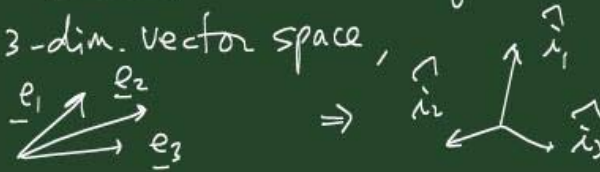


• Gram-Schmidt Orthonormalization

Given any basis (\underline{e}_i) ($i=1, 2, \dots, n$), we can generate an orthonormal basis (\hat{u}_i) of same dimension.

For 3-dim. vector space,



$$\hat{u}_1 = \frac{\underline{e}_1}{|\underline{e}_1|}$$

$$\hat{u}_2 = \frac{\underline{e}_2 - \alpha \hat{u}_1}{|\underline{e}_2 - \alpha \hat{u}_1|}$$

choose α such that $\hat{u}_1 \cdot \hat{u}_2 = 0$
 $\rightarrow \alpha = \underline{e}_2 \cdot \hat{u}_1$

$$\therefore \hat{u}_2 = \frac{\underline{e}_2 - (\underline{e}_2 \cdot \hat{u}_1) \hat{u}_1}{|\quad \quad \quad|}$$

$$\hat{u}_3 = \frac{\underline{e}_3 - \gamma \hat{u}_1 - \beta \hat{u}_2}{|\quad \quad \quad|}$$

choose γ and β such that
 $\hat{u}_3 \cdot \hat{u}_1 = 0$
 $\hat{u}_3 \cdot \hat{u}_2 = 0$

$$\rightarrow \gamma = \underline{e}_3 \cdot \hat{u}_1, \quad \beta = \underline{e}_3 \cdot \hat{u}_2$$

$$\therefore \hat{u}_3 = \frac{\underline{e}_3 - (\underline{e}_3 \cdot \hat{u}_1) \hat{u}_1 - (\underline{e}_3 \cdot \hat{u}_2) \hat{u}_2}{|\quad \quad \quad|}$$

• Vector product : $\underline{c} = \underline{a} \times \underline{b}$

$$\underline{a} \times \underline{b} = (a_x \hat{i} + a_y \hat{j} + a_z \hat{k}) \times (b_x \hat{i} + b_y \hat{j} + b_z \hat{k})$$

$$= (a_y b_z - a_z b_y) \hat{i} + (a_z b_x - a_x b_z) \hat{j} + (a_x b_y - a_y b_x) \hat{k}$$

$$= \epsilon_{ijk} a_i b_j \hat{u}_k$$

$$\underline{a} \times \underline{b} = a_i \hat{u}_i \times b_j \hat{u}_j = a_i b_j \hat{u}_i \times \hat{u}_j$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{cases} \hat{u}_i \times \hat{u}_j = \epsilon_{ijk} \hat{u}_k \\ \hat{u}_i \cdot \hat{u}_j = \delta_{ij} \end{cases}$$

- Triple scalar product

$$\underline{a} \times \underline{b} \cdot \underline{c} = (a_i \hat{u}_i) \times (b_j \hat{u}_j) \cdot (c_k \hat{u}_k)$$

$$= a_i b_j c_k \hat{u}_i \times \hat{u}_j \cdot \hat{u}_k$$

$$= a_i b_j c_k \epsilon_{ijl} \hat{u}_l \cdot \hat{u}_k = a_i b_j c_k \epsilon_{ijl} \delta_{lk}$$

$$= a_i b_j c_k \epsilon_{ijk} = \epsilon_{ijk} a_i b_j c_k$$

- Triple vector product : $\underline{a} \times (\underline{b} \times \underline{c}) = (\underline{a} \cdot \underline{c}) \underline{b} - (\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}) \underline{c}$

$$\epsilon_{ijk} \epsilon_{imn} = \delta_{jm} \delta_{kn} - \delta_{jn} \delta_{km}$$

$$\underline{a} \times (\underline{b} \times \underline{c}) = a_i \hat{u}_i \times (b_j \hat{u}_j \times c_k \hat{u}_k)$$

$$= a_i b_j c_k \hat{u}_i \times (\hat{u}_j \times \hat{u}_k)$$

$$= a_i \hat{u}_i \times \epsilon_{jkl} \hat{u}_l$$

$$= \epsilon_{jkl} \epsilon_{ilm} \hat{u}_m$$

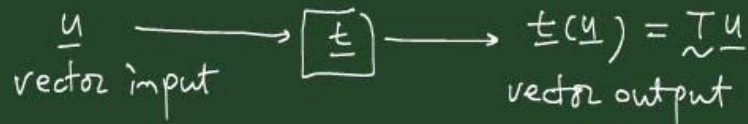
$$= \epsilon_{ljk} \epsilon_{lmi} a_i b_j c_k \hat{u}_m$$

$$= (\delta_{jm} \delta_{li} - \delta_{jl} \delta_{im}) a_i b_j c_k \hat{u}_m$$

$$= a_k b_m c_k \hat{u}_m - a_i b_i c_k \hat{u}_k$$

$$= (\underline{a} \cdot \underline{c}) \underline{b} - (\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}) \underline{c}$$

