

Ser. 6.3. Orthogonal Projection (OP).

Defn. Orthogonal Complement $S^\perp$ (S perp)

Let S be nonempty subset of $\mathbb{R}^n$.

$S^\perp$ = set of all vectors in $\mathbb{R}^n$ that are orthogonal to each vector in S .

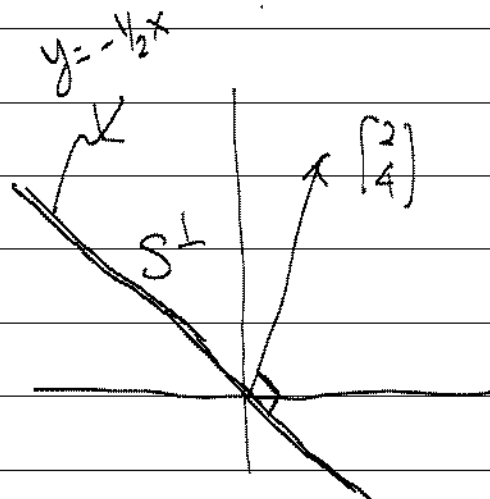
i.e. let $S = \{ \underline{u}_1, \underline{u}_2, \dots, \underline{u}_k \}$

then $S^\perp = \{ \underline{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid \underline{u}_1 \cdot \underline{v} = 0, \underline{u}_2 \cdot \underline{v} = 0, \dots, \underline{u}_k \cdot \underline{v} = 0 \}$

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Ex. $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \right\} S^\perp = ?$



$\underline{v} \in S^\perp$ iff $\underline{v} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \quad 2v_1 + 4v_2 = 0.$

$S^\perp = \left\{ \underline{v} \in \mathbb{Q}^2 \mid v_1 + 2v_2 = 0 \right\}.$

Ex. $S = \{\underline{u}_1, \underline{u}_2\}$. $\underline{v} \cdot \underline{u}_1 = 0, \underline{v} \cdot \underline{u}_2 = 0$.

$$\underline{u}_1^T \underline{v} = 0, \underline{u}_2^T \underline{v} = 0.$$

Define $A = \begin{bmatrix} \underline{u}_1^T \\ \underline{u}_2^T \end{bmatrix}$.

► $\underline{v} \in S^\perp \iff A\underline{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$.

We conclude $S^\perp = \text{Null } A$.

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Properties of $S^\perp$

► (1) $S^\perp$ is a subspace of $\mathbb{R}^n$.

(2) $S^\perp = (\text{Span } S)^\perp$ (Problem 57).

(3) If V is a subspace of $\mathbb{R}^n$, then $(V^\perp)^\perp = V$ (Prob 60)

(4) If $\underline{v} \in S$ and $\underline{v} \in S^\perp$, then $\underline{v} = \underline{0}$.

$$S = \{\underline{u}_1, \underline{u}_2, \dots, \underline{u}_k\} \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} \underline{u}_1^T \\ \underline{u}_2^T \\ \vdots \\ \underline{u}_k^T \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Row } A = \text{Span}\{\underline{u}_1, \underline{u}_2, \dots, \underline{u}_k\} = \text{Span } S = \text{Col } A^T.$$

$$S^\perp = (\text{Span } S)^\perp = \text{Null } A.$$

We conclude that $\text{Null } A = (\text{Row } A)^\perp = (\text{Col } A^T)^\perp$

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \underline{u}_1^T \\ \underline{u}_2^T \\ \vdots \\ \underline{u}_k^T \end{bmatrix}}_A \underline{v} = \underline{0}.$$

Thm 6.7 Orthogonal Decomposition Thm

Let W be subspace of $\mathbb{R}^n$. Then for every vector $\underline{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n$, there exist a unique $\underline{w} \in W$, and a unique $\underline{z} \in W^\perp$ such that

$$\underline{v} = \underline{w} + \underline{z}.$$

In addition, if $\{\underline{w}_1, \underline{w}_2, \dots, \underline{w}_k\}$ is an orthonormal basis for W , then

$$\underline{w} = (\underline{v} \cdot \underline{w}_1) \underline{w}_1 + (\underline{v} \cdot \underline{w}_2) \underline{w}_2 + \dots + (\underline{v} \cdot \underline{w}_k) \underline{w}_k \quad (1)$$

Pf Let $\mathcal{B} = \{\underline{w}_1, \underline{w}_2, \dots, \underline{w}_k\}$ be orthonormal basis for W .

and let $\underline{w}$ be the vector defined in (1).

