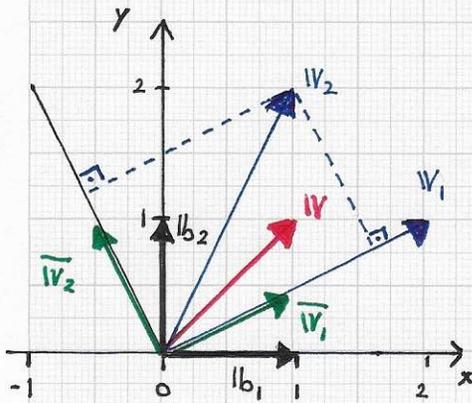


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• Laplacian eigenfunctions: ... Computational complexity and high efficiency are important issues to consider; practical application of the described method is feasible only if a new, given histogram's expansion in terms of  $k$  stored sample histograms can be calculated efficiently - even when the value of  $k$  (= the value of  $B$ , the number of bins) is "Large."

GRAM-SCHMIDT ORTHONORMALIZATION

Data in example:

- 2D "canonical" coordinate system with  $x$ - and  $y$ -axes based on canonical orthonormal basis vectors  $b_1 = (1, 0)^T$  and  $b_2 = (0, 1)^T$
- Two linearly independent vectors  $v_1 = (2, 1)^T$  and  $v_2 = (1, 2)^T$
- Vector  $w = (1, 1)^T$  to be expressed in the basis  $\{v_1, v_2\}$
- New ORTHONORMAL basis vectors  $\bar{w}_1$  and  $\bar{w}_2$  resulting from Gram-Schmidt process:

$$\bar{w}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} (2, 1)^T$$

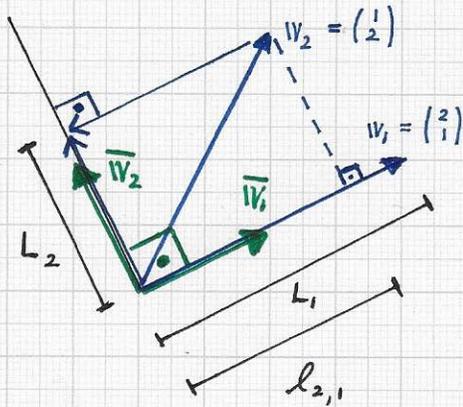
$$\bar{w}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} (-1, 2)^T$$

Gram-Schmidt orthonormalization computes vectors  $\bar{w}_i$  recursively from given vectors  $w_i$ . (See next page.)

The set  $\{h_i(c)\}$  is assumed to be a basis - consisting of  $k$  linearly independent histogram functions  $h_i(c)$ . Unfortunately, the functions  $h_i(c)$  are NOT mutually ORTHOGONAL and are NOT NORMALIZED. For efficient computations, GRAM-SCHMIDT ORTHONORMALIZATION is a method that maps  $\{h_i(c)\}$  to an orthonormal basis. Since this method is best explained in a geometrical context, we discuss a simple two-dimensional example first. AN ORTHONORMAL BASIS LEADS TO OPTIMAL EFFICIENCY WHEN REPRESENTING A VECTOR WITH ITS BASIS VECTORS.

■ OBJECT AND MATERIAL EIGENFUNCTIONS - Cont'd.

• Laplacian eigenfunctions: ... The figure (left) shows the essential quantities needed to compute the orthonormal basis  $\{\bar{w}_1, \bar{w}_2\}$ :



$$\begin{aligned} \bar{w}_1 &:= w_1, & \bar{w}_1 &:= \frac{1}{L_1} w_1 \\ \bar{w}_2 &:= w_2 - \langle w_2, \bar{w}_1 \rangle \bar{w}_1 \\ &= w_2 - l_{2,1} \bar{w}_1, & \bar{w}_2 &:= \frac{1}{L_2} w_2 \end{aligned}$$

Gram-Schmidt computations:

$$L_1 = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\bar{w}_1 := \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} (2, 1)^T$$

$$\begin{aligned} l_{2,1} &= \langle w_2, \bar{w}_1 \rangle = \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle \\ &= \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{4}{\sqrt{5}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{w}_2 &:= \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{4}{\sqrt{5}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 8/5 \\ 4/5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3/5 \\ 6/5 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$L_2 = \frac{3}{5} \sqrt{5}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{w}_2 &:= \frac{1}{L_2} \begin{pmatrix} -3/5 \\ 6/5 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

WITH RESPECT TO THE NEW ORTHONORMAL BASIS  $\{\bar{w}_1, \bar{w}_2\}$  THE VECTORS  $w_1$  AND  $w_2$  HAVE COORDINATE TUPLES

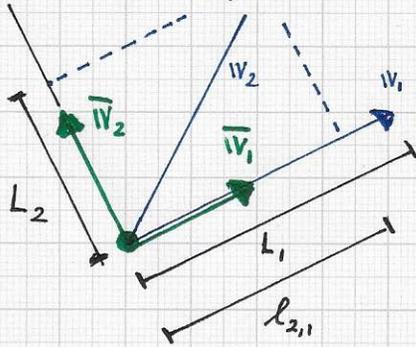
$$\begin{aligned} w_1_{\{\bar{w}_1, \bar{w}_2\}} &= \begin{pmatrix} L_1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ AND} \\ w_2_{\{\bar{w}_1, \bar{w}_2\}} &= \begin{pmatrix} l_{2,1} \\ L_2 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

