

Quiz # 6

Solutions

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 = give pts for

1. Find a basis for the kernel and range of the linear transformation $L: \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ given by

$$L(v) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix} v.$$

+1 this is also. If they don't say anything but still solve this, also H.

$$\text{kernel} = \{v \mid \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix} v = 0\}$$

$$\Rightarrow x, z \text{ lead, } y \text{ free} \Rightarrow \text{sol: } \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -2s \\ s \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}, \text{ so a basis is } \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\text{Range: } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 \\ 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \leftarrow \text{basis vectors}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{basis is } \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

(Note that another basis is $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$, the columns corresponding to the leading rows in the RREF form for the kernel) +2 if they do this

2. Use Gram-Schmidt to turn $\{(1, 1, 3), (0, 3, 1), (1, 1, 0)\}$ into an orthogonal basis (it doesn't have to be orthonormal).

$$\bar{w}_1 = (1, 1, 3)$$

$$\bar{w}_2 = (0, 3, 1) - \frac{6}{11} (1, 1, 3) = \left(-\frac{6}{11}, \frac{27}{11}, \frac{-7}{11} \right)$$

$$\bar{w}_2 \cdot \bar{w}_2 = \frac{36}{121} + \frac{729}{121} + \frac{49}{121} = \frac{814}{121} = \frac{74}{11}$$

$$\bar{w}_3 = (1, 1, 0) - \frac{2}{11} (1, 1, 3) - \frac{21/11}{74/11} \left(-\frac{6}{11}, \frac{27}{11}, \frac{-7}{11} \right)$$

$$= \left(\frac{9}{11}, \frac{9}{11}, \frac{-6}{11} \right) - \frac{21}{74} \left(-\frac{6}{11}, \frac{27}{11}, \frac{-7}{11} \right)$$

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I don't care what numbers they get or if they simplify things.