

6. By Fact 2.2.1,  $\text{proj}_L \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \left( \vec{u} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) \vec{u}$ , where  $\vec{u}$  is a unit vector on  $L$ . To get  $\vec{u}$ , we

normalize  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ :

$$\vec{u} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ so that } \text{proj}_L \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{5}{3} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{10}{9} \\ \frac{5}{9} \\ \frac{10}{9} \end{bmatrix}.$$

5. From Definition 2.2.2, we can see that this is a reflection about the line  $x_1 = -x_2$ .

16. a. See Figure 2.20.

b. By Fact 2.1.2, the matrix of  $T$  is  $[T(\vec{e}_1) \ T(\vec{e}_2)]$ .

$T(\vec{e}_2)$  is the unit vector in the fourth quadrant perpendicular to  $T(\vec{e}_1) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(2\theta) \\ \sin(2\theta) \end{bmatrix}$ , so that

$$T(\vec{e}_2) = \begin{bmatrix} \sin(2\theta) \\ -\cos(2\theta) \end{bmatrix}. \text{ The matrix of } T \text{ is therefore } \begin{bmatrix} \cos(2\theta) & \sin(2\theta) \\ \sin(2\theta) & -\cos(2\theta) \end{bmatrix}.$$

Alternatively, we can use the result of Exercise 13, with  $\begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta \\ \sin \theta \end{bmatrix}$  to find the matrix

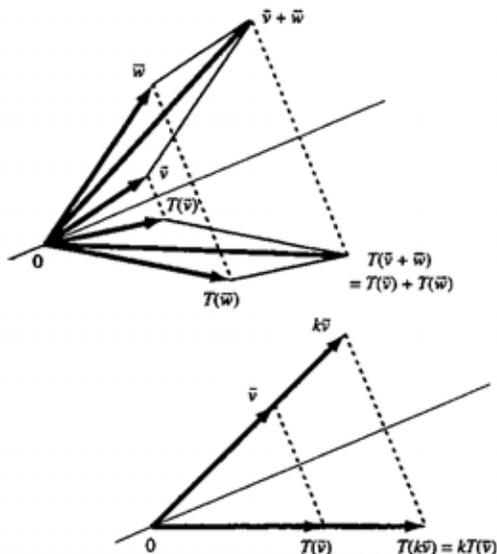


Figure 2.20: for Problem 2.2.16a.

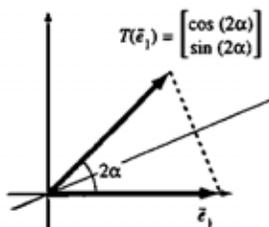


Figure 2.21: for Problem 2.2.16b.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \cos^2 \theta - 1 & 2 \cos \theta \sin \theta \\ 2 \cos \theta \sin \theta & 2 \sin^2 \theta - 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

You can use trigonometric identities to show that the two results agree.

30. Write  $A = [\vec{v}_1 \ \vec{v}_2]$ ; then  $A\vec{x} = [\vec{v}_1 \ \vec{v}_2] \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = x_1\vec{v}_1 + x_2\vec{v}_2$ . We must choose  $\vec{v}_1$  and  $\vec{v}_2$  in such a way that  $x_1\vec{v}_1 + x_2\vec{v}_2$  is a scalar multiple of the vector  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ , for all  $x_1$  and  $x_2$ . This is the case if (and only if) both  $\vec{v}_1$  and  $\vec{v}_2$  are scalar multiples of  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ .

For example, choose  $\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ , so that  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .

31. Keep in mind that the columns of the matrix of a linear transformation  $T$  from  $\mathbb{R}^3$  to  $\mathbb{R}^3$  are  $T(\vec{e}_1)$ ,  $T(\vec{e}_2)$ , and  $T(\vec{e}_3)$ .

If  $T$  is the orthogonal projection onto a line  $L$ , then  $T(\vec{x})$  will be on  $L$  for all  $\vec{x}$  in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ ; in particular, the three columns of the matrix of  $T$  will be on  $L$ , and therefore pairwise parallel. This is the case only for matrix  $B$ :  $B$  represents an orthogonal projection onto a line.

A reflection transforms orthogonal vectors into orthogonal vectors; therefore, the three columns of its matrix must be pairwise orthogonal. This is the case only for matrix  $E$ :  $E$  represents the reflection about a line.

