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# Subject of This Talk

- 4D rigid exterior algebra
  - Homogeneous representation of 3D geometry
  - Points, lines, planes
  - Join, meet, projection, norm, distance, angle
- 4D rigid geometric algebra
  - Euclidean isometries in 3D space
  - Rotations, translations, screw transformations
- 5D conformal exterior algebra (briefly)
  - Round points, dipoles, circles, spheres
- Details in PGA Illuminated

Projective Geometric Algebra I L L U M I N A T E D



# **Exterior / Grassmann Algebra**

- Wedge product  $\land$ 
  - Combines dimensions of operands
  - Vectors square to zero:

 $\mathbf{v} \wedge \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{0}$ 

• Antisymmetric on vectors:

 $\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b} = -\mathbf{b} \wedge \mathbf{a}$ 

#### **Bivectors**

• Wedge product of two vectors **a** and **b** 



### Trivectors

• Wedge product of three vectors **a**, **b**, and **c** 



#### **Pascal's Triangle** scalars vectors bivectors trivectors qualityectors 0D 1D 1 2D 2 3D 3 3 1 4D 4 4 6 5D 5 $\mathbf{10}$ (10)5 1 1

# **Rigid Exterior / Geometric Algebra**

- Projective algebra with one extra dimension
- Contains points, lines, planes in 3D
- Can perform rotations, translations, screw transformations

# **4D Exterior Algebra**

- Extends 4D vector space
- One scalar 1
- Four vector basis elements
- Six bivector basis elements
- Four trivector basis elements
- One antiscalar 1

Туре	Values	Grade	/ Antigrade
Scalar	1	0 / 4	
Vectors	$\mathbf{e}_1$ $\mathbf{e}_2$ $\mathbf{e}_3$ $\mathbf{e}_4 = \mathbf{e}_n$	1 / 3	
Bivectors	$\mathbf{e}_{41} = \mathbf{e}_4 \wedge \mathbf{e}_1$ $\mathbf{e}_{42} = \mathbf{e}_4 \wedge \mathbf{e}_2$ $\mathbf{e}_{43} = \mathbf{e}_4 \wedge \mathbf{e}_3$ $\mathbf{e}_{23} = \mathbf{e}_2 \wedge \mathbf{e}_3$ $\mathbf{e}_{31} = \mathbf{e}_3 \wedge \mathbf{e}_1$ $\mathbf{e}_{12} = \mathbf{e}_1 \wedge \mathbf{e}_2$	2 / 2	
Trivectors / Antivectors	$\mathbf{e}_{423} = \mathbf{e}_4 \wedge \mathbf{e}_2 \wedge \mathbf{e}_3$ $\mathbf{e}_{431} = \mathbf{e}_4 \wedge \mathbf{e}_3 \wedge \mathbf{e}_1$ $\mathbf{e}_{412} = \mathbf{e}_4 \wedge \mathbf{e}_1 \wedge \mathbf{e}_2$ $\mathbf{e}_{321} = \mathbf{e}_3 \wedge \mathbf{e}_2 \wedge \mathbf{e}_1$	3 / 1	
Antiscalar	$1 = \mathbf{e}_1 \wedge \mathbf{e}_2 \wedge \mathbf{e}_3 \wedge \mathbf{e}_4$	4 / 0	

### **4D Exterior Product**

#### Wedge Product $\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b}$

ab	1	$\mathbf{e}_1$	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	1
1	1	$\mathbf{e}_1$	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	1
$\mathbf{e}_1$	$\mathbf{e}_1$	0	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	$-e_{31}$	$-e_{41}$	0	$-e_{412}$	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	$-e_{321}$	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	$-{\bf e}_{12}$	0	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	$-e_{42}$	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	0	- <b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	0	$-e_{321}$	0	0	1	0	0	0
<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	$-e_{23}$	0	$-e_{43}$	$-e_{431}$	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	0	0	0	$-e_{321}$	0	0	1	0	0
<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	0	0	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	0	0	0	1	0
<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	0	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	$-e_{431}$	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	$-e_{412}$	0	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	$-e_{423}$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0
<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	$-e_{321}$	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	0	$-e_{321}$	0	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	0	0	$-e_{321}$	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

# Complements

- Complement inverts full / empty dimensions
- Right complement denoted by overbar
- Left complement denoted by underbar
- For basis element **u**,

 $\mathbf{u} \wedge \overline{\mathbf{u}} = 1$   $\underline{\mathbf{u}} \wedge \mathbf{u} = 1$ 

u	1	<b>e</b> <sub>1</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	1
ū	1	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	$-e_{23}$	$-e_{31}$	$-e_{12}$	$-e_{41}$	$-e_{42}$	$-e_{43}$	$-\mathbf{e}_1$	$-\mathbf{e}_2$	$-\mathbf{e}_3$	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	1
<u>u</u>	1	$-e_{423}$	$-e_{431}$	$-e_{412}$	$-e_{321}$	$-e_{23}$	$-e_{31}$	$-e_{12}$	$-e_{41}$	$-e_{42}$	$-e_{43}$	$\mathbf{e}_1$	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	1

# Antiproducts

- Antiwedge product denoted by  $\lor$
- Wedge product combines dimensions that are *present* 
  - Adds grades
- Antiwedge product combines dimensions that are absent
  - Adds antigrades

# **De Morgan Laws**

• Every operation with "anti" in name satisfies a De Morgan law:

$$\overline{\mathbf{a} \lor \mathbf{b}} = \overline{\mathbf{a}} \land \overline{\mathbf{b}}$$
  $\underline{\mathbf{a} \lor \mathbf{b}} = \underline{\mathbf{a}} \land \underline{\mathbf{b}}$ 

- To calculate anti-operation,
  - Take a complement of each input
  - Perform the regular operation
  - Take opposite complement of the result

