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Exam II

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Time: 2 hours

Q1. (a) Let P be an orthogonal projection on an inner product space X . If $N(P)$ is the null space of P and $R(P)$ is the range of P , then show that $N(P) = [R(P)]^\perp$.

(b) If P is a bounded linear projection on a Hilbert space H , then show that P is self-adjoint and idempotent.

Q2. (a) Let P_1 and P_2 be projections on a Hilbert space H . If $P = P_1 + P_2$ is a projection, then prove that P projects H onto $Y = Y_1 \oplus Y_2$ where $P_1(H) = Y_1$ and $P_2(H) = Y_2$.

(b) Let K be a nonempty closed convex subset of a Hilbert space H . For $x \in H, z \in K$ is a projection of x if and only if $\langle x - z, y - z \rangle \leq 0$ for all $y \in K$. Use this fact to prove that the projection operator $P_K(x)$ of H onto K satisfies $\|P_K(u) - P_K(v)\| \leq \|u - v\|$ for all $u, v \in H$.

Q3. (a) Let $\{T_n\}$ be a sequence of compact linear operators from a normed space X into a Banach space Y . If $\{T_n\}$ is uniformly operator convergent to T (i.e. $\|T_n - T\| \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$), then prove that limit operator T is compact.

(b) Let $T: l_2 \rightarrow l_2$ be defined by

$$T(x) = \left\{ \frac{\xi_j}{j} \right\} \text{ where } x = \{\xi_j\} \in l_2.$$

Use above part (a) to show that T is a compact operator.

Q4. (a) Let X and Y be normed spaces and $T \in BL(X, Y)$, the space of all bounded linear operators from X into Y . Define Banach adjoint T^X of T from Y^* to X^* . Use an appropriate consequences of the Hahn – Banach theorem to prove that $\|T^X\| = \|T\|$.

(b) Let X and Y , be normed spaces. If T is a compact linear operator from X into Y , then verify that T^\times is also compact.