

Recall

Let $(V, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$ be a Hilbert space / F .

Let $W \subset V$ be a closed subspace

Theorem: $\text{Proj}_W(x)$ exists $\forall x \in V$.

$$\Leftrightarrow V = W \oplus W^\perp$$

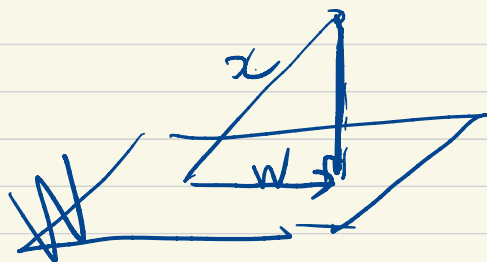
proof: ① $W \cap W^\perp = \{0\}$ ($W^\perp = \{x \in V \mid \langle x, W \rangle = 0\}$)

$$x \in W \cap W^\perp \Rightarrow \|x\|^2 = \langle x, x \rangle = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad V = W + W^\perp \Leftrightarrow \forall x \in V$$

there exists $w \in W$

such that $x - w \in W^\perp$



$$\Leftrightarrow \langle x - w, W \rangle = 0$$

① If such w exists,

$\|x - w\|$ should be "minimum"

in $\{\|x - y\|, y \in W\}$.

proof ② $d = \inf_{z \in W} \|z - x\|$

$$\forall n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$\exists z_n \in W$ such that

$$d \leq \|z_n - x\| < d + \frac{1}{n}$$

Claim $\{z_n\}$ is a Cauchy sequence

proof $\forall n, m$

$$2(\|z_n - x\|^2 + \|z_m - x\|^2) = \|z_n + z_m - 2x\|^2 + \|z_n - z_m\|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \|z_n - z_m\|^2 = 2 \left[\|z_n - x\|^2 + \|z_m - x\|^2 \right] - 4 \left\| \frac{z_n + z_m}{2} - x \right\|^2$$

$$< 2 \left[\left(d + \frac{1}{n}\right)^2 + \left(d + \frac{1}{m}\right)^2 - 2 \left\| \frac{z_n + z_m}{2} - x \right\|^2 \right]$$

$$< 2 \left[\left(d + \frac{1}{n}\right)^2 + \left(d + \frac{1}{m}\right)^2 - 2d^2 \right] \quad \left(\left\| \frac{z_n + z_m}{2} - x \right\| \geq d \right)$$

$$= 2 \left[\frac{2d}{n} + \frac{2d}{m} + \frac{1}{n^2} + \frac{1}{m^2} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \|z_n - z_m\| \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n, m \rightarrow \infty \quad \square$$

V is Hilbert $\Rightarrow z := \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} z_n$ exists

W is closed $\Rightarrow z$ as a limit of vectors in W belongs to W .

$$(z \in W) \quad \Downarrow \\ \|x - z\| = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x - z_n\| = d$$

Claim $x - z \in W^\perp$

Suppose $x - z \notin W^\perp$. Then there exists $y \in W$.

$$\langle x - z, y \rangle = 1$$

Consider $x - z + ty$, $t \in \mathbb{R}$.

$$= x - \underbrace{(z - ty)}_{\in W}$$

$$\cdot \|x - z + ty\| \geq \|x - z\| = d \quad \forall t \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$\|x - z + ty\|^2 \geq \|x - z\|^2$$

\Downarrow

$$t \cdot \langle x - z, y \rangle + t \cdot \langle y, x - z \rangle + t^2 \|y\|^2 \geq 0$$

$$\underbrace{t^2 \|y\|^2 + 2t}_{\geq 0} \geq 0 \quad \forall t \in \mathbb{R} \quad \rightarrow \times$$

(For example, $t = -\frac{1}{\|y\|^2}$, $t^2 \|y\|^2 + 2t = -\frac{1}{\|y\|^2} < 0$)

This is a contradiction. So $x - z \in W^\perp$. \square

Remark: We have seen there is an injective map:

$$\overline{V} \hookrightarrow V^V$$

$$v \mapsto \iota_v: x \mapsto \langle x, v \rangle$$

If $\dim_F V < \infty$, then $\overline{V} \cong V^V$.
($\dim V = \dim V^V$)

Let $(V, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$ be a Hilbert space.

$$\begin{aligned} V_{\text{cont}}^V &:= \{ \lambda \in V^V \mid \lambda: V \rightarrow F \text{ is continuous} \} \\ &:= \{ \lambda \in V^V \mid \exists M > 0 \text{ s.t. } \forall x \in V, \|x\|=1, |\lambda(x)| \leq M \} \\ &= \{ \lambda \in V^V \mid \exists C > 0 \text{ s.t. } \forall x \in V, \|x\|=1, |\lambda(x)| \leq C \} \end{aligned}$$

V_{cont}^V : continuous linear functionals.