One can view these computations as either iterative or recursive calculation steps, depending on the viewpoint taken. **When computing the orthonormal basis one must store the length values  $l_{i,j}$  and  $L_i$ ; they are needed for inverting the Gram-Schmidt process.** The Gram-Schmidt process can be described by a matrix (transformation-of-basis matrix), and its inverse matrix is ultimately needed to represent a given vector  $w$  with respect to the non-orthogonal basis  $\{w_1, w_2\}$ . ...

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OBJECT AND MATERIAL EIGENFUNCTIONS - Cont'd.

Laplacian eigenfunctions:... In addition to the "underlying" canonical basis  $\{b_1 = (1, 0)^T, b_2 = (0, 1)^T\}$ , we have the basis  $\{w_1, w_2\}$  and the constructed orthonormal basis  $\{\bar{w}_1, \bar{w}_2\}$ . WHY HAVE WE CONSTRUCTED THE BASIS  $\{\bar{w}_1, \bar{w}_2\}$ ? WITH RESPECT TO  $\{\bar{w}_1, \bar{w}_2\}$  WE CAN COMPUTE A REPRESENTATION OF A GIVEN VECTOR  $w$  IN



MINIMAL TIME. IS  $w$ 'S REPRESENTATION WITH RESPECT TO  $\{\bar{w}_1, \bar{w}_2\}$  THE EVENTUAL GOAL? NO! THE EVENTUAL GOAL IS THE REPRESENTATION OF  $w$  WITH RESPECT TO  $\{w_1, w_2\}$ . Thus:

Basis transformation.

The matrix that describes the mapping of basis vectors  $w_1$  to  $w_1$  and  $w_2$  to  $w_2$  is the triangle matrix

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} L_1 & l_{2,1} \\ 0 & L_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

The columns of  $T$  are the representations of  $w_1$  and  $w_2$  relative to the orthonormal basis vectors  $\bar{w}_1$  and  $\bar{w}_2$ .

The inverse of  $T$  is also a triangle matrix; it is

$$T^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/L_1 & -l_{2,1}/(L_1 L_2) \\ 0 & 1/L_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

THE REPRESENTATION OF A VECTOR  $w$  W.R.T.  $\{w_1, w_2\}$  IS OBTAINED FROM ITS REPRESENTATION W.R.T.  $\{\bar{w}_1, \bar{w}_2\}$  AS FOLLOWS:

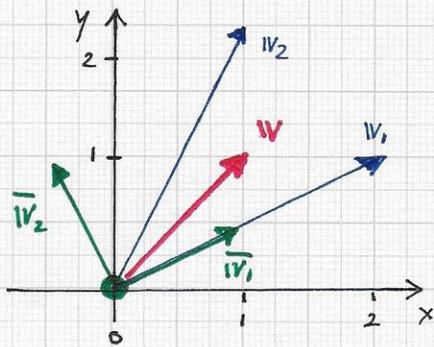
$$w_{\{w_1, w_2\}} = T^{-1} w_{\{\bar{w}_1, \bar{w}_2\}}$$

- i) Compute  $\{\bar{w}_1, \bar{w}_2\}$ .
- ii) Store the length values  $l_{i,j}$  and  $L_i$  resulting from the Gram-Schmidt process - producing a triangle matrix  $T$ . The inverse of  $T$  ( $T^{-1}$ ) is a triangle matrix as well. Store  $T^{-1}$ .
- iii) Given a vector  $w$  - originally represented with respect to the canonical basis  $\{b_1, b_2\}$  - represent it w.r.t. the basis  $\{\bar{w}_1, \bar{w}_2\}$ .
- iv) Use  $T^{-1}$  to compute the desired REPRESENTATION OF  $w$  W.R.T.  $\{w_1, w_2\}$ .

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■ OBJECT AND MATERIAL EIGENFUNCTIONS - Cont'd.

Laplacian eigenfunctions: ... We briefly discuss the three-dimensional



and general k-dimensional cases as our driving application concerns the expansion of a given k-dimensional "histogram function" in terms of a non-orthogonal basis of stored sample k-dimensional "histogram functions" that are linearly independent and not normalized.

