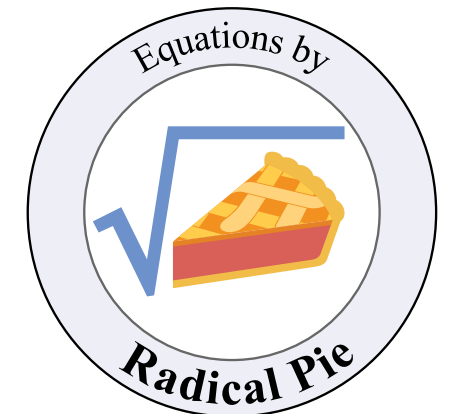
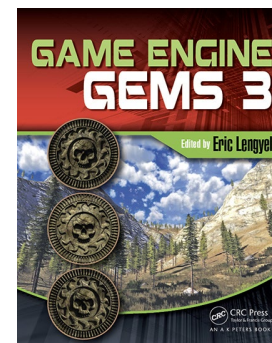
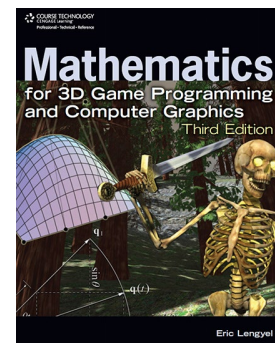
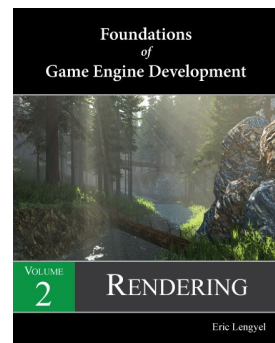
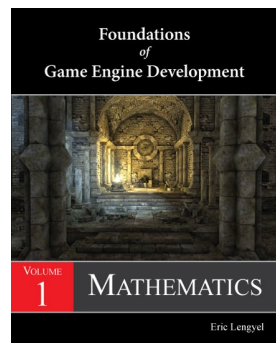
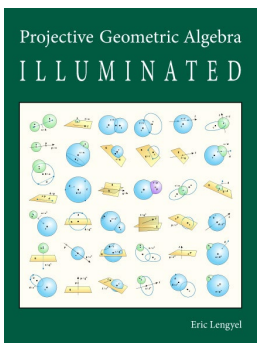


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A Vast Subject Area

- No hope of covering all the fundamentals in one hour
- This talk is an introduction that paints the big picture

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Basic Elements

Type	Values	Grade / Antigrade
Scalar	1	0/4
Vectors	e_1, e_2, e_3	1/3
Bivectors	$e_{12} = e_1 \wedge e_2, e_{13} = e_1 \wedge e_3, e_{23} = e_2 \wedge e_3$	2/2
Trivectors / Antivectors	$e_{123} = e_1 \wedge e_2 \wedge e_3$	3/1
Antiscalar	$\mathbb{I} = e_1 \wedge e_2 \wedge e_3, e_4$	4/0

Metric

$G = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$

$G_{ij} = G_{ji} = \delta_{ij}$ $G_{44} = -1$ $G_{ij} = 0$ for $i \neq j$

$G(a \wedge b) = G(a)G(b)$ $G(a \vee b) = G(a)G(b)$

Unary Operations

Operation	Description	Identities
\bar{u}	Right complement of u	$u \wedge \bar{u} = 1$ $u \vee \bar{u} = 1$
\underline{u}	Left complement of u	$\bar{u} \wedge u = 1$ $\bar{u} \vee u = 1$
$u_{\bullet} = \bar{G}u$	Bulk of u	$u_{\bullet} = u_{\bullet}$
$u_{\circ} = \underline{G}u$	Weight of u	$u_{\circ} = e_4 \wedge (u \vee \bar{u})$
$u^* = \bar{G}u_{\bullet}$	Right bulk dual of u	$u^* = \bar{u}_{\bullet}$ $u^* \wedge u = 0$
$u^{\circ} = \underline{G}u_{\circ}$	Right weight dual of u	$u^{\circ} = \bar{u}_{\circ}$ $u^{\circ} \wedge u = 0$
$\underline{u}_{\bullet} = \underline{G}u_{\bullet}$	Left bulk dual of u	$\underline{u}_{\bullet} = \bar{u}_{\bullet}$ $\underline{u}_{\bullet} \wedge u = 0$
$\underline{u}_{\circ} = \underline{G}u_{\circ}$	Left weight dual of u	$\underline{u}_{\circ} = \bar{u}_{\circ}$ $\underline{u}_{\circ} \wedge u = 0$
\bar{u}	Reverse of u	$\bar{\bar{u}} = u$
\underline{u}	Antireverse of u	$\underline{\underline{u}} = u$

Binary Operations

Operation	Description	Identities
$a \wedge b$	Exterior product Wedge product "a wedge b"	$a \wedge b = -b \wedge a$ $a \wedge a = 0$
$a \vee b$	Exterior antiproduct Antiwedge product "a antiveg b"	$a \vee b = (-1)^{p+1} b \wedge a$ $a \vee a = (-1)^{p+1} b \vee a$
$a \cdot b$	Inner product Dot product "a dot b"	$a \cdot b = a^{\circ} \cdot b^{\circ}$ $a \cdot b = b \cdot a$
$a \bullet b$	Inner antiproduct Antidot product "a antidot b"	$a \bullet b = -b \bullet a$ $a \bullet a = 0$
$a \Delta b$	Geometric product "a wedge-dot b"	$a \Delta b = a \wedge b + a \cdot b$
$a \nabla b$	Geometric antiproduct "a antiveg-dot b"	$a \nabla b = a \vee b + a \bullet b$
$a \vee b^*$	Bulk contraction	$a \vee (b \wedge c) = a \wedge b \vee c$
$a \wedge b^*$	Weight contraction	$a \wedge (b \vee c) = a \wedge b \wedge c$
$a \wedge b^{\circ}$	Bulk expansion	$a \wedge (b \wedge c) = a \wedge b \wedge c$
$a \wedge b^{\circ}$	Weight expansion	$a \wedge (b \vee c) = a \wedge b \vee c$

Norms

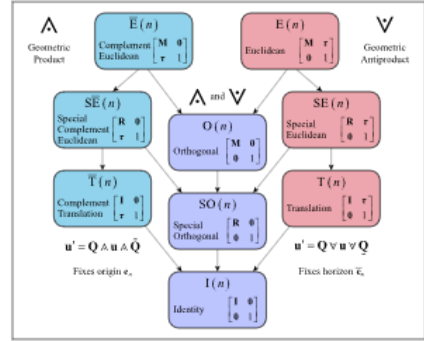
Definition	Description	Definition
$\ u\ _w = \sqrt{u \cdot u}$	Bulk norm of u	$\ u\ _w = \sqrt{u_{\bullet} \cdot u_{\bullet}}$
$\ u\ _o = \sqrt{u \circ u}$	Weight norm of u	$\ u\ _o = \sqrt{u_{\circ} \cdot u_{\circ}}$
$\ u\ = \sqrt{\ u\ _w^2 + \ u\ _o^2}$	Geometric norm of u	Projected geometric norm of u

Type	Projected Geometric Norm	Interpretation
Point p	$\ p\ = \sqrt{p^2 + p_{\circ}^2}$	Distance from origin to point p . Half distance that origin is moved by vector p .
Line l	$\ l\ = \sqrt{l^2 + l_{\circ}^2 + l_{\bullet}^2}$	Perpendicular distance from origin to line l . Half distance that origin is moved by motor l .
Plane g	$\ g\ = \sqrt{g^2 + g_{\circ}^2 + g_{\bullet}^2}$	Perpendicular distance from origin to plane g . Half distance that origin is moved by motor g .
Motor Q	$\ Q\ = \sqrt{Q^2 + Q_{\circ}^2 + Q_{\bullet}^2 + Q_{\circ}^{\circ}}$	Half distance that origin is moved by motor Q .
Flactor F	$\ F\ = \sqrt{F^2 + F_{\circ}^2 + F_{\bullet}^2 + F_{\circ}^{\circ}}$	Half distance that origin is moved by flactor F .

Euclidean Measurements

Distance of Between Objects	Cosine of Angle ϕ Between Objects
Distance of between points p and q : $d(p, q) = \ q_{\bullet} - p_{\bullet}\ $	Cosine of angle ϕ between vectors a and b : $\cos \phi(a, b) = \frac{a \cdot b}{\ a\ \ b\ }$
Perpendicular distance of between point p and line l : $d(p, l) = \ p_{\bullet} - p_{\bullet} \wedge l_{\bullet}\ $	Cosine of angle ϕ between plane g and line l : $\cos \phi(g, l) = \frac{l \cdot g_{\bullet}}{\ l\ \ g_{\bullet}\ }$
Perpendicular distance of between point p and plane g : $d(p, g) = \ p_{\bullet} - p_{\bullet} \wedge g_{\bullet}\ $	Cosine of angle ϕ between planes g and h : $\cos \phi(g, h) = \frac{g_{\bullet} \cdot h_{\bullet}}{\ g_{\bullet}\ \ h_{\bullet}\ }$
Perpendicular distance of between skew lines l and k : $d(l, k) = \ (l_{\bullet} \wedge k_{\bullet}) \cdot l_{\bullet}\ $	Cosine of angle ϕ between lines l and k : $\cos \phi(l, k) = \frac{(l_{\bullet} \wedge k_{\bullet}) \cdot l_{\bullet}}{\ l_{\bullet}\ \ k_{\bullet}\ }$

Transformation Groups



Distance Formula

Distance Formula	Illustration
Distance of between points p and q : $d(p, q) = \ q_{\bullet} - p_{\bullet}\ $	
Perpendicular distance of between point p and line l : $d(p, l) = \ p_{\bullet} - p_{\bullet} \wedge l_{\bullet}\ $	
Perpendicular distance of between point p and plane g : $d(p, g) = \ p_{\bullet} - p_{\bullet} \wedge g_{\bullet}\ $	
Perpendicular distance of between skew lines l and k : $d(l, k) = \ (l_{\bullet} \wedge k_{\bullet}) \cdot l_{\bullet}\ $	

Angle Formula

Angle Formula	Illustration
Cosine of angle ϕ between planes g and h : $\cos \phi(g, h) = \frac{g_{\bullet} \cdot h_{\bullet}}{\ g_{\bullet}\ \ h_{\bullet}\ }$	
Cosine of angle ϕ between plane g and line l : $\cos \phi(g, l) = \frac{l \cdot g_{\bullet}}{\ l\ \ g_{\bullet}\ }$	
Cosine of angle ϕ between lines l and k : $\cos \phi(l, k) = \frac{(l_{\bullet} \wedge k_{\bullet}) \cdot l_{\bullet}}{\ l_{\bullet}\ \ k_{\bullet}\ }$	

DISTANCE

ANGLE

Point p (Vector) 0D

$p = p_1 e_1 + p_2 e_2 + p_3 e_3 + p_4 e_4$

Position: $p = (p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4)$

Weight: $w = p_4$

Bulk: $p_{\bullet} = p_1 e_1 + p_2 e_2 + p_3 e_3$

Weight: $p_{\circ} = p_4 e_4$

Bulk dual: $p^{\bullet} = p_1 e_{12} + p_2 e_{13} + p_3 e_{23}$

Weight dual: $p^{\circ} = p_4 e_{123}$

Bulk norm: $\|p_{\bullet}\| = \sqrt{p_1^2 + p_2^2 + p_3^2}$

Weight norm: $\|p_{\circ}\| = |p_4|$

Altitude: $\text{alt}(p) = p \vee \bar{e}_4 = p_{\bullet}$

Right complement: $\bar{p} = p_1 e_{12} + p_2 e_{13} + p_3 e_{23} + p_4 e_{123}$

Degrees of freedom: $\text{DOF}(3, 0) = 3$

Line l (Bivector) 1D

$l = l_{12} e_{12} + l_{13} e_{13} + l_{23} e_{23}$

Direction: $l = (l_{12}, l_{13}, l_{23})$

Moment: $m = (m_{12}, m_{13}, m_{23})$

Bulk: $l_{\bullet} = l_{12} e_1 + l_{13} e_2 + l_{23} e_3$

Weight: $l_{\circ} = l_{12} e_{13} + l_{13} e_{23} + l_{23} e_{12}$

Bulk dual: $l^{\bullet} = -l_{12} e_3 - l_{13} e_2 - l_{23} e_1$

Weight dual: $l^{\circ} = -l_{12} e_1 - l_{13} e_2 - l_{23} e_3$

Bulk norm: $\|l_{\bullet}\| = \sqrt{l_{12}^2 + l_{13}^2 + l_{23}^2}$

Weight norm: $\|l_{\circ}\| = \sqrt{l_{12}^2 + l_{13}^2 + l_{23}^2}$

Altitude: $\text{alt}(l) = l \vee \bar{e}_4 = l_{\bullet} e_4 + l_{\circ} e_4$

Right complement: $\bar{l} = -l_{12} e_{13} - l_{13} e_{23} - l_{23} e_{12} - l_{123} e_{123}$

Degrees of freedom: $\text{DOF}(3, 1) = 4$

Constraints: $l_{\bullet} \cdot l_{\circ} = 0$

Plane g (Trivector) 2D

$g = g_{123} e_{123}$

Normal: $g = (g_{123})$

Position: $p = (p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4)$

Bulk: $g_{\bullet} = g_{123} e_{123}$

Weight: $g_{\circ} = g_{123} e_{123}$

Bulk dual: $g^{\bullet} = -g_{123} e_4$

Weight dual: $g^{\circ} = -g_{123} e_4$

Bulk norm: $\|g_{\bullet}\| = |g_{123}|$

Weight norm: $\|g_{\circ}\| = \sqrt{g_{123}^2 + g_{123}^2}$

Altitude: $\text{alt}(g) = g \vee \bar{e}_4 = g_{123} e_{123} e_4$

Right complement: $\bar{g} = g_{123} e_4$

Degrees of freedom: $\text{DOF}(3, 2) = 3$

Geometric Product a b

$a \wedge b = a \wedge b$

a	b	$a \wedge b$
1	1	1
1	e_1	e_1
1	e_2	e_2
1	e_3	e_3
1	e_4	e_4
e_1	1	e_1
e_1	e_1	1
e_1	e_2	e_{12}
e_1	e_3	e_{13}
e_1	e_4	e_{14}
e_2	1	e_2
e_2	e_1	$-e_{12}$
e_2	e_2	1
e_2	e_3	e_{23}
e_2	e_4	e_{24}
e_3	1	e_3
e_3	e_1	$-e_{13}$
e_3	e_2	$-e_{23}$
e_3	e_3	1
e_3	e_4	e_{34}
e_4	1	e_4
e_4	e_1	$-e_{14}$
e_4	e_2	$-e_{24}$
e_4	e_3	$-e_{34}$
e_4	e_4	1

JOIN

Meet Operation

Line where planes g and h intersect:
 $g \vee h = (g_{12} e_{12} - g_{13} e_{13} + g_{23} e_{23}) \vee (h_{12} e_{12} - h_{13} e_{13} + h_{23} e_{23})$

Point where plane g and line l intersect:
 $g \vee l = (g_{12} e_{12} - g_{13} e_{13} + g_{23} e_{23}) \vee (l_{12} e_{12} - l_{13} e_{13} + l_{23} e_{23})$

Expansion Operation

Line containing point p and orthogonal to plane g :
 $p \wedge \bar{g} = (p_1 e_1 + p_2 e_2 + p_3 e_3) \wedge (-g_{12} e_{13} - g_{13} e_{23} - g_{23} e_{12})$

Plane containing point p and orthogonal to line l :
 $p \wedge \bar{l} = (p_1 e_1 + p_2 e_2 + p_3 e_3) \wedge (-l_{12} e_{13} - l_{13} e_{23} - l_{23} e_{12})$

Plane containing line l and orthogonal to plane g :
 $l \wedge \bar{g} = (l_{12} e_{12} - l_{13} e_{13} + l_{23} e_{23}) \wedge (-g_{12} e_{13} - g_{13} e_{23} - g_{23} e_{12})$

PROJECTION

Projection Operation

Orthogonal projection of point p onto plane g :
 $g \vee (p \wedge \bar{g}) = (g_{12} e_{12} - g_{13} e_{13} + g_{23} e_{23}) \vee (p_1 e_1 + p_2 e_2 + p_3 e_3) \wedge (-g_{12} e_{13} - g_{13} e_{23} - g_{23} e_{12})$

Orthogonal projection of point p onto line l :
 $l \vee (p \wedge \bar{l}) = (l_{12} e_{12} - l_{13} e_{13} + l_{23} e_{23}) \vee (p_1 e_1 + p_2 e_2 + p_3 e_3) \wedge (-l_{12} e_{13} - l_{13} e_{23} - l_{23} e_{12})$

Orthogonal projection of line l onto plane g :
 $g \vee (l \wedge \bar{g}) = (g_{12} e_{12} - g_{13} e_{13} + g_{23} e_{23}) \vee (l_{12} e_{12} - l_{13} e_{13} + l_{23} e_{23}) \wedge (-g_{12} e_{13} - g_{13} e_{23} - g_{23} e_{12})$

Central projection of point p onto plane g :
 $g \vee (p \wedge \bar{g}) = (g_{12} e_{12} - g_{13} e_{13} + g_{23} e_{23}) \vee (p_1 e_1 + p_2 e_2 + p_3 e_3) \wedge (-g_{12} e_{13} - g_{13} e_{23} - g_{23} e_{12})$

Central projection of point p onto line l :
 $l \vee (p \wedge \bar{l}) = (l_{12} e_{12} - l_{13} e_{13} + l_{23} e_{23}) \vee (p_1 e_1 + p_2 e_2 + p_3 e_3) \wedge (-l_{12} e_{13} - l_{13} e_{23} - l_{23} e_{12})$

Central projection of line l onto plane g :
 $g \vee (l \wedge \bar{g}) = (g_{12} e_{12} - g_{13} e_{13} + g_{23} e_{23}) \vee (l_{12} e_{12} - l_{13} e_{13} + l_{23} e_{23}) \wedge (-g_{12} e_{13} - g_{13} e_{23} - g_{23} e_{12})$

Motor Q Motion Operator

$Q = Q_{12} e_{12} + Q_{13} e_{13} + Q_{23} e_{23} + Q_{123} e_{123} + Q_{1234} e_{1234} + Q_{12345} e_{12345} + Q_{123456} e_{123456}$

Rotation: $Q = \exp(\theta \mathbb{I}) = \cos(\theta/2) + \sin(\theta/2) \mathbb{I}$

Moment and Displacement: $Q = \exp(\theta \mathbb{I} + \delta \mathbb{I} \vee l) = \cos(\theta/2 + \delta \|l\|) + \sin(\theta/2 + \delta \|l\|) \mathbb{I} \vee l$

$Q \vee v \vee Q$ rotates object v through angle 2θ about line l and translates by distance 2δ along direction of line l .

$R = (e_1 e_2 + e_3 e_4) \sin \phi + 1 \cos \phi$

$S = \sin \phi - 1 \cos \phi$

$T = e_1 e_2 + e_3 e_4 + 1$

Line l : $l \vee v \vee l$ rotates object v through 180° about unitized line l .

Flactor F Reflection Operator

$F = F_{12} e_{12} + F_{13} e_{13} + F_{23} e_{23} + F_{123} e_{123} + F_{1234} e_{1234} + F_{12345} e_{12345} + F_{123456} e_{123456}$

Point: $F = p_{\bullet} \wedge \bar{g} + g \cos \phi$

Plane: $F = (p_1 e_1 + p_2 e_2 + p_3 e_3) \wedge (-g_{12} e_{13} - g_{13} e_{23} - g_{23} e_{12}) + (g_{12} e_{12} - g_{13} e_{13} + g_{23} e_{23}) \cos \phi$

$F \vee v \vee F$ reflects object v through plane g passing through point p and reflects across plane g .

$H = e_1 + e_2 + e_3 + e_4$

Point p : $p \vee v \vee p$ reflects object v through point p .

Plane g : $g \vee v \vee g$ reflects object v across plane g .

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Join Operation	Illustration
<p>Dipole containing round points a and b</p> $a \wedge b = (a_1b_2 - a_2b_1)e_{12} + (a_3b_4 - a_4b_3)e_{34} + (a_1b_3 - a_3b_1)e_{13} + (a_1b_4 - a_4b_1)e_{14} + (a_2b_3 - a_3b_2)e_{23} + (a_2b_4 - a_4b_2)e_{24} + (a_3b_4 - a_4b_3)e_{34} + (a_4b_1 - a_1b_4)e_{41} + (a_4b_2 - a_2b_4)e_{42} + (a_1b_3 - a_3b_1)e_{13} + (a_1b_4 - a_4b_1)e_{14} + (a_2b_3 - a_3b_2)e_{23} + (a_2b_4 - a_4b_2)e_{24}$	
<p>Line containing flat point p and round point a</p> $p \wedge a = (p_1a_2 - p_2a_1)e_{12} + (p_3a_4 - p_4a_3)e_{34} + (p_1a_3 - p_3a_1)e_{13} + (p_1a_4 - p_4a_1)e_{14} + (p_2a_3 - p_3a_2)e_{23} + (p_2a_4 - p_4a_2)e_{24} + (p_3a_4 - p_4a_3)e_{34} + (p_4a_1 - p_1a_4)e_{41} + (p_4a_2 - p_2a_4)e_{42} + (p_1a_3 - p_3a_1)e_{13} + (p_1a_4 - p_4a_1)e_{14} + (p_2a_3 - p_3a_2)e_{23} + (p_2a_4 - p_4a_2)e_{24}$	
<p>Circle containing dipole d and round point a</p> $d \wedge a = (d_1a_2 - d_2a_1 + d_3a_4 - d_4a_3)e_{12} + (d_1a_3 - d_3a_1 + d_2a_4 - d_4a_2)e_{13} + (d_1a_4 - d_4a_1 + d_2a_3 - d_3a_2)e_{14} + (d_2a_3 - d_3a_2 + d_3a_4 - d_4a_3)e_{23} + (d_2a_4 - d_4a_2 + d_3a_1 - d_1a_3)e_{24} + (d_3a_1 - d_1a_3 + d_3a_4 - d_4a_3)e_{31} + (d_3a_2 - d_2a_4 + d_3a_1 - d_1a_3)e_{32} + (d_3a_3 - d_3a_3 + d_4a_1 - d_1a_4)e_{34} + (d_4a_1 - d_1a_4 + d_4a_2 - d_2a_4)e_{41} + (d_4a_2 - d_2a_4 + d_4a_3 - d_3a_1)e_{42} + (d_4a_3 - d_3a_1 + d_4a_4 - d_4a_4)e_{43} + (d_1a_3 - d_3a_1 + d_2a_4 - d_4a_2)e_{13} + (d_1a_4 - d_4a_1 + d_2a_3 - d_3a_2)e_{14} + (d_2a_3 - d_3a_2 + d_3a_4 - d_4a_3)e_{23} + (d_2a_4 - d_4a_2 + d_3a_1 - d_1a_3)e_{24}$	
<p>Plane containing line l and round point a</p> $l \wedge a = (l_1a_2 - l_2a_1 + l_3a_4 - l_4a_3)e_{12} + (l_1a_3 - l_3a_1 + l_2a_4 - l_4a_2)e_{13} + (l_1a_4 - l_4a_1 + l_2a_3 - l_3a_2)e_{14} + (l_2a_3 - l_3a_2 + l_3a_4 - l_4a_3)e_{23} + (l_2a_4 - l_4a_2 + l_3a_1 - l_1a_3)e_{24} + (l_3a_1 - l_1a_3 + l_3a_4 - l_4a_3)e_{31} + (l_3a_2 - l_2a_4 + l_3a_1 - l_1a_3)e_{32} + (l_3a_3 - l_3a_3 + l_4a_1 - l_1a_4)e_{34} + (l_4a_1 - l_1a_4 + l_4a_2 - l_2a_4)e_{41} + (l_4a_2 - l_2a_4 + l_4a_3 - l_3a_1)e_{42} + (l_4a_3 - l_3a_1 + l_4a_4 - l_4a_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Plane containing dipole d and flat point p</p> $d \wedge p = (d_1p_2 - d_2p_1 + d_3p_4 - d_4p_3)e_{12} + (d_1p_3 - d_3p_1 + d_2p_4 - d_4p_2)e_{13} + (d_1p_4 - d_4p_1 + d_2p_3 - d_3p_2)e_{14} + (d_2p_3 - d_3p_2 + d_3p_4 - d_4p_3)e_{23} + (d_2p_4 - d_4p_2 + d_3p_1 - d_1p_3)e_{24} + (d_3p_1 - d_1p_3 + d_3p_4 - d_4p_3)e_{31} + (d_3p_2 - d_2p_4 + d_3p_1 - d_1p_3)e_{32} + (d_3p_3 - d_3p_3 + d_4p_1 - d_1p_4)e_{34} + (d_4p_1 - d_1p_4 + d_4p_2 - d_2p_4)e_{41} + (d_4p_2 - d_2p_4 + d_4p_3 - d_3p_1)e_{42} + (d_4p_3 - d_3p_1 + d_4p_4 - d_4p_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Sphere containing circle c and round point a</p> $c \wedge a = (c_1a_2 - c_2a_1 + c_3a_4 - c_4a_3)e_{12} + (c_1a_3 - c_3a_1 + c_2a_4 - c_4a_2)e_{13} + (c_1a_4 - c_4a_1 + c_2a_3 - c_3a_2)e_{14} + (c_2a_3 - c_3a_2 + c_3a_4 - c_4a_3)e_{23} + (c_2a_4 - c_4a_2 + c_3a_1 - c_1a_3)e_{24} + (c_3a_1 - c_1a_3 + c_3a_4 - c_4a_3)e_{31} + (c_3a_2 - c_2a_4 + c_3a_1 - c_1a_3)e_{32} + (c_3a_3 - c_3a_3 + c_4a_1 - c_1a_4)e_{34} + (c_4a_1 - c_1a_4 + c_4a_2 - c_2a_4)e_{41} + (c_4a_2 - c_2a_4 + c_4a_3 - c_3a_1)e_{42} + (c_4a_3 - c_3a_1 + c_4a_4 - c_4a_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Sphere containing dipole d and l</p> $d \wedge l = (d_1l_2 - d_2l_1 + d_3l_4 - d_4l_3)e_{12} + (d_1l_3 - d_3l_1 + d_2l_4 - d_4l_2)e_{13} + (d_1l_4 - d_4l_1 + d_2l_3 - d_3l_2)e_{14} + (d_2l_3 - d_3l_2 + d_3l_4 - d_4l_3)e_{23} + (d_2l_4 - d_4l_2 + d_3l_1 - d_1l_3)e_{24} + (d_3l_1 - d_1l_3 + d_3l_4 - d_4l_3)e_{31} + (d_3l_2 - d_2l_4 + d_3l_1 - d_1l_3)e_{32} + (d_3l_3 - d_3l_3 + d_4l_1 - d_1l_4)e_{34} + (d_4l_1 - d_1l_4 + d_4l_2 - d_2l_4)e_{41} + (d_4l_2 - d_2l_4 + d_4l_3 - d_3l_1)e_{42} + (d_4l_3 - d_3l_1 + d_4l_4 - d_4l_4)e_{43}$	