2. Write  $T \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ax_1 + bx_2 \\ cx_1 + dx_2 \end{bmatrix}$ .

a.  $f(t) = \left( T \begin{bmatrix} \cos t \\ \sin t \end{bmatrix} \right) \cdot \left( T \begin{bmatrix} -\sin t \\ \cos t \end{bmatrix} \right) = \begin{bmatrix} a \cos t + b \sin t \\ c \cos t + d \sin t \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} -a \sin t + b \cos t \\ -c \sin t + d \cos t \end{bmatrix}$   
 $= (a \cos t + b \sin t)(-a \sin t + b \cos t) + (c \cos t + d \sin t)(-c \sin t + d \cos t)$

This function  $f(t)$  is continuous, since  $\cos(t)$ ,  $\sin(t)$ , and constant functions are continuous, and sums and products of continuous functions are continuous.

b.  $f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = T \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot T \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = -\left( T \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot T \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right)$ , since  $T$  is linear.

$f(0) = T \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot T \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = T \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot T \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . The claim follows.

- c. By part (b), the numbers  $f(0)$  and  $f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$  have different signs (one is positive and the other negative), or they are both zero. Since  $f(t)$  is continuous, by part (a), we can apply the intermediate value theorem. (See Figure 2.33.)

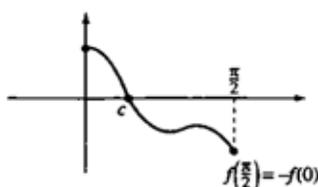


Figure 2.33: for Problem 2.2.47c.

- d. Note that  $\begin{bmatrix} \cos(t) \\ \sin(t) \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\begin{bmatrix} -\sin(t) \\ \cos(t) \end{bmatrix}$  are perpendicular unit vectors, for any  $t$ . If we set

$\vec{v}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(c) \\ \sin(c) \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\vec{v}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -\sin(c) \\ \cos(c) \end{bmatrix}$ , with the number  $c$  we found in part (c), then  $f(c) = T(\vec{v}_1) \cdot T(\vec{v}_2) = 0$ , so that  $T(\vec{v}_1)$  and  $T(\vec{v}_2)$  are perpendicular, as claimed. Note that  $T(\vec{v}_1)$  or  $T(\vec{v}_2)$  may be zero.

50. Use the hint: Since the vectors on the unit circle are of the form  $\vec{v} = \cos(t)\vec{v}_1 + \sin(t)\vec{v}_2$ , the image of the unit circle consists of the vectors of the form  $T(\vec{v}) = T(\cos(t)\vec{v}_1 + \sin(t)\vec{v}_2) = \cos(t)T(\vec{v}_1) + \sin(t)T(\vec{v}_2)$ .

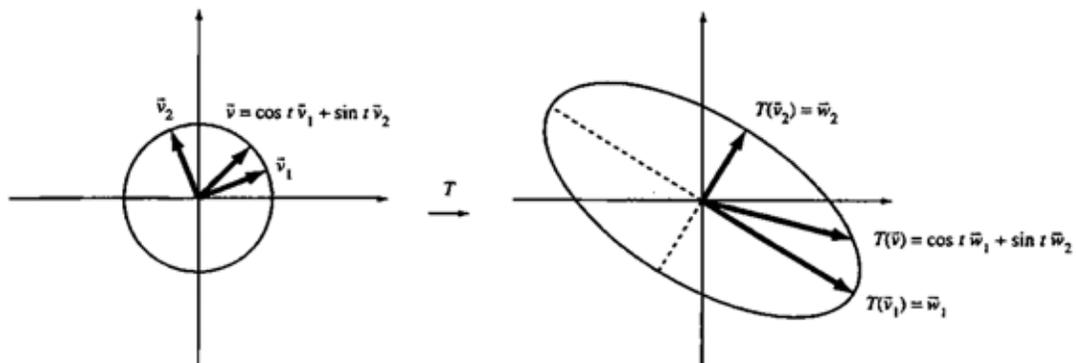


Figure 2.37: for Problem 2.2.50.

These vectors form an ellipse: Consider the characterization of an ellipse given in the footnote, with  $\vec{w}_1 = T(\vec{v}_1)$  and  $\vec{w}_2 = T(\vec{v}_2)$ . The key point is that  $T(\vec{v}_1)$  and  $T(\vec{v}_2)$  are perpendicular.