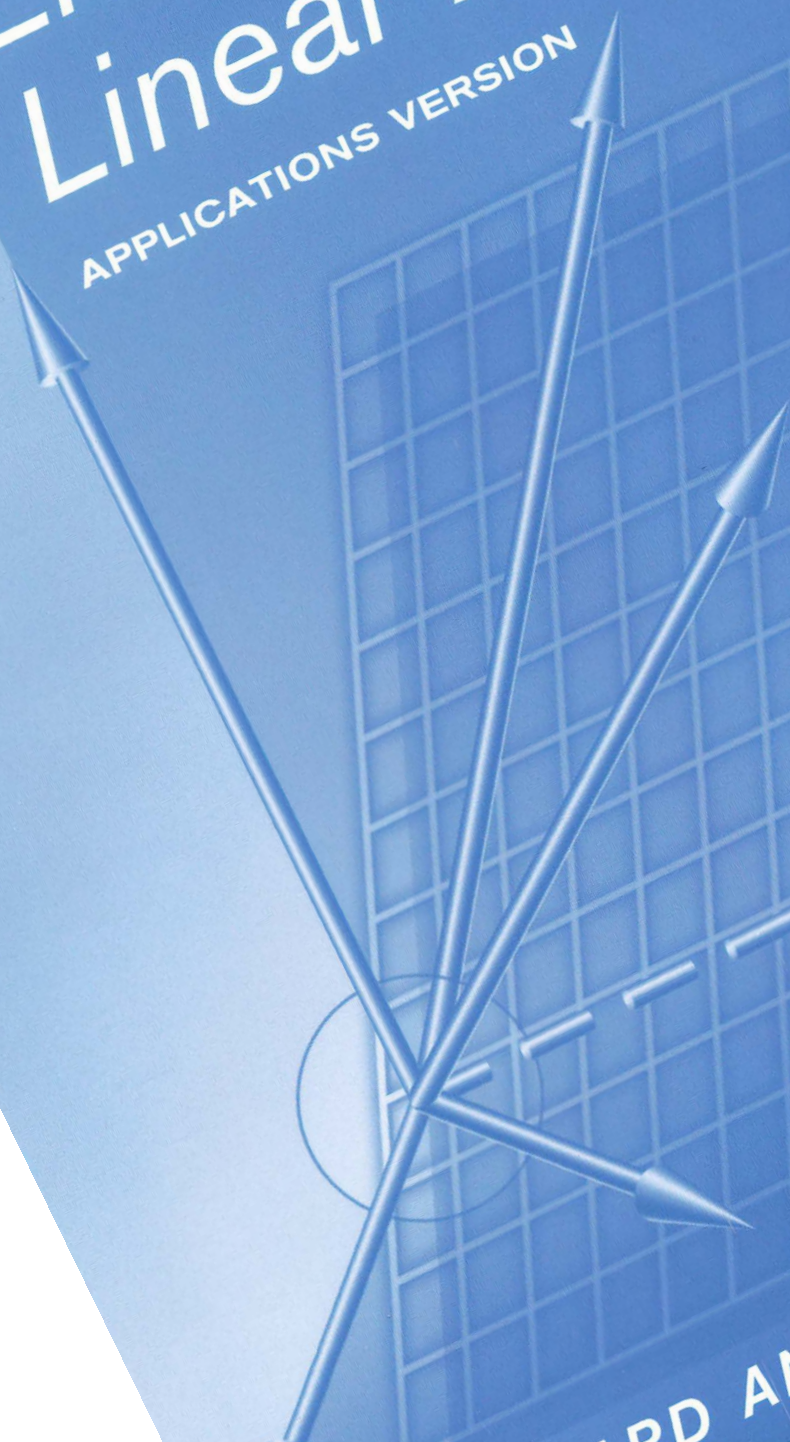


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$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & -3 & 4 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{7}{10} & \frac{1}{5} & \frac{1}{10} & 0 \\ 0 & -10 & 7 & -4 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Add 10 times the second row to the third.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & -3 & 4 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{7}{10} & \frac{1}{5} & \frac{1}{10} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -2 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Since there is a row of zeros on the left side,

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 3 & -4 \\ 2 & 4 & 1 \\ -4 & 2 & -9 \end{bmatrix} \text{ is not invertible.}$$

17. 
$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Add -1 times the first row to the third.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Add -1 times the second row to the third.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 & -1 & -1 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Multiply the third row by  $-\frac{1}{2}$ .

