

Week 10 (lecture 1)

What we'll cover

- A] Inner products (examples)
- B] Orthogonality

Recall the definition of inner product from Week 9.

We can define a norm starting from the inner prod.

Theorem: Each inner product space is a normed space

Proof we can define $\|v\| = \sqrt{\langle v, v \rangle}$ and (a1) - (a3)

are obvious. Let's check (a4). Let's define

$$\tilde{v} = \|v\|^2 w - \langle v, w \rangle v. \quad \text{We have} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{applying} \\ (b1) - (b3) \end{array}$$

$$\|\tilde{v}\|^2 = \langle \|v\|^2 w - \langle v, w \rangle v, \|v\|^2 w - \langle v, w \rangle v \rangle =$$

$$(\|v\|^2)^2 \|w\|^2 + \langle v, w \rangle^2 \|v\|^2 - 2\|v\|^2 \langle v, w \rangle$$

Property (a4) is trivially satisfied if $v=0$. So let w

consider $v \neq 0$, we get

Cauchy-Schwartz inequality

$$0 \leq \|v\|^2 (\|v\|^2 \|w\|^2 - \langle v, w \rangle^2) \Rightarrow |\langle v, w \rangle| \leq \|v\| \|w\|$$

$$\|v+w\|^2 = \langle v+w, v+w \rangle = \|v\|^2 + \|w\|^2 + 2\langle v, w \rangle \leq (\|v\| + \|w\|)^2 \Rightarrow (a4)$$

comment: while all inner product spaces are normed spaces the converse is not true. For instance there is no inner product in \mathbb{R}^2 that yields the norm of Ex 2] (Proof not given)

Ex 1] Euclidean product in \mathbb{R}^n

$$\underline{y}, \underline{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n \quad \langle \underline{x}, \underline{y} \rangle \equiv \underline{x} \cdot \underline{y} \equiv \underline{x}^T \underline{y} = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i$$

Coursework: check that it satisfies (b1)-(b5)

Ex 1] Euclidean product in \mathbb{R}^n

Let $\underline{x}, \underline{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$. The Euclidean inner product is

$$\underline{x} \cdot \underline{y} = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i y_i = x_1 y_1 + \dots + x_n y_n = (x_1, \dots, x_n) \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix}$$

The induced norm is $\|\underline{x}\| = \sqrt{x_1^2 + \dots + x_n^2}$.

Ex 2] Consider \mathcal{P}_n (the vector space of real polynomials of degree at most n) and $p_1(t), p_2(t) \in \mathcal{P}_n$. The

following operation is an inner product

$$\langle p_1(t), p_2(t) \rangle = \int_0^1 p_1(t) p_2(t) dt$$

Ex 3] Consider the vector space $\mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$. The

following operation is an inner product

$$\langle \underline{v}_1, \underline{v}_2 \rangle = \text{Tr}(\underline{v}_1^T \underline{v}_2) \quad \text{where}$$

$\underline{v}_1, \underline{v}_2 \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ and Tr is called "trace" and indicates the sum of the diagonal elements of a square matrix

$$\text{Tr} \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \dots & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix} = a_{11} + a_{22} + \dots + a_{nn}$$

Check the properties (b1)-(b5) listed at the end of week 9. Pay particular attention to (b4)-(b5).

For instance $\text{Tr}(\underline{v}_1^T \underline{v}_2)$ (without the transpose) does not satisfy these properties (as you can see in \mathbb{R}^2 by using $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$).

B] Definition: let V be a (real) vector space with an inner product \langle, \rangle . $\underline{v}_1, \underline{v}_2 \in V$ are orthogonal

iff $\langle \underline{v}_1, \underline{v}_2 \rangle = 0$

Def: Let H be a vector subspace of V . $\underline{w} \in V$ is orthogonal to H if $\langle \underline{v}, \underline{w} \rangle = 0 \quad \forall \underline{v} \in H$.

Def: The orthogonal complement of H (indicated by H^\perp) is the space of vectors $\underline{w} \in V$ such that $\langle \underline{w}, \underline{v} \rangle = 0 \quad \forall \underline{v} \in H$ (i.e. the space of vectors orthogonal to H).

