

Euclidean balls and ellipsoids

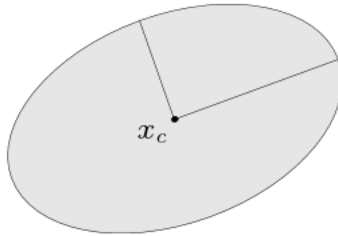
(Euclidean) ball with center x_c and radius r :

$$B(x_c, r) = \{x \mid \|x - x_c\|_2 \leq r\} = \{x_c + ru \mid \|u\|_2 \leq 1\}$$

ellipsoid: set of the form

$$\{x \mid (x - x_c)^T P^{-1} (x - x_c) \leq 1\}$$

with $P \in \mathbf{S}_{++}^n$ (i.e., P symmetric positive definite)



other representation: $\{x_c + Au \mid \|u\|_2 \leq 1\}$ with A square and nonsingular

Norm balls and norm cones

norm: a function $\|\cdot\|$ that satisfies

- $\|x\| \geq 0$; $\|x\| = 0$ if and only if $x = 0$
- $\|tx\| = |t| \|x\|$ for $t \in \mathbf{R}$
- $\|x + y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|$

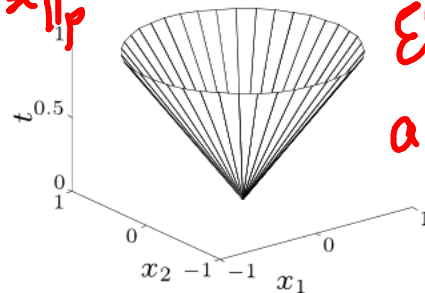
notation: $\|\cdot\|$ is general (unspecified) norm; $\|\cdot\|_{\text{symb}}$ is particular norm

norm ball with center x_c and radius r : $\{x \mid \|x - x_c\| \leq r\}$

Euclidean ball $\rightarrow \|\cdot\|_2$ Ellipsoid $\Rightarrow \|x\|_P^2 = x^T P x$ Prove that Ellipsoid is a norm ball

norm cone: $\{(x, t) \mid \|x\| \leq t\}$

Euclidean norm cone is called second-order cone



norm balls and cones are convex

\therefore ① $x^T P x \geq 0$ since P is positive definite
 & $x^T P x = 0$ iff $x = 0$ (By definition)

$$\textcircled{2} \| \alpha x \|_P = \sqrt{(\alpha x)^T P (\alpha x)} = \sqrt{\alpha^2 x^T P x} \\ = |\alpha| \| x \|_P$$

$$\textcircled{3} \| x + y \|_P^2 = (x + y)^T P (x + y) = (x + y)^T R R^T (x + y)$$

$$= x^T \underbrace{R R^T}_u x + y^T \underbrace{R R^T}_v y + x^T R R^T y \\ + y^T R R^T x$$

$$= u^T u + v^T v + u^T v + v^T u$$

$$= \| u \|_2^2 + \| v \|_2^2 + 2u^T v$$

$$(\| x \|_P + \| y \|_P)^2 = \underbrace{\| x \|_P^2}_u + \underbrace{\| y \|_P^2}_v + 2 \| x \|_P \| y \|_P$$

$$= \| u \|_2^2 + \| v \|_2^2 + 2 \sqrt{\| u \|_2^2 \| v \|_2^2}$$

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Next, Use the Cauchy Schwarz inequality:
 $2u^T v \leq \| u \|_2 \| v \|_2 \Rightarrow \| x + y \|_P \leq \| x \|_P + \| y \|_P$

Prove that under specific assumptions on P , $\sqrt{x^T P x}$ is a valid norm. Assume $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ &

$P \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$
Proof: Suppose P is symmetric positive definite:
 i.e. $P^T = P$ & $\forall x \neq 0, x^T P x > 0$

The condition $\forall x \neq 0, \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij} x_i x_j > 0$ involves a quadratic expression. The expression is guaranteed to be greater than 0 $\forall x \neq 0$ iff it can

be expressed as $\sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i \left(\sum_{j=1}^{i-1} \beta_{ij} x_{ij} + x_{ii} \right)$, where $\lambda_i \geq 0$. This is possible

iff A can be expressed as LDL^T , where, L is a lower triangular matrix with 1 in each diagonal entry and D is a diagonal matrix of all positive diagonal entries. Or equivalently, it should be possible to factorize A as RR^T , where $R = LD^{1/2}$ is a lower triangular matrix. Note that any symmetric matrix A can be expressed as LDL^T , where L is a lower triangular matrix with 1 in each diagonal entry and D is a diagonal matrix; positive definiteness has only an additional requirement that the diagonal entries of D be positive. This gives another equivalent condition for positive definiteness: *Matrix A is p.d. if and only if, A can be uniquely factored as $A = RR^T$, where R is a lower triangular matrix with positive diagonal entries. This factorization of a p.d. matrix is referred to as Cholesky factorization.*

