

# Calculus

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## Preface

This book reviews calculus, advanced calculus, real analysis, and functional Analysis. The main references to be used are [?] for calculus, [?] for advanced calculus, [?] for real analysis, and [?] for functional analysis. Other useful texts include: [?] and [?] for real analysis.

**Part I**

**Calculus**



# Chapter 1

## Infinite Sequences and Series

### 1.1 Convergence Tests

There are five common techniques to test whether or not an infinite series is convergent. But first of all, a necessary condition:

**Theorem 1.1.1** If the limit of the summand is undefined or nonzero, that is,  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n \neq 0$ , then the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$  must diverge.

**Theorem 1.1.2 Comparison Test.** If  $\{a_n\}, \{b_n\} > 0$ , and the limit  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{b_n}$  exists, is finite and is not zero, then  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$  converges if and only if  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n$  converges.

**Theorem 1.1.3 Integral Test.** Let  $f : [1, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbf{R}_+$  be a positive and monotone decreasing function such that  $f(n) = a_n$ . Then the series  $\{a_n\}$  converges if and only if the integral  $\int_1^{\infty} f(x)dx$  converges.

**Theorem 1.1.4 Ratio Test.** Suppose there exists  $r$  such that  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} \right| = r$ . If  $r < 1$ , then the series converges. If  $r > 1$ , then the series diverges. If  $r = 1$ , the ratio test is inconclusive, and the series may converge or diverge.

**Theorem 1.1.5 Root Test.** Define  $r = \limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt[n]{|a_n|}$ . If  $r < 1$ , then the series converges. If  $r > 1$ , then the series diverges. If  $r = 1$ , the ratio test is inconclusive, and the series may converge or diverge.

**Theorem 1.1.6 Alternating Series Test.** If the alternating series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} b_n, (b_n > 0)$  satisfies

1.  $b_{n+1} \leq b_n$ , for all  $n$ ; and,
2.  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} b_n = 0$ .

Then the series is convergent.

**Theorem 1.1.7** A series is said to be absolutely convergent if  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} |a_n|$  converges. Every absolutely convergent series is convergent. But not all convergent series are absolutely convergent. A convergent series that is not absolutely convergent is called conditionally convergent.





## Chapter 2

# Vectors and the Geometry of Space

### 2.1 Lines in $\mathbb{R}^n$

**Definition 2.1.1** Given a vector  $\mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{R}^n$  and a nonzero vector  $\mathbf{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , the set of all points  $\mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$  such that

$$\mathbf{y} = t\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{p}, \quad t \in \mathbb{R} \quad (2.1)$$

is called the *line* through  $\mathbf{p}$  in the direction of  $\mathbf{v}$ .

**Example 2.1.1** The shortest distance from a point  $\mathbf{q} \in \mathbb{R}^n$  to a line  $L$  with equation  $\mathbf{y} = t\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{p}$  is

$$\left\| (\mathbf{q} - \mathbf{p}) - \frac{(\mathbf{q} - \mathbf{p})^T \mathbf{v}}{\|\mathbf{v}\|^2} \mathbf{v} \right\| \quad (2.2)$$

### 2.2 Hyperplanes in $\mathbb{R}^n$

**Definition 2.2.1** Suppose  $\mathbf{n}$  is a normal vector for a hyperplane  $H$  through  $\mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , then the normal equation for  $H$  is

$$\mathbf{n}^T(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{p}) = 0 \quad (2.3)$$

If  $H$  is in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ , we can use cross-product  $\times$  to obtain the normal vector given two vectors on the hyperplane.

**Example 2.2.1** The shortest distance from a point  $\mathbf{q} \in \mathbb{R}^n$  to a hyperplane  $H$  with equation  $\mathbf{n}^T(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{p}) = 0$  is

$$\left| \frac{\mathbf{n}^T(\mathbf{q} - \mathbf{p})}{\|\mathbf{n}\|} \right| \quad (2.4)$$

A hyperplane is a set satisfies  $H = \{x : w^T x = b\}$ . An equivalent form is  $w^T(x - \frac{w}{\|w\|^2}b) = 0$ , which suggests that the vector  $w$  is perpendicular to the hyperplane, called a normal vector.

Particularly, since  $\frac{w^T w}{\|w\|^2}b = b$ , we know  $x_0 = \frac{w}{\|w\|} \frac{b}{\|w\|}$  is on the hyperplane. The  $x_0$  is actually the projection of the origin, since  $w$  is orthogonal to the hyperplane and it is nothing but a scaled  $w$  on the hyperplane. Therefore, the shortest distance (along the direction of  $w$ ) from the origin to the hyperplane is given by  $\frac{b}{\|w\|}$  (could be negative, which means  $w$  is on the other side of the hyperplane).

In general, if a hyperplane is given by the equation  $f(x) = w^T x - b = 0$ , the distance from any arbitrary vector  $p$  to the hyperplane  $w^T x = b$  is given by

$$\frac{f(p)}{\|w\|} = \frac{w^T p - b}{\|w\|}, \quad \text{if } p \text{ is on the opposite side of the origin} \quad (2.5)$$

$$-\frac{f(p)}{\|w\|} = -\frac{w^T p - b}{\|w\|}, \quad \text{if } p \text{ is on the same side of the origin} \quad (2.6)$$

Particularly, when  $p = 0$  (the origin), the above becomes  $\frac{b}{\|w\|}$ , which agrees with our previous result.

Proof: Let's prove the first case. Suppose there is a vector  $x$  on the hyperplane, such that  $p - x = d \frac{w}{\|w\|}$ . Since  $w$  is orthogonal to the hyperplane, the scalar  $d$  is the distance we are after. Now, multiply both sides by  $w^T$ ,

$$w^T p - w^T x = d w^T \frac{w}{\|w\|}$$

$$w^T p - (w^T x - b) = d \frac{w^T w}{\|w\|} + b$$

$$w^T p = d \|w\| + b$$

$$d = \frac{w^T p - b}{\|w\|}$$

The proof for the other case is similar.

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