

5.2 Orthogonal Complements and Orthogonal Projections.

Def. Consider a subspace W of $\mathbb{R}^n$
then,
a vector $\vec{v}$ in $\mathbb{R}^n$ is orthogonal to
the subspace W , if $\vec{v} \cdot \vec{w} = 0$, for all $\vec{w} \in W$
Now, we define
 $W \text{ orthogonal} = W^\perp = \left\{ \vec{v} \in \mathbb{R}^n : \vec{v} \cdot \vec{w} = 0 \right.$
 $\left. \text{for all } \vec{w} \in W \right\}$

Exercises: define it

1) Find $W^\perp$ for W given by

$$W = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} : y - 2x = 0 \right\} \text{ First find a basis.}$$

Answer:

A basis for W is given by

$$y = 2x \quad \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ 2x \end{bmatrix} = x \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B_W = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

Now, $\vec{x} \in W^\perp$ if (why?)

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \Leftrightarrow x + 2y = 0$$

then $W = \left\{ \overset{\text{All}}{\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}} : x + 2y = 0 \right\}.$

2) If W is the plane: $3x + 2y + z = 0$
find $W^\perp$. First find a basis.

$$z = -3x - 2y$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ -3x - 2y \end{bmatrix} = x \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Basis for W

$$B_W = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$\vec{x}$ is in $W^\perp$ if

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \Leftrightarrow x + 3z = 0 \Rightarrow x = -3z$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \Leftrightarrow y - 2z = 0 \Rightarrow y = 2z$$

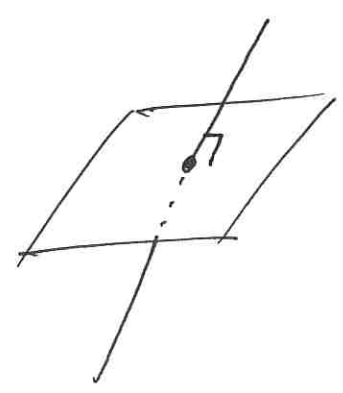
$$\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} -3z \\ 2z \\ z \end{bmatrix} = z \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

So a basis for $W^\perp$ is

$$B_{W^\perp} = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

And $W^\perp$ is the line

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = t \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, t \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$



Thm 5.9 $\tilde{W} \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ is a subspace.

a) $W^\perp$ is a subspace.

b) $(W^\perp)^\perp = W$.

c) $W \cap W^\perp = \{\vec{0}\}$.

d) If $W = \text{Span}(\tilde{w}_1, \dots, \tilde{w}_k)$

then,

$\vec{v}$ is in $W^\perp$ if and only if

$$\vec{v} \cdot \tilde{w}_i = 0, \text{ for all } i=1, \dots, k.$$

Verify these properties with our previous examples.

Thm 5.11

Let W be a subspace of $\mathbb{R}^n$
and $\vec{v}$ in $\mathbb{R}^n$, then

$$\vec{v} = \vec{w} + \vec{w}^\perp$$

where $\vec{w}$ is in W and $\vec{w}^\perp$ is in $W^\perp$.
and this decomposition of $\vec{v}$ is unique.

Corollary 5.12 W is a subspace of $\mathbb{R}^n$

then $(W^\perp)^\perp = W$.

Proof.

If $\vec{w}$ is in W and $\vec{u}$ is in $W^\perp$
then $\vec{w} \cdot \vec{u} = 0 \Rightarrow \vec{w}$ is in $(W^\perp)^\perp$.
 $W \subset (W^\perp)^\perp$.

Also, if $\vec{z}$ is in $(W^\perp)^\perp \Rightarrow$

$$\vec{z} = \vec{w} + \vec{w}^\perp$$

then

$$0 = \vec{z} \cdot \vec{w}^\perp = \vec{w} \cdot \vec{w}^\perp + \vec{w}^\perp \cdot \vec{w}^\perp = \vec{w}^\perp \cdot \vec{w}^\perp \Rightarrow \vec{w}^\perp = \vec{0}$$

and $\vec{z} = \vec{w}$ is in W .

$$(W^\perp)^\perp \subset W.$$

Thm 5.13 W subspace of $\mathbb{R}^n$

then

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

Proof.

