

Def. An orthogonal matrix is a change of basis matrix between orthonormal bases: if \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} are orthonormal bases for a subspace V of \mathbb{R}^n , then $[\text{id}_V]_{\mathbf{x}\mathbf{y}}^{k \times k}$ is an orthogonal matrix.

$k \times k$

$k = \dim V$

E.g. 1×1 orthogonal matrix? $1, -1$
orthonormal basis for \mathbb{R} : $\{1\}, \{-1\}$

Note: If P, Q are $n \times n$ orthogonal matrices, then so are PQ and P^T .

$$[\text{id}_V]_{\mathbf{x}\mathbf{y}}^{-1} = [\text{id}_V]_{\mathbf{y}\mathbf{x}}$$

$$[\text{id}_V]_{\mathbf{x}\mathbf{y}} [\text{id}_V]_{\mathbf{y}\mathbf{z}} = [\text{id}_V]_{\mathbf{x}\mathbf{z}}$$

$P \quad Q$

Theorem. Q is an $n \times n$ orthogonal matrix

(1)

= Columns of Q form an orthonormal set of vectors

(2)

= $Q^T Q = I_n$ ~~$Q^T(Q \cdot Q) = I_n Q^T$~~ $\det(Q^T Q) = \det(I_n)$

(3)

= Q is invertible and $Q^{-1} = Q^T$

(4)

= $Q Q^T = I_n$ $\det(Q)^2 = \underline{\det(Q^T)} \underline{\det(Q)} = 1$

(5)

= Rows of Q form an orthonormal set of vectors

(6)

= $(Q \vec{u}) \cdot (Q \vec{v}) = \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}$ for any column vectors \vec{u}, \vec{v} in \mathbb{R}^n

(7)

(i.e., Q preserves dot products)

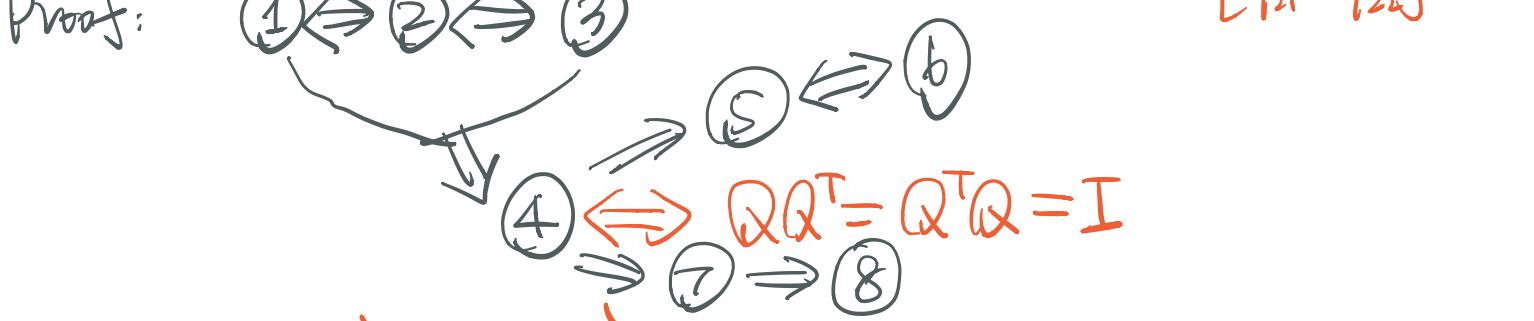
(8)

= $\|Q \vec{u}\| = \|\vec{u}\|$ for any column vector \vec{u} in \mathbb{R}^n

(9)

(i.e., Q preserves norms) $\textcircled{8} \Rightarrow \textcircled{2}$ $\begin{bmatrix} q_{11} & q_{12} \\ q_{21} & q_{22} \end{bmatrix} = Q$

Proof: $\textcircled{1} \Leftrightarrow \textcircled{2} \Leftrightarrow \textcircled{3}$