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<p>Circle where spheres s and l intersect</p> $s \vee l = (s_1l_2 - s_2l_1 + s_3l_4 - s_4l_3)e_{12} + (s_1l_3 - s_3l_1 + s_2l_4 - s_4l_2)e_{13} + (s_1l_4 - s_4l_1 + s_2l_3 - s_3l_2)e_{14} + (s_2l_3 - s_3l_2 + s_3l_4 - s_4l_3)e_{23} + (s_2l_4 - s_4l_2 + s_3l_1 - s_1l_3)e_{24} + (s_3l_1 - s_1l_3 + s_3l_4 - s_4l_3)e_{31} + (s_3l_2 - s_2l_4 + s_3l_1 - s_1l_3)e_{32} + (s_3l_3 - s_3l_3 + s_4l_1 - s_1l_4)e_{34} + (s_4l_1 - s_1l_4 + s_4l_2 - s_2l_4)e_{41} + (s_4l_2 - s_2l_4 + s_4l_3 - s_3l_1)e_{42} + (s_4l_3 - s_3l_1 + s_4l_4 - s_4l_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Circle where sphere s and plane g intersect</p> $s \vee g = (s_1g_2 - s_2g_1 + s_3g_4 - s_4g_3)e_{12} + (s_1g_3 - s_3g_1 + s_2g_4 - s_4g_2)e_{13} + (s_1g_4 - s_4g_1 + s_2g_3 - s_3g_2)e_{14} + (s_2g_3 - s_3g_2 + s_3g_4 - s_4g_3)e_{23} + (s_2g_4 - s_4g_2 + s_3g_1 - s_1g_3)e_{24} + (s_3g_1 - s_1g_3 + s_3g_4 - s_4g_3)e_{31} + (s_3g_2 - s_2g_4 + s_3g_1 - s_1g_3)e_{32} + (s_3g_3 - s_3g_3 + s_4g_1 - s_1g_4)e_{34} + (s_4g_1 - s_1g_4 + s_4g_2 - s_2g_4)e_{41} + (s_4g_2 - s_2g_4 + s_4g_3 - s_3g_1)e_{42} + (s_4g_3 - s_3g_1 + s_4g_4 - s_4g_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Line where planes g and h intersect</p> $g \vee h = (g_1h_2 - g_2h_1 + g_3h_4 - g_4h_3)e_{12} + (g_1h_3 - g_3h_1 + g_2h_4 - g_4h_2)e_{13} + (g_1h_4 - g_4h_1 + g_2h_3 - g_3h_2)e_{14} + (g_2h_3 - g_3h_2 + g_3h_4 - g_4h_3)e_{23} + (g_2h_4 - g_4h_2 + g_3h_1 - g_1h_3)e_{24} + (g_3h_1 - g_1h_3 + g_3h_4 - g_4h_3)e_{31} + (g_3h_2 - g_2h_4 + g_3h_1 - g_1h_3)e_{32} + (g_3h_3 - g_3h_3 + g_4h_1 - g_1h_4)e_{34} + (g_4h_1 - g_1h_4 + g_4h_2 - g_2h_4)e_{41} + (g_4h_2 - g_2h_4 + g_4h_3 - g_3h_1)e_{42} + (g_4h_3 - g_3h_1 + g_4h_4 - g_4h_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Dipole where sphere s and circle c intersect</p> $s \vee c = (s_1c_2 - s_2c_1 + s_3c_4 - s_4c_3)e_{12} + (s_1c_3 - s_3c_1 + s_2c_4 - s_4c_2)e_{13} + (s_1c_4 - s_4c_1 + s_2c_3 - s_3c_2)e_{14} + (s_2c_3 - s_3c_2 + s_3c_4 - s_4c_3)e_{23} + (s_2c_4 - s_4c_2 + s_3c_1 - s_1c_3)e_{24} + (s_3c_1 - s_1c_3 + s_3c_4 - s_4c_3)e_{31} + (s_3c_2 - s_2c_4 + s_3c_1 - s_1c_3)e_{32} + (s_3c_3 - s_3c_3 + s_4c_1 - s_1c_4)e_{34} + (s_4c_1 - s_1c_4 + s_4c_2 - s_2c_4)e_{41} + (s_4c_2 - s_2c_4 + s_4c_3 - s_3c_1)e_{42} + (s_4c_3 - s_3c_1 + s_4c_4 - s_4c_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Dipole where plane g and circle c intersect</p> $g \vee c = (g_1c_2 - g_2c_1 + g_3c_4 - g_4c_3)e_{12} + (g_1c_3 - g_3c_1 + g_2c_4 - g_4c_2)e_{13} + (g_1c_4 - g_4c_1 + g_2c_3 - g_3c_2)e_{14} + (g_2c_3 - g_3c_2 + g_3c_4 - g_4c_3)e_{23} + (g_2c_4 - g_4c_2 + g_3c_1 - g_1c_3)e_{24} + (g_3c_1 - g_1c_3 + g_3c_4 - g_4c_3)e_{31} + (g_3c_2 - g_2c_4 + g_3c_1 - g_1c_3)e_{32} + (g_3c_3 - g_3c_3 + g_4c_1 - g_1c_4)e_{34} + (g_4c_1 - g_1c_4 + g_4c_2 - g_2c_4)e_{41} + (g_4c_2 - g_2c_4 + g_4c_3 - g_3c_1)e_{42} + (g_4c_3 - g_3c_1 + g_4c_4 - g_4c_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Round point centered at flat point p and contained by sphere s</p> $s \vee p = (s_1p_2 - s_2p_1 + s_3p_4 - s_4p_3)e_{12} + (s_1p_3 - s_3p_1 + s_2p_4 - s_4p_2)e_{13} + (s_1p_4 - s_4p_1 + s_2p_3 - s_3p_2)e_{14} + (s_2p_3 - s_3p_2 + s_3p_4 - s_4p_3)e_{23} + (s_2p_4 - s_4p_2 + s_3p_1 - s_1p_3)e_{24} + (s_3p_1 - s_1p_3 + s_3p_4 - s_4p_3)e_{31} + (s_3p_2 - s_2p_4 + s_3p_1 - s_1p_3)e_{32} + (s_3p_3 - s_3p_3 + s_4p_1 - s_1p_4)e_{34} + (s_4p_1 - s_1p_4 + s_4p_2 - s_2p_4)e_{41} + (s_4p_2 - s_2p_4 + s_4p_3 - s_3p_1)e_{42} + (s_4p_3 - s_3p_1 + s_4p_4 - s_4p_4)e_{43}$	

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<p>Dipole containing round point a and orthogonal to sphere s</p> $a \wedge s = (a_1s_2 - a_2s_1 + a_3s_4 - a_4s_3)e_{12} + (a_1s_3 - a_3s_1 + a_2s_4 - a_4s_2)e_{13} + (a_1s_4 - a_4s_1 + a_2s_3 - a_3s_2)e_{14} + (a_2s_3 - a_3s_2 + a_3s_4 - a_4s_3)e_{23} + (a_2s_4 - a_4s_2 + a_3s_1 - a_1s_3)e_{24} + (a_3s_1 - a_1s_3 + a_3s_4 - a_4s_3)e_{31} + (a_3s_2 - a_2s_4 + a_3s_1 - a_1s_3)e_{32} + (a_3s_3 - a_3s_3 + a_4s_1 - a_1s_4)e_{34} + (a_4s_1 - a_1s_4 + a_4s_2 - a_2s_4)e_{41} + (a_4s_2 - a_2s_4 + a_4s_3 - a_3s_1)e_{42} + (a_4s_3 - a_3s_1 + a_4s_4 - a_4s_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Dipole containing round point a and orthogonal to plane p</p> $a \wedge p = (a_1p_2 - a_2p_1 + a_3p_4 - a_4p_3)e_{12} + (a_1p_3 - a_3p_1 + a_2p_4 - a_4p_2)e_{13} + (a_1p_4 - a_4p_1 + a_2p_3 - a_3p_2)e_{14} + (a_2p_3 - a_3p_2 + a_3p_4 - a_4p_3)e_{23} + (a_2p_4 - a_4p_2 + a_3p_1 - a_1p_3)e_{24} + (a_3p_1 - a_1p_3 + a_3p_4 - a_4p_3)e_{31} + (a_3p_2 - a_2p_4 + a_3p_1 - a_1p_3)e_{32} + (a_3p_3 - a_3p_3 + a_4p_1 - a_1p_4)e_{34} + (a_4p_1 - a_1p_4 + a_4p_2 - a_2p_4)e_{41} + (a_4p_2 - a_2p_4 + a_4p_3 - a_3p_1)e_{42} + (a_4p_3 - a_3p_1 + a_4p_4 - a_4p_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Circle containing dipole d and orthogonal to sphere s</p> $d \wedge s = (d_1s_2 - d_2s_1 + d_3s_4 - d_4s_3)e_{12} + (d_1s_3 - d_3s_1 + d_2s_4 - d_4s_2)e_{13} + (d_1s_4 - d_4s_1 + d_2s_3 - d_3s_2)e_{14} + (d_2s_3 - d_3s_2 + d_3s_4 - d_4s_3)e_{23} + (d_2s_4 - d_4s_2 + d_3s_1 - d_1s_3)e_{24} + (d_3s_1 - d_1s_3 + d_3s_4 - d_4s_3)e_{31} + (d_3s_2 - d_2s_4 + d_3s_1 - d_1s_3)e_{32} + (d_3s_3 - d_3s_3 + d_4s_1 - d_1s_4)e_{34} + (d_4s_1 - d_1s_4 + d_4s_2 - d_2s_4)e_{41} + (d_4s_2 - d_2s_4 + d_4s_3 - d_3s_1)e_{42} + (d_4s_3 - d_3s_1 + d_4s_4 - d_4s_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Circle containing dipole d and orthogonal to plane p</p> $d \wedge p = (d_1p_2 - d_2p_1 + d_3p_4 - d_4p_3)e_{12} + (d_1p_3 - d_3p_1 + d_2p_4 - d_4p_2)e_{13} + (d_1p_4 - d_4p_1 + d_2p_3 - d_3p_2)e_{14} + (d_2p_3 - d_3p_2 + d_3p_4 - d_4p_3)e_{23} + (d_2p_4 - d_4p_2 + d_3p_1 - d_1p_3)e_{24} + (d_3p_1 - d_1p_3 + d_3p_4 - d_4p_3)e_{31} + (d_3p_2 - d_2p_4 + d_3p_1 - d_1p_3)e_{32} + (d_3p_3 - d_3p_3 + d_4p_1 - d_1p_4)e_{34} + (d_4p_1 - d_1p_4 + d_4p_2 - d_2p_4)e_{41} + (d_4p_2 - d_2p_4 + d_4p_3 - d_3p_1)e_{42} + (d_4p_3 - d_3p_1 + d_4p_4 - d_4p_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Line containing flat point p and orthogonal to sphere s</p> $p \wedge s = (p_1s_2 - p_2s_1 + p_3s_4 - p_4s_3)e_{12} + (p_1s_3 - p_3s_1 + p_2s_4 - p_4s_2)e_{13} + (p_1s_4 - p_4s_1 + p_2s_3 - p_3s_2)e_{14} + (p_2s_3 - p_3s_2 + p_3s_4 - p_4s_3)e_{23} + (p_2s_4 - p_4s_2 + p_3s_1 - p_1s_3)e_{24} + (p_3s_1 - p_1s_3 + p_3s_4 - p_4s_3)e_{31} + (p_3s_2 - p_2s_4 + p_3s_1 - p_1s_3)e_{32} + (p_3s_3 - p_3s_3 + p_4s_1 - p_1s_4)e_{34} + (p_4s_1 - p_1s_4 + p_4s_2 - p_2s_4)e_{41} + (p_4s_2 - p_2s_4 + p_4s_3 - p_3s_1)e_{42} + (p_4s_3 - p_3s_1 + p_4s_4 - p_4s_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Line containing flat point p and orthogonal to plane p</p> $p \wedge p = (p_1p_2 - p_2p_1 + p_3p_4 - p_4p_3)e_{12} + (p_1p_3 - p_3p_1 + p_2p_4 - p_4p_2)e_{13} + (p_1p_4 - p_4p_1 + p_2p_3 - p_3p_2)e_{14} + (p_2p_3 - p_3p_2 + p_3p_4 - p_4p_3)e_{23} + (p_2p_4 - p_4p_2 + p_3p_1 - p_1p_3)e_{24} + (p_3p_1 - p_1p_3 + p_3p_4 - p_4p_3)e_{31} + (p_3p_2 - p_2p_4 + p_3p_1 - p_1p_3)e_{32} + (p_3p_3 - p_3p_3 + p_4p_1 - p_1p_4)e_{34} + (p_4p_1 - p_1p_4 + p_4p_2 - p_2p_4)e_{41} + (p_4p_2 - p_2p_4 + p_4p_3 - p_3p_1)e_{42} + (p_4p_3 - p_3p_1 + p_4p_4 - p_4p_4)e_{43}$	

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<p>Dipole where sphere s and line l intersect</p> $s \vee l = (s_1l_2 - s_2l_1 + s_3l_4 - s_4l_3)e_{12} + (s_1l_3 - s_3l_1 + s_2l_4 - s_4l_2)e_{13} + (s_1l_4 - s_4l_1 + s_2l_3 - s_3l_2)e_{14} + (s_2l_3 - s_3l_2 + s_3l_4 - s_4l_3)e_{23} + (s_2l_4 - s_4l_2 + s_3l_1 - s_1l_3)e_{24} + (s_3l_1 - s_1l_3 + s_3l_4 - s_4l_3)e_{31} + (s_3l_2 - s_2l_4 + s_3l_1 - s_1l_3)e_{32} + (s_3l_3 - s_3l_3 + s_4l_1 - s_1l_4)e_{34} + (s_4l_1 - s_1l_4 + s_4l_2 - s_2l_4)e_{41} + (s_4l_2 - s_2l_4 + s_4l_3 - s_3l_1)e_{42} + (s_4l_3 - s_3l_1 + s_4l_4 - s_4l_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Flat point where plane g and line l intersect</p> $g \vee l = (g_1l_2 - g_2l_1 + g_3l_4 - g_4l_3)e_{12} + (g_1l_3 - g_3l_1 + g_2l_4 - g_4l_2)e_{13} + (g_1l_4 - g_4l_1 + g_2l_3 - g_3l_2)e_{14} + (g_2l_3 - g_3l_2 + g_3l_4 - g_4l_3)e_{23} + (g_2l_4 - g_4l_2 + g_3l_1 - g_1l_3)e_{24} + (g_3l_1 - g_1l_3 + g_3l_4 - g_4l_3)e_{31} + (g_3l_2 - g_2l_4 + g_3l_1 - g_1l_3)e_{32} + (g_3l_3 - g_3l_3 + g_4l_1 - g_1l_4)e_{34} + (g_4l_1 - g_1l_4 + g_4l_2 - g_2l_4)e_{41} + (g_4l_2 - g_2l_4 + g_4l_3 - g_3l_1)e_{42} + (g_4l_3 - g_3l_1 + g_4l_4 - g_4l_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Round point contained by circle c and s</p> $c \vee s = (c_1s_2 - c_2s_1 + c_3s_4 - c_4s_3)e_{12} + (c_1s_3 - c_3s_1 + c_2s_4 - c_4s_2)e_{13} + (c_1s_4 - c_4s_1 + c_2s_3 - c_3s_2)e_{14} + (c_2s_3 - c_3s_2 + c_3s_4 - c_4s_3)e_{23} + (c_2s_4 - c_4s_2 + c_3s_1 - c_1s_3)e_{24} + (c_3s_1 - c_1s_3 + c_3s_4 - c_4s_3)e_{31} + (c_3s_2 - c_2s_4 + c_3s_1 - c_1s_3)e_{32} + (c_3s_3 - c_3s_3 + c_4s_1 - c_1s_4)e_{34} + (c_4s_1 - c_1s_4 + c_4s_2 - c_2s_4)e_{41} + (c_4s_2 - c_2s_4 + c_4s_3 - c_3s_1)e_{42} + (c_4s_3 - c_3s_1 + c_4s_4 - c_4s_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Round point centered on line l and contained by circle c</p> $c \vee l = (c_1l_2 - c_2l_1 + c_3l_4 - c_4l_3)e_{12} + (c_1l_3 - c_3l_1 + c_2l_4 - c_4l_2)e_{13} + (c_1l_4 - c_4l_1 + c_2l_3 - c_3l_2)e_{14} + (c_2l_3 - c_3l_2 + c_3l_4 - c_4l_3)e_{23} + (c_2l_4 - c_4l_2 + c_3l_1 - c_1l_3)e_{24} + (c_3l_1 - c_1l_3 + c_3l_4 - c_4l_3)e_{31} + (c_3l_2 - c_2l_4 + c_3l_1 - c_1l_3)e_{32} + (c_3l_3 - c_3l_3 + c_4l_1 - c_1l_4)e_{34} + (c_4l_1 - c_1l_4 + c_4l_2 - c_2l_4)e_{41} + (c_4l_2 - c_2l_4 + c_4l_3 - c_3l_1)e_{42} + (c_4l_3 - c_3l_1 + c_4l_4 - c_4l_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Round point contained by sphere s and dipole d</p> $s \vee d = (s_1d_2 - s_2d_1 + s_3d_4 - s_4d_3)e_{12} + (s_1d_3 - s_3d_1 + s_2d_4 - s_4d_2)e_{13} + (s_1d_4 - s_4d_1 + s_2d_3 - s_3d_2)e_{14} + (s_2d_3 - s_3d_2 + s_3d_4 - s_4d_3)e_{23} + (s_2d_4 - s_4d_2 + s_3d_1 - s_1d_3)e_{24} + (s_3d_1 - s_1d_3 + s_3d_4 - s_4d_3)e_{31} + (s_3d_2 - s_2d_4 + s_3d_1 - s_1d_3)e_{32} + (s_3d_3 - s_3d_3 + s_4d_1 - s_1d_4)e_{34} + (s_4d_1 - s_1d_4 + s_4d_2 - s_2d_4)e_{41} + (s_4d_2 - s_2d_4 + s_4d_3 - s_3d_1)e_{42} + (s_4d_3 - s_3d_1 + s_4d_4 - s_4d_4)e_{43}$	
<p>Round point centered in plane g and contained by dipole d</p> $g \vee d = (g_1d_2 - g_2d_1 + g_3d_4 - g_4d_3)e_{12} + (g_1d_3 - g_3d_1 + g_2d_4 - g_4d_2)e_{13} + (g_1d_4 - g_4d_1 + g_2d_3 - g_3d_2)e_{14} + (g_2d_3 - g_3d_2 + g_3d_4 - g_4d_3)e_{23} + (g_2d_4 - g_4d_2 + g_3d_1 - g_1d_3)e_{24} + (g_3d_1 - g_1d_3 + g_3d_4 - g_4d_3)e_{31} + (g_3d_2 - g_2d_4 + g_3d_1 - g_1d_3)e_{32} + (g_3d_3 - g_3d_3 + g_4d_1 - g_1d_4)e_{34} + (g_4d_1 - g_1d_4 + g_4d_2 - g_2d_4)e_{41} + (g_4d_2 - g_2d_4 + g_4d_3 - g_3d_1)e_{42} + (g_4d_3 - g_3d_1 + g_4d_4 - g_4d_4)e_{43}$	

Flat Point p (Bivector) 0D	Flat Line l (Trivector) 1D	Flat Plane g (Quadrivector) 2D
$p = p_1e_{12} + p_2e_{34} + p_3e_{13} + p_4e_{24}$	$l = l_1e_{123} + l_2e_{134} + l_3e_{234} + l_4e_{124}$	$g = g_1e_{1234} + g_2e_{1342} + g_3e_{2413} + g_4e_{3124}$
<p>Dual: $p^* = p_2e_{34} - p_1e_{12} - p_3e_{13} - p_4e_{24}$</p> <p>Attitude: $\text{att}(p) = p \vee e_{1234}$</p> <p>Flat Bulk: $\text{fb}(p) = p_1e_{12} + p_2e_{34}$</p> <p>Flat Weight: $w(p) = p_1e_{12} + p_2e_{34}$</p> <p>Position Norm: $\ p\ _0 = \sqrt{p_1^2 + p_2^2}$</p>	<p>Dual: $l^* = l_4e_{123} + l_3e_{134} + l_2e_{234} + l_1e_{124}$</p> <p>Attitude: $\text{att}(l) = l \vee e_{1234}$</p> <p>Flat Bulk: $\text{fb}(l) = l_1e_{123} + l_2e_{134} + l_3e_{234} + l_4e_{124}$ (normal)</p> <p>Flat Weight: $w(l) = l_1e_{123} + l_2e_{134} + l_3e_{234} + l_4e_{124}$ (direction)</p> <p>Position Norm: $\ l\ _1 = \sqrt{l_1^2 + l_2^2 + l_3^2 + l_4^2$</p>	

Grassmann / Clifford Algebras

- You've probably been using pieces of these algebras already without realizing it
- Cross products
- Homogeneous coordinates (x, y, z, w)
- Planes (a, b, c, d)
- Plücker coordinates
- Quaternions