If $\{u_1, \dots, u_k\}$ is an ^{orthogonal} basis for W

and $\{v_1, \dots, v_l\}$ is an orthog. basis for $W^\perp$.

then $\dim W = k$, $\dim W^\perp = l$.

and $B = \{u_1, \dots, u_k, v_1, \dots, v_l\}$ is a basis for $\mathbb{R}^n$.

$$u_i \cdot v_j = 0 \quad \text{for } 1 \leq i \leq k, 1 \leq j \leq l.$$

So B is lin. indep.

Also, any v in $\mathbb{R}^n$

$$\vec{v} = \vec{w} + \vec{w}^\perp = \alpha_1 u_1 + \dots + \alpha_k u_k + \beta_1 v_1 + \dots + \beta_l v_l$$

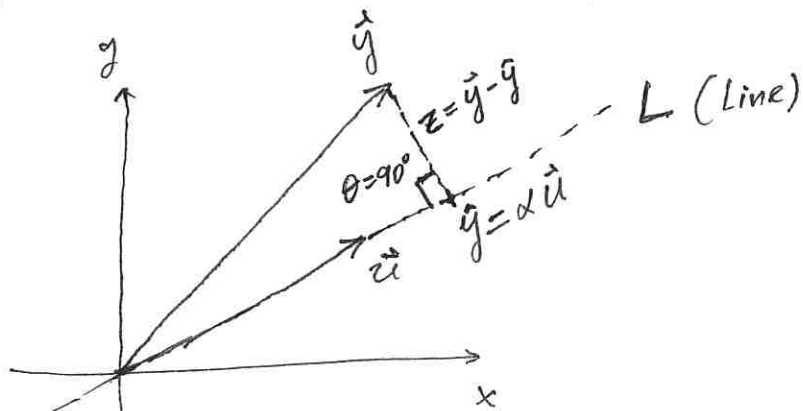
$$\Rightarrow \text{Span}(B) = \mathbb{R}^n.$$

And B is a basis.

5.2 (Pade)

Orthogonal Projections

Consider $\vec{y}, \vec{u} \in \mathbb{R}^2$ as in the graph below



We want to obtain α such that $\boxed{\hat{y} = \alpha \vec{u}}$ and $\boxed{\vec{z} = \vec{y} - \hat{y}}$ is orthogonal to $\vec{u}$. (6.1)

From our previous results and definitions

$\vec{z} = \vec{y} - \hat{y}$ is orthogonal to $\vec{u}$ if and only if

$$(\vec{y} - \hat{y}) \cdot \vec{u} = 0$$

This implies

$$0 = (\vec{y} - \alpha \vec{u}) \cdot \vec{u} = \vec{y} \cdot \vec{u} - (\alpha \vec{u}) \cdot \vec{u} \stackrel{\text{Thm 1}}{=} \vec{y} \cdot \vec{u} - \alpha (\vec{u} \cdot \vec{u})$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}}{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{u}}$$

or

$$\boxed{\hat{y} = \frac{\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}}{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{u}} \vec{u}}$$

(6.2)

Combining (6.1) and (6.2), we have obtained
a decomposition of $\vec{y} \in \mathbb{R}^2$ as

$$\boxed{\vec{y} = \hat{y} + \vec{z}} \quad (7.1)$$

where $\hat{y} = \left(\frac{\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}}{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{u}} \vec{u} \right) \in \text{span}\{\vec{u}\}$ and $\vec{z} \in (\text{span}\{\vec{u}\})^\perp$

Definition The vector $\hat{y}$ given by

$$\boxed{\hat{y} = \frac{\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}}{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{u}} \vec{u}}$$

is called the orthogonal projection of $\vec{y}$ onto $\vec{u}$

It is also denoted as

$$\boxed{\hat{y} = \text{proj}_{\vec{u}} \vec{y}}$$

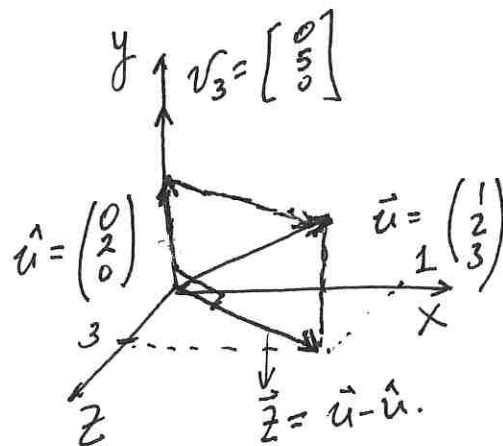
As it will be shown later this decomposition (7.1)
is unique.

