

# 1. Vectors and Matrices

## 1.1. Vectors

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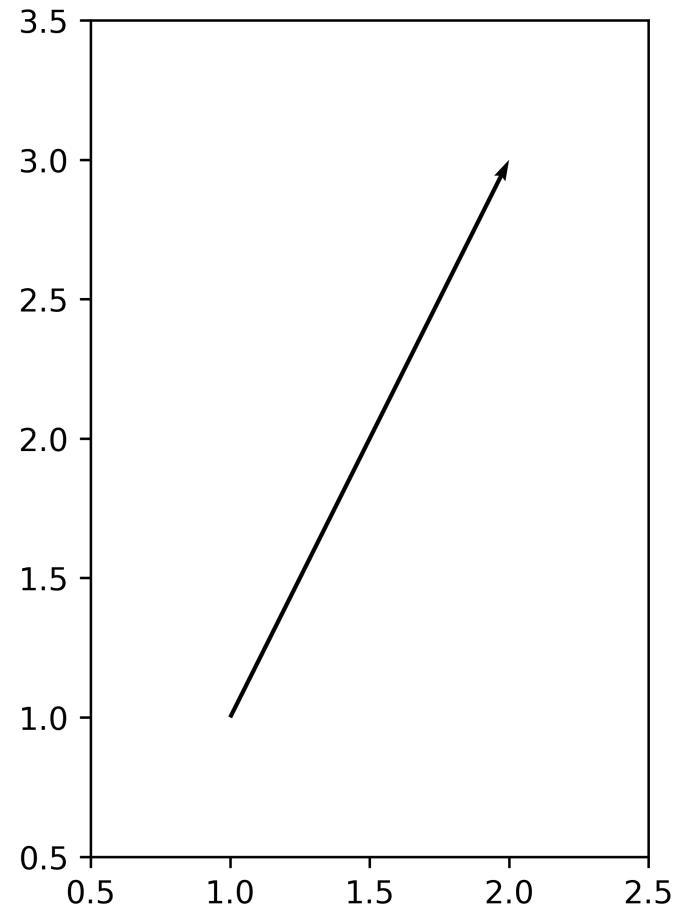
$$\overrightarrow{PQ} = \langle x_2 - x_1, y_2 - y_1, z_2 - z_1 \rangle$$

## Drawing Two-dimensional Vectors

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

quiver_params = {
    'angles': 'xy',
    'scale_units': 'xy',
    'scale': 1,
}

plt.quiver(1, 1, 1, 2, **quiver_params)
plt.xlim([.5, 2.5])
plt.ylim([.5, 3.5])
plt.gca().set_aspect('equal')
plt.show()
```



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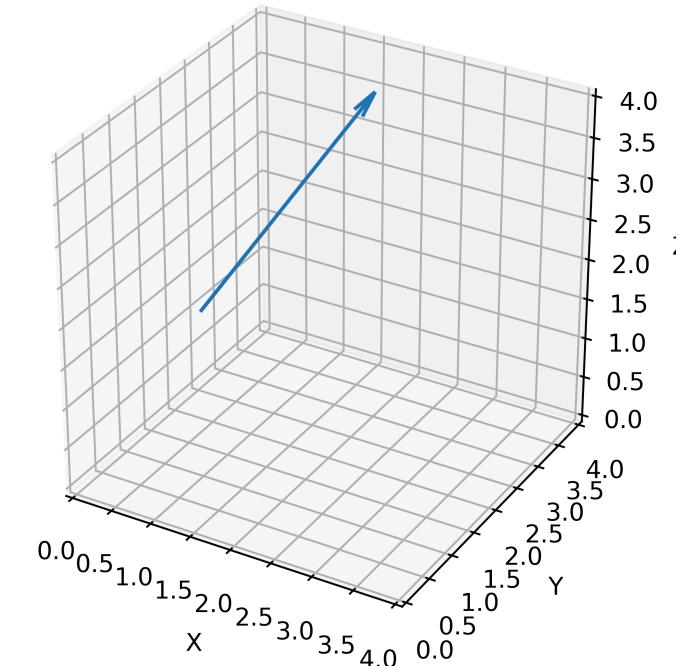
ax = plt.figure().add_subplot(111, projection='3d')
ax.set_box_aspect([1,1,1])

ax.quiver(1, 1, 2, 1, 2, 2, arrow_length_ratio=0.1)

ax.set_xlim(0, 4)
ax.set_ylim(0, 4)
ax.set_zlim(0, 4)

ax.set_xlabel('X')
ax.set_ylabel('Y')
ax.set_zlabel('Z')

plt.show()
```



## Vector Additions

For  $\overrightarrow{P_1Q_1} = \langle x_1, y_1 \rangle$ ,  $\overrightarrow{P_2Q_2} = \langle x_2, y_2 \rangle$

$$\overrightarrow{P_1Q_1} + \overrightarrow{P_2Q_2} = \langle x_1 + x_2, y_1 + y_2 \rangle$$

