

Homework 6

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Grading grid

3.1. 2. d. no; $\langle av, w \rangle = a^2 v_1^2 w_1^2 + a^2 v_2^2 w_2^2$
 $\neq a(v_1^2 w_1^2 + v_2^2 w_2^2) = a \langle v, w \rangle$
 e. No; $\langle u+v, w \rangle \neq \langle u, w \rangle + \langle v, w \rangle$

3. Not positive definite; if $v = \langle 1, -1 \rangle$ then $\langle v, v \rangle = 0$

7. $\|Cv\| = \sqrt{\langle Cv, Cv \rangle} = \sqrt{c^2 \langle v, v \rangle} = |c| \|v\|$

12. a. $\frac{1}{4}(\|u+v\|^2 - \|u-v\|^2) = \frac{1}{4}(2\|u\|^2 + 2\|v\|^2) = \langle u, v \rangle$

b. $\langle u, v \rangle = \frac{1}{4}(\|u+v\|^2 - \|u-v\|^2) = \frac{\sqrt{u_1^2 + 3u_1u_2 + 5u_2^2} - \sqrt{u_1^2 - 3u_1u_2 + 5u_2^2}}{2}$

15. $v \cdot (Aw) = v^T Aw = (A^T v)^T w = (A^T v) \cdot w$

25. d. Yes; bilinearity and symmetry hold. and it's always positive

32. S. b. $|\langle v, w \rangle| \leq 11.747 = \|v\| \|w\|$

7. Let $v = (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n)$ $w = (1, 1, \dots, 1)$

$|v \cdot w| = |a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n| \leq \sqrt{n} \sqrt{a_1^2 + a_2^2 + \dots + a_n^2} = \|v\| \|w\|$

So Cauchy-Schwarz inequality is true.

15. a. $\langle 2, a, 3 \rangle \cdot \langle -1, 3, -2 \rangle = -2 + 3a + 6 = 0 \Rightarrow a = -\frac{4}{3}$

b. $\langle 2, a, 3 \rangle \cdot \langle -1, 3, -2 \rangle = -2 + 3a + 6 = 0$

No value of a makes that 0 so no.

22. $\langle x, y, z \rangle = 0$ $\langle x, y, z \rangle = 0$

$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 0$ This is only possible when all components are 0

3.2: 29. $\langle v+w, v-w \rangle = \|v\|^2 - \|w\|^2 = 0$ if $\|v\| = \|w\|$
 $v+w$ is a unit vector if $\langle v, w \rangle = -1/2$, $v-w$ is a unit vector if $\langle v, w \rangle = -1/2$

$$31. a. \langle 1, 2, 3 \rangle \cdot \langle 1, -1, 2 \rangle = 3$$

$$S = \sqrt{14} \cdot \sqrt{6} \cdot \cos \theta$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}(3/\sqrt{84}) = .994 \text{ radians}$$

$$b. \langle v, w \rangle = S = 3 \cdot \sqrt{6} = \sqrt{54} = \|v\| \|w\|$$

$$c. \langle 1, 2, 3 \rangle \times \langle 1, -1, 2 \rangle = \langle 7, 1, -3 \rangle$$

$$\langle 1, -1, 2 \rangle \times \langle 1, 2, 3 \rangle = \langle -7, -1, 3 \rangle$$

$$\boxed{\langle -7/3, -1/3, 1 \rangle}$$