

**Note 1 (Systems of Linear Equations)**

- Linear Function:

$$f(\alpha x_1 + \beta y_1, \alpha x_2 + \beta y_2, \dots, \alpha x_n + \beta y_n) \\ \implies \alpha f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) + \beta f(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n)$$

- If  $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is linear, then

$$f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = c_1 x_1 + c_2 x_2 + \dots + c_n x_n$$

- Affine function:

$$g(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) + c_0$$

for a linear function  $f: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  and constant  $c_0 \in \mathbb{R}$ .

**Note 2 (Vectors/Matrices)**

- Vectors  $\vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$

- each  $x_i$  = component/element
- size = # of elements ( $n$ )
- vectors are equal if same size and elements are equal

- Standard unit vector: all elements 0 except one 1

- Vector multiplication:

- $\vec{y}^T \vec{x}$  = dot product;  $\sum x_i y_i$

$$-\vec{x} \vec{y}^T = \text{matrix: } \begin{bmatrix} x_1 y_1 & x_1 y_2 & \dots \\ x_2 y_1 & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \dots & x_n y_n \end{bmatrix}$$

- Matrix multiplication:

- $\mathbf{AB}$ : for each row of  $\mathbf{A}$ , multiply and sum for each col of  $\mathbf{B}$
- Associative, not commutative:  
 $(\mathbf{AB})\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{BC}); \mathbf{AB} \neq \mathbf{BA}$

- Identity matrix:  $\mathbf{I}$ ; 1's along diagonal, 0's everywhere else

**Note 3 (Linear Independence/Span)**

- Set of vectors  $\{\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2, \dots, \vec{v}_n\}$  is linearly dependent (LD) if  $\alpha_1 \vec{v}_1 + \alpha_2 \vec{v}_2 + \dots + \alpha_n \vec{v}_n = \vec{0}$ , where some  $\alpha_i \neq 0$
- Or, LD if  $\vec{v}_i$  can be written as  $\sum \alpha_j \vec{v}_j$ , where some  $\alpha_j \neq 0$
- Linearly independent (LI) if  $\sum \alpha_i \vec{v}_i = \vec{0}$  only if all  $\alpha_i = 0$
- Span: set of all linear combinations of the vectors

**Note 5 (Water Pumps)**

- Transition matrix (flow from cols to rows):

$$\begin{array}{c} \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} A & B & C \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} A \\ B \\ C \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} A \rightarrow A & B \rightarrow A & C \rightarrow A \\ A \rightarrow B & B \rightarrow B & C \rightarrow B \\ A \rightarrow C & B \rightarrow C & C \rightarrow C \end{bmatrix} \end{array}$$

- Columns sum to 1  $\implies$  conservative system (everything goes somewhere)

**Note 6 (Matrix Inversion)**

- $\mathbf{A}$  is invertible if there exists a  $\mathbf{B}$  s.t.  $\mathbf{AB} = \mathbf{BA} = \mathbf{I}$
- Finding inverse: Gaussian elimination, like solving  $\mathbf{AX} = \mathbf{I}$ ; i.e. reduce  $[\mathbf{A} \mid \mathbf{I}] \rightarrow [\mathbf{I} \mid \mathbf{A}^{-1}]$
- If invertible, then: (baby version of IMT)
  - rows and cols LI
  - $\mathbf{A}\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  has a unique solution for all  $\vec{b}$
  - has a trivial nullspace
  - $\det \mathbf{A} \neq 0$

**Note 7 (Vector Spaces)**

- $V$  is a vector space if:
  - $\vec{0} \in V$
  - $\vec{x}, \vec{y} \in V$  implies  $\alpha \vec{x} + \beta \vec{y} \in V$  for all  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$ ; i.e.
    - \* closed under vector addition (if  $\vec{x}, \vec{y} \in V$  then  $\vec{x} + \vec{y} \in V$ )
    - \* closed under scalar multiplication (if  $\vec{x} \in V$  then  $\alpha \vec{x} \in V$  for all  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ )
  - (among other things, but these are the most important)
- Basis of a vector space:
  - LI vectors, can express any  $\vec{v} \in V$  as a linear combination of basis vectors, and is a minimum set of vectors that does so (implied by being LI)
- Dimension of a vector space = # of basis vectors
- All equivalent bases of a vector space must have the same dimension