For  $\overrightarrow{P_1Q_1} = \langle x_1, y_1, z_1 \rangle$ ,  $\overrightarrow{P_2Q_2} = \langle x_2, y_2, z_2 \rangle$

$$\overrightarrow{P_1Q_1} + \overrightarrow{P_2Q_2} = \langle x_1 + x_2, y_1 + y_2, z_1 + z_2 \rangle$$

## Scalar Multiplication

For  $\overrightarrow{PQ} = \langle x, y \rangle$  and  $k \in \mathbb{R}$  (called a **scalar**),

$$k \cdot \overrightarrow{PQ} = \langle kx, ky \rangle$$

For  $\overrightarrow{PQ} = \langle x, y, z \rangle$  and  $k \in \mathbb{R}$ ,

$$k \cdot \overrightarrow{PQ} = \langle kx, ky, kz \rangle$$

## Example

$$P = (1, 1), Q = (2, 3)$$

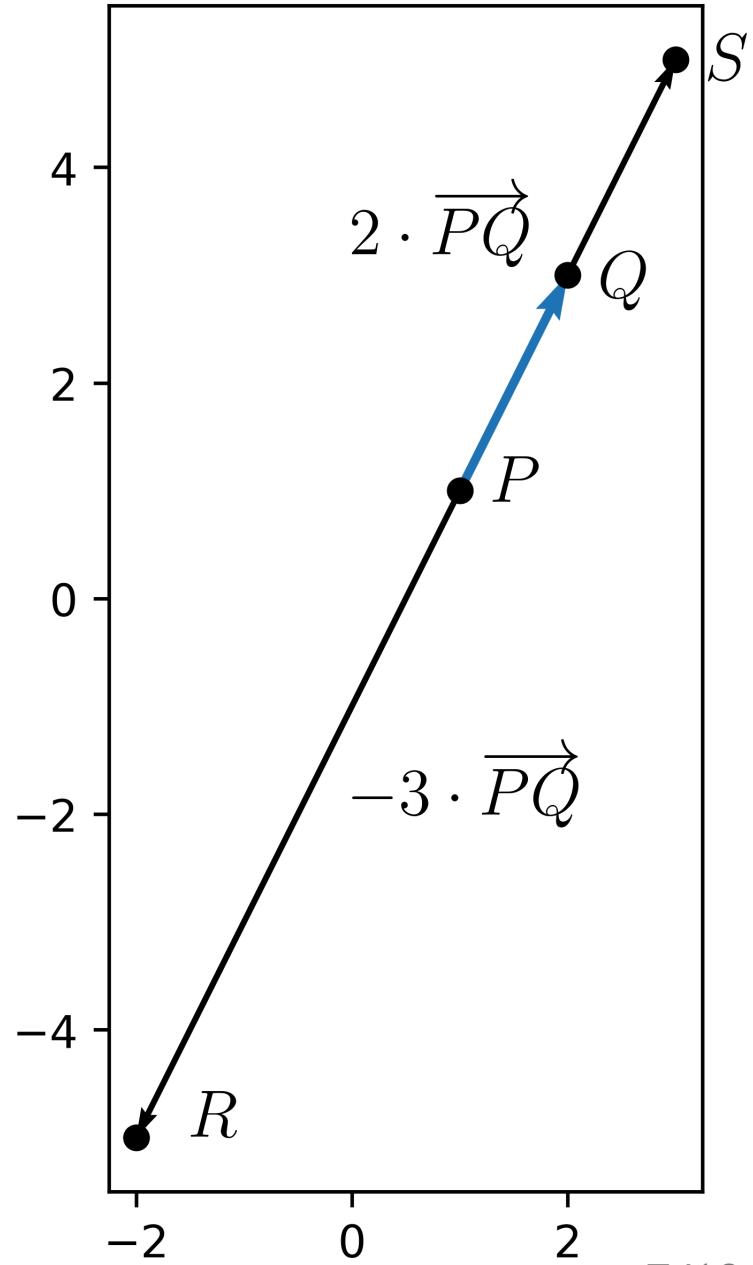
$$-3 \cdot \overrightarrow{PQ} = \langle -3, -6 \rangle$$

$$2 \cdot \overrightarrow{PQ} = \langle 2, 4 \rangle$$

## Inverse and Zero

$$(-1) \cdot \overrightarrow{PQ} = -\overrightarrow{PQ}$$

$$0 \cdot \overrightarrow{PQ} = \mathbf{0}$$



## *n*-dimensional Vector

- Vector Addition:  $\mathbf{v} = \langle x_1, \dots, x_n \rangle$ ,  $\mathbf{w} = \langle y_1, \dots, y_n \rangle$   
$$\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w} = \langle x_1 + y_1, \dots, x_n + y_n \rangle$$
- Scalar Multiplication:  $\mathbf{v} = \langle x_1, \dots, x_n \rangle$   
$$k \cdot \mathbf{v} = \langle kx_1, \dots, kx_n \rangle$$