Clearly $\underline{w} \in W$.

Define $\underline{z} = \underline{v} - \underline{w}$.

Next we will prove that $\underline{z} \in W^\perp$.

From (1), $\underline{z} \cdot \underline{w}_1 = (\underline{v} - \underline{w}) \cdot \underline{w}_1$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \underline{v} \cdot \underline{w}_1 - \underbrace{((\underline{v} \cdot \underline{w}_1) \underline{w}_1 + (\underline{v} \cdot \underline{w}_2) \underline{w}_2 + \dots + (\underline{v} \cdot \underline{w}_k) \underline{w}_k) \cdot \underline{w}_1}_{=0} \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\underline{z} \cdot \underline{w}_2 = \underline{v} \cdot \underline{w}_2 - ((\underline{v} \cdot \underline{w}_1) \underline{w}_1 \cdot \underline{w}_2 + (\underline{v} \cdot \underline{w}_2) \underline{w}_2 \cdot \underline{w}_2 + \dots + (\underline{v} \cdot \underline{w}_k) \underline{w}_k \cdot \underline{w}_2)$$

$$= 0$$

$$\dots \quad \underline{z} \cdot \underline{w}_k = 0.$$

$$\underline{z} \in B^\perp = (\text{Span } B)^\perp = W^\perp.$$

$$\underline{v} = \underbrace{\underline{w}}_{\in W} + \underbrace{\underline{z}}_{\in W^\perp}.$$

Uniqueness. Suppose $\underline{v} = \underline{w}' + \underline{z}'$, $\underline{w}' \in W$ and $\underline{z}' \in W^\perp$

$$\underline{v} = \underline{w} + \underline{z} = \underline{w}' + \underline{z}'$$

$$\underbrace{\underline{w} - \underline{w}'}_{\in W} = \underbrace{\underline{z}' - \underline{z}}_{\in W^\perp}.$$

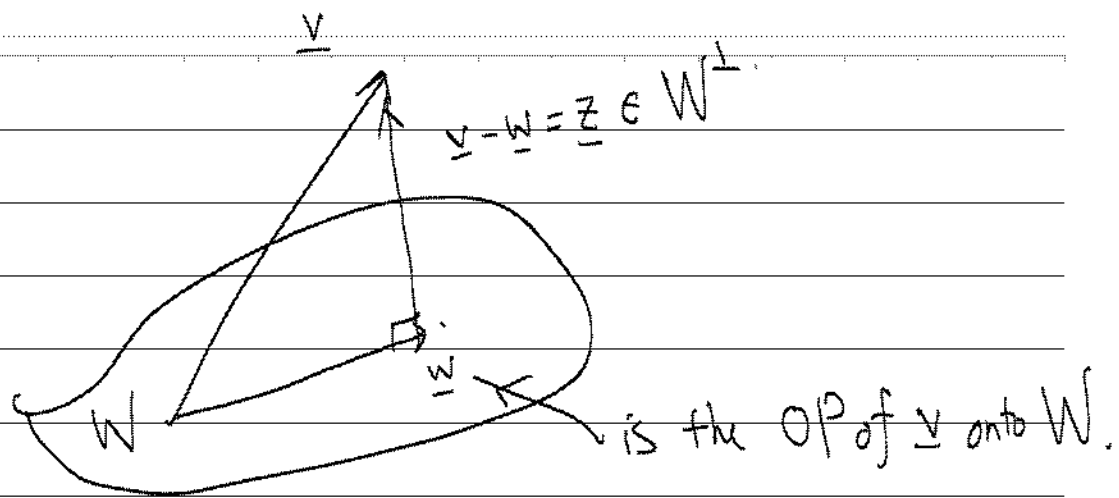
We can conclude from Property 4 that $\underline{w} - \underline{w}' = \underline{0}$ and

$$\Rightarrow \underline{w}' = \underline{w}, \quad \underline{z}' = \underline{z}.$$

(OP)

Defn Orthogonal Projection onto W .

