# Applied Linear Algebra

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## 1 Linear Algebraic Systems

### 2 Vector Spaces and Bases

### 2.1 Real Vector Spaces

A vector space is the abstract reformulation of the quintessential properties of n-dimensional Euclidean Space  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , which is defined as the set of all real (column) vectors with n entries. The basic laws of vector addition and scalar multiplication in  $\mathbb{R}$ 

**Definition 1.** AA vector space is a set of V equipped with two operations:

- Addition: adding any pair of vectors  $\mathbf{v}$ ,  $\mathbf{w} \in V$  produces another vector  $\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w} \in V$ ;
- Scalar Multiplication: multiplying a vector  $\mathbf{v} \in V$  by a scalar  $c \in \mathbb{R}$  produces a vector  $c\mathbf{v} \in V$

These are subject to the following axioms, valid for all u, v, w  $\in V$  and all scalars  $c, d \in \mathbb{R}$ :

- Commutativity of Addition: v + w = w + v.
- Associativity of Addition: u + (v + w) = (u + v) + w.
- Additive Identity: There is a zero element  $0 \in V$  satisfying v + 0 = v = 0 + v.
- Additive Inverse: For each  $v \in V$  there is an element  $-v \in V$  such that v+(-v)=0=(-v)+v.
- Distributivity: (c+d)v=(cv)+(dv), and c(v+w)=(cv)+(cw).
- Assosiativity of Scalar Multiplication:  $c(d\mathbf{v}) = (cd)\mathbf{v}$ .
- Unit for Scalar Multiplication: the scalar  $1 \in \mathbb{R}$  satisfies 1v = v.

**Theorem 1.** LLet V be a vector space.

- $0 \times \vec{V} = \vec{0}$
- $\bullet \ \ -1\vec{V} = -\vec{V}$
- $c \times \vec{0} = \vec{0}$
- If  $c \times \vec{V} = \vec{0}$ , then c = 0 or  $\vec{V} = \vec{0}$

Here are some examples of vector spaces:

$$\bullet \mathbb{R}^n = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} r_1 \\ r_2 \\ \vdots \\ r_n \end{pmatrix} \middle| r_1, r_2, r_n \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

- $M_{m \times n}$  = The m by n matrices over  $\mathbb{R}$ .
- $\P^n$  = the polynomials of degree  $\leq n$ .

**Definition 2.** LLet V be a vector space over F.  $W \leq V$  is a subspace of V if W is a vector space over F under the same operation as V.

An example of definition (2.1.2). Let  $V = \mathbb{R}^3 = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} \middle| a, b, c \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ . V is a vector space. If we let  $W = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \middle| a, b \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ , then W is a subspace of V.

**Theorem 2.** Let V be a vector space. Let  $W \leq V$ . W is a subspace of V if

- $w \neq 0$
- $\bullet \ \forall w_1 w_2 \in W; w_1 + w_2 \in W$
- $\forall c \in F; \vec{W} \in W; c \cdot \vec{W} \in W$

If we were to let  $V = \mathbb{R}^3$  for  $\begin{pmatrix} a \\ c \end{pmatrix}$ . We can determine the following:

- $\{\vec{0}\}$  is a subspace of V.
- $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} a \\ 0 \\ c \end{pmatrix} \middle| a, c \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$  is a subspace of V.
- Consider the equation  $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \middle| x \in \mathbb{R} \right\} = W$  Show that W is a subspace of V.
  - $-\begin{pmatrix} 0\\0\\0 \end{pmatrix} \in W \text{ so } W \neq 0.$
  - $-\begin{pmatrix} x \\ 0 \\ x \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} y \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \in W.$  Then  $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ x \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} y \\ y \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x+y \\ x+y \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$
  - $-\begin{pmatrix} x \\ x \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \in W$ , then  $c \times \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} cx \\ cx \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \in W$ .
  - Therefore we know that W is a subspace of V with respect to scalar multiplication and addition.
- $W = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 2x+3y \end{pmatrix} \middle| x, y \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$ . W is a subspace of V.

 $\mathbb{R}^3$  only has 4 kinds of subspaces.  $\mathbb{R}^3$ ,  $\{\vec{0}\}$ , planes passing through the origin and lines that are passing through the origin.

### 2.2 Subspaces

**Definition 3.** LLet I be an interval in  $\mathbb{R}$ . Let  $\mathbb{F}(I)$  be the vector space of functions  $\mathbb{F} = I \to \mathbb{R}$ .

- $\mathbb{C}^0(I)$  = the continuous functions from  $I \to \mathbb{R}$  is a subspace.
- $\P^n(I)$  = polynomials of degree  $\leq n$  restricted to  $\mathbb{F}(I)$ . This is a subspace of  $C^0(I)$ .
- $\P^{\infty}(I)$  = all polynomials on I. This is a subspace of  $\mathbb{F}(I)$ .
- $\mathbb{C}^n(I)$  = the set of functions  $f: I \to \mathbb{R}$  such that  $f', f''...f^{(n)}$  all exist and are continuous.
- $\mathbb{C}^{\infty}(I)$  = functions from  $I \to \mathbb{R}$  such that f', f'', f''' all exist and are smooth functions.
- A(I) = the functions in  $\mathbb{C}^{\infty}(I)$  such that all  $A \in I$ , the power series  $f(a) + \frac{f'(a)(x-a)}{1!} + \frac{f''(a)(x-a)^2}{2!} + \dots$  converges for all  $x \in I$  sufficiently close to a.

