

MATH 101: GRADUATE LINEAR ALGEBRA
DAILY HOMEWORK #11

Problem 11.1. Let V be an F -vector space, and let $\phi: V \rightarrow V$ be an F -linear map. We say that ϕ is an *involution* if $\phi^2 = 1$.

Suppose that V is an inner product space and let ϕ be an involution on V . Show that the following are equivalent:

- (a) ϕ is normal;
- (b) ϕ is unitary;
- (c) ϕ is self-adjoint; and
- (d) All singular values of ϕ are equal to 1.