### **4D Exterior Antiproduct**

#### Antiwedge Product $\mathbf{a} \lor \mathbf{b}$

ab	1	<b>e</b> <sub>1</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	1
1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
<b>e</b> <sub>1</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	$\mathbf{e}_1$
<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	0	0	$\mathbf{e}_1$	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	0	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_2$	0	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_3$	0	<b>e</b> <sub>1</sub>	0	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_1$	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	0	-1	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_3$	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	0	$-e_{43}$	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	0	0	-1	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	0	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	0	$-\mathbf{e}_1$	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	0	$-e_{41}$	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	0	0	0	-1	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	$-\mathbf{e}_2$	<b>e</b> <sub>1</sub>	0	$-e_{42}$	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	0	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	0	0	0	0	-1	$\mathbf{e}_1$	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	$-e_{23}$	$-e_{31}$	$-e_{12}$	0	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>
1	1	$\mathbf{e}_1$	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	1

## Point



# **Special Points**

- The origin is simply the point  $\mathbf{e}_4$
- Point with zero weight lies at infinity in (x, y, z) direction
- Points at infinity in opposite directions are equivalent

#### Line

$$\mathbf{p} \wedge \mathbf{q} = (q_x p_w - p_x q_w) \mathbf{e}_{41} + (q_y p_w - p_y q_w) \mathbf{e}_{42} + (q_z p_w - p_z q_w) \mathbf{e}_{43} + (p_y q_z - p_z q_y) \mathbf{e}_{23} + (p_z q_x - p_x q_z) \mathbf{e}_{31} + (p_x q_y - p_y q_x) \mathbf{e}_{12}$$



# Lines at Infinity

• Line with zero direction lies at infinity



#### Plane

$$\boldsymbol{l} \wedge \mathbf{p} = (l_{vy} p_z - l_{vz} p_y + l_{mx}) \overline{\mathbf{e}}_1 + (l_{vz} p_x - l_{vx} p_z + l_{my}) \overline{\mathbf{e}}_2 + (l_{vx} p_y - l_{vy} p_x + l_{mz}) \overline{\mathbf{e}}_3 - (l_{mx} p_x + l_{my} p_y + l_{mz} p_z) \overline{\mathbf{e}}_4$$



#### Horizon

- Plane with zero normal lies at infinity  $g_w \mathbf{e}_{321}$
- Contains all points at infinity, all lines at infinity
- Given special name *horizon*
- Complement of origin

# Join

#### Wedge product performs join operation

Join Operation	Illustration
Line containing points $\mathbf{p}$ and $\mathbf{q}$ .	p q
$\mathbf{p} \wedge \mathbf{q} = (p_w q_x - p_x q_w) \mathbf{e}_{41} + (p_w q_y - p_y q_w) \mathbf{e}_{42} + (p_w q_z - p_z q_w) \mathbf{e}_{43} + (p_y q_z - p_z q_y) \mathbf{e}_{23} + (p_z q_x - p_x q_z) \mathbf{e}_{31} + (p_x q_y - p_y q_x) \mathbf{e}_{12}$	$p \land q$
Plane containing line $l$ and point $\mathbf{p}$ .	$l \wedge p$
$l \wedge \mathbf{p} = (l_{vy}p_z - l_{vz}p_y + l_{mx}p_w)\mathbf{e}_{423} + (l_{vz}p_x - l_{vx}p_z + l_{my}p_w)\mathbf{e}_{431}$	• p
$+ (l_{vx}p_y - l_{vy}p_x + l_{mz}p_w)\mathbf{e}_{412} - (l_{mx}p_x + l_{my}p_y + l_{mz}p_z)\mathbf{e}_{321}$	• l

#### Meet

#### Antiwedge product performs meet operation

Meet Operation	Illustration
Line where planes $\mathbf{g}$ and $\mathbf{h}$ intersect. $\mathbf{g} \lor \mathbf{h} = (g_z h_y - g_y h_z) \mathbf{e}_{41} + (g_x h_z - g_z h_x) \mathbf{e}_{42} + (g_y h_x - g_x h_y) \mathbf{e}_{43}$ $+ (g_x h_w - g_w h_x) \mathbf{e}_{23} + (g_y h_w - g_w h_y) \mathbf{e}_{31} + (g_z h_w - g_w h_z) \mathbf{e}_{12}$	b g∨h
Point where plane <b>g</b> and line <i>l</i> intersect. $\mathbf{g} \lor \mathbf{l} = (g_z l_{my} - g_y l_{mz} + g_w l_{vx}) \mathbf{e}_1 + (g_x l_{mz} - g_z l_{mx} + g_w l_{vy}) \mathbf{e}_2 + (g_y l_{mx} - g_x l_{my} + g_w l_{vz}) \mathbf{e}_3 - (g_x l_{vx} + g_y l_{vy} + g_z l_{vz}) \mathbf{e}_4$	

# Duality

- Every object can be interpreted as two different things
- Every operation performs two different actions
- One interpretation corresponds to regular space
- The other interpretation corresponds to *antispace*

# Duality



## Exomorphisms

- Given an *n* x *n* linear transformation **m** that operates on vectors
- The exomorphism M is the 2<sup>n</sup> x 2<sup>n</sup> matrix that operates on the whole algebra
- Exomorphism preserves structure under the wedge product:

$$\mathbf{M}(\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b}) = (\mathbf{M}\mathbf{a}) \wedge (\mathbf{M}\mathbf{b})$$

### Exomorphisms

- Matrix **M** is block diagonal
- Each block has columns given by wedge products of columns of the original matrix m
- These are called *compound matrices* of **m**



#### **Translation Exomorphism**

$$\mathbf{m} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & t_x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & t_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$C_2(\mathbf{m}) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -t_z & t_y & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ t_z & 0 & -t_x & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -t_y & t_x & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$C_3(\mathbf{m}) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -t_x & -t_y & -t_z & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

