

Inner Product

Inner product space: if there is a map $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle : V \times V \rightarrow F$

s.t. i) $\langle u+v, w \rangle = \langle u, w \rangle + \langle v, w \rangle$, if $u, v, w \in V$

ii) $\langle \alpha u, v \rangle = \alpha \langle u, v \rangle$

iii) $\langle u, v \rangle = \langle v, u \rangle$ ($\forall u, v \in V$, $\langle u, v \rangle = 0 \Leftrightarrow u \perp v$)

$$\text{Ex: } V = \mathbb{C}^n, \quad v = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \end{bmatrix}, \quad v^H = \begin{bmatrix} v_1^* & v_2^* & \cdots & v_n^* \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\langle u, v \rangle = v^H u = [\bar{v}_1, \bar{v}_2, \dots, \bar{v}_n] \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ \vdots \\ u_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Verify this use 4 properties. to prove it:

$$\langle u, v \rangle = \sum_{i=1}^n |v_i|^2$$

$$(1) \cdot V = \mathbb{C}^n, \quad \langle u, u \rangle = v^H u$$

$$(2) \cdot V = \mathbb{C}^m, \quad \langle u, v \rangle = \text{Trace}(v^H u)$$

$$V = \{v_1, \dots, v_m\} \subset \mathbb{C}^n$$

$$v^H = \begin{bmatrix} v_1^* \\ v_2^* \\ \vdots \\ v_m^* \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times m}$$

Norm: A vectorspace V over \mathbb{R}/\mathbb{C} is said to be normed if there is a map $\|\cdot\| : V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$ s.t. $\|\cdot\| \in \mathbb{R}^+ \times \mathbb{R}^+$

Satisfying:

$$(1) \|\alpha \cdot v\| = |\alpha| \|v\|, \quad \alpha \in \mathbb{R}/\mathbb{C}, \quad v \in V$$

$$(2) \|v\| \geq 0, \quad (\|v\|=0 \Leftrightarrow v=0)$$

$$(3) \|u+v\| \leq \|u\| + \|v\| \quad (\text{triangle inequality})$$

Ex:

$$i) \quad V = \mathbb{C}^n, \quad \text{integer } p \geq 1$$

$$\|v\|_p = \left(\sum_{i=1}^n |v_i|^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \Rightarrow L_p \text{-norm}$$

Norm induced by inner product

Define:

$$\|v\|_p = \sqrt{\langle v, v \rangle}$$

can be shown that:

$$\|v\|_p = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n |v_i|^p} \text{ is a norm}$$

$$\|v\|_p = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n |v_i|^p} = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n |v_i|^2} = \text{length of } v.$$

Def A, B. if $A \subseteq B, B \subseteq A$
then $A = B$.

If A is full rank, $\text{rank}(A) = n$.
 $A^H A$ is invertible.

Then $A^H A$ rank = n
 $A^H A$ is invertible.

Orthogonality

\mathbb{F} : $\text{Ror } \mathbb{C}$

$V: \text{v.s over } \mathbb{F}$ has a inner product $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle : V \times V \rightarrow \mathbb{F}$

A set of vectors $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k\} \subseteq V$ is said to be orthogonal if $\langle v_i, v_j \rangle = 0, \forall i, j = 1, 2, \dots, k, i \neq j$ (pairwise).

Implications:

Suppose $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k\}$ are orthogonal, $V = \mathbb{C}^n$

$$ii) \text{ Define } V = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k\} \Rightarrow V^H V = \begin{bmatrix} v_1^H v_1 & v_1^H v_2 & \cdots & v_1^H v_k \\ v_2^H v_1 & v_2^H v_2 & \cdots & v_2^H v_k \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ v_k^H v_1 & v_k^H v_2 & \cdots & v_k^H v_k \end{bmatrix}$$

Matrix with orthogonal columns.

$$V^H V = \begin{bmatrix} v_1^H v_1 & v_1^H v_2 & \cdots & v_1^H v_k \\ v_2^H v_1 & v_2^H v_2 & \cdots & v_2^H v_k \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ v_k^H v_1 & v_k^H v_2 & \cdots & v_k^H v_k \end{bmatrix}$$

$$v_i^H v_j = 0 \quad \forall i \neq j.$$

$$(2) \det V$$
 be a vector space with $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$.

if $\{v_1, \dots, v_k\}$ are orthogonal, then $\{v_1, \dots, v_k\}$ are also linearly independent.

$$\text{Proof: } \sum_{i=1}^k \alpha_i v_i = 0 : \langle \sum_{i=1}^k \alpha_i v_i, v_j \rangle = \langle 0, v_j \rangle = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^k \alpha_i \langle v_i, v_j \rangle = 0$$

$$\|\alpha_i\|^2 \geq 0 \Rightarrow \alpha_i = 0$$

(3) If $\dim(V) = r$, and $\{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_r\}$ are orthogonal vectors in V , then $\{v_1, \dots, v_r\}$ is also a basis of V . Orthogonal basis.

