

Review for Exam 3

1. Let V be a 3-dimensional vector space with bases S and T . Let \mathbf{v} be a vector such that $[\mathbf{v}]_T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$. Find $[\mathbf{v}]_S$ if $P_{S \leftarrow T} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$.

Using the formula that $[\mathbf{v}]_S = P_{S \leftarrow T}[\mathbf{v}]_T$ we get that $[\mathbf{v}]_S = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$.

2. P_2 has basis $S = \{1, t, t^2 + t - 2\}$. Find a basis T for P_2 such that the transition matrix from T to S is $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$.

Let $T = \{\mathbf{w}_1, \mathbf{w}_2, \mathbf{w}_3\}$. The transition matrix has i -th column equal to $[\mathbf{w}_i]_S$.

Hence $[\mathbf{w}_1]_S = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ so $\mathbf{w}_1 = 1(1) + 0(t) + 1(t^2 + t - 2) = t^2 + t - 1$. Similarly $\mathbf{w}_2 = 2(1) + 1(t) + 3(t^2 + t - 2) = 3t^2 + 4t - 4$ and $\mathbf{w}_3 = 0(1) + 0(t) - 1(t^2 + t - 2) = -t^2 - t + 2$ so $T = \{t^2 + t - 1, 3t^2 + 4t - 4, -t^2 - t + 2\}$.

3. Let $V = \mathbb{R}^4$ and let S and T be the bases $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ and

$$T = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \right\}.$$

- (a) Find $Q_{T \leftarrow S}$ and $P_{S \leftarrow T}$.

Start with $P_{S \leftarrow T}$. To find the columns of P , we need to take each vector from T and find its coordinate vector with respect to S . For the

first vector, write $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = x \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + z \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + w \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$. This is the linear system $x = 1, 2y = 0, 3z = 0, 4w = 0$ so the solution is $x = 1, y = 0, z = 0, w = 0$ and the coordinate vector is $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$. For the second,

write $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = x \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + z \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + w \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$. This has solution

$x = 1, y = 1, z = 0, w = 0$ so the coordinate is $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$. For the third

vector, $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = x \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + z \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + w \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$. This has solution $x =$

$1, y = 1, z = 1, w = 0$ so the coordinate is $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$. Finally, the fourth

vector is $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = x \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + z \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + w \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$. This has solution

$x = 1, y = 1, z = 1, w = 1$ so the coordinate is $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$. These are the

columns transition matrix, so $P_{S \leftarrow T} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

For $Q_{T \leftarrow S}$ we do the same process but switch the roles of S and T . To find the columns of Q , we need to take each vector from S and find its

coordinate vector with respect to T . For the first vector, write $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} =$

$x \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + z \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + w \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$. This is the linear system $x + y + z + w = 1, 2y + 2z + 2w = 0, 3z + 3w = 0, 4w = 0$ so the solution is

$x = 1, y = 0, z = 0, w = 0$ and the coordinate vector is $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$. For the

second, write $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = x \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + z \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + w \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$. This has solu-

tion $x = -1, y = 1, z = 0, w = 0$ so the coordinate is $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$. For the

third vector, $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = x \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + z \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + w \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$. This has solution

$x = 0, y = -1, z = 1, w = 0$ so the coordinate is $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$. Finally, the

fourth vector is $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = x \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + z \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + w \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$. This has solution

$x = 0, y = 0, z = -1, w = 1$ so the coordinate is $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$. These are the

columns transition matrix, so $Q_{T \leftarrow S} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

Alternatively, you can compute $Q_{T \leftarrow S}$ by taking the inverse of $P_{S \leftarrow T}$.

(b) Compute $Q_{T \leftarrow S} P_{S \leftarrow T}$.

These matrices are inverses, their product is I_4 , the 4×4 identity.

(c) Let $\mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 4 \\ 4 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$. Find $[\mathbf{v}]_S$ and $[\mathbf{v}]_T$.