## Linear Combination

$$c_1 \mathbf{v}_1 + \cdots + c_n \mathbf{v}_n$$

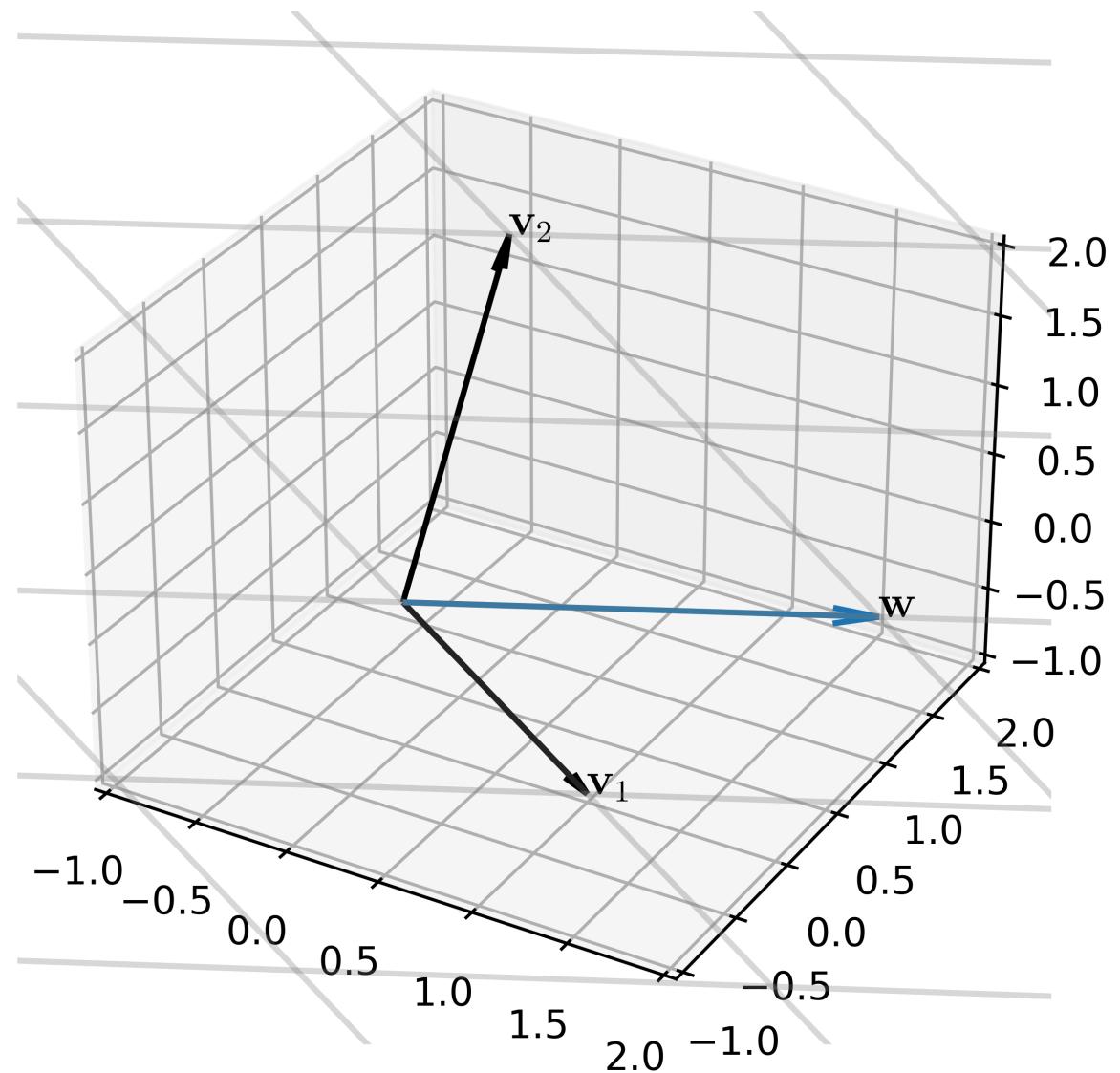
## Vector Decomposition

$$\mathbf{v}_1 = \langle 1, 0, -1 \rangle$$

$$\mathbf{v}_2 = \langle 0, 1, 2 \rangle$$

$$\mathbf{w} = \langle 2, 1, 0 \rangle$$

$$\mathbf{w} = 2\mathbf{v}_1 + \mathbf{v}_2$$



## Vector Space

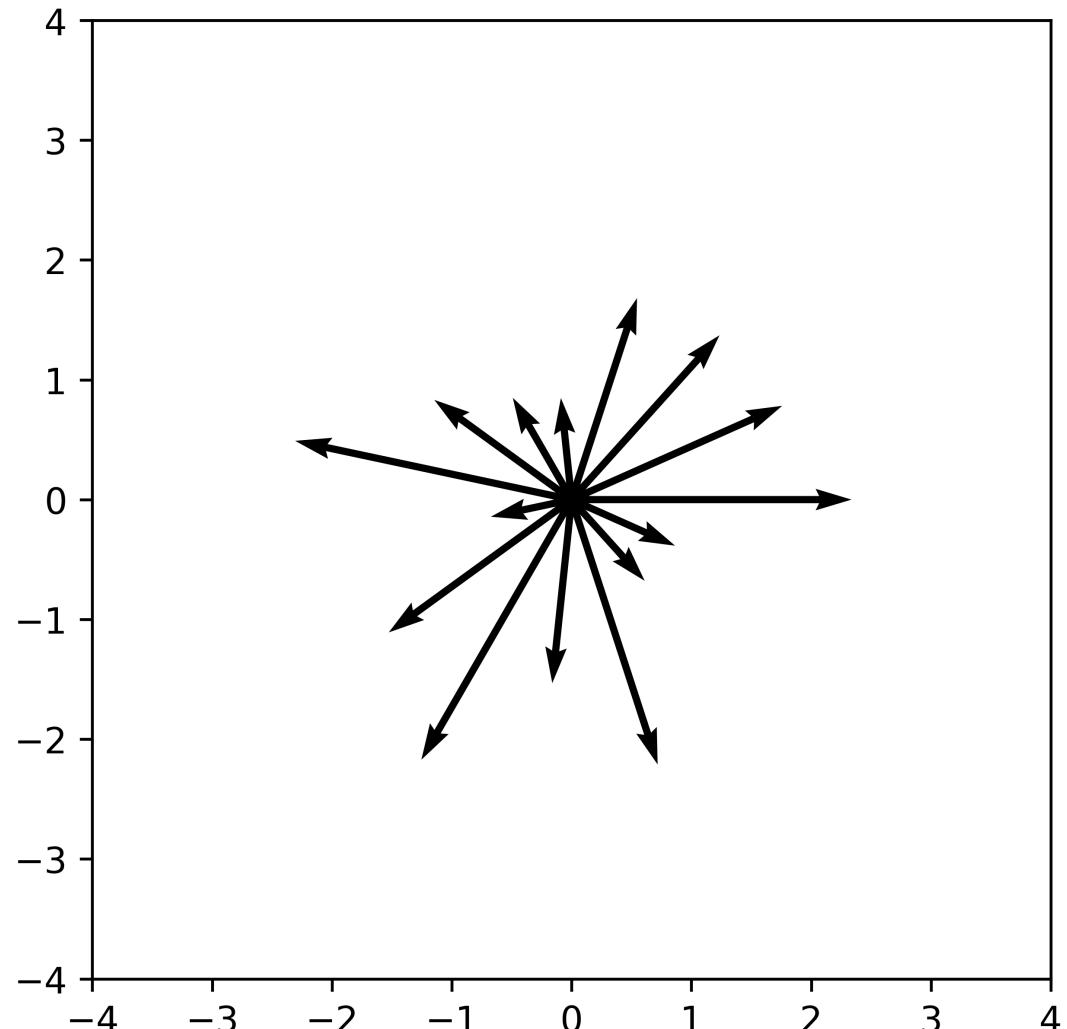
A set  $V$  of vectors  $\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w}$

- $\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w} \in V$
- $k\mathbf{v} \in V$

## $n$ -dimensional Vector Spaces

$$\mathbb{R}^2 = \{\langle x, y \rangle \mid x, y \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

$$\mathbb{R}^3 = \{\langle x, y, z \rangle \mid x, y, z \in \mathbb{R}\}$$



## Inner Product

$$\mathbf{v} = \langle x_1, y_1 \rangle, \mathbf{w} = \langle x_2, y_2 \rangle$$

$$\mathbf{v} \circ \mathbf{w} = x_1x_2 + y_1y_2$$

$$\mathbf{v} = \langle x_1, y_1, z_1 \rangle, \mathbf{w} = \langle x_2, y_2, z_2 \rangle$$

$$\mathbf{v} \circ \mathbf{w} = x_1x_2 + y_1y_2 + z_1z_2$$

## Norm

$$\mathbf{v} = \langle x, y \rangle$$

$$\|\mathbf{v}\| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\mathbf{v} = \langle x, y, z \rangle$$

$$\|\mathbf{v}\| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$$

## Unit Vector

$$\|\mathbf{v}\| = 1$$

## Normalization

$$\mathbf{v}^1 = \frac{\mathbf{v}}{\|\mathbf{v}\|}$$

## Inner Product and Relative Angle

If  $\|\overrightarrow{OP}\| = 1$ ,  $\|\overrightarrow{OQ}\| = 1$  and  $\theta$  is the angle between  $\overrightarrow{OP}$  and  $\overrightarrow{OQ}$ , then