Orthogonal Projection

Given $y \in V, S \subseteq V$

min $|y - \hat{y}|_p$, s.t. $\hat{y} \in S$ — (OP)

Suppose a vector \hat{y}_S exists in S , with the following property:

$$\langle y - \hat{y}_S, v \rangle = 0, \forall v \in S.$$

Property 0: Orthogonal principle:

\hat{y}_S is called the orthogonal projection of y onto S

How to find \hat{y}_S ? Normal Equation.

0 Find a basis of S

② Solve $b = A \hat{y}_S$, $b \in \mathbb{C}^k$, $A \in \mathbb{C}^{k \times n}$ ($k = \dim(S)$)

③ $\hat{y}_S = \sum_{i=1}^k b_i = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ \vdots \\ b_n \end{bmatrix}$

Application:

Let $V = \mathbb{C}^n, Q \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}, S = R(Q), \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle : \mathbb{C}^n \times \mathbb{C}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$

$$\|v\|_p = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n |v_i|^p} = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n |Qx_i|^p} = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|^p} = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n |v_i|^p}$$

Given $y \in \mathbb{C}^n$, solve $\min_{x \in \mathbb{C}^n} \|y - Qx\|_2, x \in \mathbb{C}^n$

$$= \min_{x \in \mathbb{C}^n} \|y - \hat{y}\|_2$$

$$= \min_{x \in \mathbb{C}^n} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & \cdots & x_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & \cdots & x_n \end{bmatrix}^T$$

$$= \min_{x \in \mathbb{C}^n} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & \cdots & x_n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & \cdots & x_n \end{bmatrix}^T$$

We need a basis for $S = R(Q)$.

Say $\text{rank}(Q) = r = \dim(R(Q))$, There exists a set of r linearly independent columns of Q .

Without loss of generality, let them be the first r columns.

$$Q = [q_1, q_2, \dots, q_r, q_{r+1}, \dots, q_n]$$

$$\hat{Q}_r = [q_1, \dots, q_r]$$

$b = Ax$ is equivalent to $\hat{Q}_r^H b = \hat{Q}_r^H \hat{Q}_r x$

$$x = (\hat{Q}_r^H \hat{Q}_r)^{-1} \hat{Q}_r^H b$$

$$\hat{y} = \hat{Q}_r x = \hat{Q}_r (\hat{Q}_r^H \hat{Q}_r)^{-1} \hat{Q}_r^H b$$

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$\hat{y} \in R(Q)$

EigenAnalysis

i) Consider $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$ (complex square matrix).

A vector $v \neq 0$ is called an eigenvector of A

if $A v = \lambda v$, for some complex λ .

(λ, v) is eigen pair

if v is an eigenvector of A with eigenvalue λ .

then λv is also an eigenvector of A for the same λ .

$$A(\lambda v) = \lambda(Av) = \lambda v$$

$$= \lambda \lambda v$$

$$= \lambda^2 v$$

$$= \lambda(Av)$$

$$= \lambda^2 v$$

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Problem 1: Orthogonal Projection Matrices. Let \mathcal{M} and \mathcal{N} be subspaces of \mathbb{C}^n , and consider the associated orthogonal projectors $P_{\mathcal{M}}$ and $P_{\mathcal{N}}$.

- Show that $P_{\mathcal{M}}P_{\mathcal{N}} = 0$ if and only if $\mathcal{M} \perp \mathcal{N}$.
- Is it true that $P_{\mathcal{M}}P_{\mathcal{N}} = 0$ if and only if $P_{\mathcal{N}}P_{\mathcal{M}} = 0$? Justify.
- Show $R(P_{\mathcal{M}} + P_{\mathcal{N}}) = R(P_{\mathcal{M}}) + R(P_{\mathcal{N}})$.