**Problem.** Show that  $v = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 2x+y \end{pmatrix}$  is a subspace of  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

- Because  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2(0)+0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$  is in v, v is not empty.
- Let  $\vec{v_1} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ 2x_1 + y_1 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{v_2} = \begin{pmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \\ 2x_2 + y_1 \end{pmatrix} \in V$

$$v_1 + v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + x_2 \\ y_1 + y_2 \\ 2x_1 + y_1 + 2x_2 + y_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + x_2 \\ y_1 + y_2 \\ 2(x_1 + x_2) + (y_1 + y_2) \end{pmatrix} \in V \quad (1)$$

so v is closed with respect to addition.

• Let  $r \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 2x+y \end{pmatrix} = \vec{v} \in v$ 

### 2.3 Span and Linear Independence

If we let V be a vector space over  $\mathbb{R}$  and let  $\vec{v_1}, \ldots, \vec{v_n} \in V$ , then we can determine that the

$$span(\{\vec{v_1}, \dots, \vec{v_n}\}) = \{c_1\vec{v_1} + \dots + c_n\vec{v_n} | c_1, \dots, c_n \in \mathbb{R}\}$$
 (2)

**Proposition 1.** The span of  $\{\vec{v_1}, \vec{v_2}\}$  is a subspace of V.

Proof.

$$c_1\vec{v_1} + \dots + c_n\vec{v_n} \tag{3}$$

$$k_1 \vec{v_1} + \dots + k_n \vec{v_n} \in span \tag{4}$$

(5)

If we add together both of the equations above we get

$$(c_1 + k_1)\vec{v_1} + \dots + (c_n + k_n)\vec{v_n} \in span.$$
 (6)

$$r(c_1\vec{v_1} + \dots + c_n\vec{v_n}) \tag{7}$$

$$r(c_1\vec{v_1} + \dots + c_n\vec{v_n})$$

$$= rc_1\vec{v_1} + \dots + rc_n\vec{v_n} \in span$$
(8)

**Problem.** Let  $V \in \mathbb{R}^3$ . Also we are going to let

$$\vec{v_1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, span(\vec{v_1}) = \left\{ c \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \middle| c \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$
 (9)

 $\begin{pmatrix} 1\\2\\0 \end{pmatrix}$  is a vector in 3-space.  $c \times \begin{pmatrix} 1\\2\\0 \end{pmatrix}$  expands, contracts, changes direction. This is a line which goes through  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ .

$$c \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \tag{10}$$

is in the xy-plane, let's solve for y to find the equation of the line that is drawn by the vector:

$$\begin{pmatrix} c \\ 2c \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \tag{11}$$

$$x = c \tag{12}$$

$$y = 2c \tag{13}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}y = c \tag{14}$$

$$\to x = \frac{1}{2}y\tag{15}$$

$$\to y = 2x \tag{16}$$

(17)

Now we are going to let  $\vec{v_2} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ . Consider the span of  $(\{\vec{v_1}, \vec{v_2}\})$ . The span of  $(\{\vec{v_1}, \vec{v_2}\})$  is a plane.

In  $\mathbb{R}^3$ , if  $\vec{0} \neq \vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}$ , then the span $\vec{v}$  is a line.

**Problem.** Let  $v = \P^2$ . v is the set of polynomials of degree  $\leq 2 \in \mathbb{R}$ .

- $span(1, x, x^2) = \P^2$
- $span(4,2x) = \P^1$ , which means all polynomials of degree  $\leq 1$

**Definition 4.** LLet v be a vector space.  $\vec{v_1}, \ldots, \vec{v_n}$  are linearly dependent if there exists  $c_1, \ldots, c_n$  are not all zero, such that  $c_1 \vec{v_1} + \cdots + c_n \vec{v_n} = \vec{0}$ , otherwise,  $\vec{v_1}, \ldots, \vec{v_n}$  are linearly independent.

If we let  $\vec{v_1} = \binom{1}{2}$ ,  $\vec{v_2} = \binom{2}{4}$ , we can do a simple test to see if they are linearly independent. We know that  $2\vec{v_1} = \vec{v_2}$ , which means that  $2\vec{v_1} + -1\vec{v_2} = 0$ . Because we can make  $\vec{v_1} + \vec{v_2}$  by using a simple scalar value, these functions are linearly dependent.

**Problem.** Consider the following three matrices

$$\vec{v_1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1\\2\\1 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{v_2} = \begin{pmatrix} 2\\1\\1 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{v_3} = \begin{pmatrix} 8\\1\\11 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (18)

Are these matrices linearly dependent or independent from each other? The following equation will let us set up a matrix to determine the results:

$$c_1\vec{v_1} + c_2\vec{v_2} + c_3\vec{v_3} = \vec{0} \tag{19}$$

We must try to see if there are any  $c_n$  values that are not zero to make this true.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 8 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 11 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \\ c_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (20)

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 8 & \vdots & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 1 & \vdots & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 & \vdots & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (21)

By doing some elementary row operations, we can find that in row echelon form, the matrix from equation (2.21) can be written as

$$\begin{pmatrix}
1 & 2 & 8 & \vdots & 0 \\
9 & 1 & 3 & \vdots & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & \vdots & 0
\end{pmatrix}$$
(22)

And from here we can solve for the different  $c_n$  values.

$$1c_1 + 2c_2 + 8c_3 = 0 (23)$$

$$c_1 + 3c_3 = 0 (24)$$

$$(25)$$

$$c_3 = -3c_3 (26)$$

$$c_1 = -2c_3 (27)$$

$$c_3 = c_3 \tag{28}$$

Because we have this relationship where  $c_1, c_2, c_3$  all depend on each other, we can tell that this is linearly independent.

### 2.3.1 Linear Independence and Dependence

### 2.4 Basis and Dimension

**Definition 5.** AA basis of a vector space v is a collection of vectors  $\vec{v_1}, \ldots, \vec{v_n}$  that 1. span v and 2. are linearly dependent.