To find $[\mathbf{v}]_S$, set $\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 4 \\ 4 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = x \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + z \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + w \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$. This has solution

$$x = 4, y = 2, z = 4/3, w = 1 \text{ so } [\mathbf{v}]_S = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ 4/3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

To find $[\mathbf{v}]_T$, set $\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 4 \\ 4 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = x \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + z \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + w \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$. This has solution

$$x = 2, y = 2/3, z = 1/3, w = 1 \text{ so } [\mathbf{v}]_T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2/3 \\ 1/3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

(d) Confirm that $[\mathbf{v}]_S = P_{S \leftarrow T} [\mathbf{v}]_T$ and $[\mathbf{v}]_T = Q_{T \leftarrow S} [\mathbf{v}]_S$.

$$P_{S \leftarrow T} [\mathbf{v}]_T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2/3 \\ 1/3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ 4/3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = [\mathbf{v}]_S$$

$$Q_{T \leftarrow S} [\mathbf{v}]_S = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ 4/3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2/3 \\ 1/3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = [\mathbf{v}]_T$$

4. Prove that the diagonals of a parallelogram are perpendicular if and only if the parallelogram is a rhombus.

Hint: Take \mathbf{u} and \mathbf{v} to be vectors starting at the same point which give 2 adjacent sides of the parallelogram. Write down formulas for the diagonals in terms of the vectors \mathbf{u} and \mathbf{v} . Use dot products to show that the diagonals are perpendicular if and only if \mathbf{u} and \mathbf{v} are the same length.

The two diagonals are $\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}$ and $\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}$. To check when the diagonals are perpendicular, we take the dot product of these two vectors and see when it is 0. Using properties of dot product we get $(\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}) \cdot (\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}) = \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{v}$. The diagonals are perpendicular if and only if this is 0, so if and only if $\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{v}$. These are both positive numbers, so this is true if and only if $\sqrt{\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{u}} = \sqrt{\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{v}}$ which is the same as $\|\mathbf{u}\| = \|\mathbf{v}\|$. Two adjacent sides of the parallelogram are the same length if and only if the parallelogram is a rhombus.

5. Let $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ -5 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$. Let $V = \text{span } S$.

(a) Find an orthogonal basis T for V .

Label the vectors in S as $\mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ -5 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$ and the vectors in T will

be $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2$. Using the Gram-Schmidt process we get that $\mathbf{v}_1 = \mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

and $\mathbf{v}_2 = \mathbf{u}_2 - \frac{(\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{u}_2)}{(\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_1)} \mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ -5 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{20}{10} \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$. The resulting

orthogonal basis is $T = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$.

(b) Find a vector in \mathbb{R}^3 which is orthogonal to both vectors in S .

If $\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix}$ is orthogonal to both vectors in S then $0 = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = -3a + c$

and $0 = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ -5 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = -5a - 5b + 5c$. We are therefore looking for solutions

to the homogeneous linear system $-3a + c = 0$, $-5a - 5b + 5c = 0$. The solutions to this are that a can be anything, $b = 2a$, $c = 3a$. Any vector of

the form $\begin{bmatrix} a \\ 2a \\ 3a \end{bmatrix}$ is orthogonal to both vectors in S , so one possible answer is $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$.

(c) If possible, find an orthogonal basis for \mathbb{R}^3 which contains T .

There are two vectors in T and any basis for \mathbb{R}^3 contains 3 vectors, so we need to find 1 vector to add to T . The vector we add must be orthogonal to both vectors in T . The vector we found in part (b) is orthogonal to both vectors in S and thus to all vectors in V , including those in T (we can also verify directly that it is orthogonal to the vectors in T). The

other two vectors in T are orthogonal, so the set $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

is orthogonal and contains T . This set is linearly independent because any orthogonal set of nonzero vectors is linearly independent. It is therefore a basis because any set of three linearly independent vectors in \mathbb{R}^3 is a basis

for \mathbb{R}^3 . The set $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -5 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$ is therefore an orthogonal basis for \mathbb{R}^3 which contains T .

6. Let S be the basis $S = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$. S is a basis for \mathbb{R}^4 .

(a) Use the Gram-Schmidt process to transform S into an orthonormal basis for \mathbb{R}^4 .