Cross Products

- Units of distance become units of area

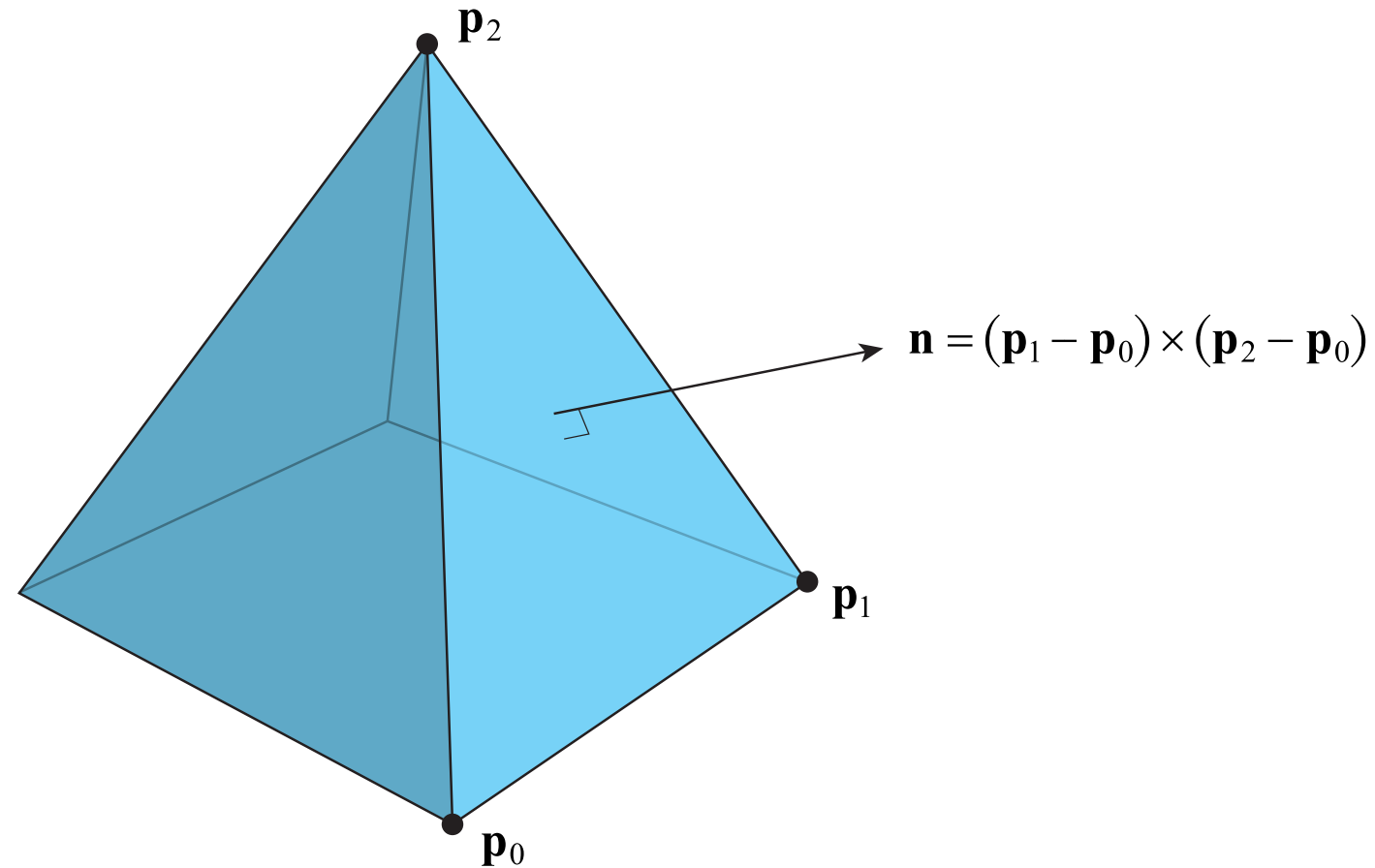
$$(a_x, a_y, a_z) \times (b_x, b_y, b_z)$$



$$(a_y b_z - a_z b_y, a_z b_x - a_x b_z, a_x b_y - a_y b_x)$$

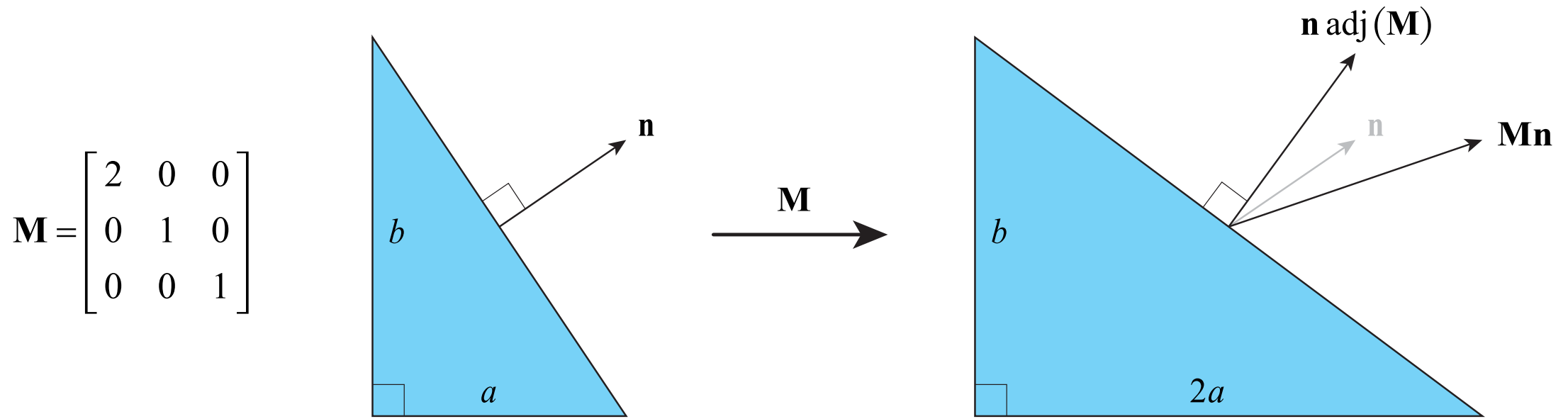
Normal Vectors

- Cross product calculates normal of triangular face



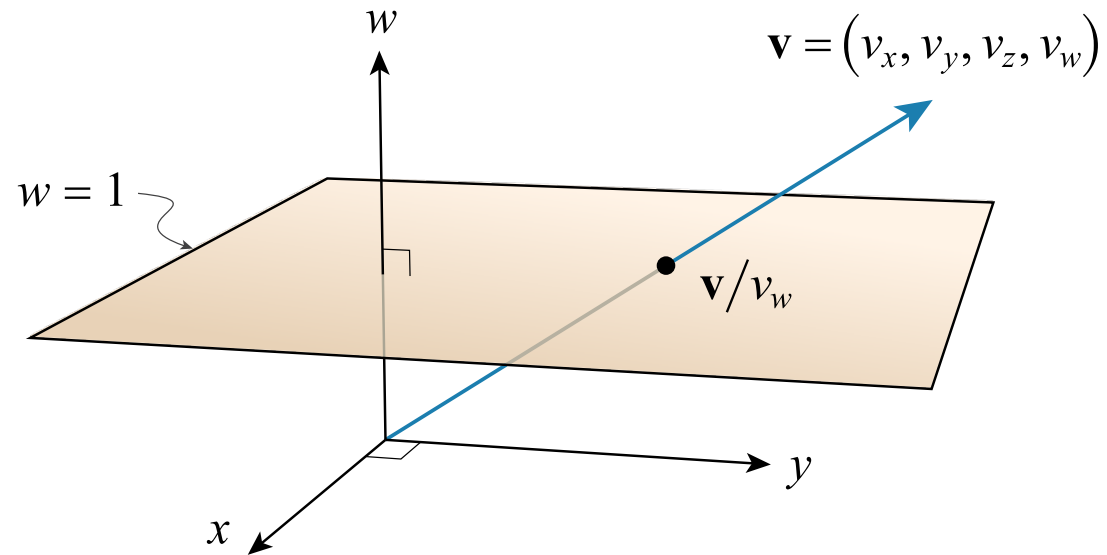
Normal Vector Transformation

- Normals don't transform like ordinary vectors
- That's because they're something else called *bivectors*



Homogeneous Coordinates

- 3D points are projections of 4D vectors



Homogeneous Coordinates

- Allows translations to be added to linear transformations

$$\begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} & m_{13} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} & m_{23} \\ m_{31} & m_{32} & m_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v_x \\ v_y \\ v_z \end{bmatrix}$$

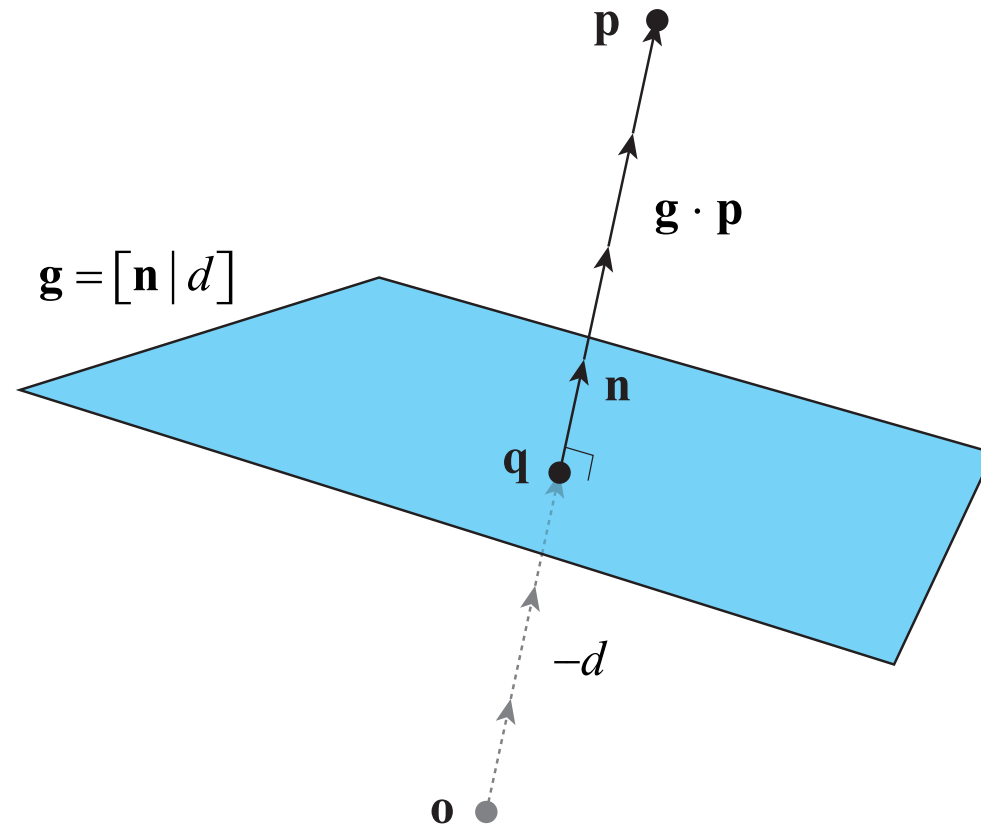
$$\begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} & m_{13} & t_x \\ m_{21} & m_{22} & m_{23} & t_y \\ m_{31} & m_{32} & m_{33} & t_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} p_x \\ p_y \\ p_z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Planes

- 4D dot product with point \mathbf{p} gives signed distance to plane \mathbf{g}

$$\mathbf{p} = (x, y, z, w)$$

$$\mathbf{g} = (n_x, n_y, n_z, d)$$



Plücker Coordinates

- Implicit representation of a line in 3D space
- Has 6 coordinates, 3 for direction \mathbf{v} and 3 for moment \mathbf{m}
- Given homogeneous points \mathbf{p} and \mathbf{q} on the line,

$$\mathbf{v} = p_w \mathbf{q}_{xyz} - q_w \mathbf{p}_{xyz}$$

$$\mathbf{m} = \mathbf{p}_{xyz} \times \mathbf{q}_{xyz}$$

- Same results for any two points spaced same distance apart
- Information about specific points is eliminated

Points, Lines, Planes

- Lots of formulas for combining geometries
- Discovered without knowledge of bigger picture
- We can better explain where all of these formulas come from

	Formula	Description
A	$\{w_1\mathbf{p}_2 - w_2\mathbf{p}_1 \mid \mathbf{p}_1 \times \mathbf{p}_2\}$	Line through two homogeneous points $(\mathbf{p}_1 \mid w_1)$ and $(\mathbf{p}_2 \mid w_2)$.
B	$\{\mathbf{p}_2 - \mathbf{p}_1 \mid \mathbf{p}_1 \times \mathbf{p}_2\}$	Line through two points \mathbf{p}_1 and \mathbf{p}_2 .
C	$\{\mathbf{v} \mid \mathbf{p} \times \mathbf{v}\}$	Line through point \mathbf{p} with direction \mathbf{v} .
D	$\{\mathbf{p} \mid \mathbf{0}\}$	Line through point \mathbf{p} and the origin.
E	$[\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{p} + w\mathbf{m} \mid -\mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{m}]$	Plane containing line $\{\mathbf{v} \mid \mathbf{m}\}$ and homogeneous point $(\mathbf{p} \mid w)$.
F	$[\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{p} + \mathbf{m} \mid -\mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{m}]$	Plane containing line $\{\mathbf{v} \mid \mathbf{m}\}$ and point \mathbf{p} .
G	$[\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{u} \mid -\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{m}]$	Plane containing line $\{\mathbf{v} \mid \mathbf{m}\}$, parallel to direction \mathbf{u} .
H	$[\mathbf{m} \mid \mathbf{0}]$	Plane containing line $\{\mathbf{v} \mid \mathbf{m}\}$ and the origin.
I	$\{\mathbf{n}_1 \times \mathbf{n}_2 \mid d_1\mathbf{n}_2 - d_2\mathbf{n}_1\}$	Line where two planes $[\mathbf{n}_1 \mid d_1]$ and $[\mathbf{n}_2 \mid d_2]$ intersect.
J	$(\mathbf{m} \times \mathbf{n} + d\mathbf{v} \mid -\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{v})$	Homogeneous point where line $\{\mathbf{v} \mid \mathbf{m}\}$ intersects plane $[\mathbf{n} \mid d]$.
K	$\{w\mathbf{n} \mid \mathbf{p} \times \mathbf{n}\}$	Line through homogeneous point $(\mathbf{p} \mid w)$, perpendicular to plane $[\mathbf{n} \mid d]$.
L	$[\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{n} \mid -\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{m}]$	Plane containing line $\{\mathbf{v} \mid \mathbf{m}\}$, perpendicular to plane $[\mathbf{n} \mid d]$.
M	$[w\mathbf{v} \mid -\mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{v}]$	Plane containing homogeneous point $(\mathbf{p} \mid w)$, perpendicular to line $\{\mathbf{v} \mid \mathbf{m}\}$.
N	$(\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{m} \mid \mathbf{v}^2)$	Homogeneous point closest to the origin on line $\{\mathbf{v} \mid \mathbf{m}\}$.
O	$(-d\mathbf{n} \mid \mathbf{n}^2)$	Homogeneous point closest to the origin on plane $[\mathbf{n} \mid d]$.
P	$[\mathbf{m} \times \mathbf{v} \mid \mathbf{m}^2]$	Plane farthest from the origin containing line $\{\mathbf{v} \mid \mathbf{m}\}$.
Q	$[-w\mathbf{p} \mid \mathbf{p}^2]$	Plane farthest from the origin containing point $(\mathbf{p} \mid w)$.
R	$\frac{\ w_1\mathbf{p}_2 - w_2\mathbf{p}_1\ }{ w_1w_2 }$	Distance between two homogeneous points $(\mathbf{p}_1 \mid w_1)$ and $(\mathbf{p}_2 \mid w_2)$.
S	$\frac{ \mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{m}_2 + \mathbf{v}_2 \cdot \mathbf{m}_1 }{\ \mathbf{v}_1 \times \mathbf{v}_2\ }$	Distance between two lines $\{\mathbf{v}_1 \mid \mathbf{m}_1\}$ and $\{\mathbf{v}_2 \mid \mathbf{m}_2\}$.
T	$\frac{\ \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{p} + \mathbf{m}\ }{\ \mathbf{v}\ }$	Distance from line $\{\mathbf{v} \mid \mathbf{m}\}$ to point \mathbf{p} .
U	$\frac{\ \mathbf{m}\ }{\ \mathbf{v}\ }$	Distance from line $\{\mathbf{v} \mid \mathbf{m}\}$ to the origin.
V	$\frac{ \mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{p} + d }{\ \mathbf{n}\ }$	Distance from plane $[\mathbf{n} \mid d]$ to point \mathbf{p} .
W	$\frac{ d }{\ \mathbf{n}\ }$	Distance from plane $[\mathbf{n} \mid d]$ to the origin.

Quaternions

- A quaternion \mathbf{q} represents a rotation in 3D space

$$\mathbf{q} = xi + yj + zk + w$$

$$i^2 = j^2 = k^2 = -1$$

$$ij = -ji = k$$

$$jk = -kj = i$$

$$ki = -ik = j$$

- Rotation through angle ϕ about axis \mathbf{a} is

$$\mathbf{q} = \left(\sin \frac{\phi}{2} \right) \mathbf{a} + \cos \frac{\phi}{2}$$

Quaternions

- A quaternion rotates a vector \mathbf{v} with the sandwich product

$$\mathbf{v}' = \mathbf{q}\mathbf{v}\mathbf{q}^* \qquad \mathbf{v} = v_x i + v_y j + v_z k$$

- \mathbf{q}^* is the conjugate of the quaternion:

$$\mathbf{q}^* = -xi - yj - zk + w$$

All Part of Same Algebraic Structure

- Non-vector result of cross product
- 4D homogeneous coordinates for points
- 6D Plücker coordinates for lines
- 4D plane representations
- Quaternions

4D Associative Projective Algebras

- 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
 - Parameterization, interpolation

Exterior / Grassmann Algebra

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

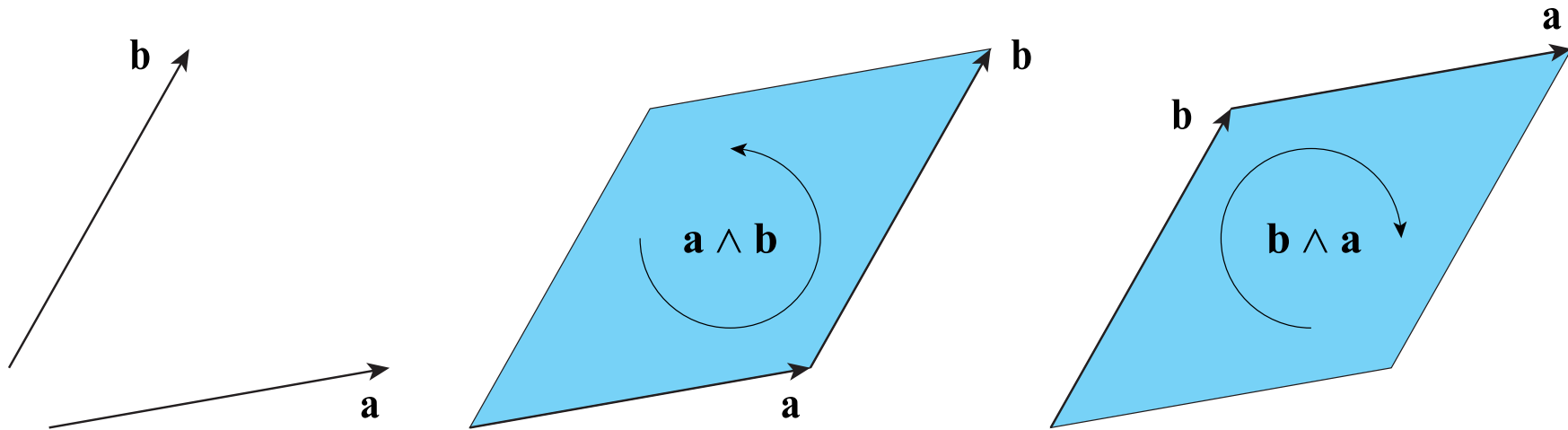
$$\mathbf{v} \wedge \mathbf{v} = 0$$

- Antisymmetric on vectors:

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

Bivectors

- Wedge product of two vectors **a** and **b**
- Produces a new type of object



Bivectors

- Wedge product of two vectors \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b} :

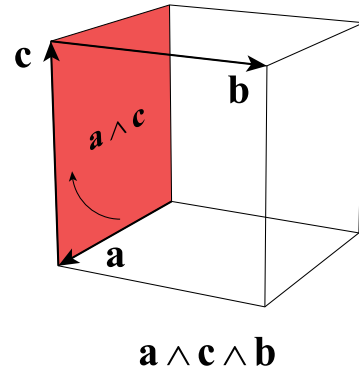
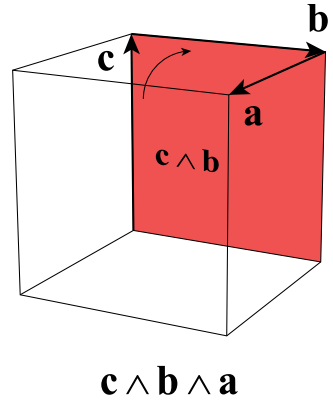
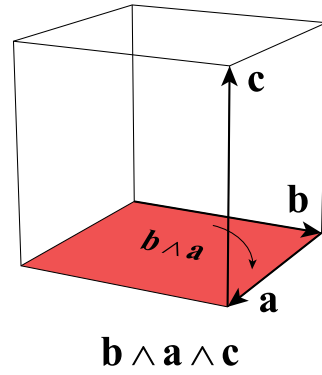
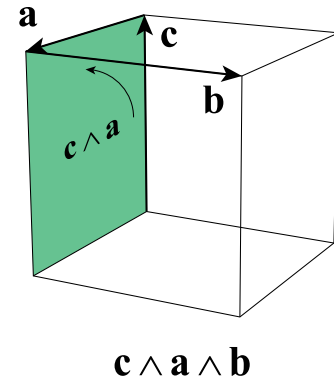
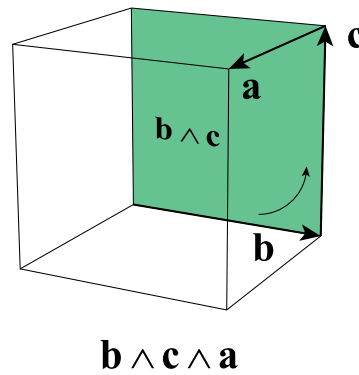
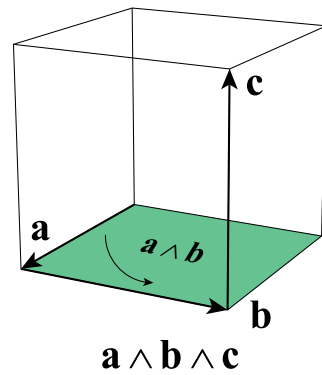
$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b} &= (a_y b_z - a_z b_y)(\mathbf{e}_2 \wedge \mathbf{e}_3) \\ &\quad + (a_z b_x - a_x b_z)(\mathbf{e}_3 \wedge \mathbf{e}_1) \\ &\quad + (a_x b_y - a_y b_x)(\mathbf{e}_1 \wedge \mathbf{e}_2)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b} &= (a_y b_z - a_z b_y)\mathbf{e}_{23} \\ &\quad + (a_z b_x - a_x b_z)\mathbf{e}_{31} \\ &\quad + (a_x b_y - a_y b_x)\mathbf{e}_{12}\end{aligned}$$

- Cross product appears!

Trivectors

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



Trivectors

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

$$\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b} \wedge \mathbf{c} = (a_x b_y c_z + a_y b_z c_x + a_z b_x c_y - a_x b_z c_y - a_y b_x c_z - a_z b_y c_x) \mathbf{e}_{123}$$

- Determinant of 3×3 matrix with columns **a**, **b**, and **c**

Trivectors

- Wedge product of vector **a** and bivector **b**

$$\mathbf{a} = a_x \mathbf{e}_1 + a_y \mathbf{e}_2 + a_z \mathbf{e}_3$$

$$\mathbf{b} = b_x \mathbf{e}_{23} + b_y \mathbf{e}_{31} + b_z \mathbf{e}_{12}$$

$$\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b} = (a_x b_x + a_y b_y + a_z b_z) \mathbf{e}_{123}$$

- Dot product appears!

