

Q5

1. A set  $A$  of vectors is orthogonal on  $V$  iff  $\forall v, u \in A, v \neq u \Rightarrow \langle v, u \rangle = 0$  using inner product defined on  $V$

2. This isn't possible, we know orthogonal vectors are lii. of each other, and the max # of lii. vectors in  $V = \dim(V)$

So  $\dim(\mathbb{R}^4) = 4$  is the max # of lii. vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^4$ .

$\therefore$  There isn't a orthogonal set of 5 vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^4$

3.  $V = \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$   $\langle A, B \rangle = \text{tr}(A^T B)$

Prove  $\langle A, A \rangle \geq 0$  and  $= 0$  only if  $A = \vec{0}$

$$\langle A, A \rangle = \text{tr}(A^T A)$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n b_i \cdot b_i$$

Let  $b_i$  be the  $i$ th col of  $A$

$$= \sum \|b_i\|^2 \geq 0 \quad \text{bc } b_i \cdot b_i \geq 0$$

If  $A = \vec{0}$  matrix,  $\text{tr}(A^T A) = \text{tr}([\vec{0}]) = 0$

If  $\text{tr}(A^T A) = 0$ , we know  $\sum \|b_i\|^2 = 0$ , and  $b_i \cdot b_i = 0$  iff  $b_i = \vec{0}$

So all  $b_i = \vec{0}$ , thus  $A = [\vec{0}]$

Prove  $\langle A + rB, C \rangle = \langle A, C \rangle + r \langle B, C \rangle$

$$\langle A + rB, C \rangle = \text{tr}((A + rB)^T C)$$

$$= \text{tr}(A^T C + r B^T C)$$

$$= \text{tr}(A^T C) + r \text{tr}(B^T C)$$

$$= \langle A, C \rangle + r \langle B, C \rangle$$

Prove  $\langle A, B \rangle = \langle B, A \rangle$

$\langle A, B \rangle = \text{tr}(A^T B)$  By trace and transpose properties

$$= \text{tr}((A^T B)^T) \quad \text{Thus } V \text{ is an inner product space}$$

$$= \text{tr}(B^T A^T)$$

$$= \langle B, A \rangle$$