(Riesz representation theorem) $\subset V^V$
Theorem $\overline{V} \xrightarrow{\cong} V_{\text{cont}}^V \subset V^V$ $((V, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle) : \text{Hilbert space})$

$\Leftrightarrow \forall l \in V_{\text{cont}}^V$, there exists $y \in V$

such that $l(x) = \langle x, y \rangle \forall x \in V$.

proof Let $l \in V_{\text{cont}}^V$

Consider $N := \{x \in V \mid l(x) = 0\}$

$= \text{Ker } l \quad (l: V \rightarrow F)$

l is continuous $\Rightarrow N := \text{Ker } l$ is closed

$f: X \rightarrow Y$ continuous $\Rightarrow N$ is a closed subspace

$Z \subset Y$ is closed

$\Rightarrow f^{-1}(Z)$ is closed $\Rightarrow V = N \oplus N^\perp$

$l \neq 0 \Rightarrow N^\perp \neq \{0\} \ni v \neq 0 \in N^\perp$

$l(v) \neq 0 \quad (l(w) = 0 \Rightarrow w \in N \Rightarrow w \in N \cap N^\perp = \{0\})$

$$\forall x \in V \quad l(x) = \alpha \cdot l(v) \quad \text{for } \alpha \in F$$

$$\left(\alpha = \frac{l(x)}{l(v)} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow l(x - \alpha v) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x - \alpha v \in N \quad (N = \text{Ker } l)$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle x - \alpha v, v \rangle = 0 \quad (v \in N^\perp)$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha \cdot \langle v, v \rangle = \langle x, v \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow l(x) = \frac{l(v)}{\|v\|^2} \cdot \langle x, v \rangle$$

† To see N is closed,

we need to show if

$x = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n$, $x_n \in N$, then $x \in N$

l is cont. $\Leftrightarrow \exists C > 0 \quad \Leftrightarrow l(x) = 0$
 $|l(y)| \leq C \forall \|y\| = 1$

$$\left\langle x, \frac{l(v)}{\|v\|^2} v \right\rangle$$

$$l(x) = 0 \quad \uparrow \quad |l(x)| = 0$$

$$y = \frac{|l(x)|}{\| \cdot \|} \quad \square \quad \uparrow \quad +n$$

$$\Rightarrow |l(y)| \leq C \cdot \|y\|, \forall y \in V \quad \Leftrightarrow |l(x - x_n)| \leq C \cdot \|x - x_n\|$$

Rmk

Riesz rep'n Thm. characterizes the

image of ∇ inside V^V under $v \mapsto l_v$

2 Adjoint of linear transformation.

$(V, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_V)$, $(W, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle_W)$ inner product space.

$T: V \rightarrow W$ linear transformation.

Def. A linear transformation $T^*: W \rightarrow V$

is called adjoint of T if

$$\langle T(w), v \rangle_V = \langle w, T^*(v) \rangle_W$$

$$\forall v \in V, w \in W.$$

Example: V, W : finite dim'l.

$$\dim V = n$$

$$\dim W = m.$$

Let $A = \{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$ be an orthonormal basis of V

$B = \{w_1, \dots, w_m\}$ of W

$$T(v_j) = \sum_{i=1}^m a_{ij} w_i, \quad [T]_{A,B} = (a_{ij})$$

If T^* exists, say $[T^*]_{\beta, \alpha} = (b_{ij})$,

$$\langle T^*(w), v \rangle = \langle w, T(v) \rangle$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \langle T^*(w_i), v_j \rangle = \langle w_i, T(v_j) \rangle \quad \forall i, j$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \langle \sum_{k=1}^n b_{ki} v_k, v_j \rangle = \langle w_i, \sum_{l=1}^m a_{lj} w_l \rangle$$

$$\Leftrightarrow b_{ji} = \overline{a_{ij}}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow [T^*]_{\beta, \alpha} = [T]_{\alpha, \beta}^*$$

T^* : exists if V, W are finite dim'l.