### **The Metric Tensor**

• *n* x *n* matrix that defines dot products of vectors

# **Metric Exomorphism**

- The metric tensor is a linear transformation
- Thus, it can be extended to a full exomorphism matrix **G**
- There is also a metric *antiexomorphism*, or just "antimetric", that satisfies

$$\mathbb{G}\mathbf{u} = \underline{\mathbf{G}\overline{\mathbf{u}}} = \mathbf{G}\underline{\mathbf{u}}$$

# **Metric and Antimetric**



 $\mathbf{G}\mathbf{G} = \det(\mathbf{g})\mathbf{I}$ 

# **Bulk and Weight**

Multiplying 2<sup>n</sup>-dimensional multivector by metric or antimetric partitions into two pieces

• Bulk  $\mathbf{u}_{\bullet} = \mathbf{G}\mathbf{u}$  All components without factor  $\mathbf{e}_4$ 

• Weight  $\mathbf{u}_{\circ} = \mathbb{G}\mathbf{u}$  All components with factor  $\mathbf{e}_4$ 

### **Bulk and Weight of Point**

$$\mathbf{p} = p_x \mathbf{e}_1 + p_y \mathbf{e}_2 + p_z \mathbf{e}_3 + p_w \mathbf{e}_4$$
Position Weight

$$\mathbf{p}_{\bullet} = p_x \mathbf{e}_1 + p_y \mathbf{e}_2 + p_z \mathbf{e}_3$$
$$\mathbf{p}_{\circ} = p_w \mathbf{e}_4$$

### **Bulk and Weight of Line**

$$l = l_{vx} \mathbf{e}_{41} + l_{vy} \mathbf{e}_{42} + l_{vz} \mathbf{e}_{43} + l_{mx} \mathbf{e}_{23} + l_{my} \mathbf{e}_{31} + l_{mz} \mathbf{e}_{12}$$
  
Direction Moment

$$l_{\bullet} = l_{mx} \mathbf{e}_{23} + l_{my} \mathbf{e}_{31} + l_{mz} \mathbf{e}_{12}$$
$$l_{\circ} = l_{vx} \mathbf{e}_{41} + l_{vy} \mathbf{e}_{42} + l_{vz} \mathbf{e}_{43}$$

#### **Bulk and Weight of Plane**



$$\mathbf{g}_{\bullet} = g_{w} \mathbf{e}_{321}$$
$$\mathbf{g}_{\circ} = g_{x} \mathbf{e}_{423} + g_{y} \mathbf{e}_{431} + g_{z} \mathbf{e}_{412}$$

# **Bulk and Weight**

- Bulk contains positional information
- Weight contains directional information
- If the bulk is zero, then the object contains the origin
- If the weight zero, then the horizon contains the object
#### **Inner Product**

• Dot product defined by metric:

$$\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = (\mathbf{a}^{\mathrm{T}}\mathbf{G}\mathbf{b})\mathbf{1}$$

• Antidot product defined by antimetric:

$$\mathbf{a} \circ \mathbf{b} = (\mathbf{a}^{\mathrm{T}} \mathbb{G} \mathbf{b}) \mathbb{1}$$

• Satisfies De Morgan law:  $\mathbf{a} \circ \mathbf{b} = \underline{\mathbf{a}} \bullet \underline{\mathbf{b}}$ 

# **Bulk and Weight Norms**

- Two dot products produce two norms
- Bulk norm:  $\|\mathbf{u}\|_{\bullet} = \sqrt{\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{u}}$
- Weight norm:  $\|\mathbf{u}\|_{o} = \sqrt{\mathbf{u} \circ \mathbf{u}}$

# **Bulk and Weight Norms**

Туре	Bulk Norm	Weight Norm
Point <b>p</b>	$\ \mathbf{p}\ _{\bullet} = 1\sqrt{p_x^2 + p_y^2 + p_z^2}$	$\ \mathbf{p}\ _{o} =  p_{w}  \mathbb{1}$
Line <i>l</i>	$\ \boldsymbol{l}\ _{\bullet} = 1\sqrt{l_{mx}^2 + l_{my}^2 + l_{mz}^2}$	$\ \boldsymbol{l}\ _{O} = \mathbb{1}\sqrt{l_{vx}^2 + l_{vy}^2 + l_{vz}^2}$
Plane <b>g</b>	$\ \mathbf{g}\ _{\bullet} =  g_{w} 1$	$\ \mathbf{g}\ _{\rm O} = \mathbb{1}\sqrt{g_x^2 + g_y^2 + g_z^2}$

# Unitization

• An object is *unitized* when its weight has magnitude one

Туре	Definition	Unitization
Point <b>p</b>	$\mathbf{p} = p_x \mathbf{e}_1 + p_y \mathbf{e}_2 + p_z \mathbf{e}_3 + p_w \mathbf{e}_4$	$p_{w}^{2} = 1$
Line <i>l</i>	$\boldsymbol{l} = l_{vx}  \mathbf{e}_{41} + l_{vy}  \mathbf{e}_{42} + l_{vz}  \mathbf{e}_{43} + l_{mx}  \mathbf{e}_{23} + l_{my}  \mathbf{e}_{31} + l_{mz}  \mathbf{e}_{12}$	$l_{vx}^2 + l_{vy}^2 + l_{vz}^2 = 1$
Plane <b>g</b>	$\mathbf{g} = g_x \mathbf{e}_{423} + g_y \mathbf{e}_{431} + g_z \mathbf{e}_{412} + g_w \mathbf{e}_{321}$	$g_x^2 + g_y^2 + g_z^2 = 1$

# **Geometric Norm**

- Bulk and weight norms by themselves not meaningful
- But add them, and result is a *homogeneous magnitude*
- Represents distance from origin
- Called the geometric norm

$$\|\mathbf{u}\| = \|\mathbf{u}\|_{\bullet} + \|\mathbf{u}\|_{\circ} = \sqrt{\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{u}} + \sqrt{\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{u}}$$

• Can be unitized by making weight one

# **Geometric Norm**

Туре	Geometric Norm	Interpretation
Point <b>p</b>	$\ \widehat{\mathbf{p}}\  = \frac{\sqrt{p_x^2 + p_y^2 + p_z^2}}{ p_w }$	Distance from the origin to the point <b>p</b> .
Line <i>l</i>	$\widehat{\ l\ } = \frac{\sqrt{l_{mx}^2 + l_{my}^2 + l_{mz}^2}}{\sqrt{l_{vx}^2 + l_{vy}^2 + l_{vz}^2}}$	Perpendicular distance from the origin to the line <i>l</i> .
Plane <b>g</b>	$\ \widehat{\mathbf{g}}\  = \frac{ g_w }{\sqrt{g_x^2 + g_y^2 + g_z^2}}$	Perpendicular distance from the origin to the plane <b>g</b> .

