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SAMPLE SOLUTIONS

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DURATION: 120 minutes

Question	Grade	Out of
1		20
2		18
3		10
4		16
5		24
6		12
Total		100

IMPORTANT NOTES:

- 1) Please make sure that you have written your student number and name above.
- 2) Check that the exam paper contains 6 problems.
- 3) Show all your work. No points will be given to correct answers without reasonable work.

1) Let S be the part of the paraboloid $z = 6 - x^2 - y^2$ that lies above the plane $z = 2$, oriented upward. Let $\vec{F} = x^2 \vec{i} + y^2 \vec{j} + z^3 \vec{k}$.

a) Evaluate $\iint_S (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{F}) \cdot \vec{n} dS$, directly.

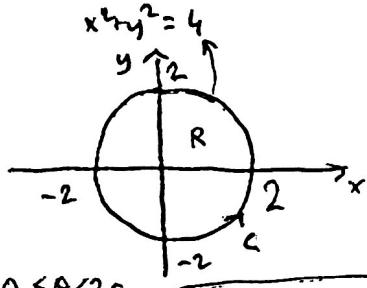
$$\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{F} = \begin{vmatrix} \vec{i} & \vec{j} & \vec{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ x^2y & y^2z & z^3 \end{vmatrix} = \left(\frac{\partial z^3}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial y^2z}{\partial z} \right) \vec{i} - \left(\frac{\partial z^3}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial x^2y}{\partial z} \right) \vec{j} + \left(\frac{\partial y^2z}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial x^2y}{\partial y} \right) \vec{k}$$

$$= (-y^2, 0, -x^2)$$

$$\vec{n} dS = \frac{\langle -f_x, -f_y, 1 \rangle}{\sqrt{(-f_x)^2 + (-f_y)^2 + 1}} \cdot \sqrt{(-f_x)^2 + (-f_y)^2 + 1} dx dy = \langle -(-2x), -(-2y), 1 \rangle dx dy$$

$$= \langle 2x, 2y, 1 \rangle dx dy.$$

Intersection of $z = 6 - x^2 - y^2$ & $z = 2$
 $6 - x^2 - y^2 = 2$
 $x^2 + y^2 = 4$



$$0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$$

$$0 \leq r \leq 2$$

$$\iint_S (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{F}) \cdot \vec{n} dS = \iint_R \langle -y^2, 0, -x^2 \rangle \cdot \langle 2x, 2y, 1 \rangle dx dy$$

$$= \iint_R (-2xy^2 - x^2) dx dy = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 (-2r \cos \theta r^2 \sin^2 \theta - r^2 \cos^2 \theta) r dr d\theta$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 -2r^4 \sin^2 \theta \cos \theta dr d\theta + \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^2 -r^3 \cos^2 \theta dr d\theta$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} -\frac{2}{5} r^5 \sin^2 \theta \cos \theta \Big|_0^2 d\theta + \int_0^{2\pi} -\frac{r^4}{4} \frac{1+\cos 2\theta}{2} \Big|_0^2 d\theta$$

b) Evaluate $\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}$, directly.

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} -\frac{64}{5} \sin^2 \theta \cos \theta d\theta - \int_0^{2\pi} (2 + 2 \cos 2\theta) d\theta$$

$$= -\frac{64}{15} \sin^3 \theta \Big|_0^{2\pi} - 2\theta - \sin 2\theta \Big|_0^{2\pi}$$

$$= -\frac{64}{15} \sin^3 2\pi + \frac{64}{15} \sin^3 0 - 2 \cdot 2\pi + 2 \cdot 0 - \sin 4\pi + \sin 0$$

$$= -4\pi$$

$$\oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r} = \int_0^{2\pi} \langle x^2y, y^2z, z^3 \rangle \cdot \langle dx, dy, dz \rangle$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} \langle 4\cos^2 t, 2\sin t, 4\sin^2 t \cdot 2, 8 \rangle \cdot \langle -2\sin t, 2\cos t, 0 \rangle dt$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} (-16 \sin^2 t \cos^2 t + 16 \sin^2 t \cos t) dt = \int_0^{2\pi} (-4 \sin^2 2t) dt + 16 \int_0^{2\pi} \sin^2 t \cos t dt$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} -4 \cdot \frac{1 - \cos 4t}{2} dt + 16 \frac{\sin^3 t}{3} \Big|_0^{2\pi} = -2t - \frac{2}{4} \sin 4t \Big|_0^{2\pi} + \frac{16}{3} \sin^3 2\pi - \frac{16}{3} \sin^3 0$$

$$= -2 \cdot 2\pi - \frac{1}{2} \sin 8\pi + 2 \cdot 0 + \frac{1}{2} \sin 0 = -4\pi$$

c) Verify the Stoke's Theorem.