$\textcircled{1} \quad \vec{e}_1 \quad \vec{q}_1 \quad \dots \quad \vec{q}_n \quad \textcircled{2} \quad \textcircled{3} \quad \textcircled{4} \quad \textcircled{5} \quad \textcircled{6} \quad \textcircled{7} \quad \textcircled{8}$

$$[\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 0 \end{array}] = [\begin{array}{c} q_{11} \\ q_{21} \end{array}] \quad \|Q(\vec{e}_1 + \vec{e}_2)\| = \|\vec{q}_1 + \vec{q}_2\|$$

$$[\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 1 \end{array}] = [\begin{array}{c} q_{12} \\ q_{22} \end{array}] \quad \|\vec{e}_1 + \vec{e}_2\| = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\|\vec{q}_1\|^2 + \|\vec{q}_2\|^2}$$

$A \quad Q\vec{e}_1 = \vec{q}_1, \quad Q\vec{e}_2 = \vec{q}_2 \quad \|Q\vec{e}_1\|^2 = \|\vec{e}_1\|^2 = 1$

$$\left[\begin{array}{c} \vec{a}_1^+ \\ \vdots \\ \vec{a}_m^+ \end{array} \right] \vec{x} = \left[\begin{array}{c} \vec{a}_1^T \vec{x} \\ \vdots \\ \vec{a}_m^T \vec{x} \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{c} \vec{a}_1 \cdot \vec{x} \\ \vdots \\ \vec{a}_m \cdot \vec{x} \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{array} \right] \quad \|\vec{q}_1\|^2 = \|\vec{q}_2\|^2 = 1$$

Corollary. If Q is an orthogonal matrix, then $\det(Q) = \pm 1$

matrix multiplication

$$\left[\begin{array}{c} \vec{a}_1^T \\ \vec{a}_2^T \\ \vdots \\ \vec{a}_m^T \end{array} \right] \vec{x} \vec{b} = \left[\begin{array}{c} \vec{a}_1 \cdot \vec{b} \\ \vec{a}_2 \cdot \vec{b} \\ \vdots \\ \vec{a}_m \cdot \vec{b} \end{array} \right] = \left[\begin{array}{c} \vec{a}_1^T \vec{b} \\ \vdots \\ \vec{a}_m^T \vec{b} \end{array} \right] \quad A\vec{x} = \vec{0}$$

$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = \vec{a}^T \vec{b}$ (matrix multiplication)

Def. The **orthogonal complement** of a nonempty subset S of \mathbb{R}^n , denoted by S^\perp (read "S perp"), is the set of all vectors in \mathbb{R}^n that are orthogonal to every vector in S .

That is, $S^\perp = \{ \vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n : \vec{v} \cdot \vec{u} = 0 \text{ for every } \vec{u} \text{ in } S \}$

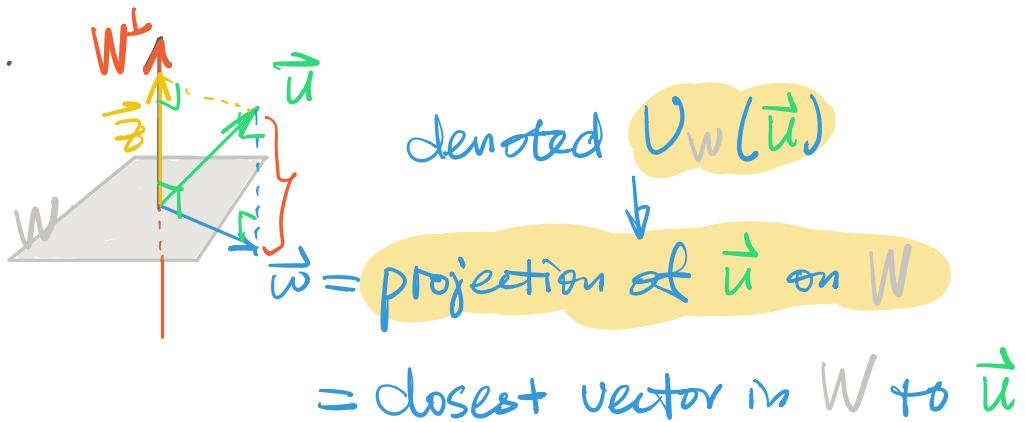
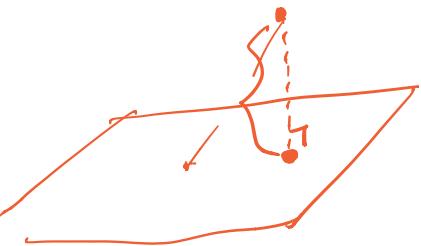
E.g. $(\mathbb{R}^n)^\perp$, $\{ \vec{0} \}^\perp$, \mathbb{R}^n