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$$\Rightarrow x^T P x = x^T \underbrace{R R^T}_{\text{Assume } P = R R^T} x = \underbrace{(R^T x)^T}_{\text{Let } R^T x = y} (R^T x) = y^T y = \|y\|_2^2$$

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① $\|x\|_P^2 = x^T P x \geq 0$ with equality iff $x=0$ (obvious)

② $\|\alpha x\|_P = \sqrt{\alpha^2 x^T P x} = |\alpha| \sqrt{x^T P x} = |\alpha| \|x\|_P$

③ $\|x+y\|_P^2 = (x+y)^T P (x+y) = x^T P x + y^T P y + 2x^T P y$
 (since $P=P^T \Rightarrow x^T P y = y^T P x = (x^T P y)^T$)

$$= \|x\|_P^2 + \|y\|_P^2 + 2x^T P y$$

(need to prove) $\leq \|x\|_P^2 + \|y\|_P^2 + 2\|x\|_P \|y\|_P$

Using positive definiteness of P , can you prove that

$$x^T P y \leq \sqrt{x^T P x} \sqrt{y^T P y} ?$$

$L_p(S)$ = set of sequences with scalar field S
that have finite p -norm

$$\|x\|_p = \left(\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} x_i^p \right)^{1/p}$$

$L_p(S)$ = set of measurable functions

$f: X \rightarrow S$ with finite p -norm

$$\|f\|_p = \left(\int_{x \in X} f(x)^p dx \right)^{1/p}$$

A linear map/linear operator T between
two vector spaces X & Y is $T: X \rightarrow Y$ s.t

$$T(\lambda x + \mu x') = \lambda T x + \mu T x'$$

$$\forall \lambda, \mu \in S$$

$$\forall x, x' \in X$$

If T is 1-1 & onto then T is
called invertible. T^{-1} is defined s.t

$$T^{-1}: Y \rightarrow X \quad \text{s.t.} \quad T^{-1}y = x \quad \text{iff} \quad Tx = y$$

(a) if X & Y are normed spaces

$$\|T\| = \sup_{\substack{x \neq 0 \\ x \in X}} \frac{\|Tx\|}{\|x\|} \quad \text{is called operator norm}$$

T is called bounded if:

$$\exists N \text{ s.t. } \|T\| \leq N \iff \exists M \text{ s.t. } \|Tx\| \leq M\|x\|$$

T is bounded iff it is continuous $\forall x \in X$

Proof: Recall that T is called continuous if given any $\epsilon > 0$,
 \exists a $\delta > 0$ s.t. whenever

$$\|x - x'\| \leq \delta \quad \|Tx - Tx'\| \leq \epsilon \quad x, x' \in X$$

(a) Suppose $T: X \rightarrow Y$ is bounded. Then

$\forall x, x' \in X$ we have

$$\|Tx - Tx'\| = \|T(x - x')\| \leq M\|x - x'\|$$

where M is s.t. $\|Tx\| \leq M\|x\| \forall x \in X$
 Taking $\delta = \epsilon/M$, we get that T is ct
 (b) Suppose $T: X \rightarrow Y$ is continuous at all
 $x \in X$ including $0 \in X$. T being linear, we
 must have $T(0) = 0$. Let $\epsilon = 1$, then \exists
 $\delta > 0$ s.t. $\|Tx\| \leq 1$ whenever $\|x\| \leq \delta$.
 For any $x \in X$ s.t. $x \neq 0$, let $\tilde{x} = \delta \frac{x}{\|x\|}$
 Now $\|\tilde{x}\| \leq \delta \Rightarrow \|T\tilde{x}\| \leq 1$. From linearity
 of T : $\|Tx\| = \frac{\|x\|}{\delta} \|T\tilde{x}\| \leq M\|x\|$
 where $M = \frac{1}{\delta}$. Thus, T is bounded

(b) If $X = \{f: D \rightarrow V\}$ is a space of
 functions from domain D to vector
 space V & $T: X \rightarrow X$ then f is
 called an eigenfunction of T & λ
 corresponding eigenvalue if

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© If $T: X \rightarrow Y$ & T is 1-1 & onto then X and Y are said to be

LINEARLY ISOMORPHIC

If X & Y are Hilbert spaces then they are isomorphic if \exists an orthogonal (unitary) linear map $U: X \rightarrow Y$.

