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> interface(warnlevel=0) : #
> with(LinearAlgebra) :
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This is Problem 5 from Chapter 3

Defining the K operator/matrix in the standard basis {x, y, z}

```
> K:=Matrix( [[1, 0, 1], [0, 1, 0], [1, 0, 1]]);
```

$$K := \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(1)

Finding the roots of the characteristic polynomial (CP) to obtain the eigenvalues of matrix K

```
> CharacteristicPolynomial(K, λ); # the polynomial in terms of λ
factor(% ); # factor the polynomial
solve( %=0, [λ]); # the root of the polynomial by solving CP=0
```

$$\begin{aligned} &\lambda^3 - 3\lambda^2 + 2\lambda \\ &\lambda(\lambda - 1)(\lambda - 2) \\ &[[\lambda=0], [\lambda=1], [\lambda=2]] \end{aligned}$$

(2)

Determining the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of matrix H using Maple's Eigenvectors() function

```
> L:=Eigenvectors(K) : # a list of the eigenvalues with their corresponding eigenvectors
print(eigenvalue=L[1][1], eigenvector=L[2][1..3, 1]);
print(eigenvalue=L[1][2], eigenvector=L[2][1..3, 2]);
print(eigenvalue=L[1][3], eigenvector=L[2][1..3, 3]);
```

$$\begin{aligned} \text{eigenvalue} = 0, \text{eigenvector} &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ \text{eigenvalue} = 2, \text{eigenvector} &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ \text{eigenvalue} = 1, \text{eigenvector} &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

(3)

Defining the state vector $|\psi\rangle \equiv Y$ in the standard basis $\{x, y, z\}$

$$> Y := \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \text{Vector}([0, 1, 1]);$$

$$Y := \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

(4)

Calculating the Expectation Value: $\langle K \rangle = \langle \psi | K | \psi \rangle$

$$> 'E \text{ Value}' = \text{Multiply}(\text{Transpose}(Y), \text{Multiply}(K, Y));$$

$$E \text{ Value} = 1$$

(5)

Defining the matrix S^{-1} as the transformation matrix from basis $\{u_1, u_2, u_3\}$ to basis $\{x, y, z\}$.

The columns of the matrix are the vectors u_1, u_2, u_3

$$> u1 := \left(\frac{1}{\text{Norm}(L[2][1..3, 1], \text{Euclidean})} \right) \cdot (L[2][1..3, 1]);$$

$$u2 := \left(\frac{1}{\text{Norm}(L[2][1..3, 2], \text{Euclidean})} \right) \cdot (L[2][1..3, 2]);$$

$$u3 := \left(\frac{1}{\text{Norm}(L[2][1..3, 3], \text{Euclidean})} \right) \cdot (L[2][1..3, 3]); S := \text{Matrix}([u1, u2, u3]);$$

$$u1 := \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2} \\ 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$u2 := \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2} \\ 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$u3 := \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S := \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2} & \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2} & \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

(6)

Defining the transformation matrix S from basis {x, y, z} to basis {v₁, v₂, v₃}

> $S := \text{MatrixInverse}(S);$

$$S := \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & \sqrt{2} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \sqrt{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \sqrt{2} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (7)$$

> $'S \cdot S' = \text{Multiply}(S, S);$

$$S S = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (8)$$

The transpose of matrix

> $ST := \text{Transpose}(S);$

$$ST := \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & \sqrt{2} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \sqrt{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \sqrt{2} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \sqrt{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad (9)$$

Matrix S is an orthogonal matrix

The column inner product of matrix S is zero; columns are orthogonal

> $\langle c_1 | c_2 \rangle = \text{DotProduct}(S[1..3, 1], S[1..3, 2]);$

$\langle c_1 | c_3 \rangle = \text{DotProduct}(S[1..3, 1], S[1..3, 3]);$

$\langle c_2 | c_3 \rangle = \text{DotProduct}(S[1..3, 2], S[1..3, 3]);$

$$\langle c_1 | c_2 \rangle = 0$$

$$\langle c_1 | c_3 \rangle = 0$$

$$\langle c_2 | c_3 \rangle = 0$$

(10)

The row inner product of matrix S is also zero.

