

The STCE Scripting Language

Support for Linear Algebra

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```
1 #pragma once
2
3 #include "Eigen/Dense"
4
5 namespace Eigen {
6
7 template<typename T, int N=Dynamic>
8 using vector_t=Matrix<T,N,1>;
9
10 template<typename T, int M=Dynamic, int N=M>
11 using matrix_t=Matrix<T,M,N>;
12
13 }
```

- ▶ `#pragma once` avoids multiple inclusion of the same header file.
- ▶ Conceptually, the entire range of functionalities provided by Eigen is available for STCE scripting; see <https://eigen.tuxfamily.org/>.

- ▶ Base-type-generic dynamically sized vector and matrix types are provided by Eigen, a C++ template library for linear algebra.
- ▶ Two predominantly used specializations are defined in the header file `Eigen.hpp`, which is part of the sample code.

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```
1 #include<iostream>
2 using namespace std;
3
4 #include "Eigen.hpp"
5
6 int main() {
7     Eigen::vector_t<float> v(3);
8     v(0)=1e-1; v(2)=1e-3;
9     cout << v << endl;
10    return 0;
11 }
```

yields output

```
0.1
  0 // not guaranteed
0.001
```

- ▶ The base-type-generic dynamically sized vector type `Eigen::vector_t<T>` enables vector arithmetic.
- ▶ Uninitialized vectors are allocated dynamically (line 6).
- ▶ Access to individual entries requires specification of the index in parentheses (line 7).

```
1 #include<iostream>
2 using namespace std;
3
4 #include "Eigen.hpp"
5
6 int main() {
7     using T=Eigen::vector_t<float>;
8     T v=T::Zero(3); cout << v.transpose() << endl;
9     v=T::Ones(3); cout << v.transpose() << endl;
10    v=T::Unit(3,1); cout << v.transpose() << endl;
11    v=T::Random(3); cout << v.transpose() << endl;
12    return 0;
13 }
```

yields output

```
1 0 0 0
2 1 1 1
3 0 1 0
4 0.680375 -0.211234 0.566198
```

► A *static member* function f of a *class* T is called as $T::f$; e.g. initialization with (e.g. second) Cartesian basis (also: unit) vector (e.g. in R^3) implemented as static member function of `vector_t<T>` (line 10).

► A *non-static member* function f is called on an *object* v of type T as $v::f$; e.g. the transpose is implemented as a non-static member function of `Eigen::vector_t<T>` (line 8).

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```

1 | #include<iostream>
2 | using namespace std;
3 |
4 | #include "Eigen.hpp"
5 |
6 | int main() {
7 |     Eigen::matrix_t<float> m(2,3);
8 |     m(0,0)=1e-38; m(1,2)=1e2;
9 |     cout << m << endl;
10 |     return 0;
11 | }
  
```

yields output

```

1 | 1e-38 0 0
2 |      0 0 100
3 | // zeros are not guaranteed
  
```

- ▶ The base-type-generic dynamically sized matrix type `Eigen::matrix_t<T>` enables matrix and matrix-vector arithmetic.
- ▶ Uninitialized matrices are allocated dynamically (line 7).
- ▶ Access to individual entries requires specification of the row and column indexes in parentheses (line 8).

```

1 #include<iostream>
2 using namespace std;
3
4 #include "Eigen.hpp"
5
6 int main() {
7     using T=Eigen::matrix_t<float>;
8     T m=T::Zero(2,2); cout << m << endl;
9     m=T::Ones(2,2); cout << m << endl;
10    m=T::Identity(2,2); cout << m << endl;
11    m=T::Random(2,2); cout << m << endl;
12    return 0;
13 }
```

yields output