#### **Euclidean Distance**

Distance Formula	Illustration
Distance <i>d</i> between points <b>p</b> and <b>q</b> . $d(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q}) = \ \mathbf{q}_{xyz} p_w - \mathbf{p}_{xyz} q_w \  1 +  p_w q_w  1$	p $q$ $d$
Perpendicular distance <i>d</i> between point <b>p</b> and line <i>l</i> . $d(\mathbf{p}, l) = \ l_{\mathbf{v}} \times \mathbf{p}_{xyz} + p_{w}l_{\mathbf{m}}\ 1 + \ p_{w}l_{\mathbf{v}}\ 1$	d $p$ $l$
Perpendicular distance <i>d</i> between point <b>p</b> and plane <b>g</b> . $d(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{g}) = (\mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{g})1 +   p_w \mathbf{g}_{xyz}  1$	p d g
Perpendicular distance <i>d</i> between skew lines <i>l</i> and <b>k</b> . $d(l, \mathbf{k}) = -(l_v \cdot \mathbf{k}_m + l_m \cdot \mathbf{k}_v)1 +   l_v \times \mathbf{k}_v  1$	k d l

# **Euclidean Angle**

Angle Formula	Illustration
Cosine of angle $\phi$ between planes <b>g</b> and <b>h</b> . $\cos \phi (\mathbf{g}, \mathbf{h}) = (\mathbf{g}_{xyz} \cdot \mathbf{h}_{xyz}) 1 +   \mathbf{g}  _{o}   \mathbf{h}  _{o}$	h g
Cosine of angle $\phi$ between plane <b>g</b> and line <i>l</i> . $\cos \phi (\mathbf{g}, l) = \ \mathbf{g}_{xyz} \times l_v\  1 + \ \mathbf{g}\ _0 \ l\ _0$	g
Cosine of angle $\phi$ between lines $l$ and $\mathbf{k}$ . $\cos \phi (l, \mathbf{k}) = (l_v \cdot \mathbf{k}_v) 1 +   l  _0   \mathbf{k}  _0$	k k

# **Bulk and Weight Duals**

• Multiply by metric or antimetric, then take complement

• Bulk dual: 
$$\mathbf{u}^{\star} = \overline{\mathbf{G}\mathbf{u}}$$

• Weight dual: 
$$\mathbf{u}^{\texttt{tr}} = \overline{\mathbb{G}\mathbf{u}}$$

#### **Bulk and Weight Duals**

u	1	$\mathbf{e}_1$	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	1
u*	1	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	0	0	0	0	$-e_{41}$	$-e_{42}$	$-e_{43}$	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	0
u★	1	$-e_{423}$	$-e_{431}$	$-e_{412}$	0	0	0	0	$-e_{41}$	$-e_{42}$	$-e_{43}$	0	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	0
u☆	0	0	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	$-e_{23}$	$-e_{31}$	$-e_{12}$	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_1$	$-\mathbf{e}_2$	$-\mathbf{e}_3$	0	1
u☆	0	0	0	0	$-e_{321}$	$-e_{23}$	$-e_{31}$	$-e_{12}$	0	0	0	$\mathbf{e}_1$	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	0	1

# **Interior Products**

• Two exterior products combined with two duals

 $\mathbf{a} \lor \mathbf{b}^{\ddagger}$ 

 $\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b}^{\star}$ 

- Four *interior* products
- Bulk contraction  $\mathbf{a} \lor \mathbf{b}^{\star}$
- Weight contraction
- Bulk expansion
- Weight expansion  $\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b}^{\diamond}$

# Weight Expansion

Expansion Operation	Illustration
Line containing point $\mathbf{p}$ and orthogonal to plane $\mathbf{g}$ .	$\mathbf{p} \wedge \mathbf{g}^{\diamond} \bigstar$
$\mathbf{p} \wedge \mathbf{g}^{\star} = -p_{w}g_{x}\mathbf{e}_{41} - p_{w}g_{y}\mathbf{e}_{42} - p_{w}g_{z}\mathbf{e}_{43} + (p_{z}g_{y} - p_{y}g_{z})\mathbf{e}_{23} + (p_{x}g_{z} - p_{z}g_{x})\mathbf{e}_{31} + (p_{y}g_{x} - p_{x}g_{y})\mathbf{e}_{12}$	g
Plane containing point <b>p</b> and orthogonal to line <i>l</i> .	l 🖡
$\mathbf{p} \wedge \mathbf{l}^{\bigstar} = -p_{w}l_{vx}\mathbf{e}_{423} - p_{w}l_{vy}\mathbf{e}_{431} - p_{w}l_{vz}\mathbf{e}_{412}$	• <b>p</b>
$+\left(p_{x}l_{vx}+p_{y}l_{vy}+p_{z}l_{vz}\right)\mathbf{e}_{321}$	$\mathbf{p} \wedge l^{\star}$
Plane containing line <i>l</i> and orthogonal to plane <b>g</b> .	$l \wedge \mathbf{g}^{\bigstar}$
$\boldsymbol{l} \wedge \mathbf{g}^{\bigstar} = (l_{vy}g_z - l_{vz}g_y)\mathbf{e}_{423} + (l_{vz}g_x - l_{vx}g_z)\mathbf{e}_{431} + (l_{vx}g_y - l_{vy}g_x)\mathbf{e}_{412}$	
$-\left(l_{mx}g_x+l_{my}g_y+l_{mz}g_z\right)\mathbf{e}_{321}$	g