3D Vector Space

Scalars

s

Magnitudes

Vectors

$x\mathbf{e}_1 + y\mathbf{e}_2 + z\mathbf{e}_3$

Directed lengths

3D Exterior Algebra

Scalars

$$s\mathbf{1}$$

Magnitudes

Vectors

$$x\mathbf{e}_1 + y\mathbf{e}_2 + z\mathbf{e}_3$$

Directed lengths

Bivectors

$$x\mathbf{e}_{23} + y\mathbf{e}_{31} + z\mathbf{e}_{12}$$

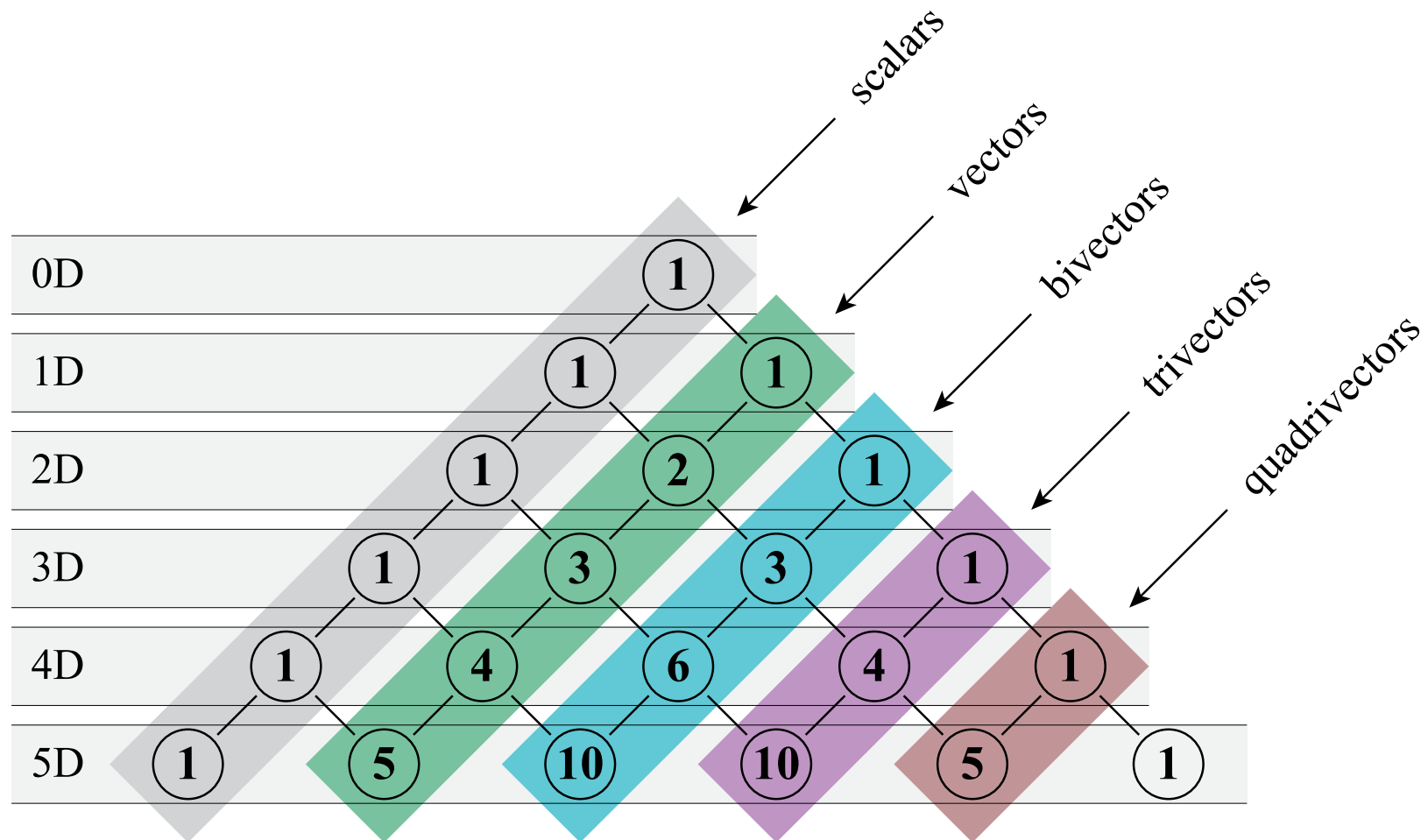
Directed areas

Trivectors

$$t\mathbf{e}_{123}$$

Directed volumes

Pascal's Triangle



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

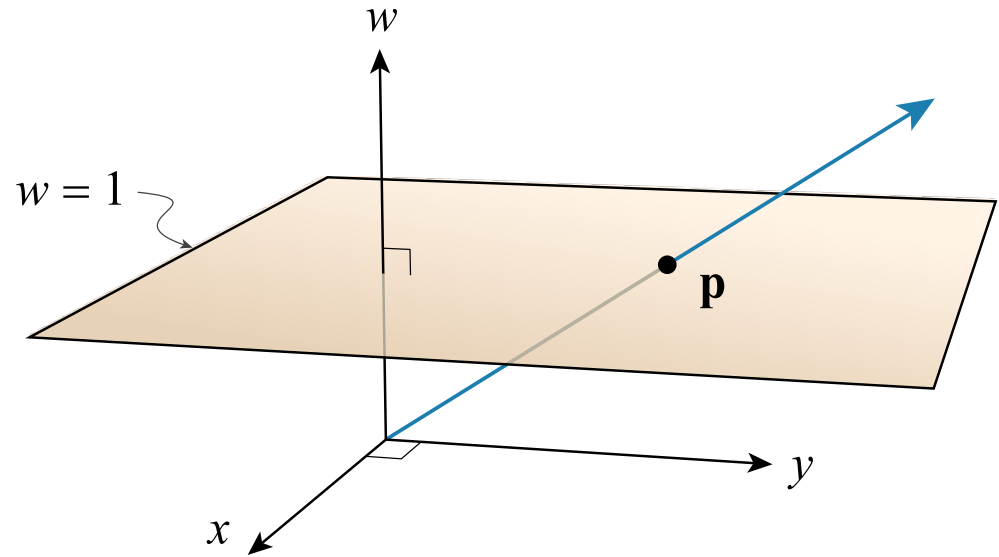
- Extends 4D vector space
- One scalar 1
- Four vector basis elements
- Six bivector basis elements
- Four trivector basis elements
- One antiscalar $\mathbb{1}$

Type	Values	Grade / Antigrade	
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Vectors	e_1 e_2 e_3 $e_4 = e_n$	1 / 3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Bivectors	$e_{41} = e_4 \wedge e_1$ $e_{42} = e_4 \wedge e_2$ $e_{43} = e_4 \wedge e_3$ $e_{23} = e_2 \wedge e_3$ $e_{31} = e_3 \wedge e_1$ $e_{12} = e_1 \wedge e_2$	2 / 2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
Trivectors / Antivectors	$e_{423} = e_4 \wedge e_2 \wedge e_3$ $e_{431} = e_4 \wedge e_3 \wedge e_1$ $e_{412} = e_4 \wedge e_1 \wedge e_2$ $e_{321} = e_3 \wedge e_2 \wedge e_1$	3 / 1	<input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
Antiscalar	$\mathbb{1} = e_1 \wedge e_2 \wedge e_3 \wedge e_4$	4 / 0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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



Special Points

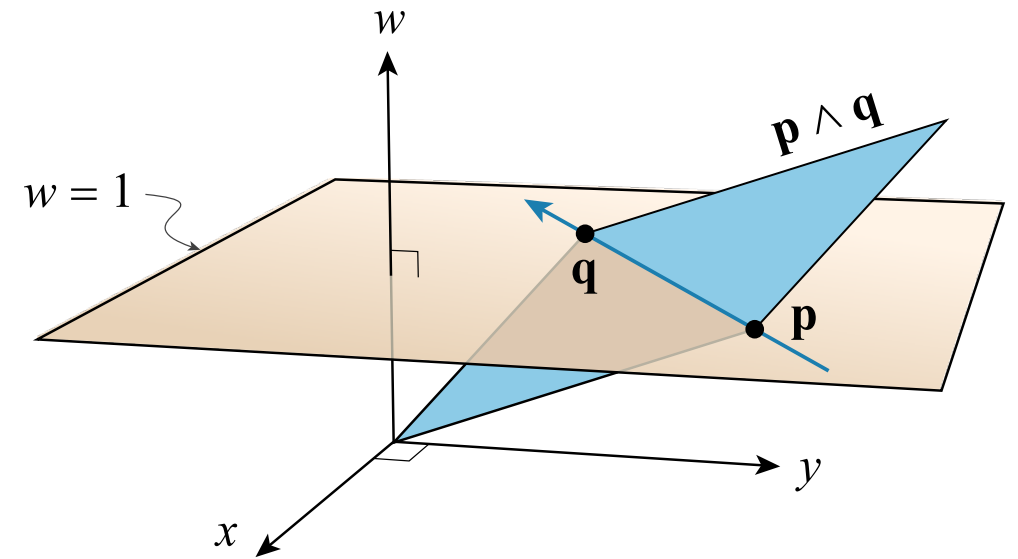
- The origin is simply the point e_4
- Point with zero weight lies at infinity in (x, y, z) direction
- Points at infinity in opposite directions are equivalent

Line

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

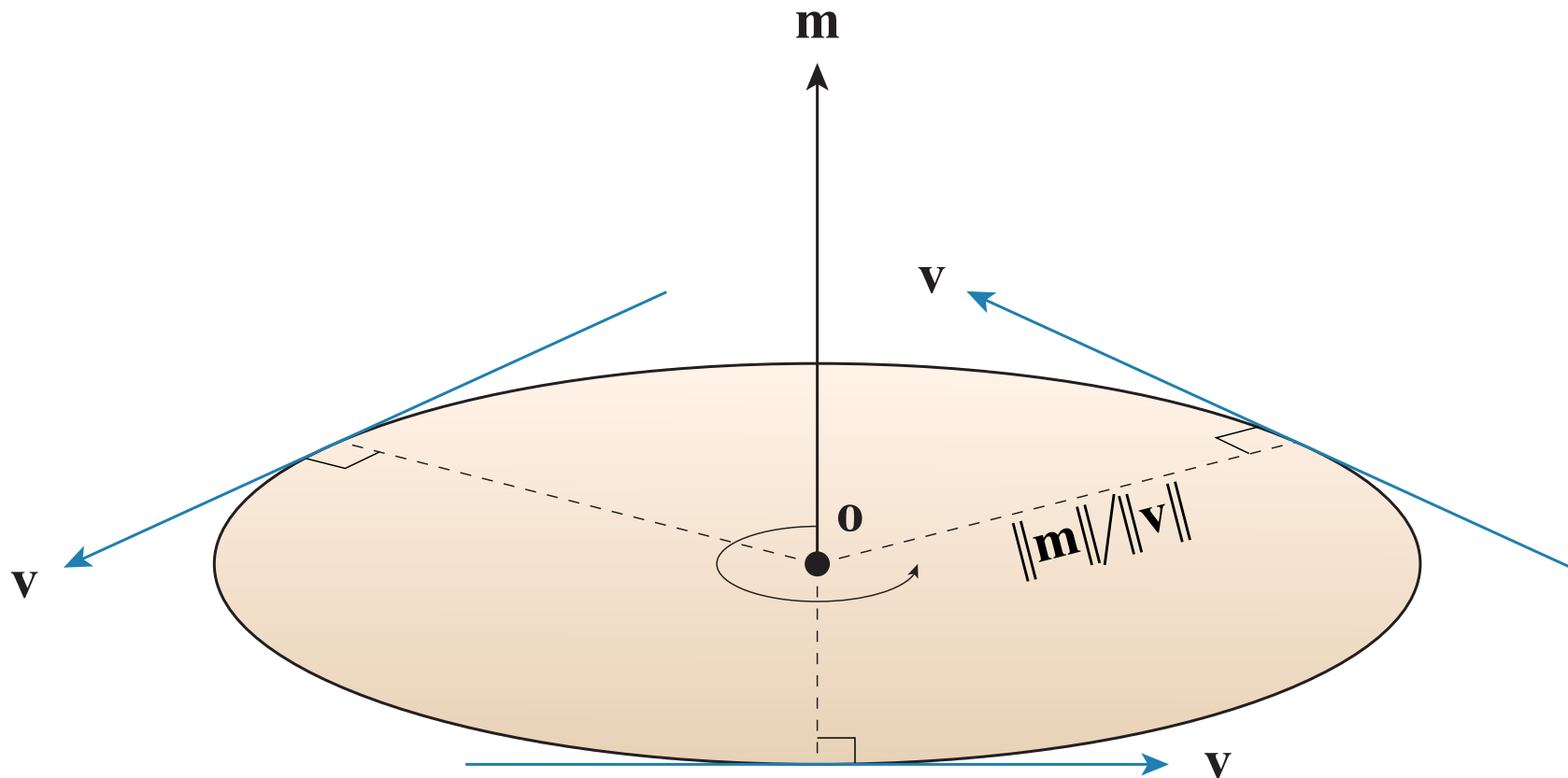
$$\mathbf{l} = \underbrace{l_{vx} \mathbf{e}_{41} + l_{vy} \mathbf{e}_{42} + l_{vz} \mathbf{e}_{43}}_{\text{Direction}} + \underbrace{l_{mx} \mathbf{e}_{23} + l_{my} \mathbf{e}_{31} + l_{mz} \mathbf{e}_{12}}_{\text{Moment}}$$

$$\mathbf{l}_v \cdot \mathbf{l}_m = 0$$



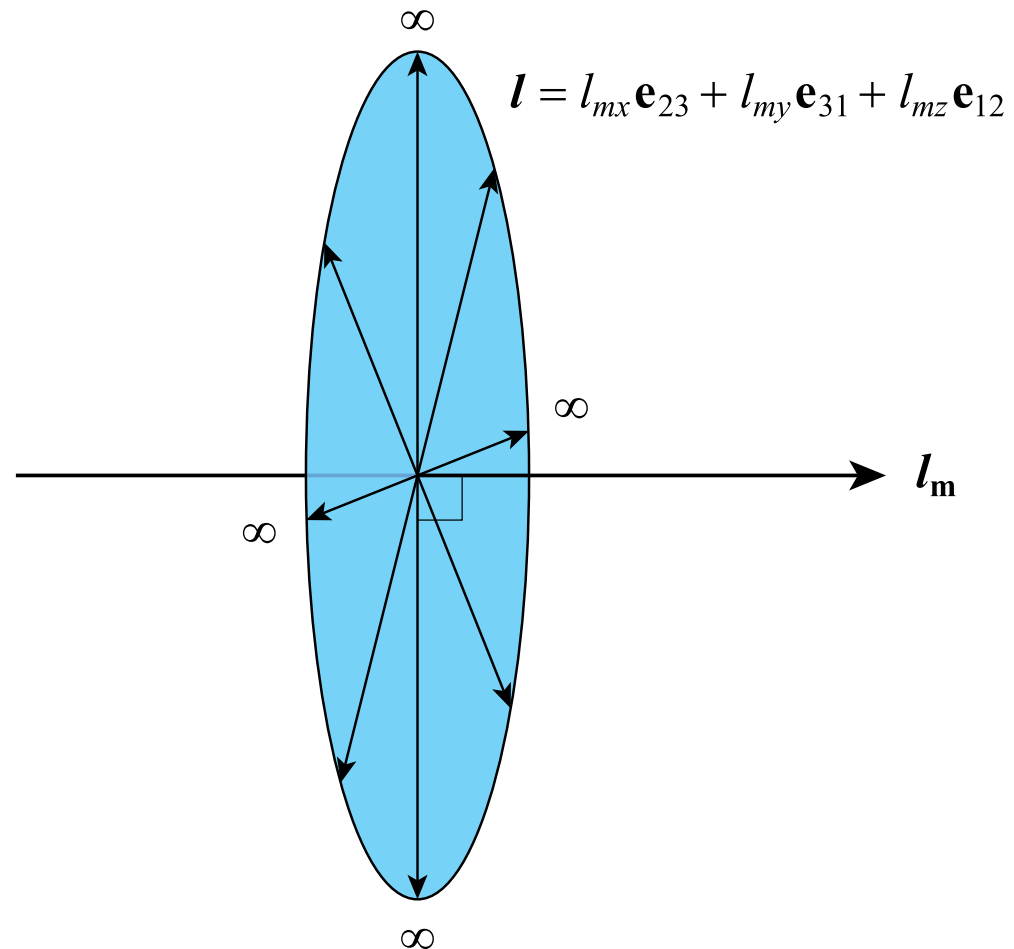
Line Moment

- Contains position information



Lines at Infinity

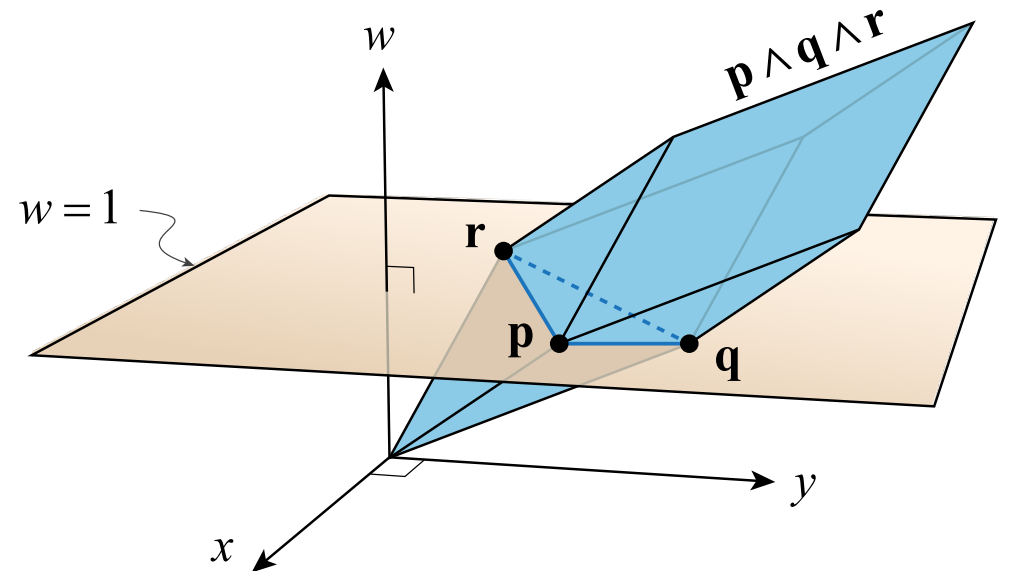
- Line with zero direction lies at infinity



Plane

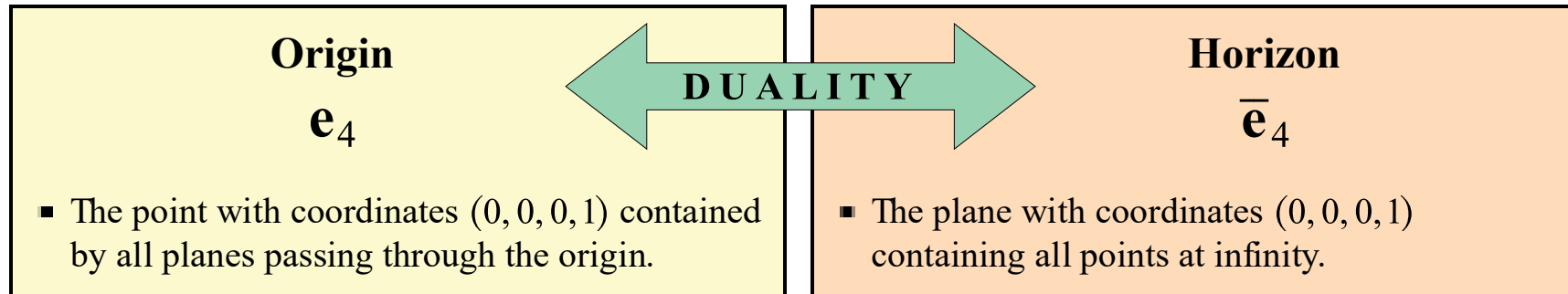
$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{l} \wedge \mathbf{p} = & (l_{vy}p_z - l_{vz}p_y + l_{mx})\mathbf{e}_{423} + (l_{vz}p_x - l_{vx}p_z + l_{my})\mathbf{e}_{431} \\ & + (l_{vx}p_y - l_{vy}p_x + l_{mz})\mathbf{e}_{412} - (l_{mx}p_x + l_{my}p_y + l_{mz}p_z)\mathbf{e}_{321} \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbf{g} = \underbrace{g_x \mathbf{e}_{423} + g_y \mathbf{e}_{431} + g_z \mathbf{e}_{412}}_{\text{Normal}} + \underbrace{g_w \mathbf{e}_{321}}_{\text{Position}}$$



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*



4D Exterior Algebra

Scalars

$$s\mathbf{1}$$

Magnitudes

Vectors

$$x\mathbf{e}_1 + y\mathbf{e}_2 + z\mathbf{e}_3 + w\mathbf{e}_4$$

Points

Bivectors

$$v_x\mathbf{e}_{41} + v_y\mathbf{e}_{42} + v_z\mathbf{e}_{43} + m_x\mathbf{e}_{23} + m_y\mathbf{e}_{31} + m_z\mathbf{e}_{12}$$

Lines

Trivectors

$$g_x\mathbf{e}_{423} + g_y\mathbf{e}_{431} + g_z\mathbf{e}_{412} + g_w\mathbf{e}_{321}$$

Planes

Quadrivectors

$$t\mathbf{1}$$

Magnitudes

Complements

- Complement inverts full / empty dimensions
- Right complement denoted by overbar
- Left complement denoted by underbar
- For basis element \mathbf{u} ,

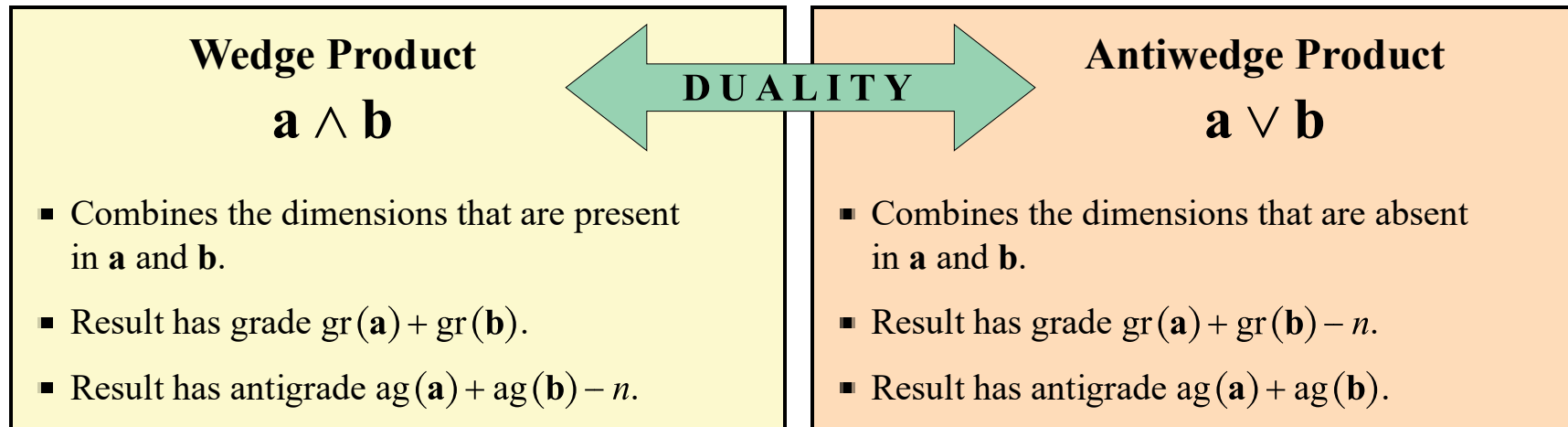
$$\mathbf{u} \wedge \bar{\mathbf{u}} = \mathbb{1}$$

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

\mathbf{u}	$\mathbb{1}$	\mathbf{e}_1	\mathbf{e}_2	\mathbf{e}_3	\mathbf{e}_4	\mathbf{e}_{41}	\mathbf{e}_{42}	\mathbf{e}_{43}	\mathbf{e}_{23}	\mathbf{e}_{31}	\mathbf{e}_{12}	\mathbf{e}_{423}	\mathbf{e}_{431}	\mathbf{e}_{412}	\mathbf{e}_{321}	$\mathbb{1}$
$\bar{\mathbf{u}}$	$\mathbb{1}$	\mathbf{e}_{423}	\mathbf{e}_{431}	\mathbf{e}_{412}	\mathbf{e}_{321}	$-\mathbf{e}_{23}$	$-\mathbf{e}_{31}$	$-\mathbf{e}_{12}$	$-\mathbf{e}_{41}$	$-\mathbf{e}_{42}$	$-\mathbf{e}_{43}$	$-\mathbf{e}_1$	$-\mathbf{e}_2$	$-\mathbf{e}_3$	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	$\mathbb{1}$
$\underline{\mathbf{u}}$	$\mathbb{1}$	$-\mathbf{e}_{423}$	$-\mathbf{e}_{431}$	$-\mathbf{e}_{412}$	$-\mathbf{e}_{321}$	$-\mathbf{e}_{23}$	$-\mathbf{e}_{31}$	$-\mathbf{e}_{12}$	$-\mathbf{e}_{41}$	$-\mathbf{e}_{42}$	$-\mathbf{e}_{43}$	\mathbf{e}_1	\mathbf{e}_2	\mathbf{e}_3	\mathbf{e}_4	$\mathbb{1}$

Antiwedge Product

- Antiwedge product denoted by \vee



De Morgan Laws

- Every operation with 'anti' in its name satisfies a De Morgan law:

$$\overline{\mathbf{a} \vee \mathbf{b}} = \bar{\mathbf{a}} \wedge \bar{\mathbf{b}}$$

$$\underline{\mathbf{a} \vee \mathbf{b}} = \underline{\mathbf{a}} \wedge \underline{\mathbf{b}}$$

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

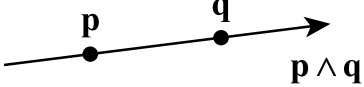
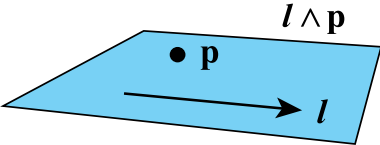
4D Exterior Antiproduct

