

$|\mathbf{a}| = \sqrt{9 + 16} = 5$. The scalar projection of \mathbf{b} onto \mathbf{a} is

$\text{comp}_{\mathbf{a}}\mathbf{b} = \frac{\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}}{|\mathbf{a}|} = \frac{4 \cdot 4 + (-3) \cdot 0}{5} = \frac{16}{5}$ and the vector projection of \mathbf{b} onto

\mathbf{a} is $\text{proj}_{\mathbf{a}}\mathbf{b} = \left(\frac{\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}}{|\mathbf{a}|} \right) \frac{\mathbf{a}}{|\mathbf{a}|} = \frac{16}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{5} \langle 4, -3 \rangle = \left\langle \frac{64}{25}, \frac{-48}{25} \right\rangle$.