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HW7: due tonight!

Exam 2: next Friday (same policies as last time!)

Review materials post today

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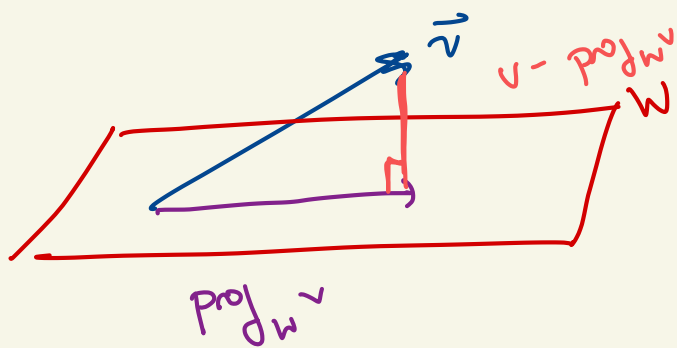
Last time:

Projection onto subspace

Theory: Given a vector  $\vec{v}$ , and a subspace  $W$ ,

$\text{proj}_W \vec{v}$  is the unique vector s.t.  $\text{proj}_W \vec{v} \in W$

and  $\vec{v} - \text{proj}_W \vec{v} \perp \text{proj}_W \vec{v}$ .



Given a orthogonal basis  $v_1, \dots, v_k$  of  $W$

$$\text{proj}_W v = a_1 v_1 + \dots + a_k v_k$$

(if  $u_1, \dots, u_k$

$$a_i = \frac{\langle v, v_i \rangle}{\|v_i\|^2}$$

$\|u_i\|^2 = 1$ )

Ex:  $\vec{v} = (1, 0, 0)$      $W = \text{span} \left( \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right)$

Compute  $\text{proj}_W v$ .

So is  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  an orthogonal basis of  $W$ ? ✓

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}^T \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = (1 \ -2 \ 1) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 1 - 2 + 1 = 0$$

$$\text{proj}_W v = \frac{(1 \ 0 \ 0) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}}{(1 \ -2 \ 1) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{(1 \ 0 \ 0) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}}{(1 \ 1 \ 1) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v}_1}{\|\vec{v}_1\|^2} \vec{v}_1$$

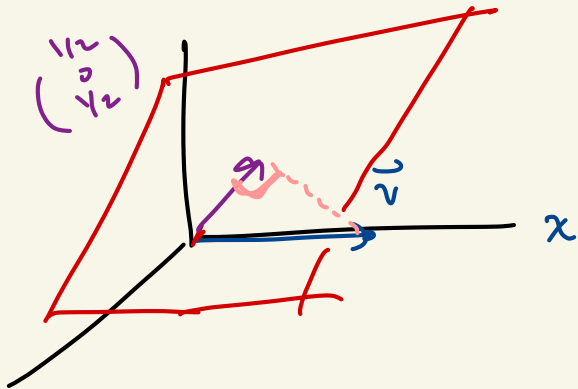
$$= \frac{1}{6} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{3} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \in W$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \in W = \text{span} \left( \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right)$$

Should have  $v - \text{proj}_w v \perp \text{proj}_w v$ .

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{4} + 0 - \frac{1}{4} = 0 \quad \checkmark$$



# G-S revisited

$w_1, \dots, w_n$  basis

→ orthogonal basis

$v_1, \dots, v_n$

the  $v$ 's are orthogonal to each other, but not  $w$ 's.

$$v_1 = w_1$$

$$v_2 = w_2 -$$

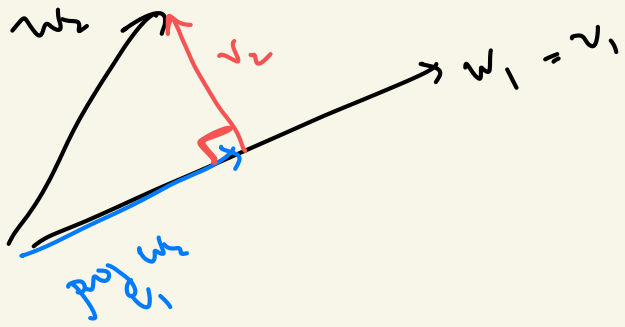
$$\frac{\langle w_2, v_1 \rangle}{\|v_1\|^2} v_1$$

