Problem 1. We have that $\|x+y\|^2 = \|x\|^2 + \|y\|^2 + 2\|x\|\|y\| \cos(\theta)$ and $\|x-y\|^2 = \|x\|^2 + \|y\|^2 - 2\|x\|\|y\| \cos(\theta)$ where $\cos(\theta) = \dfrac{\langle x, y \rangle}{\|x\|\|y\|}$ which is proven in the textbook.

(i) $\dfrac{1}{4}(\|x+y\|^2 - \|x-y\|^2) = \dfrac{1}{4}(\|x\|^2 + \|y\|^2 + 2\|x\|\|y\| \cos(\theta) - \|x\|^2 - \|y\|^2 + 2\|x\|\|y\| \cos(\theta)) = \dfrac{1}{4}(4\|x\|\|y\| \cos(\theta)) = \|x\|\|y\| \dfrac{\langle x, y \rangle}{\|x\|\|y\|} = \langle x, y \rangle$

(ii) $\dfrac{1}{2}(\|x+y\|^2 + \|x-y\|^2) = \dfrac{1}{2}(\|x\|^2 + \|y\|^2 + 2\|x\|\|y\| \cos(\theta) + \|x\|^2 + \|y\|^2 - 2\|x\|\|y\| \cos(\theta)) = \dfrac{1}{2}(2(\|x\|^2 + \|y\|^2)) = \|x\|^2 + \|y\|^2$

Problem 2.

$$\frac{1}{4}(\|x+y\|^2 - \|x-y\|^2 + i\|x-iy\|^2 - i\|x+iy\|^2) = \langle x, y \rangle + \frac{1}{4}(i\|x-iy\|^2 - i\|x+iy\|^2) =$$

$$= \langle x, y \rangle + \frac{1}{4}(-i(||x||^2 + \langle x, iy \rangle + \langle iy, x \rangle + ||y||^2 - ||x||^2 + \langle x, iy \rangle + \langle iy, x \rangle - ||y||^2)) =$$

$$= \langle x, y \rangle + \frac{i}{4}(2i\langle x, y \rangle - 2i\langle y, x \rangle) = \langle x, y \rangle$$

Problem 3.

(i) Let $f(x) = x$ and $g(x) = x^5$. Then

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{\langle f, g \rangle}{\|f\|\|g\|}\right) = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{\int_0^1 x^6 dx}{\sqrt{\int_0^1 x^2 dx}\sqrt{\int_0^1 x^{10} dx}}\right) = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1/7}{\sqrt{1/3}\sqrt{1/11}}\right) = 0.61$$

(ii) Let $f(x) = x^2$ and $g(x) = x^4$. Then

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{\int_0^1 x^6 dx}{\sqrt{\int_0^1 x^4 dx}\sqrt{\int_0^1 x^8 dx}}\right) = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1/7}{\sqrt{1/5}\sqrt{1/9}}\right) = 0.29$$

Problem 8.

(i)

$$\langle \cos(t), \sin(t) \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi}\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(t)\sin(t)dt = \frac{1}{\pi} * 0 = 0$$

$$\langle \cos(t), \cos(2t) \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi}\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(t)\cos(2t)dt = 0$$

$$\langle \cos(t), \sin(2t) \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi}\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(t)\sin(2t)dt = 0$$

$$\langle \cos(t), \cos(t) \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi}\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(t)\cos(t)dt = 1$$

$$\langle \sin(t), \cos(2t) \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin(t)\cos(2t)dt = 0$$

$$\langle \sin(t), \sin(2t) \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin(t)\sin(2t)dt = 0$$

$$\langle \sin(t), \sin(t) \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin(t)\sin(t)dt = 1$$

$$\langle \cos(2t), \sin(2t) \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(2t)\sin(2t)dt = 0$$

$$\langle \cos(2t), \cos(2t) \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(2t)\cos(2t)dt = 1$$

$$\langle \sin(2t), \sin(2t) \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin(2t)\sin(2t)dt = 1$$