**Problem.** If we are looking at  $\mathbb{R}^2$ , with  $e_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , and  $e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  We can tell that this is a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ . We can tell this because the span of v is linearly independent. We can also see this because:

$$a \times e_1 + b \times e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix} \tag{29}$$

**Problem.** Now we are going to look at an example in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ , with  $e_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $e_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , and  $e_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ . We can figure out that this is a basis by doing the same technique as we did before:

$$c_1\vec{e_1} + c_2\vec{e_2} + c_3\vec{e_3} = 0 ag{30}$$

$$c_1 = c_2 = c_3 = 0 (31)$$

Because  $c_1$ ,  $c_2$ , and  $c_3$  are all equal to zero,  $\vec{e_1}$ ,  $\vec{e_2}$ , and  $\vec{e_3}$  form a basis.

**Theorem 3.** IIf a vector space v has a basis with n elements, then every basis of v has n elements. We say v has dimension n. We write down v = n

**Theorem 4.** Iff the dimension of v is n, then any collection of n+1 or more vectors must be linearly dependent.

### **Theorem 5.** SSuppose v = n

- 1. Every collection of more than n vectors is linearly dependent.
- 2. No set of fewer than n vectors spans v.
- 3. A set of n vectors is a basis if and only if it spans v.
- 4. A set of n vectors is a basis if and only if it is linearly dependent.

**Problem.** Assume  $1, x, x^2$  is a basis for  $\mathbb{P}^2$ . We are going to multiply  $1 \times 5$ ,  $x \times 6$ , and  $x^2 \times 2$ .

$$5 + 6x + 2x^2 \tag{32}$$

$$c_1 \times 1 + c_2 \times x + c_3 \times x^2 = 0 \tag{33}$$

$$dim(\mathbb{P}^2) = 3 \tag{34}$$

(35)

**Theorem 6.**  $h\vec{v_1}, \dots \vec{v_2}$  form a basis of v if and only if for all  $\vec{v} \in v$ , there exist unique  $c_1, \dots, c_n$  such that  $\vec{v} = c_1 \vec{v_1} + \dots c_n \vec{v_n}$ 

**Problem.** Let  $v = \mathbb{R}^2$ . Let  $\vec{v} = \left(\frac{4}{3}\right)$ . We know from previous problems that  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  is a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ . We can also figure out what our basis is by trying to figure out what our  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  values should be. Because the matrices we know are a basis consist of 1's and 0's, we can see that

$$4 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}. \tag{36}$$

The coordinates of  $\vec{v}$  with respect to this basis, are (4,3). Let's consider a different basis. We are now going to look at the basis,

$$\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1\\-3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2\\-1 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \tag{37}$$

Now we need to figure out the a and b values for this basis respectively.

$$a \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} + b \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \tag{38}$$

The coordinates of  $\vec{v}$  with respect to this basis are (4,3). Let's consider the same problem but with the following basis:

$$\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1\\ -3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2\\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \tag{40}$$

Now, we are going to do the same thing as before, where we solve for a and b in the following equation

$$a \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} + b \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \tag{41}$$

We can setup this to be a system of equations that we can turn into a matrix

$$\begin{cases} 1a + 2b = 4 \\ -3a + (-1)b = 3 \end{cases} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & \vdots & 4 \\ -3 & -1 & \vdots & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$
 (42)

And now we can use the basic row operation  $R_2 = R_2 + 3R_1$  in order to solve for a and b:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & \vdots & 4 \\ 0 & 5 & \vdots & 5 \end{bmatrix} \tag{43}$$

$$5b = 15$$
  $a + 2b = 4$  (44)

$$b = 3 1 + 2 * 3 = 4 (45)$$

$$a = -2 \tag{46}$$

# 2.5 The fundamental Matrix Subspaces (Kernel and Image)

**Definition 6.** TThe image of an  $m \times n$  matrix A is the subspace spanned by the columns of A.

**Problem.** Let's consider the following equation.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} r_1 \\ r_2 \\ r_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$
 (47)

When we multiply our the matrix, we see that the span of the columns give us all the possible  $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$  values. The span of the matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \times r_1 & 2 \times r_2 & 3 \times r_3 \\ 4 \times r_1 & 5 \times r_2 & 6 \times r_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\tag{48}$$

would be the values  $\begin{bmatrix} 1\\4 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{bmatrix} 2\\5 \end{bmatrix}$ , and  $\begin{bmatrix} 3\\6 \end{bmatrix}$ 

**Definition 7.** AA space, A, is an  $m \times m$  matrix, The kernel of A is

$$A = Ker(A) \tag{49}$$

$$= \{\vec{x}|A\vec{x} = \vec{0}\}\tag{50}$$

Using definition (2.5.2), if  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 5 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ , then

$$\vec{x_1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{x_2} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}. \tag{51}$$

Something to keep in mind: If  $\vec{x_1}, \vec{x_2} \in Ker(A)$ , then  $r_1\vec{x_1} + r_2\vec{x_2} \in Ker(A)$ . So the kernel of A is a subspace of the domain of the function.

**Theorem 7.** AAssume  $\vec{x_1}$  solves  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$ . Then,  $\vec{x_2}$  is another solution to  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  if and only if  $\vec{x_2} = \vec{x_1} + \vec{z}$ , where  $z \in Ker(A)$ 

**Proposition 2.** LLet A be an  $m \times n$  matrix. The following are true:

- 1.  $Ker(A) = {\vec{0}}$
- 2. rank(A) = n
- 3.  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  has a unique solution for any  $\vec{b}$  in the integer of A.
- 4.  $A\vec{x} = \vec{b}$  has no free variables.
- 5. A is non-singular.