$(-1, 1, 1)$
 $(1, -1, 1)$
 $(0, 0, 2)$

Note: the orthogonal complement of any nonempty

subset of \mathbb{R}^n is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^n

Theorem (Orthogonal Decomposition Theorem) Let W be a subspace of \mathbb{R}^n . Then, for any vector \vec{u} in \mathbb{R}^n , there exist unique vectors \vec{w} in W and \vec{z} in W^\perp such that $\vec{u} = \vec{w} + \vec{z}$.



$$\text{Distance between } \vec{u} \text{ and } \vec{w} = \|\vec{u} - \vec{w}\| = \|\vec{z}\|$$

More Related to Workshop 1b Problem 2b:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ then } A\vec{x} = \vec{b} \text{ is inconsistent.}$$

Want to find \vec{x} that minimizes $\|A\vec{x} - \vec{b}\|$.

1st Approach:

Let W = column span of A . $A\vec{x} = \vec{c}$ has a solution exactly when \vec{c} is in W .

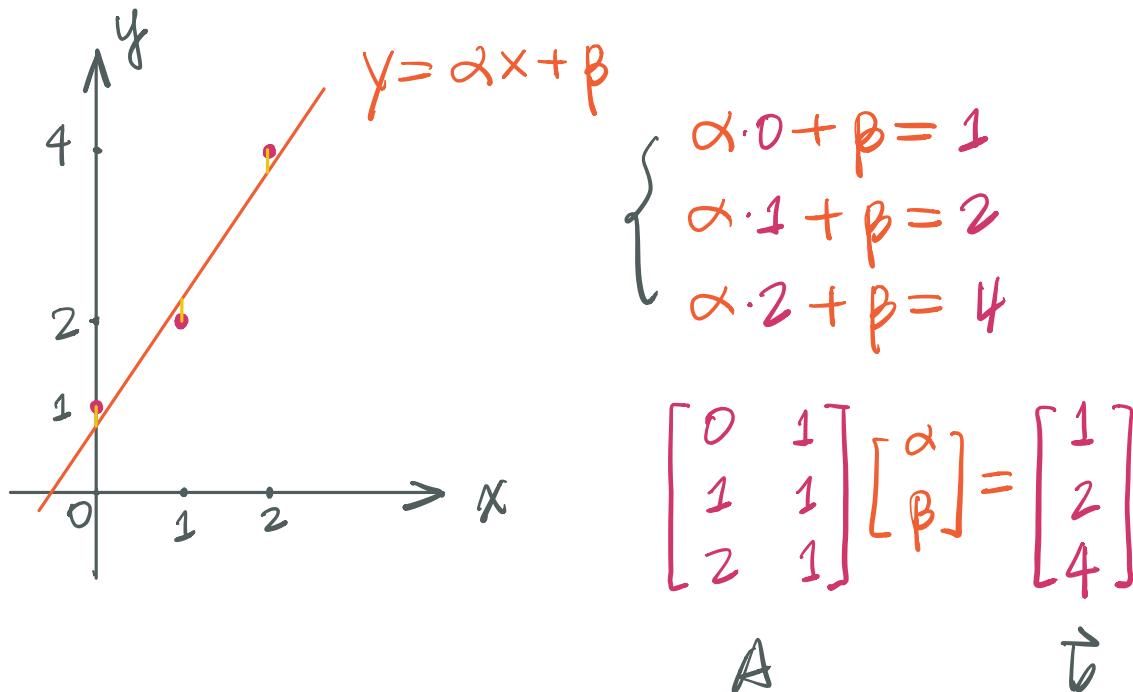
Let $\vec{w} = U_w(\vec{b})$, then $A\vec{x} = \vec{w}$ will have a solution \vec{x}_0 .
 $\|A\vec{x}_0 - \vec{b}\| = \|\vec{w} - \vec{b}\|$ (this is as small as $\|A\vec{x} - \vec{b}\|$ can get!)

