

1. Let V be $C[0, 1]$ with inner product $\langle f | g \rangle = \int_0^1 f(t)g(t) dt$.

(a) Find $\|t\|$.

(b) Let W be the subspace of V spanned by $f(t) = t$. Given $g(t) = t^2$, find the projection of g onto W . That is find $g_{\parallel} = \text{proj}_W g = \frac{\langle g | f \rangle}{\langle f | f \rangle} f(t)$.

(c) Find $g_{\perp} = g - g_{\parallel}$ and verify that $\langle g | g_{\perp} \rangle = 0$.

(d) According to the Best Approximation Theorem g_{\parallel} is the best approximation to g in W . Find the error in this approximation. That is, find $d(g, g_{\parallel})$,

2. Let V be the subspace of $C[-1, 1]$ spanned by $\{1, t\}$ with inner product $\langle f | g \rangle = \int_{-1}^1 f(t)g(t) dt$.
Given $f(t) = 1 - t$, find a function in V which is orthogonal to f .

3. Let W be the subspace of $C[0, 1]$ spanned by $\{1, t\}$ with inner product $\langle f | g \rangle = \int_0^1 f(t)g(t) dt$.
Given $f(t) = 1 - t$, find a function in W which is orthogonal to f .