

- 13)** Let $V = \mathbb{C}^2$ with the standard inner product. Let T be the linear operator defined by $T\epsilon_1 = (1, -2)$, $T\epsilon_2 = (i, -1)$. Let $\alpha = (x_1, x_2)$ and find $T^*\alpha$.
- 13)** Let T be the linear operator on \mathbb{C}^2 defined by $T\epsilon_1 = (1 + i, 2)$ and $T\epsilon_2 = (i, i)$. Find the matrix of T^* in the standard ordered basis. Does T commute with T^* ?
- 13)** Show that the range of T^* is the orthogonal complement of $\text{null } T$, i.e. show $R = R(T^*) = (\text{null}(T))^\perp = N$.
- 13)** Let V be a finite dimensional inner product space (fin dim IPS), and T a linear operator on V . If T is invertible, show that T^* is invertible and that $(T^*)^{-1} = (T^{-1})^*$.
- 13)** Show that the product of 2 self-adjoint operators is self-adjoint iff the two operators commute.
- 13)** Let V be a fin dim IPS over \mathbb{C} . Let E be a projection operator / an idempotent operator on V . Prove E is self-adjoint iff E is normal, i.e. $E = E^*$ iff $E^*E = EE^*$.
- 13)** Let V be a fin dim IPS over \mathbb{C} . Let T be a linear operator on V . Show that T is self-adjoint iff $(Tx|x)$ is real for all $x \in V$.
- 13)** For each matrix A , find a real orthogonal matrix P such that P^TAP is diagonal.
- 13)** Is a complex symmetric matrix self-adjoint? Is it normal?
- 13)** Give an example of a 2×2 matrix A such that A^2 is normal but A is not normal.
- 13)** Prove that a real symmetric matrix has a real symmetric cube root.
- 13)** Prove that a normal and nilpotent operator is the zero operator.
- 13)** If T is a normal operator, prove that characteristic vectors for T which are associated with distinct characteristic values are orthogonal.
- 13)** Let T be a normal operator on V a fin dim IPS over \mathbb{C} . Prove that there is a polynomial $f \in \mathbb{C}[x]$ such that $T^* = f(T)$.
- 13)** If two normal operators commute, prove that their product is normal.