# **Orthogonal Projection**

Projection Operation	Illustration
Orthogonal projection of point <b>p</b> onto plane <b>g</b> . $\mathbf{g} \lor \left( \mathbf{p} \land \mathbf{g}^{\star} \right) = \left( g_x^2 + g_y^2 + g_z^2 \right) \left( p_x \mathbf{e}_1 + p_y \mathbf{e}_2 + p_z \mathbf{e}_3 + p_w \mathbf{e}_4 \right) \\ - \left( g_x p_x + g_y p_y + g_z p_z + g_w p_w \right) \left( g_x \mathbf{e}_1 + g_y \mathbf{e}_2 + g_z \mathbf{e}_3 \right)$	p • g
Orthogonal projection of point $\mathbf{p}$ onto line $\mathbf{l}$ . $\mathbf{l} \lor (\mathbf{p} \land \mathbf{l}^{\bigstar}) = (l_{vx}p_x + l_{vy}p_y + l_{vz}p_z)(l_{vx}\mathbf{e}_1 + l_{vy}\mathbf{e}_2 + l_{vz}\mathbf{e}_3) + (l_{vx}^2 + l_{vy}^2 + l_{vz}^2)p_w\mathbf{e}_4$ $+ (l_{vy}l_{mz} - l_{vz}l_{my})p_w\mathbf{e}_1 + (l_{vz}l_{mx} - l_{vx}l_{mz})p_w\mathbf{e}_2 + (l_{vx}l_{my} - l_{vy}l_{mx})p_w\mathbf{e}_3$	
Orthogonal projection of line <i>l</i> onto plane <b>g</b> . $\mathbf{g} \lor (\mathbf{l} \land \mathbf{g}^{\bigstar}) = (g_x^2 + g_y^2 + g_z^2)(l_{vx}\mathbf{e}_{41} + l_{vy}\mathbf{e}_{42} + l_{vz}\mathbf{e}_{43}) \\ -(g_x l_{vx} + g_y l_{vy} + g_z l_{vz})(g_x \mathbf{e}_{41} + g_y \mathbf{e}_{42} + g_z \mathbf{e}_{43}) \\ +(g_x l_{mx} + g_y l_{my} + g_z l_{mz})(g_x \mathbf{e}_{23} + g_y \mathbf{e}_{31} + g_z \mathbf{e}_{12}) \\ +(g_z l_{vy} - g_y l_{vz})g_w \mathbf{e}_{23} + (g_x l_{vz} - g_z l_{vx})g_w \mathbf{e}_{31} + (g_y l_{vx} - g_x l_{vy})g_w \mathbf{e}_{12}$	g

# **Central Projection**

Projection Operation	Illustration
Central projection of point <b>p</b> onto plane <b>g</b> . $\mathbf{g} \lor (\mathbf{p} \land \mathbf{g}^{\star}) = g_w^2 (p_x \mathbf{e}_1 + p_y \mathbf{e}_2 + p_z \mathbf{e}_3) \\ -(g_x p_x + g_y p_y + g_z p_z) g_w \mathbf{e}_4$	• p g • • o •
Central projection of point $\mathbf{p}$ onto line $\mathbf{l}$ . $\mathbf{l} \lor (\mathbf{p} \land \mathbf{l}^{\star}) = (l_{mx}^2 + l_{my}^2 + l_{mz}^2)(p_x \mathbf{e}_1 + p_y \mathbf{e}_2 + p_z \mathbf{e}_3)$ $-(l_{mx} p_x + l_{my} p_y + l_{mz} p_z)(l_{mx} \mathbf{e}_1 + l_{my} \mathbf{e}_2 + l_{mz} \mathbf{e}_3)$ $+(l_{mx} (l_{vz} p_y - l_{vy} p_z) + l_{my} (l_{vx} p_z - l_{vz} p_x) + l_{mz} (l_{vy} p_x - l_{vx} p_y))\mathbf{e}_4$	p o •
Central projection of line $l$ onto plane $\mathbf{g}$ . $\mathbf{g} \lor (l \land \mathbf{g}^{\star}) = (g_y l_{mz} - g_z l_{my}) g_w \mathbf{e}_{41} + g_w^2 l_{mx} \mathbf{e}_{23}$ $+ (g_z l_{mx} - g_x l_{mz}) g_w \mathbf{e}_{42} + g_w^2 l_{my} \mathbf{e}_{31}$ $+ (g_x l_{my} - g_y l_{mx}) g_w \mathbf{e}_{43} + g_w^2 l_{mz} \mathbf{e}_{12}$	g