That is U should satisfy

$$\langle x, x' \rangle_X = \langle Ux, Ux' \rangle_Y \quad \forall x, x' \in X$$

④ If $T: X \rightarrow Y$

kernel of $T = \ker(T) = \{x \in X \mid Tx = 0\}$

range of $T = \text{ran}(T) = \{y \in Y \mid \exists x \in X \text{ s.t. } Tx = y\}$

Both kernel and range are vector spaces

If X & Y are normed & T is bounded then $\ker(T)$ is closed

(e) If X is normed v.s & Y is Banach then $T: X \rightarrow Y$ is Banach w.r.t the operator norm

(f) $T: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is called a linear functional

Then dual of X is set of all its linear functionals

$$\text{Algebraic dual} = \{T \mid T: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}\} = X^\#$$

If X is finite dimensional, its dual $X^\#$

is linearly isomorphic to X

ie if $\{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$ is basis for X

then $\{g_i: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}\}$ s.t

$$g_i\left(\sum_{j=1}^n x_j e_j\right) = x_i$$

form the basis for $X^\#$ so that

$$\text{for any } g \in X^\# \text{ s.t } g\left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i e_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^n g(e_i) x_i$$

$\{g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n\}$ is called the dual basis

$$\textcircled{9} \text{ Topological dual} = \{T \mid T: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}\} = X^*$$

In finite dimensional
case: $X^* = X^\#$
& X^* is isomorphic to X

T is a continuous
linear functional

You get specific duals for subsets
of vector spaces (such as convex
sets, cones and affine sets)

by putting restrictions on T .

Eg: If $C \subseteq X$ s.t. X is a vector space

$\textcircled{a} C^\# =$ algebraic dual cone

$$= \{T \in X^\# \mid T(x) \geq 0 \quad \forall x \in C\}$$

\textcircled{b} Further if X is a topological
vector space & $C \subseteq X$

then

C^* = topological dual cone

$$= \{ T \in X^* \mid T(x) \geq 0 \quad \forall x \in C \}$$

Claims:

① C^* is always a convex cone

(irrespective of whether C is convex cone or neither)

if $T_1 \in C^*$ & $T_2 \in C^*$ & $\theta_1, \theta_2 \geq 0$

$$\theta_1 T_1(x) + \theta_2 T_2(x) \in X^*$$

$$\theta_1 T_1(x) + \theta_2 T_2(x) \geq 0$$

$\Rightarrow C^*$ is a convex cone

(Similarly $C^\#$ is also always a convex cone)

② If X is finite dimensional,

$$C^\# = C^*$$

$$\text{Since } X^\# = X^*$$

③ If X is a Hilbert space,

C^* is closed ... More properties follow when X is a Hilbert space

h) Riesz representation theorem:

If $T: X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and X is Hilbert
and T is bounded, then

\exists a unique vector $y \in X$ s.t

$$T(x) = \langle y, x \rangle \quad \forall x \in X$$

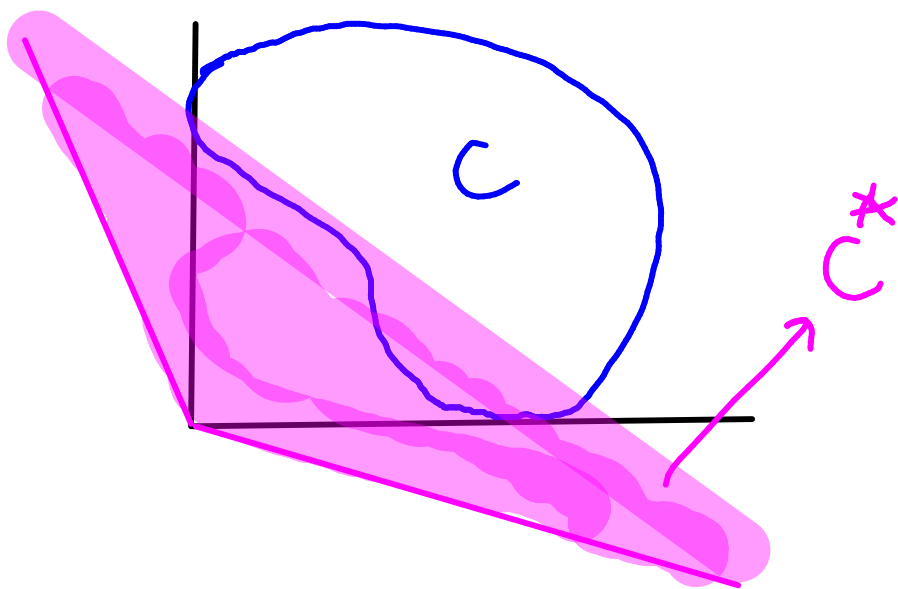
In fact $X^* = \{ T_y(x) = \langle y, x \rangle \mid x \in X \}$
is the dual of X

↓
Defines a linear
functional in terms
of an inner product

Further, X & X^* are isomorphic.