Let W be a subspace of $\mathbb{R}^n$. The OP of $\underline{v}$ onto W is the unique vector $\underline{w} \in W$ such that $(\underline{v} - \underline{w})$ is in $W^\perp$.



What is $\underline{z}$? $\underline{z}$ is the OP of $\underline{v}$ onto $W^\perp$.

$$\underline{v} = \underbrace{\underline{z}}_{\in W^\perp} + \underbrace{\underline{w}}_{\in (W^\perp)^\perp}.$$

$$\underline{v} = \underbrace{\underline{w}}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{OP of } \underline{v} \text{ onto } W}} + \underline{z} \quad \text{OP of } \underline{v} \text{ onto } W^\perp.$$

Claim 1 Let $\mathcal{B}_1$ be a basis for W .

Let $\mathcal{B}_2$ be a basis for $W^\perp$.

Then $\mathcal{B}_1 \cup \mathcal{B}_2$ is a basis for $\mathbb{R}^n$.

Proof ① $\text{Span}(\mathcal{B}_1 \cup \mathcal{B}_2) = \mathbb{R}^n$ by Thm 6.7.

② $\mathcal{B}_1 \cup \mathcal{B}_2$ is l. indep. (one of the problem).

$$\dim W + \dim W^\perp = n.$$

Ex 1 Let $W = \text{Null } A$, $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$, and $\underline{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$.

Find the OP of $\underline{v}$ onto W .

a basis $\xrightarrow[\text{Schmidt}]{\text{Gram-}}$ orthogonal basis $\xrightarrow{\text{normalization}}$ orthonormal basis.

$A\underline{x} = \underline{0} \longrightarrow \left\{ \underset{\underline{u}_1}{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}}, \underset{\underline{u}_2}{\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}} \right\}$ a basis for W .

Gram-Schmidt $\{\underline{v}_1, \underline{v}_2\} = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ orthogonal basis for W .

$\{\underline{w}_1, \underline{w}_2\} = \left\{ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ orthonormal basis.

$\underline{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$, from (i) in Thm 6.7, $\underline{w} = \underbrace{(\underline{v} \cdot \underline{w}_1)}_{\frac{4}{\sqrt{2}}} \underline{w}_1 + \underbrace{(\underline{v} \cdot \underline{w}_2)}_{\frac{6}{\sqrt{3}}} \underline{w}_2$.

$$\underline{w} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\underline{z} = \underline{v} - \underline{w} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad (\underline{z} \cdot \underline{w} = 0)$$

Define $U_W: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$ $U_W(\underline{v}) = \underline{w}$, OP of $\underline{v}$ onto W
 $\uparrow$
 W subspace.

U_W is called the orthogonal projection operator.

and U_W is linear.

Defn. the standard matrix of U_W , P_W ($n \times n$) is called the OP matrix of W .

Thm 6.8 Let C be an $n \times k$ matrix whose columns form a basis for W . Then

$$P_W = C(C^T C)^{-1} C^T.$$

$$\text{rank } C = k, C = \begin{bmatrix} \underline{u}_1 & \underline{u}_2 & \dots & \underline{u}_k \end{bmatrix}_{n \times k}, W = \text{Span} \{ \underline{u}_1, \underline{u}_2, \dots, \underline{u}_k \}.$$

Claim 2 $C^T C$ is invertible.

Pf. Suppose $\underline{d}$ ($k \times 1$) such that $C^T C \underline{d} = \underline{0}$.

$$\text{Look at } \underline{d}^T (C^T C) \underline{d} = 0.$$

$$\|C \underline{d}\|^2 = (C \underline{d})^T (C \underline{d}) = \underline{d}^T (C^T C) \underline{d} = 0.$$

$$\Rightarrow C \underline{d} = \underline{0} \Rightarrow \underline{d} = \underline{0} \quad \left(\begin{smallmatrix} 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 \end{smallmatrix} \right) \underline{u}_1, \dots, \underline{u}_k \text{ are l. indep.}$$

$\Rightarrow$ The only soln to $C^T C \underline{x} = \underline{0}$ is $\underline{x} = \underline{0} \Rightarrow C^T C$ is invertible. $\star$

Proof of Thm 6.8.

let $W = \text{Span}\{\underline{u}_1, \underline{u}_2, \dots, \underline{u}_k\}$ and $C = [\underline{u}_1 \ \underline{u}_2 \ \dots \ \underline{u}_k]$
and $\text{rank } C = k$.