**Note 8 (Matrix subspaces)**

- $U$  is a subspace if it satisfies the 3 points in Note 7 (a subspace is a subset of a vector space)
- Column space:  $\text{range}(\mathbf{A}) = \text{span}(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{C}(\mathbf{A}) = \text{span of cols of } \mathbf{A}$
- $\text{rank}(\mathbf{A}) = \dim(\text{span}(\mathbf{A}))$
- Nullspace:  $\text{Null}(\mathbf{A}) = \mathbf{N}(\mathbf{A}) = \text{set of all } \vec{x} \text{ s.t. } \mathbf{A}\vec{x} = \vec{0}$
- nullity( $\mathbf{A}$ ) =  $\dim(\mathbf{N}(\mathbf{A}))$
- rank-nullity theorem:  $\text{rank}(\mathbf{A}) + \text{nullity}(\mathbf{A}) = \# \text{ of columns of } \mathbf{A}$

**Note 9 (Eigenvalues/Eigenvectors)**

- If  $\mathbf{A}\vec{x} = \lambda \vec{x}$ , then  $\vec{x}$  is an eigenvector,  $\lambda$  is an eigenvalue of  $\mathbf{A}$
- Calculating eigenvalues: solve  $\det(\mathbf{A} - \lambda \mathbf{I}) = 0$  for  $\lambda$
- Calculating eigenvectors: solve  $(\mathbf{A} - \lambda \mathbf{I})\vec{v} = \vec{0}$  for  $\vec{v}$
- Repeated eigenvalues: multiple eigenvectors, same eigenvalue; forms an eigenspace
- If  $(\lambda_1, \vec{v}_1), (\lambda_2, \vec{v}_2)$  are two distinct eigenpairs, then  $\vec{v}_1, \vec{v}_2$  are LI.
- Characteristic polynomial:  $\det(\mathbf{A} - \lambda \mathbf{I})$
- Steady states (water pumps):  $\vec{x}$  s.t.  $\mathbf{A}\vec{x} = \vec{x}$  (i.e. eigenspace for  $\lambda = 1$ )
- $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \mathbf{A}^n \vec{x} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lambda^n \vec{x}$  if  $(\lambda, \vec{x})$  is an eigenpair of  $\mathbf{A}$

**Note 10 (Change of Basis/Diagonalization)**

- If  $\mathbf{T}\vec{u} = \vec{v}$ , and  $\vec{u}_A$  and  $\vec{v}_B$  are vectors in the  $\mathbf{A}$  and  $\mathbf{B}$  bases respectively (i.e. columns of  $\mathbf{A}$  and  $\mathbf{B}$  are basis vectors in the new coordinate system), then arrows represent consecutive left-multiplication:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \vec{u} & \xrightarrow{\mathbf{T}} & \vec{v} \\ \mathbf{A}^{-1} \left( \downarrow \right) \mathbf{A} & & \mathbf{B} \left( \downarrow \right) \mathbf{B}^{-1} \\ \vec{u}_A & \xrightarrow{\mathbf{B}^{-1} \mathbf{T} \mathbf{A}} & \vec{v}_B \end{array}$$

- Diagonalization:  $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{PDP}^{-1}$ ;  $\mathbf{P}$  = matrix of eigenvectors,  $\mathbf{D}$  = diagonal matrix of eigenvalues such that  $\mathbf{A}\vec{v}_i = \lambda_i \vec{v}_i$

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} | & & | \\ \vec{v}_1 & \dots & \vec{v}_n \\ | & & | \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{D} = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda_n \end{bmatrix}$$

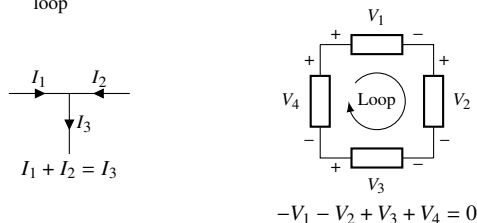
- Only diagonalizable if eigenvalues are linearly independent (i.e. if all eigenvalues are distinct)

**Other**

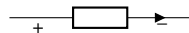
- $(\mathbf{AB})^T = \mathbf{B}^T \mathbf{A}^T$
- rotation matrix by  $\theta$  counterclockwise:  $\begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$
- $\det \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} = ad - bc$
- $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad - bc} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$
- $\det(\mathbf{AB}) = \det(\mathbf{A}) \det(\mathbf{B})$
- $\det(\mathbf{A}^{-1}) = \det(\mathbf{A})^{-1}$
- $\det(\mathbf{A})$  = product along diagonal if  $\mathbf{A}$  is triangular
  - eigenvalues of a triangular matrix are the values along its diagonal