# **Orthogonal Antiprojection**



# **Central Antiprojection**

Projection Operation	Illustration
Central antiprojection of plane <b>g</b> onto point <b>p</b> . $\mathbf{p} \wedge (\mathbf{g} \vee \mathbf{p}^{\star}) = \left[ \left( p_y^2 + p_z^2 \right) g_x - \left( p_y g_y + p_z g_z + p_w g_w \right) p_x \right] \mathbf{e}_{423} \\ + \left[ \left( p_z^2 + p_x^2 \right) g_y - \left( p_x g_x + p_z g_z + p_w g_w \right) p_y \right] \mathbf{e}_{431} \\ + \left[ \left( p_x^2 + p_y^2 \right) g_z - \left( p_x g_x + p_y g_y + p_w g_w \right) p_z \right] \mathbf{e}_{412} \\ + \left( p_x^2 + p_y^2 + p_z^2 \right) g_w \mathbf{e}_{321}$	p <sup>★</sup> g∨p <sup>★</sup>
Central antiprojection of line <i>l</i> onto point <b>p</b> . $\mathbf{p} \wedge (\mathbf{l} \vee \mathbf{p}^{\star}) = (p_x l_{vx} + p_y l_{vy} + p_z l_{vz}) (p_x \mathbf{e}_{41} + p_y \mathbf{e}_{42} + p_z \mathbf{e}_{43}) \\ + (p_y^2 + p_z^2) l_{mx} \mathbf{e}_{23} + (p_z^2 + p_x^2) l_{my} \mathbf{e}_{31} + (p_x^2 + p_y^2) l_{mz} \mathbf{e}_{12} \\ + (p_z l_{my} - p_y l_{mz}) p_w \mathbf{e}_{41} - (p_y l_{my} + p_z l_{mz}) p_x \mathbf{e}_{23} \\ + (p_x l_{mz} - p_z l_{mx}) p_w \mathbf{e}_{42} - (p_z l_{mz} + p_x l_{mx}) p_y \mathbf{e}_{31} \\ + (p_y l_{mx} - p_x l_{my}) p_w \mathbf{e}_{43} - (p_x l_{mx} + p_y l_{my}) p_z \mathbf{e}_{12}$	
Central antiprojection of plane <b>g</b> onto line <i>l</i> . $l \wedge (\mathbf{g} \vee l^{\star}) = (l_{mx}g_x + l_{my}g_y + l_{mz}g_z)(l_{mx}\mathbf{e}_{423} + l_{my}\mathbf{e}_{431} + l_{mz}\mathbf{e}_{412}) + (l_{my}l_{vz} - l_{mz}l_{vy})g_w\mathbf{e}_{423} + (l_{mz}l_{vx} - l_{mx}l_{vz})g_w\mathbf{e}_{431} + (l_{mx}l_{vy} - l_{my}l_{vx})g_w\mathbf{e}_{412} + (l_{mx}^2 + l_{my}^2 + l_{mz}^2)g_w\mathbf{e}_{321}$	$g$ $g \lor l^{\star}$ $g \lor l^{\star}$

# **Geometric Product**

- Historically denoted by juxtaposition without symbol
- But there is always product and antiproduct
- We use upward and downward wedge with dot inside
- Geometric product  $\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b}$
- Geometric antiproduct  $\mathbf{a} \lor \mathbf{b}$
- "Wedge-dot" and "Antiwedge-dot"

# **Geometric Product**

- Defined by slightly different property compared to exterior product
- For vectors,  $\mathbf{V} \wedge \mathbf{V} = \mathbf{V} \bullet \mathbf{V}$
- Geometric product depends on the metric

#### **4D Geometric Product**

#### Geometric Product $\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b}$

a b	1	$\mathbf{e}_1$	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	$\mathbf{e}_{41}$	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	1
1	1	<b>e</b> <sub>1</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	1
<b>e</b> <sub>1</sub>	$\mathbf{e}_1$	1	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	$-e_{31}$	$-e_{41}$	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	$-e_{412}$	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	- <b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_3$	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	1	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	$-e_{42}$	$-e_{23}$	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	$-e_{12}$	1	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	$-e_{42}$	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	$-e_{423}$	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	- <b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_1$	$-e_{43}$	1	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	$-e_{31}$	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	$-e_{23}$	1	$-e_{43}$	$-e_{431}$	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	$-\mathbf{e}_2$	<b>e</b> <sub>1</sub>	- <b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	$-e_{41}$	1	$-e_{12}$	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	0	0	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	0	0	0	1	0
<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	$-e_{431}$	0	0	0	0	-1	$-e_{43}$	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	0	0	0	- <b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	0
<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	$-e_{412}$	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	0	0	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	-1	$-{\bf e}_{41}$	0	0	0	$-e_{431}$	0
<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	$-e_{423}$	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	0	0	0	0	$-e_{42}$	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	-1	0	0	0	$-e_{412}$	0
<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	$-e_{321}$	$-\mathbf{e}_3$	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	-1	$-e_{43}$	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	-1	$-e_{12}$	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	$-e_{412}$	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>1</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	$-e_{321}$	$-\mathbf{e}_1$	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	-1	$-e_{41}$	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	-1	- <b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	- <b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_2$	$\mathbf{e}_1$	$-e_{321}$	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	$-e_{42}$	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	-1	$-e_{31}$	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	-1	$-e_{431}$	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	-1	$-e_{43}$	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	0	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	$-e_{412}$	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	0	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	0
<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	-1	$-e_{41}$	0	0	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	- <b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	0	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	0
<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	$-e_{42}$	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	-1	0	0	0	0	- <b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	0	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	0
<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	$-e_{23}$	$-e_{31}$	$-e_{12}$	-1	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>1</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	$-{\bf e}_{41}$	$-e_{42}$	$-e_{43}$	-1	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>
1	1	$-e_{423}$	$-e_{431}$	$-e_{412}$	0	0	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	0

# **Geometric Antiproduct**

• Defined by De Morgan law:

$$\mathbf{a} \lor \mathbf{b} = \underline{\mathbf{a}} \land \underline{\mathbf{b}}$$

• Antivector **u** squares to antidot product:

 $\mathbf{u} \lor \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{u} \circ \mathbf{u}$ 

