

Norm Metrics

1 Why

If we have a norm, then we have a metric.

2 Motivating Result

Let R be the set of real numbers.

Proposition 1. Let (V,F) be a vector space. Let $f:V\to R$ be a norm. Let $g:V\times V\to R$ such that

$$g(x,y) = |x - y|.$$

Then g is a metric.

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