Exercise For the vectors

$$\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \vec{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find the unique decomposition

$$\vec{u} = \hat{u} + \vec{z}$$



where $\hat{u} = \text{proj}_{\vec{v}_3} \vec{u}$ and $\vec{z}$ is orthogonal to $\vec{v}_3$.

Ans:

According to (7.1)

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{u} &= \text{proj}_{\vec{v}_3} \vec{u} = \frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}_3}{\vec{v}_3 \cdot \vec{v}_3} \vec{v}_3 = \frac{[0 \ 5 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}}{[0 \ 5 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \frac{2}{5} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\vec{z} = \vec{u} - \hat{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore, the decomposition of $\vec{u}$ is as follows:

$$\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Verification that $\vec{z}$ is orthogonal to $\vec{v}_3$

$$\vec{z} \cdot \vec{v}_3 = [1 \ 0 \ 3] \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \checkmark$$

And $\vec{z} = \vec{u} - \hat{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}.$

Verification of $\vec{z}$ orthogonal to $\vec{v}_3$

$$\vec{z} \cdot \vec{v}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = [1 \ 0 \ 3] \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \checkmark$$

or

$$\vec{u} = \hat{u} + \vec{z}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

The concept of orthogonal projection can be extended to any subspace $W \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ (it does not have to be a line along $\vec{u}$).

Thm 8 (Orthogonal Decomposition Theorem)

$W \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ Subspace and $B = \{\vec{u}_1, \dots, \vec{u}_p\}$ orthogonal basis of W .

Then,

Any $\vec{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ can be written uniquely as

$$\boxed{\vec{y} = \hat{y} + \vec{z}} \quad (8.1)$$

where $\hat{y} \in W$ and $\vec{z} \in W^\perp$

and
$$\boxed{\hat{y} = \frac{\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}_1}{\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_1} \vec{u}_1 + \dots + \frac{\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}_p}{\vec{u}_p \cdot \vec{u}_p} \vec{u}_p = \text{proj}_W \vec{y}} \quad (8.2)$$

Proof.

Given $B = \{\vec{u}_1, \dots, \vec{u}_p\}$ orthog. basis of Subspace W .

We want to find $\hat{y}$ in W and $\vec{z} \in W^\perp$ such that

$$\vec{y} = \hat{y} + \vec{z}$$

this is equivalent to ask for

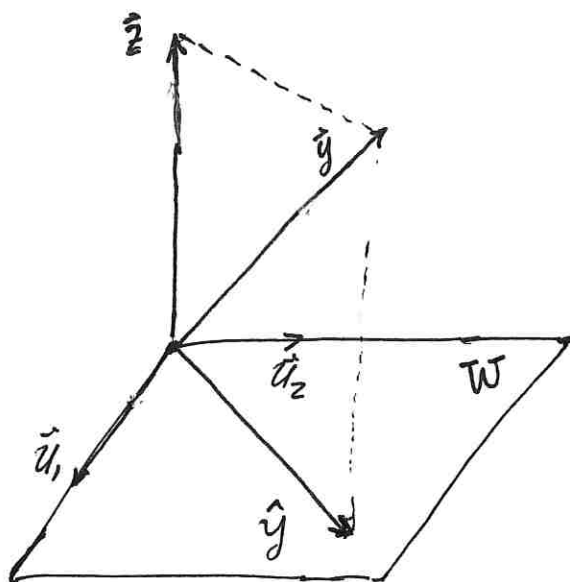
$$\vec{z} = \vec{y} - \hat{y} \text{ to be orthogonal to}$$

any $\vec{w} \in W$.