> $\langle r_1 | r_2 \rangle = \text{DotProduct}(S[1, 1..3], S[2, 1..3]);$

$\langle r_1 | r_3 \rangle = \text{DotProduct}(S[1, 1..3], S[3, 1..3]);$

$\langle r_2 | r_3 \rangle = \text{DotProduct}(S[2, 1..3], S[3, 1..3]);$

$$\langle r_1 | r_2 \rangle = 0$$

$$\langle r_1 | r_3 \rangle = 0$$

$$\langle r_2 | r_3 \rangle = 0$$

(11)

The length of the columns and rows of matrix S is 1

```
> print( `|| c1 || ` = Norm(S[ 1 ..3, 1 ], Euclidean) );
print( `|| c2 || ` = Norm(S[ 1 ..3, 2 ], Euclidean) );
print( `|| c3 || ` = Norm(S[ 1 ..3, 3 ], Euclidean) ); print( );
print( `|| r1 || ` = Norm(S[ 1, 1 ..3 ], Euclidean) );
print( `|| r2 || ` = Norm(S[ 2, 1 ..3 ], Euclidean) );
print( `|| r3 || ` = Norm(S[ 3, 1 ..3 ], Euclidean) );
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$$\|c1\| = 1$$

$$\|c2\| = 1$$

$$\|c3\| = 1$$

$$\|r1\| = 1$$

$$\|r2\| = 1$$

$$\|r3\| = 1$$

(12)

The inverse of an orthogonal matrix is its own transpose. Thus $S^{-1} = S^T$

Defining the state vector $|\psi'\rangle \equiv \mathbb{Y}$ in the new basis $\{u_1, u_2, u_3\}$

```
> Y := Multiply(S, Y);
```

$$\mathbb{Y} := \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

(13)

Changing from one basis to another

$$|\psi'\rangle = S |\psi\rangle$$

$$|\psi\rangle = S^{-1} |\psi'\rangle = S |\psi'\rangle$$

```
> Y := Multiply(S, Y);
```

$$\mathbb{Y} := \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

(14)