$$\overrightarrow{OP} \circ \overrightarrow{OQ} = \cos \theta$$

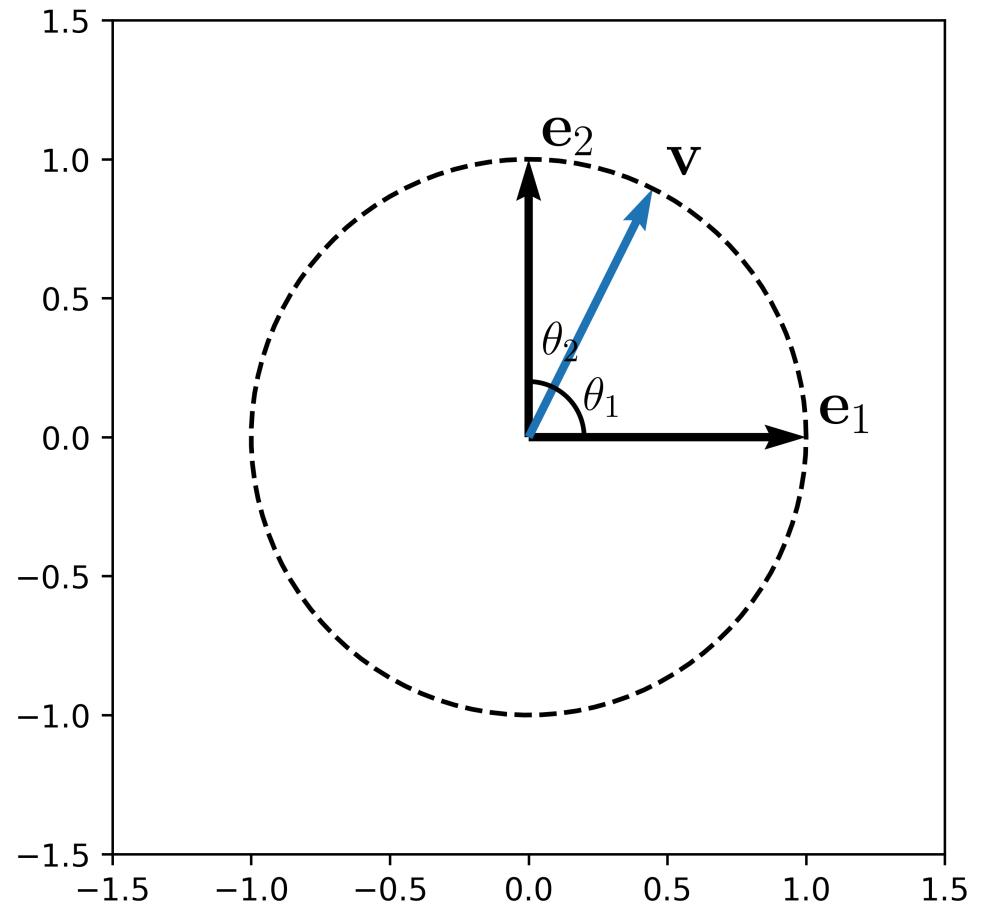
## Direction of Vector

$$\mathbf{e}_1 = \langle 1, 0 \rangle, \quad \mathbf{e}_2 = \langle 0, 1 \rangle$$

$$\mathbf{v} \circ \mathbf{e}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} = \cos(\theta_1)$$

$$\mathbf{v} \circ \mathbf{e}_2 = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} = \cos(\theta_2)$$

