

# **Introduction to Linear Algebra**

# Matrices and Matrix Operations

A matrix is a **rectangular collection** of numbers

# Matrices and Matrix Operations

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & -3 \\ 11 & \pi & 12 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 0.1 & 0.9 & 0.3 \\ 0.4 & 0.5 & 0.6 \\ 0.7 & 0.7 & 0.9 \end{bmatrix}$$



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An **element** of a matrix is denoted by  $a_{rc}$  which corresponds the element of matrix  $a$  in the  $r^{th}$  row and  $c^{th}$  column

# Matrices and Matrix Operations

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \end{bmatrix}$$

# Matrices and Matrix Operations

Matrices are also generally used to represent **systems of linear equations** for example:



# Matrices and Matrix Operations

$$4x + 2y = 12$$

$$3x - 2y = 8$$

# Matrices and Matrix Operations

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 3 & -28 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 12 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

how this works will be explained later

# Matrix Addition

$$A + B = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} + b_{11} & a_{12} + b_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} + b_{1n} \\ a_{21} + b_{21} & a_{22} + b_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} + b_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} + b_{m1} & a_{m2} + b_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} + b_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$

# Matrix Addition

To get each element  $(A + B)_{ij}$ , you simply **add the corresponding elements**,  $a_{11} + b_{11}$

# Matrix Addition

$$A + x = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} + x & a_{12} + x & \dots & a_{1n} + x \\ a_{21} + x & a_{22} + x & \dots & a_{2n} + x \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} + x & a_{m2} + x & \dots & a_{mn} + x \end{bmatrix}$$

# Matrix Multiplication

- **Matrix times matrix** multiplication works differently, let say  $A$  is an  $m \times k$  matrix and  $B$  is a  $k \times n$  matrix
- Their **cross product**  $C = A \times B$  defined to be the matrix with each element:

# Matrix Multiplication

$$c_{ij} = a_{i1}b_{1j} + a_{i2}b_{2j} + \cdots + a_{ik}b_{kj}$$



# Matrix Multiplication

$$A \times B = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{i1} & a_{i2} & \dots & a_{in} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} & \dots & b_{1j} & \dots & b_{1n} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} & \dots & b_{2j} & \dots & b_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \\ b_{m1} & b_{m2} & \dots & b_{mj} & \dots & b_{mn} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} & \dots & c_{1n} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} & \dots & c_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & c_{ij} & \vdots \\ c_{m1} & c_{m2} & \dots & c_{mn} \end{bmatrix}$$

# Matrix Multiplication

**Scalar times matrix** multiplication works similar to scalar plus matrix addition:

$$Ax = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}x & a_{12}x & \dots & a_{1n}x \\ a_{21}x & a_{22}x & \dots & a_{2n}x \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{m1}x & a_{m2}x & \dots & a_{mn}x \end{bmatrix}$$

# Identity Matrix

The **identity matrix**  $I_n$  of order  $n$  is a special  $n \times n$  (square) matrix such that its elements  $\iota_{ij} = 1$  if  $i = j$  otherwise  $\iota_{ij} = 0$

# Identity Matrix

$$I = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

This matrix is special because, for any  $m \times n$  matrix  $A$ ,

$$AI_n = I_mA = A$$

# Identity Matrix

**Powers of square matrices** can be defined such that:

# Identity Matrix

$$A^0 = I_n$$

$$A^r = A \times A \times \cdots \times A$$

# Transpose of a Matrix

- The elements of  $A^T$ ,  $t_{ij} = a_{ji}$
- Therefore the transpose of a matrix is the same matrix but the rows and columns are **interchanged**.

# Transpose of a Matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & -3 \\ 11 & \pi & 12 \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 11 \\ 2 & \pi \\ -3 & 12 \end{bmatrix}$$



# Transpose of a Matrix

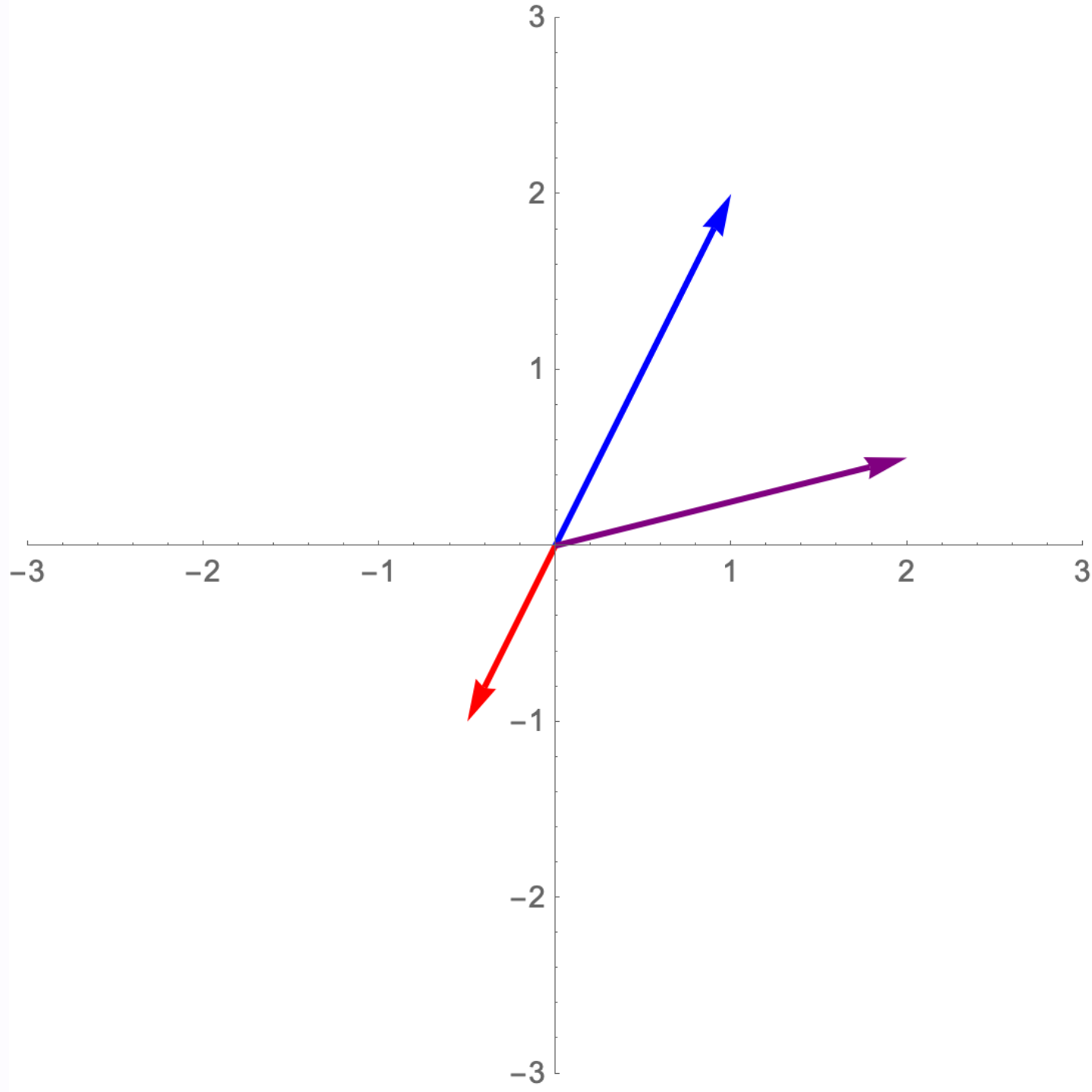
A, square matrix  $A$  is said to be **symmetric** if  $A^T = A$

# Vectors

The foundation of linear algebra is the concept of a  
**vector**

# Vectors

For a physics student, a vector is defined by **direction**  
and **magnitude**:



**Vectors**

# Vectors

For a computer science student, a vector is just an  
**ordered collection of numbers**

# Vectors

$$\vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Vectors

- A vector in a CS students point of view can be thought of as a **coordinate list** specifying the destination of an arrow
- In this case the vector  $\vec{v}$  can be thought of as the **arrow** pointing from the origin,  $(0, 0, 0)$  to the point  $(1, 3, 2)$ .

To differentiate vectors and coordinates, vectors are written as single-column matrices while coordinates are written as ordered tuples.

