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M511: Linear Algebra (Fall 2017)

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Chapter 5 Exam



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Read and follow all instructions. You may not use any notes or electronic devices. Show enough work.

1. **[20 points]** Consider the subspace S of \mathbb{R}^3 spanned by $\mathbf{x} = (1, -1, 1)^T$. Find an orthonormal basis for S^\perp .

2. Let $(V, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$ be an inner product space.

(a) [10 points] Prove the Cauchy-Schwarz-Bunyakovsky Inequality: $|\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle| \leq \|\mathbf{x}\| \|\mathbf{y}\|$.

(b) [10 points] Use part **(a)** to prove the triangle inequality: $\|\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}\| \leq \|\mathbf{x}\| + \|\mathbf{y}\|$.

3. [20 points] Consider the matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 4 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Use the Gram-Schmidt process to find an orthonormal basis for $\text{col}(A)$.

4. **[20 points]** Consider the subspace $S = \text{span}\{1, x, x^2\}$ of $C[0, 1]$ with inner product defined by

$$\langle f, g \rangle = \int_0^1 f(x)g(x) dx.$$

Find an orthonormal basis for S .

5. Consider the following vectors in (\mathbb{R}^4, \cdot) .

$$\mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{y} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

(a) [10 points] State completely the Pythagorean Law for Inner Product Spaces.

(b) [10 points] Compute $\mathbf{p} = \text{proj}_{\mathbf{y}} \mathbf{x}$, and show that $(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{p}) \perp \mathbf{p}$.

(c) [10 points] Verify that the Pythagorean Law holds for \mathbf{x} , \mathbf{p} , and $\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{p}$.