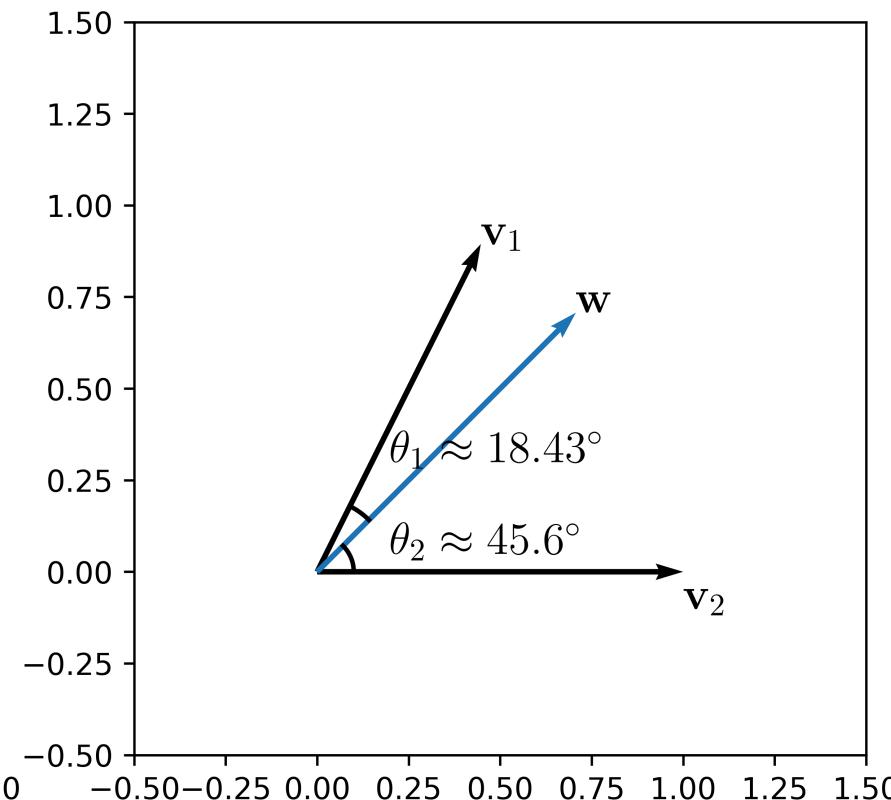
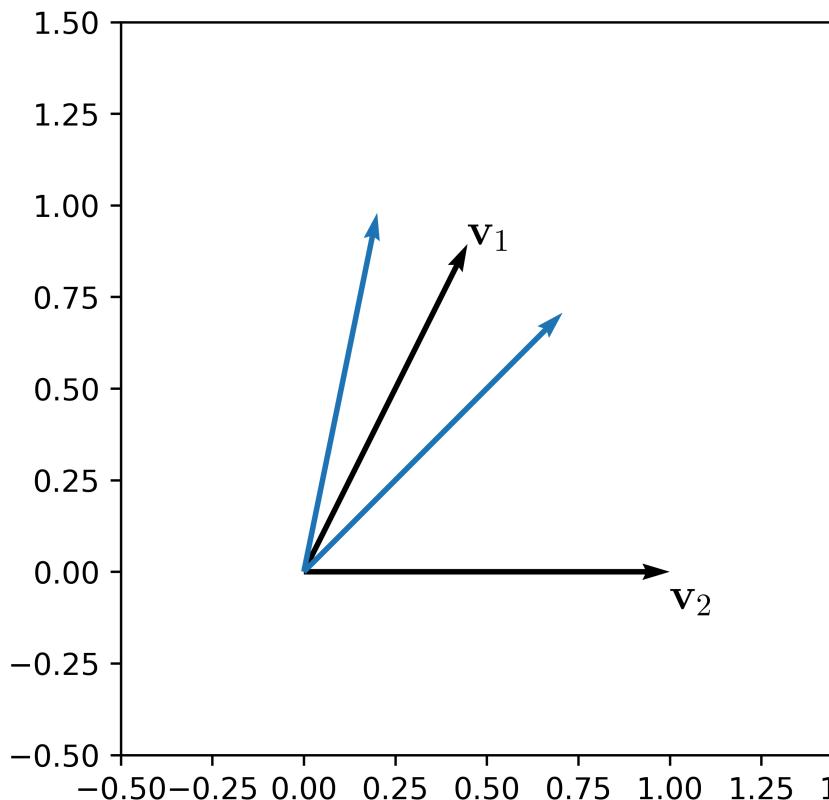
$$\theta_1 \approx 68.2^\circ, \quad \theta_2 \approx 21.8^\circ$$



## Example

Determine the direction of the vector  $\mathbf{w}$  satisfying

$$\mathbf{v}_1 = \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \right\rangle, \quad \mathbf{v}_2 = \langle 1, 0 \rangle, \quad \mathbf{v}_1 \circ \mathbf{w} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}, \quad \mathbf{v}_2 \circ \mathbf{w} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