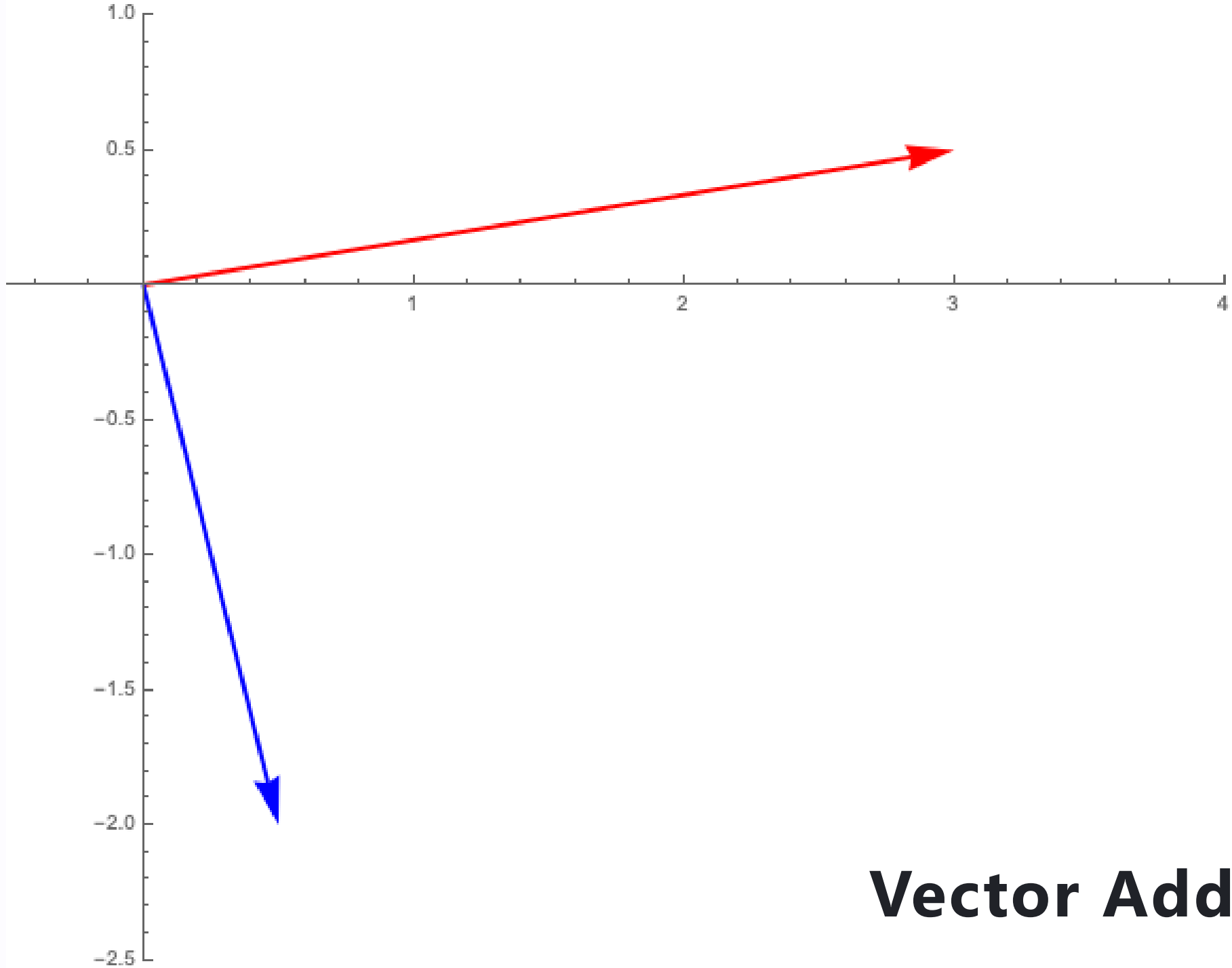


# Vector Addition

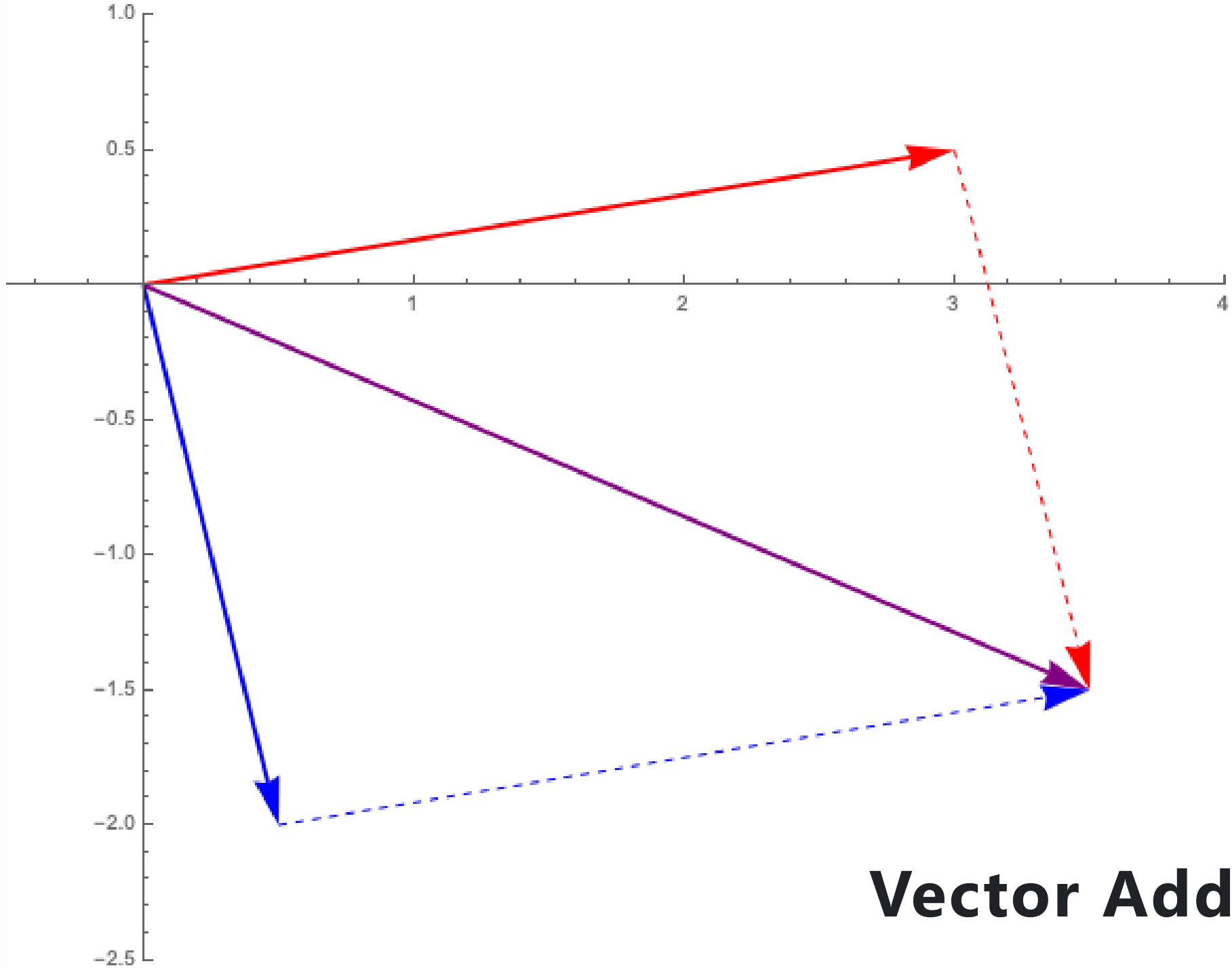
Vectors can be added to each other which also **add** their corresponding arrows.

# Vector Addition

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0.5 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3.5 \\ -1.5 \end{bmatrix}$$



**Vector Addition**



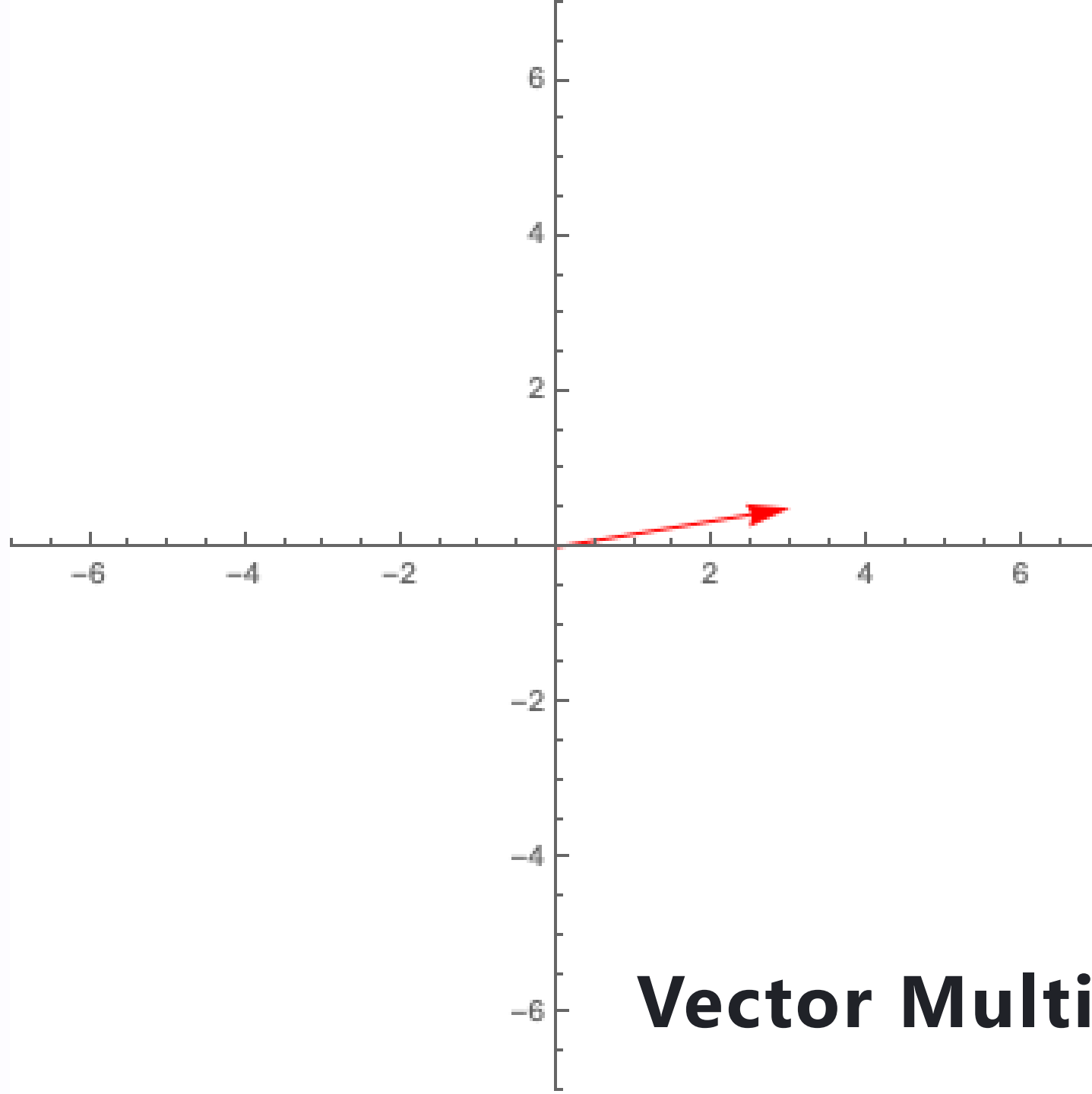
**Vector Addition**

# Vector Multiplication

Vectors can also be multiplied with **scalar** values which will scale their corresponding arrows

