

Section 6.1

$$\underline{4.} \quad \vec{u} \cdot \vec{u} = (-1)^2 + 2^2 = 5$$

$$\vec{v} \cdot \vec{u} = 4 \cdot (-1) + 6 \cdot 2 = 8$$

$$\frac{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{u}}{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{u}} = \frac{8}{5}$$

$$\underline{5.} \quad \left(\frac{\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v}}{\vec{v} \cdot \vec{v}} \right) \vec{v} = \left(\frac{-1 \cdot 4 + 2 \cdot 6}{4 \cdot 4 + 6 \cdot 6} \right) \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{8}{52} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8/13 \\ 12/13 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{7.} \quad \|\vec{w}\| = \sqrt{\vec{w} \cdot \vec{w}} = \sqrt{3^2 + (-1)^2 + (-5)^2} = \sqrt{35}$$

$$\underline{9.} \quad \begin{bmatrix} -30 \\ 40 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{(-30)^2 + 40^2}} = \begin{bmatrix} -30 \\ 40 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{50} = \begin{bmatrix} -3/5 \\ 4/5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{11.} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 7/4 \\ 1/2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{(7/4)^2 + (1/2)^2 + 1^2}} = \begin{bmatrix} 7/4 \\ 1/2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{\frac{\sqrt{69}}{4}} = \begin{bmatrix} 7/\sqrt{69} \\ 2/\sqrt{69} \\ 4/\sqrt{69} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{14.} \quad \|\vec{u} - \vec{z}\| = \sqrt{(\vec{u} - \vec{z}) \cdot (\vec{u} - \vec{z})} = \sqrt{4^2 + (-4)^2 + (-6)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{68}$$

15. $\begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} = -16 + 15 = -1$ not orthogonal.

16. $\begin{bmatrix} 12 \\ 3 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = 24 - 9 - 15 = 0$ orthogonal.

19. a. True - definition of length

b. True - Theorem 1 part c

c. True - see discussion of orthogonal vectors on page 335

d. False - see theorem 3, vectors orthogonal to the column space of A are in the nullspace of A^T .

e. True - see shaded box at bottom of pg 336

28. Suppose \vec{y} is orthogonal to \vec{u} and \vec{v} .

Let \vec{w} be a vector in $\text{Span}\{\vec{u}, \vec{v}\}$. Thus

\vec{w} is a linear combination of \vec{u} and \vec{v} . So

$$\vec{w} = c_1 \vec{u} + c_2 \vec{v} \text{ for some constants}$$

c_1 and c_2 .

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Consider } \vec{y} \cdot \vec{w} &= \vec{y} \cdot (c_1 \vec{u} + c_2 \vec{v}) \\ &= \vec{y} \cdot c_1 \vec{u} + \vec{y} \cdot c_2 \vec{v} \\ &= c_1 (\vec{y} \cdot \vec{u}) + c_2 (\vec{y} \cdot \vec{v}) \\ &= c_1 \cdot 0 + c_2 \cdot 0 \\ &= 0 + 0 = 0\end{aligned}$$

Thus \vec{y} is orthogonal to \vec{w} , and since \vec{w} is an arbitrary vector in $\text{Span}\{\vec{u}, \vec{v}\}$, \vec{y} is orthogonal to every vector in $\text{Span}\{\vec{u}, \vec{v}\}$.

30. Let W be a subspace and let W^\perp be the set of vectors orthogonal to every vector in W .

a. Let \vec{z} be in W^\perp , and let \vec{u} be in W .

$$c\vec{z} \cdot \vec{u} = c(\vec{z} \cdot \vec{u}) = c \cdot 0 = 0$$

Thus $c\vec{z}$ is orthogonal to \vec{u} .

b. Let \vec{z}_1, \vec{z}_2 be in W^\perp and let \vec{u} be in W .

$$\begin{aligned}(\vec{z}_1 + \vec{z}_2) \cdot \vec{u} &= \vec{z}_1 \cdot \vec{u} + \vec{z}_2 \cdot \vec{u} \\ &= 0 + 0 = 0\end{aligned}$$

Thus $\vec{z}_1 + \vec{z}_2$ is orthogonal to \vec{u} .

c. Parts a) and b) show that W^\perp is closed under scalar multiplication and vector addition. Since the $\vec{0}$ is orthogonal to every vector, $\vec{0}$ is in W^\perp . Thus W^\perp is a subspace by definition.