Label the vectors in S as $\mathbf{u}_1, \mathbf{u}_2, \mathbf{u}_3, \mathbf{u}_4$. We start by building an orthogonal basis which we will label $\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3, \mathbf{v}_4$. Using the Gram-Schmidt formulas, we get that the vectors in T are:

$$\mathbf{v}_1 = \mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{v}_2 &= \mathbf{u}_2 - \frac{\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{u}_2}{\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{v}_1} \mathbf{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{6}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ \mathbf{v}_3 &= \mathbf{u}_3 - \frac{\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{u}_3}{\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{v}_1} \mathbf{v}_1 - \frac{\mathbf{v}_2 \cdot \mathbf{u}_3}{\mathbf{v}_2 \cdot \mathbf{v}_2} \mathbf{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{12}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{4}{4} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ \mathbf{v}_4 &= \mathbf{u}_4 - \frac{\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{u}_4}{\mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{v}_1} \mathbf{v}_1 - \frac{\mathbf{v}_2 \cdot \mathbf{u}_4}{\mathbf{v}_2 \cdot \mathbf{v}_2} \mathbf{v}_2 - \frac{\mathbf{v}_3 \cdot \mathbf{u}_4}{\mathbf{v}_3 \cdot \mathbf{v}_3} \mathbf{v}_3 \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{3}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{4}{4} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

The resulting orthogonal basis is $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$.

To get an orthonormal basis, divide each vector by its length. The result-

ing orthonormal basis is $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{6} \\ 2/\sqrt{6} \\ 0 \\ -1/\sqrt{6} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1/2 \\ 1/2 \\ 1/2 \\ 1/2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{12} \\ -1/\sqrt{12} \\ 3/\sqrt{12} \\ -1/\sqrt{12} \end{bmatrix} \right\}$.

(b) Write the vector $\begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$ as a linear combination of the vectors in the basis from part (a).

$$\begin{aligned} \text{If } \mathbf{v} &= \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = a_1 \mathbf{v}_1 + a_2 \mathbf{v}_2 + a_3 \mathbf{v}_3 + a_4 \mathbf{v}_4, \text{ then } a_i = \mathbf{v}_i \cdot \mathbf{v}. \text{ Thus} \\ a_1 &= \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{6} \\ 2/\sqrt{6} \\ 0 \\ -1/\sqrt{6} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}, a_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1/2 \\ 1/2 \\ 1/2 \\ 1/2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = -2, a_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = 5. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{11}{\sqrt{2}}, a_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{12} \\ -1/\sqrt{12} \\ 3/\sqrt{12} \\ -1/\sqrt{12} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{8}{\sqrt{12}}. \text{ Therefore}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ -2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{6} \\ 2/\sqrt{6} \\ 0 \\ -1/\sqrt{6} \end{bmatrix} - 2 \begin{bmatrix} -1/2 \\ 1/2 \\ 1/2 \\ 1/2 \end{bmatrix} + \frac{11}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{2} \end{bmatrix} + \frac{8}{\sqrt{12}} \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{12} \\ -1/\sqrt{12} \\ 3/\sqrt{12} \\ -1/\sqrt{12} \end{bmatrix}.$$

7. Let $S = \{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \dots, \mathbf{v}_k\}$ be an orthonormal set of vectors in \mathbb{R}^n . Let $L : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^k$

be the function $L(\mathbf{u}) = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 \\ \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}_k \end{bmatrix}$.

(a) Prove that L is a linear transformation.

Let \mathbf{u} and \mathbf{w} be vectors in \mathbb{R}^n . Using the properties of dot product,

$$L(\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{w}) = \begin{bmatrix} (\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{w}) \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 \\ (\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{w}) \cdot \mathbf{v}_2 \\ \vdots \\ (\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{w}) \cdot \mathbf{v}_k \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 + \mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 \\ \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}_2 + \mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{v}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}_k + \mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{v}_k \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 \\ \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}_k \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 \\ \mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{v}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{v}_k \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$L(\mathbf{u}) + L(\mathbf{w}). \text{ Also } L(r\mathbf{u}) = \begin{bmatrix} (r\mathbf{u}) \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 \\ (r\mathbf{u}) \cdot \mathbf{v}_2 \\ \vdots \\ (r\mathbf{u}) \cdot \mathbf{v}_k \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} r(\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1) \\ r(\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}_2) \\ \vdots \\ r(\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}_k) \end{bmatrix} = r \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 \\ \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{v}_k \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$rL(\mathbf{u}).$$

(b) Find $\dim \ker L$ and $\dim \text{range } L$.

