

This quiz is worth 10 points.

1. (6 points) Let $\alpha = 3$, $u = (1, 2, 3)$ and $v = (2, 0, -1)$. Calculate each expression below. (Suppose $\mathbf{1}$ is a 3-vector of all 1's.

(a) $u + \mathbf{1}$

(b) $\mathbf{1}^T u$

(c) $(\alpha u)^T v$.

2. (2 points) Suppose a course is graded based on five chapter tests and one final exam, each out of 100 points. The total course score in the class, s , is calculated as weighted average where the chapter tests are worth 60% of the grade and the final exam score is worth the remaining 40% of the grade. The record for each student is given by a 6-vector r where r_1, r_2, r_3, r_4 , and r_5 are the chapter test scores and r_6 is the final exam score.

Find a vector w such that the s in the form $s = w^T r$ and s is a number from 0 to 100.

3. (2 points) Let $x = (x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5)$ be a 5-vector.

(a) Find the vector $d = x_{2:5} - x_{1:4}$. (Note that your answer will have x_i 's in it.)

(b) Suppose that x gives the price of a particular stock, in dollars per share, at the end of each day for the previous week (ie Mon - Fri). What does the vector d represent for this stock? (One or two sentences is sufficient.)