# Vector Multiplication

$$\vec{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0.5 \end{bmatrix}$$



**Vector Multiplication**

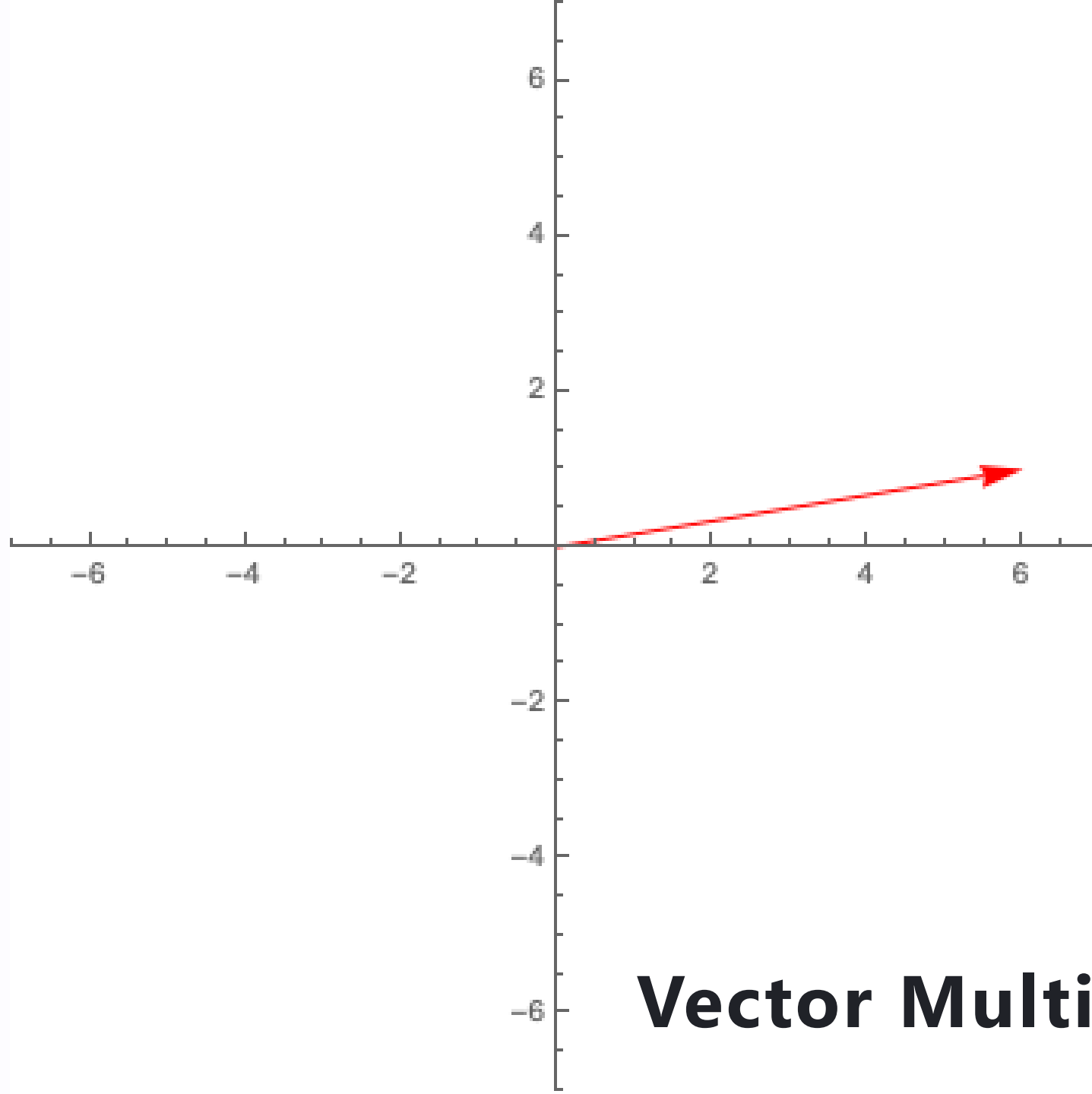
# Vector Multiplication

The vector **scaled** by a factor of **2**:



# Vector Multiplication

$$2\vec{v} = 2 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0.5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



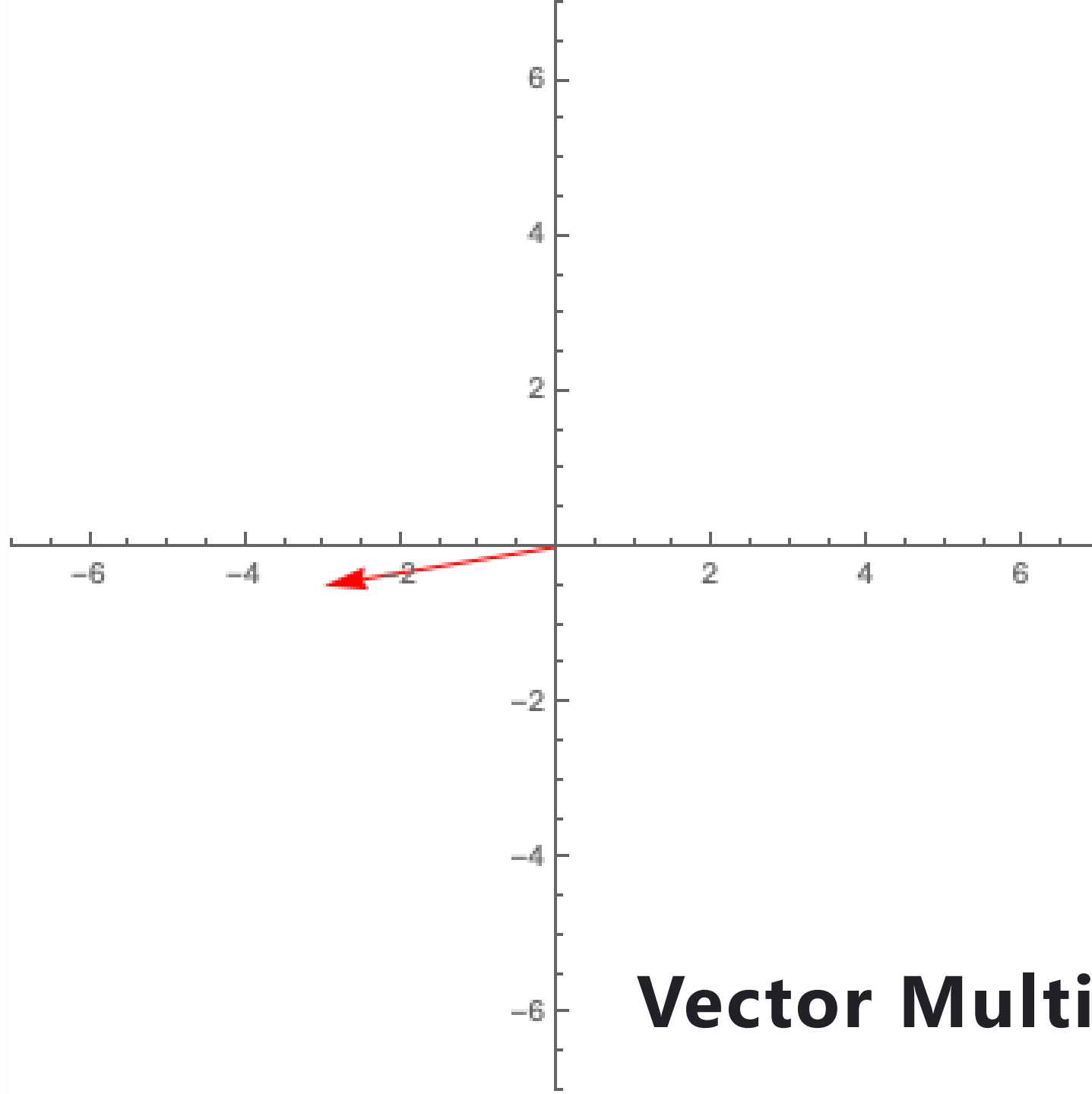
**Vector Multiplication**

# Vector Multiplication

Scaled by a factor of  $-1$ .

# Vector Multiplication

$$-1\vec{v} = -1 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0.5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3 \\ -.5 \end{bmatrix}$$



**Vector Multiplication**

Scalars are called scalars because they **scale** the vectors.