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right]$$

Add -1 times the third row to both the first and second rows.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right]^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

19. 
$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 2 & 6 & 6 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 7 & 6 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 7 & 7 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Multiply the first row by  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 3 & 3 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 7 & 6 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 7 & 7 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Add -2 times the first row to both the second and third rows.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 3 & 3 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Add -1 times the second row to the third.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 3 & 3 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Add -3 times the third row to the first.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 3 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 3 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Add -3 times the second row to the first.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{7}{2} & 0 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 2 & 6 & 6 \\ 2 & 7 & 6 \\ 2 & 7 & 7 \end{array} \right]^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{7}{2} & 0 & -3 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

21. 
$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|cccc} 2 & -4 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 12 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -4 & -5 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Interchange the first and second rows.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|cccc} 1 & 2 & 12 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -4 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -4 & -5 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Add -2 times the first row to the second.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|cccc} 1 & 2 & 12 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -8 & -24 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -4 & -5 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

Interchange the second and fourth rows.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|cccc} 1 & 2 & 12 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -4 & -5 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -8 & -24 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 9. \quad \begin{vmatrix} a-3 & 5 \\ -3 & a-2 \end{vmatrix} &= (a-3)(a-2) - (5)(-3) \\
 &= a^2 - 5a + 6 + 15 \\
 &= a^2 - 5a + 21
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 11. \quad \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 1 & 4 \\ 3 & 5 & -7 \\ 1 & 6 & 2 \end{vmatrix} &= \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 1 & 4 \\ 3 & 5 & -7 \\ 1 & 6 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 1 \\ 3 & 5 \end{vmatrix} \\
 &= [(-2)(5)(2) + (1)(-7)(1) + (4)(3)(6)] - [(4)(5)(1) + (-2)(-7)(6) + (1)(3)(2)] \\
 &= [-20 - 7 + 72] - [20 + 84 + 6] \\
 &= -65
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 13. \quad \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 5 \\ 1 & 9 & -4 \end{vmatrix} &= \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 5 \\ 1 & 9 & -4 \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} \\
 &= [(3)(-1)(-4) + (0)(5)(1) + (0)(2)(9)] - [0(-1)(1) + (3)(5)(9) + (0)(2)(-4)] \\
 &= 12 - 135 \\
 &= -123
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 15. \quad \det(A) &= (\lambda - 2)(\lambda + 4) - (-5) \\
 &= \lambda^2 + 2\lambda - 8 + 5 \\
 &= \lambda^2 + 2\lambda - 3 \\
 &= (\lambda - 1)(\lambda + 3) \\
 \det(A) &= 0 \text{ for } \lambda = 1 \text{ or } -3.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 17. \quad \det(A) &= (\lambda - 1)(\lambda + 1) - 0 = (\lambda - 1)(\lambda + 1) \\
 \det(A) &= 0 \text{ for } \lambda = 1 \text{ or } -1.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 19. \quad (a) \quad \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 5 \\ 1 & 9 & -4 \end{vmatrix} &= 3 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 5 \\ 9 & -4 \end{vmatrix} - 0 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 1 & -4 \end{vmatrix} + 0 \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 9 \end{vmatrix} \\
 &= 3(4 - 45) \\
 &= -123
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (b) \quad \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 5 \\ 1 & 9 & -4 \end{vmatrix} &= 3 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 5 \\ 9 & -4 \end{vmatrix} - 2 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 9 & -4 \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 5 \end{vmatrix} \\
 &= 3(4 - 45) - 2(0 - 0) + (0 - 0) \\
 &= -123
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (c) \quad \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 5 \\ 1 & 9 & -4 \end{vmatrix} &= -2 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 9 & -4 \end{vmatrix} + (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 1 & -4 \end{vmatrix} - 5 \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 1 & 9 \end{vmatrix} \\
 &= -2(0 - 0) - (-12 - 0) - 5(27 - 0) \\
 &= 12 - 135 \\
 &= -123
 \end{aligned}$$

$$(d) \left[ \begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & -1 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \text{ reduces to } \left[ \begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{3}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\text{so } P_{E \rightarrow B'} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{3}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} [w]_{B'} &= P_{E \rightarrow B'} [w]_E \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{3}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$9. (a) \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|cc} 3 & 1 & -1 & 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ -5 & -3 & 2 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right] \text{ reduces to}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|cc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 3 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -2 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 5 & 1 \end{array} \right] \text{ so}$$

$$P_{B \rightarrow B'} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & \frac{5}{2} \\ -2 & -3 & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 5 & 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$(b) \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 2 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \text{ reduces to}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{3}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{5}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 & 2 \end{array} \right] \text{ so}$$

$$P_{E \rightarrow B} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{5}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{2} \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ where } E \text{ is the}$$

standard basis for  $R^3$ .