**Definition 8.** LLet A be  $m \times n$ .

$$coimg(A) = img(A^T) (52)$$

$$coker(A) = ker(A^T) (53)$$

(54)

The image of A is the span of its collumns. Thus the coimage is the span of its radius. Also the  $\vec{r}$  in the cokernel of A are those  $\vec{r}$  such that  $r \times A = \vec{0}^T$  since

$$(r \cdot A)^T = (\vec{0}^T)^T \tag{55}$$

$$A^T \cdot r^T = \vec{0} \tag{56}$$

**Theorem 8.** TThe Fundamental Theorem of Linear Algebra: Let A be an mxn matrix and let r be its rank. Then

$$dim(coimg(A)) = dim(img(A)) = rank(A) = rank(A^{T}) = r$$
 (57)

$$span(A_{rows}) = span(A_{columns}) \tag{58}$$

$$dim(ker(A)) = n - r \tag{59}$$

$$dim(coker(A)) = m - r (60)$$

Let's take a look at an example using the fundamental theorem of linear algebra. Let

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 & 3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
 (61)

Let's do some row operations to get this matrix into row echelon form:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 0 & -3 & -3 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
 (62)

From this form, we can tell that  $v_3$  and  $v_4$  both depend on  $v_1$  and  $v_2$ . Because there are only two pivot points within A that are filled with values other than 0, rank(A) = 0. We also know that the dimension of the column space is equal to the dimension of the row space. Let's find the dimension of the kernel of A:

$$dim(ker(A)) + rank = n (63)$$

$$dim(key(A)) + 2 = 4 (64)$$

(65)

From here, we know that both y and z are free variables.

$$w + 2x + 3y - z = 0 (66)$$

$$-3x - 3y + 3z = 0 ag{67}$$

$$x + y - z = 0 \tag{68}$$

$$x = -y + z \tag{69}$$

$$w = -2x - 3y + z \tag{70}$$

$$= -2(-y+z) - 3y + z \tag{71}$$

$$= -y - z \tag{72}$$

Now we need to determine the basis for ker(A).

$$\begin{pmatrix} -y-z \\ -y+z \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -y \\ -y \\ -y \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -z \\ z \\ 0 \\ z \end{pmatrix} = y \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + z \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
(73)

Our basis for ker(A) is  $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ .

## 3 Inner Products and Norms

### 3.1 Inner Products

Dot products are a form of inner product.

Let's apply the dot product to the vectors  $\langle v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n \rangle \cdot \langle w_1, w_2, \dots, w_3 \rangle$  to show that the dot product is an inner product.

$$= v_1 w_1 + v_2 w_2 + \ldots + v_n w_n \tag{74}$$

Therefore,  $v \times v$  goes to  $\mathbb{R}$ . So we know that

$$\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v} = v_1^2 + v_2^2 + \ldots + v_n^2 \tag{75}$$

In general, we can assume that  $||\vec{v}|| = \sqrt{\vec{v}\vec{v}}$ . We should also keep in mind that  $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w} = ||\vec{v}|| ||\vec{w}|| \cos \theta$ 

**Definition 9.** AAn inner product of V is a function  $<,>: v \times v \to \mathbb{R}$  such that

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$$< c\vec{u} + d\vec{v}, w> = c < \vec{u}, \vec{v}> + d < \vec{v}, \vec{u}>$$
 (76)

$$<\vec{u}, c\vec{v} + d\vec{w} = c < \vec{u}, \vec{v} > +d < \vec{u}, \vec{w} >$$
 (77)

- $\langle \vec{v}, \vec{w} \rangle = \langle \vec{w}, \vec{v} \rangle$
- $\langle \vec{v}, \vec{v} \rangle \ge_0$  while  $\langle 0, 0 \rangle = \vec{0}$ .

A vector space with an inner product is an inner product space.

**Definition 10.** Iff V is an inner product space, then it's magnitude is

$$||\vec{v}|| = \sqrt{\langle \vec{v}, \vec{v} \rangle} \tag{78}$$

Let's take a look at a weighted inner product on  $\mathbb{R}^3$ . We are going to let  $r_1, r_2, r_3 > 0$ . We can define  $\langle \vec{v}, \vec{w} \rangle$  as  $r_1v_1w_1 + r_2v_2w_2 + r_3v_3w_3$ 

**Problem.** Let's define  $[a,b] \leq \mathbb{R}$ . Consider  $\mathbb{C}^0[a,b]$ . This is a vector space. Define

$$\langle f(x), g(x) \rangle = \int_{a}^{b} f(x)g(x)dx \tag{79}$$

This is an inner product, so we also know that

$$||f|| = \sqrt{\int_{a}^{b} (f(x))^{2} dx}$$
 (80)

This equation is the  $L^2$  norm.

### 3.2 Inequalities

Recall that  $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w} = ||\vec{v}|| ||\vec{w}|| \cos \theta$ , where  $\theta$  is the angle between  $\vec{v}$  and  $\vec{w}$ . Now  $-1 \le \cos \theta \le_1$ , so we know that

$$||\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w}|| \le ||\vec{v}|| ||\vec{w}|| \tag{81}$$

This is the Cauchy-Shuartz inequality.

Theorem 9. FFor any inner product space

$$|| < \vec{v}, \vec{w} > || \le ||\vec{v}|| ||\vec{w}||$$
 (82)

**Definition 11.** Iff  $\vec{v}, \vec{w} \in V$ , we say  $\vec{v}$  and  $\vec{w}$  are orthogonal if  $\langle \vec{v}, \vec{w} \rangle = 0$ 

**Problem.** Let's look at an example of checking orthogonality of two equations  $x, x^2 - y \in \mathbb{C}^0[0, 1]$ . In order to do this we need to find the  $L^2$  norm of the equations.

$$\left\langle x, x^2 - \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle = \int_0^1 x \left( x^2 - \frac{1}{2} \right) dx$$
$$= \int_0^1 \left( x^3 - \frac{1}{2} x \right) dx$$
$$= \frac{1}{4} x^4 - \frac{1}{4} x^2 \Big|_0^1 = 0.$$

Because the result of the inner product was zero, we know that  $x, x^2 - \frac{1}{2}$  are orthogonal in the  $L^2$  norm.