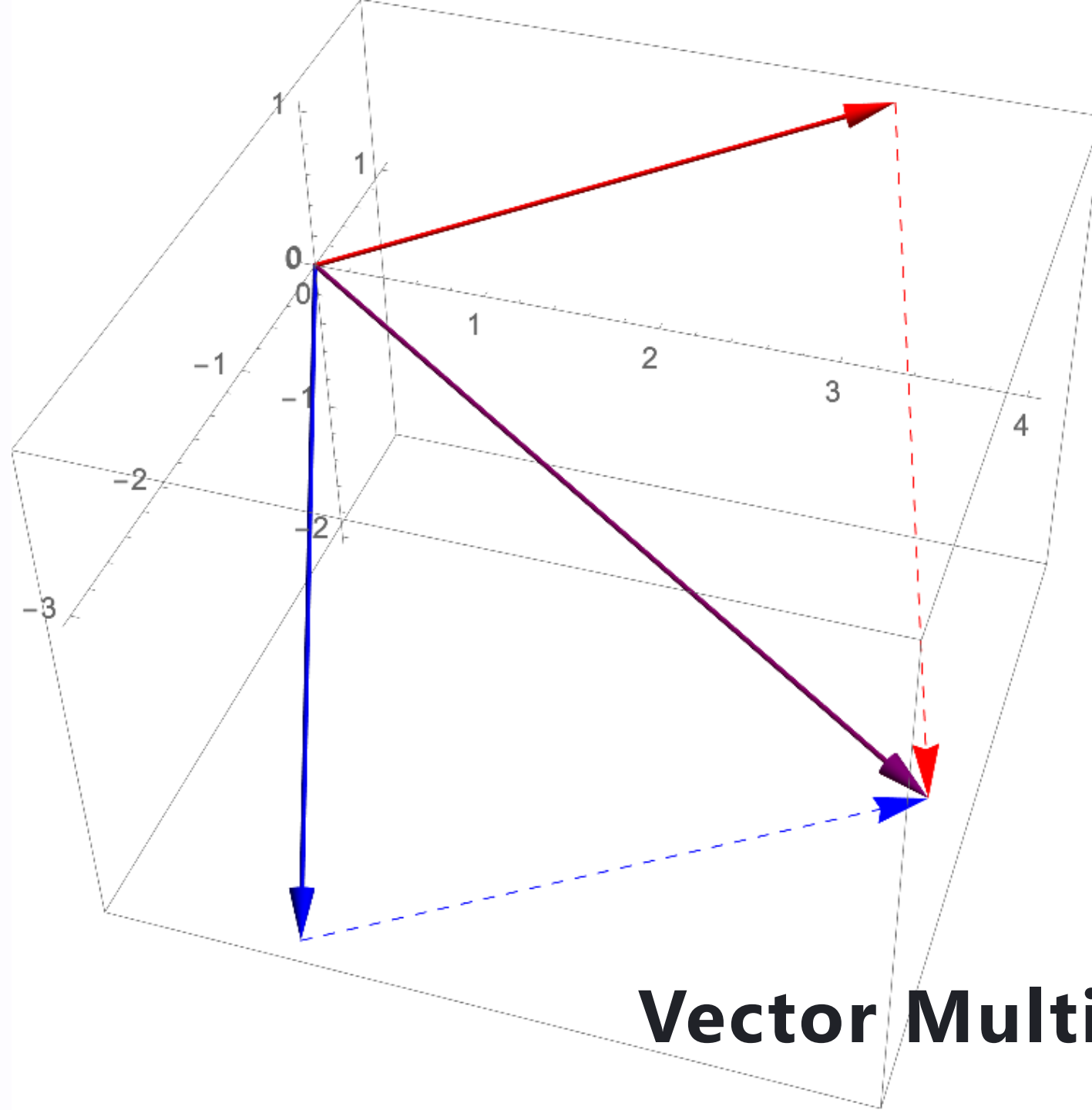
# Vector Multiplication

These operations also work on **3 dimensional vectors**

# Vector Multiplication

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$





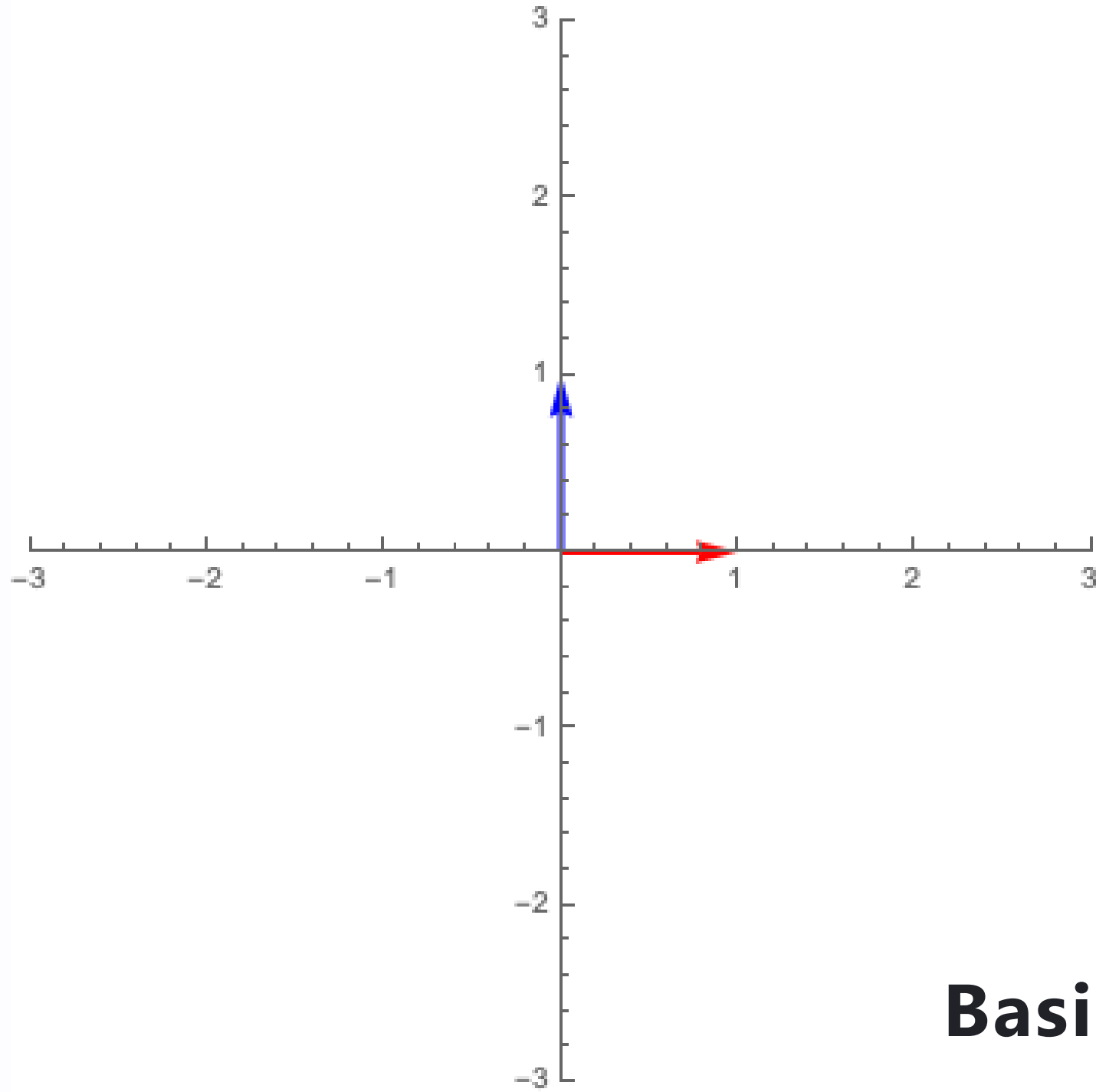
**Vector Multiplication**

# Basis Vectors

- To generalize vectors and vector operations, linear algebra makes use of **basis vectors** which are unit vectors along the  $x$  and  $y$  axis of a Cartesian plane
- We call these vectors,  $\hat{i}$  and  $\hat{j}$  respectively

# Basis Vectors

$$\hat{i} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \hat{j} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix},$$



**Basis Vectors**

# Basis Vectors

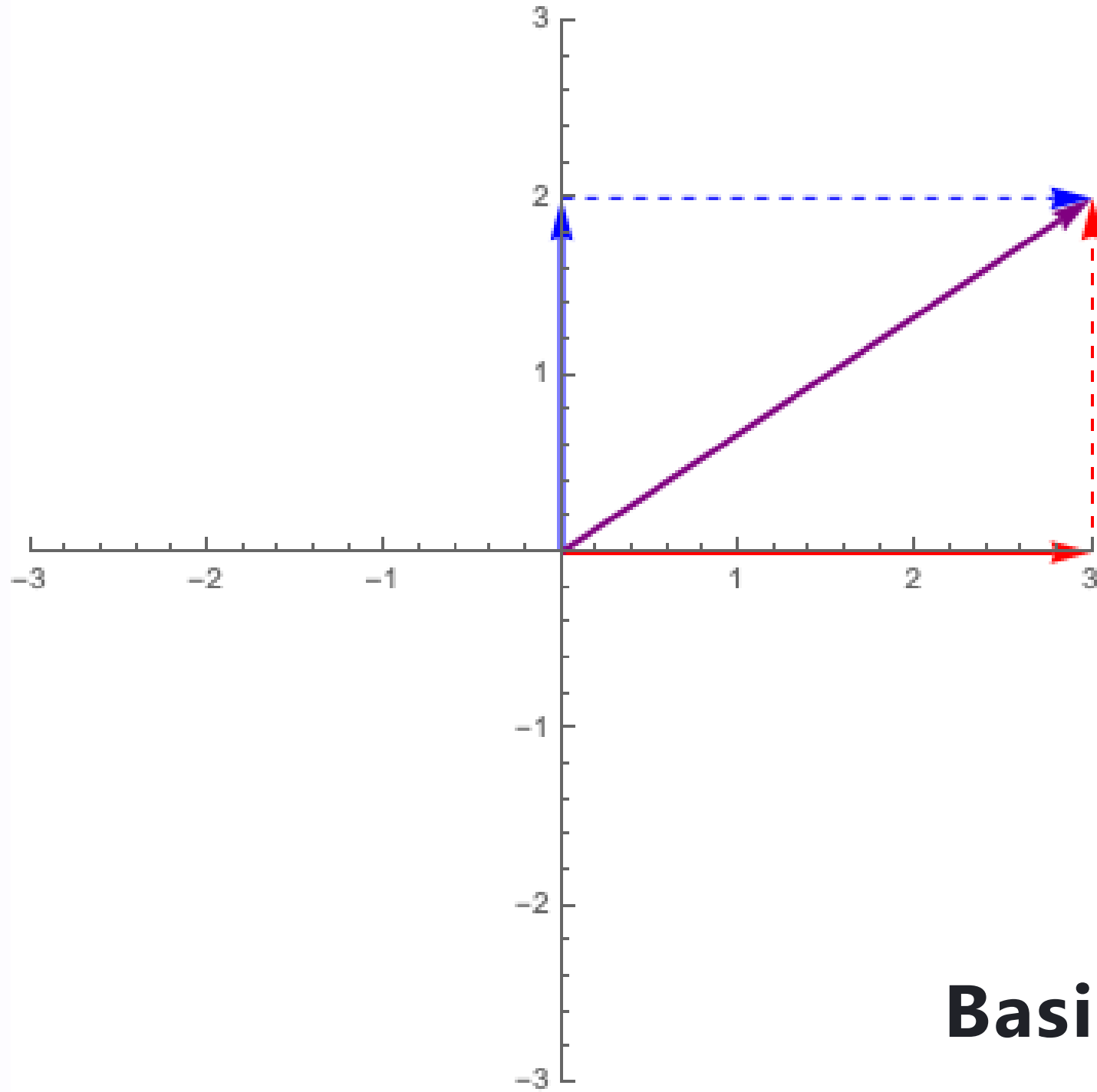
Basis vectors are special because you can **define** new vectors based on the definitions of the basis