Start with the range. As S is orthonormal, $L(\mathbf{v}_1) = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{v}_1 \\ \mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{v}_2 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{v}_1 \cdot \mathbf{v}_k \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$.

Similarly, $L(\mathbf{v}_2) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \dots, L(\mathbf{v}_k) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$. We see that the set $\{L(\mathbf{v}_1), \dots, L(\mathbf{v}_k)\}$

is the standard basis for \mathbb{R}^k . These vectors are all in the range as they are L applied to a vector in \mathbb{R}^n . The range of L is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^k which contains the standard basis for \mathbb{R}^k , so it must be all of \mathbb{R}^k . Thus $\dim \text{range } L = k$.

The dimension of the kernel can be gotten using the formula that $\dim \ker L + \dim \text{range } L = \dim \mathbb{R}^n$, so $\dim \ker L = n - k$.

- (c) Let W be the set of vectors \mathbf{w} in \mathbb{R}^n such that $\mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{v}_i = 0$ for all $i = 1, 2, \dots, k$. Prove that W is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^n of dimension $n - k$.

W is the kernel of L . We proved that kernels of linear transformations are always subspaces of the starting space, hence W is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^n and from the previous part we know that it has dimension $n - k$.

- (d) Assume $k < n$. Let $T = \{\mathbf{w}_1, \mathbf{w}_2, \dots, \mathbf{w}_{n-k}\}$ be an orthonormal basis for W . Prove that the set $R = \{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \dots, \mathbf{v}_k, \mathbf{w}_1, \mathbf{w}_2, \dots, \mathbf{w}_{n-k}\}$ is an orthonormal basis for \mathbb{R}^n .

Start by showing that R is orthonormal. We know that $\mathbf{v}_i \cdot \mathbf{v}_j = 0$ for $i \neq j$ by the orthogonality of S . Similarly, $\mathbf{w}_i \cdot \mathbf{w}_j = 0$ for $i \neq j$ by the orthogonality of T . Also $\mathbf{v}_i \cdot \mathbf{w}_j = 0$ for all i, j as the vector \mathbf{w}_j is in W and the vectors in W are orthogonal to \mathbf{v}_i . Thus any possible pair of distinct vectors chosen from R will be orthogonal, so R is orthogonal. Also, the vectors are all length 1 as they are taken from S and T which are orthonormal sets. This shows that R is an orthonormal set.

Any orthonormal set of vectors in \mathbb{R}^n is linearly independent (as it is orthogonal and all vectors are nonzero since they are length 1). There are n vectors in R , so R is a basis for \mathbb{R}^n .

8. Which of the following maps are linear transformations?

(a) $L : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ defined by $L \left(\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} \right) = \begin{bmatrix} ab - c \\ c + 5a \end{bmatrix}$.

This is not a linear transformation. It does not satisfy either of the properties of linear transformations. For example, $L \left(r \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix} \right) = L \left(\begin{bmatrix} ra \\ rb \\ rc \end{bmatrix} \right) =$

$\begin{bmatrix} r^2ab - rc \\ rc + 5ra \end{bmatrix}$ and $rL\left(\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{bmatrix}\right) = r\begin{bmatrix} ab - c \\ c + 5a \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} rab - c \\ rc + 5ra \end{bmatrix}$. These are not equal so the property $L(r\mathbf{v}) = rL(\mathbf{v})$ is not satisfied.

(b) $L : P_5 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by $L(p(t)) = \int_0^1 p(t) dt$.