Now, from previous thm $\vec{z}$ is $\perp$ to any vector in W

if and only if $\vec{z} \cdot \vec{u}_j = 0$, for all $\vec{u}_j$

From here follow the proof in ⑨.



$$\vec{y} = \hat{y} + \vec{z}$$

Proof. - Consider an arbitrary $\vec{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$

And define $\hat{y} = \alpha_1 \vec{u}_1 + \alpha_2 \vec{u}_2 + \dots + \alpha_p \vec{u}_p \in W$ (9.1)

and $\vec{z} = \vec{y} - \hat{y}$. (9.2)

Since we want $\vec{z} \in W^\perp$, we require $\vec{z}$ to be orthogonal to all $\vec{u}_j$ ($j=1, \dots, p$) (This is enough according to previous thm)

Thus,

$$(\vec{z} \cdot \vec{u}_j) = ((\vec{y} - \hat{y}) \cdot \vec{u}_j) = 0, \quad j=1, \dots, p.$$

or equivalently

$$\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}_j - ((\alpha_1 \vec{u}_1 + \dots + \alpha_j \vec{u}_j + \dots + \alpha_p \vec{u}_p) \cdot \vec{u}_j) = 0$$

using orthogonality

$$\alpha_j (\vec{u}_j \cdot \vec{u}_j) = \vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}_j$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\alpha_j = \frac{\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}_j}{\vec{u}_j \cdot \vec{u}_j}}, \quad j=1, 2, \dots, p. \quad (9.3)$$

Therefore,

$\vec{z} = \vec{y} - \hat{y}$ is orthogonal to W

if $\boxed{\hat{y} = \frac{\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}_1}{\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_1} \vec{u}_1 + \dots + \frac{\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}_p}{\vec{u}_p \cdot \vec{u}_p} \vec{u}_p = \text{proj}_W \vec{y}} \quad (10.1)$

As a consequence,

$$\vec{y} = \hat{y} + \vec{z}$$

where $\hat{y} \in W$ is given by (10.1) and $\vec{z} = \vec{y} - \hat{y} \in W^\perp$.

Uniqueness If there exists $\hat{y}_1 \in W$ and $\vec{z}_1 \in W^\perp$

such that $\vec{y} = \hat{y}_1 + \vec{z}_1$

then $\hat{y}_1 + \vec{z}_1 = \vec{y} = \hat{y} + \vec{z}$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{y}_1 - \hat{y} = \vec{z} - \vec{z}_1 \Rightarrow \hat{y}_1 - \hat{y} \in W \cap W^\perp$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{y}_1 - \hat{y} = \vec{0} \Rightarrow \underline{\hat{y}_1 = \hat{y}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{z} - \vec{z}_1 = \vec{0} \Rightarrow \underline{\vec{z}_1 = \vec{z}}$$

Def. The vector $\hat{y}$ given by (10.1) is called
"the orthogonal projection of $\vec{y}$ onto W ."
The notation for this is

$$\boxed{\hat{y} = \text{proj}_W \vec{y}}$$

6.3 Exerc. #3

$$\vec{y} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \vec{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \vec{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Verify $\{\vec{u}_1, \vec{u}_2\} \subset \mathbb{R}^3$ is an orthogonal set and find the orthogonal projection of $\vec{y}$ onto $W = \text{span}\{\vec{u}_1, \vec{u}_2\}$.

Ans: $\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_2 = [1 \ 1 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = -1 + 1 = 0. \quad \checkmark$

According to thm 8

$$\begin{aligned} \text{proj}_W \vec{y} = \hat{y} &= \frac{\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}_1}{\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_1} \vec{u}_1 + \frac{\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}_2}{\vec{u}_2 \cdot \vec{u}_2} \vec{u}_2 = \\ &= \frac{[-1 \ 4 \ 3] \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}}{[1 \ 1 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{[-1 \ 4 \ 3] \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}}{[-1 \ 1 \ 0] \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$\text{proj}_W \vec{y} = \hat{y} = \frac{3}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{5}{2} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

and $\vec{z} = \vec{y} - \hat{y} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$

And $\vec{y} = \overset{\in W}{\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}} + \overset{\in W^\perp}{\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}} = \hat{y} + \vec{z} \quad \underline{\text{decomposition}}$

Theorem 10 $B = \{\vec{u}_1, \dots, \vec{u}_p\}$ is an orthonormal basis for $W \subset \mathbb{R}^n$.