For any $\underline{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n$, let $\underline{w} = U_W(\underline{v})$.

From Thm 6.7, $\underline{z} = \underline{v} - \underline{w} \in W^\perp$.

Because $\underline{w} \in W$, $\underline{w} = C \underline{u}$ for some $\underline{u}$.

$\underline{z} = \underline{v} - \underline{w} \in W^\perp \Rightarrow \underline{z}$ is orthogonal to $\underline{u}_1, \dots, \underline{u}_k$

$$C^T \underline{z} = \underline{0}. \quad C^T = \begin{bmatrix} \underline{u}_1^T \\ \vdots \\ \underline{u}_k^T \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C^T(\underline{v} - \underline{w}) = \underline{0}$$

$$C^T(\underline{v} - C \underline{u}) = \underline{0}$$

$$C^T C \underline{u} = C^T \underline{v}$$

$$\underline{u} = (C^T C)^{-1} C^T \underline{v}$$

$$\underline{w} = U_W(\underline{v}) = C \underline{u} = C (C^T C)^{-1} C^T \underline{v} \text{ for any } \underline{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n.$$

$C(C^T C)^{-1} C^T$ is the standard matrix for U_W .
" P_W OP matrix. #

► Ex 1 (cont.) Find OP of $\underline{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ onto $W = \text{Span} \{ \underline{w}_1, \underline{w}_2 \}$.

from previous ex, we have $\{ \underline{u}_1, \underline{u}_2 \}$ a basis for W .

Form $C = [\underline{u}_1 \ \underline{u}_2] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

$$P_W = C(C^T C)^{-1} C^T = \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 5 & 2 \\ -2 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P_W \underline{v} = P_W \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \underline{w}, \text{ OP of } \underline{v} \text{ onto } W$$

Same as previous ex.

If we choose $C = [\underline{w}_1 \ \underline{w}_2]$ ($\{ \underline{w}_1, \underline{w}_2 \}$ orthonormal basis for W)

then $C^T C = I_2$. OP matrix P_W

$$\begin{bmatrix} \underline{w}_1^T \\ \underline{w}_2^T \end{bmatrix} [\underline{w}_1 \ \underline{w}_2] \text{ becomes } P_W = C C^T.$$

Thm 6.7

$$\underline{v} = \underbrace{\underline{w}}_{\text{OP of } \underline{v} \text{ onto } W} + \underbrace{\underline{z}}_{\text{OP of } \underline{v} \text{ onto } W^\perp}$$

$$\dim W + \dim W^\perp = n$$

$$W = \text{Null } A, \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \underline{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$W^\perp = \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$A\underline{x} = \underline{0}$$

$$\text{OP of } \underline{v} \text{ onto } W^\perp, \quad \underline{z} = \frac{\underline{v} \cdot \underline{y}}{\|\underline{y}\|^2} \underline{y} = \frac{6}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{OP of } \underline{v} \text{ onto } W = \underline{v} - \underline{z} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Claim } P_W + P_{W^\perp} = I.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{For any } \underline{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n, \quad (P_W + P_{W^\perp}) \underline{v} &= P_W \underline{v} + P_{W^\perp} \underline{v} \\ &= \underline{w} + \underline{z} = \underline{v}. \end{aligned}$$

$$W = \text{Null } A, \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$W^\perp = \text{Span} \left\{ \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}}_y \right\}. \quad C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

OP
matrix
of $W^\perp$

$$P_{W^\perp} = C(C^T C)^{-1} C^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} (6)^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & -2 \\ 2 & -2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P_W = I_3 - P_{W^\perp} = \begin{bmatrix} & & \\ & & \\ & & \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \text{same} \\ \text{as} \\ \text{previous} \\ \text{ex.} \end{matrix}$$