

This quiz is closed book. Answer the following questions NEATLY. Show all necessary work directly on the quiz. Answers without supporting work shown will receive no credit. 3 points each part unless otherwise marked.

- 1) Complete the definition: If $T: V \rightarrow W$ is a function from a vector space V into a vector space W , then T is a **linear transformation** from V to W if, for all vectors $\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{u} \in V$ and all scalars c ,

$$T(\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}) = T(\mathbf{u}) + T(\mathbf{v})$$

$$T(c\mathbf{u}) = cT(\mathbf{u})$$

- 2) Complete the statement of the Dimension Theorem for Linear Transformations: If $T: V \rightarrow W$ is a linear transformation from an n -dimensional vector space V to a vector space W , then

$$\text{rank}(T) + \text{nullity}(T) = n$$

- 3) Complete the definitions. If $T: V \rightarrow W$ is a linear transformation, then the
- a) Kernel of T is

$$\{\vec{v} \in V : T(\vec{v}) = \vec{0}_W\}$$

- b) Range of T is

$$\{T(\vec{v}) : \vec{v} \in V\}$$

- 4) Find the missing dimensions for the linear transformations below (1 point each)

a) $T: M_{22} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by $T(A) = \text{tr}(A)$. $\text{nullity}(T) = \underline{3}$

onto. $\text{rank}(T) = 1$
 $\text{dim}(V) = 4$

b) $T: \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^7$, T is one-to-one. $\text{rank}(T) = \underline{4}$

$\text{nullity}(T) = 0$
 $\text{dim}(V) = 4$

- c) $T: V \rightarrow W$, T is an isomorphism between two finite-dimensional vector spaces. $\text{dim}(W) = 2$.

$\text{dim}(V) = \underline{2}$

5) Let $T(ax^2 + bx + c) = (a + c, b)$.

a) Find a basis for the kernel of T

$$T(ax^2 + bx + c) = (0, 0) \Rightarrow a + c = 0, \quad b = 0.$$
$$\Rightarrow a = -c.$$

$$\text{Basis: } \{x^2 - 1\}$$

b) Find a basis for the range of T

$$T \text{ onto. } (T(x^2) = (1, 0), T(x) = (0, 1))$$

$$\text{Basis: } \{(1, 0), (0, 1)\}$$

c) Find the matrix for T with respect to the bases $B = \{x^2 + x, x + 1, x - 1\}$ and $B' = \{(1, 1), (0, 1)\}$.

$$T(x^2 + x) = (1, 1)$$

$$\downarrow$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(x + 1) = (1, 1)$$

$$\downarrow$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(x - 1) = (-1, 1)$$

$$\downarrow$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

6) Let \mathbf{v}_0 be a fixed vector in an inner product space V , and let $T: V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be defined by $T(\mathbf{v}) = \langle \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{v}_0 \rangle$. Prove that T is a linear transformation.

Let $\vec{v}, \vec{w} \in V$. $c \in \mathbb{R}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{1} T(\vec{v} + \vec{w}) &= \langle \vec{v} + \vec{w}, \vec{v}_0 \rangle = \langle \vec{v}, \vec{v}_0 \rangle + \langle \vec{w}, \vec{v}_0 \rangle \\ &= T(\vec{v}) + T(\vec{w}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{2} T(c\vec{v}) &= \langle c\vec{v}, \vec{v}_0 \rangle = c \langle \vec{v}, \vec{v}_0 \rangle \\ &= cT(\vec{v}). \end{aligned}$$

7) Given $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ by $T\left(\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 2x_2 \\ 2x_1 \end{bmatrix}$.

a) Is it possible to find an orthonormal basis relative to which the matrix for T is diagonal? Why or why not?

Yes. $[T] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is symmetric.

8) For each transformation below, circle **all** the classifications that apply (there may be more than one):
(1 point each)

a) $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, T(x,y) = x$

1-1

ONTO

ISOMORPHISM

LINEAR

NONE OF THESE

b) $T: P_n \rightarrow P_n, T(p(x)) = p(0) + p(x)$

1-1

ONTO

ISOMORPHISM

LINEAR

NONE OF THESE

c) $T: V \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ by $T(\mathbf{v}) = 1 + \|\mathbf{v}\|$, where V is an inner product space.

1-1

ONTO

ISOMORPHISM

LINEAR

NONE OF THESE

9) True/False: (3 points total... -1.5 for each incorrectly answered, -1 for each not attempted. Max -3)

a) If $T: V \rightarrow U$ is a linear transformation, then $R(T)$ is a subspace of V .

False

U

b) Let A be an $n \times n$ matrix. If A has n real eigenvalues, then A is a symmetric matrix.

False

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

c) If there exists an invertible matrix P such that $B = P^{-1} A P$, then A and B are both invertible.

False

$$A = B = 0 \quad P = I$$

Bonus: (3 extra points possible, no partial credit)

If A^2 and B^2 are similar, must A and B be similar? If yes, provide a proof. If no, provide a counterexample.

Yes/No? No

$$A = I, \quad B = -I$$