Hw3

Recall Hw3, projection matrix (projector) is symmetric matrix where $P^T = P \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

$$\begin{aligned} a). P_{\mathcal{M}}P_{\mathcal{N}} &= 0 \Rightarrow P_{\mathcal{M}}^T P_{\mathcal{N}} = 0 \\ &\Leftrightarrow \langle P_{\mathcal{M}}P_{\mathcal{N}}, P_{\mathcal{N}} \rangle = 0 \quad P_{\mathcal{N}} = [P_{\mathcal{N}}, P_{\mathcal{N}}] \\ &\Leftrightarrow \langle P_{\mathcal{M}}, P_{\mathcal{N}} \rangle = 0 \quad P_{\mathcal{M}}^T P_{\mathcal{N}} = [P_{\mathcal{M}}, P_{\mathcal{N}}]^T \\ &\Leftrightarrow P_{\mathcal{M}} \perp P_{\mathcal{N}} \\ &\Leftrightarrow \mathcal{M} \perp \mathcal{N}. \end{aligned}$$

$$b). P_{\mathcal{M}}P_{\mathcal{N}} = 0 \Leftrightarrow P_{\mathcal{M}}^T P_{\mathcal{N}}^T = 0 \Leftrightarrow P_{\mathcal{N}}^T P_{\mathcal{M}} = 0 \Leftrightarrow P_{\mathcal{N}}P_{\mathcal{M}} = 0.$$

$$\begin{aligned} c). [P_{\mathcal{M}}P_{\mathcal{N}}][P_{\mathcal{M}}P_{\mathcal{N}}]^T &= P_{\mathcal{M}}P_{\mathcal{N}}P_{\mathcal{N}}^TP_{\mathcal{M}}^T \\ &= P_{\mathcal{M}}^T P_{\mathcal{N}}^T P_{\mathcal{N}}P_{\mathcal{M}} \\ &= P_{\mathcal{M}}P_{\mathcal{M}} \\ &= R(\mathcal{M}) \\ &= R(P_{\mathcal{M}}) \\ &= R(P_{\mathcal{M}}) + R(P_{\mathcal{N}}) \end{aligned}$$

Problem 2: Orthonormal Basis Expansion and Parseval's Theorem. Suppose we are given a set of orthonormal basis vectors $\{\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \dots, \mathbf{u}_N\}$ of an inner product vector space \mathcal{U} .

a) Let $\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{U}$, we can find a unique representation of $\mathbf{x} = \sum_{i=1}^N \alpha_i \mathbf{u}_i$. Prove

$$\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^2 = \sum_{i=1}^N |\alpha_i|^2 \quad (1)$$

(Note: This is known as Parseval's identity)

b) Suppose you have a subset of orthonormal vectors $\{\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \dots, \mathbf{u}_s\}$ (where $s < N$) from the given basis. Show that any vector $\mathbf{v} \in \mathcal{U}$ satisfies

$$\|\mathbf{v}\|_2^2 \geq \sum_{i=1}^s |\langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{u}_i \rangle|^2 \quad (2)$$

Lec 7.

$$a). \langle \mathbf{u}_i, \mathbf{u}_j \rangle = 1, \forall i=j$$

$$\langle \mathbf{u}_i, \mathbf{u}_j \rangle = 0, \text{ when } i \neq j.$$

$$\|\mathbf{x}\|_2^2 = \langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x} \rangle = \left\langle \sum_{i=1}^N \alpha_i \mathbf{u}_i, \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \mathbf{u}_j \right\rangle$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^N \langle \alpha_i \mathbf{u}_i, \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \mathbf{u}_j \rangle$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^N \alpha_i \langle \mathbf{u}_i, \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \mathbf{u}_j \rangle$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^N \alpha_i \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \langle \mathbf{u}_i, \mathbf{u}_j \rangle$$

$$\forall i=i$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^N (\alpha_i)^2$$

$$b). \|\mathbf{v}\|_2^2 = \sum_{i=1}^s |\langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{u}_i \rangle|^2 \quad d_i = \frac{|\langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{u}_i \rangle|}{\|\mathbf{u}_i\|_2} = \langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{u}_i \rangle$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^s |\langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{u}_i \rangle|^2 = \sum_{i=1}^s |d_i|^2$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^s (d_i)^2 \geq \sum_{i=1}^s (|d_i|)^2 \quad \text{for } N > s.$$

Problem 3: Range Space perpendicular to Null Spaces.