```

1 | 0 0
2 | 0 0
3 | 1 1
4 | 1 1
5 | 1 0
6 | 0 1
7 | 0.680375 0.566198
8 | -0.211234 0.59688
```

- ▶ `Eigen::matrix_t<T>` constants are similar to `Eigen::vector_t<T>` constants.
- ▶ E.g. the identity (e.g. in R^2) is implemented as a static member function of `Eigen::matrix_t<T>` (line 10).

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```

1 #include <iostream>
2 using namespace std;
3
4 #include "Eigen.hpp"
5
6 int main() {
7     int n=3;
8     using T=Eigen::vector_t<float>;
9     T v=T::Random(n);
10    cout << v.transpose() << endl;
11    float vTv=v.dot(v);
12    cout << vTv << "="
13         << v.squaredNorm() << endl;
14    return 0;
15 }
```

yields output

```

1 | 0.680375 -0.211234 0.566198
2 | 0.828111=0.828111
```

- ▶ The inner (dot) product of two vectors $u, v \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is defined as

$$u^T \cdot v = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} u_i \cdot v_i \in \mathbb{R}.$$

- ▶ Eigen::vector_t provides the non-static member function dot (line 11).
- ▶ Note that

$$v^T \cdot v = \|v\|_2^2 = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} v_i^2$$

(lines 12-13).

```
1 #include <iostream>
2 using namespace std;
3
4 #include "Eigen.hpp"
5
6 int main() {
7     int m=2,n=3;
8     using VT=Eigen::vector_t<float>;
9     using MT=Eigen::matrix_t<float
10         >;
11     VT x=VT::Random(n);
12     MT A=MT::Random(m,n);
13     VT y=A*x;
14     cout << y.transpose() << endl;
15     return 0;
16 }
```

yields output

```
1 | 0.83762 0.378115
```

- ▶ The product of a matrix $A(A_{j,i}) \in \mathbf{R}^{m \times n}$ with a vector $x = (x_i) \in \mathbf{R}^n$ is a vector $y = A \cdot x \in \mathbf{R}^m$ defined as

$$y = (y_j) \equiv \left(\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} A_{j,i} \cdot x_i \right)_{j=0, \dots, m-1} \cdot$$

- ▶ The operator $*$ is overloaded accordingly (line 12).

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1 #include <iostream>
2 using namespace std;
3
4 #include "Eigen.hpp"
5
6 int main() {
7     int m=2,n=3;
8     using T=Eigen::matrix_t<float>;
9     T A=T::Random(m,n);
10    T B=T::Random(n,m);
11    T C=A*B;
12    cout << C << endl;
13    return 0;
14 }
```

yields output

```
1 -0.286392 0.260042
2 0.658662 -0.20569
```

- ▶ The product of two matrices $A \in \mathbf{R}^{m \times n}$ and $B \in \mathbf{R}^{n \times p}$ is a matrix $C = A \cdot B \in \mathbf{R}^{m \times p}$ defined as

$$C = (C_{k,i}) \equiv \left(\sum_{j=0}^{n-1} A_{k,j} \cdot B_{j,i} \right)_{\substack{k=0,\dots,m-1 \\ i=0,\dots,p-1}} .$$

- ▶ The operator $*$ is overloaded accordingly (line 11).

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1 #include <iostream>
2 using namespace std;
3
4 #include "Eigen.hpp"
5
6 int main() {
7     int n=3;
8     using VT=Eigen::vector_t<float>;
9     using MT=Eigen::matrix_t<float>;
10    MT A=MT::Random(n,n);
11    VT b=VT::Random(n);
12    VT x=A.lu().solve(b);
13    cout << x.transpose() << endl;
14    return 0;
15 }
```

yields output

```
1 | 0.608759 -0.231281 0.510379
```

- ▶ Direct solvers for systems of linear equations

$$A \cdot x = b, \quad A \in \mathbf{R}^{n \times n}, \quad b \in \mathbf{R}^n$$

determine $x \in \mathbf{R}^n$ such that $x = A^{-1} \cdot b$, where A^{-1} denotes the inverse of A ; conditions apply.

- ▶ Different factorizations of A are available including LU , LL^T , and QR factorizations implemented as non-static member functions of `Eigen::matrix_t` (line 12).
- ▶ Corresponding solvers are implemented as non-static member functions of the respective factorization (line 12).

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