Then

for $\vec{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$,

$$a) \boxed{\text{proj}_W \vec{y} = (\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}_1) \vec{u}_1 + (\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}_2) \vec{u}_2 + \dots + (\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}_p) \vec{u}_p} \quad (3.1)$$

b) If $U = [\vec{u}_1 \ \vec{u}_2 \ \dots \ \vec{u}_p]$, then

$$\text{proj}_W \vec{y} = U U^T \vec{y}.$$

Proof:-

a) By definition

$$\text{proj}_W \vec{y} = \frac{\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}_1}{\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_1} \vec{u}_1 + \dots + \frac{\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}_p}{\vec{u}_p \cdot \vec{u}_p} \vec{u}_p$$

If B is an orthonormal basis $\Rightarrow \vec{u}_i \cdot \vec{u}_i = 1$ and (3.1) follows.

b)

$$U^T \vec{y} = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{u}_1^T \rightarrow \\ \vdots \\ \vec{u}_p^T \rightarrow \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \vec{y} \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{u}_1^T \vec{y} \\ \vdots \\ \vec{u}_p^T \vec{y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{y} \\ \vdots \\ \vec{u}_p \cdot \vec{y} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow U(U^T \vec{y}) &= \begin{bmatrix} \vec{u}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \vec{u}_p \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{y} \\ \vdots \\ \vec{u}_p \cdot \vec{y} \end{bmatrix} = \\ &= (\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{y}) \vec{u}_1 + \dots + (\vec{u}_p \cdot \vec{y}) \vec{u}_p \stackrel{\text{Same as (3.1)}}{=} \text{proj}_W \vec{y}. \end{aligned}$$

Exercises:
Orthog. projections

Consider the plane

$$W: x - y + 2z = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ in } \mathbb{R}^3$$

Find $\text{proj}_W \vec{v}$. $\begin{matrix} x=t \\ y=s \\ z=\frac{s}{2}-\frac{t}{2} \end{matrix}$ $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} t \\ s \\ \frac{s}{2}-\frac{t}{2} \end{bmatrix} = t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1/2 \end{bmatrix} + s \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$

Ans: The Vectors $B = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1/2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1/2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$
 $\vec{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\vec{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $B^\perp = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

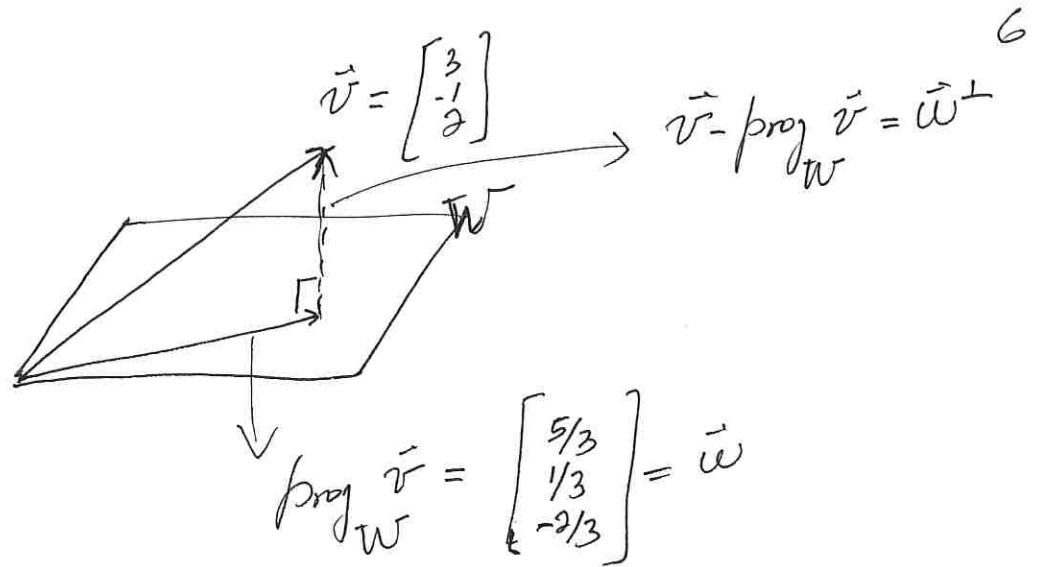
form an orthog. basis for W . (Verify it!).