The triangular matrices for this specific example are:

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{5} & 4/\sqrt{5} \\ 0 & 3\sqrt{5}/5 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$T^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{5} & -4/3\sqrt{5} \\ 0 & 5/3\sqrt{5} \end{bmatrix}.$$

In the geometrical setting, these are the necessary Gram-Schmidt orthonormalization steps mapping the basis  $\{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$  to the orthonormal basis  $\{\bar{v}_1, \bar{v}_2, \bar{v}_3\}$ :

$\{\bar{v}_1, \bar{v}_2\}$  is orthonormal  $\Rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned} v_{\{\bar{v}_1, \bar{v}_2\}} &= \begin{pmatrix} \langle v, \bar{v}_1 \rangle \\ \langle v, \bar{v}_2 \rangle \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} \langle (1, 1), (1, 0) \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \rangle \\ \langle (1, 1), (0, 1) \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \rangle \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 3/\sqrt{5} \\ 1/\sqrt{5} \end{pmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

Mapping via  $T^{-1} \Rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned} v_{\{v_1, v_2\}} &= T^{-1} v_{\{\bar{v}_1, \bar{v}_2\}} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 1/\sqrt{5} & -4/3\sqrt{5} \\ 0 & 5/3\sqrt{5} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3/\sqrt{5} \\ 1/\sqrt{5} \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 3/5 - 4/15 \\ 1/3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/3 \\ 1/3 \end{pmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\bar{v}_1 := v_1, \quad \bar{v}_1 := \frac{1}{\|v_1\|} v_1 = \frac{1}{L_1} v_1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{v}_2 &:= v_2 - \langle v_2, \bar{v}_1 \rangle \bar{v}_1 = v_2 - l_{2,1} \bar{v}_1, \\ \bar{v}_2 &:= \frac{1}{\|v_2\|} \bar{v}_2 = \frac{1}{L_2} \bar{v}_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{v}_3 &:= v_3 - \langle v_3, \bar{v}_1 \rangle \bar{v}_1 - \langle v_3, \bar{v}_2 \rangle \bar{v}_2 \\ &:= v_3 - l_{3,1} \bar{v}_1 - l_{3,2} \bar{v}_2, \\ \bar{v}_3 &:= \frac{1}{\|v_3\|} \bar{v}_3 = \frac{1}{L_3} \bar{v}_3 \end{aligned}$$

The resulting triangular matrix  $T$  is

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} L_1 & l_{2,1} & l_{3,1} \\ 0 & L_2 & l_{3,2} \\ 0 & 0 & L_3 \end{bmatrix} \dots$$

$\Rightarrow$  Test:  $\frac{1}{3} v_1 + \frac{1}{3} v_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 2/3 \\ 1/3 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1/3 \\ 2/3 \end{pmatrix} = (1, 1)^T \checkmark$

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■ OBJECT AND MATERIAL EIGENFUNCTIONS - Cont'd.

• Laplacian eigenfunctions: ... The desired inverse matrix of T is

• Computational complexity:

$$T^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{L_1} & -\frac{l_{2,1}}{L_1 L_2} & \frac{l_{2,1} l_{3,2} - L_2 l_{3,1}}{L_1 L_2 L_3} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{L_2} & -\frac{l_{3,2}}{L_2 L_3} \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{L_3} \end{bmatrix}$$

→ A given k-dimensional vector w must be represented with respect to a basis  $\{w_1, \dots, w_k\}$ .

→ An orthonormal basis  $\{\bar{w}_1, \dots, \bar{w}_k\}$  is known; it has been pre-computed.

→ The triangular matrix T<sup>-1</sup> is known; it also has been pre-computed.

Gram-Schmidt orthonormalization applied

to a k-dimensional basis  $\{w_1, \dots, w_k\}$

generating the orthonormal basis

$\{\bar{w}_1, \dots, \bar{w}_k\}$  can be summarized as follows:

1) One computes the k inner products  $\langle w_i, \bar{w}_i \rangle$ ,  $i=1 \dots k$ . **THE TOTAL NUMBER OF MULTIPLICATIONS IS  $k \times k$ .**

2) One multiplies matrix T<sup>-1</sup> and the representation of vector w obtained by step 1). Since T<sup>-1</sup> is an upper triangular matrix, **THE TOTAL NUMBER OF MULTIPLICATIONS IS  $(k \times k + k) / 2$ .**

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{w}_1 &:= w_1, & \bar{w}_i &:= \frac{1}{\|w_i\|} w_i = \frac{1}{L_i} w_i \\ \bar{w}_i &:= w_i - \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} \langle w_i, \bar{w}_j \rangle \bar{w}_j, & & \\ \bar{w}_i &:= \frac{1}{\|\bar{w}_i\|} \bar{w}_i = \frac{1}{L_i} \bar{w}_i; & & \\ & & i &= 2, \dots, k. \end{aligned}$$

The resulting triangular matrix is

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} L_1 & l_{2,1} & l_{3,1} & \dots & l_{k,1} \\ 0 & L_2 & l_{3,2} & \dots & l_{k,2} \\ 0 & 0 & L_3 & \dots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & 0 & \dots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & L_k \end{bmatrix}$$

⇒ **THE OVERALL NUMBER OF MULTIPLICATIONS PERFORMED TO OBTAIN w'S REPRESENTATION WITH RESPECT TO  $w_1, \dots, w_k$  IS**

$$\frac{3}{2} k^2 + \frac{1}{2} k.$$

• NOTE. The values of  $L_i$  and  $l_{j,i}$  are computed via Gram-Schmidt orthonormalization as "by-products."

These values are stored as matrix T.