Math 2600/5600 - Linear Algebra - Fall 2015

Extra Problems for Chapter 2

X7. Describe the action of the linear transformations L_A for the following matrices. For example, if $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ you should say: we have $L_A \in L(\mathbf{R}^3, \mathbf{R}^2)$ with $L_A(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3, 4x_1 + 5x_2 + 6x_3)$.

(a)
$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ -1 & -7 \end{bmatrix}$$
. (b) $B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 7 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$. (c) $C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -5 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 17 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$.

X8. A number of geometric transformations in \mathbf{R}^2 or \mathbf{R}^3 are known to be linear transformations. By using their effect on the standard basis vectors, find the standard matrices of the following linear transformations.

- (a) $F_1: \mathbf{R}^2 \to \mathbf{R}^2$ which reflects points in the *x*-axis (line y = 0).
- (b) $F_2: \mathbf{R}^2 \to \mathbf{R}^2$ which reflects points in the line y = -x.
- (c) $R_{2\pi/3}: \mathbf{R}^2 \to \mathbf{R}^2$ which rotates points $2\pi/3$ around the origin (angles measured anticlockwise).
- (d) $S_3^{-1}: \mathbf{R}^2 \to \mathbf{R}^2$ which shears points parallel to the *y*-axis, so that every point (x, y) is moved 3x units upwards.
- (e) $F_3: \mathbf{R}^3 \to \mathbf{R}^3$ which reflects points in the plane y = 0.
- (f) $P : \mathbf{R}^3 \to \mathbf{R}^3$ which rotates points around the x axis by 90° clockwise (as we look back from infinity in the x direction).
- (g) $T : \mathbf{R}^3 \to \mathbf{R}^3$ which stretches vectors by factors of 2 in the x direction, 3 in the y direction, and 5 in the z direction (so that (1, 1, 1), for example, maps to (2, 3, 5)).

X9. Find the standard matrices of the following linear transformations.

- (a) $T: \mathbf{R}^3 \to \mathbf{R}^4$ by $T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3, 4x_1 + 7x_3, 9x_2, -6x_1 + x_2 x_3).$
- (b) $S : \mathbf{R}^5 \to \mathbf{R}^2$ by $S(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4, x_5) = (x_1 + x_3 + x_5, x_2 + x_4).$
- (c) $R : \mathbf{R}^3 \to \mathbf{R}^3$ by R(a, b, c) = (9c a, 7b c, 2b 3a).

X10. In each case you are given the coordinate vector $[v]_B$ of a vector v relative to the ordered basis B of vector space V; find v.

(a)
$$[v]_B = (7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2), B = \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$
 in $\mathbf{R}^{3 \times 2}$.

- (b) $[v]_B = (5, 2, 1, 7), B = (x^3, 1, x, x^2)$ in $P_3(\mathbf{R})$.
- (c) $[v]_B = (3, 1, 4, 8), B = (\sin, \cos, \exp, \log)$ in the subspace $V = \operatorname{span} B$ of $C((0, \infty))$, continuous real functions defined on the positive numbers.
- (d) $[v]_B = (5, 6, 7, 8), B$ is the reordering (e_3, e_2, e_4, e_1) of the standard basis of \mathbf{R}^4 .

(e)
$$[v]_B = (9, 8, 6, 4), B = \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right)$$
 in $\mathbf{R}^{2 \times 2}$.

X11. In each case find the coordinate vector $[v]_B$ of the given vector v relative to the ordered basis B of vector space V.

(a) v = (1, 2, 3, 4), *B* is the standard basis of $V = \mathbf{R}^4$. (b) v = (5, 6, 7, 8), *B* is the reordering (e_3, e_2, e_4, e_1) of the standard basis of $V = \mathbf{R}^4$. (c) $v = 2 + x^3$, *B* is the standard basis $(1, x, x^2, ..., x^6)$ of $V = P_6(\mathbf{R})$. (d) $v = 3 + 4x + x^4$, *B* is the ordered basis $(1, x - 1, x^2 - x, x^3 - x^2, x^4 - x^3)$ of $V = P_4(\mathbf{R})$. (e) $v = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -3 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$, *B* is the ordered basis $\begin{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ of $V = \mathbf{R}^{2 \times 2}$.