**Theorem 10.** TThe triangle inequality states that if V is an inner product space,

$$|| \langle \vec{v}, \vec{w} \rangle || = ||\vec{v}|| + ||\vec{w}||$$
 (83)

Because we know that if we take the dot product of the same vector itself,  $< a,b,c>\cdot < a,b,c>$ , we get all of the items squared  $< a^2,b^2,c^2>$ , and because we know that  $||\vec{v}||=\sqrt{<\vec{v},\vec{v}>}$ , we get an idea of size. So we can define the unit ball to be

$$\{\vec{v} \in V | ||\vec{v}|| = 1\}$$
 (84)

### 3.3 Norms

Equation (3.5) gives us the "size" of  $\vec{V}$ .

**Definition 12.** AA norm on V is a function  $||\cdot||:V\to\mathbb{R}$  such that

- $||\vec{v}|| = 0$  if and only if  $\vec{v} = 0$
- $\bullet ||c\vec{v}|| = |c| \cdot ||\vec{v}||$
- $||\vec{v} + \vec{w}|| \le ||\vec{v}|| + ||\vec{w}||$

If  $||<\vec{v},\vec{w}>||\leq ||\vec{v}||||\vec{w}||$ , then that is a norm. There are other norms to learn about.

**Problem.** Consider  $V = \mathbb{R}^n$ . We know that the magnitude of  $\vec{V}_p$  is

$$\sqrt[p]{|\vec{v_1}|^p + |\vec{v_2}|^p + |\vec{v_3}|^p}. (85)$$

So if  $v = \mathbb{R}^2$ , p = 2 we have

$$||\langle x, y \rangle||_2 = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}.$$
 (86)

But if we were to have p = 3, we would have

$$||\langle x, y \rangle||_3 = \sqrt[3]{x^3 + y^3}$$
 (87)

In  $||\cdot||_3$ , the size is  $\sqrt[3]{3^3+4^3} \approx_4 .5$ 

In the 4 term,  $||\cdot||_4$ , the unit circle is the (x,y)'s such that  $\sqrt[4]{x^4\cdot Y_4}=1$ 

$$x^4 + y^4 = 1$$
 (88)

Another norm on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is the super-norm. This is where

$$||\langle x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n \rangle||_{\infty} = \max\{|x_1|, |x_2|, \dots, |x_n|\}$$
 (89)

Here's a quick example: The super-norm for < 3, 4 > is

$$|| < 3, 4 > ||_{\infty} = 4 \tag{90}$$

because the maximum value in the set is 4.

Something to keep in mind is  $|| \langle x, y \rangle || = |x| + |y|$ .

**Theorem 11.** LLet  $||\cdot||_A$  and  $||\cdot||_B$  be two norms on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . Then there exists positive numbers 0 < c < k such that

$$c \cdot ||\vec{v}||_A < ||\vec{v}||_B < k \cdot ||\vec{v}||_A \tag{91}$$

Let's consider  $V \in \mathbb{R}^2$ . Let's take a look at  $||\cdot||_2$  and  $||\cdot||_{\infty}$ . Where  $\vec{V} = \langle v_1, v_2 \rangle$ .

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot ||\vec{v}||_2 \le ||\vec{v}||_{\infty} < 1 \cdot ||\vec{v}||_2 \tag{92}$$

We can also define norms on matrices.

**Theorem 12.** If  $||\cdot||$  is a norm on  $\mathbb{R}^2$  and A is an  $m \times n$  matrix, then

$$||A|| = max\{||A \cdot \vec{u}|| |||\vec{u}|| = 1$$
 (93)

These matrix norms satisfy the following:

- 1.  $||A \cdot \vec{v}|| \le ||A|| \cdot ||\vec{v}||$
- 2.  $||A \cdot B|| \le ||A|| \cdot ||B||$
- 3.  $||A^k|| \le ||A||^k$

Let's take a quick look at  $||A||_{\infty}$ 

**Definition 13.** TThe  $i^{th}$  absolute row sum of A is the sum of the absolute values of the entries in the  $i^{th}$  row.

**Theorem 13.**  $y||A||_{\infty}$  the maximum absolute row sum.

Here's an example of using the  $||A||_{\infty}$  value. Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 2 \\ 5 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ . We can determine that the maximum absolute row sum of A is 8. This is because we can do

$$|-3| + |2| = 5 \tag{94}$$

$$|5| + |3| = \boxed{8} \tag{95}$$

### 3.4 Positive Definite Matrices

Consider the following two equations:

$$\vec{x} = x_1 \vec{e_1} + x_2 \vec{e_2} + \dots + x_n \vec{e_n} \tag{96}$$

$$\vec{y} = y_1 \vec{e_1} + y_2 \vec{e_2} + \ldots + v_n \vec{e_n} \tag{97}$$

We can analyze this as

$$\langle \vec{x}, \vec{y} \rangle = [x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n] \cdot \begin{bmatrix} k_{11} & \dots & k_{1n} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ k_{n_1} & \dots & k_{nn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix}$$
(98)

$$k_{ij} = \langle e_i, e_j \rangle \tag{99}$$

$$=\vec{x}^T k \vec{y} \tag{100}$$

$$k = k^T (101)$$

This means that k is symmetrical across the diagonal.

$$\begin{bmatrix} k_{11} & k_{12} & k_{13} \\ k_{12} & k_{22} & k_{23} \\ k_{13} & k_{23} & k_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$
 (102)

**Definition 14.** AA  $n \times n$  matrix A is a symmetrical positive definite matrix if  $A = A^T$  and  $x^t k < x > 0$ .