$$\vec{d} = A^T \vec{z} = A^T(\vec{b} - \vec{w}) = A^T \vec{b} - A^T \vec{w} = A^T \vec{b} - A^T A \vec{x}_0$$

So solve $A^T A \vec{x} = A^T \vec{b}$!

2nd Approach:

Use multivariable calculus.



Def. A matrix A with real entries is called **Symmetric** if $A^T = A$.

Theorem. Symmetric matrices are diagonalizable over \mathbb{R} .
★ In particular, all eigenvalues of symmetric matrices are **real**.

Theorem. If \vec{u} and \vec{v} are eigenvectors of a symmetric matrix A with distinct eigenvalues λ, μ , then $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = 0$
Proof:

$$A\vec{u} = \lambda\vec{u}, \quad A\vec{v} = \mu\vec{v}$$

$$(A\vec{u}) \cdot \vec{v} = \lambda\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}, \quad \vec{u} \cdot A\vec{v} = \mu\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}$$

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$$(A\vec{u})^T \vec{v} = \vec{u}^T A^T \vec{v} = \vec{u}^T A \vec{v}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = \mu \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}, \text{ i.e., } (\lambda - \mu) \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = 0 \quad \xrightarrow{\lambda \neq \mu} \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = 0$$

Clarity: Symmetric matrices are orthogonally diagonalizable.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. The statements in Italics are for introducing results and notations that may be used again in this course. You are only required to read and think about them.
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WORKSHOP 16

1. Let $\mathfrak{X} = \{\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2\}$, $\mathfrak{Y} = \{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2\}$ be orthonormal bases for a 2-dimensional subspace V of \mathbb{R}^n .

- a. Let $Q = [id_V]_{\mathfrak{X}\mathfrak{Y}}$. Express each entry of Q as a dot product.
- b. Show that the columns of Q form an orthonormal set of vectors, and so are the rows.
- c. Show that Q is equivalent to $Q^T Q = Q Q^T = I_2$, i.e., $Q^{-1} = Q^T$.
- d. Show that $(Q\mathbf{u}) \cdot (Q\mathbf{v}) = \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}$ for any column vectors $\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} \in \mathbb{R}^2$. (We say Q preserves dot products.)

2. Let $W = \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$. use part c and $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = \vec{a}^\top \vec{b}$ (matrix multiplication)

- a. Find an orthonormal basis \mathfrak{X} for W and an orthonormal basis \mathfrak{Y} for W^\perp . Verify that $\mathfrak{X} \cup \mathfrak{Y}$ is an orthonormal basis for \mathbb{R}^3 .

- b. Let $\mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$. Find \mathbf{w} in W and \mathbf{z} in W^\perp such that $\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{w} + \mathbf{z}$. (Hint:

Problem 1 in Workshop 15 may be helpful.)

$$Q = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_1 & \vec{v}_2 \cdot \vec{u}_1 \\ \vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_2 & \vec{v}_2 \cdot \vec{u}_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_1)^2 + (\vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_2)^2 = 1$$

$$\vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_1 = 1$$

$$\vec{v}_1 = (\vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_1) \vec{u}_1 + (\vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_2) \vec{u}_2$$

$$\vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_1 = (\vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_1)^2 + (\vec{v}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_2)^2$$

$$\begin{matrix} \| \\ 1 \end{matrix}$$

A suppose columns of A are orthonormal.

rows

$$A^T A = I$$

$$A A^T = I$$

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

$$(1st \text{ column}) \cdot (1st \text{ column}) = 1$$