(i) Thus, if X is a Hilbert space over \mathbb{R} as scalars and inner product $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$, dual cone C^* of a set $C \subseteq X$ is

$$C^* = \{y \in X : \langle y, x \rangle \geq 0 \ \forall x \in C\}$$



Specialities of finite dimensional spaces

(i) Every finite dimensional normed vector space is a Banach space

(ii) Every linear operator on a finite dimensional vector space is bounded

Examples of T

(a) $A: C^m \rightarrow C^n$ defined by

$$Ax = b \text{ for } x \in C^m \text{ \& } b \in C^n$$

$$\& A \in C^{n \times m}$$

$\|A\|$ was discussed in the case of matrices and its form depends on the norm employed in C^m

- If $A^* = A^{-1}$ then A is called orthogonal
- C^m is isomorphic to C^n if $m=n$

(b) $I: X \rightarrow X$ is the identity operator and is bounded for any normed space X

(c) Let $D: C^\infty([0,1]) \rightarrow C^\infty([0,1])$

be the differentiation linear operator on normed space of functions with

operator norm? Assume p-norm

continuous derivatives of all orders
 $C^\infty([0,1])$ is normed but NOT banach

$$Du = u' \quad \forall u \in C^\infty([0,1])$$

(d) $T: X \rightarrow X$ where $X = \{f: C^\infty \rightarrow C^\infty\}$

$$\text{and } T = \frac{d^2}{dx^2} - \frac{d}{dx}$$

$f_k(x) = e^{kx}$ is an eigenfunction
and $k^2 - k$ the corresponding eigenvalue

(e) $T: X \rightarrow X$ where $X = \{f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}\}$

$$\text{and } T = \frac{d}{dx}$$

$f_\lambda(x) = e^{\lambda x}$ is an eigenfunction
and λ the corresponding eigenvalue

(f) $T: C([0,1]) \rightarrow C([0,1])$, C being space
of cts fns in $[0,1]$ (with $\|\cdot\|_\infty$)
 T is called the Volterra integral operator

if

$$Tf(x) = \int_0^x f(y) dy \quad \left. \vphantom{\int_0^x f(y) dy} \right\} \|T\| \text{ with } \|\cdot\|_{\infty} \text{ on } C([0,1])$$

Also, T is bounded

$$\textcircled{9} \quad T_R: l^{\infty}(S) \rightarrow l^{\infty}(S) \quad \& \quad T_L: l^{\infty}(S) \rightarrow l^{\infty}(S)$$

$$\text{st } T_R(x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots) = \underbrace{(0, x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots)}_{\text{Right shift operator}}$$

$$\text{OR } T_L(x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots) = \underbrace{(x_2, x_3, \dots)}_{\text{Left shift operator}}$$

$$\|T_R\| = \|T_L\| = 1$$

$$\ker(T_R) = \{0\} \quad \text{range}(T_R) = \{(0, x_1, \dots) \in l^{\infty}(S)\}$$

$$\ker(T_L) = \{(x_1, 0, \dots)\} \quad \text{range}(T_L) = l^{\infty}(S)$$

h) $T_n: L^2(D) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ s.t. (D is $[a, b]$ for eg)

$$T_n(f) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{x \in D} f(x) e^{-inx} dx$$

maps function f to its n^{th} Fourier coefficient

Then T_n is bounded ($\|T_n\| = 1$)

Q: $\text{span}(T_1(f), T_2(f), \dots, T_n(f), \dots)$

i) $T_y: X \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ s.t. X & Y are Hilbert spaces and $y \in Y$
eg: $L^2(D)$

$T_y(x) = \langle y, x \rangle$ is bounded and

Assume X & Y are subsets of same inner prod space

$$\|T_y\| = \|y\|$$

By Cauchy Schwarz.

eg: inner prod space = (\mathbb{R}, \cdot)
 $X = [a, b]$ $Y = [c, d]$