In what follows, we assume V and W are

finite dim'l.

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⚠ The definition of T^* depends on the choices of inner products on V & W .

By definition, $T: V \rightarrow W$

- $T^{**} = T$
- $(\text{Im} T)^\perp = \ker T^*$ $\left(\begin{array}{l} \Leftrightarrow \langle w, T(v) \rangle = 0 \quad \forall v \\ \Leftrightarrow \langle T^*(w), v \rangle = 0 \quad \forall v \\ \Leftrightarrow T^*(w) = 0 \end{array} \right)$
- $(\ker T)^\perp = \text{Im} T^*$

Def. ① $T: V \rightarrow W$ is an isometry if $T^*T = \text{Id}_V$

$$\Leftrightarrow \|T(v)\| = \|v\| \quad \forall v \in V$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \langle T(x), T(y) \rangle_W = \langle x, y \rangle_V \quad \forall x, y \in V$$

② $T: V \rightarrow V$ is unitary if T is an isometry from V to itself.

③ $T: V \rightarrow V$ is self-adjoint if $T = T^*$

④ $T: V \rightarrow V$ is normal if

$$TT^* = T^*T$$

Lemma $T: V \rightarrow V$ is normal $\Leftrightarrow \|T(x)\| = \|T^*(x)\|$
 $\forall x \in V$

proof if $TT^* = T^*T$, then

$$\langle T(x), T(x) \rangle \stackrel{!}{=} \langle \underline{T^*T}(x), x \rangle$$

$$= \langle \underline{TT^*}(x), x \rangle$$

$$= \langle T^*(x), T^*(x) \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow \|T(x)\|^2 = \|T^*(x)\|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \|T(x)\| = \|T^*(x)\|$$

Conversely, if $\|T(x)\| = \|T^*(x)\| \forall x \in V$,

then $\forall x, y \in V$, $\|T(x+y)\|^2 = \|T^*(x+y)\|^2$

$$\langle T(x+y), T(x+y) \rangle = \langle T^*(x+y), T^*(x+y) \rangle$$

$$\langle T(x), T(x) \rangle = \langle T^*(x), T^*(x) \rangle$$

$$\langle T(y), T(y) \rangle = \langle T^*(y), T^*(y) \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle T(x), T(y) \rangle + \overline{\langle T(x), T(y) \rangle} = \langle T^*(x), T^*(y) \rangle + \overline{\langle T^*(x), T^*(y) \rangle}$$

$$\cdot F = \mathbb{R},$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle T(x), T(y) \rangle = \langle T^*(x), T^*(y) \rangle \quad \forall x, y \in V$$

$$\langle T^*T(x), y \rangle$$

$$\langle TT^*(x), y \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow T^*T = TT^*$$

$$\cdot F = \mathbb{C}, \quad \langle T(i \cdot x), T(y) \rangle + \overline{\langle T(i \cdot x), T(y) \rangle}$$

$$= \langle T^*(i \cdot x), T^*(y) \rangle + \overline{\langle T^*(i \cdot x), T^*(y) \rangle}$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle T(x), T(y) \rangle - \overline{\langle T(x), T(y) \rangle}$$

$$= \langle T^*(x), T^*(y) \rangle - \overline{\langle T^*(x), T^*(y) \rangle}$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle T(x), T(y) \rangle = \langle T^*(x), T^*(y) \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle T^*T(x), y \rangle = \langle TT^*(x), y \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow T^*T = TT^* \quad \square$$

Rmk $T: V \rightarrow V$
(unitary) \subset (normal)
(self-adjoint) \subset

Theorem (Spectral Theorem for normal operators)

If $T: V \rightarrow V$ is normal linear transformation,
then T is diagonalizable,

(In terms of matrices, given $A \in M_n(\mathbb{C})$,
 $AA^* = A^*A$, there exists invertible

$$P \in M_n(\mathbb{C}) \text{ s.t. } P A P^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \ddots & & & 0 \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & \ddots \end{pmatrix}$$

we may choose P to be unitary. $P P^* = I_n$