→ proj  $w_2$   
span( $v_1$ )

$$v_2 = w_2 - \text{proj}_{v_1} w_2 \perp v_1$$

$v_1$  is an orthogonal basis for span( $v_1$ )

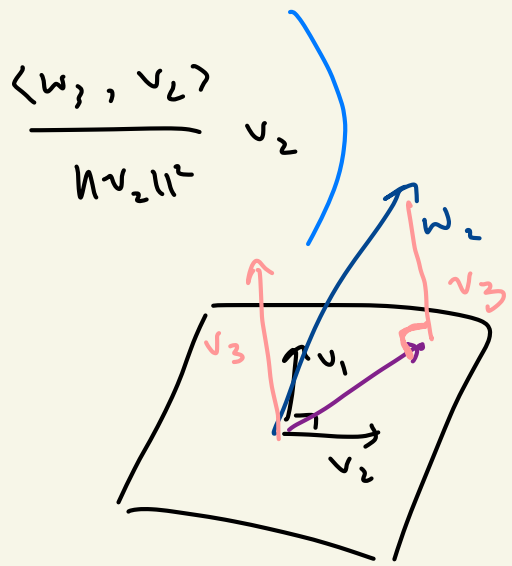
$v_2 \perp v_1$  2<sup>nd</sup> step is really projecting  $w_2$  onto  $w_1$  and taking orthogonal complement



$$v_1 \perp v_2$$

$$v_3 = w_3 - \left( \frac{\langle w_3, v_1 \rangle}{\|v_1\|^2} v_1 \right) +$$

$$= w_3 - \text{proj}_{\text{Span}(v_1, v_2)} w_3$$



$$\frac{\langle w_3, v_2 \rangle}{\|v_2\|^2} v_2$$

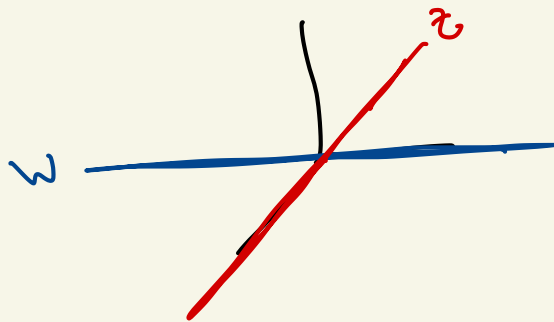
# Orthogonal subspaces / orthogonal complements

Def Let  $V$  be an inner product space.  $W, Z \subseteq V$  subspaces.

We say  $W$  is orthogonal to  $Z$  ( $W \perp Z$ )

if  $\forall \vec{w} \in W, \vec{z} \in Z, \langle \vec{w}, \vec{z} \rangle = 0$ .  
(for all)

