

## Norms on $\mathbb{R}^2$

$$l^1 \quad l_1: \|x\|_1 = |x_1| + |x_2|$$

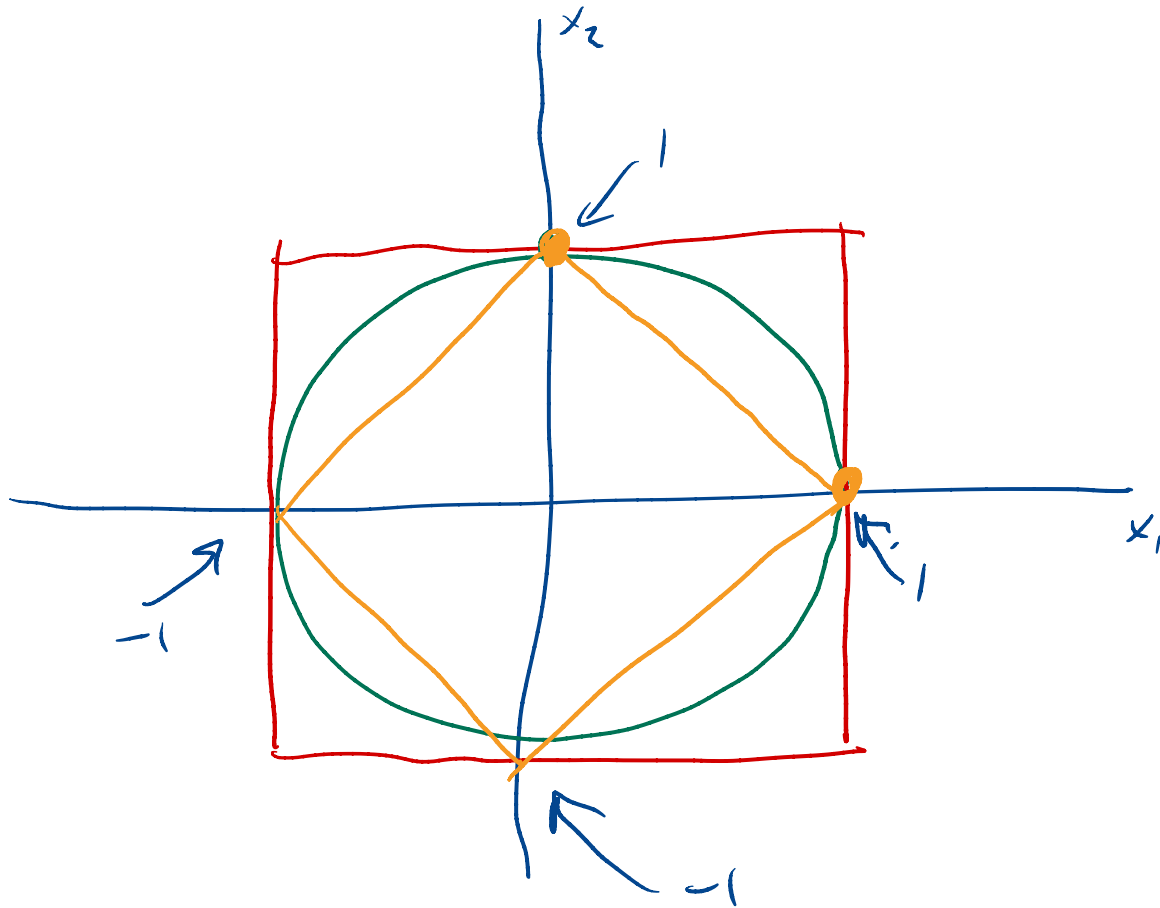
$$l_2: \|x\|_2 = \left( (x_1)^2 + (x_2)^2 \right)^{1/2}$$

$$l_\infty: \|x\|_\infty = \max(|x_1|, |x_2|)$$

Def:

Given a norm, the closed unit ball is

$$\bar{B}_1 = \{x \in V : \|x\| \leq 1\}$$



$$\begin{array}{l}
 \|x\|_{\infty} \leq 1 \\
 \max(|x_1|, |x_2|) \leq 1 \\
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 \end{array}
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 \|x\|_1 \leq 1 \\
 |x_1| + |x_2| = 1 \\
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 x_1 + x_2 = 1 \\
 x \quad y \quad y = 1 - x
 \end{array}
 \right.
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 \begin{array}{l}
 \|x\|_2 \leq 1 \\
 (x_1^2 + x_2^2)^{1/2} \leq 1 \\
 x_1^2 + x_2^2 \leq 1
 \end{array}
 \right.$$

More generally  $1 \leq p < \infty$   $p \in \mathbb{R}$

$$\|x\|_p = \frac{(|x_1|^p + |x_2|^p)^{1/p}}$$

$$\|cx\|_p = |c| \|x\|_p$$

More, more generally:

$(\mathbb{R}^n, \ell_p)$

$\ell_p$  applies to  $\mathbb{R}^n$

Def: Given  $1 \leq p < \infty$ ,  $\ell_p$  is the set of sequences  $x = (x_n)$  with  $\left[ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |x_n|^p \right]^{1/p} < \infty$ ,  
in which case  $\|x\|_p =$

$$x = (x_n)$$

$$\|x\|_{\infty} = \sup_{n=1}^{\infty} |x_n|$$

$\hookrightarrow l_{\infty}$ : set of bounded sequences

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A sequence is a function  $\mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ .

continuous functions  
on  $[0, 1]$

$$k \mapsto x_k$$

Norms on

$$C[0, 1]$$

$$f: [0, 1] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$\|f\|_1 = \int_0^1 |f(x)| dx$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |x_k|$$

$$\|f\|_2 = \left[ \int_0^1 |f(x)|^2 dx \right]^{1/2}$$

$$\|f\|_p = \left[ \int_0^1 |f(x)|^p dx \right]^{1/p} \quad \left[ \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |x_k|^p \right]^{1/p}$$

$$\|f\|_{\infty} = \sup_{x \in [0,1]} |f(x)| \quad \leftarrow \text{default}$$

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Triangle inequalities!

$(\mathbb{R}^2, l_2)$

① Prop (arithmetic-geometric mean inequality  
special case)

For all  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$

$$|a| |b| \leq \frac{1}{2} (a^2 + b^2).$$

Pf: It suffices to assume  $a \geq 0$  and  $b \geq 0$ .

Observe  $(a-b)^2 \geq 0$  and

$$(a-b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2.$$

Hence  $a^2 - 2ab + b^2 \geq 0$

and the inequality follows from a computation.  $\square$

$$\alpha = a^2 \quad \beta = b^2$$

$$\alpha^{1/2} = a \quad \beta^{1/2} = b$$

$$ab \leq \frac{1}{2}(a^2 + b^2)$$

$$\alpha^{1/2} \beta^{1/2} \leq \frac{1}{2}(\alpha + \beta)$$

$$(\alpha\beta)^{1/2}$$

② Prop Cauchy-Schwarz Inequality

For all  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}^n$

$$x \cdot y = \|x\| \|y\| \cos \theta$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^n |x_k y_k| \leq \|x\|_2 \|y\|_2$$

$$\left| \sum_{k=1}^n x_k y_k \right|$$

$$x_1 y_1 + x_2 y_2 + x_3 y_3$$

$$(x_1, x_2, x_3)$$

$$(y_1, y_2, y_3)$$

Pf: Suppose first that  $\|x\|_2 = 1, \|y\|_2 = 1$ .

$$\text{Then } \sum_{k=1}^n |x_k y_k| \leq \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=1}^n (|x_k|^2 + |y_k|^2) = 1 = \|x\|_2 \|y\|_2.$$

The inequality is trivial if  $x=0$  or  $y=0$ .

Now suppose  $x \neq 0, y \neq 0$  are arbitrary.

Let  $z = \frac{x}{\|x\|_2}$   $w = \frac{y}{\|y\|_2}$ . Observe  $\|z\|_2 = 1$  and  $\|w\|_2 = 1$ .

So  $\sum_{k=1}^n |z_k w_k| \leq \|z\|_2 \|w\|_2$ .

Equivalently  $\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{|x_k y_k|}{\|x\|_2 \|y\|_2} \leq 1$  and the result follows.  $\square$

Prop (CS inequality for  $\ell_2$ )

For all  $x, y \in \ell_2$   $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |x_k y_k| \leq \|x\|_2 \|y\|_2$ .



Pf: For any  $N$ , by the CS-inequality on  $\mathbb{R}^N$

$$\sum_{k=1}^N |x_k y_k| \leq \left[ \sum_{k=1}^N |x_k|^2 \right]^{1/2} \left[ \sum_{k=1}^N |y_k|^2 \right]^{1/2}$$

$$\leq \|x\|_2 \|y\|_2.$$

Now take a limit in  $N$ .  $\square$

$$\sum_{k=1}^N c_k \leq M \quad c_k \geq 0$$

$$x = (x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_N) -$$

$$(x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_N) \in \mathbb{R}^N$$

Cor: For all  $x, y \in l_2$   $x+y \in l_2$  and

$$\|x+y\|_2 \leq \|x\|_2 + \|y\|_2, \quad \|x\|_2 = \left[ \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} x_k^2 \right]^{1/2}$$

Pf: For each  $k$ ,

$$(x_k + y_k)^2 = x_k^2 + 2x_k y_k + y_k^2,$$

Hence

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (x_k + y_k)^2 = \|x\|_2^2 + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} x_k y_k + \|y\|_2^2.$$

$$\leq \|x\|_2^2 + 2 \|x\|_2 \|y\|_2 + \|y\|_2^2$$

$$= (\|x\|_2 + \|y\|_2)^2.$$

Now apply square roots.

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