Antiwedge Product $\mathbf{a} \vee \mathbf{b}$

$\mathbf{a} \backslash \mathbf{b}$	$\mathbf{1}$	\mathbf{e}_1	\mathbf{e}_2	\mathbf{e}_3	\mathbf{e}_4	\mathbf{e}_{41}	\mathbf{e}_{42}	\mathbf{e}_{43}	\mathbf{e}_{23}	\mathbf{e}_{31}	\mathbf{e}_{12}	\mathbf{e}_{423}	\mathbf{e}_{431}	\mathbf{e}_{412}	\mathbf{e}_{321}	$\mathbb{1}$
$\mathbf{1}$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	$\mathbf{1}$
\mathbf{e}_1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	$\mathbf{1}$	0	0	0	\mathbf{e}_1
\mathbf{e}_2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	$\mathbf{1}$	0	0	\mathbf{e}_2
\mathbf{e}_3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	$\mathbf{1}$	0	\mathbf{e}_3
\mathbf{e}_4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	$\mathbf{1}$	\mathbf{e}_4
\mathbf{e}_{41}	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{1}$	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	0	0	\mathbf{e}_1	\mathbf{e}_{41}
\mathbf{e}_{42}	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{1}$	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	0	\mathbf{e}_2	\mathbf{e}_{42}
\mathbf{e}_{43}	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{1}$	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	\mathbf{e}_3	\mathbf{e}_{43}
\mathbf{e}_{23}	0	0	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{1}$	0	0	0	0	0	0	\mathbf{e}_3	$-\mathbf{e}_2$	0	\mathbf{e}_{23}
\mathbf{e}_{31}	0	0	0	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{1}$	0	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_3$	0	\mathbf{e}_1	0	\mathbf{e}_{31}
\mathbf{e}_{12}	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{1}$	0	0	0	\mathbf{e}_2	$-\mathbf{e}_1$	0	0	\mathbf{e}_{12}
\mathbf{e}_{423}	0	$-\mathbf{1}$	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_3$	\mathbf{e}_2	0	$-\mathbf{e}_{43}$	\mathbf{e}_{42}	\mathbf{e}_{23}	\mathbf{e}_{423}
\mathbf{e}_{431}	0	0	$-\mathbf{1}$	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	0	\mathbf{e}_3	0	$-\mathbf{e}_1$	\mathbf{e}_{43}	0	$-\mathbf{e}_{41}$	\mathbf{e}_{31}	\mathbf{e}_{431}
\mathbf{e}_{412}	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{1}$	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_4$	$-\mathbf{e}_2$	\mathbf{e}_1	0	$-\mathbf{e}_{42}$	\mathbf{e}_{41}	0	\mathbf{e}_{12}	\mathbf{e}_{412}
\mathbf{e}_{321}	0	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{1}$	\mathbf{e}_1	\mathbf{e}_2	\mathbf{e}_3	0	0	0	$-\mathbf{e}_{23}$	$-\mathbf{e}_{31}$	$-\mathbf{e}_{12}$	0	\mathbf{e}_{321}
$\mathbb{1}$	$\mathbf{1}$	\mathbf{e}_1	\mathbf{e}_2	\mathbf{e}_3	\mathbf{e}_4	\mathbf{e}_{41}	\mathbf{e}_{42}	\mathbf{e}_{43}	\mathbf{e}_{23}	\mathbf{e}_{31}	\mathbf{e}_{12}	\mathbf{e}_{423}	\mathbf{e}_{431}	\mathbf{e}_{412}	\mathbf{e}_{321}	$\mathbb{1}$

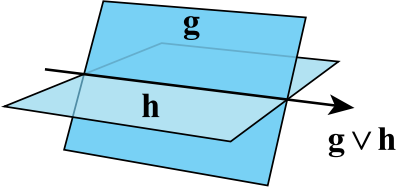
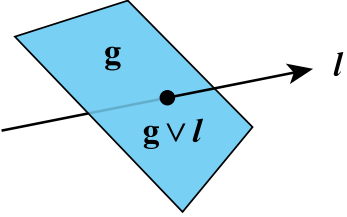
Join

- Wedge product performs join operation
- Produces higher-dimensional object containing both operands

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

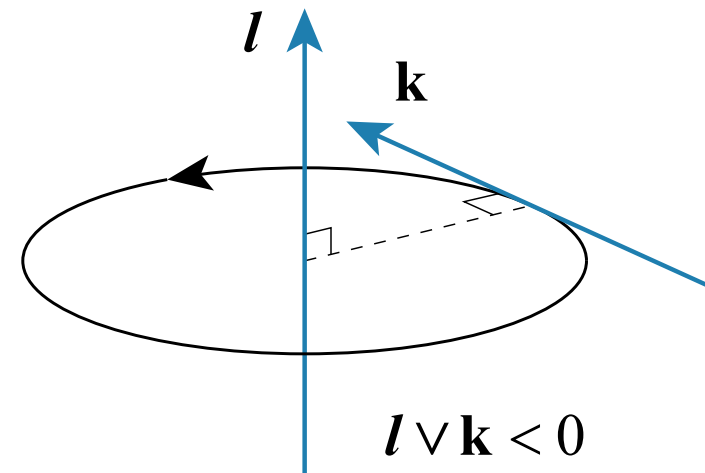
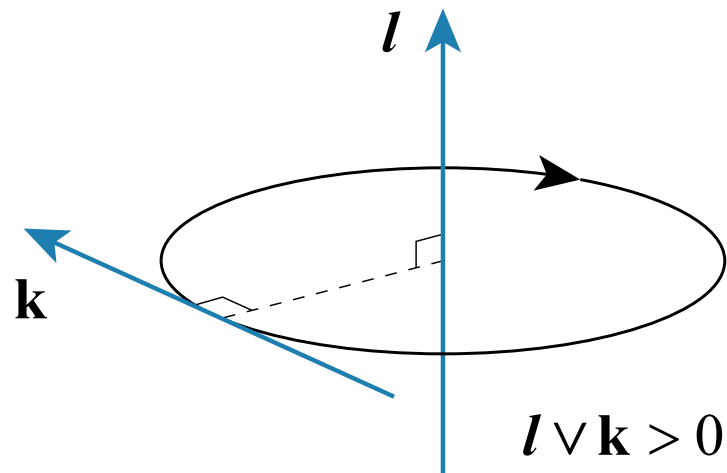
Meet

- Antiwedge product performs meet operation
- Produces lower-dimensional object at intersection of operands

Meet Operation	Illustration
<p>Line where planes g and h intersect.</p> $\mathbf{g} \vee \mathbf{h} = (g_z h_y - g_y h_z) \mathbf{e}_{41} + (g_x h_w - g_w h_x) \mathbf{e}_{23} \\ + (g_x h_z - g_z h_x) \mathbf{e}_{42} + (g_y h_w - g_w h_y) \mathbf{e}_{31} \\ + (g_y h_x - g_x h_y) \mathbf{e}_{43} + (g_z h_w - g_w h_z) \mathbf{e}_{12}$	 <p>The diagram shows two light blue planes, labeled 'g' and 'h', intersecting at a line. An arrow points from the intersection line to the label 'g ∨ h'.</p>
<p>Point where plane g and line l intersect.</p> $\mathbf{g} \vee \mathbf{l} = (g_z l_{my} - g_y l_{mz} + g_w l_{vx}) \mathbf{e}_1 \\ + (g_x l_{mz} - g_z l_{mx} + g_w l_{vy}) \mathbf{e}_2 \\ + (g_y l_{mx} - g_x l_{my} + g_w l_{vz}) \mathbf{e}_3 \\ - (g_x l_{vx} + g_y l_{vy} + g_z l_{vz}) \mathbf{e}_4$	 <p>The diagram shows a light blue plane labeled 'g' and a line labeled 'l' intersecting at a point. An arrow points from the intersection point to the label 'g ∨ l'.</p>

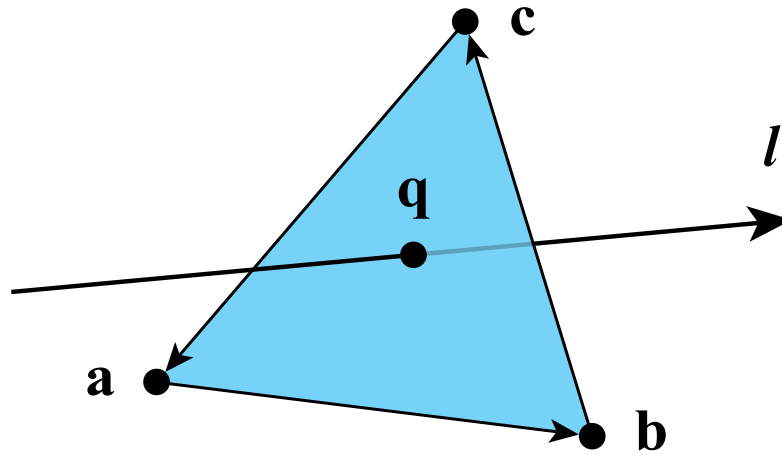
Line Crossing

- Sign of wedge product between lines gives crossing orientation



Line-Triangle Intersection

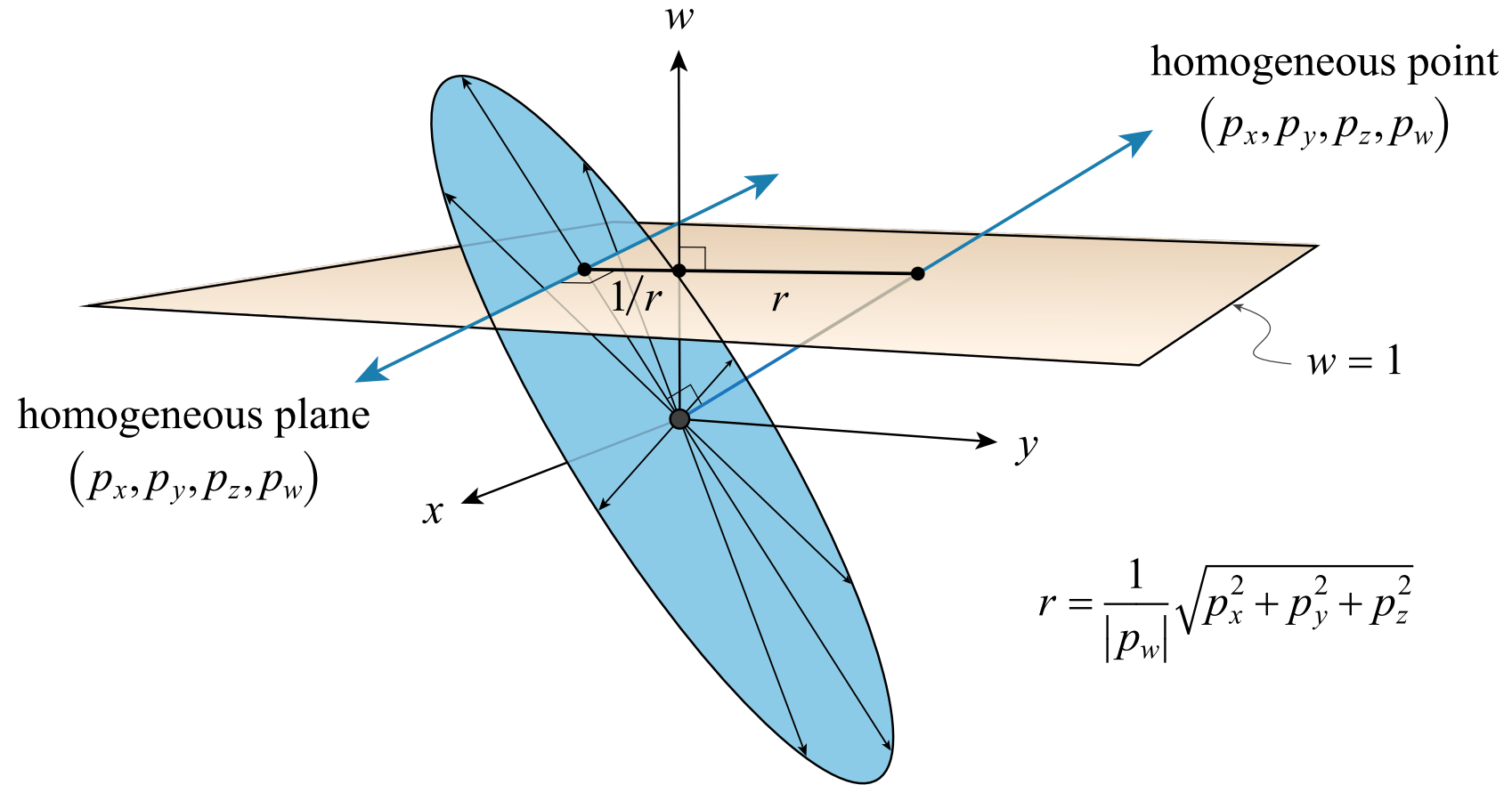
- Wedge product with all three edges of CCW-wound triangle must be positive



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 *antispaces*

Duality



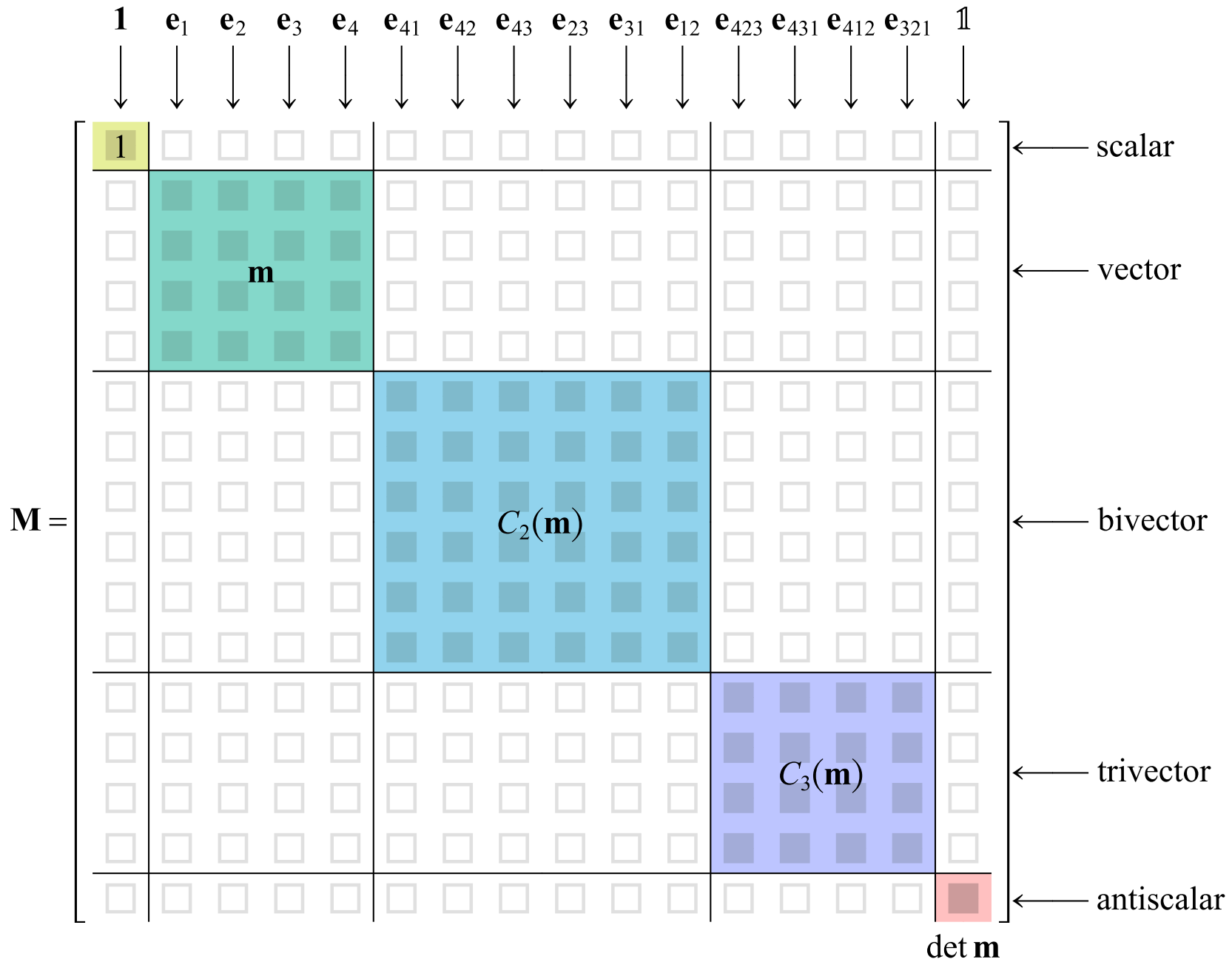
Exomorphisms

- Given an $n \times n$ linear transformation \mathbf{m} that operates on vectors
- The exomorphism \mathbf{M} is the $2^n \times 2^n$ 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 \mathbf{M} is block diagonal
- Each block has columns given by wedge products of columns of the original matrix \mathbf{m}
- These are called *compound matrices* of \mathbf{m}



Translation Exomorphism

$$\mathbf{m} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & t_x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & t_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

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

Nonuniform Scale Exomorphism

$$\mathbf{m} = \begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_y & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & s_z & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C_2(\mathbf{m}) = \begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_y & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & s_z & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & s_y s_z & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & s_z s_x & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & s_x s_y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C_3(\mathbf{m}) = \begin{bmatrix} s_y s_z & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_z s_x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & s_x s_y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & s_x s_y s_z \end{bmatrix}$$

The Metric Tensor

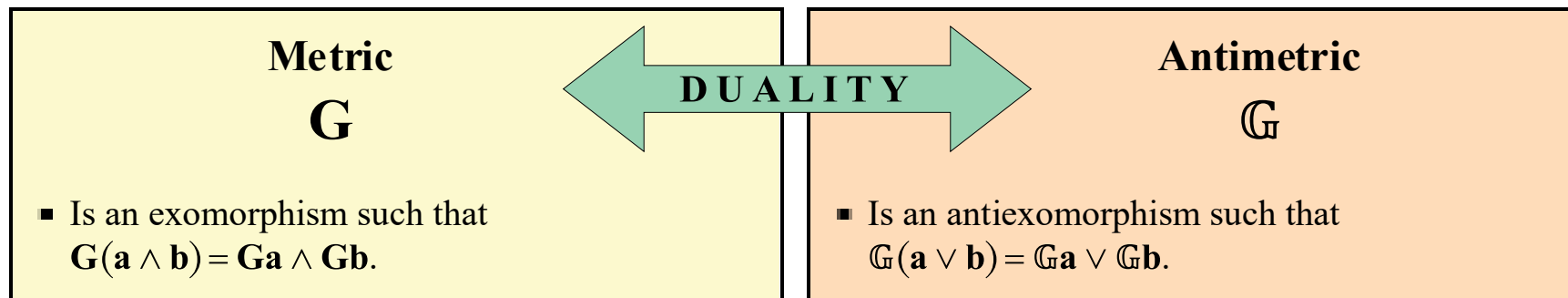
- $n \times n$ matrix that defines dot products of vectors

$$\mathbf{g} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \mathbf{e}_1 \cdot \mathbf{e}_1 = +1 \\ \mathbf{e}_2 \cdot \mathbf{e}_2 = +1 \\ \mathbf{e}_3 \cdot \mathbf{e}_3 = +1 \\ \mathbf{e}_4 \cdot \mathbf{e}_4 = 0 \end{array}$$

$$\mathbf{g}_{ij} \equiv \mathbf{v}_i \cdot \mathbf{v}_j$$

Metric Exomorphism

- The metric tensor is a linear transformation
- It can be extended to a $2^n \times 2^n$ matrix \mathbf{G} that applies to entire exterior algebra
- There is also an *antimetric* that satisfies $\mathbb{G}\mathbf{u} = \underline{\mathbf{G}\bar{\mathbf{u}}} = \overline{\mathbf{G}\underline{\mathbf{u}}}$



Metric and Antimetric

$G =$

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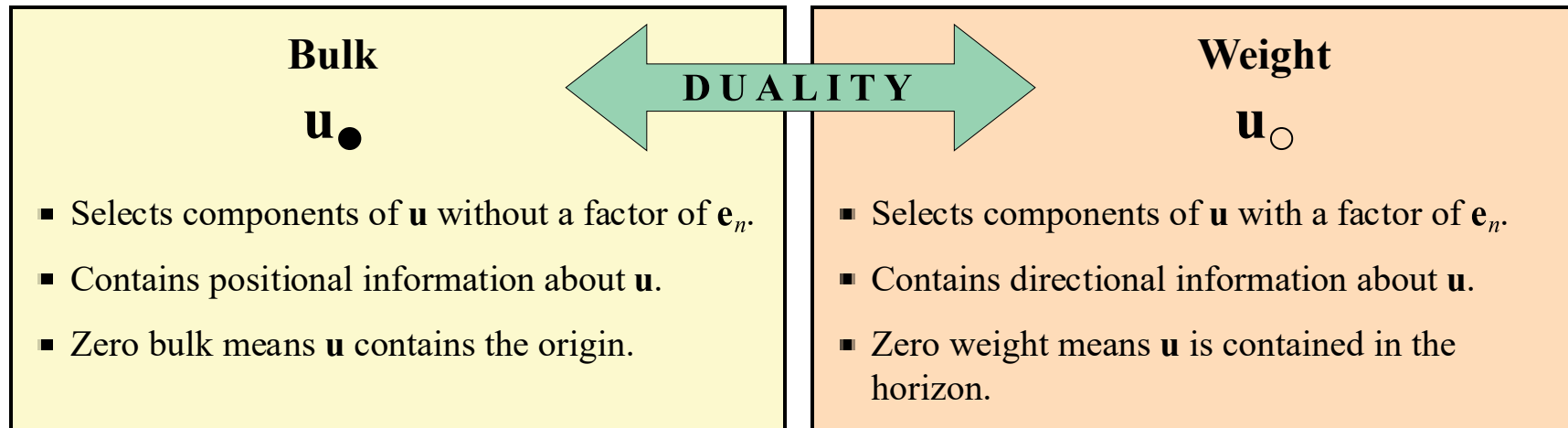
$G =$

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

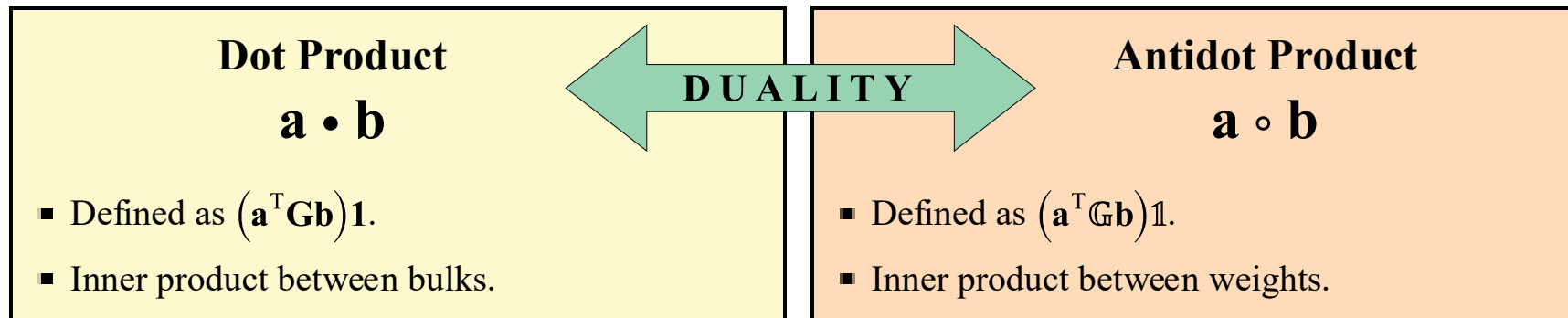
Bulk and Weight

- Bulk $\mathbf{u}_\bullet = \mathbb{G}\mathbf{u}$ All components without factor \mathbf{e}_4
- Weight $\mathbf{u}_\circ = \mathbb{G}\mathbf{u}$ All components with factor \mathbf{e}_4



Inner Products

- Dot product defined by metric: $\mathbf{a} \bullet \mathbf{b} = (\mathbf{a}^T \mathbf{G} \mathbf{b}) \mathbf{1}$
- Antidot product defined by antimetric: $\mathbf{a} \circ \mathbf{b} = (\mathbf{a}^T \mathbb{G} \mathbf{b}) \mathbf{1}$
- Satisfies De Morgan law: $\mathbf{a} \circ \mathbf{b} = \underline{\underline{\mathbf{a} \bullet \mathbf{b}}}$



Bulk and Weight Norms

- Two dot products induce two norms

- Bulk norm: $\|\mathbf{u}\|_{\bullet} = \sqrt{\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{u}}$