Theorem: (i) H^\perp is a vector subspace of V
(ii) If $H = \text{span} \{ \underline{v}_1, \dots, \underline{v}_r \}$ then $\underline{w} \in H^\perp$ iff $\langle \underline{w}, \underline{v}_i \rangle = 0 \quad \forall i = 1, \dots, r$

Proof: coursework

Ex 1] Let $H = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \subset \mathbb{R}^3$. Find H^\perp

$\underline{x} \in H^\perp$ iff $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$. Thus we

have to solve the linear system

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 & 0 \end{array} \right) \xrightarrow{\text{REF}} \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \end{array} \right) \rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Thus $H^\perp = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$

Theorem: let $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ then

$$(i) \quad N(A) = \text{col}(A^T)^\perp$$

$$(ii) N(A^T) = \text{col}(A)^\perp$$

Proof. $\underline{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ belongs to $N(A)$ iff $A\underline{x} = \underline{0} \Rightarrow$

\underline{x} is orthogonal to every row of A .

The rows of A are the columns of A^T .

So \underline{x} is orthogonal to every column of A^T .

The column space of A^T ($\text{col}(A^T)$) is thus orthogonal to $\underline{x} \Rightarrow \underline{x} \in (\text{col}(A^T))^\perp$

(ii) Same as before with $A \leftrightarrow A^T$

$$\text{Ex 2] } A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \quad A^T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 \\ 3 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{col}(A^T) = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \right\}. \quad \text{Thus } N(A) = \text{col}(A^T)^\perp$$

is the vector subspace of $\underline{x} \in \mathbb{R}^3$ such that

$$\underline{x} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = 0 \quad (x_1 \ x_2 \ x_3) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 = 0$$

$$\text{Thus } N(A) = \text{col}(A^T)^\perp = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

Geometrically it is a plane in \mathbb{R}^3 orthogonal

to the line $\text{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$

What we'll cover (lectures 2-3)

A] Orthogonal and Orthonormal sets

B] Orthogonal matrices

C] Gram-Schmidt orthonormalisation

A] Definition: a set $S = \{ \underline{v}_1, \dots, \underline{v}_n \}$ is orthogonal if its vectors are pairwise orthogonal, i.e. $\langle \underline{v}_i, \underline{v}_j \rangle = 0$ whenever $i \neq j$

Ex 1] consider the following \underline{v}_i 's in \mathbb{R}^3

$$\underline{v}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}; \quad \underline{v}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \underline{v}_3 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -4 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{We have } \langle \underline{v}_1, \underline{v}_2 \rangle = \underline{v}_1 \cdot \underline{v}_2 = (3 \ 1 \ 1) \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\langle \underline{v}_1, \underline{v}_3 \rangle = \underline{v}_1 \cdot \underline{v}_3 = (3 \ 1 \ 1) \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -4 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\langle \underline{v}_2, \underline{v}_3 \rangle = \underline{v}_2 \cdot \underline{v}_3 = (-1 \ 2 \ 1) \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -4 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Theorem: $S = \{ \underline{v}_1, \dots, \underline{v}_r \}$ is an orthogonal set with $\underline{v}_i \neq \underline{0} \ \forall i$. Then S is linearly independent

Proof: we start from

$$\alpha_1 \underline{v}_1 + \alpha_2 \underline{v}_2 + \dots + \alpha_r \underline{v}_r = \underline{0} \quad \text{with } \alpha_j \in \mathbb{R}$$

and take the scalar product of this relation with \underline{v}_i

$$\langle \underline{v}_i, \sum_{j=1}^r \alpha_j \underline{v}_j \rangle = \langle \underline{0}, \sum_{j=1}^r \alpha_j \underline{v}_j \rangle = 0$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^r \alpha_j \langle \underline{v}_i, \underline{v}_j \rangle = \alpha_i \|\underline{v}_i\|^2$$

Since $\underline{v}_i \neq \underline{0}$, then $\|\underline{v}_i\|^2 > 0$ and $\alpha_i = 0 \quad \forall i$.

Definition: An orthogonal basis is a basis which is also an orthogonal set

Theorem: Let $B = \{\underline{v}_1, \dots, \underline{v}_n\}$ be an orthogonal basis for a real vector space. The coordinates of $\underline{v} \in V$ according to B are

$$[\underline{v}]_B = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 \\ \vdots \\ \alpha_n \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{with} \quad \alpha_i = \frac{\langle \underline{v}_i, \underline{v} \rangle}{\|\underline{v}_i\|^2} \quad i=1, \dots, n$$

This means $\underline{v} = \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j \underline{v}_j$. Again take the scalar product of this relation with \underline{v}_i

$$\langle \underline{v}_i, \underline{v} \rangle = \langle \underline{v}_i, \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j \underline{v}_j \rangle = \sum_{j=1}^n \alpha_j \langle \underline{v}_i, \underline{v}_j \rangle = \text{orth. set}$$

$$\alpha_i \langle \underline{v}_i, \underline{v}_i \rangle = \alpha_i \|\underline{v}_i\|^2 \Rightarrow \alpha_i = \frac{\langle \underline{v}_i, \underline{v} \rangle}{\|\underline{v}_i\|^2}$$