**Theorem 14.** EEvery inner product on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is given by  $\langle x,y \rangle = \vec{x}^T k \vec{y}$ where k is a symmetrical positive definite matrix. So  $\langle \vec{x}, \vec{y} \rangle$  is a dot product or a weighted product.

$$\langle \vec{x}, \vec{y} \rangle = \vec{x}^T k \vec{y} \tag{103}$$

$$k^T = k \tag{104}$$

$$\vec{v}^T k \cdot \vec{v} > 0 \tag{105}$$

$$\vec{v} \neq_0 \tag{106}$$

Let's take a look at an example for this:

**Problem.** Let  $k = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ . First we need to check to see if  $k^T = k$ . By just looking at k, we can see that  $k^T = k$ . Next we need to do the following calculation to see if  $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$  is the weighted inner product of the matrix k.

$$\begin{bmatrix} x & y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x & y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2x \\ 3x \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= 2x^2 + 2y^2 > 0$$
(108)

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Therefore we know that

**Problem.** Let's consider the following problem

$$\begin{bmatrix} x & y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -2 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \tag{110}$$

If we let A be the numerical matrix, we can see that  $A^T = A$ . Let's simplify the equation from before

$$[x y] \begin{bmatrix} 4x - 2y \\ -2x + 3y \end{bmatrix} = 4x^2 - 2xy - 2xy + 3x^2$$

$$= 4x^2 - 4xy + 3y^2$$
(111)

$$=4x^2 - 4xy + 3y^2 (112)$$

$$(2x - y)^2 + 2y^2 > 0 \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \neq \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(113)$$

Now we can see that this is a positive definite matrix.

If we are given a symmetric matrix, k, the polynomial  $x^Tkx$  is a quadratic form

**Problem.** Let's consider  $k = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ . Let's find the quadratic form of k.

$$\begin{bmatrix} x & y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ -3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x & y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x - 3y \\ -3x + 2y \end{bmatrix}$$
 (114)

$$= x^3 - 3xy - 3xy + 2y^2 (115)$$

$$= x^3 - 6xy + 2y^2 (116)$$

(117)

Therefore we know that the quadratic form of k is  $x^3 - 6xy - 2y^2$ .

For a positive definite matrix,  $k = k^T$  and  $x^T k x > 0$  for all  $\vec{x} \neq 0$ 

**Theorem 15.** EEvery inner product in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is given by

$$\langle x, y \rangle = x^T k y \text{ for } x y \in \mathbb{R}^n$$
 (118)

Let v be an inner product space and  $\vec{v_1}, \dots, \vec{v_2}$ . The gram matrix of v is

$$K = \begin{bmatrix} \langle v_1, v_2 \rangle & \langle v_1, v_2 \rangle & \dots & \langle v_1, v_n \rangle \\ \langle v_2, v_1 \rangle & \langle v_2, v_2 \rangle & \dots & \langle v_2, v_n \rangle \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \langle v_n, v_1 \rangle & \langle v_n, v_2 \rangle & \dots & \langle v_n, v_n \rangle \end{bmatrix}$$
(119)

**Definition 15.** AA is a matrix that is  $n \times n$ . A is a positive semidefinite matrix if  $A^T = A$  and  $\vec{x}^T A \vec{x} \ge 0$ 

**Theorem 16.** AAll gram matrices are positive semi-definite. They are positive definite if and only if  $\vec{v_1}, \dots, \vec{v_n}$  are linearly independent.

Suppose we are in  $R^m$  and the inner produt is the dot product. Let  $\vec{v_1}, \dots \vec{v_n} \in \mathbb{R}^m$ 

Let  $A = [v_1, v_2, v_3, \dots, v_n]$ . Then  $K = A^T$ . Let A be a gram matrix generated by  $v_1, \dots, v_n$  with the dot product.

$$K = A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{v_1} \\ \vec{v_2} \\ \vdots \\ \vec{v_n} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \vec{v_1} & \vec{v_2} & \dots & \vec{v_n} \end{bmatrix}$$
 (120)

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \langle v_1, v_1 \rangle & \langle v_1, v_2 \rangle & \dots & \langle v_1, v_n \rangle \\ \langle v_2, v_1 \rangle & \langle v_2, v_2 \rangle & \dots & \langle v_2, v_n \rangle \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \langle v_n, v_1 \rangle & \langle v_n, v_2 \rangle & \dots & \langle v_n, v_n \rangle \end{bmatrix}$$
(121)

**Proposition 3.** GGiven an  $m \times n$  matrix A. The following are true

- 1. The  $m \times n$  matrix  $k = A^T A$  is positive definite.
- 2. A has linearly independent columns.
- 3. rank(A) = n
- 4.  $Ker(A) = \{0\}$

**Theorem 17.** EEvery inner product on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is given by

$$\langle \vec{x}, \vec{y} \rangle = \vec{x}^T \cdot c\vec{y} \tag{122}$$

where C is a symetric, positive definite  $n \times n$  matrix.

Let  $\vec{v_1}, \dots, \vec{v_n} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Let  $A = [\vec{v_1} : \vec{v_2} : \dots : \vec{v_n}]$ . Then  $K = A^T C A$  is the gram matrix with respect to the inner product  $\vec{v}^T C \vec{w}$ .