- Weight norm: $\|\mathbf{u}\|_{\circ} = \sqrt{\mathbf{u} \circ \mathbf{u}}$

- Can generally have arbitrary values for same geometry due to homogeneity

Bulk and Weight Norms

Type	Bulk Norm	Weight Norm
Point \mathbf{p}	$\ \mathbf{p}\ _{\bullet} = \mathbf{1}\sqrt{p_x^2 + p_y^2 + p_z^2}$	$\ \mathbf{p}\ _{\circ} = p_w \mathbf{1}$
Line l	$\ l\ _{\bullet} = \mathbf{1}\sqrt{l_{mx}^2 + l_{my}^2 + l_{mz}^2}$	$\ l\ _{\circ} = \mathbf{1}\sqrt{l_{vx}^2 + l_{vy}^2 + l_{vz}^2}$
Plane \mathbf{g}	$\ \mathbf{g}\ _{\bullet} = g_w \mathbf{1}$	$\ \mathbf{g}\ _{\circ} = \mathbf{1}\sqrt{g_x^2 + g_y^2 + g_z^2}$

Unitization

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

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

Geometric Norm

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

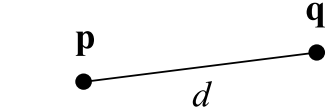
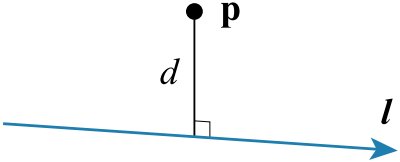
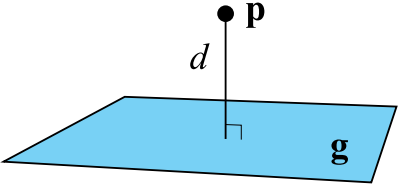
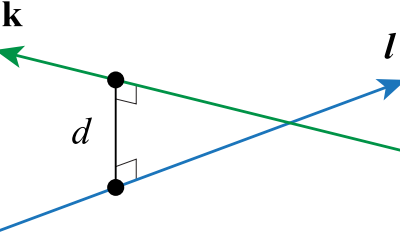
$$\|\mathbf{u}\| = \|\mathbf{u}\|_{\bullet} + \|\mathbf{u}\|_{\circ} = \sqrt{\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{u}} + \sqrt{\mathbf{u} \circ \mathbf{u}}$$

- Two-component quantity, sum of scalar and antiscalar $s\mathbf{1} + t\mathbf{1}$
- Can be unitized by making weight one

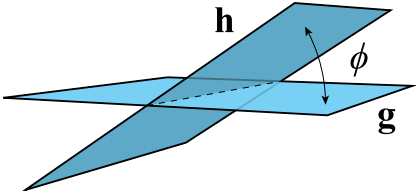
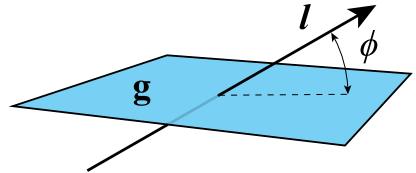
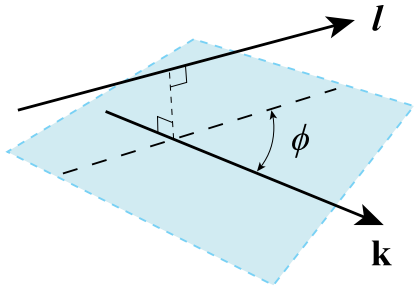
Geometric Norm

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

Euclidean Distance

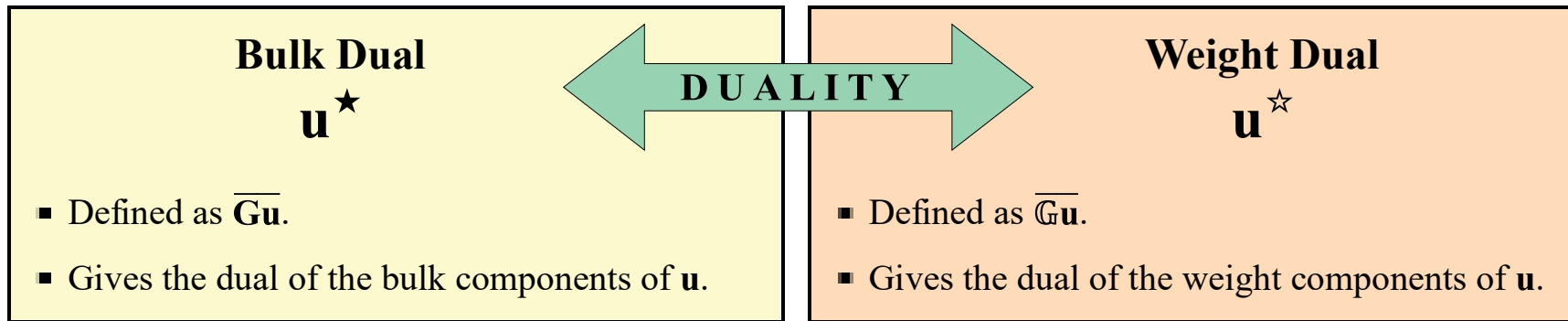
Distance Formula	Illustration
Distance d between points \mathbf{p} and \mathbf{q} . $d(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q}) = \ \mathbf{q}_{xyz}p_w - \mathbf{p}_{xyz}q_w\ \mathbf{1} + p_w q_w \mathbf{1}$	
Perpendicular distance d between point \mathbf{p} and line l . $d(\mathbf{p}, l) = \ \mathbf{l}_v \times \mathbf{p}_{xyz} + p_w \mathbf{l}_m\ \mathbf{1} + \ p_w \mathbf{l}_v\ \mathbf{1}$	
Perpendicular distance d between point \mathbf{p} and plane \mathbf{g} . $d(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{g}) = (\mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{g}) \mathbf{1} + \ p_w \mathbf{g}_{xyz}\ \mathbf{1}$	
Perpendicular distance d between skew lines l and \mathbf{k} . $d(l, \mathbf{k}) = -(\mathbf{l}_v \cdot \mathbf{k}_m + \mathbf{l}_m \cdot \mathbf{k}_v) \mathbf{1} + \ \mathbf{l}_v \times \mathbf{k}_v\ \mathbf{1}$	

Euclidean Angle

Angle Formula	Illustration
<p>Cosine of angle ϕ between planes \mathbf{g} and \mathbf{h}.</p> $\cos \phi(\mathbf{g}, \mathbf{h}) = (\mathbf{g}_{xyz} \cdot \mathbf{h}_{xyz}) \mathbf{1} + \ \mathbf{g}\ _{\circ} \ \mathbf{h}\ _{\circ}$	 <p>The diagram shows two blue planes, labeled \mathbf{g} and \mathbf{h}, intersecting at a line. The angle ϕ is shown between the two planes, measured as the angle between their normal vectors.</p>
<p>Cosine of angle ϕ between plane \mathbf{g} and line \mathbf{l}.</p> $\cos \phi(\mathbf{g}, \mathbf{l}) = \ \mathbf{g}_{xyz} \times \mathbf{l}_v\ \mathbf{1} + \ \mathbf{g}\ _{\circ} \ \mathbf{l}\ _{\circ}$	 <p>The diagram shows a blue plane labeled \mathbf{g} and a line labeled \mathbf{l} passing through it. The angle ϕ is shown between the line and the plane, measured as the angle between the line and its projection onto the plane.</p>
<p>Cosine of angle ϕ between lines \mathbf{l} and \mathbf{k}.</p> $\cos \phi(\mathbf{l}, \mathbf{k}) = (\mathbf{l}_v \cdot \mathbf{k}_v) \mathbf{1} + \ \mathbf{l}\ _{\circ} \ \mathbf{k}\ _{\circ}$	 <p>The diagram shows two lines, labeled \mathbf{l} and \mathbf{k}, intersecting at a point. The angle ϕ is shown between the two lines. A dashed line indicates the projection of line \mathbf{l} onto the plane defined by line \mathbf{k} and a perpendicular line, illustrating the angle between the lines.</p>

Bulk and Weight Duals

- Multiply by metric or antimetric, then take complement



u	1	e₁	e₂	e₃	e₄	e₄₁	e₄₂	e₄₃	e₂₃	e₃₁	e₁₂	e₄₂₃	e₄₃₁	e₄₁₂	e₃₂₁	1
u[★]	1	e₄₂₃	e₄₃₁	e₄₁₂	0	0	0	0	-e₄₁	-e₄₂	-e₄₃	0	0	0	-e₄	0
u_★	1	-e₄₂₃	-e₄₃₁	-e₄₁₂	0	0	0	0	-e₄₁	-e₄₂	-e₄₃	0	0	0	e₄	0
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u_☆	0	0	0	0	-e₃₂₁	-e₂₃	-e₃₁	-e₁₂	0	0	0	e₁	e₂	e₃	0	1

Hodge Dual

- Right bulk dual is equivalent to Hodge dual

$$\mathbf{u}^\star = \overline{\mathbf{G}\mathbf{u}}$$

- For \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b} with same grade,

$$\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b}^\star = (\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}) \mathbb{1}$$

Interior Products

- Two exterior products combined with two duals
- Eight *interior* products using right and left duals

- Bulk contraction $\mathbf{a} \vee \mathbf{b}^\star$ $\mathbf{b}_\star \vee \mathbf{a}$

- Weight contraction $\mathbf{a} \vee \mathbf{b}^{\star\star}$ $\mathbf{b}_{\star\star} \vee \mathbf{a}$

- Bulk expansion $\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b}^\star$ $\mathbf{b}_\star \wedge \mathbf{a}$

- Weight expansion $\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b}^{\star\star}$ $\mathbf{b}_{\star\star} \wedge \mathbf{a}$

Interior Products

- Right and left interior products differ by grade-dependent sign:

$$\mathbf{b}_* \lrcorner \mathbf{a} = (-1)^{\text{gr}(\mathbf{b})[\text{gr}(\mathbf{a})+\text{gr}(\mathbf{b})]} \mathbf{a} \lrcorner \mathbf{b}^*$$

$$\mathbf{b}_* \wedge \mathbf{a} = (-1)^{\text{ag}(\mathbf{b})[\text{ag}(\mathbf{a})+\text{ag}(\mathbf{b})]} \mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b}^*$$

- Here, $*$ is either \star or \star
- Really need only four interior products

Interior Products

- Interior products reduce to inner products for same grade:

$$\mathbf{a} \vee \mathbf{b}^\star = \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}, \quad \text{when } \text{gr}(\mathbf{a}) = \text{gr}(\mathbf{b})$$

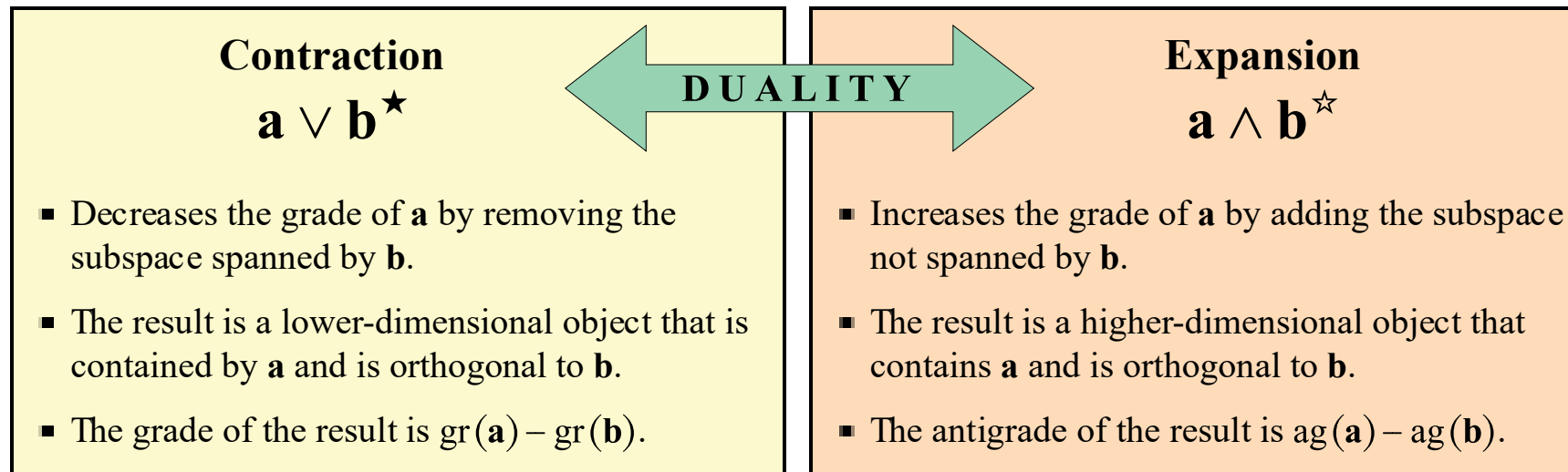
$$\mathbf{a} \vee \mathbf{b}^\star = (\mathbf{a} \circ \mathbf{b}) \vee \mathbf{1}, \quad \text{when } \text{gr}(\mathbf{a}) = \text{gr}(\mathbf{b})$$

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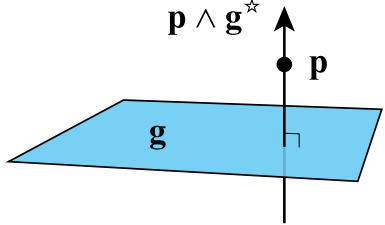
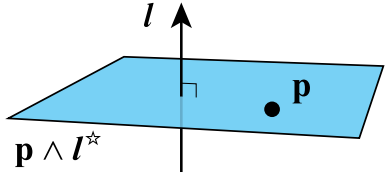
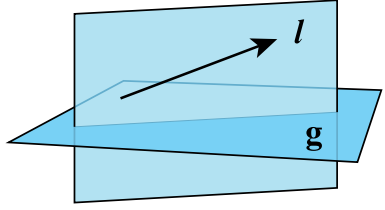
$$\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b}^\star = (\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}) \wedge \mathbf{1}, \quad \text{when } \text{ag}(\mathbf{a}) = \text{ag}(\mathbf{b})$$

Contraction and Expansion

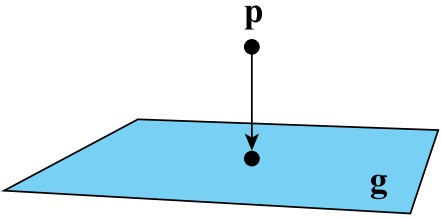
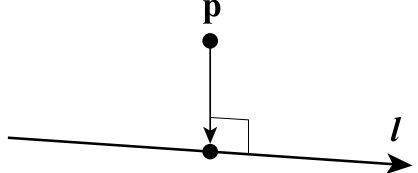
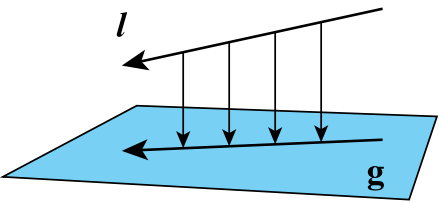
- Subtract grades or antigrades



Weight Expansion

Expansion Operation	Illustration
<p>Line containing point \mathbf{p} and orthogonal to plane \mathbf{g}.</p> $\mathbf{p} \wedge \mathbf{g}^\star = -p_w g_x \mathbf{e}_{41} + (p_z g_y - p_y g_z) \mathbf{e}_{23}$ $- p_w g_y \mathbf{e}_{42} + (p_x g_z - p_z g_x) \mathbf{e}_{31}$ $- p_w g_z \mathbf{e}_{43} + (p_y g_x - p_x g_y) \mathbf{e}_{12}$	
<p>Plane containing point \mathbf{p} and orthogonal to line \mathbf{l}.</p> $\mathbf{p} \wedge \mathbf{l}^\star = -p_w l_{vx} \mathbf{e}_{423} - p_w l_{vy} \mathbf{e}_{431} - p_w l_{vz} \mathbf{e}_{412}$ $+ (p_x l_{vx} + p_y l_{vy} + p_z l_{vz}) \mathbf{e}_{321}$	
<p>Plane containing line \mathbf{l} and orthogonal to plane \mathbf{g}.</p> $\mathbf{l} \wedge \mathbf{g}^\star = (l_{vy} g_z - l_{vz} g_y) \mathbf{e}_{423}$ $+ (l_{vz} g_x - l_{vx} g_z) \mathbf{e}_{431}$ $+ (l_{vx} g_y - l_{vy} g_x) \mathbf{e}_{412}$ $- (l_{mx} g_x + l_{my} g_y + l_{mz} g_z) \mathbf{e}_{321}$	

Orthogonal Projection

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

Support

- Orthogonal projection of origin onto line or plane
- Support is point closest to origin contained by object

$$\text{sup}(\mathbf{l}) = (l_{vy}l_{mz} - l_{vz}l_{my})\mathbf{e}_1 + (l_{vz}l_{mx} - l_{vx}l_{mz})\mathbf{e}_2 + (l_{vx}l_{my} - l_{vy}l_{mx})\mathbf{e}_3 + l_v^2\mathbf{e}_4$$

$$\text{sup}(\mathbf{g}) = -g_x g_w \mathbf{e}_1 - g_y g_w \mathbf{e}_2 - g_z g_w \mathbf{e}_3 + (g_x^2 + g_y^2 + g_z^2)\mathbf{e}_4$$

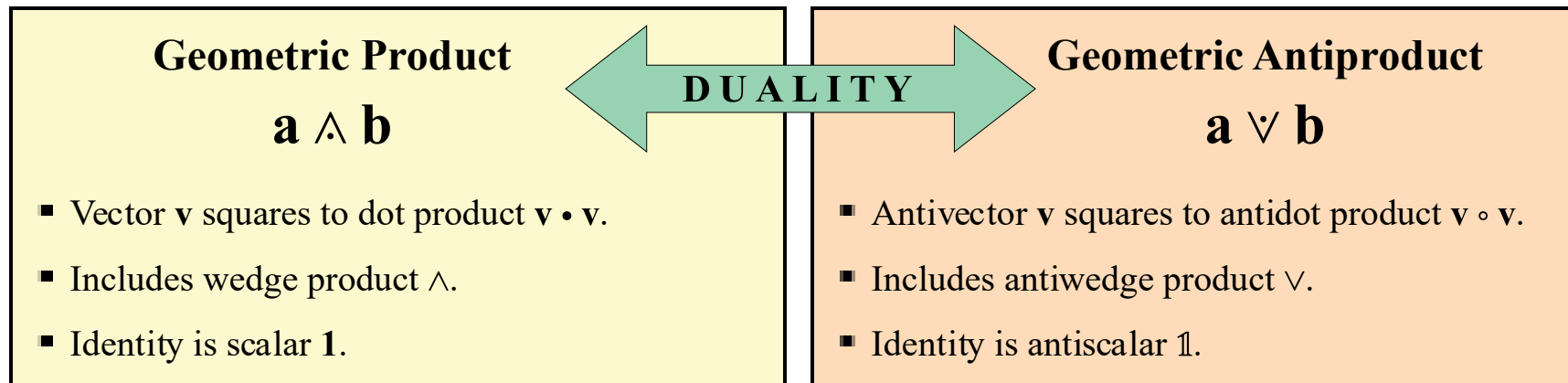
Geometric / Clifford Algebra

- Geometric product $\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b}$
- Geometric antiproduct $\mathbf{a} \vee \mathbf{b}$
- We use upward and downward wedge with dot inside
- “Wedge-dot” and “Antiwedge-dot”
- G.P. historically denoted by juxtaposition without symbol
- But duality gives us two products that need distinguishing

Geometric Product and Antiproduct

- Vectors square to inner product instead of zero
- Product satisfy the usual De Morgan law

$$\mathbf{a} \vee \mathbf{b} = \overline{\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b}}$$



Geometric Products

- For vectors \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b} :

$$\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b} = \mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}$$

- For antivectors \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b} :

$$\mathbf{a} \vee \mathbf{b} = \mathbf{a} \vee \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{a} \circ \mathbf{b}$$

Geometric Products

- For vector \mathbf{a} and arbitrary \mathbf{B} :

$$\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{B} \vee \mathbf{a}^\star$$

- For antivector \mathbf{a} and arbitrary \mathbf{B} :

$$\mathbf{a} \vee \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{a} \vee \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{B} \wedge \mathbf{a}^\star$$

Geometric Products

- In general, there are more terms for **A** and **B** with higher grades
- In 4D algebra, arbitrary **A** and **B** multiply as

$$\mathbf{A} \mathbf{\hat{A}} \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{A} \wedge \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{A} \cdot \tilde{\mathbf{B}}$$



commutator product

$$\mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B} = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{A} \mathbf{\hat{A}} \mathbf{B} - \mathbf{B} \mathbf{\hat{A}} \mathbf{A})$$

4D Geometric Product

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

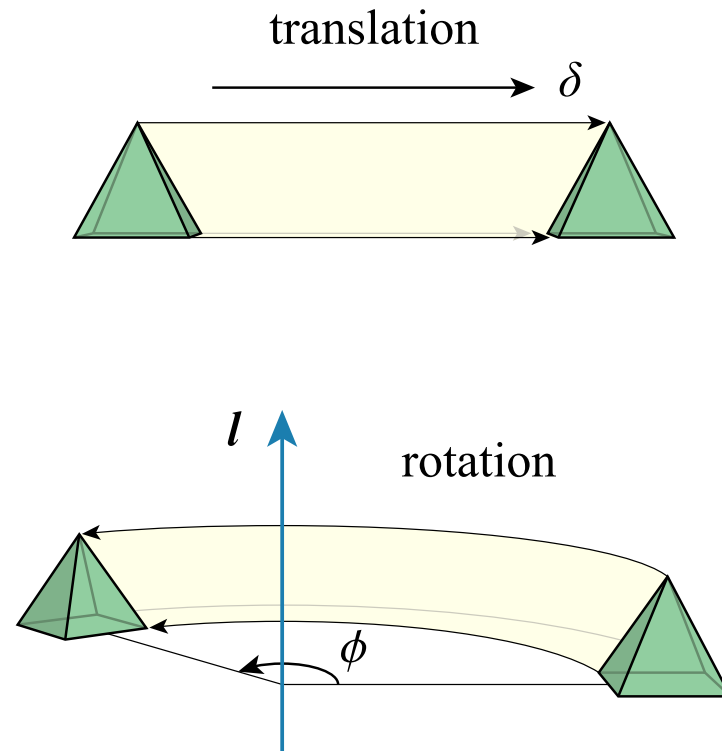
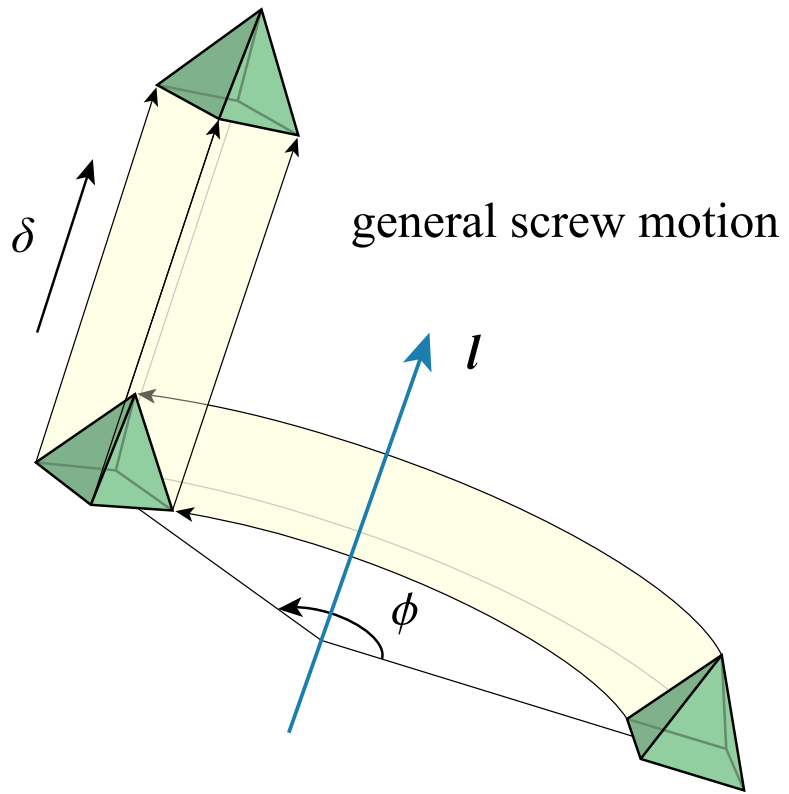
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4D Geometric Antiproduct

