

For each problem, include the statement of the problem. Leave a blank line. At the beginning of the next line, write **Solution** or **Proof** – as appropriate.

1. Suppose  $T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$  and  $T^2 = I$  and  $-1$  is not an eigenvalue of  $T$ . Prove that  $T = I$ .
2. Suppose  $P \in \mathcal{L}(V)$  and  $P^2 = P$ . Prove that  $V = \text{null } P \oplus \text{range } P$ .
3. Suppose  $T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$  and  $v$  is an eigenvector of  $T$  with eigenvalue  $\lambda$ . Suppose  $p \in \mathcal{P}(\mathbf{R})$ . Prove that  $p(T)v = p(\lambda)v$ .
4. Suppose  $W$  is a complex vector space and  $T \in \mathcal{L}(W)$  has no eigenvalues. Prove that every subspace of  $W$  invariant under  $T$  is either  $\{0\}$  or infinite-dimensional.
5. Suppose  $V$  is a finite-dimensional complex vector space and  $T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$ . Define a function  $f : \mathbf{C} \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$  by

$$f(\lambda) = \dim \text{range}(T - \lambda I).$$

Prove that  $f$  is not a continuous function.

6. Suppose  $T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$  has a diagonal matrix  $A$  with respect to some basis of  $V$  and that  $\lambda \in \mathbf{F}$ . Prove that  $\lambda$  appears on the diagonal of  $A$  precisely  $\dim E(\lambda, T)$  times.
7. Show that the function that takes  $((x_1, x_2), (y_1, y_2)) \in \mathbf{R}^2 \times \mathbf{R}^2$  to  $|x_1 y_1| + |x_2 y_2|$  is not an inner product on  $\mathbf{R}$ .
8. Suppose  $T \in \mathcal{L}(V)$  is such that  $\|Tv\| \leq \|v\|$  for every  $v \in V$ . Prove that  $T - \sqrt{2}I$  is invertible.
9. Suppose  $\|u\| = \|v\| = 1$  and  $\langle u, v \rangle = 1$ . Prove that  $u = v$ .