**Note 11 (Circuits)**

- Ohm's law:  $V = IR$
- KCL:  $I_{in} = I_{out}$
- KVL:  $\sum_{loop} V_k = 0$ ;  $- \rightarrow + = \text{add}$ ,  $+ \rightarrow - = \text{subtract}$



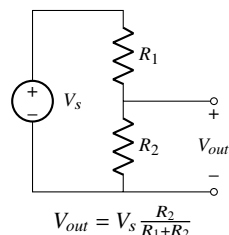
- NVA:
  - Label everything
  - Passive sign convention: current goes into +, out of -



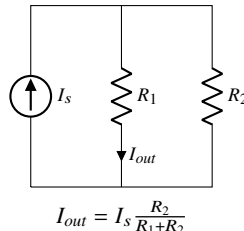
- Write KCL at each unknown node
- Substitute Ohm's law for each current
- Solve for desired values

**Note 12 (Resistive Touchscreen)**

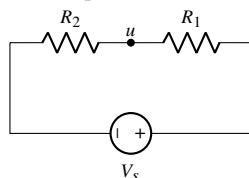
- Voltage divider:



- Current divider:



- $R = \rho \frac{L}{A} = \rho \frac{\text{length}}{\text{area}}$ , where  $\rho$  = resistivity
- Resistive touchscreen: touch splits resistor



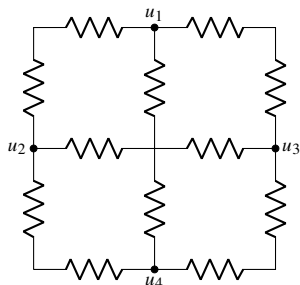
$$R_2 = \rho \frac{L_{touch}}{A} \quad R_1 = \rho \frac{L - L_{touch}}{A} \quad u = V_s \frac{L_{touch}}{L}$$

**Note 13 (Power)**

- Power:  $P = VI = \frac{V^2}{R} = I^2 R$
- Voltmeter: connected *in parallel* to element to measure voltage drop
- Ammeter: embedded in the circuit *in series* to measure current

**Note 14 (2D Resistive Touchscreen)**

- 2D resistive touchscreen



- Powering  $u_1 \rightarrow u_4$ : measure  $y$  position

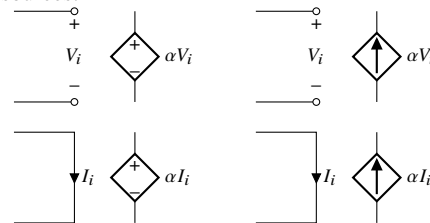
$$V_{out} = V_s \frac{L_{touch, vertical}}{L}$$

- Powering  $u_2 \rightarrow u_3$ : measure  $x$  position

$$V_{out} = V_s \frac{L_{touch, horizontal}}{L}$$

**Note 15 (Superposition, Equivalences)**

- Dependent sources:



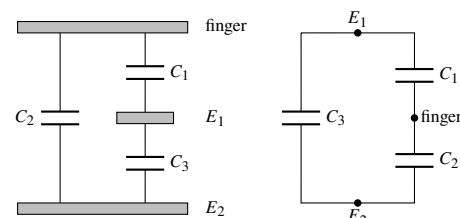
- Superposition:
  - for each independent source:
    - replace voltage source with wire, current source with open circuit
    - leave everything alone, find value (keep the same signs!)
  - sum up everything
- Resistor equivalences:
  - Parallel:  $R_{eq} = \frac{R_1 R_2}{R_1 + R_2}$
  - Series:  $R_{eq} = R_1 + R_2$
- Voltage drop is equal through parallel branches (adjacent to same nodes)
- Current is equal through elements in series (by KCL)

**Note 16 (Capacitors)**

- Capacitors:
  - charge (on positive plate) =  $Q = CV$ ;  $C$  = capacitance
  - $I = C \frac{dV}{dt}$
  - if constant current, then  $I = C \frac{\Delta V}{\Delta t}$  and  $It = C(V(t) - V(0))$
- Capacitor equivalences:
  - Parallel:  $C_{eq} = C_1 + C_2$
  - Series:  $C_{eq} = \frac{C_1 C_2}{C_1 + C_2}$
- $C = \epsilon \frac{A}{d} = \epsilon \frac{\text{area}}{\text{distance}}$ , where  $\epsilon$  = permittivity
- Energy:  $E = \frac{1}{2} CV^2$