Geometric Antiproduct $\mathbf{a} \vee \mathbf{b}$

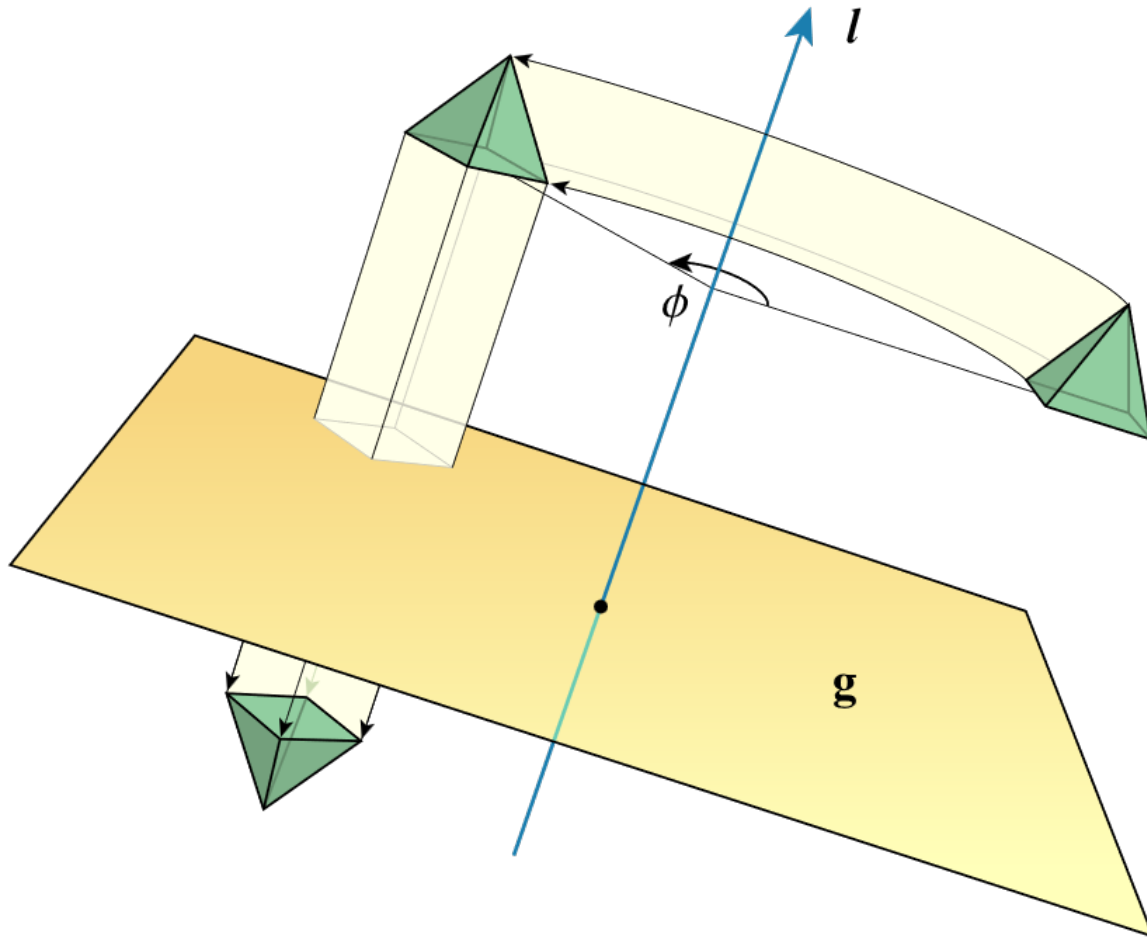
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Proper Euclidean Isometries

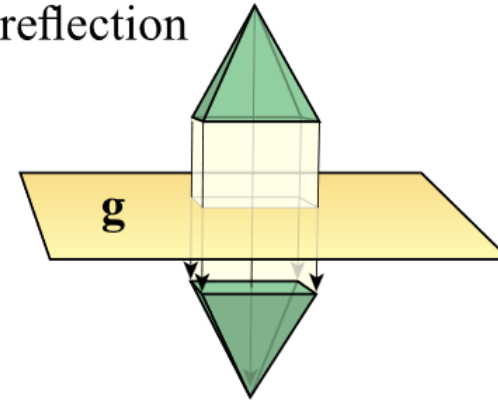


Improper Euclidean Isometries

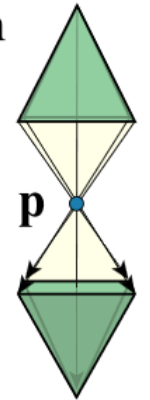
general rotoreflection



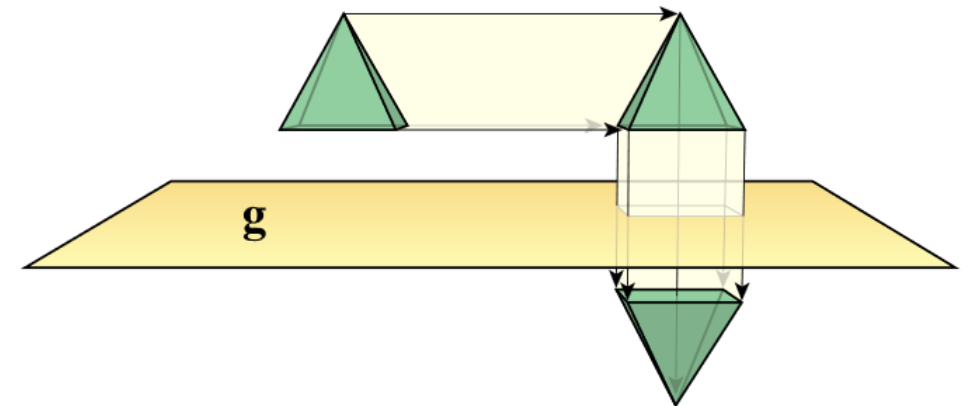
reflection



inversion



transflection



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

Plane Reflection

- Sandwich antiproduct with plane \mathbf{g} performs reflection:

$$\mathbf{u}' = \mathbf{g} \vee \mathbf{u} \vee \mathbf{g}$$

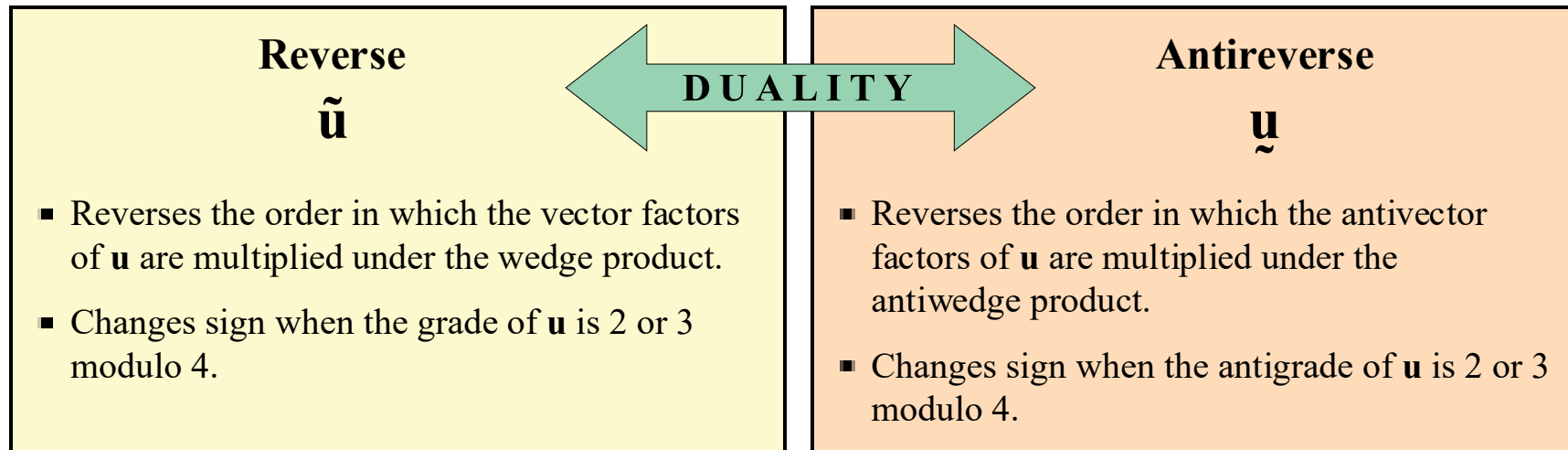
- Multiple reflections stack outward from \mathbf{u} :

$$\mathbf{u}' = (\mathbf{h} \vee \mathbf{g}) \vee \mathbf{u} \vee (\mathbf{g} \vee \mathbf{h})$$

- Basis for all Euclidean isometries

Reverse and Antireverse

- Multiply vector or antivector factors in reverse order

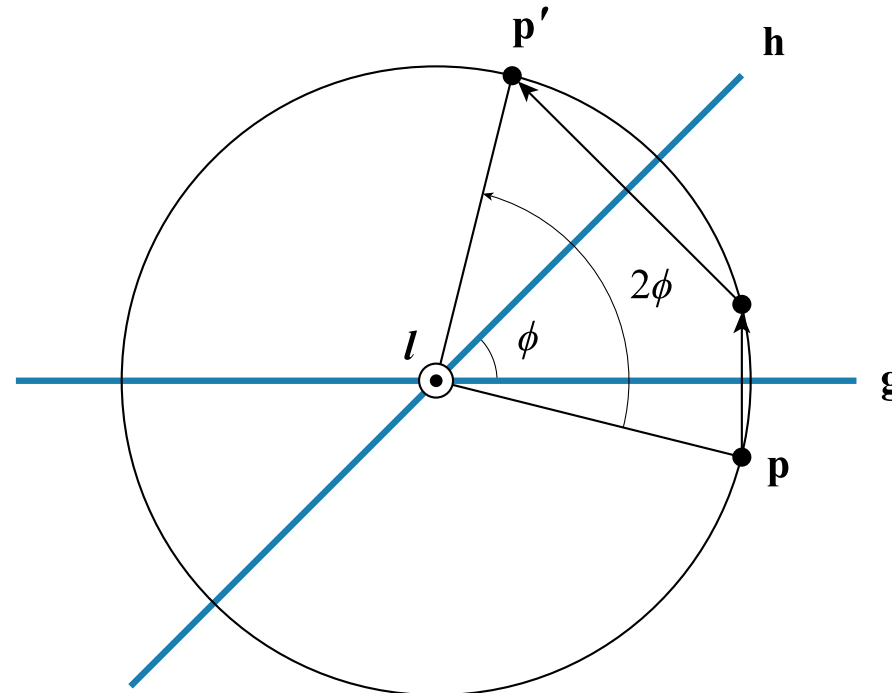


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Rotation about a Line

- Let \mathbf{g} and \mathbf{h} be planes meeting at an angle ϕ
- Reflection across \mathbf{g} followed by \mathbf{h} is rotation through 2ϕ about line l where planes intersect

$$l = \frac{\mathbf{h} \vee \mathbf{g}}{\|\mathbf{h} \vee \mathbf{g}\|_o}$$



Rotation about a Line

- Planes multiply together under geometric antiproduct to form rotation operator \mathbf{R}

$$\mathbf{p}' = \mathbf{h} \vee (\mathbf{g} \vee \mathbf{p} \vee \mathbf{g}) \vee \mathbf{h}$$

$$\mathbf{p}' = \mathbf{R} \vee \mathbf{p} \vee \mathbf{R}$$

$$\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{h} \vee \mathbf{g}$$

Rotation about a Line

- General form of rotation operator \mathbf{R} :

$$\mathbf{R} = l \sin \phi + \mathbb{1} \cos \phi$$

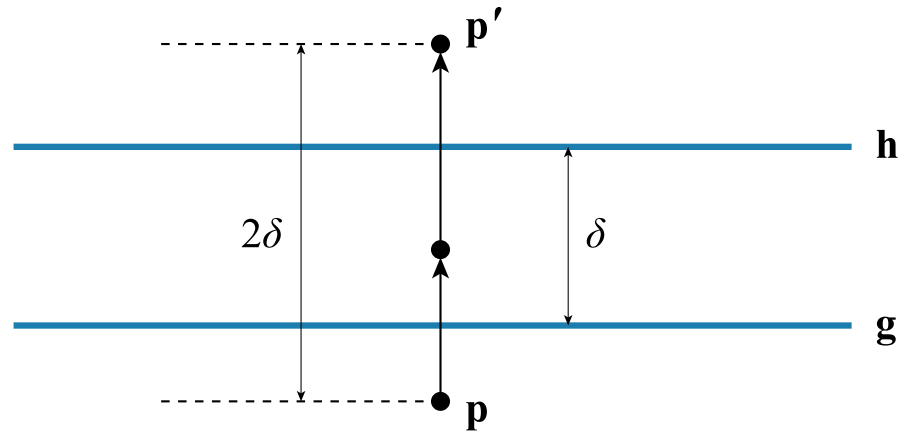
- Rotates through angle 2ϕ about unitized line l

$$\mathbf{u}' = \mathbf{R} \mathbf{u} \mathbf{R}$$

- Rotates any geometry and even other operators

Translation

- If planes **g** and **h** are parallel, result is a translation
- Translation goes along normal direction by twice the distance δ between the planes



Translation

- General form of translation operator \mathbf{T} :

$$\mathbf{T} = \tau_x \mathbf{e}_{23} + \tau_y \mathbf{e}_{31} + \tau_z \mathbf{e}_{12} + \mathbb{1}$$

- Translates by displacement vector 2τ

$$\mathbf{u}' = \mathbf{T} \mathbin{\dot{\vee}} \mathbf{u} \mathbin{\dot{\vee}} \mathbf{T}$$

- Translates any geometry and even other operators

Euclidean Isometry Operators

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

Motor

- General form of a motor:

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

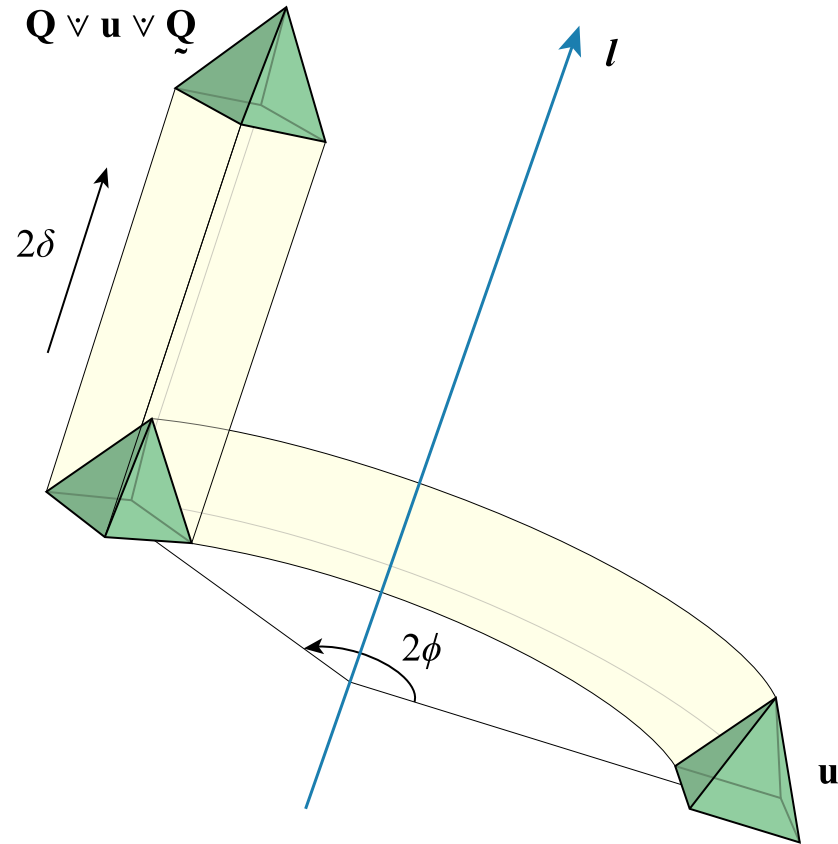
Rotation Quaternion

Moment and Displacement

- Performs any combination of rotations and translations

$$\mathbf{u}' = \mathbf{Q} \vee \mathbf{u} \vee \tilde{\mathbf{Q}}$$

Motor



$$Q = \exp_{\vee}[(\delta \mathbf{1} + \phi \mathbf{1}) \vee l] = l \sin \phi - l^{\star} \delta \cos \phi - \delta \sin \phi + \mathbf{1} \cos \phi$$

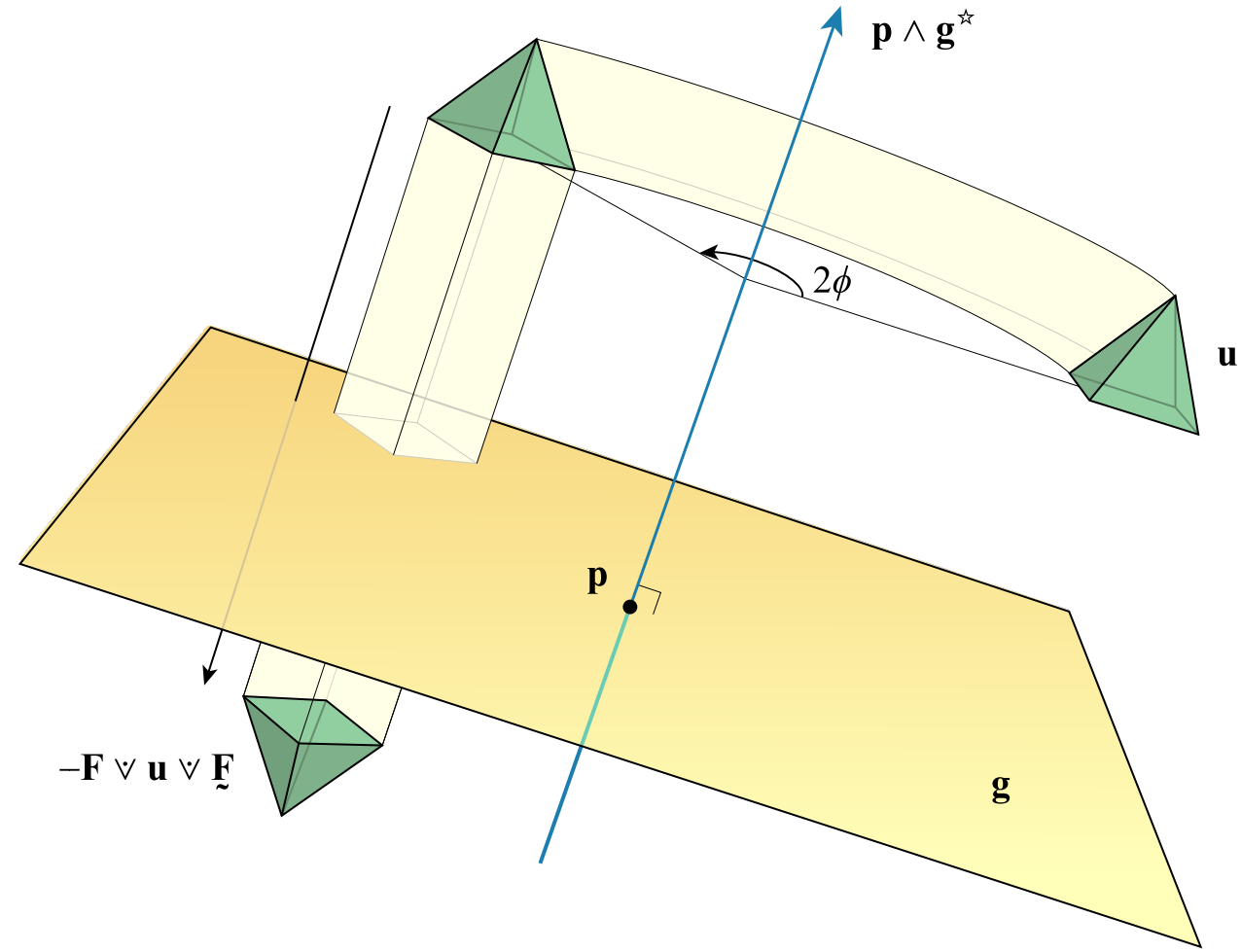
Flector

- General form of a flector:

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

- Performs any combination of roto reflections

Flector



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

Motor Parameterization

- A motion operator is parameterized by:
 - A unitized line l
 - A rotation angle ϕ
 - A displacement distance δ

- Exponential with respect to geometric antiproduct:

$$\mathbf{Q} = \exp_{\vee}[(\delta\mathbf{1} + \phi\mathbf{1}) \vee l] = l \sin \phi - l^{\star} \delta \cos \phi - \delta \sin \phi + \mathbf{1} \cos \phi$$

- $\delta\mathbf{1} + \phi\mathbf{1}$ is *pitch* of screw transformation

Motor Parameterization

- Given arbitrary motor \mathbf{Q} , can calculate parameters

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

$$\mathbf{Q} = \exp_{\vee} [(\delta \mathbf{1} + \phi \mathbb{1}) \vee \mathbf{l}] = \mathbf{l} \sin \phi - \mathbf{l}^{\star} \delta \cos \phi - \delta \sin \phi + \mathbb{1} \cos \phi$$

$$s = \sin \phi = \sqrt{1 - Q_{vw}^2} \quad \delta = -\frac{Q_{mw}}{s} \quad \phi = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{s}{Q_{vw}} \right)$$

$$\mathbf{l}_{\vee} = \frac{1}{s} \mathbf{Q}_{vxyz} \quad \mathbf{l}_{\mathbf{m}} = \frac{1}{s} \left(\mathbf{Q}_{mxyz} + \frac{Q_{vw} Q_{mw}}{s^2} \mathbf{Q}_{vxyz} \right)$$

Operator Norms

- Geometric norm of operator is half the distance origin is moved by the operator

$$\|\mathbf{Q}\| = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{Q_{mx}^2 + Q_{my}^2 + Q_{mz}^2 + Q_{mw}^2} + \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{Q_{vx}^2 + Q_{vy}^2 + Q_{vz}^2 + Q_{vw}^2}$$

Motor Interpolation

- To interpolate from motor \mathbf{Q}_1 to motor \mathbf{Q}_2 , first calculate

$$\mathbf{Q}_0 = \mathbf{Q}_2 \vee \mathbf{Q}_1^{-1} = \mathbf{Q}_2 \vee \mathbf{Q}_1$$

- Then calculate parameters l , δ , and ϕ for \mathbf{Q}_0
- Interpolate from identity $\mathbb{1}$ to \mathbf{Q}_0 with

$$\mathbf{Q}(t) = \exp_{\vee} [t(\delta \mathbf{1} + \phi \mathbf{1}) \vee l] = l \sin(t\phi) - l^{\star} t \delta \cos(t\phi) - t \delta \sin(t\phi) + \mathbb{1} \cos(t\phi)$$

- Finally, calculate $\mathbf{Q}(t) \vee \mathbf{Q}_1$

Motor Interpolation

- That can be computationally expensive
- Approximate interpolation is often acceptable:

$$\mathbf{Q}(t) = (1 - t)\mathbf{Q}_1 + t\mathbf{Q}_2$$

- This needs to be unitized and constrained

$$\frac{\mathbf{Q}}{\|\mathbf{Q}_v\|} \vee \left(-\frac{\mathbf{Q}_v \cdot \mathbf{Q}_m}{\mathbf{Q}_v^2} \mathbf{1} + \mathbb{1} \right) = \frac{1}{\|\mathbf{Q}_v\|} \left[\mathbf{Q} - \frac{\mathbf{Q}_v \cdot \mathbf{Q}_m}{\mathbf{Q}_v^2} (\mathcal{Q}_{vx} \mathbf{e}_{23} + \mathcal{Q}_{vy} \mathbf{e}_{31} + \mathcal{Q}_{vz} \mathbf{e}_{12} + \mathcal{Q}_{vw}) \right]$$

Square Root of Motor

- Special case of interpolation from $\mathbb{1}$ to \mathbf{Q} when $t = 1/2$

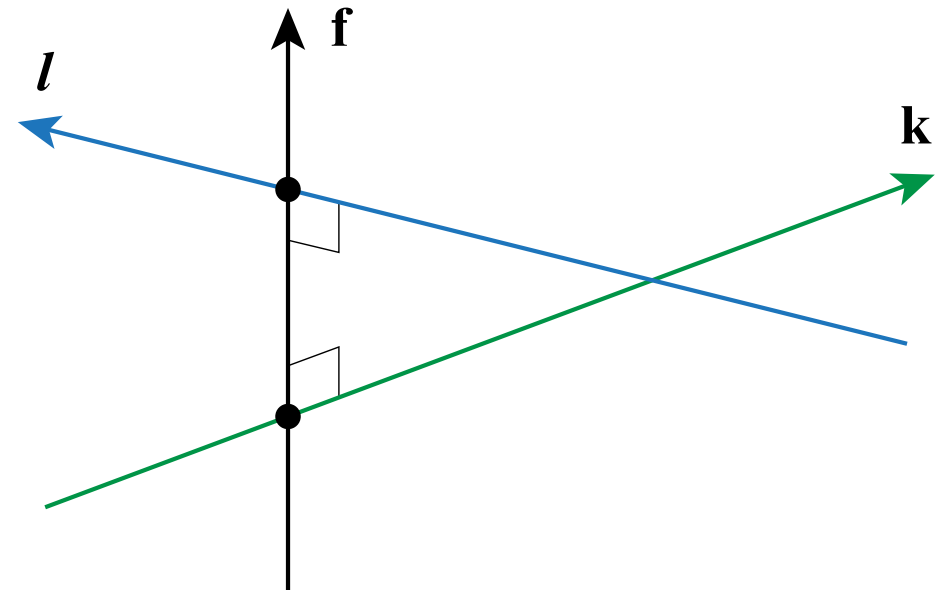
$$\sqrt[2]{\mathbf{Q}} = \frac{\mathbf{Q} + \mathbb{1}}{\sqrt{2 + 2Q_1}} \vee \left(\mathbb{1} - \frac{Q_1}{2 + 2Q_1} \mathbf{1} \right)$$