Ex  $V = \mathbb{R}^3$   $W = \text{span}(e_1)$   $Z = \text{span}(e_2)$



$$W = (w_1, 0, 0), \quad Z = (0, z_2, 0)$$

$$w \cdot z = 0 !$$

$$\Rightarrow W \perp Z.$$

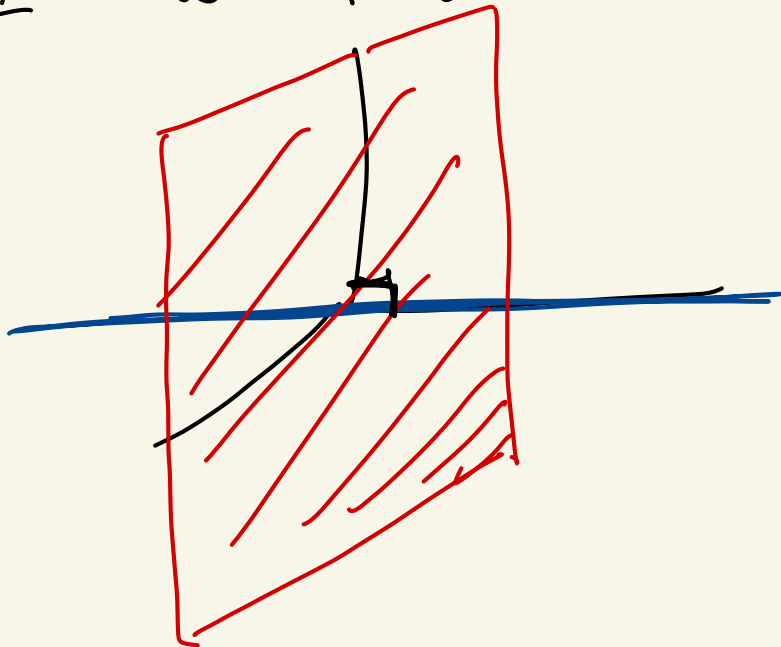
( $Z$  could be bigger)



Ex'

$$W = \text{span}(e_1)$$

$$Z = \text{span}(e_2, e_3)$$



$$W \perp Z$$

these are orthogonal  
subspaces.

$W$

$$(w_1, 0, 0) \perp (0, z_2, z_3).$$

Biggest  $Z$  could be!  
there are no other  
vectors  $\perp W$ .

Def Let  $W \subseteq V$  of an inner product space.

Define  $W^\perp$  (called "W-perp") to be

$$W^\perp = \{ v \in V \mid \langle v, w \rangle = 0 \quad \forall w \in W \}$$

= all vectors orthogonal to every vector in  $W$ .

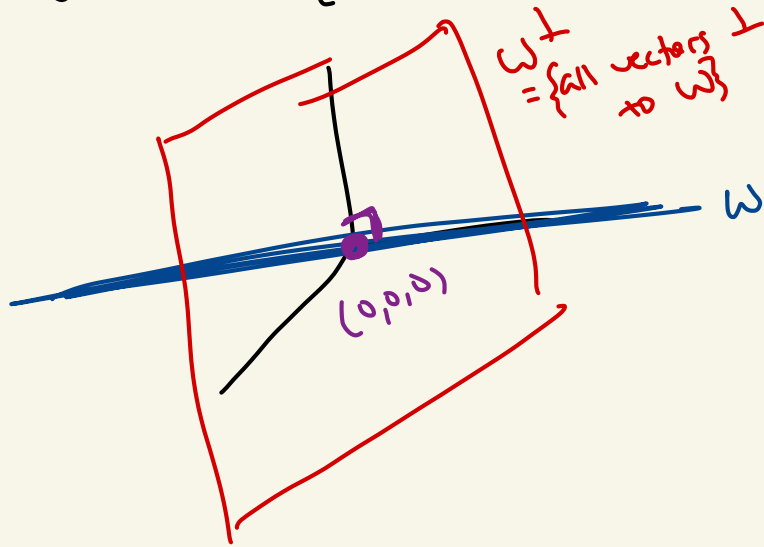
Ex If  $W = \text{span}(e_1) \subseteq \mathbb{R}^3$

$$\text{then } W^\perp = \{ (x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid (x, y, z) \cdot \vec{w} = 0 \quad \forall w \in W \}$$

$$= \{ (x, y, z) \mid (x, y, z) \cdot (w_1, 0, 0) = 0 \}$$

$$= \{ (x, y, z) \mid xw_1 = 0 \quad \forall w_1 \in \mathbb{R} \} = \{ (x, y, z) \mid x = 0 \}$$

$$W^\perp = \{ (x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x = 0 \} = \{ (0, y, z) \} \\ = \text{span}(e_2, e_3)$$



Prop  $W^\perp$  is a subspace!

Pf ① Claim:  $\vec{0} \in W^\perp$ .

Indeed  $\langle 0, u \rangle = 0$  all the time!  
 $\Rightarrow 0 \in W^\perp$ . ✓

②

let  $\vec{z}_1, \vec{z}_2 \in W^\perp$ .  $z_1 \in W^\perp \Rightarrow \langle z_1, w \rangle = 0$  same for  $z_2$ .

