

# MATH 54 Homework 9 Solutions

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6.1

6.1.2

$$w \cdot w = 35$$

$$x \cdot w = 5$$

$$\frac{x \cdot w}{w \cdot w} = \frac{1}{7}$$

6.1.6

$$x \cdot x = 49$$
$$\frac{x \cdot w}{x \cdot x} x = \begin{bmatrix} 30/49 \\ -(10/49) \\ 15/49 \end{bmatrix}$$

6.1.7

$$\|w\| = \sqrt{35}$$

6.1.10

$$w = \begin{bmatrix} -6 \\ 4 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}, \|w\| = \sqrt{61}$$
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{61}} \begin{bmatrix} -6 \\ 4 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

6.1.14

$$\|u - z\| = 2\sqrt{17}$$

6.1.17

They are orthogonal since  $u \cdot v = -12 + 2 + 10 = 0$

6.1.19

a. True

b. True

c. True We have  $(u-v) \cdot (u-v) = (u+v) \cdot (u+v)$ . Expanding this we get  $u \cdot u + v \cdot v - 2u \cdot v = u \cdot u + v \cdot v + 2u \cdot v$ . Simplify we get  $4u \cdot v = 0$ , so they are orthogonal.

d. False Consider  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . We have  $Nul(A) = \text{Span}e_1$  and  $Col(A) = \text{Span}e_1$ .

e. True. If  $x \cdot v_j = 0$ , then given any  $w \in W$  we have  $w = \sum c_i v_i$  so  $x \cdot w = \sum_i c_i (x \cdot v_i) = 0$ .

6.1.24

$$\|u+v\|^2 + \|u-v\|^2 = (u+v) \cdot (u+v) + (u-v) \cdot (u-v) = 2u \cdot u + 2v \cdot v + 2u \cdot v - 2u \cdot v = 2\|u\|^2 + 2\|v\|^2$$

### 6.1.27

We have  $y \cdot u = y \cdot v = 0$ . Then  $y \cdot (u + v) = y \cdot u + y \cdot v = 0$ .

### 6.1.29

We have  $x \cdot v_j = 0$ . Then given any  $w \in W$  we have  $w = \sum c_j v_j$ .

$$x \cdot w = x \cdot (\sum c_j v_j) = \sum x \cdot c_j v_j = \sum c_j (x \cdot v_j) = 0$$

## 6.2

### 6.2.5

The dot product of all three pairs are 0, so the vectors are orthogonal.

### 6.2.9

$$\begin{aligned} \text{proj}_{u_1} x + \text{proj}_{u_2} x + \text{proj}_{u_3} x &= x \\ \frac{5}{2}u_1 + \frac{-3}{2}u_2 + 2u_3 &= x \end{aligned}$$

### 6.2.23abc

a. **True** Consider  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

b. **True** For  $x \in \text{Span}\{u_1, \dots, u_k\}$  we have  $x = \sum_i \text{proj}_{u_i} x$

c. **False** If  $u \cdot v = 0$  then  $(cu) \cdot v = 0$ .

### 6.2.32

$v_1, v_2$  are an orthogonal set if and only if  $v_1 \cdot v_2 = 0$  and  $v_1, v_2 \neq 0$ . Then since  $c_1 v_1, c_2 v_2 \neq 0$ , we only need to check that  $(c_1 v_1) \cdot (c_2 v_2) = c_1 c_2 (v_1 \cdot v_2) = 0$ .

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### 6.1

#### 6.1.30

We have  $W^\perp = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid x \cdot w = 0, w \in W\}$ . First we show  $0 \in W^\perp$ . To see this we require  $0 \cdot w = 0$  for all  $w \in W$ .

To show  $W^\perp$  is closed under addition, let  $z_1, z_2 \in W^\perp$  be given. Then  $z_1 \cdot w = z_2 \cdot w = 0$  for all  $w \in W$ . We see  $(z_1 + z_2) \cdot w = z_1 \cdot w + z_2 \cdot w = 0$  for all  $w \in W$ , so  $z_1 + z_2 \in W^\perp$ .

