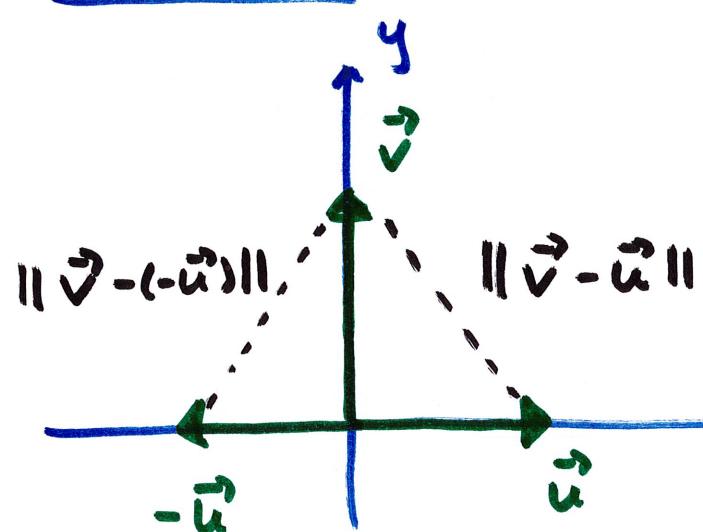


$$\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{dist}(\vec{u}, \vec{v}) = \|\vec{u} - \vec{v}\| = \|\vec{v} - \vec{u}\|$$

$$\vec{u} - \vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad \|\vec{u} - \vec{v}\| = \sqrt{84}$$

orthogonality



\vec{v} and \vec{u} are orthogonal if

$$\|\vec{v} - \vec{u}\|^2 = \|\vec{v} + \vec{u}\|^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\vec{v} - \vec{u}) \cdot (\vec{v} - \vec{u}) &= (\vec{v} + \vec{u}) \cdot (\vec{v} + \vec{u}) \\ \cancel{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v}} - \cancel{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{u}} - \cancel{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}} + \cancel{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{u}} &= \cancel{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v}} + \vec{v} \cdot \vec{u} + \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} + \cancel{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{u}} \\ -2 \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} &= 2 \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} \\ -\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} &= \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} \end{aligned}$$

true only if $\boxed{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = 0}$

↳ means

$$\vec{u} \perp \vec{v}$$

If W is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^n . Then all vectors orthogonal to every vector in W is called the orthogonal complement

of W , written as W^\perp (read : "W perpendicular" or "W perp")

W^\perp is also a subspace of \mathbb{R}^n

example The z-axis is the orthogonal complement of the subspace that is the xy-plane.

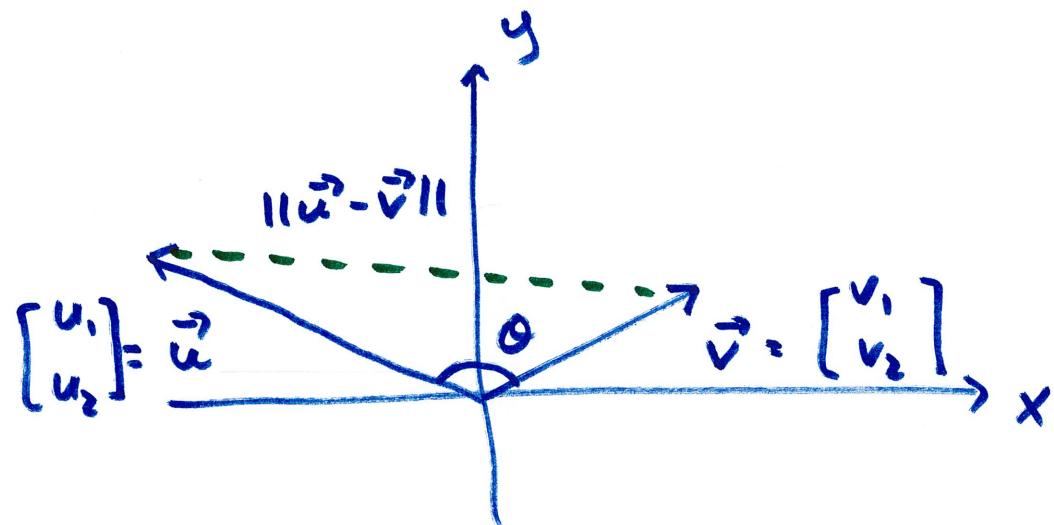
this is the same as $\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{unit vector on z-axis}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{vectors in } \mathbb{R}^3} = 0$

look it as $A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$

this means the solution \vec{x} is in the nullspace of A , $\dim \text{Nul}(A) = 2$ (xy-plane)

$$\Rightarrow (\text{Row } A)^\perp = \text{Nul } A$$

likewise, $(\text{Col } A)^\perp = \text{Nul } A^T$



$$\text{Law of cosines: } \|u - v\|^2 = \|v\|^2 + \|u\|^2 - 2\|u\|\|v\|\cos\theta$$

$$\|u\|\|v\|\cos\theta = \frac{1}{2} (\|u - v\|^2 - \|v\|^2 - \|u\|^2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (\|v\|^2 + \|u\|^2 - \|u - v\|^2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (v_1^2 + v_2^2 + u_1^2 + u_2^2 - (u_1 - v_1)^2 - (u_2 - v_2)^2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (v_1^2 + v_2^2 + u_1^2 + u_2^2 - u_1^2 + 2u_1v_1 - v_1^2 - u_2^2 + 2u_2v_2 - v_2^2)$$

$$\|\vec{u}\| \|\vec{v}\| \cos \theta = u_1 v_1 + u_2 v_2 = \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}$$

so,

$$\|\vec{u}\| \|\vec{v}\| \cos \theta = \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}$$