# Basis Vectors

$$\vec{v} = 3\hat{i} + 2\hat{j}$$

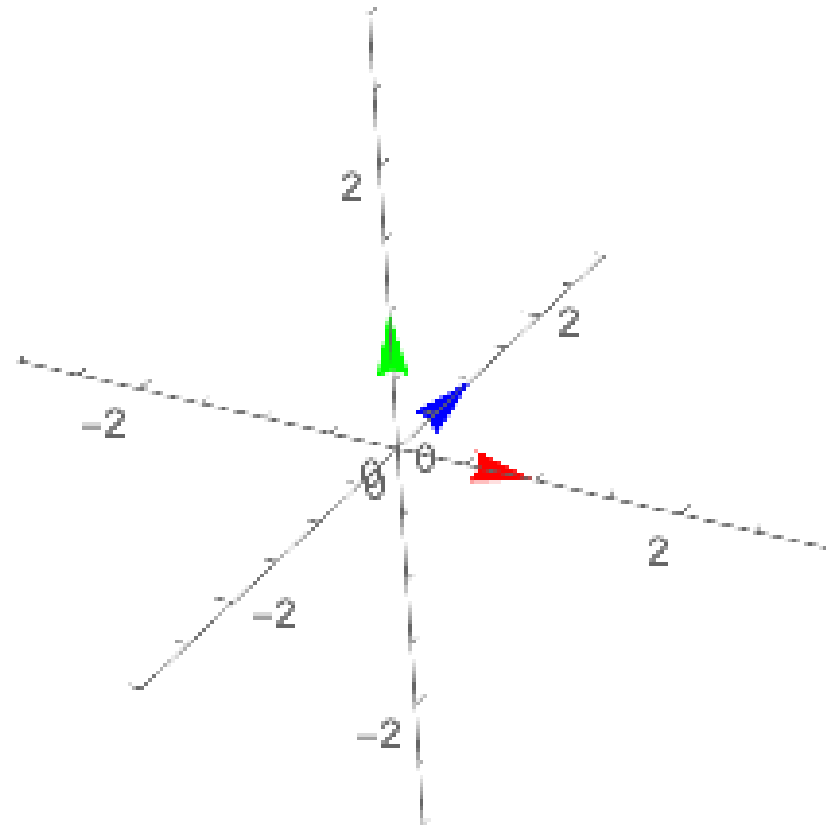
# Basis Vectors

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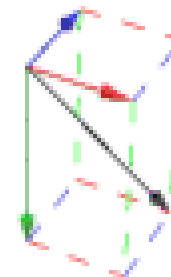
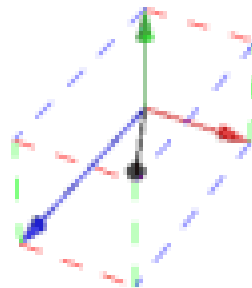
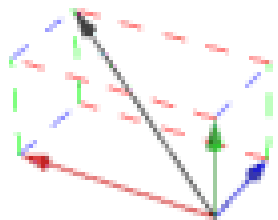


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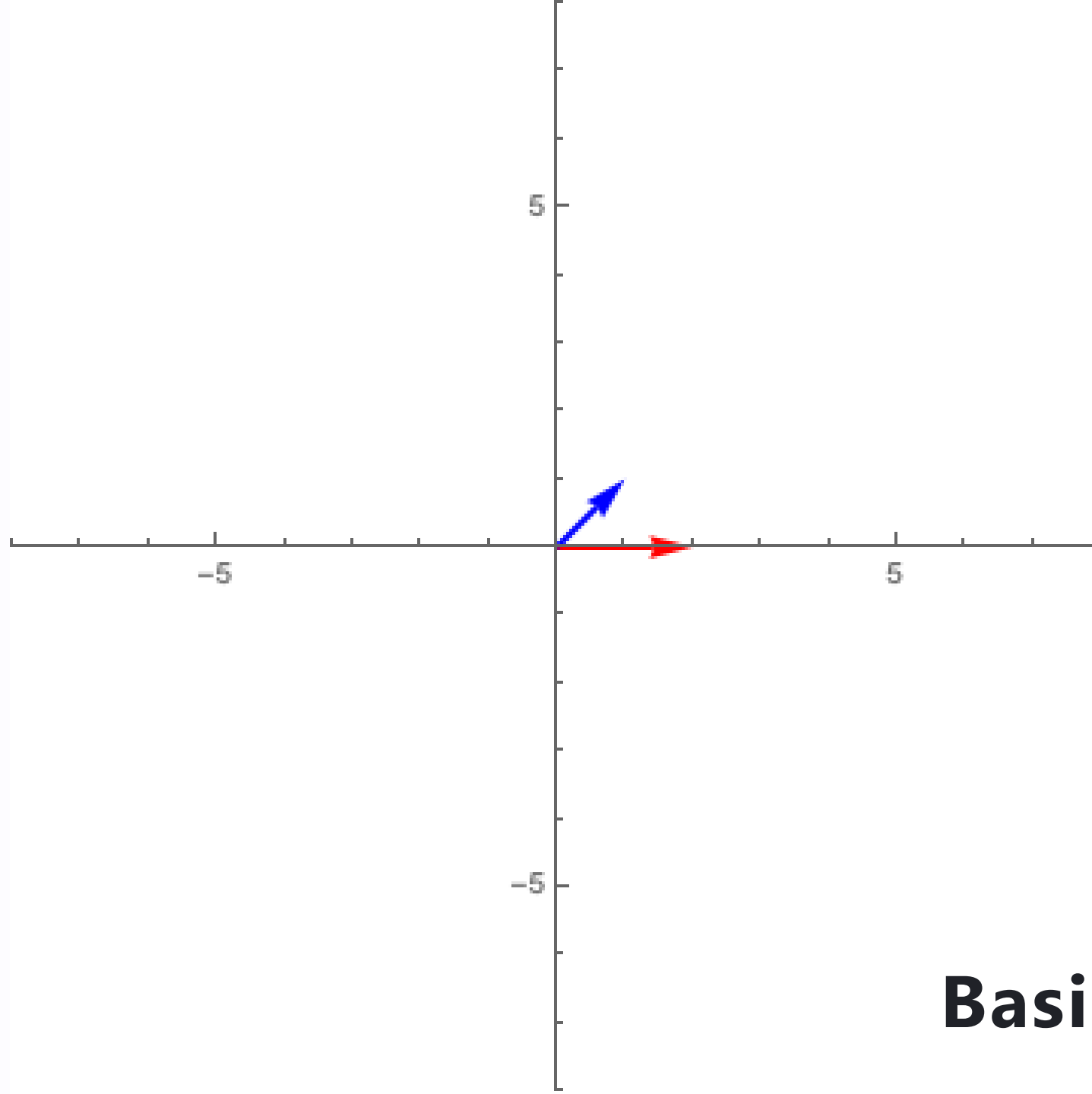
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# Basis Vectors

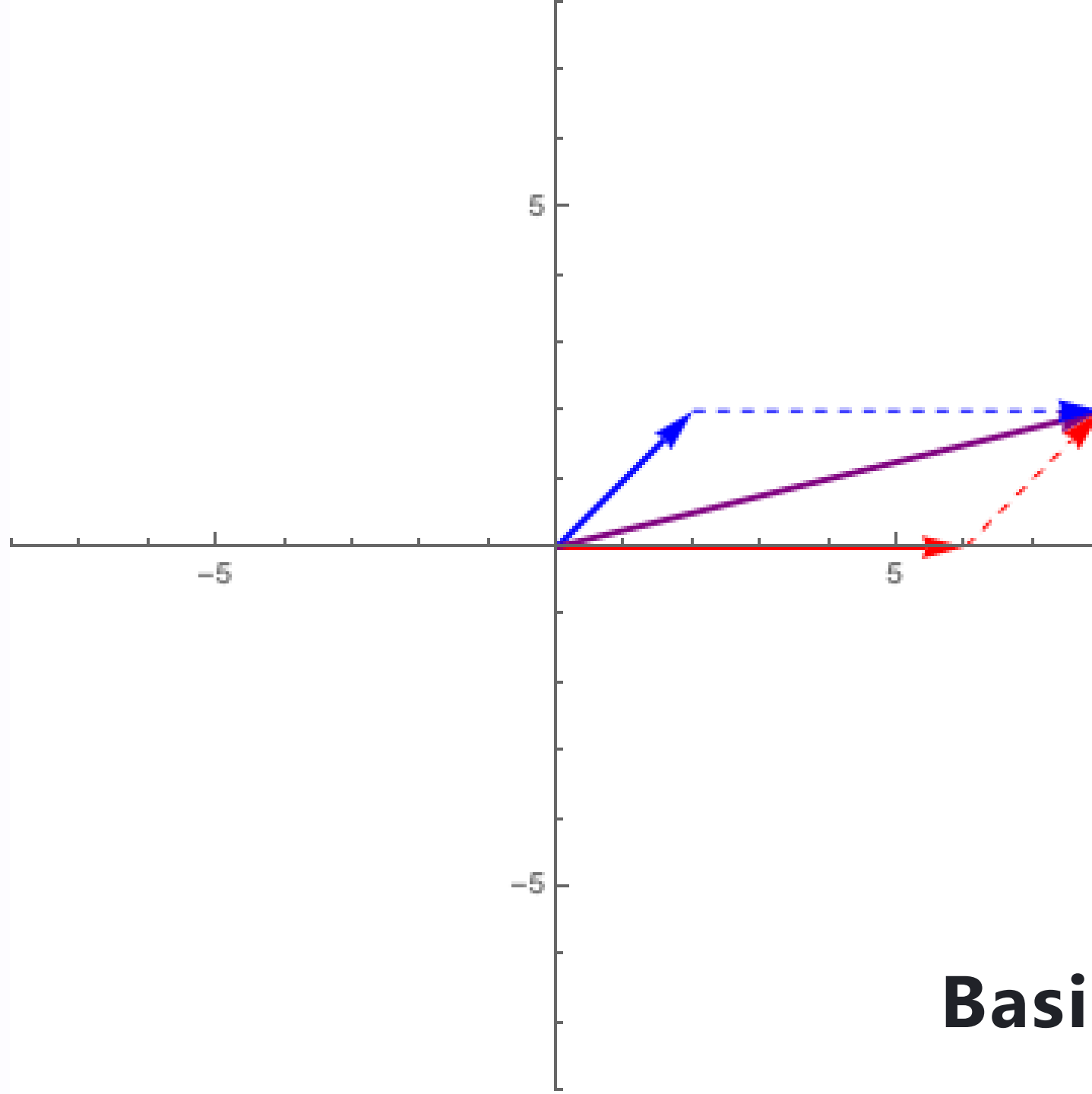
$$\vec{u} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{w} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