$$\begin{aligned} [w]_B &= P_{E \rightarrow B} [w]_E \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{5}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{2} \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 8 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ -9 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} [w]_{B'} &= P_{B \rightarrow B'} [w]_B \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & \frac{5}{2} \\ -2 & -3 & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 5 & 1 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ -9 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{7}{2} \\ \frac{23}{2} \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$(c) \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 3 & 1 & -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -5 & -3 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \text{ reduces to}$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 \end{array} \right] \text{ so}$$

$$P_{E \rightarrow B'} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -1 & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} [w]_{B'} &= P_{E \rightarrow B'} [w]_E \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -1 & \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 8 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{7}{2} \\ \frac{23}{2} \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

11. (a) The span of  $f_1$  and  $f_2$  is the set of all linear combinations  $af_1 + bf_2 = a \sin x + b \cos x$  and this vector can be represented by  $(a, b)$ . Since  $g_1 = 2f_1 + f_2$  and  $g_2 = 3f_2$ , it is sufficient to compute  $\det \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = 6$ . Since this determinant is nonzero,  $g_1$  and  $g_2$  form a basis for  $V$ .

- (b) Since  $B$  can be represented as  $\{(1, 0), (0, 1)\}$

$$P_{B' \rightarrow B} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$(c) \left[ \begin{array}{cc|cc} 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \text{ reduces to } \left[ \begin{array}{cc|cc} 1 & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{1}{6} & \frac{1}{3} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\text{so } P_{B \rightarrow B'} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{6} & \frac{1}{3} \end{bmatrix}.$$

3. Since  $B$  is the standard basis for  $\mathbb{R}^2$ ,

$$[T]_B = \begin{bmatrix} \cos 45^\circ & -\sin 45^\circ \\ \sin 45^\circ & \cos 45^\circ \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix}. \text{ The}$$

matrices for  $P_{B \rightarrow B'}$  and  $P_{B' \leftrightarrow B}$  are the same as in Exercise 1, so

$$\begin{aligned} [T]_{B'} &= P_{B \rightarrow B'} [T]_B P_{B' \rightarrow B} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{4}{11} & \frac{3}{11} \\ -\frac{1}{11} & \frac{2}{11} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{13}{11\sqrt{2}} & -\frac{25}{11\sqrt{2}} \\ \frac{5}{11\sqrt{2}} & \frac{9}{11\sqrt{2}} \end{bmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

5.  $T(\mathbf{u}_1) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $T(\mathbf{u}_2) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $T(\mathbf{u}_3) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , so

$$[T]_B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

By inspection,  $\mathbf{v}_1 = \mathbf{u}_1$ ,  $\mathbf{v}_2 = \mathbf{u}_1 + \mathbf{u}_2$ , and  $\mathbf{v}_3 = \mathbf{u}_1 + \mathbf{u}_2 + \mathbf{u}_3$ , so the transition matrix from

$$B' \text{ to } B \text{ is } P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\text{Thus } P_{B \rightarrow B'} = P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and}$$

$$\begin{aligned} [T]_{B'} &= P_{B \rightarrow B'} [T]_B P_{B' \rightarrow B} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

7.  $T(\mathbf{p}_1) = 6 + 3(x+1) = 9 + 3x = \frac{2}{3}\mathbf{p}_1 + \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{p}_2$ , and

$$T(\mathbf{p}_2) = 10 + 2(x+1) = 12 + 2x = -\frac{2}{9}\mathbf{p}_1 + \frac{4}{3}\mathbf{p}_2,$$

$$\text{so } [T]_B = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{3} & -\frac{2}{9} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{4}{3} \end{bmatrix}.$$

$\mathbf{q}_1 = -\frac{2}{9}\mathbf{p}_1 + \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{p}_2$  and  $\mathbf{q}_2 = \frac{7}{9}\mathbf{p}_1 - \frac{1}{6}\mathbf{p}_2$ , so the transition matrix from  $B'$  to  $B$  is

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{2}{9} & \frac{7}{9} \\ \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{1}{6} \end{bmatrix}. \text{ Thus } P_{B \rightarrow B'} = P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{4} & \frac{7}{2} \\ \frac{3}{2} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{and } [T]_{B'} &= P_{B \rightarrow B'} [T]_B P_{B' \rightarrow B} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{4} & \frac{7}{2} \\ \frac{3}{2} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{3} & -\frac{2}{9} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{4}{3} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{2}{9} & \frac{7}{9} \\ \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{1}{6} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

11. (a) The matrix for  $T$  relative to the standard basis  $B$  is  $[T]_B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ . The eigenvalues of  $[T]_B$  are  $\lambda = 2$  and  $\lambda = 3$  with

corresponding eigenvectors  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$  and

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Then for  $P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ , we have

$$P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } P^{-1}[T]_B P = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Since  $P$  represents the transition matrix from the basis  $B'$  to the standard basis  $B$ , then

$B' = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$  is a basis for which

$[T]_{B'}$  is diagonal.