# **4D Geometric Antiproduct**

#### Geometric Antiproduct $\mathbf{a} \lor \mathbf{b}$

a b	1	$\mathbf{e}_1$	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	1
1	0	0	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	0	0	0	$\mathbf{e}_1$	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	0	1
<b>e</b> <sub>1</sub>	0	0	0	0	$-e_{23}$	$-e_{321}$	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_2$	0	0	0	1	$-e_{12}$	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	0	$\mathbf{e}_1$
<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	0	0	0	0	$-e_{31}$	$-\mathbf{e}_3$	$-e_{321}$	$\mathbf{e}_1$	0	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	1	$-e_{23}$	0	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	0	0	0	0	$-e_{12}$	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_1$	$-e_{321}$	0	0	0	$-e_{31}$	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	1	0	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	$-e_{321}$	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	-1	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_1$	$-\mathbf{e}_2$	$-\mathbf{e}_3$	$-e_{41}$	$-e_{42}$	$-e_{43}$	1	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	$-e_{321}$	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_2$	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	-1	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	$-e_{42}$	-1	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	$-e_{31}$	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	$-e_{431}$	$\mathbf{e}_1$	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_3$	$-e_{321}$	$\mathbf{e}_1$	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	$-e_{43}$	-1	$\mathbf{e}_{41}$	$-e_{12}$	-1	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	$-e_{412}$	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_1$	$-e_{321}$	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	$-e_{41}$	-1	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	$-e_{23}$	-1	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	$-e_{423}$	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	0	0	0	0	$\mathbf{e}_1$	-1	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	$-e_{31}$	0	0	0	$-e_{321}$	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_2$	0	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	0	0	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	$-e_{12}$	-1	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_3$	$-e_{321}$	<b>e</b> <sub>1</sub>	0	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	0	0	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	$-e_{23}$	-1	0	0	0	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_1$	$-e_{321}$	0	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>
<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_1$	-1	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	$-{\bf e}_{31}$	$-e_{41}$	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	$-e_{431}$	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	$-\mathbf{e}_3$	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	1	$-e_{43}$	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>
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# **Geometric Product**

- Geometric product in 4D space fixes the origin
- Cannot perform transformations we want
- Geometric antiproduct performs Euclidean isometries
- Uses sandwiching similar to quaternions

#### **Proper Euclidean Isometries**



#### **Improper Euclidean Isometries**



# **Reverse and Antireverse**

- Reverse  $\tilde{\boldsymbol{u}}$  multiplies vectors in reverse order
  - (with geometric product)
- Antireverse **u** multiplies antivectors in reverse order
  - (with geometric antiproduct)

u	1	$\mathbf{e}_1$	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>41</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>42</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>43</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>23</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>31</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>12</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	1
ũ	1	$\mathbf{e}_1$	<b>e</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>4</sub>	$-e_{41}$	$-e_{42}$	$-e_{43}$	$-e_{23}$	$-e_{31}$	$-e_{12}$	$-e_{423}$	$-e_{431}$	$-e_{412}$	$-e_{321}$	1
ų	1	$-\mathbf{e}_1$	$-\mathbf{e}_2$	$-\mathbf{e}_3$	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	$-e_{41}$	$-e_{42}$	$-e_{43}$	$-e_{23}$	$-e_{31}$	$-e_{12}$	<b>e</b> <sub>423</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>431</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>412</sub>	<b>e</b> <sub>321</sub>	1

# **Geometric Antiproduct**

- Sandwiches with geometric antiproduct perform Euclidean isometries
- Motor = MOtion operaTOR
- Flector = reFLECtion operaTOR

#### Motor

• General form of a motor:

$$\mathbf{Q} = Q_{vx} \mathbf{e}_{41} + Q_{vy} \mathbf{e}_{42} + Q_{vz} \mathbf{e}_{43} + Q_{vw} \mathbf{1} + Q_{mx} \mathbf{e}_{23} + Q_{my} \mathbf{e}_{31} + Q_{mz} \mathbf{e}_{12} + Q_{mw} \mathbf{1}$$
  
Rotation Quaternion Moment and Displacement

• Performs any combination of rotations and translations

$$\mathbf{u}' = \mathbf{Q} \forall \mathbf{u} \forall \mathbf{Q}$$

### Motor



$$\mathbf{Q} = \exp_{\forall} \left[ \left( \delta \mathbf{1} + \varphi \mathbf{1} \right) \forall \mathbf{l} \right] = \mathbf{l} \sin \varphi - \mathbf{l}^{\ddagger} \delta \cos \varphi - \delta \sin \varphi + \mathbf{1} \cos \varphi$$

#### Flector

• General form of a flector:

$$\mathbf{F} = F_{px} \mathbf{e}_1 + F_{py} \mathbf{e}_2 + F_{pz} \mathbf{e}_3 + F_{pw} \mathbf{e}_4 + F_{gx} \mathbf{e}_{423} + F_{gy} \mathbf{e}_{431} + F_{gz} \mathbf{e}_{412} + F_{gw} \mathbf{e}_{321}$$
Point Plane

• Performs any combination of rotoreflections



 $\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{p}\sin\varphi + \mathbf{g}\cos\varphi$ 

# **Motor-Point Transformation**

• 25 multiply-adds:

$$\mathbf{p}'_{xyz} = \mathbf{p}_{xyz} + 2\left(Q_{vw}\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{a} - Q_{mw}p_{w}\mathbf{v}\right)$$
$$p'_{w} = p_{w}$$
$$\mathbf{v} = \left(Q_{vx}, Q_{vy}, Q_{vz}\right)$$
$$\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{p}_{xyz} + p_{w}\mathbf{m}$$
$$\mathbf{w} = \left(Q_{mx}, Q_{my}, Q_{mz}\right)$$

3x4 matrix transformation only requires 12 multiply-adds

## **Motor-Line Transformation**

• 54 multiply-adds:

$$\boldsymbol{l}_{\mathbf{v}}' = \boldsymbol{l}_{\mathbf{v}} + 2\left(\boldsymbol{Q}_{vw}\boldsymbol{a} + \boldsymbol{v} \times \boldsymbol{a}\right)$$

$$\boldsymbol{l}_{\mathbf{m}}^{\prime} = \boldsymbol{l}_{\mathbf{m}} + 2\left[Q_{mw}\mathbf{a} + Q_{vw}\left(\mathbf{b} + \mathbf{c}\right) + \mathbf{v} \times \left(\mathbf{b} + \mathbf{c}\right) + \mathbf{m} \times \mathbf{a}\right]$$

$$\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{v} \times \boldsymbol{l}_{\mathbf{v}}$$
  $\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{v} \times \boldsymbol{l}_{\mathbf{m}}$   $\mathbf{c} = \mathbf{m} \times \boldsymbol{l}_{\mathbf{v}}$ 