Let $A \in \mathbb{C}^{m \times n}$ satisfy $A^H A = A A^H$. Show that $R(A) \perp N(A)$, i.e. show that for all $\mathbf{x} \in R(A)$, $\mathbf{y} \in N(A)$, $\mathbf{x}^H \mathbf{y} = 0$

D.S.

$$\mathbf{x} \in R(AA^H) \Rightarrow \mathbf{x} = AA^H \mathbf{b} = A(A^H \mathbf{b}), \mathbf{x} \in R(A).$$

$$\therefore R(AA^H) \subset R(A).$$

$$\therefore \dim(R(A)) = m - \dim(N(A)) = m - \dim(N(AA^H)) = \dim(R(AA^H))$$

$$R(AA^H) = R(A)$$

Let $\mathbf{x} \in R(A)$, $\mathbf{y} \in N(A)$, $\mathbf{y} \in N(AA^H)$

$$\mathbf{x} = AA^H \mathbf{z}, \mathbf{A}^H \mathbf{y} = 0, \mathbf{A}^H \mathbf{A}^H \mathbf{y} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{x}^H \mathbf{y} = (AA^H)^H \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{z}^H A^H \mathbf{A}^H \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{z}^H A^H \mathbf{y} = 0.$$

$$\therefore R(A) \perp N(A)$$

Problem 4: Householder Reflections. A Householder matrix is defined as

$$Q = I - 2uu^T$$

for a unit vector $u \in \mathbb{R}^n$.

a) Show that Q is orthogonal.

b) Show that $Qu = v$ and that $Qu = v$ for every $v \perp u$. Thus, the linear transformation $y = Qu$ reflects x through the hyperplane with normal vector u .

c) Given two vectors x and y , find u such that $y = Qu$.

d) Given nonzero vectors x and y , and a unit vector u such that $(I - 2uu^T)x \in \text{span}(y)$, in terms of x and y .

$$x \in \mathbb{R}^n, Q \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \quad \text{if } Q \text{ is orthogonal} \quad Q^T = QQ^T = I$$

$$(a). Q^T = (I - 2uu^T)(I - 2uu^T)^T = (I - 2uu^T)^2 = I - 2uu^T$$

$$= (I - 2uu^T)(I - 2uu^T) = \text{Unitary matrix}$$

$$= I - 2uu^T - 2uu^T + 4u^T u u u^T = I$$

$$= I - 2uu^T = Q^T = Q$$

$$\therefore Q^T = Q \quad \text{Q is orthogonal.}$$

$$(b). Qu = (I - 2uu^T)u = u - 2uu^Tu = u - 2u = -u.$$

$$Qv = (I - 2uu^T)v = v - 2uu^Tv \quad \text{V.L.} \quad \therefore u^Tv = 0$$

$$\therefore v - 0 = v \quad \therefore v = v$$

$$\therefore v \perp u = 0 \quad \forall x \in (u^T x)u \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}^n \quad \text{any linear combination}$$

$$\therefore Qx = -(u^T x)u + v \quad \text{perpendicular to any subspace.}$$

$$\text{Interpreted as the reflection of } x \text{ through a hyperplane with normal vector } u.$$

$$\therefore \text{Since } Q \text{ is symmetric and orthogonal where } x = Q^T y = Qy$$

$$\text{which is reflection back from } y.$$

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(d) The question is asking to find the vector \mathbf{x} such that $\mathbf{x} \perp \alpha\mathbf{y}$ for some α are reflections of each other through the hyperplane $\{x : \mathbf{y}^T x = 0\}$. Since $Q\mathbf{x}$ is given to be in the span of \mathbf{y} we can write $Q\mathbf{x} = \alpha\mathbf{y}$ for some constant α , or $\|\mathbf{x}\| = \|\mathbf{Q}\mathbf{x}\| = \|\alpha\mathbf{y}\|$, which implies that $\alpha = \pm \frac{\|\mathbf{x}\|}{\|\mathbf{y}\|}$. We consider the case $\mathbf{Q}\mathbf{x} = \frac{1}{2}\|\mathbf{y}\|\mathbf{y}$, \mathbf{x} , but the other case works equally well and provides an alternative answer. Now note that if the hyperplane $\{x : \mathbf{y}^T x = 0\}$ reflects \mathbf{x} to $\tilde{\mathbf{x}}$ and vice versa, then $\mathbf{x} - \tilde{\mathbf{x}}$ is normal to the hyperplane. To see this $\mathbf{x} - \tilde{\mathbf{x}} = (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{Q})\mathbf{x} = 2\mathbf{y}^T \mathbf{x}$. Suppose $\mathbf{x} \notin \text{span}(\mathbf{y})$ so $\mathbf{x} - \tilde{\mathbf{x}} \neq 0$ (If that is not the case, then we cannot represent \mathbf{x} in term of \mathbf{x} and \mathbf{y}). So