Ex 2] By using the basis of Ex 1] above we

can calculate $[\underline{v}]_B$ for $\underline{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 1 \\ -8 \end{pmatrix}$ by using

the theorem just proved. We have

$$\|\underline{v}_1\|^2 = 9 + 1 + 1 = 11 ; \|\underline{v}_2\|^2 = 1 + 4 + 1 = 6 \text{ and}$$

$$\|\underline{v}_3\|^2 = 1 + 16 + 49 = 66. \text{ Thus } [\underline{v}]_B = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 \\ \alpha_2 \\ \alpha_3 \end{pmatrix} \text{ with}$$

$$\alpha_1 = \frac{\underline{v}_1 \cdot \underline{v}}{\|\underline{v}_1\|^2} = \frac{1}{11} (6 \ 1 \ -8) \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{11}{11} = 1$$

$$\alpha_2 = \frac{\underline{v}_2 \cdot \underline{v}}{\|\underline{v}_2\|^2} = \frac{1}{6} (6 \ 1 \ -8) \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = -2$$

$$\alpha_3 = \frac{\underline{v}_3 \cdot \underline{v}}{\|\underline{v}_3\|^2} = \frac{1}{66} (6 \ 1 \ -8) \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -4 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} = -1$$

check it

by calculating

$$\sum_{i=1}^3 \alpha_i \underline{v}_i$$

Definition: An orthonormal set is an orthogonal set

consisting of unit vectors, i.e. $S = \{\underline{v}_1, \dots, \underline{v}_n\}$ with

$$\forall i, j \quad \langle \underline{v}_i, \underline{v}_j \rangle = \delta_{ij} \text{ ~ Kronecker delta}$$

Ex 3] Consider again \mathbb{R}^3 and the orthogonal basis B of the previous two examples. We can construct an orthonormal basis as follows

$$\underline{u}_1 = \frac{\underline{v}_1}{\|\underline{v}_1\|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{11}} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \underline{u}_2 = \frac{\underline{v}_2}{\|\underline{v}_2\|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underline{u}_3 = \frac{\underline{v}_3}{\|\underline{v}_3\|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{66}} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -4 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$$

Comment: Orthonormal basis are of course not unique.

Consider the standard basis in \mathbb{R}^3

$$\underline{x}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}; \quad \underline{x}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \underline{x}_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and}$$

check that it is orthonormal

B] Consider the change of basis from the standard basis $\underline{X} = \{ \underline{x}_1, \underline{x}_2, \underline{x}_3 \}$ in \mathbb{R}^3 to the basis $\underline{U} = \{ \underline{u}_1, \underline{u}_2, \underline{u}_3 \}$ above. We have

$$[\text{id}]_{\underline{X}}^{\underline{U}} = \begin{pmatrix} 3/\sqrt{11} & -1/\sqrt{6} & -1/\sqrt{66} \\ 1/\sqrt{11} & 2/\sqrt{6} & -4/\sqrt{66} \\ 1/\sqrt{11} & 1/\sqrt{6} & 7/\sqrt{66} \end{pmatrix} = Q$$

Check that $Q^T Q = Q Q^T = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$.

Definition: A matrix $Q \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ is orthogonal

iff $Q^T Q = I$

Theorem: Let $Q \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ be orthogonal

(i) Q is invertible with $Q^{-1} = Q^T$ (thus we also have $Q Q^T = I$)

(ii) If $\{\underline{v}_1, \dots, \underline{v}_n\}$ is an orthonormal set in \mathbb{R}^n

then $\{Q \underline{v}_1, \dots, Q \underline{v}_n\}$ is another orthonormal set in \mathbb{R}^n

Proof: Course work

Comment: You can consider an orthonormal set of

n vectors $\{\underline{v}_1, \dots, \underline{v}_n\}$ in \mathbb{R}^m . Then $m \geq n$

(Proof: homework). If $m > n$, then the matrix

A whose columns are the \underline{v}_i 's is a rectangular matrix satisfying $A^T A = I$ ($n \times n$ identity matrix).