$$\iint_S (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{F}) \cdot \vec{n} dS = -4\pi = \oint_C \vec{F} \cdot d\vec{r}.$$

2) Let $W = \{(x, y, z, t) \in \mathbb{R}^4 \mid x - 2y = 0, z + t = 0\}$.

(a) Show that W is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^4 .

- $0 - 2 \cdot 0 = 0$ & $0 + 0 = 0$. So $(0, 0, 0, 0) \in W$. Hence, $W \neq \emptyset$.

- Let $u, w \in W$. Then $u = (x, y, z, t) \in \mathbb{R}^4$ with $x - 2y = 0$ and $z + t = 0$ and $w = (a, b, c, d)$ with $a - 2b = 0$ and $c + d = 0$,

$$u + w = (x+a, y+b, z+c, t+d) \in \mathbb{R}^4 \text{ and}$$

$$x+a-2(y+b) = x+a-2y-2b = x-2y+a-2b = 0+0=0$$

$$z+c+t+d = z+t+c+d = 0+0=0. \text{ So } u+w \in W.$$

- Let $c \in \mathbb{R}$. $cu = (cx, cy, cz, ct) \in \mathbb{R}^4$ and

$$cx - 2cy = c(x-2y) = c \cdot 0 = 0$$

$$cz + ct = c(z+t) = c \cdot 0 = 0 \text{ so } cu \in W. \text{ Thus } W \text{ is a subspace of } \mathbb{R}^4.$$

(b) Find a basis S for W .

Let $u \in W$. Then $u = (x, y, z, t) \in \mathbb{R}^4$ with $x - 2y = 0$ and $z + t = 0$.

Then $x = 2y$ and $z = -t$.

$$\text{So } u = (2y, y, -t, t) = (2y, y, 0, 0) + (0, 0, -t, t) = (2, 1, 0, 0)y + (0, 0, -1, 1)t$$

So $\{(2, 1, 0, 0), (0, 0, -1, 1)\}$ is a spanning set for W .

$$(2, 1, 0, 0)y + (0, 0, -1, 1)t = (0, 0, 0, 0) \rightarrow (2y, y, -t, t) = (0, 0, 0, 0)$$

$$\text{So } y = t = 0$$

Thus $\{(2, 1, 0, 0), (0, 0, -1, 1)\}$ is a linearly independent set of vectors.

Hence $\{(2, 1, 0, 0), (0, 0, -1, 1)\}$ is a basis for W .

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(c) Find a basis B for \mathbb{R}^4 containing S .

$I = \{(1, 0, 0, 0), (0, 1, 0, 0), (0, 0, 1, 0), (0, 0, 0, 1)\}$ is the standard basis for \mathbb{R}^4 . So $S \cup I$ is a spanning set for \mathbb{R}^4 .

$$\left[\begin{array}{cccc} 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\substack{-2R_2+R_1 \\ R_4+R_3}} \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow{\substack{R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2 \\ R_3 \leftrightarrow R_4}} \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\xrightarrow{\substack{R_2 \leftrightarrow R_3}} \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

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So $\{(2, 1, 0, 0), (0, 0, -1, 1), (1, 0, 0, 0), (0, 0, 1, 0)\}$ is a basis for \mathbb{R}^4 containing S .

3) For each $u = (u_1, u_2)$, $w = (w_1, w_2) \in \mathbb{R}^2$, define $(u, w) = u_1w_1 - 2u_1w_2 - 2u_2w_1 + 5u_2w_2$.

a) Determine whether (u, w) is an inner product or not.