$$\mathbf{u} = \pm \frac{\mathbf{x} - \tilde{\mathbf{x}}}{\|\mathbf{x} - \tilde{\mathbf{x}}\|} = \pm \frac{\mathbf{x} - \frac{1}{2}\|\mathbf{y}\|\mathbf{y}}{\|\mathbf{x} - \frac{1}{2}\|\mathbf{y}\|\mathbf{y}\|} = \pm \frac{\|\mathbf{x}\|\mathbf{y} - \|\mathbf{y}\|\mathbf{x}}{\|\mathbf{x}\|\|\mathbf{y}\| + \|\mathbf{y}\|\|\mathbf{x}\|}$$

which is the desired unit normal vector.

Alternatively, if we take $\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{y}$ as the reflection of \mathbf{x} , then $\mathbf{u} = \pm \frac{\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}}{\|\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}\|} = \pm \frac{\|\mathbf{x}\|\mathbf{y} + \|\mathbf{y}\|\mathbf{x}}{\|\mathbf{x}\|\|\mathbf{y}\| + \|\mathbf{y}\|\|\mathbf{x}\|}$.

5) Problem 5: System Identification. Consider a system whose input $x(n)$ and output $y(n)$ are related by:

$$y(n) = \sum_{k=0}^{L-1} h(k)x(n-k), \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots \quad (3)$$

Here $h(n)$ is called the impulse response of the system. Suppose you are given an input signal $\bar{x}(n)$ (non-zero for all n) and are able to observe a noisy version $\bar{y}(n)$ of the output of the system, contaminated with noise $w(n)$, i.e., you observe

$$\bar{y}(n) = \sum_{k=0}^{L-1} h(k)\bar{x}(n-k) + w(n), \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots \quad (4)$$

Using the idea of orthogonal projection, describe a method to estimate the impulse response $h(n)$ using $\bar{y}(n)$ and $\bar{x}(n)$. In the absence of noise, under what conditions can you exactly identify $h(n)$? Justify your answer.

$$\min_{h \in \mathbb{R}^L} \sum_{n=0}^{L-1} (\bar{y}(n) - \sum_{k=0}^{L-1} h(k)\bar{x}(n-k))^2$$

$$= \min_{h \in \mathbb{R}^L} \left\| \begin{bmatrix} \bar{y}(0) \\ \vdots \\ \bar{y}(L-1) \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \bar{x}(0) \\ \vdots \\ \bar{x}(L-1) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} h(0) \\ \vdots \\ h(L-1) \end{bmatrix} \right\|_2^2$$

$$= \min_{h \in \mathbb{R}^L} \|\bar{y} - \bar{X}h\|_2^2$$

$$h = (\bar{X}^T \bar{X})^{-1} \bar{X}^T \bar{y}$$

6) Problem 6: Variations of Orthogonal Projection

a) Given $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$, $\mathbf{c} \in \mathbb{R}^m$, $\mathbf{b} \in \mathbb{R}^n$, consider the following problem

$$\min_{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^m} \|\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{c}\|_2 \quad (5)$$

$$\text{s.t. } \mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b} \quad (6)$$

Cast it as an orthogonal projection problem. Identify the subspace you are projecting on? What is the point being projected?

b) Given $\mathbf{x}_0 \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $\mathbf{a} \in \mathbb{R}^n$, $b \in \mathbb{R}$, solve the following problem

$$\min_{\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n} \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}_0\|_2 \quad (7)$$

$$\text{s.t. } \mathbf{a}^T \mathbf{x} = b \quad (8)$$

Derive the solution in closed form.

6. If $\mathbf{b} \notin R(A)$, $Ax = \mathbf{b}$ does not have solution.

If $\mathbf{b} \in R(A)$, $\text{rank}(A) = n$ $BA = I$

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$$

$$\min \| \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b} \|_2 = \min \| \mathbf{b} - \mathbf{b} \|^2$$

$$\mathbf{x} \in R(A)$$

$$\text{This problem is finding a point } \mathbf{x} \text{ in set } \{x : Ax = b\}, \text{ projecting onto a subspace } R(A) \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$\text{If } \text{ber}(A) \text{ rank}(A) < n$$

$$Ax = b \Leftrightarrow \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y} \in N(A)$$

$$\text{problem is } \min \| \mathbf{y} + \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{c} \|_2 \text{ s.t. } \mathbf{y} \in N(A)$$

$$\text{least square projection of } -(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{b}) \text{ onto } N(A)$$

$$\text{6.}$$

DERIVE A CLOSED FORM OF THE SOLUTION.