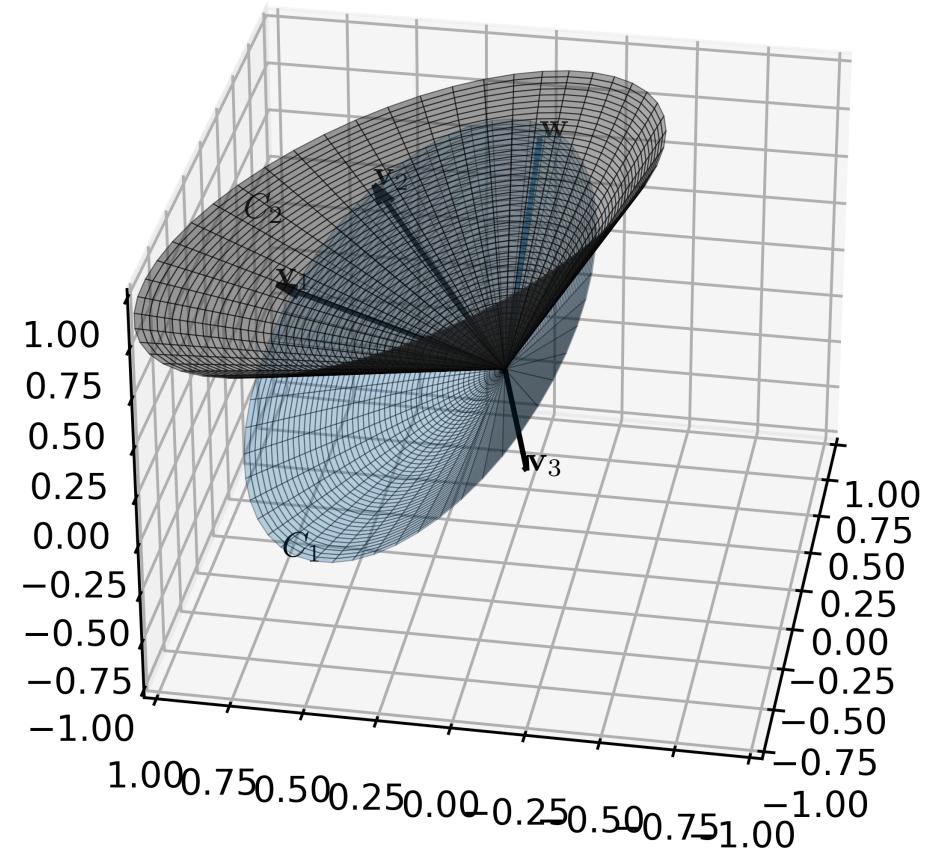


## Example

Determine the direction of the vector  $\mathbf{w}$  satisfying

$$\mathbf{v}_1 = \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}, 0 \right\rangle, \quad \mathbf{v}_2 = \left\langle 0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \right\rangle, \quad \mathbf{v}_3 = \left\langle \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, 0, -\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \right\rangle$$

$$\mathbf{v}_1 \circ \mathbf{w} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}, \quad \mathbf{v}_2 \circ \mathbf{w} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{10}}, \quad \mathbf{v}_3 \circ \mathbf{w} = -\frac{3}{\sqrt{10}}$$



## Orthogonality

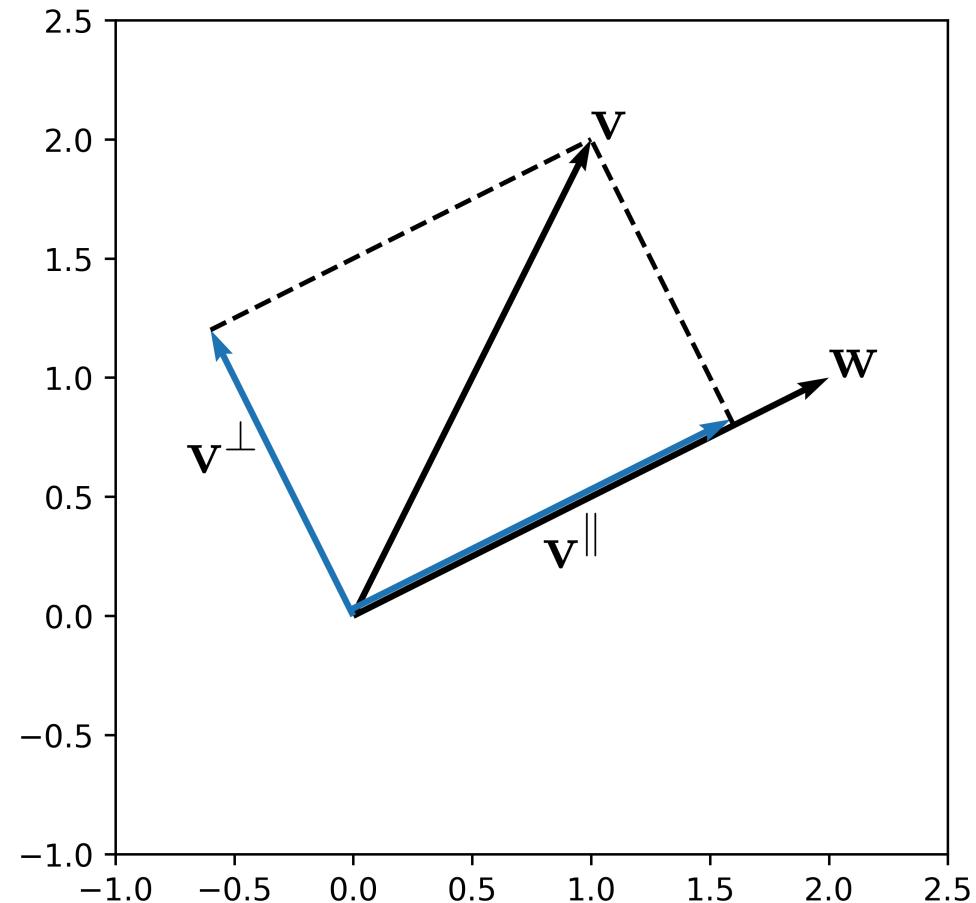
$$\mathbf{v} \circ \mathbf{w} = 0 \iff \mathbf{v} \perp \mathbf{w}$$

## Parallelism

$$\mathbf{v} = k\mathbf{w} \iff \mathbf{v} \parallel \mathbf{w}$$

## Orthogonal Decomposition

$$\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v}^\perp + \mathbf{v}^\parallel$$