```
> Y := Multiply( S, Y );
```

$$Y := \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

(15)

Determining the operator \mathbb{K} in the $\{u_1, u_2, u_3\}$ basis:

$$\mathbb{K} = S \cdot K \cdot S^{-1}$$

> $\mathbb{K} := \text{Multiply}(S, \text{Multiply}(K, S))$;

$$\mathbb{K} := \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(16)

The main diagonal lists the eigenvalues

Calculating the Expectation Value in the new basis $\{u_1, u_2, u_3\}$: $\langle \mathbb{K} \rangle = \langle \Psi' | \mathbb{K} | \Psi' \rangle$

> 'E Value' = $\text{Multiply}(\text{Transpose}(\Psi), \text{Multiply}(\mathbb{K}, \Psi))$;

$$E \text{ Value} = 1$$

(17)

Define the basis vectors:

basis set 1 $\{x, y, z\}$; the standard basis

basis set 2 $\{u_1, u_2, u_3\}$

Notice that these are orthogonal bases: $x \cdot y = x \cdot z = y \cdot z = 0$

$$u_1 \cdot u_2 = u_1 \cdot u_3 = u_2 \cdot u_3 = 0$$

> $e_1 := \text{Vector}([1, 0, 0])$: $e_2 := \text{Vector}([0, 1, 0])$:

$e_3 := \text{Vector}([0, 0, 1])$: $u_2 := \text{Vector}([0, 1, 0])$:

$$u_1 := \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \text{Vector}([1, 0, 1]) : u_3 := \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \text{Vector}([-1, 0, 1]) :$$

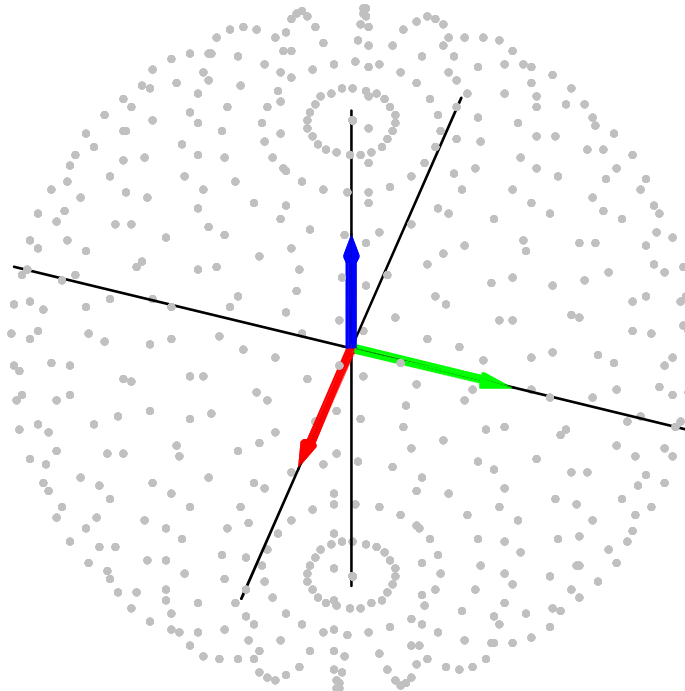
Plotting the standard basis $\{x, y, z\}$

> $sp := \text{plottools}[\text{sphere}](0, 0, 0, 2, \text{style} = \text{point}, \text{color} = \text{gray})$:

$x := \text{arrow}(e_1, \text{color} = \text{red}, \text{width} = 0.05)$: $y := \text{arrow}(e_2, \text{color} = \text{green}, \text{width} = 0.05)$:

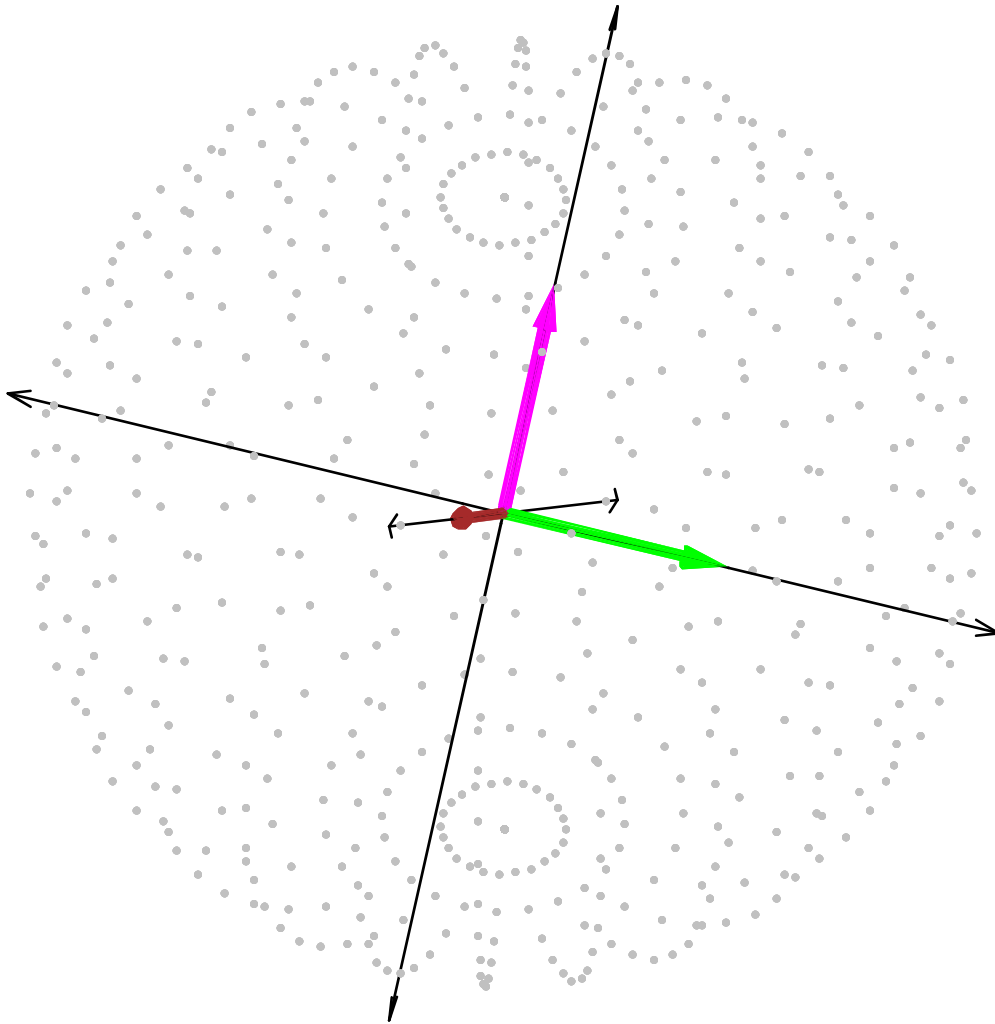
$z := \text{arrow}(e_3, \text{color} = \text{blue}, \text{width} = 0.05)$:

$\text{display}([x, y, z, sp], \text{axes} = \text{normal}, \text{scaling} = \text{constrained}, \text{tickmarks} = [2, 2, 2], \text{orientation} = [18, 42])$;



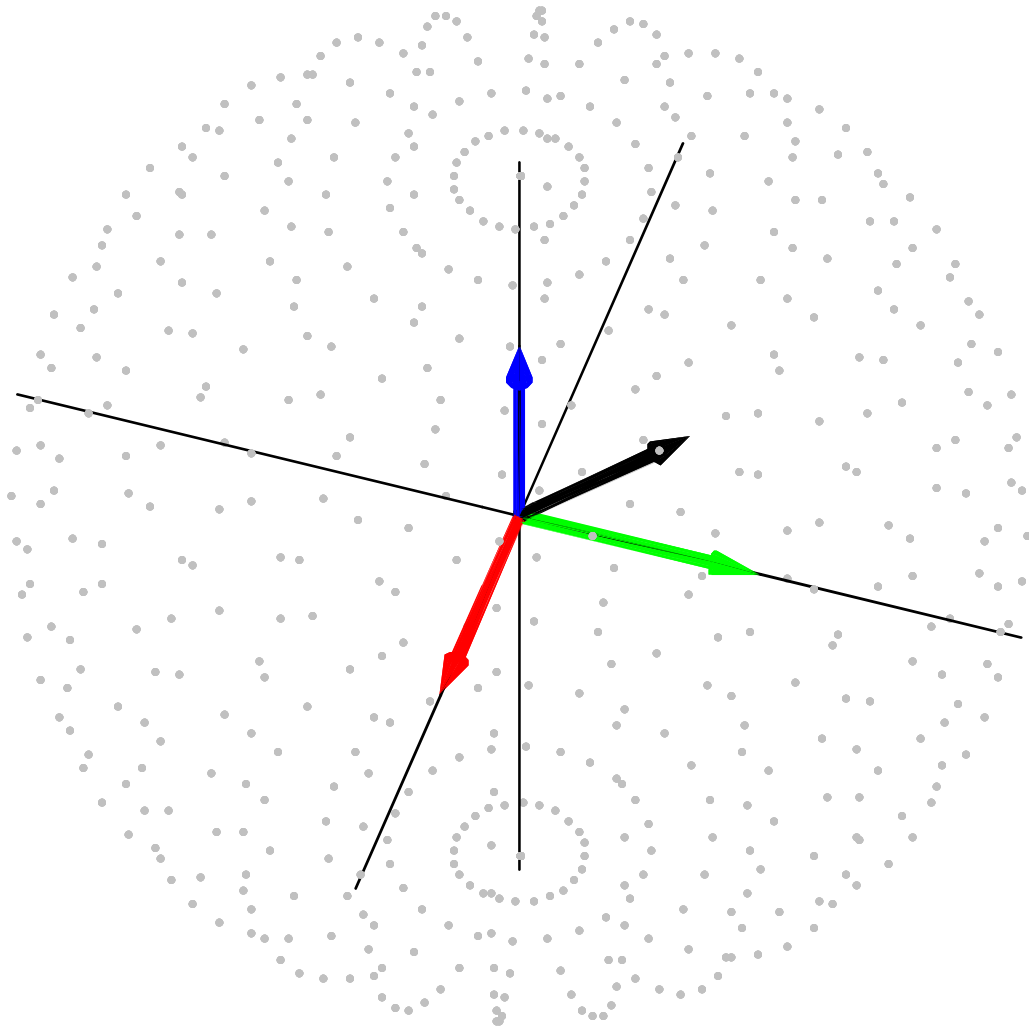
Plotting basis { $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3$ }