- For simple motor (pure rotation or translation), this simplifies:

$$\sqrt[2]{\mathbf{Q}} = \frac{\mathbf{Q} + \mathbb{1}}{\|\mathbf{Q} + \mathbb{1}\|_o}$$

Line to Line Motion

- Let \mathbf{k} and l be lines separated by distance δ with angle ϕ between directions
- Operator $l \vee \mathbf{k}$ rotates by 2ϕ and translates by distance 2δ about line \mathbf{f} connecting closest points
- Square root of this operator transforms line \mathbf{k} into line l



Motor-Point Transformation

- 25 multiply-adds:

$$\mathbf{p}'_{xyz} = \mathbf{p}_{xyz} + 2(Q_{vw}\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{a} - Q_{mw}p_w\mathbf{v})$$

$$p'_w = p_w$$

$$\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{p}_{xyz} + p_w\mathbf{m}$$

$$\mathbf{v} = (Q_{vx}, Q_{vy}, Q_{vz})$$

$$\mathbf{m} = (Q_{mx}, Q_{my}, Q_{mz})$$

- 3×4 matrix transformation only requires 12 multiply-adds, (or just 9 if $p_w = 1$)

Motor-Line Transformation

- 54 multiply-adds:

$$l'_v = l_v + 2(Q_{vw}\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{a})$$

$$l'_m = l_m + 2[Q_{mw}\mathbf{a} + Q_{vw}(\mathbf{b} + \mathbf{c}) + \mathbf{v} \times (\mathbf{b} + \mathbf{c}) + \mathbf{m} \times \mathbf{a}]$$

$$\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{v} \times l_v \quad \mathbf{b} = \mathbf{v} \times l_m \quad \mathbf{c} = \mathbf{m} \times l_v$$

- 6×6 matrix transformation only requires 27 multiply-adds

Motor-Plane Transformation

- 35 multiply-adds:

$$\mathbf{g}'_{xyz} = \mathbf{g}_{xyz} + 2(Q_{vw}\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{a})$$

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

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

- 4×4 matrix transformation only requires 13 multiply-adds

Motor to Matrix

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

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

$$\mathbf{M}_Q = \mathbf{A}_Q + \mathbf{B}_Q$$

$$\mathbf{M}_Q^{-1} = \mathbf{A}_Q - \mathbf{B}_Q$$

Motor Composition

- 48 multiply-adds:

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

- Composition of equivalent 3×4 matrices requires 33 multiply-adds

Motor and Matrix

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} & m_{13} & t_x \\ m_{21} & m_{22} & m_{23} & t_y \\ m_{31} & m_{32} & m_{33} & t_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 - 2(Q_{vy}^2 + Q_{vz}^2) & 2(Q_{vx}Q_{vy} - Q_{vz}Q_{vw}) & 2(Q_{vz}Q_{vx} + Q_{vy}Q_{vw}) & 2(Q_{vy}Q_{mz} - Q_{vz}Q_{my} + Q_{vw}Q_{mx} - Q_{vx}Q_{mw}) \\ 2(Q_{vx}Q_{vy} + Q_{vz}Q_{vw}) & 1 - 2(Q_{vz}^2 + Q_{vx}^2) & 2(Q_{vy}Q_{vz} - Q_{vx}Q_{vw}) & 2(Q_{vz}Q_{mx} - Q_{vx}Q_{mz} + Q_{vw}Q_{my} - Q_{vy}Q_{mw}) \\ 2(Q_{vz}Q_{vx} - Q_{vy}Q_{vw}) & 2(Q_{vy}Q_{vz} + Q_{vx}Q_{vw}) & 1 - 2(Q_{vx}^2 + Q_{vy}^2) & 2(Q_{vx}Q_{my} - Q_{vy}Q_{mx} + Q_{vw}Q_{mz} - Q_{vz}Q_{mw}) \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

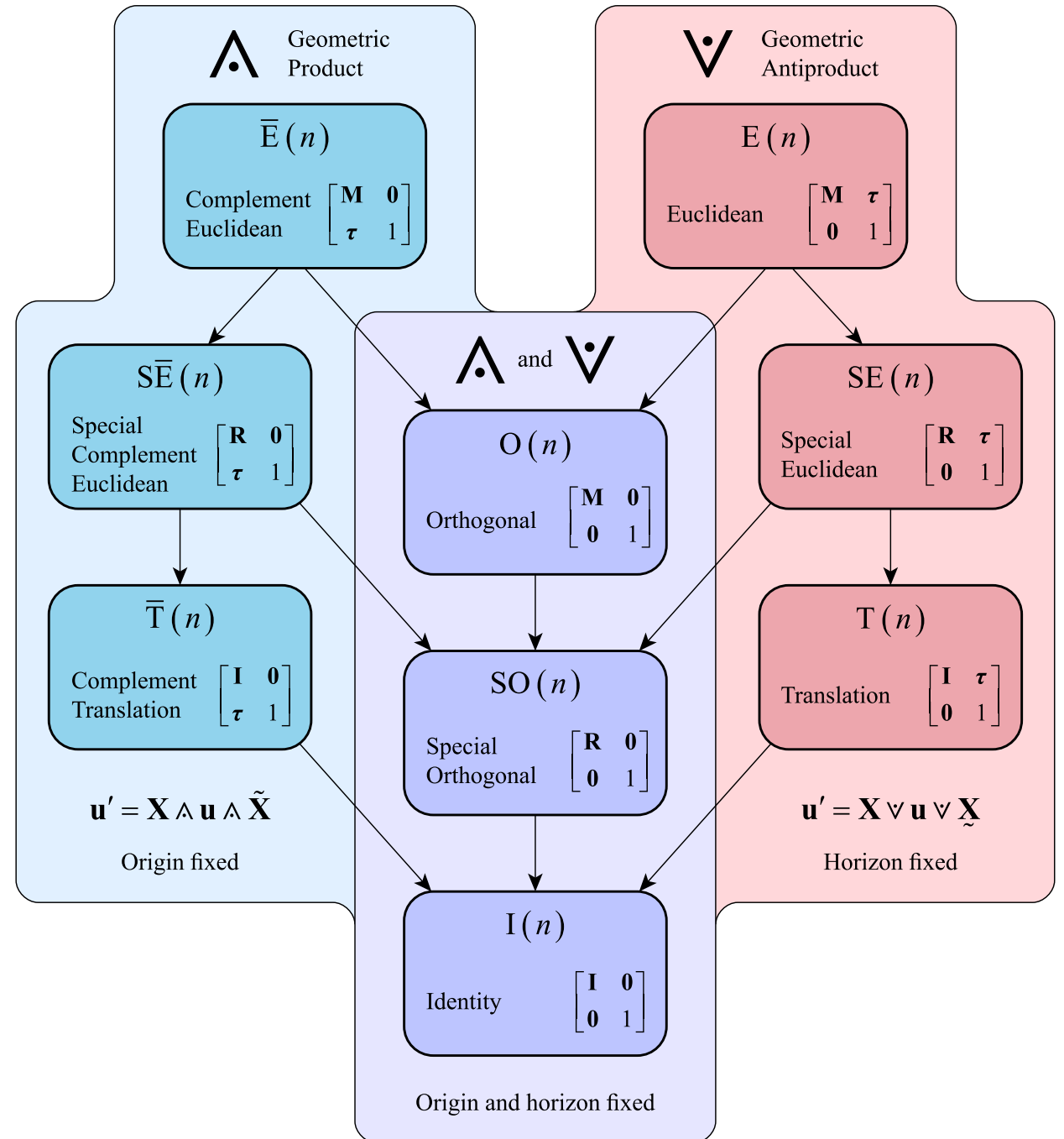
Matrix Advantages

- 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 six bivector components
- Better parameterization
- Better interpolation properties

Transformation Groups



Transwedge Product

- Generalization of exterior and interior products

$$\mathbf{a} \underset{k}{\wedge} \mathbf{b} = \sum_{c \in \mathcal{B}_k} (\underline{\mathbf{c}} \vee \mathbf{a}) \wedge (\mathbf{b} \vee \mathbf{c}^\star)$$

$$\mathbf{a} \underset{k}{\wedge} \mathbf{b} = \sum_{c \in \mathcal{B}_k} (\mathbf{c}^\star \vee \mathbf{a}) \wedge (\mathbf{b} \vee \bar{\mathbf{c}})$$

\mathcal{B}_k = set of basis elements of grade k

Transwedge Product

- Order 0 transwedge product is the exterior product:

$$\mathbf{a} \underset{0}{\mathbb{A}} \mathbf{b} = \mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b}$$

- Order m transwedge product is the interior product, where m is minimum grade of operands

$$\mathbf{a} \underset{\min(\text{gr}(\mathbf{a}), \text{gr}(\mathbf{b}))}{\mathbb{A}} \mathbf{b} = \begin{cases} \mathbf{b} \vee \mathbf{a}^\star, & \text{if } \text{gr}(\mathbf{a}) \leq \text{gr}(\mathbf{b}); \\ \mathbf{b}_\star \vee \mathbf{a}, & \text{if } \text{gr}(\mathbf{a}) \geq \text{gr}(\mathbf{b}). \end{cases}$$

Transwedge Product

- Orders in between 0 and m , exclusive, are “liminal” products
 - Neither exterior nor interior
- Geometric product decomposes into transwedge products as

$$\mathbf{a} \wedge \mathbf{b} = \sum_{k=0}^m (-1)^{k(k-1)/2} \mathbf{a} \underset{k}{\wedge} \mathbf{b}$$

Transwedge Product

Transwedge Products

$a \wedge b$
 $a \wedge_1 b$
 $-a \wedge_2 b$
 $-a \wedge_3 b$
 $a \wedge_4 b$

$a \backslash b$	1	e_1	e_2	e_3	e_4	e_{41}	e_{42}	e_{43}	e_{23}	e_{31}	e_{12}	e_{423}	e_{431}	e_{412}	e_{321}	$\mathbb{1}$
1	1	e_1	e_2	e_3	e_4	e_{41}	e_{42}	e_{43}	e_{23}	e_{31}	e_{12}	e_{423}	e_{431}	e_{412}	e_{321}	$\mathbb{1}$
e_1	e_1	1	e_{12}	$-e_{31}$	$-e_{41}$	$-e_4$	$-e_{412}$	e_{431}	$-e_{321}$	$-e_3$	e_2	$\mathbb{1}$	e_{43}	$-e_{42}$	$-e_{23}$	e_{423}
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Transwedge Product

- In 4D algebra, we previously wrote

$$\mathbf{A} \frown \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{A} \wedge \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{A} \cdot \tilde{\mathbf{B}}$$

- Now, we have something better:

$$\mathbf{A} \frown \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{A} \underset{0}{\frown} \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{A} \underset{1}{\frown} \mathbf{B} - \mathbf{A} \underset{2}{\frown} \mathbf{B}$$

$$= \mathbf{A} \wedge \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{A} \underset{1}{\frown} \mathbf{B} + \mathbf{A} \cdot \tilde{\mathbf{B}}$$

Transwedge Product

- This means that the geometric product is just another operation in the exterior algebra
- Every product / antiproduct in the exterior algebra, including the geometric product, can be derived from 3 primitive operations:
 - The wedge product \wedge
 - Taking of a complement $\bar{\mathbf{a}}$
 - Application of the metric $\mathbf{G}\mathbf{a}$

Transwedge Product

- Liminal products have geometric significance
- In 4D rigid algebra, one geometric combo conspicuously missing from our tables

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

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

Expansion Operation	Illustration
<p>Line containing point p and orthogonal to plane g.</p> $\mathbf{p} \wedge \mathbf{g}^* = -p_w g_x \mathbf{e}_{41} + (p_z g_y - p_y g_z) \mathbf{e}_{23} - p_w g_y \mathbf{e}_{42} + (p_x g_z - p_z g_x) \mathbf{e}_{31} - p_w g_z \mathbf{e}_{43} + (p_y g_x - p_x g_y) \mathbf{e}_{12}$	
<p>Plane containing point p and orthogonal to line l.</p> $\mathbf{p} \wedge \mathbf{l}^* = -p_w l_{vx} \mathbf{e}_{423} - p_w l_{vy} \mathbf{e}_{431} - p_w l_{vz} \mathbf{e}_{412} + (p_x l_{vx} + p_y l_{vy} + p_z l_{vz}) \mathbf{e}_{321}$	
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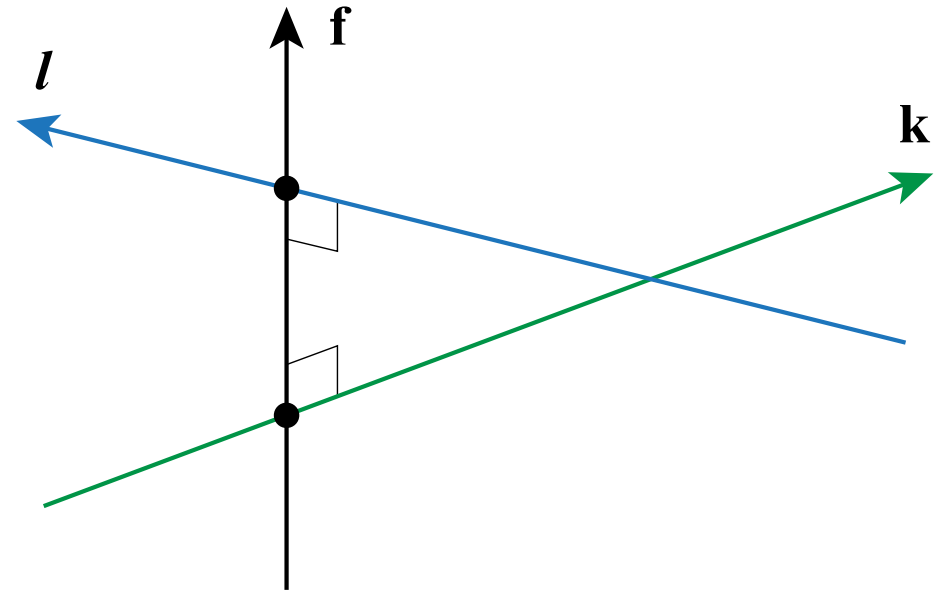
Transwedge Product

- Calculate line \mathbf{f} orthogonal to two skew lines l and \mathbf{k}

$$\mathbf{f} = l \underset{1}{\vee} \mathbf{k}$$

- Uses transwedge *antiproduct*
- Needs to be reconstrained so that

$$\mathbf{f}_v \cdot \mathbf{f}_m = 0$$



Transwedge Product

- \mathbf{f} will generally need to be “constrained” so that $\mathbf{f}_v \cdot \mathbf{f}_m = 0$
- This can be done by dividing by dual number $\sqrt{\mathbf{f} \mathbf{f}}$
- Equivalent to Gram-Schmidt orthonormalization
- This dual number norm arises from isomorphism

$$\mathbb{R}^+(3, 0, 1) \cong \mathbb{D}^+(3, 0, 0)$$

Spacetime Geometric Algebra

- Add time dimension \mathbf{e}_0 that squares to -1

$$\mathbf{g} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \mathbf{e}_0 \cdot \mathbf{e}_0 = -1 \\ \mathbf{e}_1 \cdot \mathbf{e}_1 = +1 \\ \mathbf{e}_2 \cdot \mathbf{e}_2 = +1 \\ \mathbf{e}_3 \cdot \mathbf{e}_3 = +1 \\ \mathbf{e}_4 \cdot \mathbf{e}_4 = 0 \end{array}$$

Spacetime Geometric Algebra

- Position: $\mathbf{r} = ct\mathbf{e}_0 + x\mathbf{e}_1 + y\mathbf{e}_2 + z\mathbf{e}_3 + \mathbf{e}_4$

- Velocity: $\mathbf{u} = \frac{d\mathbf{r}}{d\tau} = \gamma c\mathbf{e}_0 + \gamma\dot{x}\mathbf{e}_1 + \gamma\dot{y}\mathbf{e}_2 + \gamma\dot{z}\mathbf{e}_3$

$$\gamma = \frac{dt}{d\tau} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - u^2/c^2}}$$

Relativistic Quaternions

- Operators in 4D algebra transfer to 5D algebra through multiplication by \mathbf{e}_0

- Quaternion rotation: $\mathbf{q} = q_x \mathbf{e}_{410} + q_y \mathbf{e}_{420} + q_z \mathbf{e}_{430} + q_w \mathbb{1}$ $\mathbb{1} = \mathbf{e}_{01234}$

$$\mathbf{q}(\tau) = (a_x \mathbf{e}_{410} + a_y \mathbf{e}_{420} + a_z \mathbf{e}_{430}) \sin\left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\phi}\right) + \mathbb{1} \cos\left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\phi}\right) \quad \dot{\phi} = d\phi/dt$$

$$\mathbf{q}(\tau) = \exp_{\vee}\left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\phi} \mathbf{l}\right) \quad \mathbf{l} = a_x \mathbf{e}_{410} + a_y \mathbf{e}_{420} + a_z \mathbf{e}_{430}$$

Relativistic Quaternions

- Sandwich product $\mathbf{q}(\tau) \vee \mathbf{r} \vee \tilde{\mathbf{q}}(\tau)$ performs an instantaneous rotation
- Any physically meaningful motion must happen over some amount of time
- Also must respect speed of light

Relativistic Quaternions

- General translation operator:

$$\mathbf{T}(\tau) = \frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau (-c \mathbf{e}_{321} + \dot{x} \mathbf{e}_{230} + \dot{y} \mathbf{e}_{310} + \dot{z} \mathbf{e}_{120}) + \mathbb{1}$$

- Strictly temporal translation:

$$\mathbf{S}(\tau) = \mathbb{1} - \frac{1}{2} \gamma c \tau \mathbf{e}_{321}$$

Relativistic Quaternions

- Combine rotation and temporal translation:

$$\mathbf{Q}(\tau) = \mathbf{q}(\tau) \vee \left(\mathbb{1} - \frac{1}{2} \gamma c \tau \mathbf{e}_{321} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{Q}(\tau) = & \left(a_x \mathbf{e}_{410} + a_y \mathbf{e}_{420} + a_z \mathbf{e}_{430} \right) \sin \left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\phi} \right) + \mathbb{1} \cos \left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\phi} \right) \\ & - \frac{1}{2} \gamma c \tau \left(a_x \mathbf{e}_1 + a_y \mathbf{e}_2 + a_z \mathbf{e}_3 \right) \sin \left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\phi} \right) - \frac{1}{2} \gamma c \tau \mathbf{e}_{321} \cos \left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\phi} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Relativistic Quaternions

- Set $\tau = t/\gamma$
 - Then $\mathbf{q}(\tau) \vee \mathbf{r} \vee \mathbf{q}(\tau)$ rotates \mathbf{r} through angle $\dot{\phi}t$ and adds ct to the time coordinate
 - Generically, s coordinates are q coordinates times $-\frac{1}{2}\gamma c\tau$
- $$\mathbf{Q} = q_x \mathbf{e}_{410} + q_y \mathbf{e}_{420} + q_z \mathbf{e}_{430} + q_w \mathbf{1} + s_x \mathbf{e}_1 + s_y \mathbf{e}_2 + s_z \mathbf{e}_3 + s_w \mathbf{e}_{321}$$

Relativistic Quaternions

- Operator **Q** is equivalent to 5 x 5 matrix

$$\mathbf{m} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -2(q_x s_x + q_y s_y + q_z s_z + q_w s_w) \\ 0 & 1 - 2q_y^2 - 2q_z^2 & 2(q_x q_y - q_w q_z) & 2(q_z q_x + q_w q_y) & 0 \\ 0 & 2(q_x q_y + q_w q_z) & 1 - 2q_z^2 - 2q_x^2 & 2(q_y q_z - q_w q_x) & 0 \\ 0 & 2(q_z q_x - q_w q_y) & 2(q_y q_z + q_w q_x) & 1 - 2q_x^2 - 2q_y^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Relativistic Quaternions

- Motor (dual quaternion) from 4D algebra becomes

$$\mathbf{d}(\tau) = \mathbf{l} \sin\left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\phi}\right) + \mathbb{1} \cos\left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\phi}\right) - \left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\mathbf{l}}^{\star} \wedge \mathbf{e}_0\right) \cos\left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\phi}\right) - \frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\mathbf{e}}_0 \sin\left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\phi}\right)$$

- Again multiply by temporal translation

$$\mathbf{D}(\tau) = \mathbf{d}(\tau) \vee \left(\mathbb{1} - \frac{1}{2} \gamma c \tau \mathbf{e}_{321} \right)$$

Relativistic Quaternions

$$\mathbf{D}(\tau) = \mathbf{l} \sin\left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\phi}\right) + \mathbb{1} \cos\left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\phi}\right) - \left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\delta} \mathbf{l}^{\star} \wedge \mathbf{e}_0\right) \cos\left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\phi}\right) - \frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\delta} \mathbf{e}_0 \sin\left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\phi}\right) \\ - \frac{1}{2} \gamma c \tau \left[\mathbf{l} \sin\left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\phi}\right) + \mathbb{1} \cos\left(\frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \dot{\phi}\right) \right] \vee \mathbf{e}_{321}$$

$$\mathbf{D} = q_x \mathbf{e}_{410} + q_y \mathbf{e}_{420} + q_z \mathbf{e}_{430} + q_w \mathbb{1} + m_x \mathbf{e}_{230} + m_y \mathbf{e}_{310} + m_z \mathbf{e}_{120} + m_w \mathbf{e}_0 \\ + s_x \mathbf{e}_1 + s_y \mathbf{e}_2 + s_z \mathbf{e}_3 + s_w \mathbf{e}_{321}$$

Relativistic Quaternions

- Assuming weight one, norm of a relativistic dual quaternion is

$$\|\mathbf{D}\|_{\bullet} = \sqrt{\mathbf{D} \cdot \mathbf{D}} = \sqrt{s_x^2 + s_y^2 + s_z^2 + s_w^2 - m_x^2 - m_y^2 - m_z^2 - m_w^2}$$

- $m_x^2 + m_y^2 + m_z^2 + m_w^2$ is square of half the distance a particle starting at the origin is moved by \mathbf{D} through space
- $s_x^2 + s_y^2 + s_z^2 + s_w^2 = \frac{1}{4} \gamma^2 c^2 \tau^2$ is square of half the distance through time

Relativistic Quaternions

- Norm is real precisely when particle moves at less than or equal to the speed of light

$$\|\mathbf{D}\|_{\bullet} = \sqrt{\mathbf{D} \cdot \mathbf{D}} = \sqrt{s_x^2 + s_y^2 + s_z^2 + s_w^2 - m_x^2 - m_y^2 - m_z^2 - m_w^2}$$

Relativistic Quaternions

- Setting $\dot{\phi} = 0$, \mathbf{D} reduces to translation operator with norm

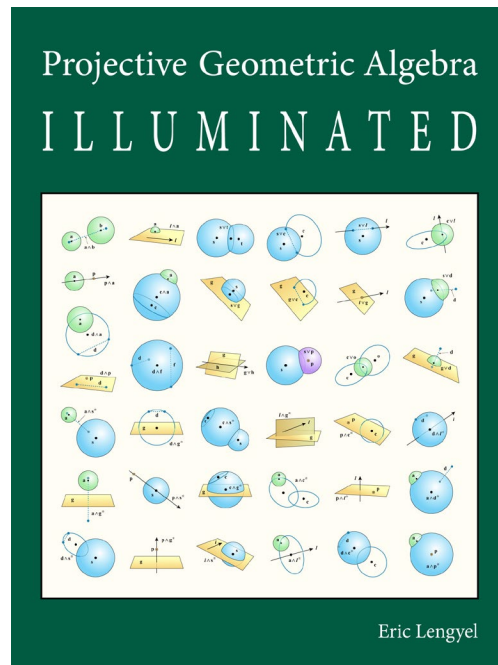
$$\|\mathbf{T}(\tau)\|_{\bullet} = \frac{1}{2} \gamma \tau \sqrt{c^2 - \dot{x}^2 - \dot{y}^2 - \dot{z}^2}$$

- Setting $dt = \gamma \tau$, $dx = \dot{x} dt$, $dy = \dot{y} dt$, and $dz = \dot{z} dt$,

$$\|\mathbf{T}(\tau)\|_{\bullet} = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{c^2 dt^2 - dx^2 - dy^2 - dz^2}$$

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