

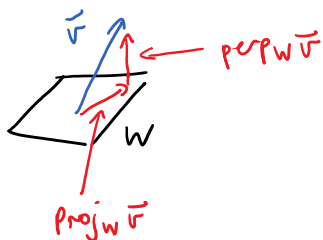
5.2 Complements and Projections Cont'd

Def

The orthogonal decomposition of \vec{v} with respect to subspace W is:

$$\vec{v} = \text{proj}_W \vec{v} + \text{perp}_W \vec{v}$$

in W in W^\perp



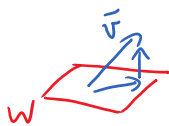
Recall $\text{proj}_{\vec{u}} \vec{z} = \frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{z}}{\|\vec{u}\|^2} \vec{u}$

Ex: W has orthogonal basis

$$B = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

Let $\vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$

Find the orthogonal decomposition of \vec{v} with respect to W .



$$\text{proj}_W \vec{v} = \text{proj}_{\vec{w}_1} \vec{v} + \text{proj}_{\vec{w}_2} \vec{v}$$

(if you have an orthogonal basis)

$$= \frac{\vec{w}_1 \cdot \vec{v}}{\|\vec{w}_1\|^2} \vec{w}_1 + \dots$$

$$= \frac{-4}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{11}{9} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$= \frac{1}{9} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -11 \\ 40 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$\text{perp}_W \vec{v}$:

$$\vec{v} = \text{proj}_W \vec{v} + \text{perp}_W \vec{v}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{perp}_W \vec{v} &= \vec{v} - \text{proj}_W \vec{v} \\ &= \frac{9}{9} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{1}{9} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -11 \\ 40 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{9} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 20 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

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5.3 Gram-Schmidt Orthogonalization

How to get an orthogonal basis

Ex: Let $W = \text{span} \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ -4 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \right)$

Find an orthogonal basis for W .

Partial Basis $X = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

$$\bar{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} - \text{proj}_X \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

(\bar{v}_2 is the component of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$ that is orthogonal to X)

$$\bar{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{12}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Partial Basis $X = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$
orthogonal ✓

$$\begin{aligned}
\vec{v}_3 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ -4 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} - \text{proj}_X \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ -4 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ -4 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} - \text{proj}_{\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ -4 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} - \text{proj}_{\begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ -4 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ -4 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{(-8)}{4} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{(-7)}{10} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

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Can scale to eliminate fractions

$$\begin{aligned}
10\vec{v}_3 &= \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ -30 \\ -40 \\ -20 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 20 \\ 20 \\ 20 \\ 20 \end{bmatrix} + 7 \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= \begin{bmatrix} 16 \\ -17 \\ -13 \\ 14 \end{bmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

$$X = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 16 \\ -17 \\ -13 \\ 14 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

orthogonal ✓

If we wanted an orthonormal basis :

$$\left\{ \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{910}} \begin{bmatrix} 16 \\ -17 \\ -13 \\ 14 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

This whole process is called
"Gram-Schmidt Orthogonalization"