Sketch of the proof: Let $(v_i)_j$ be the j^{th} component of $v_i \in \mathbb{R}^m$. We have

$$A^T = \begin{pmatrix} (v_1)_1 & \dots & (v_1)_m \\ (v_2)_1 & \dots & (v_2)_m \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ (v_n)_1 & \dots & (v_n)_m \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Thus } (A^T A)_{ij} = \langle v_i, v_j \rangle = \delta_{ij}$$

From what we saw so far about orthogonal matrices we have

Corollary: Let $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$ be a matrix with orthonormal columns. Then for any $\underline{x}, \underline{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ we have

$$(A \underline{x}) \cdot (A \underline{y}) = \underline{x} \cdot \underline{y}$$

This implies $\|A \underline{x}\| = \|\underline{x}\|$ and $(A \underline{x}) \cdot (A \underline{y}) = 0$

iff $\underline{x} \cdot \underline{y} = 0$. Proof: homework.

c] Gram-Schmidt process

Consider a vector space V and a basis $\{v_1, \dots, v_n\}$ for V . We can construct an orthogonal basis $\{w_1, \dots, w_n\}$ and an orthonormal one $\{u_1, \dots, u_n\}$ as follows

- $\underline{w}_1 = \underline{v}_1$ and $\underline{u}_1 = \frac{\underline{w}_1}{\|\underline{w}_1\|}$ ($\|\underline{w}_1\| \neq 0$)

since $\underline{w}_1 \neq 0$)

- $\underline{w}_2 = \underline{v}_2 - \frac{\langle \underline{w}_1, \underline{v}_2 \rangle}{\langle \underline{w}_1, \underline{w}_1 \rangle} \underline{w}_1 = \underline{v}_2 - \langle \underline{u}_1, \underline{v}_2 \rangle \underline{u}_1$; $\underline{u}_2 = \frac{\underline{w}_2}{\|\underline{w}_2\|}$

⋮

- $\underline{w}_n = \underline{v}_n - \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \frac{\langle \underline{w}_i, \underline{v}_n \rangle}{\langle \underline{w}_i, \underline{w}_i \rangle} \underline{w}_i = \underline{v}_n - \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \langle \underline{u}_i, \underline{v}_n \rangle \underline{u}_i$; $\underline{u}_n = \frac{\underline{w}_n}{\|\underline{w}_n\|}$

Proof: let us calculate

$$\langle \underline{w}_1, \underline{w}_2 \rangle = \langle \underline{v}_1, \underline{v}_2 - \frac{\langle \underline{v}_1, \underline{v}_2 \rangle}{\|\underline{w}_1\|^2} \underline{v}_1 \rangle = \langle \underline{v}_1, \underline{v}_2 \rangle - \langle \underline{v}_1, \underline{v}_2 \rangle = 0$$

Complete the proof by induction: assume that $\{\underline{w}_1, \dots, \underline{w}_{n-1}\}$ are orthogonal (and so $\{\underline{u}_1, \dots, \underline{u}_{n-1}\}$ are orthonormal), then

$$\langle \underline{w}_n, \underline{w}_i \rangle = \left\langle \underline{v}_n - \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \frac{\langle \underline{w}_j, \underline{v}_n \rangle}{\langle \underline{w}_j, \underline{w}_j \rangle} \underline{w}_j, \underline{w}_i \right\rangle =$$

$$\langle \underline{v}_n, \underline{w}_i \rangle - \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \frac{\langle \underline{w}_j, \underline{w}_i \rangle}{\langle \underline{w}_j, \underline{w}_j \rangle} \langle \underline{v}_n, \underline{w}_i \rangle = 0$$

↳ zero unless $i=j$
since $\{\underline{w}_1, \dots, \underline{w}_{n-1}\}$ is orthonormal.

Then $\{\underline{w}_1, \dots, \underline{w}_n\}$ are orthogonal and $\{\underline{u}_1, \dots, \underline{u}_n\}$ are orthonormal ✓

Corollary: If H is a vector subspace of V and $\text{span}\{\underline{v}_1, \dots, \underline{v}_n\} = H$. The Gram-Schmidt process provide an orthonormal basis for H .

Ex 4] Consider \mathbb{R}^4 and

$$\underline{x}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \underline{x}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \underline{x}_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\bullet \underline{w}_1 = \underline{x}_1 \quad \text{and} \quad \underline{u}_1 = \frac{1}{\|\underline{x}_1\|} \underline{x}_1 = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\bullet \underline{w}_2 = \underline{x}_2 - \langle \underline{u}_1, \underline{x}_2 \rangle \underline{u}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{2} \left((1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 1) \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right) \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} =$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \underline{u}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\bullet \underline{w}_3 = \underline{x}_3 - \langle \underline{u}_1, \underline{x}_3 \rangle \underline{u}_1 - \langle \underline{u}_2, \underline{x}_3 \rangle \underline{u}_2 =$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{2} \left((1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 1) \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \right) \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left((-1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1) \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} =$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} - 2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - 3 \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Normalise \underline{w}_i to obtain the orthonormal basis $\{\underline{u}_i\}$