- (b) The matrix for  $T$  relative to the standard basis  $B$  is  $[T]_B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

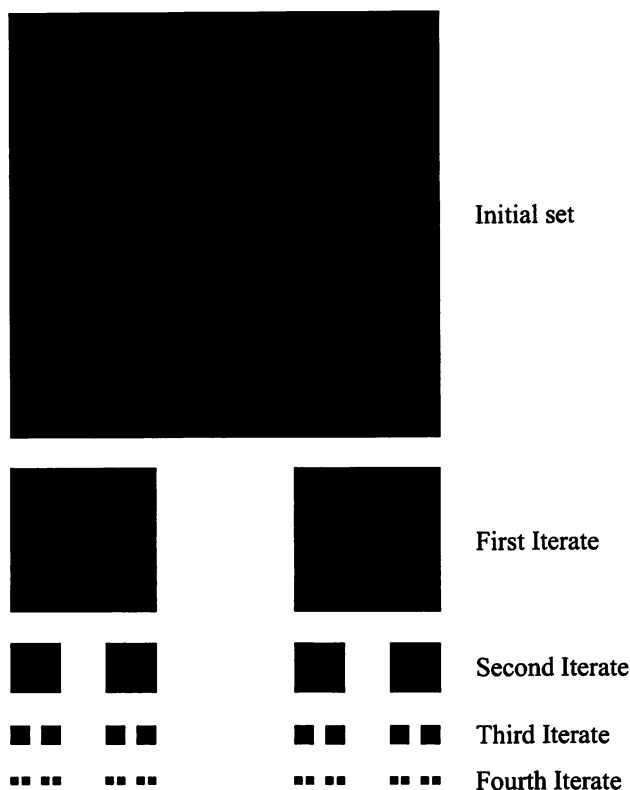
The eigenvalues of  $[T]_B$  are  $\lambda = \frac{5+\sqrt{21}}{2}$

and  $\lambda = \frac{5-\sqrt{21}}{2}$  with corresponding

eigenvectors  $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{-3-\sqrt{21}}{6} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\begin{bmatrix} \frac{-3+\sqrt{21}}{6} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

Then for  $P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-3-\sqrt{21}}{6} & \frac{-3+\sqrt{21}}{6} \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , we have

$$P^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{3}{\sqrt{21}} & \frac{-3+\sqrt{21}}{2\sqrt{21}} \\ \frac{3}{\sqrt{21}} & \frac{3+\sqrt{21}}{2\sqrt{21}} \end{bmatrix} \text{ and}$$



12. The area of the unit square  $S_0$  is, of course, 1. Each of the eight similitudes  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_8$  given in Equation (8) of the text has scale factor  $s = \frac{1}{3}$ , and so each maps the unit square onto a smaller square of area  $\frac{1}{9}$ . Because these eight smaller squares are nonoverlapping, their total area is  $\frac{8}{9}$ , which is then the area of the set  $S_1$ . By a similar argument, the area of the set  $S_2$  is  $\frac{8}{9}$ -th the area of the set  $S_1$ . Continuing the argument further, we find that the areas of  $S_0, S_1, S_2, S_3, S_4, \dots$ , form the geometric sequence  $1, \frac{8}{9}, \left(\frac{8}{9}\right)^2, \left(\frac{8}{9}\right)^3, \left(\frac{8}{9}\right)^4, \dots$  (Notice that this implies that the area of the Sierpinski carpet is 0, since the limit of  $\left(\frac{8}{9}\right)^n$  as  $n$  tends to infinity is 0.)

### Section 10.14

#### Exercise Set 10.14

- Because  $250 = 2 \cdot 5^3$  it follows from (i) that  $\Pi(250) = 3 \cdot 250 = 750$ .  
 Because  $25 = 5^2$  it follows from (ii) that  $\Pi(25) = 2 \cdot 25 = 50$ .  
 Because  $125 = 5^3$  it follows from (ii) that  $\Pi(125) = 2 \cdot 125 = 250$ .  
 Because  $30 = 6 \cdot 5$  it follows from (ii) that  $\Pi(30) = 2 \cdot 30 = 60$ .  
 Because  $10 = 2 \cdot 5$  it follows from (i) that  $\Pi(10) = 3 \cdot 10 = 30$ .