



1. (24%) Prove (concisely) or disprove (by a counter example) in an inner product space.
- (a) $4(u, v) = \|u + v\|^2 - \|u - v\|^2$
 - (b) If $\|u + v\|^2 = 4(u, v)$, then $u = v$.
 - (c) Non-zero orthogonal vectors are linearly independent.
 - (d) If two $m \times n$ matrices have the same null space, then they have the same row space.
 - (e) If two $m \times n$ matrices have the same null space, then they have the same column space.
 - (f) (For any square matrix A), A and A^t have the same null space.

2. (10%) (a) What do we mean precisely by a least square solution of a non-consistent system $AX = b$? **AND** (ii) how do we find them?
- (b) What do we know about symmetric $n \times n$ matrices regarding eigenvalues & diagonalization?
- (c) Apply the Cauchy-Schwarz inequality on functions in $C[a, b]$ & vectors in R^n .

3. (15%) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$
- (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 and its diagonalization D . (Yes, calculate P^{-1}).

4. (6%) Let $T: V \rightarrow W$ be a linear transformation of vector spaces. If $T(a_1), T(a_2), \dots, T(a_n)$ are linearly independent, show that $\{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n\}$ are linearly independent.
5. (6%) Let $T: V \rightarrow W$ be a linear transformation of vector spaces. If T is 1-1 and $\dim V = \dim W = n$, show that T is onto. (Hint: You may use the rank-nullity theorem).

6. (7%) Let $\{w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n, a_1, a_2, \dots, a_l\}$ be an o.n basis of an inner product space V .
Let $W = \text{span}\{w_1, w_2, \dots, w_n\}$ and let $A = \text{span}\{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_l\}$.
Show that $W^\perp = A$. Then deduce that $V = W \oplus W^\perp$.

7. (6%) If $\{a, b, c\}$ is a basis of a vector space V , show that $\{a+b, a+2b, b+c\}$ is also a basis of V .

8. (15%) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 & 3 & 6 \\ 2 & 4 & 0 & 2 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$
- (i) Show that $\text{rank } A = 2$
 - (ii) Prove or disprove that the first 2 rows of A form a basis for the row space of A .
 - (iii) Does the system $AX = B$ have a solution for every B in R^3 ? **Justify.**

9. (6%) Suppose $\dim V = \dim A + \dim B$ and $A \cap B = 0$ where A and B are subspaces of V .
Show that $V = A + B$.

10. (5%) For any rectangular matrix A , show that A^t and $A^t A$ have the same column space.