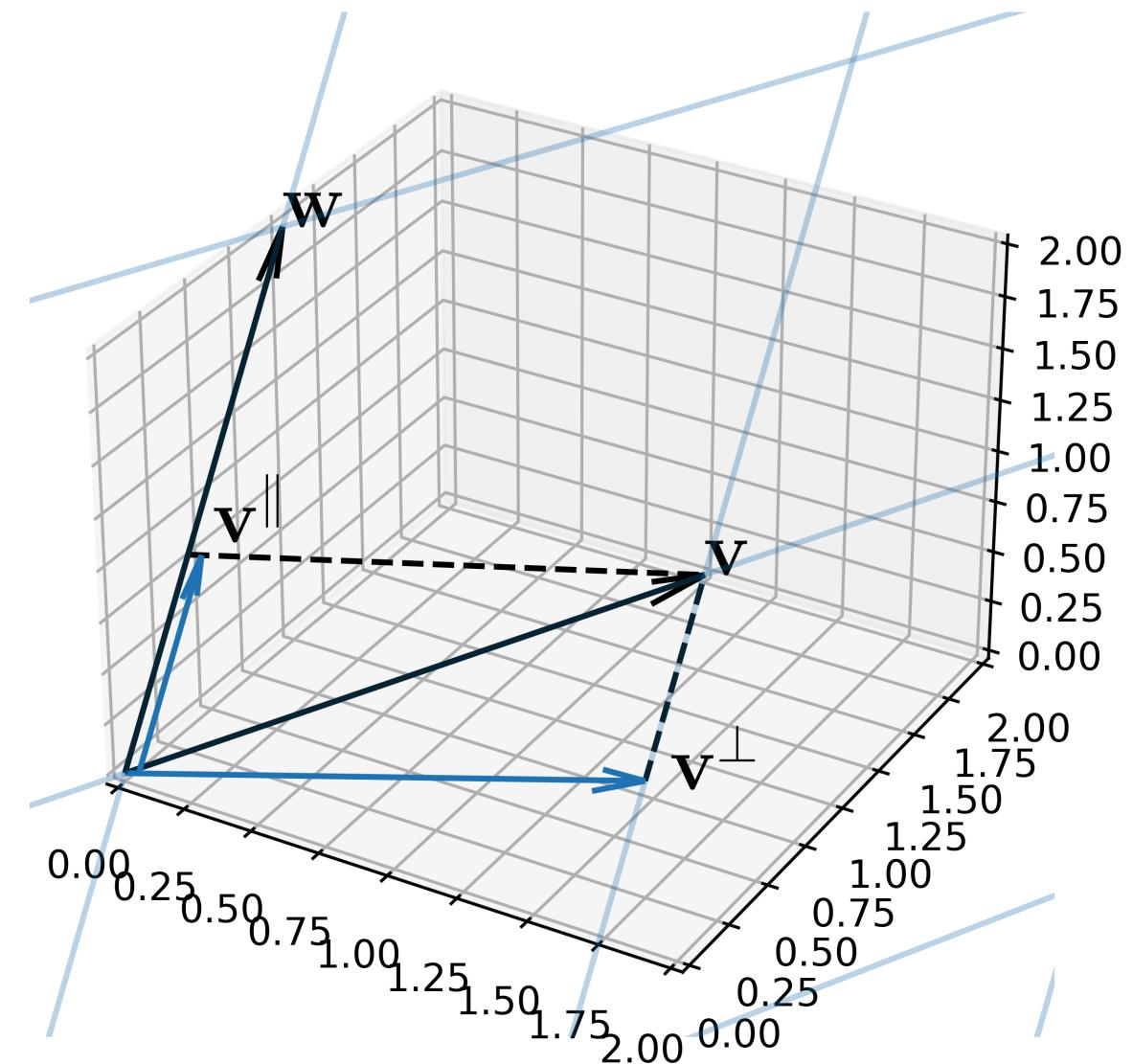
## Example: Orthogonal Decomposition

Find the linear combination

$$\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v}^\perp + \mathbf{v}^\parallel \text{ for}$$

$$\mathbf{v} = \langle 1, 2, 0 \rangle, \quad \mathbf{w} = \langle 0, 1, 2 \rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{v} &= \mathbf{v}^\perp + \mathbf{v}^\parallel \\ &= \left\langle 1, \frac{8}{5}, -\frac{4}{5} \right\rangle + \left\langle 0, \frac{2}{5}, \frac{4}{5} \right\rangle\end{aligned}$$



## Projection

$$\text{proj}_{\mathbf{w}} \mathbf{v} = \frac{\mathbf{v} \circ \mathbf{w}}{\mathbf{w} \circ \mathbf{w}} \mathbf{w}$$

## Example

Find the  $\text{proj}_{\mathbf{w}} \mathbf{v}$  for  $\mathbf{v} = \langle 1, 2 \rangle$ ,  $\mathbf{w} = \langle 2, 1 \rangle$

$$\text{proj}_{\mathbf{w}} \mathbf{v} = \left\langle \frac{8}{5}, \frac{4}{5} \right\rangle$$

