

Linear Algebra Review

CMSC 435/634

Abstract Vectors

(\vec{u} , \vec{v} , \vec{w} vectors; a , b , c scalars)

- *Addition*: $\vec{u} + \vec{v}$ is a vector
- *Scalar Multiplication*: $a\vec{u}$ is a vector
- *Commutative*: $\vec{u} + \vec{v} = \vec{v} + \vec{u}$
- *Distributive*: $(a + b)\vec{u} = a\vec{u} + b\vec{u}$
- *Distributive*: $a(\vec{u} + \vec{v}) = a\vec{u} + a\vec{v}$
- *Associative*: $(\vec{u} + \vec{v}) + \vec{w} = \vec{u} + (\vec{v} + \vec{w})$

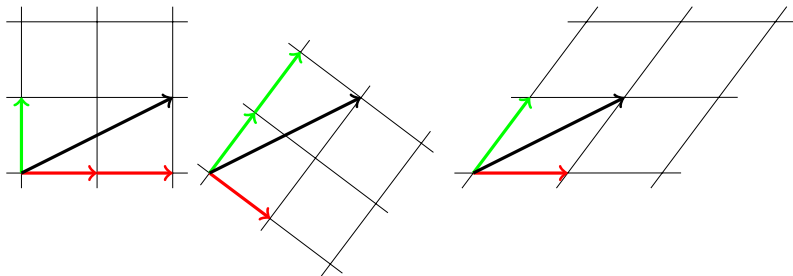
Basis Vectors

Vector as linear combination of *basis vectors*

- $\vec{v} = 2\hat{i} + 1\hat{j} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

- $\vec{v} = 1\hat{m} + 2\hat{n} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$

- $\vec{v} = 1\hat{p} + 1\hat{q} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$



Notation

- Column: $\vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} v_0 \\ v_1 \end{bmatrix}$
 - Some texts use columns for everything
- Row: $\vec{v} = [v_0 \quad v_1]$
 - Some texts use rows for everything
 - Results in transposes and swapped order from what we'll use
- I like columns for points/vectors, rows for normals

Matrices

- Matrix: $A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{0,0} & a_{0,1} \\ a_{1,0} & a_{1,1} \end{bmatrix} = [a_{i,j}] = [a_{row,column}]$

- Transpose: $A^T = \begin{bmatrix} a_{0,0} & a_{1,0} \\ a_{0,1} & a_{1,1} \end{bmatrix} = [a_{j,i}]$

- Multiply: $AB = \begin{bmatrix} a_{0,0} & a_{0,1} \\ a_{1,0} & a_{1,1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b_{0,0} & b_{0,1} \\ b_{1,0} & b_{1,1} \end{bmatrix} =$
 $\begin{bmatrix} a_{0,0}b_{0,0} + a_{0,1}b_{1,0} & a_{0,0}b_{0,1} + a_{0,1}b_{1,1} \\ a_{1,0}b_{0,0} + a_{1,1}b_{1,0} & a_{1,0}b_{0,1} + a_{1,1}b_{1,1} \end{bmatrix}$

Matrix Code

- Math: $C = A B$
- Components: $c_{i,j} = \sum_{\alpha} a_{i,\alpha} b_{\alpha,j}$
- Code:

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for(int i=0; i<N; ++i) {
    for(int j=0; j<M; ++j) {
        c[i][j] = 0;
        for(int α=0; α<K; α++) {
            c[i][j] = c[i][j] + a[i][α] * b[α][j];
        }
    }
}

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Adjugate and Inverse

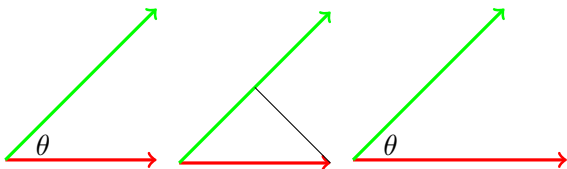
- Inverse: $A^{-1}A = AA^{-1} = I$
- Determinant: $|A|$
 - $|a| = a$
 - $\begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{vmatrix} = a|d| - b|c|$
 - $\begin{vmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{vmatrix} = a \begin{vmatrix} e & f \\ h & i \end{vmatrix} - b \begin{vmatrix} d & f \\ g & i \end{vmatrix} + c \begin{vmatrix} d & e \\ g & h \end{vmatrix}$
- Adjugate: $A^* = \text{cof}(A)^T$ (matrix of cofactors $\text{cof}(A)$)
 - Sometimes called Adjoint or Adjunct
- $A^{-1} = \frac{A^*}{|A|}$

