

**Math 1553 Worksheet §6.1 - §6.5**

**1.** True/False. Justify your answer.

(1) If  $u$  is in subspace  $W$ , and  $u$  is also in  $W^\perp$ , then  $u = 0$ .

(2) If  $y$  is in a subspace  $W$ , the orthogonal projection of  $y$  onto  $W^\perp$  is 0.

(3) If  $x$  is orthogonal to  $v$  and  $w$ , then  $x$  is also orthogonal to  $v - w$ .

2. a) Find the standard matrix  $B$  for  $\text{proj}_L$ , where  $L = \text{Span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$ .

b) What are the eigenvalues of  $B$ ? Is  $B$  diagonalizable?

3.  $y = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $u_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $u_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

- (1) Determine whether  $u_1$  and  $u_2$
- (a) are linearly independent
  - (b) are orthogonal
  - (c) span  $\mathbf{R}^3$

(2) Is  $y$  in  $W = \text{Span}\{u_1, u_2\}$ ?

(3) Compute the vector  $w$  that most closely approximates  $y$  within  $W$ .

(4) Construct a vector,  $z$ , that is in  $W^\perp$ .

(5) Make a rough sketch of  $W$ ,  $y$ ,  $w$ , and  $z$ .

4. Use least-squares to find the best fit line  $y = Ax + B$  through the points  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(1, 8)$ ,  $(3, 8)$ , and  $(4, 20)$ .