• Linear vector function \underline{t}



dyadic product: $\underline{a} \otimes \underline{b} = \underline{a} \underline{b}$

tensor $(\underline{a} \otimes \underline{b}) \underline{u} \equiv \underline{a} (\underline{b} \cdot \underline{u}) = (\underline{b} \cdot \underline{u}) \underline{a}$

$\underline{T} \equiv T_{ij} \hat{u}_i \otimes \hat{u}_j$: linear transf.

2nd order tensor

↳ components of \underline{T} (9 comps.)

$$\underline{T} \hat{u}_m = (T_{ij} \hat{u}_i \otimes \hat{u}_j) \hat{u}_m = T_{ij} \hat{u}_i (\hat{u}_j \cdot \hat{u}_m) = T_{im} \hat{u}_i$$

$$\underline{(\underline{T} \hat{u}_m)} \cdot \hat{u}_n = T_{im} \hat{u}_i \cdot \hat{u}_n = T_{nm}$$

$$\begin{aligned} t_i &= \underline{t}(\underline{u}) \cdot \hat{u}_i = (\underline{T} \underline{u}) \cdot \hat{u}_i = (T_{pj} \hat{u}_p \otimes \hat{u}_j \underline{u}) \cdot \hat{u}_i \\ &= T_{pj} u_j \hat{u}_p \cdot \hat{u}_i = T_{ij} u_j \end{aligned}$$

$\hat{u}_p (\hat{u}_j \cdot \underline{u}) = \hat{u}_p u_j$

$$\begin{pmatrix} t_1 \\ t_2 \\ t_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} T_{11} & T_{12} & T_{13} \\ T_{21} & T_{22} & T_{23} \\ T_{31} & T_{32} & T_{33} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ u_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

• A quantity \underline{T} is a second-order tensor

if it is the most general linear transformation of vectors to vector, i.e.

(i) $\underline{T}(\underline{u} + \underline{v}) = \underline{T}(\underline{u}) + \underline{T}(\underline{v})$ $\underline{T} = T_{ij} \hat{u}_i \otimes \hat{u}_j$

(ii) $\underline{T}(\alpha \underline{u}) = \alpha \underline{T}(\underline{u})$

$$(\underline{T} + \underline{S}) \underline{u} = \underline{T} \underline{u} + \underline{S} \underline{u}$$

$$(\alpha \underline{T}) \underline{u} = \alpha (\underline{T} \underline{u})$$

zero tensor : $\underline{0} \underline{u} = \underline{0}$

identity tensor : $\underline{1} \underline{u} = \underline{u}$ $\underline{1} = \hat{\lambda}_i \otimes \hat{\lambda}_i$ $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & & 0 \\ & 1 & \\ 0 & & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$(\underline{1} \text{ or } \underline{I})$ $(\hat{\lambda}_i \otimes \hat{\lambda}_i) \underline{u} = \hat{\lambda}_i (\hat{\lambda}_i \cdot \underline{u}) = \hat{\lambda}_i u_i = \underline{u}$

$$(\underline{T} \underline{S}) \underline{u} = \underline{T} (\underline{S} \underline{u})$$

$$(\underline{T} \underline{S}) \underline{R} = \underline{T} (\underline{S} \underline{R})$$

$\underline{T} \underline{S} \neq \underline{S} \underline{T}$ unless \underline{T} and \underline{S} commute.

• Components of product $\underline{T} \underline{S}$

$$\begin{aligned} (\underline{T} \underline{S})_{ij} &= [(\underline{T} \underline{S}) \hat{\lambda}_j] \cdot \hat{\lambda}_i \\ &= [T_{mp} S_{pq} \hat{\lambda}_m \otimes \hat{\lambda}_p \hat{\lambda}_q] \cdot \hat{\lambda}_i \\ &= (T_{mj} \hat{\lambda}_m) \cdot \hat{\lambda}_i = (T_{pq} \hat{\lambda}_p \otimes \hat{\lambda}_q S_{mj} \hat{\lambda}_m) \cdot \hat{\lambda}_i \\ &= T_{pm} S_{mj} \hat{\lambda}_p \cdot \hat{\lambda}_i = \underline{T}_{pm} S_{mj} \end{aligned}$$

• non-singular tensor

\underline{T} is non-singular if $\underline{T} \underline{u} = 0 \iff \underline{u} = 0$

• Inverse tensor \underline{T}^{-1} : $\underline{T} \underline{T}^{-1} = \underline{T}^{-1} \underline{T} = \underline{1}$
 $(\underline{T} \underline{S})^{-1} = \underline{S}^{-1} \underline{T}^{-1}$ if \underline{T} & \underline{S} are not singular.