**Note 17 (Capacitive Touchscreen)**

- Capacitive touch screen:



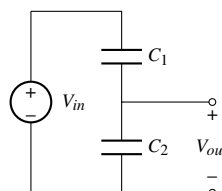
- Touch adds parallel capacitors ( $C_1, C_2$ )  $\Rightarrow$  increased capacitance

**Note 17B (Charge Sharing)**

- Charge sharing steps:
  - Draw/label phases, keep polarity/signs for elements consistent through phases
  - For all floating nodes in phase 2, use charge conservation; find total charge on adjacent plates (keep + and - plates in mind!)
  - Equate with the total charge on the *same* plates in phase 1

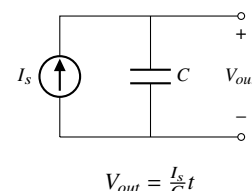
**Other**

- Capacitive divider:



$$V_{out} = V_{in} \frac{C_1}{C_1 + C_2}$$

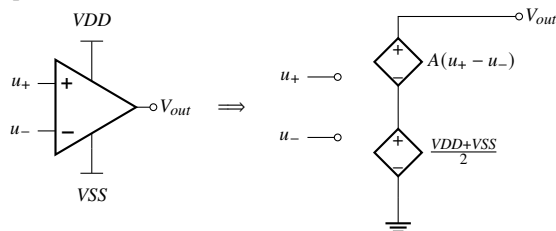
- Charging a capacitor:



$$V_{out} = \frac{I_s}{C} t$$

**Note 18/19 (Op Amps)**

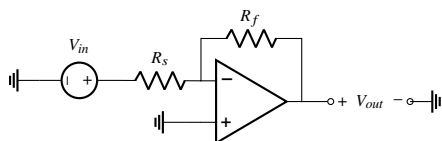
- Op amp:



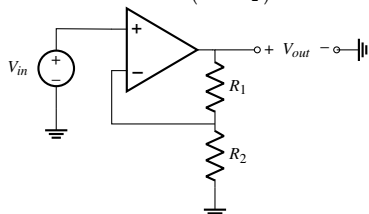
- Ideal op amp:

- $A \rightarrow \infty$
- No current through  $u_+$ ,  $u_-$
- $u_+ - u_- = 0$

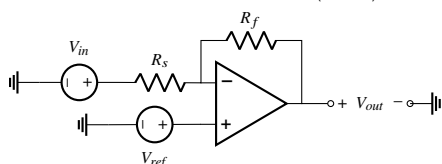
- Inverting Amplifier:  $V_{out} = V_{in} \left( -\frac{R_f}{R_s} \right)$



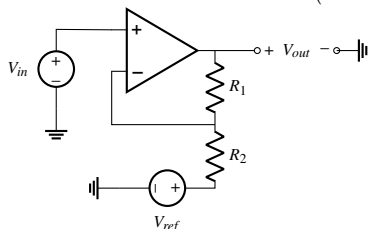
- Noninverting Amplifier:  $V_{out} = V_{in} \left( 1 + \frac{R_1}{R_2} \right)$



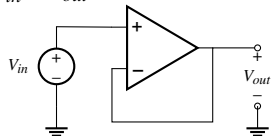
- Inverting Amplifier w/ reference:  $V_{out} = V_{in} \left( -\frac{R_f}{R_s} \right) + V_{ref} \left( 1 + \frac{R_f}{R_s} \right)$



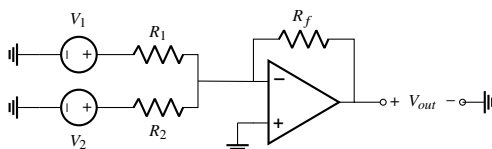
- Noninverting Amplifier w/ reference:  $V_{out} = V_{in} \left( 1 + \frac{R_1}{R_2} \right) - V_{ref} \left( \frac{R_1}{R_2} \right)$



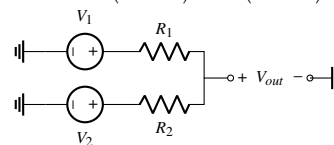
- Unity Gain Buffer:  $V_{in} = V_{out}$