L is a linear transformation. If $p(t)$ and $q(t)$ are two polynomials in P_5 and r is a real number, then $L(p(t) + q(t)) = \int_0^1 p(t) + q(t) dt = \int_0^1 p(t) dt + \int_0^1 q(t) dt = L(p(t)) + L(q(t))$ and $L(rp(t)) = \int_0^1 rp(t) dt = r \int_0^1 p(t) dt = rL(p(t))$.

9. Let $L : \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow P_2$ be the linear transformation given by

$$L\left(\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{bmatrix}\right) = (a - b)t^2 + (c + a)t + (b + c)$$

(a) Find a basis for the kernel of L .

The kernel of L is the subspace of \mathbb{R}^4 of vectors which whose image under

L is $\mathbf{0}$. If $\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{bmatrix}$ is in the kernel of L then $a - b = 0, c + a = 0, b + c = 0$.

The first two equations tell us that $b = a$ and $c = -a$ and thus the last equation $b + c = 0$ is automatically satisfied. There is no restriction on

the variable d so we get that $\ker L = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a \\ a \\ -a \\ d \end{bmatrix} \right\} = \left\{ a \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + d \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\} =$

$\text{span} \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$. The two vectors are linearly independent so this is

a two dimensional vector space with basis $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$.

(b) Find a basis for the range of L .

The range of L is all vectors in P_2 of the form $(a-b)t^2 + (c+a)t + (b+c) = a(t^2+t) + b(-t^2+1) + c(t+1)$ so the range of L is $\text{span}\{t^2+t, -t^2+1, t+1\}$. These three vectors are not linearly independent as the third one is the sum of the first two so we can delete the third vector without changing the span. Therefore $\text{range } L = \text{span}\{t^2+t, -t^2+1, t+1\} = \text{span}\{t^2+t, -t^2+1\}$. These two vectors are linearly independent so range of L has basis $\{t^2+t, -t^2+1\}$.

Note that we found that both kernel and range of L were dimension 2. A good way to double check these dimensions is to check that they satisfy the equation $\dim \ker L + \dim \text{range } L = \dim \mathbb{R}^4$.

(c) Is L one-to-one? Onto? Invertible?

The dimension of the kernel is 2 so the kernel is not just the zero vector and L is not one-to-one. The range has dimension 2 and P_2 has dimension 3 so the range is not all of P_2 and L is not onto. For L to be invertible, it must be both one-to-one and onto but it is neither so it is not invertible.

10. Let $L : V \rightarrow V$ be a linear transformation. Let $S = \{\mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2, \mathbf{v}_3\}$ be a basis for V . Suppose we know the following:

$$L(\mathbf{v}_1) = \mathbf{v}_1 + \mathbf{v}_3$$

$$L(\mathbf{v}_2) = \mathbf{v}_1 + 2\mathbf{v}_2 + 3\mathbf{v}_3$$

$$L(\mathbf{v}_3) = 2\mathbf{v}_3$$

(a) Find $L(2\mathbf{v}_1 - \mathbf{v}_2)$.

Using the properties of linear transformations, $L(2\mathbf{v}_1 - \mathbf{v}_2) = 2L(\mathbf{v}_1) - L(\mathbf{v}_2) = 2(\mathbf{v}_1 + \mathbf{v}_3) - (\mathbf{v}_1 + 2\mathbf{v}_2 + 3\mathbf{v}_3) = \mathbf{v}_1 - 2\mathbf{v}_2 - \mathbf{v}_3$.

(b) Find the representation of L with respect to S .

From the three equations given in the problem, $[L(\mathbf{v}_1)]_S = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$, $[L(\mathbf{v}_2)]_S =$

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$, and $[L(\mathbf{v}_3)]_S = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$. Hence the representation with respect to S is $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$.

(c) Prove that L is invertible and find $L^{-1}(\mathbf{v}_3)$.

The easiest way to show L is invertible is to show that the representation of L found in part (b) is an invertible matrix. The determinant of this matrix 4 (nonzero), so it is invertible and so is L .