• 6x6 matrix transformation only requires 27 multiply-adds

#### **Motor-Plane Transformation**

• 35 multiply-adds:

$$\mathbf{g}_{xyz}' = \mathbf{g}_{xyz} + 2\left(Q_{vw}\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{a}\right)$$
$$\mathbf{g}_{w}' = g_{w} + 2\left[\left(\mathbf{m} \times \mathbf{g}_{xyz} + Q_{mw}\mathbf{g}_{xyz}\right) \cdot \mathbf{v} - Q_{vw}\left(\mathbf{m} \cdot \mathbf{g}_{xyz}\right)\right]$$

$$\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{g}_{xyz}$$

4x4 matrix transformation only requires 13 multiply-adds

#### **Motor to Matrix**

$$\mathbf{A}_{\mathbf{Q}} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 - 2\left(Q_{vy}^{2} + Q_{vz}^{2}\right) & 2Q_{vx}Q_{vy} & 2Q_{vz}Q_{vx} & 2\left(Q_{vy}Q_{mz} - Q_{vz}Q_{my}\right) \end{bmatrix} \\ 2Q_{vx}Q_{vy} & 1 - 2\left(Q_{vz}^{2} + Q_{vx}^{2}\right) & 2Q_{vy}Q_{vz} & 2\left(Q_{vz}Q_{mx} - Q_{vx}Q_{mz}\right) \\ 2Q_{vz}Q_{vx} & 2Q_{vy}Q_{vz} & 1 - 2\left(Q_{vx}^{2} + Q_{vy}^{2}\right) & 2\left(Q_{vx}Q_{my} - Q_{vy}Q_{mx}\right) \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{Q}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -2Q_{vz}Q_{vw} & 2Q_{vy}Q_{vw} & 2(Q_{vw}Q_{mx} - Q_{vx}Q_{mw}) \\ 2Q_{vz}Q_{vw} & 0 & -2Q_{vx}Q_{vw} & 2(Q_{vw}Q_{my} - Q_{vy}Q_{mw}) \\ -2Q_{vy}Q_{vw} & 2Q_{vx}Q_{vw} & 0 & 2(Q_{vw}Q_{mz} - Q_{vz}Q_{mw}) \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

 $\mathbf{M}_{\mathbf{Q}} = \mathbf{A}_{\mathbf{Q}} + \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{Q}} \qquad \qquad \mathbf{M}_{\mathbf{Q}}^{-1} = \mathbf{A}_{\mathbf{Q}} - \mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{Q}}$ 

# **Motor Composition**

#### • 48 multiply-adds:

$$Q \forall \mathbf{R} = (Q_{vw}R_{vx} + Q_{vx}R_{vw} + Q_{vy}R_{vz} - Q_{vz}R_{vy})\mathbf{e}_{41} + (Q_{vw}R_{vy} - Q_{vx}R_{vz} + Q_{vy}R_{vw} + Q_{vz}R_{vx})\mathbf{e}_{42} + (Q_{vw}R_{vz} + Q_{vx}R_{vy} - Q_{vy}R_{vx} + Q_{vz}R_{vw})\mathbf{e}_{43} + (Q_{vw}R_{vw} - Q_{vx}R_{vx} - Q_{vy}R_{vy} - Q_{vz}R_{vz})\mathbf{1} + (Q_{mw}R_{vx} + Q_{mx}R_{vw} + Q_{my}R_{vz} - Q_{mz}R_{vy} + Q_{vw}R_{mx} + Q_{vx}R_{mw} + Q_{vy}R_{mz} - Q_{vz}R_{my})\mathbf{e}_{23} + (Q_{mw}R_{vy} - Q_{mx}R_{vz} + Q_{my}R_{vw} + Q_{mz}R_{vx} + Q_{vw}R_{my} - Q_{vx}R_{mz} + Q_{vy}R_{mw} + Q_{vz}R_{mx})\mathbf{e}_{31} + (Q_{mw}R_{vz} + Q_{mx}R_{vy} - Q_{my}R_{vx} + Q_{mz}R_{vw} + Q_{vw}R_{mz} + Q_{vx}R_{my} - Q_{vy}R_{mx} + Q_{vz}R_{mw})\mathbf{e}_{12} + (Q_{mw}R_{vw} - Q_{mx}R_{vx} - Q_{my}R_{vy} - Q_{mz}R_{vz} + Q_{vw}R_{mw} - Q_{vx}R_{mx} - Q_{vy}R_{my} - Q_{vz}R_{mz})\mathbf{1}$$

Composition of equiv 3x4 matrices requires 33 multiply-adds

# **Matrix Advantages**

- Can represent more transformations
- Can read off origin and axis directions in transformed space
- Faster to transform objects
- Faster to compose
#### **Motor Advantages**

- Smaller storage requirements
  - Usually 8 floats, but can reduce to 6
- Inversion is trivial
  - Just reverse, negating bivector components
- Better parameterization
- Better interpolation properties

# **Conformal Geometric Algebra**

- Adds two extra projective dimensions
  - One is stereographic projection
- Can represent round objects
  - With real, imaginary, or null radii
- Flat objects are round objects with infinite radius

### **Round Point**

Vector



# Dipole

• Bivector



### Circle

• Trivector



# Sphere

Quadrivector



# Operations

- Contains all operations from projective algebra
- Plus many conformal operations as well

#### **Circle Rotations**

Real Circle / Elliptic Rotation  $\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{c} \sin \phi + \mathbb{1} \cos \phi$ 



Imaginary Circle / Hyperbolic Rotation  $\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{c} \sinh \phi + \mathbb{1} \cosh \phi$ 



Null Circle / Parabolic Rotation  $\mathbf{R} = \phi \mathbf{c} + \mathbb{1}$ 



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