

Chapter 1 Math Review

I. Linear Algebra.

1. Vector is an **arrow**: vector space. Linearity.

o Addition: "swappable". $u+v = v+u$.

o Scaling: $a(u+v) = au+av$.

2. Euclidean n-d space. \mathbb{R}^n .

3. Functions as Vectors.

o $f+g(x) = f(x)+g(x)$. $a f(x) = a \cdot f(x)$

Ex 1 A (a_1, b_1) B (a_2, b_2) Midpoint

Return $(\frac{a_1+a_2}{2}, \frac{b_1+b_2}{2})$

4. Measuring Vectors.

need more definition.

① **Norm / Magnitude / Length**: size of a vector. ≥ 0 . (0 for only zero vector).

Properties: ≥ 0 , $\|v\|=0 \Leftrightarrow v=0$, $\|a v\| = |a| \|v\|$. $\|u+v\| \geq \|u\| + \|v\|$.

o Def (L^2 Norm of f): $\|f\| := \sqrt{\int_0^1 f(x)^2 dx}$.

② **Inner Product / Dot Product**

o Vectors have orientation. We want to measure how vectors **line up** with each other. *Alignment.*

o Order shouldn't matter. $\langle u, v \rangle = \langle v, u \rangle$


o They can be thought as projections. $\langle u, v \rangle$ is the ^{norm of} projection of u onto v . A shadow cast on v of u .

Def (Inner Product). $\langle u, v \rangle = \sum_{i=1}^n u_i v_i$.

Def (L^2 Inner Prod. of f, g) $\langle f, g \rangle := \int_0^1 f(x)g(x) dx$.

[Use Case] Alignment of Images. Alignment of Signals.

II. Linear Maps. f

1. Intuition: 

- Takes lines to lines. - Center Map to Center.

2. f : vector \rightarrow vector. $f(u+v) = f(u) + f(v)$. $f(au) = a f(u)$.

$$f(u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m) = \sum_{i=1}^m u_i \vec{a}_i$$

Ex 2 Is $f(x) = ax+b$ linear?

It's not. It's not a line go through the origin.

\rightarrow This is called **Affine**.

3. **Span**: $a\vec{u} + b\vec{v}$.

$\text{span}(e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n) = \mathbb{R}^n \Leftrightarrow e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n$ are a basis for \mathbb{R}^n .

4. Gram-Schmidt Algorithm.

Given: A set of basis vectors a_1, \dots, a_n .

Output: An orthonormal basis e_1, \dots, e_n .

Algorithm: ① Normalize the first vector.

② Subtract any component of the 1st vector from the 2nd.

③ Normalize the 2nd one.

④ Repeat, removing components of first k vectors from vector $k+1$.

5. Fourier Transform.

Since functions are also vectors, they can also have ortho. basis.

II. Matrices.

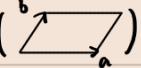
1. Encoding Linear Map.

Spr: $f(w) = u_1 \vec{a}_1 + u_2 \vec{a}_2$.

Encode: We want: $A := \begin{bmatrix} a_{1,x} & a_{2,x} \\ a_{1,y} & a_{2,y} \\ a_{1,z} & a_{2,z} \end{bmatrix}$

2. Determinant for 2D Vectors.

① $|ab|$ is the ^(signed) area of the parallelogram formed by \vec{a} and \vec{b} .

i.e. $\begin{vmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 \end{vmatrix} = A$ 

3. Inverse.

$AA^{-1} = I \Leftrightarrow A^{-1}$ is the inverse of A .

$\triangle A^{-1}A = AA^{-1} = I. \quad (AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$

4. Transpose.

A^T is the transpose of $A \Leftrightarrow a_{ij} = a_{Tji}$.

5. Vector as column matrix: $v(v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m) \Leftrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ \vdots \\ v_m \end{bmatrix}$.

Dot Product as matrix: $u \cdot v = u^T v = [u_1 \ u_2 \ \dots \ u_m] \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ \vdots \\ v_m \end{bmatrix}$.

6. Diagonal Matrix: $\begin{bmatrix} a_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & a_2 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & a_m \end{bmatrix}$ Non-zero only occurs on diagonal.

Orthogonal Matrix: each column can be considered as a normalized vector. and orthogonal to each other. dot product = 0.

Identity: Diagonal & Orthogonal. i.e. $[1 \ 1 \ \dots \ 1]$

7. Inverse Calculation: View Linear Algebra Notes.

8. Eigenvalue/Eigenvector.

Def. $Aa = \lambda a$ for matrix A and vector a . λ is call eigenvalue associated with eigenvector a .

\rightarrow multiply by this matrix doesn't change the direction.

Ex 3 $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. Find eigenvector and eigenvalue.

