

**Math 102 Homework Assignment 4**  
**Due Thursday, May 6, 2021**

1. Let  $P_3$  be the inner product space of polynomials of degree less than 3 with inner product  $\langle p, q \rangle = \int_{-1}^1 p(t)q(t) dt$ . Let  $g_1(t) = 1$  and  $g_2(t) = t$ . Find a basis for  $\text{Span}(g_1, g_2)^\perp$ , the orthogonal complement of the subspace of  $P_3$  spanned by  $g_1$  and  $g_2$ .
2. Let  $\mathbf{u}$  and  $\mathbf{v}$  be any two vectors in an inner product space  $V$ .
  - (a) Show that  $\|\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}\|^2 + \|\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}\|^2 = 2\|\mathbf{u}\|^2 + 2\|\mathbf{v}\|^2$ .
  - (b) Show that if  $\|\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}\|^2 = \|\mathbf{u}\|^2 + \|\mathbf{v}\|^2$ , then  $\mathbf{u}$  and  $\mathbf{v}$  are orthogonal.

3. Let  $A = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$ .

- (a) Find the projection matrix  $P$  that projects vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^4$  onto  $R(A)$ .
  - (b) Find an orthonormal basis for  $N(A^T)$ .
  - (c) Determine the projection matrix  $Q$  that projects vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^4$  onto  $N(A^T)$ .
4. Let  $A$  be a  $m \times n$  matrix, let  $P$  be the projection matrix that projects vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^m$  onto  $R(A)$ , and let  $Q$  be the projection matrix that projects vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  onto  $R(A^T)$ .
    - (a) Show that  $I - P$  is the projection matrix from  $\mathbb{R}^m$  onto  $N(A^T)$ .
    - (b) Show that  $I - Q$  is the projection matrix from  $\mathbb{R}^n$  onto  $N(A)$ .
  5. Let  $\mathbf{v}$  be a vector in an inner product space  $V$  and let  $\mathbf{p}$  be the projection of  $\mathbf{v}$  onto an  $n$ -dimensional subspace  $S$  of  $V$ . Show that  $\|\mathbf{p}\|^2 = \langle \mathbf{p}, \mathbf{v} \rangle$ .

6. Consider the inner product space  $C[-1, 1]$  of continuous functions on  $[-1, 1]$  with inner product

$$\langle f, g \rangle = \int_{-1}^1 f(t)g(t) dt.$$

Find an orthonormal basis for  $\text{Span}(1, x, x^2)$ , the subspace of  $C[-1, 1]$  spanned by  $\{1, x, x^2\}$ .

7. Determine the  $QR$  factorization of  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ .

8. Let  $\{\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \dots, \mathbf{x}_k, \mathbf{x}_{k+1}, \dots, \mathbf{x}_n\}$  be an orthonormal basis for an inner product space  $V$ . Let  $S_1 = \text{Span}(\mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_k)$ , the subspace of  $V$  spanned by  $\{\mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_k\}$  and  $S_2 = \text{Span}(\mathbf{x}_{k+1}, \dots, \mathbf{x}_n)$ , the subspace of  $V$  spanned by  $\{\mathbf{x}_{k+1}, \dots, \mathbf{x}_n\}$ . Show that  $S_1 \perp S_2$ .