Dot Product

- Also called inner product
 - $\vec{u} \bullet \vec{v}$ is a scalar
 - *Commutitive*: $\vec{u} \bullet \vec{v} = \vec{v} \bullet \vec{u}$
 - *Distributive*: $(a\vec{u}) \bullet \vec{v} = \vec{u} \bullet (a\vec{v}) = a(\vec{u} \bullet \vec{v})$
 - *Associative*: $(\vec{u} + \vec{v}) \bullet \vec{w} = \vec{u} \bullet \vec{w} + \vec{v} \bullet \vec{w}$
 - $\vec{v} \bullet \vec{v} \geq 0$
 - $\vec{v} \bullet \vec{v} = 0 \leftrightarrow \vec{v} = \vec{0}$
- Equivalent notations
 - Vector: $\vec{u} \bullet \vec{v}$
 - Matrix: $U^T V$
 - $\sum_{\alpha} u_{\alpha} v_{\alpha}$

Dot Defines Length and Angle

- $\vec{v} \bullet \vec{v} = |\vec{v}|^2$
- $\vec{u} \bullet \vec{v} = |\vec{u}| |\vec{v}| \cos \theta$
 - **Defines** angle θ !
 - If $|\vec{v}| = 1$, gives projection of \vec{u} onto \vec{v}
 - If $|\vec{u}| = |\vec{v}| = 1$, gives just $\cos \theta$



Orthogonal & Normal

- *Orthogonal* = perpendicular: $\vec{u} \bullet \vec{v} = 0$
- *Normal* (this usage) = unit-length: $\vec{u} \bullet \vec{u} = 1$
- *Orthonormal*: set of vectors both orthogonal and normal
- *Orthogonal matrix*: rows (& columns) **orthonormal**
 - For orthogonal matrices, $A^{-1} = A^T$

3D Cross Product

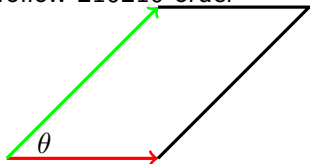
$$\vec{u} \times \vec{v}$$

- length = area of parallelogram = twice area of triangle
 - $|\vec{u} \times \vec{v}| = |\vec{u}||\vec{v}|\sin(\theta)$
- direction = perpendicular to \vec{u} and \vec{v} (right hand rule)

$$\vec{w} = \vec{u} \times \vec{v} = \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} \\ \hat{j} & U & V \\ \hat{k} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} w_0 \\ w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 v_2 - u_2 v_1 \\ u_2 v_0 - u_0 v_2 \\ u_0 v_1 - u_1 v_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Positive terms follow 012012 order
- Negative terms follow 210210 order



Building an Orthogonal Basis

Vectors \vec{u} , \vec{v} , \vec{w}

- Gram-Schmidt (any number of dimensions)
 - $\vec{u}' = \vec{u}$
 - $\vec{v}' = \vec{v} - \hat{u}' (\vec{v} \bullet \hat{u}')$
 - $\vec{v}' = \vec{v} - \frac{\vec{u}'}{|\vec{u}'|} (\vec{v} \bullet \frac{\vec{u}'}{|\vec{u}'|})$
 - $\vec{v}' = \vec{v} - \vec{u}' \vec{v} \bullet \vec{u}' / |\vec{u}'|^2$
 - $\vec{v}' = \vec{v} - \vec{u}' \vec{v} \bullet \vec{u}' / \vec{u}' \bullet \vec{u}'$
 - $\vec{w}' = \vec{w} - \vec{u}' \vec{w} \bullet \vec{u}' / \vec{u}' \bullet \vec{u}' - \vec{v}' \vec{w} \bullet \vec{v}' / \vec{v}' \bullet \vec{v}'$
- Cross-product (3D only)
 - $\vec{u}' = \vec{u}$
 - $\vec{w}' = \vec{u}' \times \vec{v}'$
 - $\vec{v}' = \vec{w}' \times \vec{u}'$