Then,

$$\text{proj}_W \vec{v} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \left(\frac{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{u}_1}{\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{u}_1} \right) \vec{u}_1 + \left(\frac{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{u}_2}{\vec{u}_2 \cdot \vec{u}_2} \right) \vec{u}_2$$

$$= \frac{2}{2} \vec{u}_1 + \frac{2}{3} \vec{u}_2 = \vec{u}_1 + \frac{2}{3} \vec{u}_2$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2/3 \\ -2/3 \\ -2/3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5/3 \\ 1/3 \\ -2/3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$



Then

$$\vec{w}^\perp = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 5/3 \\ 1/3 \\ -2/3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4/3 \\ -4/3 \\ 8/3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{w}^\perp \cdot \vec{w} = 0$$

Verification: $\begin{bmatrix} 4/3 \\ -4/3 \\ 8/3 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 5/3 \\ 1/3 \\ -2/3 \end{bmatrix} = 20/3 - 4/3 - 16/3 = 0.$

From $\vec{v} - \text{proj}_W \vec{v} = \vec{w}^\perp$

We get $\vec{v} = \text{proj}_W \vec{v} + \vec{w}^\perp = \vec{w} + \vec{w}^\perp.$

or

$$\vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 5/3 \\ 1/3 \\ -2/3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 4/3 \\ -4/3 \\ 8/3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\vec{v} = \vec{w} + \vec{w}^\perp$

Thm 5.10 $A_{m \times n}$, then

$$(\text{row}(A))^{\perp} = \text{null}(A)$$

$$(\text{Col}(A))^{\perp} = \text{null}(A^T).$$

Proof.

First, work on example 5.9.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{v}_1 & \vec{v}_2 & \vec{v}_3 & \vec{v}_4 & \vec{v}_5 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 & 1 & 6 \\ 2 & -1 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 6 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} r_1 \\ r_2 \\ r_3 \\ r_4 \end{matrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} \vec{v}_1' & \vec{v}_2' & \vec{v}_3' & \vec{v}_4' & \vec{v}_5' \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} r_1' \\ r_2' \\ r_3' \\ r_4' \end{matrix} \stackrel{B}{=}$$

Basis for $\text{row}(A) = ?$

To obtain basis for $\text{null}(A)$.

$$B\hat{x} = \vec{0} \Leftrightarrow$$

$$x_4 = -4x_5$$

$$x_2 = -3x_5 - 2x_3, \quad x_5, x_3 \text{ Free Vars.}$$

$$x_1 = x_5 - x_3$$

$$\hat{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_5 - x_3 \\ -3x_5 - 2x_3 \\ x_3 \\ -4x_5 \\ x_5 \end{bmatrix} = x_3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_5 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ 0 \\ -4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \vec{n}_1 \\ \vec{n}_2 \end{matrix}$$

$$\text{Basis for row}(A) = \{ \vec{r}'_1, \vec{r}'_2, \vec{r}'_3 \}$$

$$\text{Basis for null}(A) = \{ \vec{n}_1, \vec{n}_2 \}$$

Verify that $\boxed{\vec{r}'_i \cdot \vec{n}_j = 0} \quad \begin{matrix} i=1,2,3 \\ j=1,2 \end{matrix}$

Then, $(\text{row}(A))^\perp = \text{null}(A)$. *Why?*

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Given

$$\vec{w}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \vec{w}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

and $W = \text{Span}(\vec{w}_1, \vec{w}_2)$

Find a basis for $W^\perp$.

Ans:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{w}_1 & \vec{w}_2 \\ 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \\ 3 & -2 \\ -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$W = \text{Col}(A)$$

$$\Rightarrow (\text{Col}(A))^\perp = \text{null}(A^T)$$

$A^T \vec{x} = \vec{0}$ is equiv. to

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 3 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sim \left[\begin{array}{cccc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} x_1 &= x_4 - x_3 \\ x_2 &= 2x_3 - x_4 \end{aligned}$$

thus,

$$\vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_4 - x_3 \\ -x_4 + 2x_3 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = x_3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + x_4 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\hat{n}_1$ $\hat{n}_2$

Basis for $W^\perp$ = Basis for $\text{null}(A^T) = \{\hat{n}_1, \hat{n}_2\}$