

# Assignment 1MA3.101: Linear Algebra

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1. Find the orthogonal basis of  $\mathcal{R}^3$  that contains the vector  
(i)  $v = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ , (ii)  $v = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$ .
2. Find the orthogonal basis of  $\mathcal{R}^4$  that contains the vector  
(i)  $v = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ .
3. Apply Gram Schmidt process to construct an orthonormal basis for the subspace  $W = \text{span}(x_1, x_2, x_3)$  where  $x_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $x_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $x_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ .
4. In the following given are the vectors from  $\mathcal{R}^2$  and  $\mathcal{R}^3$ . Apply Gram Schmidt process to obtain the orthogonal basis. Then normalize the basis to obtain orthonormal basis.
  - (a)  $x_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $x_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$
  - (b)  $x_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $x_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$
  - (c)  $x_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $x_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $x_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$
  - (d)  $x_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $x_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $x_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

5. Show that in an inner product space there can not be unit vectors  $u$  and  $v$  with  $\langle u, v \rangle = -1$ .
6. Let  $u$  and  $v$  are two vectors in the inner product space  $V$ . Then show that  $\|u + v\| \leq \|u\| + \|v\|$ .
7. In  $\mathcal{P}_2$ , let  $p(x) = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2$  and  $q(x) = b_0 + b_1x + b_2x^2$ . Show that  $\langle p(x), q(x) \rangle = a_0b_0 + a_1b_1 + a_2b_2$  defines an inner product on  $\mathcal{P}_2$ .
8. Prove that  $d(u, v) = \sqrt{\|u\|^2 + \|v\|^2}$  iff  $u$  and  $v$  are orthogonal.
9. Prove that  $\|u + v\| = \|u - v\|$  iff  $u$  and  $v$  are orthogonal.
10. Verify that if  $W$  is a subspace of an inner product space  $V$  and  $v \in V$ , then  $\text{perp}_W(v)$  is orthogonal to all  $w$  in  $W$ .