- Transpose of a tensor \underline{T}^T : $(\underline{T}^T \underline{u}) \cdot \underline{v} \equiv \underline{u} \cdot \underline{T} \underline{v}$
 $(\underline{T}^T)_{ij} = (\underline{T}^T \hat{e}_j) \cdot \hat{e}_i = \hat{e}_j \cdot \underline{T} \hat{e}_i = \hat{e}_j \cdot (T_{pm} \hat{e}_p \otimes \hat{e}_m) \hat{e}_i$
 $= \hat{e}_j \cdot (T_{pi} \hat{e}_p) = T_{ji}$
 $\underline{T}^T = \begin{pmatrix} T_{11} & T_{21} & T_{31} \\ T_{12} & T_{22} & T_{32} \\ T_{13} & T_{23} & T_{33} \end{pmatrix}$
- $(\underline{T} \underline{S})^T = \underline{S}^T \underline{T}^T$
- $(\underline{a} \otimes \underline{b})^T = \underline{b} \otimes \underline{a}$ $(\underline{a} \underline{b})^T = \underline{b} \underline{a}$
- symmetric tensor: \underline{T} is symmetric if $\underline{T} = \underline{T}^T$
- skew (anti-symmetric) tensor: \underline{T} is skew if $\underline{T} = -\underline{T}^T$
- Every tensor \underline{T} admits the unique decomposition into symmetric and skew tensors.

$$\underline{T} = \frac{1}{2} (\underline{T} + \underline{T}^T) + \frac{1}{2} (\underline{T} - \underline{T}^T)$$

$$= \underbrace{\underline{S}}_{\text{"S"}^T} + \underbrace{\underline{W}}_{\text{"W"}^T}$$

- Orthogonal tensor
 \underline{Q} is orthogonal if it is not singular and $\underline{Q}^{-1} = \underline{Q}^T$
 $\underline{Q} \underline{Q}^T = \underline{Q} \underline{Q}^T = \underline{1}$, $\underline{Q}^T \underline{Q} = \underline{Q}^T \underline{Q} = \underline{1}$
- Trace of $\underline{T} = \text{tr } \underline{T}$ is defined
 - (i) $\text{tr}(\underline{T} + \underline{S}) = \text{tr } \underline{T} + \text{tr } \underline{S}$
 - (ii) $\text{tr}(\alpha \underline{T}) = \alpha \text{tr } \underline{T}$
 - (iii) $\text{tr}(\underline{a} \otimes \underline{b}) = \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}$

$$\underline{T} = T_{ij} \hat{u}_i \otimes \hat{u}_j$$

component of $\text{tr } \underline{T}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{tr } \underline{T} &= \text{tr} (T_{ij} \hat{u}_i \otimes \hat{u}_j) = T_{ij} \text{tr} (\hat{u}_i \otimes \hat{u}_j) = T_{ij} \hat{u}_i^T \cdot \hat{u}_j \\ &= T_{ij} \delta_{ij} = T_{ii} \end{aligned}$$

- Inner product of tensors \underline{T} and $\underline{S} = \text{tr} (\underline{T} \underline{S}^T) = \underline{T} \cdot \underline{S}^T$

$$\text{tr} (\underline{T} \underline{S}^T) = \text{tr} (T_{im} S_{jm}) = T_{im} S_{jm} \text{tr} (\hat{u}_i \otimes \hat{u}_j) = T_{im} S_{im}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{tr} (\underline{T} \underline{T}^T) &= T_{ij} T_{ij} = T_{11}^2 + T_{12}^2 + T_{13}^2 + T_{21}^2 + T_{22}^2 + T_{23}^2 \\ &\quad + T_{31}^2 + T_{32}^2 + T_{33}^2 \geq 0 \quad \text{positive definite} \end{aligned}$$

$$|\underline{T}| = \sqrt{\text{tr} (\underline{T} \underline{T}^T)} : \text{magnitude of } \underline{T}$$

- Handedness of an ordered basis $(\underline{e}_1, \underline{e}_2, \underline{e}_3)$
the ordered basis $(\underline{e}_1, \underline{e}_2, \underline{e}_3)$ is right-handed
if \underline{e}_3 forms an acute angle with the right handed
screw of rotating \underline{e}_1 into \underline{e}_2 .
- Determinant of $\underline{T} \equiv \det \underline{T}$