

Mathematics 218 Final Exam.

Time: 2hrs.

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- 1. (24%) Prove (concisely) or Disprove (by a counter example) in an inner product space.
 - (a) $||u+v||^2 + ||u-v||^2 = 2||u||^2 + 2||v||^2$
 - (b) If $||u|| ||v|| = \langle u, v \rangle \& u, v$ are non-zero then u & v are not orthogonal
 - (c) Non-zero orthogonal vectors are linearly independent.
 - (d) If two $m \times n$ matrices have the same row space, then they have the same rank and nullity.
 - (e) If two $m \times n$ matrices have the same row space, then they have the same null space.
 - (f) If A is an orthogonal $n \times n$ matrix then $\det A = \pm 1$
 - (g) (For any square matrix A), A and A^2 have the same row space.
- 2. (20%) (a) Find the <u>least squares</u> solutions of the system $\{x+y=0 \& x+y=1 \& x+y=4\}$
- (b) What do we mean precisely by a <u>least square</u> (best possible) solution of a non-consistent system AX = b?
- (c) What do we know about arbitrary symmetric $n \times n$ matrices regarding eigenvalues & diagonalization?
- (d) Apply the Cauchy-Schwarz inequality on the continous functions on the interval [0, 3].
- (e) Write the orthogonal projection formula for a vector a on a subspace W (given an o.n basis of W).

3. (15%) Let
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 6 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (i) Find the eigen values of A and a basis for each eigen space of A.
- (ii) Show that A is diagonalizable and find the exact relation between A, P and D. (Do not calculate P^{-1}).
- 4. (9%) Let T: V \rightarrow W be a linear transformation of vector spaces. If $T(a_1), T(a_2), ..., T(a_n)$ are linearly independent and dimV=n, show that $\{a_1, a_2, ..., a_n\}$ is a basis of V.
- 5. (9%) Let T: V→W be a linear transformation of vector spaces. (i) State the rank-nullity theorem for T, (ii) then use it to show that if T is onto and dimV=dimW=n, then T must be is injective.

6. (9%) Let
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 6 & 3 & 8 \\ 2 & 4 & 0 & 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 5 & 2 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (i) Show that rank A=2
- (ii) Does the system AX = B have a solution for every B in R^3 ? Justify.
- 7. (9%) Let $\{b_1, b_2, ..., b_n, a_1, a_2, ..., a_m\}$ be an <u>o.n basis</u> of an inner product space V. Let B= span $\{b_1, b_2, ..., b_n\}$ & A=span $\{a_1, a_2, ..., a_m\}$. Show that
 - (i) $V = A \oplus B$ (ii) $B = A^{\perp}$.
- 8. (5%) For any symmetric $n \times n$ matrix A, show that A and A^5 have the same null space.