Let $u = (u_1, u_2)$, $v = (v_1, v_2)$, $w = (w_1, w_2)$
 $c \in \mathbb{R}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \bullet (u, u) &= u_1u_1 - 2u_1u_2 - 2u_2u_1 + 5u_2u_2 \\ &= u_1^2 - 4u_1u_2 + 5u_2^2 = u_1^2 - 4u_1u_2 + 4u_2^2 + u_2^2 = (u_1 - 2u_2)^2 + u_2^2 \geq 0 \\ (u, u) = 0 &\iff (u_1 - 2u_2)^2 + u_2^2 = 0 \iff u_1 - 2u_2 = 0 \text{ & } u_2 = 0 \\ &\iff u_1 = 0 \text{ & } u_2 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bullet (w, u) &= w_1u_1 - 2w_1u_2 - 2w_2u_1 + 5w_2u_2 \\ &= u_1w_1 - 2u_2w_1 - 2u_1w_2 + 5u_2w_2 = u_1w_1 - 2u_1w_2 - 2u_2w_1 + 5u_2w_2 = (u, w) \end{aligned}$$

$$\bullet (u+v, w) = ((u_1+v_1, u_2+v_2), (w_1, w_2))$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (u_1+v_1)w_1 - 2(u_1+v_1)w_2 - 2(u_2+v_2)w_1 + 5(u_2+v_2)w_2 \\ &= u_1w_1 + v_1w_1 - 2u_1w_2 - 2v_1w_2 - 2u_2w_1 - 2v_2w_1 + 5u_2w_2 + 5v_2w_2 \\ &= u_1w_1 - 2u_1w_2 - 2u_2w_1 + 5u_2w_2 + v_1w_1 - 2v_1w_2 - 2v_2w_1 + 5v_2w_2 \\ &= (u, w) + (v, w) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bullet (cu, w) &= ((cu_1, cu_2), (w_1, w_2)) = cu_1w_1 - 2cu_1w_2 - 2cu_2w_1 + 5cu_2w_2 \\ &= c(u_1w_1 - 2u_1w_2 - 2u_2w_1 + 5u_2w_2) = c(u, w). \end{aligned}$$

Thus (u, w) is an inner product.

b) For $u = (1, -2)$ and $w = (1, 1)$ evaluate (u, w) .

$$\begin{aligned} (u, w) &= 1 \cdot 1 - 2 \cdot 1 \cdot 1 - 2 \cdot (-2) \cdot 1 + 5 \cdot (-2) \cdot 1 \\ &= 1 - 2 + 4 - 10 = -7 \end{aligned}$$

- 4) Let $V = \mathbb{R}^3$, $v_1 = (1, 0, 1)$, $v_2 = (0, 1, 1)$, $v_3 = (1, 1, 0)$, $w_1 = (1, 0, 0)$, $w_2 = (1, 1, 0)$, $w_3 = (1, 1, 1)$.

- a) Show that $S = \{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$ is a basis for \mathbb{R}^3 .

Since $\dim \mathbb{R}^3 = 3$ and S contains 3 elements it suffices to show S is linearly independent.

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{-R_1+R_3} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{-R_2+R_3} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{2}R_3+R_1} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{\downarrow -\frac{1}{2}R_3} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

Since there are 3 leading entries in the reduced row echelon form for 3 vectors, S is linearly independent.

Therefore, S is a basis for \mathbb{R}^3 .

- b) It is given that $T = \{w_1, w_2, w_3\}$ is a basis for \mathbb{R}^3 . Find the transition matrix $P_{S \leftarrow T}$ from the basis T to the basis S .

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{-R_1+R_3} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{-R_2+R_3} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & -1 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{-\frac{1}{2}R_3} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right]$$

$$P_{S \leftarrow T} = \left[\begin{array}{ccc} \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & 1 & \frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{-R_3+R_1} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{-R_3+R_2} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right]$$

- c) Compute the coordinate vector $[\alpha]_T$ of $\alpha = (2, -1, 3)$ with respect to T .

$$\left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{-R_1+R_3} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{array} \right] \xrightarrow{-R_3+R_2} \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 3 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\text{So } [\alpha]_T = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- d) Compute the coordinate vector $[\alpha]_S$ of $\alpha = (2, -1, 3)$ with respect to S .

$$[\alpha]_S = P_{S \leftarrow T} [\alpha]_T = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & 1 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{2} + \frac{3}{2} \\ -\frac{3}{2} + \frac{3}{2} \\ \frac{3}{2} - 4 + \frac{3}{2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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5) Let $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & -3 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -2 & 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ be a 3×5 matrix whose reduced row echelon form is
 $R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}.$

(a) Find a basis for the row space of A , if possible.

$$\left\{ [1 \ 0 \ -2 \ 0 \ 1], [0 \ 1 \ 1 \ 0 \ -2], [0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1 \ -1] \right\}$$

(b) Find a basis for the column space of A , if possible.