- Inverting Summing Amplifier:  $V_{out} = -R_f \left( \frac{V_{in1}}{R_1} + \frac{V_{in2}}{R_2} \right)$



- Voltage Summer:  $V_{out} = V_1 \left( \frac{R_2}{R_1+R_2} \right) + V_2 \left( \frac{R_1}{R_1+R_2} \right)$

**Note 21 (Inner Products)**

- (Euclidean) Inner product:  $\langle \vec{x}, \vec{y} \rangle = \vec{x} \cdot \vec{y} = \vec{x}^T \vec{y} = \sum x_i y_i$
- $\vec{x}, \vec{y}$  are orthogonal if  $\langle \vec{x}, \vec{y} \rangle = 0$
- $\langle a\vec{x}, \vec{y} \rangle = a \langle \vec{x}, \vec{y} \rangle$  and  $\langle \vec{x} + \vec{y}, \vec{z} \rangle = \langle \vec{x}, \vec{z} \rangle + \langle \vec{y}, \vec{z} \rangle$
- Norm:  $\|\vec{x}\| = \sqrt{\langle \vec{x}, \vec{x} \rangle}$  = length/magnitude of vector
- Alternate definition:  $\langle \vec{x}, \vec{y} \rangle = \|\vec{x}\| \|\vec{y}\| \cos \theta$
- Cauchy-Schwarz inequality:  $|\langle \vec{x}, \vec{y} \rangle| \leq \|\vec{x}\| \|\vec{y}\|$

**Note 22 (Correlation)**

- Cross-correlation:  $\text{corr}_{\vec{x}}(\vec{y})[k] = \sum_{i=-\infty}^{\infty} x[i]y[i-k]$
- $\vec{x}[i], \vec{y}[i] = 0$  outside of defined range
- $\text{corr}_{\vec{x}}(\vec{y})[k] = \text{corr}_{\vec{y}}(\vec{x})[-k]$ ; they're mirrored
- Autocorrelation:  $\text{corr}_{\vec{x}}(\vec{x})$
- Circular correlation:

$$\text{circcorr}(\vec{x}, \vec{y}) = \begin{bmatrix} \text{---} & \text{rows are all} & \text{---} \\ \text{---} & \text{circular shifts} & \text{---} \\ \text{---} & \text{of } \vec{y} & \text{---} \end{bmatrix} \vec{x}$$

**Note 23 (Projection/Least Squares)**

- Projection of  $\vec{b}$  onto  $\vec{a}$ :  $\text{proj}_{\vec{a}}(\vec{b}) = \frac{\langle \vec{b}, \vec{a} \rangle}{\langle \vec{a}, \vec{a} \rangle} \vec{a}$
- Scalar projection of  $\vec{b}$  onto  $\vec{a}$ :  $\frac{\langle \vec{b}, \vec{a} \rangle}{\langle \vec{a}, \vec{a} \rangle}$
- Projection onto subspace: if columns of  $\mathbf{A}$  are orthogonal, then  $\text{proj}_{\mathbf{A}}(\vec{b}) = \sum \text{proj}_{\vec{a}_i}(\vec{b})$  where  $\vec{a}_i$  are columns of  $\mathbf{A}$ ; if not, use least squares
- Least squares: to minimize the error  $e = \|\mathbf{A}\vec{x} - \vec{b}\|$ , we have  $\hat{\vec{x}} = (\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A})^{-1} \mathbf{A}^T \vec{b}$
- Setting up least squares:
  - $\mathbf{A}$  = matrix of known values/coefficients
  - $\vec{x}$  = vector of variables
  - $\vec{b}$  = vector of constants
- $\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A}$  is invertible if  $\mathbf{A}$  has LI columns (i.e. can only apply least squares if  $\mathbf{A}$  has LI columns)

**Other**

- Trilateration:
  - $n$  variables  $\implies n$  equations if linear,  $n+1$  equations if nonlinear (subtract from one equation to linearize)
  - in space:  $n$  dimensions  $\implies n+1$  equations for circles/spheres; one is sacrificed to linearize
  - if delays are unknown, need  $n+2$  equations; sacrifice one for reference, sacrifice another to linearize
- Units (good to double check calculations)
  - Current:  $A = C/s = \text{charge/time}$
  - Voltage:  $V = J/C = \text{energy/charge}$
  - Resistance:  $\Omega = V/A$
  - Power:  $W = J/s = \text{energy/time}$
  - Capacitance:  $F = C/V = \text{charge/volt}$