**Directions:** You may work to solve these problems in groups, but all written work must be your own. Show all work; no credit for solutions without work.

- 1. [6.1.24] Verify the parallelogram law for  $\mathbf{u}$  and  $\mathbf{v}$  in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ :  $||\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}||^2 + ||\mathbf{u} \mathbf{v}||^2 = 2||\mathbf{u}||^2 + 2||\mathbf{v}||^2$ .
- 2. [6.1.29] Let  $W = \text{Span}\{\mathbf{v}_1, \dots, \mathbf{v}_p\}$ . Show that if  $\mathbf{x}$  is orthogonal to each  $\mathbf{v}_j$ , then  $\mathbf{x}$  is orthogonal to every vector in W.
- 3. [6.2.9] Define vectors as follows.

$$u_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\0\\1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad u_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1\\4\\1 \end{bmatrix} \qquad u_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 2\\1\\-2 \end{bmatrix} \qquad x = \begin{bmatrix} 8\\-4\\-3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (a) Show that  $\{u_1, u_2, u_3\}$  is an orthogonal set.
- (b) Express x as a linear combination of  $u_1$ ,  $u_2$ , and  $u_3$ .
- 4. [6.2.14] Let  $\mathbf{y} = \begin{bmatrix} 2\\ 6 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 7\\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Write  $\mathbf{y}$  as the sum of two orthogonal vectors, one in Span{ $\mathbf{u}$ } and one orthogonal to  $\mathbf{u}$ .
- 5. [6.2.15] Let  $\mathbf{y} = \begin{bmatrix} 3\\1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 8\\6 \end{bmatrix}$ . Compute the distance from  $\mathbf{y}$  to the line through  $\mathbf{u}$  and the origin.
- 6. [6.2.25] Let U be an  $m \times n$ -matrix with orthonormal columns. Prove that  $(U\mathbf{x}) \cdot (U\mathbf{y}) = \mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{y}$  for all  $\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ .
- 7. [6.3.12] Find the closest point to  $\mathbf{y}$  in the subspace W spanned by  $\mathbf{v}_1$  and  $\mathbf{v}_2$ , and then find the distance from  $\mathbf{y}$  to W.

$$\mathbf{y} = \begin{bmatrix} 3\\-1\\1\\13 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\-2\\-1\\2 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \mathbf{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -4\\1\\0\\3 \end{bmatrix}$$

8. [6.3.21] True/False. All vectors and subspaces are in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . Justify each answer.

- (a) If **z** is orthogonal to  $\mathbf{u}_1$  and  $\mathbf{u}_2$  and if  $W = \text{Span}\{\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2\}$ , then  $\mathbf{z} \in W^{\perp}$ .
- (b) For each  $\mathbf{y}$  and each subspace W, the vector  $\mathbf{y} \text{proj}_W \mathbf{y}$  is orthogonal to W.
- (c) The orthogonal projection  $\hat{y}$  of y onto a subspace W can sometimes depend on the orthogonal basis for W used to compute  $\hat{y}$ .
- (d) If  $\mathbf{y}$  is in a subspace W, then the orthogonal projection of  $\mathbf{y}$  onto W is  $\mathbf{y}$  itself.
- (e) If the columns of an  $n \times p$  matrix U are orthonormal, then  $UU^T \mathbf{y}$  is the orthonormal projection of  $\mathbf{y}$  onto the column space of U.