(ii)

$$\|t\| = \sqrt{\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} t^2 dt} = \sqrt{\frac{2\pi^2}{3}}$$

(iii)

$$proj_X(\cos(3t)) = \langle \cos(3t), \cos(t) \rangle \cos(t) + \langle \cos(3t), \sin(t) \rangle \sin(t) + \langle \cos(3t), \cos(2t) \rangle \cos(2t)$$

$$+ \langle \cos(3t), \sin(2t) \rangle \sin(2t) = \frac{\cos(t)}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(t)\cos(3t)dt + \frac{\sin(t)}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin(t)\cos(3t)dt +$$

$$\frac{\cos(2t)}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(2t)\cos(3t)dt + \frac{\sin(2t)}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin(2t)\cos(3t)dt = 0 + 0 + 0 + 0 = 0$$

(iv)

$$proj_X(t) = \frac{\cos(t)}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} t\cos(t)dt + \frac{\sin(t)}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} t\sin(t)dt + \frac{\cos(2t)}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} t\cos(2t)dt$$

$$+ \frac{\sin(2t)}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} t\sin(2t)dt = \frac{1}{\pi}(0 + 2\pi\sin(t) + 0 - \pi\sin(2t)) = 2\sin(t) - \sin(2t)$$

Problem 9. Let $x = (x_1, x_2)$ and let $y = (y_1, y_2)$. Then $R_\theta x = (\cos(\theta)x_1 - \sin(\theta)x_2, \sin(\theta)x_1 + \cos(\theta)x_2)$ and $R_\theta y = (\cos(\theta)y_1 - \sin(\theta)y_2, \sin(\theta)y_1 + \cos(\theta)y_2)$. We now expand:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle R_\theta x, R_\theta y \rangle = &(\cos(\theta)x_1 - \sin(\theta)x_2) * (\cos(\theta)y_1 - \sin(\theta)y_2) + \\ &(\sin(\theta)x_1 + \cos(\theta)x_2) * (\sin(\theta)y_1 + \cos(\theta)y_2) = \\ &\cos(\theta)^2 x_1 y_1 - \sin(\theta)\cos(\theta)x_2 y_1 - \cos(\theta)\sin(\theta)x_1 y_2 + \sin(\theta)^2 x_2 y_2 + \\ &\sin(\theta)^2 x_1 y_1 + \cos(\theta)^2 x_2 y_2 + \cos(\theta)\sin(\theta)x_1 y_2 + \cos(\theta)\sin(\theta)x_2 y_1 = \\ &(x_1 y_1 + x_2 y_2)(\cos(\theta)^2 + \sin(\theta)^2) = x_1 y_1 + x_2 y_2 = \langle x, y \rangle \end{aligned}$$

Problem 10. Let $Q \in M_n(\mathbb{F})$ be an orthonormal matrix.

(i) ($\Rightarrow$) Let $Q \in M_n(\mathbb{F})$ be an orthonormal matrix. Then $\langle Qx, Qy \rangle = \langle x, y \rangle$ which expanding gives $\langle Qx, Qy \rangle = x^H Q^H Qy = x^H y$. This implies that $Q^H Q = I$. By Proposition 3.2.12, since Q is an orthonormal operator and $\mathbb{F}^n$ is finite dimensional, Q is invertible. Since inverses are unique, $Q^{-1} = Q^H$ so $Q^H Q = QQ^H = I$.
($\Leftarrow$) Let $Q^H Q = QQ^H = I$. Then $\langle Qx, Qy \rangle = x^H Q^H Qy = x^H Iy = x^H y = \langle x, y \rangle$.

(ii) This follows directly from part i. $\|Qx\| = \sqrt{\langle Qx, Qx \rangle} = \sqrt{\langle x, x \rangle} = \|x\|$.

(iii) By part i we have $Q^{-1} = Q^H$. Then $\langle Q^H x, Q^H y \rangle = x^H QQ^H y = x^H Iy = x^H y = \langle x, y \rangle$.

