

skfda.misc.metrics.vectorial_norm

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Apply a vectorial norm to a multivariate function.

Given a multivariate function $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$ applies a vectorial norm $\| \cdot \|$ to produce a function $\|f\| : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$.

For example, let $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be $f(t) = (f_1(t), f_2(t))$ and $\| \cdot \|_2$ the euclidian norm.

$$\|f\|_2(t) = \sqrt{|f_1(t)|^2 + |f_2(t)|^2}$$

In general if $p \neq \pm\infty$ and $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^d$

$$\|f\|_p(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \left(\sum_{k=1}^d |f_k(x_1, \dots, x_n)|^p \right)^{(1/p)}$$

- Parameters:**
- **fdatagrid** (`FDatagrid`) – Functional object to be transformed.
 - **p** (*int, optional*) – Exponent in the lp norm. If p is a number then it is applied $\text{sum}(\text{abs}(x)**p)**(1./p)$, if p is inf then $\text{max}(\text{abs}(x))$, and if p is -inf it is applied $\text{min}(\text{abs}(x))$. See `numpy.linalg.norm` to more information. Defaults to 2.

Returns: `FDatagrid` with image dimension equal to 1.

Return type: (`FDatagrid`)

Examples

```
>>> from skfda.datasets import make_multimodal_samples
>>> from skfda.misc.metrics import vectorial_norm
```

First we will construct an example dataset with curves in \mathbb{R}^2 .

```
>>> fd = make_multimodal_samples(ndim_image=2, random_state=0)
>>> fd.ndim_image
2
```

We will apply the euclidean norm

```
>>> fd = vectorial_norm(fd, p=2)
>>> fd.ndim_image
1
```