To show  $W^\perp$  is closed under scalar multiplication, let  $z \in W^\perp$  be given. Then  $z \cdot w = 0$  for all  $w \in W$ . Let  $c \in \mathbb{R}$ , so  $(cz) \cdot w = c(z \cdot w) = 0$  for all  $w \in W$  which implies  $cz \in W^\perp$ .

### 6.3

#### 6.3.1

We know that  $\text{proj}_{u_4}(x) = \frac{u_4 \cdot x}{u_4 \cdot u_4} u_4 \in \text{Span}\{u_4\}$ . Then

$$\text{proj}_{u_4}(x) = \frac{50 + 24 - 2}{25 + 9 + 1 + 1} u_4 = \frac{72}{36} u_4 = 2u_4.$$

Also since  $x = \sum_i \text{proj}_{u_i}(x)$  we have  $x - 2u_4 \in \text{Span}\{u_1, u_2, u_3\}$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ -8 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -2 \\ -4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ -6 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

### 6.3.4

To see  $\{u_1, u_2\}$  is orthogonal we verify  $u_1 \cdot u_2 = -12 + 12 + 0 = 0$ . Then

$$\text{proj}_{\text{Span}\{u_1, u_2\}} = \text{proj}_{u_1}(y) + \text{proj}_{u_2}(y) = \frac{18+12}{25}u_1 + \frac{-24+9}{25}u_2 = \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} 18+12 \\ 24-9 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

### 6.3.8

Note that  $u_1, u_2$  are orthogonal, so

$$\text{proj}_W y = \text{proj}_{u_1}(y) + \text{proj}_{u_2} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 7 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

We know that  $y - \text{proj}_W y \in W^\perp$  so we get the final answer

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 7 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

### 6.3.12

Note that  $v_1$  is orthogonal to  $v_2$ . Then the desired point is

$$\text{proj}_{\text{Span}\{v_1, v_2\}} y = \text{proj}_{v_1} v_1 + \text{proj}_{v_2} v_2 = 3v_1 + v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -5 \\ -3 \\ 9 \end{bmatrix}$$

### 6.3.14

Note that  $v_1$  is orthogonal to  $v_2$ . Then the desired point is

$$\text{proj}_{\text{Span}\{v_1, v_2\}} z = \text{proj}_{v_1} v_1 + \text{proj}_{v_2} v_2 = \frac{1}{2}v_1 + 0v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{3}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

### 6.3.19

Let  $W = \text{Span}\{u_1, u_2\}$ . We have  $u_3 - \text{proj}_W u_3 \in W^\perp$ . Since  $u_3 \notin W$ , we have  $u_3 - \text{proj}_W u_3 \neq 0$ .

$$u_3 - \text{proj}_W u_3 = u_3 - \text{proj}_{u_1} u_3 - \text{proj}_{u_2} u_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{3}{2} \\ -\frac{7}{2} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

### 6.3.22

- a. **True** If  $v \in W, W^\perp$  we have  $v \cdot v = 0$ , so  $v = 0$ .
- b. **True** The terms are projections onto the one dimensional subspaces of  $W$  spanned by the orthogonal basis elements.
- c. **True** The orthogonal decomposition is unique.
- d. **False** The best approximation is  $\text{proj}_W y$ .  $y - \text{proj}_W y \in W^\perp$ .
- e. **False** Consider  $U = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  so  $UU^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

### 6.3.24

Since  $\{w_1, \dots, w_p\}$  is orthogonal and  $\{v_1, \dots, v_q\}$  is orthogonal we only need to check that  $w_i \cdot v_j = 0$ . This follows since  $v_j \in W^\perp$  and  $w_i \in W$ .

To see that  $\{w_1, \dots, w_p, v_1, \dots, v_q\}$  spans  $\mathbb{R}^n$  let  $v \in \mathbb{R}^n$  be given. By the decomposition theorem we have  $v = \text{proj}_W v + z$  with  $\text{proj}_W v \in W, z \in W^\perp$ . Hence we can write  $\text{proj}_W v$  as a linear combination of  $w_1, \dots, w_p$  and  $z$  as a linear combination of  $v_1, \dots, v_q$ . Combining these we can write  $v$  as a linear combination of  $w_1, \dots, w_p, v_1, \dots, v_q$ .