(iv) Consider $\langle Qe_i, Qe_j \rangle = \langle e_i, e_j \rangle = \delta_{ij}$ which is the Kronecker delta. Qe_i is column i of matrix Q, so the dot product of column i with itself is 1 and 0 when $i \neq j$, implying the columns of an orthonormal matrix are orthonormal.

(v) $\det(QQ^H) = \det(I) = 1$. Since $\det(Q) = \det(Q^H)$ we have $\det(Q)^2 = 1$ so $\det(Q) = 1$. The converse is not necessarily true. Consider:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

The matrix A is upper triangular and therefore has $\det(A) = 1$ but is not orthonormal because column 2 dot product itself is not equal to 1 which needs to be true by part (iv).

(vi) Let Q_1, Q_2 be orthonormal. Then $\langle Q_1 Q_2 x, Q_1 Q_2 y \rangle = x^H Q_2^H Q_1^H Q_1 Q_2 y = x^H Q_2^H I Q_2 y = x^H Q_2^H Q_2 y = x^H y = \langle x, y \rangle$ so the product $Q_1 Q_2$ is orthonormal.

Problem 11. Applying the Gram-Schmidt orthonormalization process to a collection of linearly dependent vectors we are ultimately forced to divide by zero when trying to form the orthonormal vector for the first dependent vector in the set. We can see this by setting WLOG the first dependent vector to be the second vector in the set. Then

$$q_1 = \frac{x_1}{\|x_1\|}$$

$$q_2 = \frac{x_2 - p_2}{\|x_2 - p_2\|}$$

where $p_2 = \langle x_2, q_1 \rangle q_1$. However, assuming $x_2 = a_1 x_1$, we have that

$$p_2 = \langle a_1 x_1, \frac{x_1}{\|x_1\|} \rangle \frac{x_1}{\|x_1\|} = \langle \frac{x_1}{\|x_1\|}, \frac{x_1}{\|x_1\|} \rangle a_1 x_1 = a_1 x_1 = x_2$$

so $x_2 - p_2 = 0$.

Problem 16.

(i) The QR factorization is not unique. Consider $QR = QIR = QDD^{-1}R$ where D is a diagonal matrix with -1 on the diagonal. Because D is diagonal, D^{-1} is also diagonal. Diagonal matrices are upper triangular, and upper triangular matrices are closed under multiplication, so $R' = D^{-1}R$ is upper triangular. Additionally, $Q' = QD$ is also orthonormal because it is equivalent to Q multiplied by -1. Therefore $Q'R' = QR$ and the QR decomposition is not unique.

(ii) Let A be invertible and let there be a QR decompositions $A = Q_1R_1 = Q_2R_2$. Then $Q_2^H Q^1 = R_2 R_1^{-1}$. Both orthonormal and upper triangular matrices are closed under multiplication so the matrix $Q_2^H Q^1$ is both upper triangular and orthonormal. And upper triangular matrix that is orthonormal is a diagonal matrix with either 1 or -1 on the diagonal. Both R_2 and R_1 have positive diagonal elements so the matrix $Q_2^H Q^1$ must positive 1 on the diagonal. Therefore $I = Q_2^H Q^1 = R_2 R_1^{-1}$ so $R_2 = R_1$.

Problem 17. Let $A = \widehat{Q}\widehat{R}$ be reduced QR decomposition. Then the system $A^H A x = A^H b$ can be rewritten as

$$(\widehat{Q}\widehat{R})^H (\widehat{Q}\widehat{R})x = (\widehat{Q}\widehat{R})^H b$$
$$\Leftrightarrow \widehat{R}^H \widehat{Q}^H \widehat{Q}\widehat{R}x = \widehat{R}^H \widehat{Q}^H b$$
$$\Leftrightarrow \widehat{R}^H \widehat{R}x = \widehat{R}^H \widehat{Q}^H b$$
$$\Leftrightarrow \widehat{R}x = \widehat{Q}^H b$$

Problem 23. We have that $\|x\| = \|x - y + y\| \leq \|x - y\| + \|y\|$ so $\|x\| - \|y\| \leq \|x - y\|$. Similarly, $\|y\| - \|x\| \leq \|x - y\|$ since $\|x - y\| = \|y - x\|$. Putting these together implies that $|\|x\| - \|y\|| \leq \|x - y\|$ because if $\|x\| > \|y\|$ then $|\|x\| - \|y\|| = \|x\| - \|y\|$ and else $|\|x\| - \|y\|| = \|y\| - \|x\|$.