$\vec{z}_1 + \vec{z}_2 \in W^\perp$ ?

by assumption

let  $w \in W$ ,

$$\langle w, \vec{z}_1 + \vec{z}_2 \rangle = \langle w, \vec{z}_1 \rangle + \langle w, \vec{z}_2 \rangle$$

$$= 0 + 0 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{z}_1 + \vec{z}_2 \perp w \Rightarrow \vec{z}_1 + \vec{z}_2 \in W^\perp$$



③

let  $c \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $\vec{z}_1 \in W^\perp$ . why is  $c\vec{z}_1 \in W^\perp$ ?

$$\langle c\vec{z}_1, w \rangle = c \langle \vec{z}_1, w \rangle = c \cdot 0 = 0 \quad \forall w \in W.$$

$$c\vec{z}_1 \in W^\perp$$

□

Prop  $W \cap W^\perp = \{\vec{0}\}$  for all subspaces  $W \in V$ .

Pf Suppose  $\vec{v} \in W \cap W^\perp$ , so  $v \in W$  and  $\vec{v} \in W^\perp$ .

But if  $\vec{v} \in W^\perp$   $\Rightarrow \langle v, w \rangle = 0 \quad \forall w \in W$ .

In particular  $\vec{v} \in W$   $\Rightarrow \langle v, v \rangle = 0$

$\Rightarrow \|v\|^2 = 0 \quad \xRightarrow{\text{positivity}} \vec{v} = 0.$

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

□

Thm Let  $W \subseteq V$  and further assume that  $\dim W < \infty$ .

Then  $\forall v \in V$  can be decomposed

$$v = \underbrace{w}_{\text{proj}_W v} + \underbrace{z}_{\text{proj}_{W^\perp} v} \rightsquigarrow v - \text{proj}_W v$$

where  $w \in W$  and  $z \in W^\perp$ .  
this decomposition is unique.

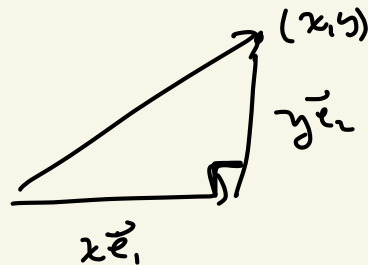
Furthermore

$$\langle z, w \rangle = 0$$

Pf Well  $\dim W = k \Rightarrow w_1, \dots, w_k$  basis.

$\xrightarrow{G-S}$   $v_1, \dots, v_k$  orthogonal basis of  $W$ .

Let  $\underbrace{\vec{w}}_W = \text{proj}_W \vec{v} = a_1 v_1 + \dots + a_k v_k$ .



$$a = \frac{\langle w, v_i \rangle}{\|v_i\|^2}$$

$$\text{Let } \vec{z} = v - \text{proj}_W v.$$

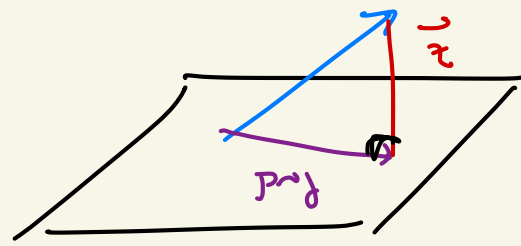
We claim that this is the

decomposition.

First,  $W \nmid \vec{z} = \cancel{\text{proj}_W v} + (v - \cancel{\text{proj}_W v}) = v$  ✓

Second,  $\vec{w} \in W$  because  $\text{proj}_W v \in W$ .

$\vec{z} \in W^\perp$  since  $v - \text{proj}_W v \perp \text{proj}_W v$



$\vec{z}$  actually  $\perp \vec{w} \forall \vec{w} \in W$ .

--- IDK.

$$Q = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & & 0 \\ & \ddots & \\ 0 & & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix} \quad Q^T = Q^{-1}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix}^T = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix}^{-1}$$

simplify it to solve for  $a_{ii}$ .