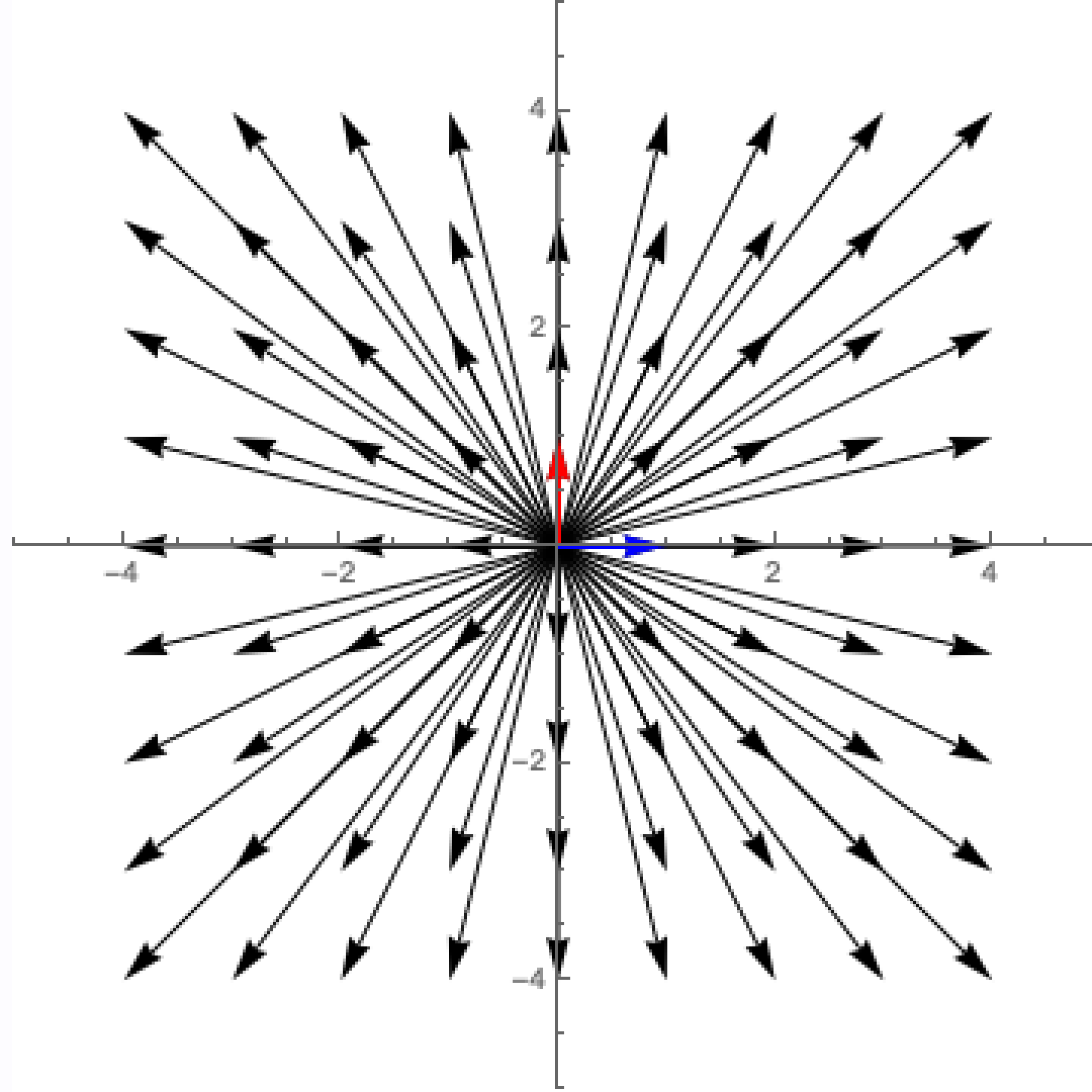
**Basis Vectors**

# Basis Vectors

$$\vec{v} = 3 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$



**Basis Vectors**



**Span**

# Span

For the set of vectors  $\{\hat{i}, \hat{j}\}$  , you can generate **all** of the possible vectors in the 2 dimensional vector space .

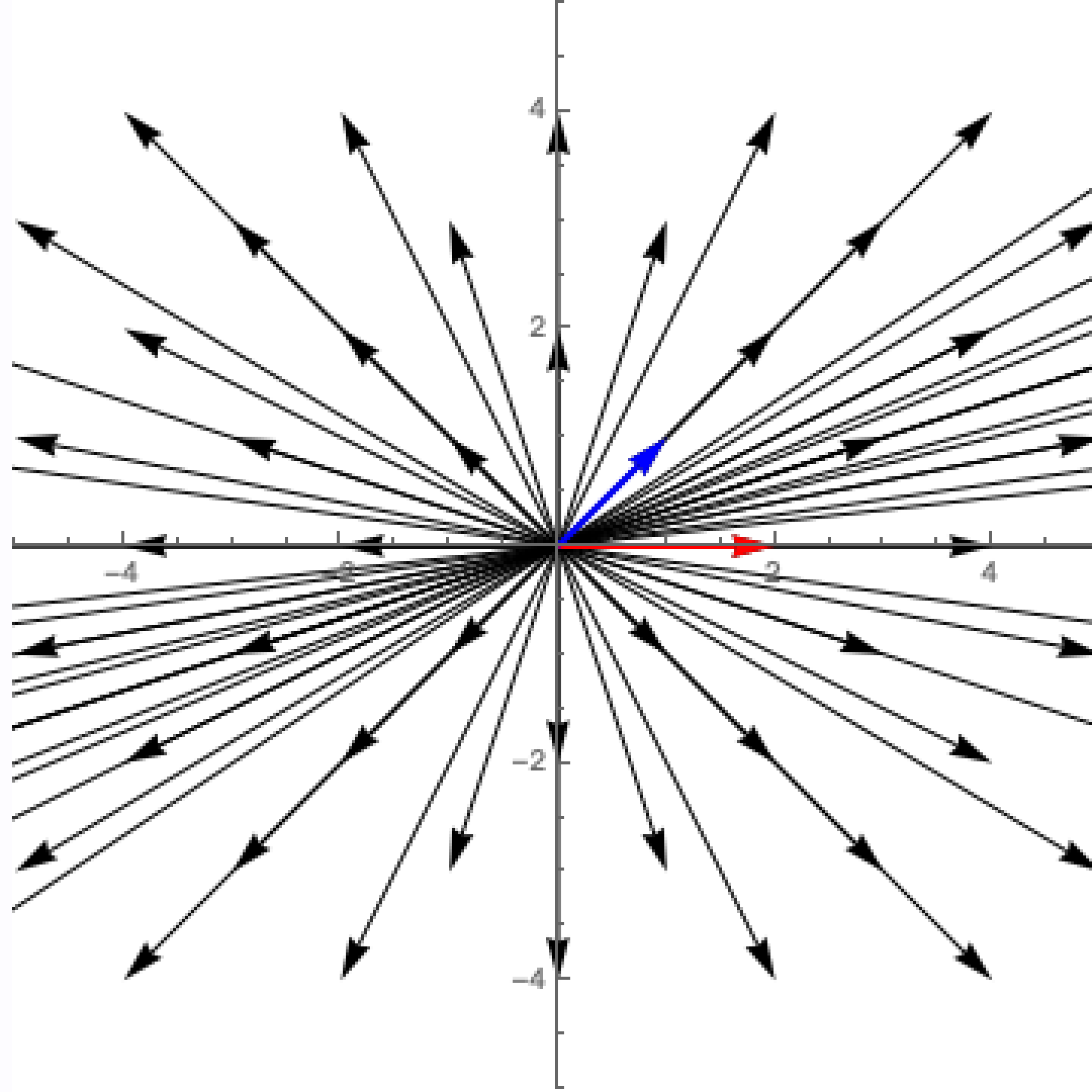


# Span

You can also generate **all** of the possible vectors in the 2-dimensional vector space using the basis vectors:

# Span

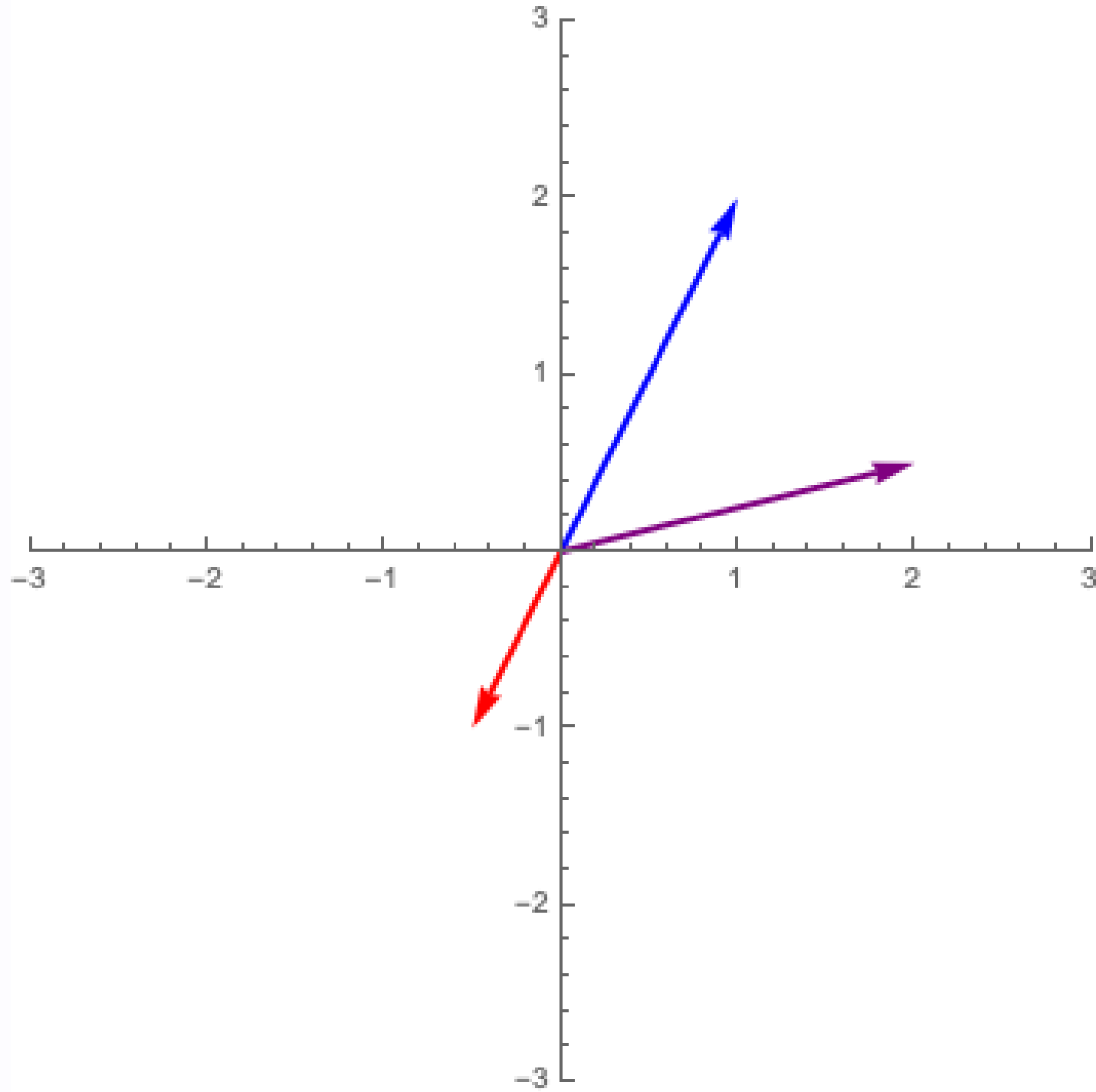
$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$



**Span**

# Span

$$\{\vec{r} = \begin{bmatrix} -0.5 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}\}$$



**Span**

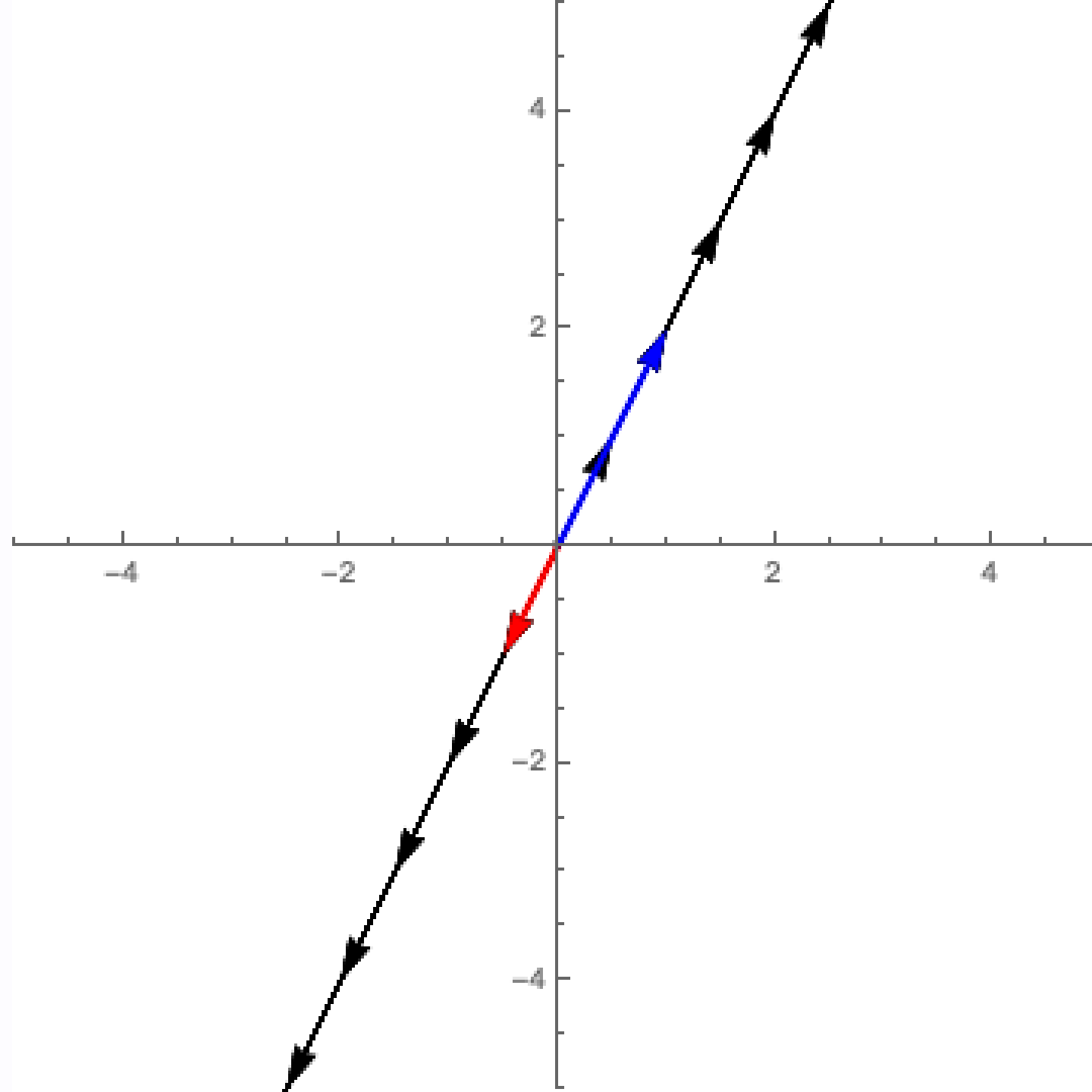
# Span

- You **can't** generate the purple vector since one of the basis vectors you are using is **redundant**
- It is redundant in the sense that the  $\vec{r}$  is just a **scaled version** on of  $\vec{b}$  and vice versa