Problem 24. For each norm we show three things: positivity, scale preservation, and the triangle inequality. Note that the absolute value $|f(t)|$ is nonnegative and only equal to 0 if the function $f(t) = 0$.

(1) (i) By the note above, the integrand $|f(t)|$ is nonnegative. Therefore the integral is non negative. The integral of a non-negative function is only equal to 0 on $[a, b]$ if the function is equal to 0 on $[a, b]$.

   (ii) $\|af\|_{L_1} = \int_a^b |af(t)|dt = \int_a^b |a||f(t)|dt = |a| \int_a^b |f(t)|dt = |a|\|f\|_{L_1}$

   (iii) $\|f + g\|_{L_1} = \int_a^b |f(t) + g(t)|dt \leq \int_a^b (|f(t)| + |g(t)|)dt = \|f\|_{L_1} + \|g\|_{L_1}$

(2) (i) By the note above, the integrand $|f(t)|^2$ is nonnegative. Therefore the integral is non negative. The integral of a non-negative function is only equal to 0 on $[a, b]$ if the function is equal to 0 on $[a, b]$. Furthermore, the square root is also non-negative.

   (ii) $\|af\|_{L_2} = \left(\int_a^b |af(t)|^2 dt \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \left(\int_a^b a^2 |f(t)|^2 dt \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = |a| \left(\int_a^b |f(t)|^2 dt \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = |a|\|f\|_{L_2}$

(iii) $\|f + g\|_{L_2}^2 = \int_a^b |f(t) + g(t)|^2 dt \leq \int_a^b (|f(t)| + |g(t)|)^2 =$

$$= \int_a^b (|f(t)|^2 + |g(t)|^2 + 2|f(t)||g(t)|) dt = (\|f\|_{L_2} + \|g\|_{L_2})^2$$

Therefore $\|f + g\|_{L_2} \leq \|f\|_{L_2} + \|g\|_{L_2}$.

(3) (i) By the note above, $|f(t)|$ is nonnegative. Then $\sup_{x \in [a,b]} |f(x)| = 0$ if and only if $|f(x)| = 0$ because if $|f(x)| > 0$ for some $x \in [a, b]$ then by definition $\sup_{x \in [a,b]} |f(x)| > 0$.

(ii) $\|af\|_\infty = \sup_{x \in [a,b]} |af(x)| dt = \sup_{x \in [a,b]} |a||f(x)| = |a| \sup_{x \in [a,b]} |f(x)| = |a|\|f\|_\infty$

(iii) $\|f + g\|_\infty = \sup_{x \in [a,b]} |f(x) + g(x)| dt \leq \sup_{x \in [a,b]} |f(x)| + |g(x)| = \|f\|_\infty + \|g\|_\infty$

Problem 26. To show that topological equivalence is an equivalence relation we show three things: reflexivity, symmetry, and transitivity. Let $0 < m \leq M$.

(i) Let $m = \dfrac{1}{2}$ and $M = 2$. Then $m\| \cdot \|_a \leq \| \cdot \|_a \leq M\| \cdot \|_a$ so $\| \cdot \|_a \sim \| \cdot \|_a$.