Hints: We need to solve the orthonormal projection for $N(A^T)$ first. As already shown in Homework 3, $N(A^T) \perp R(A)$ holds for any matrix $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n} \implies N(A^T) \perp R(A)$.

Clearly, orthonormal basis for $R(A)$ can be represented as follows along with its corresponding orthogonal projection matrix

$$\mathbf{u}_0 = \frac{\mathbf{a}}{\|\mathbf{a}\|_2}, \text{ with corresponding projection matrix } \mathbf{u}_0 \mathbf{u}_0^T = \frac{\mathbf{aa}^T}{\|\mathbf{a}\|_2^2} \quad (40)$$

Thus,

$$\text{the orthonormal projector onto } N(A^T) = \mathbf{I} - \frac{\mathbf{aa}^T}{\|\mathbf{a}\|_2^2} \quad (41)$$

Please make sure to complete the remaining steps by yourself.

3. Matrix Rank. Show the following identities about rank.

(a) If $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}, B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times k}$, then

$$\text{rank}(B) \leq \text{rank}(AB) + \dim(N(A))$$

(b) If $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}, B \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$, then

$$\text{rank}(A + B) \leq \text{rank}(A) + \text{rank}(B)$$

(c) Suppose $A, B \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$. Then, show that if $AB = 0$, then

$$\text{rank}(A) + \text{rank}(B) \leq m$$

(d) Suppose $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$. Then, show that $A^2 = A$ if and only if

$$\text{rank}(A) + \text{rank}(A - I) = m$$

Solution:

(a) $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}, B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

The range space of B denoted $\mathcal{R}(B)$ is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^n .

Restrict the linear map A to $\mathcal{R}(B)$ i.e. consider new linear map $f: \mathcal{R}(B) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$ given by $f(x) = Ax$ for all vectors x in $\mathcal{R}(B)$.

Domain of f is $\mathcal{R}(B)$ and hence dimension of domain is $\text{rank}(B)$.

$\text{rank}(f) = \{y \in \mathbb{R}^m : y \in \mathcal{R}(B)\} = \{Ax : x \in \mathbb{R}^n\} = R(A)$

$\mathcal{N}(f) = \{y \in \mathbb{R}^m : y \in \mathcal{R}(B) : Ay = 0\} = N(A) \cap \mathcal{R}(B)$

We can apply Rank-Nullity Theorem on this new map f .

$$\text{rank}(B) = \dim(\mathcal{R}(f)) + \dim(\mathcal{N}(f))$$

$$= \text{rank}(AB) + \dim(N(A))$$

$$\leq \text{rank}(AB) + \dim(N(A))$$

(b) $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}, B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$

$$\text{rank}(A + B) = \{(A + B)x : x \in \mathbb{R}^n\}$$

$$= \{Ax + Bx : x \in \mathbb{R}^n\}$$

$$\subseteq \{Ax : x \in \mathbb{R}^n\} \cup \{Bx : x \in \mathbb{R}^n\}$$

$$= \mathcal{R}(A) + \mathcal{R}(B)$$

Hence $\text{rank}(A + B) \leq \text{dim}(\mathcal{R}(A) + \mathcal{R}(B))$

Let B_1, B_2 be basis for $\mathcal{R}(A)$ and $\mathcal{R}(B)$ respectively. Then $B_1 \cup B_2$ spans $\mathcal{R}(A) + \mathcal{R}(B)$.

Hence $\text{rank}(A + B) \leq \text{rank}(A) + \text{rank}(B)$

(c) Let $A, B \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$. From part (a),

$$\text{rank}(B) \leq \text{rank}(AB) + \dim(N(A))$$

$$= \dim(N(A))$$

$$= m - \text{rank}(A) \quad [\because \text{Rank Nullity for } A]$$

Hence $\text{rank}(A) + \text{rank}(B) \leq m$

(d) Let $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$

Need to show $A^2 = A \iff \text{rank}(A) + \text{rank}(A - I) = m$

(\implies) Given $A^2 = A$

From part (b),

$$\text{rank}(A) = \text{rank}(A + (I - A)) \leq \text{rank}(A) + \text{rank}(I - A)$$

giving $\text{rank}(A) + \text{rank}(I - A) \geq m$.

From part (c),

$$\text{rank}(A) + \text{rank}(I - A) \leq m$$

Hence $m = \text{rank$