

April 2nd

Dec 2012 #5  
 $T: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$  given by  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  find ... Q3 in PS7 in TUT

$T: P_1(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow P_2(\mathbb{R}), T(p(x)) = (x+1)p(x)$   
 $\beta = \text{standard basis of } P_2$ . Find basis of  $P_1(\mathbb{R})$  s.t.  $[T]_{\beta\alpha} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

If  $\alpha = \{u(x), v(x)\}$   
 $u = u_0 + u_1 x, v = v_0 + v_1 x$

If  $[T]_{\beta\alpha} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  then must have

$$T(u) = 1 + 2x + x^2 = (x+1)(u_0 + u_1 x) = u_0 + (u_0 + u_1)x + u_1 x^2 \Rightarrow u_0 = u_1 = 1$$

$$T(v) = 2 + 3x + x^2 = (x+1)(v_0 + v_1 x) = v_0 + (v_0 + v_1)x + v_1 x^2 \Rightarrow v_0 = 2, v_1 = 1$$

So  $\alpha = \{1+x, 2+x\}$

April 2012 #6

$V$  inner product space,  $T: V \rightarrow V$  satisfies  $T^2 = T$

Show that (a)  $V - T(V) \in \ker(T)$

(b) Prove  $V = \ker(T) \oplus \text{Im}(T)$

(a).  $T(V - T(V)) = T(V) - T(T(V))$

Since  $T^2 = T$ ,  $T(T(V)) = T(V)$  so

$$T(V - T(V)) = 0$$

(b). Need to show two things

(i)  $\ker T \cap \text{im } T = \{0\}$ . Take  $v \in \ker T \cap \text{im } T$ . Let  $w \in V$  be s.t.  $v = T(w)$ .

Since  $v \in \ker T \Rightarrow 0 = T(v) = T^2(w) = T(w) = v$

(ii) Need to show every  $v \in V$  can be written as  $v = v_1 + v_2$  where  $v_1 \in \ker T$   
 $v_2 \in \text{im } T$

By (i)  $v - T(v) \in \ker T$  so take  $v_1 = v - T(v)$ .

Let  $v_2 = T(v) \in \text{im } T$ . Clearly  $v_1 + v_2 = v$  ✓.

Dec 2011, #6

Let  $V, W$  be inner product spaces over  $\mathbb{R}$ . Let  $T: V \rightarrow W$  lin. tsfm & let  $x_1, \dots, x_k \in V$  s.t.  $\{T(x_1), \dots, T(x_k)\}$  is a basis of  $\text{im } T$ .

(a) Prove  $\{T^* T(x_1), \dots, T^* T(x_k)\}$  is a lin. indpt subset of  $\text{im } T^*$  and show this implies  $\text{rank}(T) \leq \text{rank}(T^*)$

(b) Explain why this  $\Rightarrow \text{rank}(T) = \text{rank}(T^*)$

Hint: for part (a) show that

$T^*|_{\text{im } T}: \text{im } T \rightarrow V$  injective

~~Solution:~~ Sps  $T^*|_{\text{im } T}$  injective then if  $a_1 T^* T x_1 + \dots + a_k T^* T x_k = 0$  then

$$T^*(a_1 T x_1 + \dots + a_k T x_k) = 0$$

Since  $a_1 T x_1 + \dots + a_k T x_k \in \text{im } T$  this implies  $a_1 T x_1 + \dots + a_k T x_k = 0$ . Since  $\{T x_1, \dots, T x_k\}$  ind.  $\Rightarrow a_1 = \dots = a_k = 0 \Rightarrow \{T^* T x_1, \dots, T^* T x_k\}$  ind.

Proof Hint:  $w \in \ker(T^*|_{\text{im } T})$

Want to show  $w = 0$ .

$w \in \text{im } T$  so  $w = T v$  for some  $v \in V$ .

and  $T^* w = 0$ . i.e.  $T^* T v = 0$

$\Rightarrow \langle v, T^* T v \rangle = 0$  for any  $v \in V$

In particular,  $\langle v, T^* T v \rangle = 0 \Rightarrow \langle T v, T v \rangle = 0 \Rightarrow T(v) = 0$

$\Rightarrow w = 0$  rank( $T$ ) =  $k \leq \text{rank}(T^*)$ .

(b). explain why this implies  $\text{rank}(T) = \text{rank}(T^*)$ .

Since  $\{T^* T x_1, \dots, T^* T x_k\}$  is a lin ind. subset of  $\text{im } T^*$ .

For (b), apply argument in (a) to  $T^*: W \rightarrow V$ . By (a) we have

$$\text{rank}(T^*) \leq \text{rank}(T^*)^* = \text{rank}(T)$$

$$\text{So } \text{rank}(T^*) = \text{rank}(T)$$

Dec 2011, #3

$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1-i \\ 1+i & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Find spectral decomposition

General idea:  $A: V \rightarrow V$  self-adj. then  $A = \lambda_1 P_1 + \dots + \lambda_k P_k$  where  $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_k$  eigenvalues.  $P_i$  = orthog. proj. onto  $E_{\lambda_i}$

Eigenvalues 0, 3.  $\checkmark$

In an orthonormal basis of eigenvectors of  $A$ .  
 $[A]_{\alpha} = 0 \cdot [P_1]_{\alpha} + 3 [P_3]_{\alpha}$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = 0 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} + 3 \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find  $\beta$  and then compute  $[I]_{\alpha}^{\beta} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} [I]_{\beta}^{\alpha}$  to get  $P_0$ .

where  $\beta = \text{std basis of } \mathbb{C}^2$ . and to get  $P_3$  we could either

① Compute  $[I]_{\alpha}^{\beta} [ \begin{smallmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{smallmatrix} ] [I]_{\beta}^{\alpha}$  or

② since  $A = 3P_3 \Rightarrow P_3 = \frac{1}{3}A$