One way find $L^{-1}(\mathbf{v}_3)$ is to apply L^{-1} to both sides of the equation $L(\mathbf{v}_3) = 2\mathbf{v}_3$. This gives that $\mathbf{v}_3 = L^{-1}(2\mathbf{v}_3) = 2L^{-1}(\mathbf{v}_3)$. Dividing by 2 we get that $L^{-1}(\mathbf{v}_3) = \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{v}_3$.

The other way to do this is to find the inverse of the representation found in part (b). The inverse of that matrix is $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1/2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/2 & 0 \\ -1/2 & -1/2 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$. This is the

representation of L^{-1} with respect to S so $[L^{-1}(\mathbf{v}_3)]_S = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1/2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/2 & 0 \\ -1/2 & -1/2 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix} [\mathbf{v}_3]_S =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1/2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/2 & 0 \\ -1/2 & -1/2 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1/2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ so } L^{-1}(\mathbf{v}_3) = 0\mathbf{v}_1 + 0\mathbf{v}_2 + \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{v}_3 = \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{v}_3.$$

11. Let V and W be finite dimensional real vector spaces and let $L : V \rightarrow W$ be a linear transformation. Circle the correct answer to the following two multiple choice questions.

(a) If L is one-to-one, what can we say about $\dim(V)$ and $\dim(W)$?

$$\dim(V) \leq \dim(W)$$

L is one-to-one so $\dim \ker L = 0$ so the equation $\dim \ker L + \dim \text{range } L = \dim V$ becomes $\dim \text{range } L = \dim V$. But the range of L is a subspace of W so it has dimension less than or equal to the dimension of W , so $\dim V = \dim \text{range } L \leq \dim W$.

(b) If L is onto, what can we say about $\dim(V)$ and $\dim(W)$?

$$\dim(V) \geq \dim(W)$$

L is onto so $\dim \text{range } L = \dim W$ so the equation $\dim \ker L + \dim \text{range } L = \dim V$ becomes $\dim \ker L + \dim W = \dim V$ and as $\dim \ker L \geq 0$ this shows $\dim V \geq \dim W$.

12. Let $L : P_2 \rightarrow P_2$ be the linear transformation $L(p(t)) = tp'(t) + p(0)$.

(a) Find the matrix representing L with respect to the basis $\{t^2, t, 1\}$.

First find L evaluated at each basis element. $L(t^2) = 2t^2$, $L(t) = t$, $L(1) = 1$. The coordinate vectors of $2t^2, t, 1$ with respect to the given basis are $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ respectively. These are the columns of the matrix representing L with respect to the given basis so the matrix is $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

(b) Is L invertible? If yes, what is $L^{-1}(4t^2 - t + 3)$?

L is invertible because the matrix representing L is invertible. The matrix representing L^{-1} with respect to the basis $\{t^2, t, 1\}$ will be the inverse of the matrix in part *a* which is $\begin{bmatrix} 1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$. The vector $4t^2 - t + 3$ has

coordinate vector $\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ so $L^{-1}(4t^2 - t + 3)$ will have coordinate vector $\begin{bmatrix} 1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ so $L^{-1}(4t^2 - t + 3) = 2t^2 - t + 3$.

Note: This problem can also be done by first rewriting $L(p(t)) = tp'(t) + p(0)$ as $L(at^2 + bt + c) = 2at^2 + bt + c$.

13. Let $L : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be the linear transformation defined by $L\left(\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} x - y \\ 2y \\ y - 3x \end{bmatrix}$.

Let S be the standard basis for \mathbb{R}^2 and $S' = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$. Let T be the standard basis for \mathbb{R}^3 and $T' = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$.