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The eigenvalues of A are the solutions to.

$$\begin{vmatrix} a_{11} - \lambda & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} - \lambda \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^2 - (a_{11} + a_{22})\lambda + (a_{11}a_{22} - a_{12}a_{21}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^2 - (2+1)\lambda + (2-1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda^2 - 3\lambda + 1 = 0.$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

Now, the associated eigenvector:


$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 - 2.618 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 - 2.618 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \approx \begin{bmatrix} 0.8507 \\ 0.8507 \end{bmatrix}$$

IV. Linear Algebra [CONT.]

1. Euclidean Norm: length preserved by translation, rotation, reflections.

Inner Product: $\langle u, v \rangle = \|u\| \|v\| \cos \theta$.

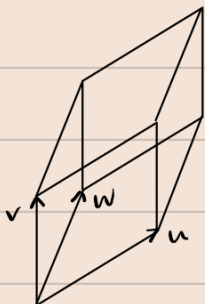
Cross Product: $u \times v$ 

$$2. u \cdot v = u^T v = [u_1 \dots u_n] \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \end{bmatrix} = \sum_{i=1}^n u_i v_i$$

3. Determinant (More).

① for $A := \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{bmatrix}$, $\det A = a(ei - fh) + b(fg - di) + c(dh - eg)$.

Intuition $\det(u, v, w)$ encodes signed volume of parallelepiped with edge vectors u, v, w .



$$\det(u, v, w) = (u \times v) \cdot w = (v \times w) \cdot u = (w \times u) \cdot v$$

“Triple Product”

Jacobi Identity: $u \times (v \times w) + v \times (w \times u) + w \times (u \times v) = 0$.

Lagrange Identity: $u \times (v \times w) = v(u \cdot w) - w(u \cdot v)$.

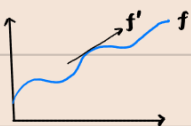
② What does it mean for $\det(A)$ for a linear map matrix A ?

$$f(u) = u_1 a_1 + u_2 a_2 + u_3 a_3$$

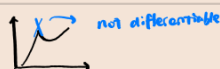
It measures the change in volume. Sign tells if orientation is flipped.

V. Differential Operators

1. Slope / Derivative: Rise over run.



differentiable if $f^+ = f^-$.



2. Directional Derivative.

$$D_{\vec{u}} f(\vec{x}_0) = \lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(\vec{x}_0 + \varepsilon \vec{u}) - f(\vec{x}_0)}{\varepsilon}$$

3. Gradient: \odot point to uphill, \odot list of partial derivatives, \odot leads to the best possible approximation.

Def $\nabla f(\vec{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} \partial f / \partial x_1 \\ \partial f / \partial x_2 \end{bmatrix}$

Ex 4 $f(\vec{x}) := x_1^2 + x_2^2$.

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} = 2x_1 + 0 \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} = 0 + 2x_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \nabla f(\vec{x}) = \begin{bmatrix} \partial f / \partial x_1 \\ \partial f / \partial x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2x_1 \\ 2x_2 \end{bmatrix} = 2\vec{x}.$$

Δ Increase value of f as quick as possible.

4. Gradient & Directional Derivative.

gradient.

$$\langle \nabla f(\vec{x}), \vec{u} \rangle = D_{\vec{u}} f(\vec{x}). \quad \forall \vec{u} \quad \text{Must be differentiable.}$$

5. L^2 Gradient for function F .

$$\langle \nabla F, u \rangle = D_u F$$

VI. Vector Fields/ Operators.

1. Measure the change in a Vector Field. X .

$$\text{div } X \text{ (how much shrinking/expanding): } \nabla \cdot X = \left(\frac{\partial X_1}{\partial x_1}, \frac{\partial X_2}{\partial x_2}, \dots, \frac{\partial X_n}{\partial x_n} \right)$$

$$\text{curl } X \text{ (how much spinning (clockwise)): } \nabla \times X = \begin{bmatrix} \partial X_3 / \partial u_2 - \partial X_2 / \partial u_3 \\ \partial X_1 / \partial u_3 - \partial X_3 / \partial u_1 \\ \partial X_2 / \partial u_1 - \partial X_1 / \partial u_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

2. Laplacian. Δ

$$\Delta f := \nabla \cdot \nabla f = \text{div}(\text{grad } f)$$

$$:= \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x_i^2}$$

$$:= -\nabla_f \left(\frac{1}{2} \|\nabla f\|^2 \right)$$

Ex 5 $f(x_1, x_2) := \cos(3x_1) + \sin(3x_2)$.

$$\Delta f = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_1^2} f + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_2^2} f = -9(\cos(3x_1) + \sin(3x_2))$$

3. Hessian. ∇^2

$$(\nabla^2 f) \vec{u} := D_{\vec{u}}(\nabla f)$$