(ii) Let $\| \cdot \|_a \sim \| \cdot \|_b$ so $m\| \cdot \|_a \leq \| \cdot \|_b \leq M\| \cdot \|_a$. Then it follows form the previous inequality that $\dfrac{1}{M}\| \cdot \|_b \leq \| \cdot \|_a \leq \dfrac{1}{m}\| \cdot \|_b$ so $\| \cdot \|_a \sim \| \cdot \|_b$ if and only if $\| \cdot \|_b \sim \| \cdot \|_a$.

(iii) Let $\| \cdot \|_a \sim \| \cdot \|_b$ and Let $\| \cdot \|_b \sim \| \cdot \|_c$. Then $m_1\| \cdot \|_a \leq \| \cdot \|_b \leq M_1\| \cdot \|_a$ and $m_2\| \cdot \|_b \leq \| \cdot \|_c \leq M_2\| \cdot \|_b$. It follows then that $m_1 m_2\| \cdot \|_a \leq m_2\| \cdot \|_b \leq M_2\| \cdot \|_b \leq M_1 M_2\| \cdot \|_a$ and substituting in the second inequality we have that $m_1 m_2\| \cdot \|_a \leq m_2\| \cdot \|_b \leq \| \cdot \|_c \leq M_2\| \cdot \|_b \leq M_1 M_2\| \cdot \|_a$ so $\| \cdot \|_a \sim \| \cdot \|_c$.

We now show that the p-norms for $p = 1, 2, \infty$ on $\mathbb{F}^n$ are topologically equivalent.

(i)

(ii)

Problem 28.

(i)

(ii)

Problem 29.

Problem 30. To show that $\| \cdot \|_S$ is a matrix norm we show four things:

(i) Positivity: $\|A\|_S = \|S(A)S^{-1}\|$ where $\| \cdot \|$ is norm, which being a norm is nonnegative.

(ii) Scale: $\|\alpha A\|_S = \|S(\alpha A)S^{-1}\| = |\alpha| S(A)S^{-1}\| = |\alpha|\|A\|_S$

(iii) Triangle Inequality: $\|A + B\|_S = \|S(A + B)S^{-1}\| = \|SAS^{-1} + SBS^{-1}\| \le \|SAS^{-1}\| + \|SBS^{-1}\| = \|A\|_S + \|B\|_S$.

(iv) Submultiplicativity: $\|AB\|_S = \|S(AB)S^{-1}\| = \|SAIBS^{-1}\| = \|SAS^{-1}SBS^{-1}\| \le \|SAS^{-1}\|\|SBS^{-1}\| = \|A\|_S\|B\|_S$

Problem 37. Let $q = 180x^2 - 168x + 24$ and let $p \in \mathbb{R}[x; 2]$ where p can be written as $p = ax^2 + bx + c$. Then

$$\langle q, p \rangle = \int_0^1 qp\,dx =$$
$$= \int_0^1 (180ax^4 - 168ax^3 + 24ax^2 + 180bx^3 - 168bx^2 + 24bx + 180cx^2 - 168cx + 24c)dx$$
$$= (\frac{180}{5} - \frac{168}{4} + \frac{24}{3})a + (\frac{180}{4} - \frac{168}{3} + \frac{24}{2})b + (\frac{180}{3} - \frac{168}{2} + 24)c =$$
$$= 2a + b = p'(1) = L[p]$$

Problem 38. Let $D : V \to V$ be the derivative operator where $V = \mathbb{F}[x; 2]$ is a subspace of the inner product space $L^2([0, 1]; \mathbb{R})$. Given the basis $[1, x, x^2]$ we can write the matrix representation of D:

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

We now show that D is the derivative operator. Let $p \in V$ so p can be written as $p = ax^2 + bx + c$. Then

$$D[p](x) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c \\ b \\ a \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b \\ 2a \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 0x^3 + 2ax + b = p'(x)$$

Furthermore, the adjoint is the Hermitian, so we can write the matrix representation of D^*:

$$D^* = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Problem 39.

(i)

(ii)

(iii)

(iv)

Problem 40.

(i) $\langle A^*B, C \rangle = \langle B, AC \rangle = tr(B^H AC) = tr((A^H B)^H C) = \langle A^H B, C \rangle$ so $A^* = A^H$.