Thus we see the set  $\{w_1, \dots, w_p, v_1, \dots, v_q\}$  spans  $\mathbb{R}^n$  and since its orthogonal we know its linearly independent, so its a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . Hence it has  $n$  elements so  $p + q = n$ .

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### 6.4

#### 6.4.2

$$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \\ -8 \end{bmatrix}$$

Normalize the vectors:

$$\tilde{v}_1 = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{5}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{v}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{105}} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \\ -8 \end{bmatrix}$$

### 6.4.6

$$v_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$v_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 9 \\ -9 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} + 3 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 6 \\ -3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Normalize the vectors:

$$v_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{15}} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$v_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{61}} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 6 \\ -3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

### 6.4.10

Apply Gram-Schmidt to the column vectors to get the orthogonal set:

$$\frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

### 6.4.17ab

a. **False** If  $c = 0$  then it will make the linearly independent set linearly dependent.

b. **True**

### 6.4.22

We have  $T(0) = \text{proj}_W 0 = 0$  since  $0 \in W$ .

Given  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , we have  $x = \text{proj}_W x + w$ ,  $y = \text{proj}_W y + z$  where  $w, z \in W^\perp$ . By the decomposition theorem these are unique. Hence we have  $x + y = (\text{proj}_W x + \text{proj}_W y) + (z + w)$ . Since  $W, W^\perp$  are subspaces, we have  $(\text{proj}_W x + \text{proj}_W y) \in W$  and  $z + w \in W^\perp$ . This implies by the decomposition theorem that  $\text{proj}_W x + \text{proj}_W y = \text{proj}_W(x + y)$ , so  $T(x + y) = T(x) + T(y)$ .

Similarly, given  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$  we have  $x = \text{proj}_W x + z$  where  $z \in W^\perp$ , so  $cx = c\text{proj}_W x + cz$ . Since  $c\text{proj}_W x \in W$  and  $cz \in W^\perp$ , by decomposition theorem we have  $c\text{proj}_W x = \text{proj}_W(cx)$ , so  $T(cx) = cT(x)$ .

## 6.5

### 6.5.3

We calculate  $A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 6 \\ 6 & 42 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $A^T b = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -6 \end{bmatrix}$ . We solve  $A^T A x = A^T b$  to find

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{4}{3} \\ -\frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

**6.5.5**

We calculate  $A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $A^T b = \begin{bmatrix} 14 \\ 2 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then solutions to  $A^T A x = A^T b$  are a particular solution plus the nullspace. We see that this means

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**6.5.7**

We compute  $\|Ax - b\| = 2\sqrt{5}$

**6.5.9**

$$A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 14 & 0 \\ 0 & 42 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^T b = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Then we solve  $A^T A x = A^T b$  to find

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{7} \\ -\frac{1}{7} \end{bmatrix}$$

The orthogonal projection of  $b$  onto  $Col(A)$  is therefore  $Ax = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$

**6.5.17**

**a. True**

**b. True**

**c. False** We want this norm to minimized, not maximized

**d. True**

**e. True** We have the rank of  $A$  is the same as the rank of  $A^T A$ , so when the columns of  $A$  are linearly independent we have the rank of  $A^T A$  is maximal, and hence  $A^T A$  is invertible, so  $A^T A x = A^T b$  has a unique solution.

**6.5.19**

If  $Ax = 0$  then we have  $A^T A x = A^T 0 = 0$ .

If  $A^T A x = 0$  then we have  $x^T A^T A x = x^T 0 = 0$ . We note  $0 = x^T A^T A x = (Ax)^T (Ax) = \|Ax\|^2$  which implies  $Ax = 0$ .

**6.5.22**

Since the number of columns of  $A$  and  $A^T A$  are the same, by 6.5.19 we have concluded the nullity of  $A$  and  $A^T A$  are equal, so by rank nullity the rank of  $A$  and  $A^T A$  are equal.