

G-S orthonormalization ; Adjoint's

Note Title

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Recall: If $\{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$ is an orthonormal basis of V , then for any $v \in V$, $v = \sum \langle v, x_i \rangle x_i$.

Firstly, $v = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i x_i$, since $\{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$ is a basis.

Recall from last lecture:

if $w = v - \sum \langle v, x_i \rangle x_i$,

then $\langle w, x_i \rangle = 0 \quad \forall i$, $\rightarrow \because \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$ is orthonormal basis.

$$\therefore w = 0$$

$$\therefore v = \sum \langle v, x_i \rangle x_i$$

component of v in direction x_i

Thus, we have written v as a sum of its components in the n orthonormal directions.

Gram-Schmidt orthonormalization :

Theorem: Let $\{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$ be a set of lin. indep vectors in an inner product space V . Then there exists a sequence of orthonormal vectors $\{y_1, \dots, y_n\}$ such that for every k - $\text{span}\{x_1, \dots, x_k\} = \text{span}\{y_1, \dots, y_k\}$.

This means: (i) $y_i \perp y_j$ whenever $i \neq j$, $1 \leq i, j \leq k$.

(ii) $\|y_i\| = 1 \quad \forall i$.

(iii) $\langle x_1, \dots, x_k \rangle = \langle y_1, \dots, y_k \rangle \quad \forall 1 \leq k \leq n$,

means:

$$\langle x_1 \rangle = \langle y_1 \rangle$$

$$\langle \hat{x}_1, x_2 \rangle = \langle y_1, y_2 \rangle$$

\vdots

$$\langle \hat{x}_1, \hat{x}_2, \dots, x_k \rangle = \langle y_1, y_2, \dots, y_k \rangle$$

\vdots

$$\langle x_1, \dots, x_n \rangle = \langle y_1, \dots, y_n \rangle$$

Proof: By induction on n -

$n=1$: Given $\{x_1\}$, define $y_1 = \frac{x_1}{\|x_1\|}$, so that $\|y_1\| = 1$

Moreover, $\langle x_1 \rangle = \text{span} \left\{ \frac{x_1}{\|x_1\|} \right\} = \text{span} \{y_1\} = \langle y_1 \rangle$.

Induction hypothesis: for k , $\exists \{y_1, \dots, y_k\}$ s.t. the reqd. conditions are satisfied.
To prove the result for $k+1$:

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Have: $\{y_1, \dots, y_k\}$ s.t. $y_i \perp y_j \quad \forall 1 \leq i, j \leq k$,
 $\|y_i\| = 1$ &

$$\langle x_1, \dots, x_k \rangle = \langle y_1, \dots, y_k \rangle$$

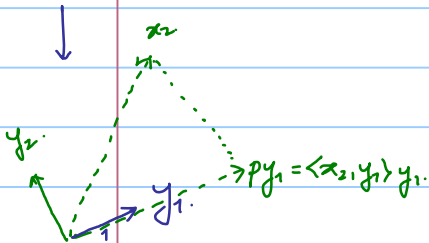
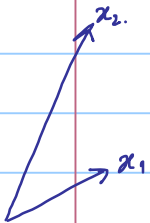
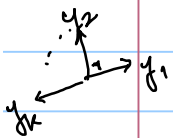
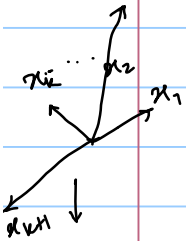
Define $y'_{k+1} = x_{k+1} - \left[\langle x_{k+1}, y_1 \rangle y_1 + \langle x_{k+1}, y_2 \rangle y_2 + \dots + \langle x_{k+1}, y_k \rangle y_k \right]$

& $y_{k+1} = \frac{y'_{k+1}}{\|y'_{k+1}\|} \quad (\Rightarrow \|y_{k+1}\| = 1)$.

Condition (i) is satisfied because

$$y_{k+1} \in \text{span} \{y_1, \dots, y_k, x_{k+1}\} = \text{span} \{x_1, \dots, x_k, x_{k+1}\}.$$

$$\therefore \langle y_1, \dots, y_{k+1} \rangle = \langle x_1, \dots, x_{k+1} \rangle$$



$$\underbrace{\langle x_2, y_1 \rangle y_1}_p =$$

$$y_2 = \frac{x_2 - py_1}{\|x_2 - py_1\|} \in \text{span} \{x_2, y_1\} = \text{span} \{x_2, x_1\}.$$

$$\therefore \text{span} \{y_1, y_2\} = \text{span} \{x_1, x_2\}.$$

Ex. $V = \mathbb{R}^3$, $x_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $x_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$, $x_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$.

(check that these are lin-indep.)