**Theorem 18.** SSuppose A is an  $m \times n$  matrix with linearly independent collumns. Suppose C is any positive definite  $m \times m$  matrix. Then  $\vec{v}^T C \vec{w}$ 

**Definition 16.** TThe hilbert matrix  $H = (h_{ij})$  where  $h_{ij} = \frac{1}{i+j-1}$ 

The  $3 \times 3$  hilbert matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{1} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{5} \end{bmatrix}$$
 (123)

**Problem.** Make a gram matrix, not in  $\mathbb{R}^m$ . Let  $V = \mathbb{C}^0[0,1]$ . Use the  $L^2$  inner product.

$$\langle f, g \rangle = \int_0^1 f(x)g(x)dx.$$
 (124)

 $1, x, x^2$  are linearly independent.

$$\langle v_{i}, v_{k} \rangle = \int_{0}^{1} x^{i-1} x^{j-1} dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{1} x^{i+j-2} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{i+j-1} x^{i+j-1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{i+j-1}$$
(125)
$$= \frac{1}{i+j-1}$$
(126)

$$= \int_0^1 x^{i+j-2} dx \tag{126}$$

$$=\frac{1}{i+j-1}x^{i+j-1} \tag{127}$$

$$=\frac{1}{i+i-1}$$
 (128)

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{1} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{3} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{4} \\ \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{5} \end{bmatrix} . \tag{129}$$

## 4 Orthogonality

### 4.1

Recall that

$$\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w} = v_1 \cdot w_1 + \ldots + v_n \cdot w_n = ||\vec{v}|| ||\vec{w}|| \cos(\theta), \tag{130}$$

where  $\theta$  is the angle between  $\vec{v}$  and  $\vec{w}$ . Because  $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 0$ , we know that  $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w} = 0$  if and only if  $\vec{v}$  is orthogonal to  $\vec{w}$ . In general, given  $\vec{v}, \vec{w} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $\vec{v}$  is orthogonal to  $\vec{w}$  if and only if the angle between them is  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ .

**Definition 17.** Let U be any inner product space. A basis  $\vec{u}, \ldots, \vec{u_h} \in V$  is orthogonal if  $\vec{u_j} \cdot \vec{u_i} = 0$  whenever  $i \neq j$ . In addition, if  $||u_i|| = 1$  for all i's, the basis is orthonormal.

Here are a few examples of orthonormal and orthogonal basis's:

- 1.  $\binom{1}{0}\binom{0}{1}$  is an orthonormal basis.
- 2.  $\binom{2}{0}\binom{0}{1}$  is an orthogonal basis.
- 3.  $\binom{1}{0}\binom{0}{1}\binom{0}{0}\binom{0}{0}$  is an orthonormal basis.

If  $\vec{v_1}, \dots, \vec{v_n}$  is an orthogonal basis, then

$$\frac{\vec{v_1}}{||\vec{v_1}||}, \frac{\vec{v_2}}{||\vec{v_2}||}, \dots, \frac{\vec{v_n}}{||v_n||}$$
(131)

is an orthonormal basis.

**Problem.** Consider  $\vec{u_1} = \binom{1}{2}$  and  $\vec{u_2} = \binom{2}{-1}$ . We know that these two matrices are not linearly dependent because  $\vec{u_1}$  is not a multiple of  $\vec{u_2}$ . We can see that this is an orthogonal basis.

$$||\vec{u_1}|| = \sqrt{1^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{5} \tag{132}$$

so we know

$$v_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \end{pmatrix}, v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \end{pmatrix}$$
 (133)

**Proposition 4.** Assume  $\vec{v_1}, \ldots, \vec{v_n} \in V$  with  $\vec{v_i} \neq \vec{0}$  for all i. Assume that  $\langle v_i, v_j \geq 0$  whenever  $i \neq j$ , then  $\{v_1, \ldots, v_n\}$  is linearly independent.

*Proof.* Assume that  $c_1\vec{v_1} + \ldots + c_n\vec{n} = 0$ . Let  $i \in \{1, \ldots, n\}$ 

$$\langle c_1 \vec{v_1} + \ldots + c_n \vec{v_n}, v_i \rangle = \langle 0, \vec{v_i} \rangle$$

$$c_1 \langle v_1, v_i \rangle + c_2 \langle v_2, v_i \rangle + \ldots + c_i \langle v_i, v_i \rangle + \ldots + c_n \langle v_i, v_n \rangle$$

$$c_i \langle v_i, v_i \rangle = 0$$

$$c_i = 0.$$

Now we know that  $v_1, \ldots, v_n$  are linearly independent.

**Corollary 1.** If dim(v) = n and  $\vec{v_1}, \dots, \vec{v_n}$  are n vectors such that  $\langle v_i, v_j \rangle = 0$  wherever  $i \neq j$ , then  $\{\vec{v_1}, \dots, \vec{v_n}\}$  is a basis.

**Theorem 19.** Let  $\vec{u_1}, \ldots, \vec{u_n}$  be an orthonormal basis for v. Let  $\vec{v} \in V$ . Then we know  $\vec{v} = c_1 \vec{u_1} + \ldots + c_n \vec{u_n}$ . In fact,  $c_i = \langle \vec{v}, \vec{u_i} \rangle$  and

$$||\vec{v}|| = \sqrt{\langle \vec{v}, \vec{u_1}, \rangle^2 + \langle \vec{v}, \vec{u_2}^2 + \langle \vec{v}, \vec{u_n} \rangle^2}$$
 (134)

**Problem.**  $\mathbb{P}^2$  polynomials of degree  $\leq 2$  on [0,1]. Use the  $L^2$  norm.

$$\langle p, q \rangle = \int_{0}^{1} p(x)q(x)dx$$
 (135)

Let  $p_1 = 1, p_2 = x - \frac{1}{2}, p_3 = x^2 - x + \frac{1}{6}$ .

$$\langle p_1, p_2 \rangle = \int_0^1 x - \frac{1}{2} dx = 0$$
 (136)

$$\langle p_1, p_3 \rangle = \int_0^1 x^2 - x + \frac{1}{6} dx = 0.$$
 (137)

We have an orthogonal basis because of this. In order to check to see if it is orthonormal we must also do  $< p_1, p_1 >, < p_2, p_2 >, < p_3, p_3 >$ 