(ii) $\langle A_2, A_3 A_1 \rangle = tr(A_2^H A_3 A_1) = tr(A_1 A_2^H A_3) = tr((A_2 A_1^H)^H A_3) = \langle A_2 A_1^H, A_3 \rangle =$

$$= \langle A_2 A_1^*, A_3 \rangle \text{ where the last equality follows by part (i).}$$

(iii) $\langle A^H X - X A^H, C \rangle = tr((A^H X - X A^H)^H C) = tr((A^H X)^H C - (X A^H)^H C) =$

$$= tr(X^H AC - A X^H C) = tr(X^H AC - X^H CA) = \langle X, AC - CA \rangle =$$

$$= \langle (AX - XA)^H, C \rangle$$

Problem 44. Let $A \in M_{m \times n}$, $b \in \mathbb{F}^m$. If the equation $Ax = b$ has a solution then $b \in R(A)$ and it is orthogonal to $N(A^T)$ so if $y \in N(A^T)$ then $\langle y, b \rangle = 0$. If there is no solution to the equation, then $b \notin R(A)$ and it is not orthogonal to $N(A^T)$. If p is the projection of b onto $N(A^H)$ then $p^H b = p^H p \neq 0$. If $y = \dfrac{p}{p^H p}$ then $A^H y = \dfrac{A^H p}{p^H p} = 0$. Furthermore, $\langle y, b \rangle = y^H b = \dfrac{p^H b}{p^H p} = 1 \neq 0$.

Problem 45.

Problem 46.

  (i)

  (ii)

  (iii)

Problem 47. Let $P = A(A^H A)^{-1} A^H$.

  (i) Since $(A^H A)^{-1} A^H A = I$ we have that

$$P^2 = PP = A(A^H A)^{-1} A^H A(A^H A)^{-1} A^H = A(A^H A)^{-1} A^H = P$$

  (ii) $P^H = (A(A^H A)^{-1} A^H)^H = (A^H)^H ((A^H A)^{-1})^H A^H = A((A^H A)^H)^{-1} A^H = A(A^H A)^{-1} A^H = P$

  (iii) The rank of an idempotent matrix is equal to the trace of the matrix. Therefore,

$$rank(P) = tr(P) = tr(A(A^H A)^{-1} A^H) = tr((A^H A)^{-1} A^H A) = tr(I_{n \times n}) = n$$

Problem 48.

  (i) To show linearity we show two things:

$$(1) \ P(A + B) = \frac{A + B + (A + B)^T}{2} = \frac{A + B + A^T + B^T}{2} = \frac{A + A^T}{2} + \frac{B + B^T}{2} =$$
$$P(A) + P(B)$$

(2) $P(\alpha A) = \dfrac{\alpha A + \alpha A^T}{2} = \alpha \dfrac{A + A^T}{2} = \alpha P(A)$

(ii) $P^2 = P(P(A)) = P\left(\dfrac{A + A^T}{2}\right) = \dfrac{\frac{A+A^T}{2} + \left(\frac{A+A^T}{2}\right)^T}{2} = \dfrac{A + A^T + A^T(A^T)^T}{4} = \dfrac{2A + 2A^T}{4} = \dfrac{A + A^T}{2} = P$

(iii) $P^* = P^H = P^T = \left(\dfrac{A + A^T}{2}\right)^T = \dfrac{A + A^T}{2} = P$

(iv)

(v)

(vi)

Problem 50.

$$sy^2 + rx^2 = 1$$

$$y^2 = \frac{1}{s} - \frac{r}{s}x^2$$

$$y^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \dfrac{1}{s} \\ -\dfrac{r}{s} \end{pmatrix}$$

If we let $b = y^2$ and $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x^2 \end{pmatrix}$ and $x = \begin{pmatrix} \dfrac{1}{s} & -\dfrac{r}{s} \end{pmatrix}^T$ then we have an equation in the form $b = Ax$.