① $y_1 = \frac{x_1}{\|x_1\|}$, $\|x_1\| = 1$, $y_1 = x_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$.

② $y_2 = \frac{x_2 - \langle x_2, y_1 \rangle y_1}{\|x_2 - \langle x_2, y_1 \rangle y_1\|} = \frac{\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} - 1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}}{\| \text{num} \|}$

$= \frac{\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}}{1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$.

③ $y_3 = \frac{x_3 - \langle x_3, y_1 \rangle y_1 - \langle x_3, y_2 \rangle y_2}{\| \text{num.} \|} =$

(exercise).

Proposition: Let W be a subspace of a f.d'l i.p.s. V
then $V = W \oplus W^\perp$.

Proof: To show: ① $V = W + W^\perp$
② $W \cap W^\perp = \{0\}$.

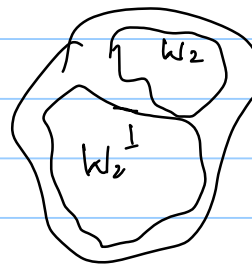
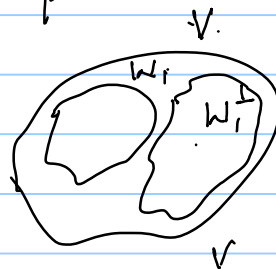
Let $\{x_1, \dots, x_m\}$ be an orthonormal basis of W
& $v \in V$.

Consider $w' = v - \sum_{i=1}^m \langle v, x_i \rangle x_i = w \in W$.

Claim: $w' \in W^\perp$, we show that $w' \perp x_i \forall 1 \leq i \leq m$.

$\left\{ \begin{aligned} \langle w', x_i \rangle &= \dots \\ &\dots \\ &= 0. \end{aligned} \right\}$

$w' = v - w$, so $v = w + w' \in W + W^\perp$.



To show that $W \cap W^\perp = \{0\}$:

let $v \in W \cap W^\perp$

from above, $v = w + w'$, $w \in W, w' \in W^\perp$.

• $v \in W$:

• $v \in W^\perp$:

$$\Rightarrow v = 0.$$

$$\therefore W \cap W^\perp = \{0\}.$$

□.

Corollary: Let W be a subspace of a f.d. i.p.s. V .

$$\text{Then } (W^\perp)^\perp = W.$$

Direct sum

(Section 6, chapter 2,
page 52 of Sahai-Bisda)

① External: v_1 & v_2 are 2 v.s. over same field F .
Then $V_1 \oplus V_2 = \{(v_1, v_2) \mid v_1 \in V_1, v_2 \in V_2\}$.

Can be shown that $V_1 \oplus V_2$ is also
a v.s. over F w.r.t.

• addition: $(v_1, v_2) + (w_1, w_2)$
 $= (v_1 + w_1, v_2 + w_2)$

• scalar multi.: $\alpha(v_1, v_2) = (\alpha v_1, \alpha v_2)$

examples: (i) $\mathbb{R}^2 = \{(x_1, x_2) \mid x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{R}\}$
 $= \mathbb{R} \oplus \mathbb{R}$. (as v.s. over \mathbb{R})

(ii) $\mathbb{R}^n = \{(x_1, \dots, x_n) \mid x_i \in \mathbb{R}\}$
 $= \underbrace{\mathbb{R} \oplus \dots \oplus \mathbb{R}}_{n \text{ times}}$

(What is the diff. betⁿ:
① \mathbb{C} as a v.s. over \mathbb{R}
② \mathbb{C} as a v.s. over \mathbb{C} ?)

(iii) $\mathbb{R} \oplus \mathbb{C}$ (\mathbb{R} & \mathbb{C} as v.s. over \mathbb{R})
 $= \{(x, z) \mid x \in \mathbb{R}, z \in \mathbb{C}\}$

In general, if V_1, \dots, V_n are all v.s. over
field F ,

then $V_1 \oplus V_2 \oplus \dots \oplus V_n$
 $= \{(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n) \mid v_i \in V_i\}$
is a direct sum.

② Internal: If W_1, \dots, W_k are subspaces
of V & if it turns out that $W_1 \oplus \dots \oplus W_k = V$, then we say
that V is a direct sum of W_1, \dots, W_k .



Theorem: V is a direct sum of its subspaces
 W_1, \dots, W_k iff

(i) $V = W_1 + \dots + W_k$

(ii) for each i , $W_i \cap \sum_{j \neq i} W_j = \{0\}$.

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \forall v \in V, \exists w_i \in W_i \\ \text{s.t. } v = w_1 + w_2 + \dots + w_k \end{array} \right.$

(It can be shown that $V \cong W_1 \oplus \dots \oplus W_k$)