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So if we have the basis  $\{\binom{1}{2},\binom{2}{1}\}, v_1=\binom{1}{2}, v_2$  is equal to

We can conclude that our basis is  $\left\{\binom{1}{2}, \binom{\frac{6}{5}}{\frac{5}{3}}\right\}$ . Let's now use our basis and rewrite it as

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2\\3 \end{pmatrix} = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1\\2 \end{pmatrix} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} \frac{6}{5}\\-\frac{3}{5} \end{pmatrix}.$$

We can simplify this and solve for  $c_1, c_2$ 

$$\begin{aligned} c_1 &= < \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} > = 2 + 6 = 8 \\ c_2 &= < \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} \frac{6}{5} \\ -\frac{3}{5} \end{pmatrix} > = \frac{12}{5} - \frac{9}{5} = \frac{3}{5} \end{aligned}$$

Using Theorem 4.9 from the book, we do the following with an orthogonal basis to get its norm:

$$a_{1} = \frac{8}{||v_{1}||^{2}} = \frac{8}{(\sqrt{1^{2} + 2^{2}})^{2}} = \frac{8}{5}$$

$$a_{2} = \frac{\frac{3}{5}}{||v_{2}||^{2}} = \frac{\frac{3}{5}}{\left(\frac{6}{5}\right)^{2} + \left(-\frac{3}{5}\right)^{2}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{3}{5}}{\frac{36}{25} + \frac{9}{25}} = \frac{15}{25} \dots$$

$$\binom{2}{3} = a_{1} \binom{1}{2} + a_{2} \binom{\frac{6}{5}}{-\frac{3}{5}}$$

$$\frac{8}{5} \binom{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} \binom{\frac{6}{5}}{-\frac{3}{5}}$$

$$= \binom{\frac{8}{5}}{\frac{16}{5}} + \binom{\frac{2}{5}}{-\frac{1}{5}} = \binom{2}{3}.$$

**Problem.** Example of an orthogonal basis. Let  $\mathbb{T}^n$  be the vector space of trigonometric polynomials.

$$\mathbb{T}^n = \sum_{0 \le j+k \le n} a_{jk} \sin^j(x) \cos^k(x).$$

Using the  $L^2$  norm:

$$\langle f, g \rangle = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f \cdot g.$$

An orthogonal basis is  $\{1, \cos(x), \sin(x), \cos(2x), \sin(2x), \cos(3x), \sin(3x), \ldots\}$ . If we were going to do the  $L^2$  norm for any of these equations we would need to do the following

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin(2x)\cos(4x)dx.$$

This equation is the Fourier series.

### 4.2

### 4.3 Orthogonal Matrices

**Definition 18.** AA square matrix Q is orthogonal if  $Q^tQ = Q \cdot Q^T = I$ 

If Q is orthogonal, then

- $Q^{-1} = Q^T$
- $det(Q) = \pm 1$
- $Q \cdot Q^t = I$
- $\bullet \ \det(Q)\det(Q^T) = \det(I)$
- $(det(Q))^2 = 1$
- $det(Q) = \pm 1$

Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix}$ . Suppose that A is orthogonal, then

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & A_{21} \\ A_{12} & A_{22} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
$$a_{11}^2 + a_{12}^2 = 1$$
$$a_{11}a_{21} + a_{12}a_{22} = 0$$
$$a_{21}a_{11} + a_{22}a_{12} = 0$$
$$a_{21}^2 + a_{22}^2 = 1.$$

If we plot  $(a_{11}, a_{12})$  on a graph, we can see that  $\cos(\theta) = a_{12}$  and  $\sin(\theta) = a_{11}$ 

**Proposition 5.** q Q is orthogonal if and only if its columns form an orthonormal basis.

*Proof.* Let  $Q = [U_1 : U_2 : \dots : U_n]$ .

$$Q^T = \begin{bmatrix} U_1^T \\ U_2^T \\ \vdots \\ U_n^T \end{bmatrix}.$$

In  $Q^TQ$ , the  $i, j^{th}$  entry is  $U_1^T \cdot Uj$ .

$$U_i^T \cdot U_j = \begin{cases} 0 & i \neq j \\ 1 & i = j \end{cases}.$$

So the  $U_i$ 'so form an orthonormal basis.

**Problem.** Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 7 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$ , and let A be orthonormal. We know that  $A \cdot A^T = A^T \cdot A = I$ . Let's see if A is an orthonormal basis.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 7 \\ 5 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 7 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \neq \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

This is not equal because  $3 \times 7 + 3 \times 5 \neq 0$ . Now let's try letting  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -7 \\ 7 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 7 \\ -7 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -7 \\ 7 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

This vector works with the zero values, but not the ones values, so we need to normalize this vector.

$$\left\| \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix} \right\| = \sqrt{4^2 + 7^2} = \sqrt{58} \qquad \left\| \begin{bmatrix} -7 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \right\| = \sqrt{(-7)^2 + 3^2} = \sqrt{58}$$
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{58} & -\frac{7}{58} \\ \frac{7}{58} & \frac{3}{58} \end{bmatrix}.$$

Let's let  $B = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$ , and suppose Q is orthogonal.

$$Q^T \cdot Q = \begin{pmatrix} a & c \\ b & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$a^2 + c^2 = 1$$

$$ab + cd = 0$$

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$$b^2 + d^2 = 1.$$

Given that the vectors  $\begin{bmatrix} a \\ c \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} b \\ d \end{bmatrix}$  lie on the unit circle, we can determine that

$$a = \cos \theta$$

$$c = \sin \theta$$

$$b = \cos \phi$$

$$d = \sin \phi$$
,

and we can determine that

$$0 = ab + cd = \cos\theta\cos\phi + \sin\theta\sin\phi = \cos(\theta - \phi).$$

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