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29. Let W be a finite dimensional subspace of an inner product space V and let E be the orthogonal projection of V on W . Prove the following.
- $I - E$ is the orthogonal projection of V on W^\perp
 - $I - E$ is an idempotent linear transformation of V onto W^\perp with null space W .
30. Prove that for every invertible complex $n \times n$ matrix B there exists a unique lower triangular matrix M with positive entries on the main diagonal such that MB is unitary.



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SECTION - A

Answer any 4 questions out of 5. Each question carries **One** mark.
(4×1=4)

- Define nilpotent operator.
- Let $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ defined by $T(x, y) = (x + y, 0)$. Find null space of T .
- Define projection of a vector space. Give an example.
- Is it true that "every matrix A such that $A^2 = A$ is diagonalizable."
- Give an example of an orthogonal matrix which is not unitary.

SECTION - B

Answer any 6 out of 9. Each question carries **2** marks. (6×2=12)

- Define self adjoint operator. Give an example.
- If S is any subset of a Finite dimensional vector space V , then prove that $(S^0)^0$ is the subspace spanned by S .
- Let V and W be vector spaces over the field F and let T be a linear transformation from V into W . Prove that the null space of T^t is the annihilator of the range of T .
- Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$. Find the minimal polynomial of the operator corresponding to the matrix A .
- Let V be a vector space and $(\cdot | \cdot)$ an inner product on V . Show that $(0 | \beta) = 0$ for all β in V .

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11. Find the condition that the real matrix $\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ b & a \end{bmatrix}$ is unitary.
12. Let V be a finite - dimensional innerproduct space, and T a linear operator on V . Suppose W is a subspace of V which is invariant under T . Prove that the orthogonal complement of W is invariant under T^*
13. Let V be a finite dimensional inner product space. If T is a linear operator on V , show that $(T^*)^*=T$.
14. Differentiate between orthonormal set and orthogonal basis with the help of suitable examples.

SECTION - C

Answer any 8 questions out of 12. Each question carries 4 marks.
(8×4=32)

15. If V is a finite dimensional vector space and $\alpha(\neq 0) \in V$, then prove that there exists a linear functional f such that $f(\alpha) \neq 0$.
16. If f and g are two linear functionals on a vector space V then prove that g is a scalar multiple of f if and only if the null space of g contains the null space of f .

17. Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ Find the dimension of the space of characteristic

vectors associated with the characteristic value 1.

18. Let V be a finite dimensional vector space over the field F . Let \mathcal{F} be a commuting family of triangulable linear operators on V . Prove that there exists an ordered basis for V such that every operator in \mathcal{F} is represented by a diagonal matrix in that basis.
19. Let T be a linear operator on the finite dimensional vector space V over the field F . Suppose that the minimal polynomial for T decomposes over F into a product of linear polynomials. Prove that there exists a diagonalizable operator D on V and a nilpotent operator N on V such that $T = D + N$ and $DN = ND$.



20. If α is a vector and β is a linear combination of an orthogonal sequence of non-zero vectors $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n$, then express β as a linear combination of the vectors $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \dots, \alpha_n$.
21. Explain Gram - Schmidt orthogonalization process with the help of a suitable example.
22. Prove or disprove "If V is an innerproduct space, and f a linear functional on V then there exists a unique vector β in V such that $f(\alpha) = (\alpha | \beta)$ for all α in V ".
23. Prove that for each B in $GL(n)$, there exists unique matrices N and U such that N is in $T^+(n)$, U is in $U(n)$ and $B = NU$.
24. Let V and W be finite dimensional innerproduct spaces over the same field. Then prove that V and W are isomorphic if and only if they have the same dimension.
25. Let V be a finite-dimensional vector space and let W_1 be any subspace of V . Prove that there is a subspace W_2 of V such that $V = W_1 \oplus W_2$.
26. Let E be a projection of V and let T be a linear operator on V . Prove that the range of E is invariant under T if and only if $ETE = TE$.

SECTION - D

Answer any 2 out of 4. Each question carries 6 marks. (2×6=12)

27. Let V be a finite dimensional vector space over the field F and let T be a linear operator on V . Prove that T is diagonalizable if and only if the minimal polynomial for T has the form $p = (x - c_1) \dots (x - c_k)$, where c_1, \dots, c_k are distinct elements of F .
28. Let T be a linear operator on a finite dimensional space V . If T is diagonalizable and if c_1, \dots, c_k are the distinct characteristic values of T , Prove that there exists linear operators E_1, \dots, E_k on V such that $I = c_1 E_1 + \dots + c_k E_k$.