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

(c) Find a basis β for the solution space of the system $Ax = 0$.

$$\begin{array}{l} x - 2z + u = 0 \\ y + z - 2u = 0 \\ t - u = 0 \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} x = 2z - u \\ y = -z + 2u \\ t = u \end{array} \quad \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ t \\ u \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}z + \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}u. \quad \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

(d) Find the rank and nullity of A .

$$\text{rank } A = 3$$

$$\text{nullity } A = 2$$

(e) Find the vector α , where $[\alpha]_{\beta} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$.

$$\alpha = 1 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - 1 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2+1 \\ -1-2 \\ 1-0 \\ 0-1 \\ 0-1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -3 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(f) Determine whether or not $\gamma = (0, 2, 0, 3, -1)$ is a solution of the system $Ax = 0$.

$$0 - 2 - 3 \cdot 0 + 2 \cdot 3 - 1 \cdot 1 = 3 \neq 0 \quad \text{So } \gamma \text{ is not a solution of } Ax = 0.$$

- 6) Let $v_1 = (1, 1, 1)$, $v_2 = (1, 0, 1)$ and $v_3 = (1, 1, 0)$. It is given that $T = \{v_1, v_2, v_3\}$ is a basis for \mathbb{R}^3 .

- (a) Find an orthonormal basis S for \mathbb{R}^3 by applying Gram-Schmidt orthogonalization process to the basis T .

$$u_1 = (1, 1, 1)$$

$$u_2 = v_2 - \frac{(v_2, u_1)}{(u_1, u_1)} u_1 = (1, 0, 1) - \frac{1+0+1}{1+1+1} (1, 1, 1) = (1, 0, 1) - \left(\frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}\right) = \left(\frac{1}{3}, -\frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$$

$$u_3 = v_3 - \frac{(v_3, u_1)}{(u_1, u_1)} u_1 - \frac{(v_3, u_2)}{(u_2, u_2)} u_2$$

$$= (1, 1, 0) - \frac{1+1+0}{1+1+1} (1, 1, 1) - \frac{\frac{1}{3} - \frac{2}{3} + 0}{\frac{1}{9} + \frac{4}{9} + \frac{1}{9}} \left(-\frac{1}{3}, -\frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)$$

$$= (1, 1, 0) - \left(\frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}\right) + \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{9}{6} \left(\frac{1}{3}, -\frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right) = \left(\frac{1}{2}, 0, -\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$w_1 = \frac{u_1}{\|u_1\|} = \frac{(1, 1, 1)}{\sqrt{1+1+1}} = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right)$$

$$w_2 = \frac{u_2}{\|u_2\|} = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{3}, -\frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{3}\right)}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{9} + \frac{4}{9} + \frac{1}{9}}} = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}, -\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}, \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}\right)$$

$$w_3 = \frac{u_3}{\|u_3\|} = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}, 0, -\frac{1}{2}\right)}{\sqrt{\frac{1}{4} + 0 + \frac{1}{4}}} = \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, 0, -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)$$

$S = \{w_1, w_2, w_3\}$ is an orthonormal basis for \mathbb{R}^3 .

- (b) Find a basis for the orthogonal complement W^\perp of the subspace $W = \text{Span}\{v_1, v_2\}$.

$$W^\perp = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid (x, y, z) \cdot (1, 1, 1) = 0 \quad ; \quad (x, y, z) \cdot (1, 0, 1) = 0\}$$

$$= \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid x+y+z=0 \quad \& \quad x+z=0\}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} x+y+z=0 \\ x+z=0 \end{array} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_2 \leftrightarrow R_1} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{R_1 \leftrightarrow R_2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x+z=0 &\rightarrow x=-z, \\ y &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$(x, y, z) = (-z, 0, z) = -z(1, 0, 1)$$

So $\{(1, 0, 1)\}$ is a basis for W^\perp .