(a) Find the representation of L with respect to
i. S and T

We first plug the vectors of S into L . $L\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$ and $L\left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$. As T is the standard basis, taking the coordinate vectors with respect to T will not change these vectors so the representation is $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

ii. S' and T

We start by plugging the vectors in S' into L . $L\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $L\left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$. As T is the standard basis, taking the coordinate vector with respect to T does not change the vector so the matrix we get is $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 4 & -2 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$.

iii. S and T'

As in the first part, if we plug the vectors of S into L we get $L\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$ and $L\left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$. We now need to find the coordinate vectors of each of these with respect to T' . To find the coordinate vector of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$ we need to find x, y, z such that $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} = x \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + z \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$. In other words, we are trying to solve the system of linear equations $x + y = 1, x + 2y = 0, y + 2z = -3$. The solution is $x = 2, y = -1, z = -1$ so the coordinate vector with respect to T' is $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$. Similarly, to find the coordinate vector of $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ we're solving the linear system $x + y = -1, x + 2y = 2, y + 2z = 1$. The solution

is $x = -4, y = 3, z = -1$ so the coordinate vector is $\begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$. Putting together these two columns we get that the representation with respect to S and T' is $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ -1 & 3 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$.

iv. S' and T'

As in the second part, if we plug the vectors of S' into L we get $L\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $L\left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$. We now need to find the coordinate vectors of each of these with respect to T' . To find the coordinate vector of $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ we need to solve the system of linear equations $x + y = -1, x + 2y = 4, y + 2z = -1$. The solution is $x = -6, y = 5, z = -3$ so the coordinate vector with respect to T' is $\begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 5 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$. Similarly, to find the coordinate vector of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$ we're solving the linear equation $x + y = 1, x + 2y = -2, y + 2z = -1$. The solution is $x = 4, y = -3, z = 1$ so the coordinate vector is $\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$. Putting together these two columns we get that the representation with respect to S' and T' is $\begin{bmatrix} -6 & 4 \\ 5 & -3 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

(b) Find the transition matrix

i. P from S' to S

To find the columns of P , we need to find the S coordinate vectors of each of the vectors in S' . As S is the standard basis, the coordinate vectors are the same as the original vectors so P is just the matrix with columns equal to the vectors in S' . So $P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$.

ii. P^{-1} from S to S'

We can either compute this by inverting P from the previous part or we can directly compute the transition matrix from S to S' . To

compute this directly, we need to take each of the vectors in S and find their coordinate vectors with respect to S' . To find the coordinate vector of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ with respect to S' we need to find x, y such that $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = x \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$. So we are solving the linear system $x = 1, 2x - y = 0$ which has solution $x = 1, y = 2$. To find the coordinate vector of $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ we need to solve the linear system $x = 0, 2x - y = 1$ which has solution $x = 0, y = -1$. Putting the coordinate vectors in as the columns of P^{-1} we get that $P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$. As a check, you can verify that $PP^{-1} = I_2$. Coincidentally in this case it turns out that $P = P^{-1}$.

iii. Q from T' to T

To find Q we need to take the vectors in T' and find their coordinate vectors with respect to T . T is the standard basis so the coordinate vectors are the same as the original vectors and Q is the matrix whose columns are the vectors of T' , $Q = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$.

iv. Q^{-1} from T to T'

We can either invert the matrix Q from the previous part or compute this directly by finding the T' coordinate vector of each of the vectors in T . To find the coordinate vector of $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ with respect to T' we need to solve the system $x + y = 1, x + 2y = 0, y + 2z = 0$. The solution is $x = 2, y = -1, z = 1/2$ so the coordinate vector is $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$. To find the coordinate vector of $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ with respect to T' we need to solve the system $x + y = 0, x + 2y = 1, y + 2z = 0$. The solution is $x = -1, y = 1, z = -1/2$ so the coordinate vector is $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ -1/2 \end{bmatrix}$.

To find the coordinate vector of $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ with respect to T' we need to

solve the system $x + y = 0, x + 2y = 0, y + 2z = 1$. The solution is $x = 0, y = 0, z = 1/2$ so the coordinate vector is $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$. Putting these together we get that $Q^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1/2 & -1/2 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$. We can check that $QQ^{-1} = I_3$.

- (c) Let A be the representation of L with respect to S and T . Compute AP , $Q^{-1}A$, and $Q^{-1}AP$. How do these compare to the other representations you found?

$$AP = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 4 & -2 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Q^{-1}A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1/2 & -1/2 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ -1 & 3 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Q^{-1}AP = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1/2 & -1/2 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -6 & 4 \\ 5 & -3 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

These are the same as the other three representations we found.