```
> q1 := arrow(u1, color = brown, width = 0.05) :  
q2 := arrow(u2, color = green, width = 0.05) :  
q3 := arrow(u3, color = magenta, width = 0.05) :  
a := arrow(2.2 · u1, color = black, width = 0.05, shape = arrow, head_length = 0.1, head_width = 0.1) :  
b := arrow(2.2 · u2, color = black, width = 0.05, shape = arrow, head_length = 0.1, head_width = 0.1) :  
c := arrow(2.2 · u3, color = black, width = 0.05, shape = arrow, head_length = 0.1, head_width = 0.1) :  
d := arrow(- 2.2 · u1, color = black, width = 0.05, shape = arrow, head_length = 0.1, head_width = 0.1) :  
e := arrow(- 2.2 · u2, color = black, width = 0.05, shape = arrow, head_length = 0.1, head_width = 0.1) :  
f := arrow(- 2.2 · u3, color = black, width = 0.05, shape = arrow, head_length = 0.1, head_width = 0.1) :  
display([q1, q2, q3, a, b, c, d, e, f, sp], axes = none, scaling = constrained, orientation = [18, 42]);
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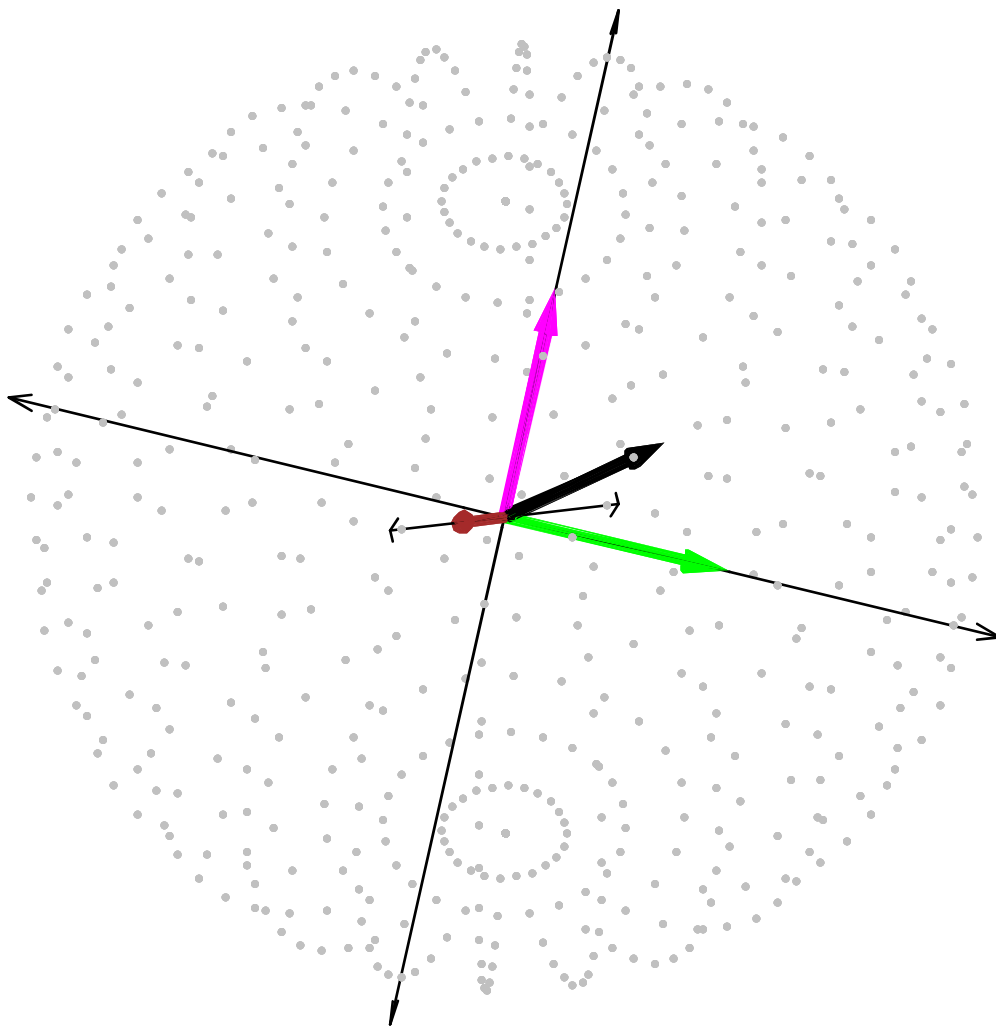
Plotting the state vector Y and the standard basis

