

# SC116- Algebraic Structures

## Home Work 5

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(1) For  $\mathbf{x} = (x_1, x_2)$  &  $\mathbf{y} = (y_1, y_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ , define the three maps as follows. Identify if they really define the IPS. If not, find out which condition out of 3 conditions for IPS they fails to satisfy. Give reasons for your answers.

(a)  $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = x_1 y_1$ . (b)  $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = x_1^2 + y_1^2 + x_2^2 + y_2^2$ . (c)  $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = x_1 y_1^3 + x_2 y_2^3$ .

(2) Show that  $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = 10x_1 y_1 + 3x_1 y_2 + 3x_2 y_1 + 2x_2 y_2 + x_2 y_3 + x_3 y_2 + x_3 y_3$  defines an inner product in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ , where  $\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^3$ .

(3) For all  $\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , prove the following identities:

(a)  $\|\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}\|^2 + \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\|^2 = 2(\|\mathbf{x}\|^2 + \|\mathbf{y}\|^2)$ . (b)  $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = 0 \iff \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\|^2 = \|\mathbf{x}\|^2 + \|\mathbf{y}\|^2$ . (c)  $\|\mathbf{x}\| = \|\mathbf{y}\| \iff \langle \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y} \rangle = 0$ . (d)  $4\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \|\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}\|^2 - \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\|^2$ . (e)  $\|\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}\| \leq \|\mathbf{x}\| + \|\mathbf{y}\|$ .

Are the above results true if  $\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{C}^n(\mathbb{C})$ ?

(4) Let  $\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{C}^n(\mathbb{C})$ , prove the following identities:

(a)  $4\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = \|\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}\|^2 - \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}\|^2 + i\|\mathbf{x} + i\mathbf{y}\|^2 - i\|\mathbf{x} - i\mathbf{y}\|^2$ . (b) If  $\mathbf{x} \neq 0$ , then  $\|\mathbf{x} + i\mathbf{x}\|^2 = \|\mathbf{x}\|^2 + \|i\mathbf{x}\|^2$ , even though  $\langle \mathbf{x}, i\mathbf{x} \rangle \neq 0$ . (c)  $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle = 0$  whenever  $\|\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}\|^2 = \|\mathbf{x}\|^2 + \|\mathbf{y}\|^2$  and  $\|\mathbf{x} + i\mathbf{y}\|^2 = \|\mathbf{x}\|^2 + \|i\mathbf{y}\|^2$ .

(5) Using Cauchy-Schwarz Inequality for appropriate vector space with suitable inner product etc. derive the following versions of CS-inequalities:

(a)  $|\sum x_k \bar{y}_k| \leq (\sum |x_k|^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} (\sum |y_k|^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ . (b)  $|\int_0^1 f(x) \overline{g(x)} dx| \leq (\int_0^1 |f(x)|^2 dx)^{\frac{1}{2}} (\int_0^1 |g(x)|^2 dx)^{\frac{1}{2}}$  (c)  $|\text{tr}(AB^*)| \leq (\text{tr}(AA^*))^{\frac{1}{2}} (\text{tr}(BB^*))^{\frac{1}{2}}$ .

(6) Let  $A, B \in M_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R})$  be two square matrices of size  $n$  over reals. Verify that an inner product on  $M$  is  $\langle A, B \rangle = \text{tr}(AB^t)$ . Determine the subspace  $W^\perp$  for  $W = \{A \in M_{n \times n}(\mathbb{R}) \mid A^t = A\}$ .

(7) Show that  $\langle A, B \rangle = \text{tr}(AB^*)$  defines an inner product on  $M_{n \times n}(\mathbb{C})$ . Determine  $W^\perp$  for  $W = \{A \in M_{n \times n}(\mathbb{C}) \mid A^* = A\}$ .

(8) Show that  $\langle f(x), g(x) \rangle = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x)g(x)dx$  defines an inner product in  $C[-\pi, \pi]$ . Define  $\mathbf{1}(x) = 1, \forall x \in [-\pi, \pi]$ . Show that

$$S = \{\mathbf{1}\} \cup \{\cos(mx) : m \geq 1\} \cup \{\sin(nx) : n \geq 1\}$$

is a linearly independent subset of  $C[-\pi, \pi]$ .

(9) Determine an orthonormal basis of  $\mathbb{R}^4$  containing the vectors  $(1, -2, 1, 3)$  and  $(2, 1, -3, 1)$ .

(10) Consider the real inner product space  $C([-1, 1])$  with  $\langle f, g \rangle = \int_{-1}^1 f(t)g(t)dt$ . Show that the polynomials  $1, x, \frac{3}{2}x^2 - \frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{2}x^3 - \frac{3}{2}x$  form an orthogonal set in  $C([-1, 1])$ . Find the corresponding functions  $f(x)$  with  $\|f(x)\| = 1$ .