

Math 221-AB1: Quiz 4

1. Let $U = \text{Span}\{x_1, x_2\}$ where $x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ and $x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$
- (a) (4 pts) Apply the Gram-Schmidt process to the basis $\{x_1, x_2\}$ to produce an orthonormal basis $\{u_1, u_2\}$ for U .
- (b) (3 pts) Find any basis for U^\perp .

2. (3 pts) Explain why $x^T A y$ is not an inner product for x, y in \mathbb{R}^2 if $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$.

(Hint: Show that $x^T A y$ fails to satisfy at least one property of inner products for a specific x and y .)