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> ay := arrow(Y, color = black) : display( [x, y, z, ay, sp], axes = normal, scaling = constrained, tickmarks = [2, 2, 2], orientation = [18, 42]);
```



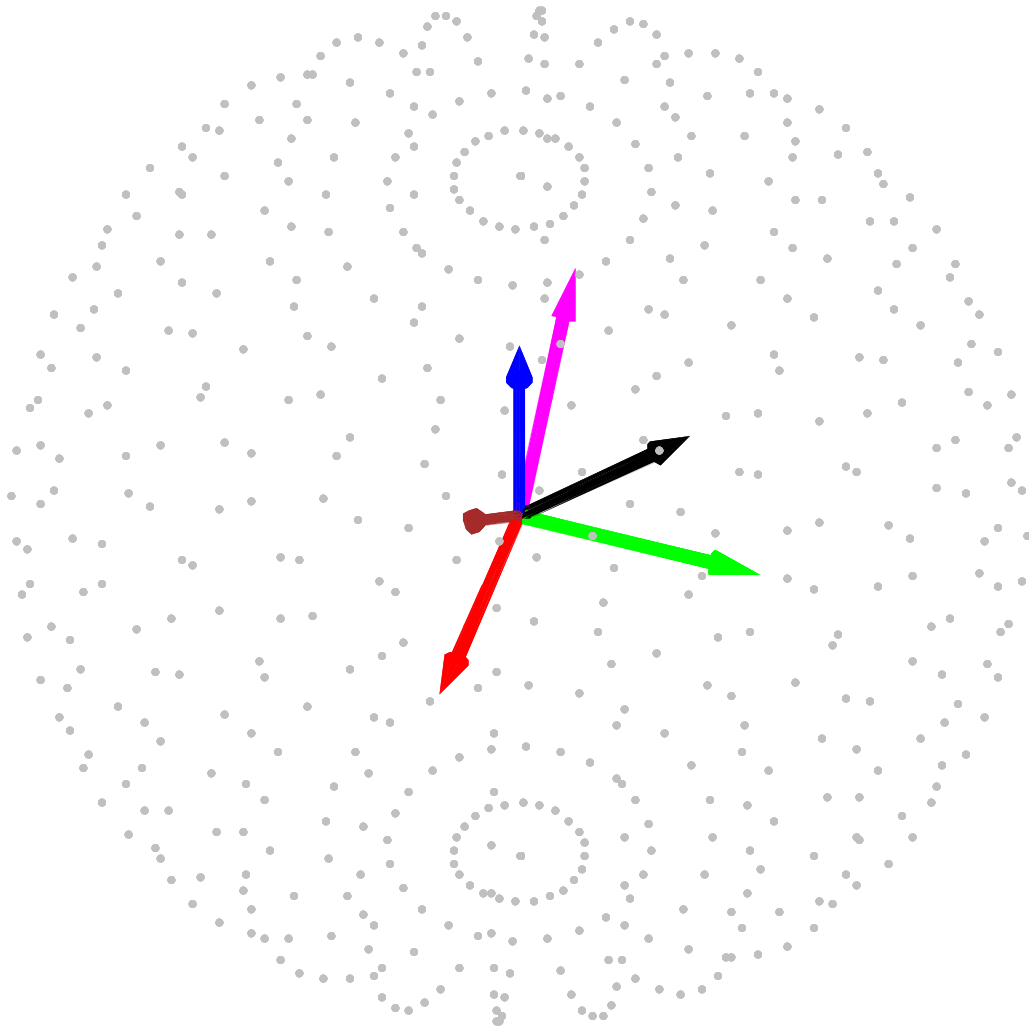
Plotting the state vector \mathbf{Y} and basis $\{ \mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3 \}$

```
> display([q1, q2, q3, a, b, c, d, e, f, ay, sp], axes = none, scaling = constrained, orientation = [18, 42]);
```



Plotting the state vector \mathbf{Y} and both bases

```
> display([x, y, z, q1, q2, q3, ay, sp], axes = none, scaling = constrained, orientation = [18, 42]);
```



```
> display([x, y, z, q1, q2, q3, a, b, c, d, e, f, ay, sp], axes = normal, tickmarks = [0, 0, 0],  
          scaling = constrained, orientation = [18, 42]);
```