# Span

$$\vec{r} = -0.5\vec{b}$$

$$\vec{b} = -2\vec{r}$$

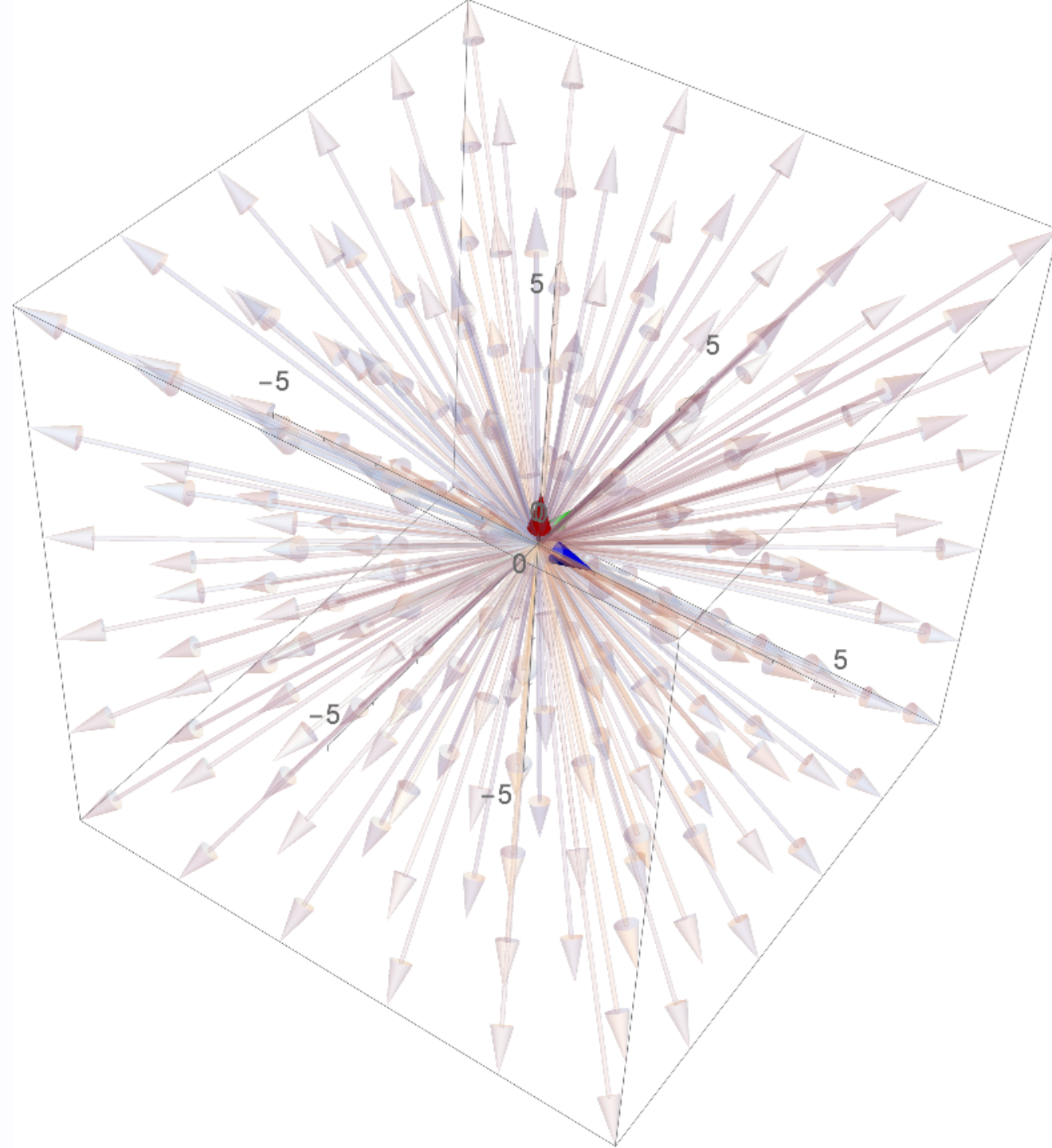


**Span**



# Span

- We call  $\vec{r}$  and  $\vec{b}$  and any set of vectors that has some kind of redundancy as **linearly dependent**
- The basis vectors defined earlier,  $\{\hat{i}, \hat{j}\}$  , and  $\{\vec{u}, \vec{w}\}$  as **linearly independent**.

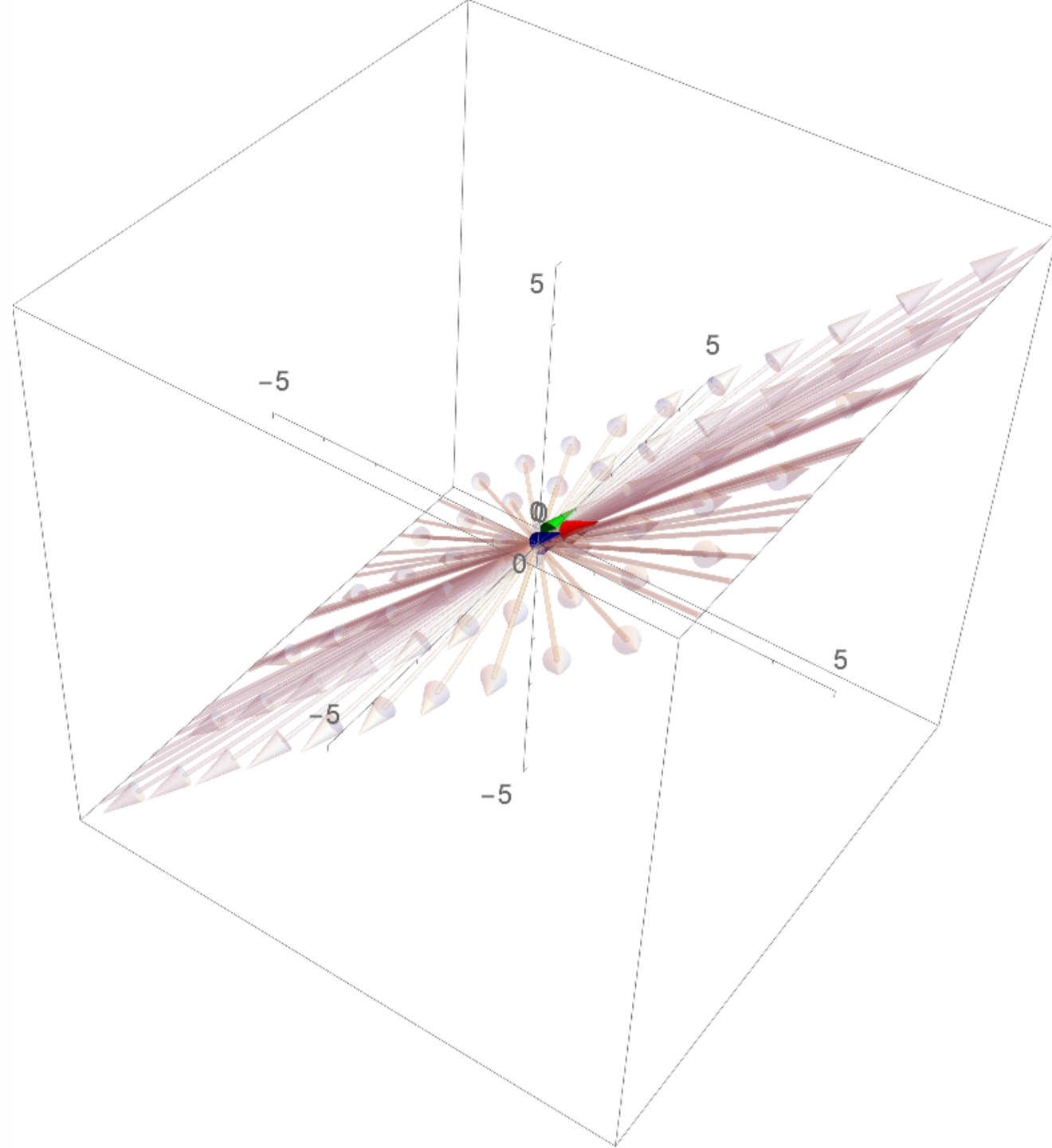


**Span**

# Span

Linear dependence in three dimensions can result to spans that describe a **plane**:

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 \\ 0.5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

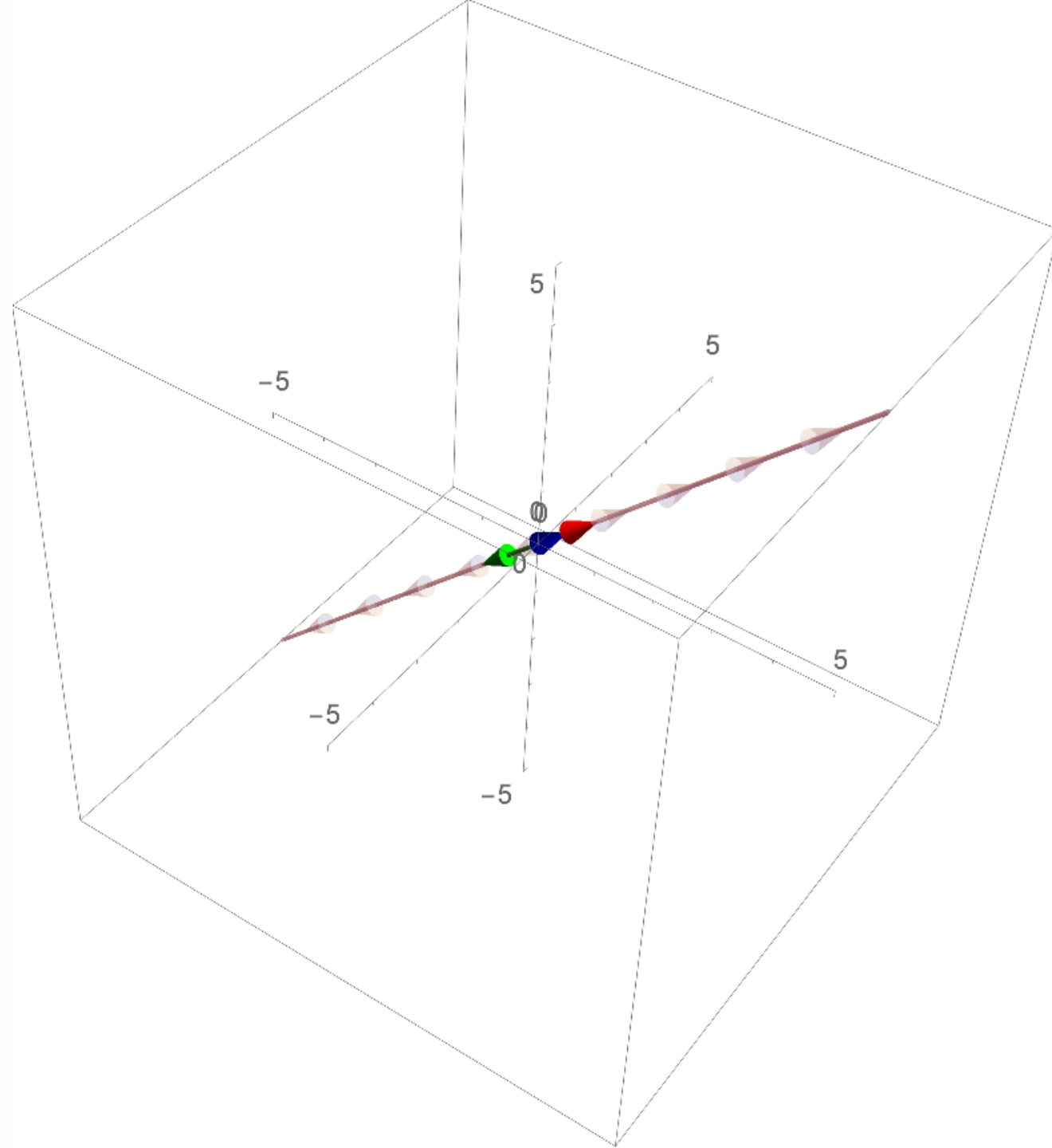


**Span**

# Span

And spans that describe a **line**:

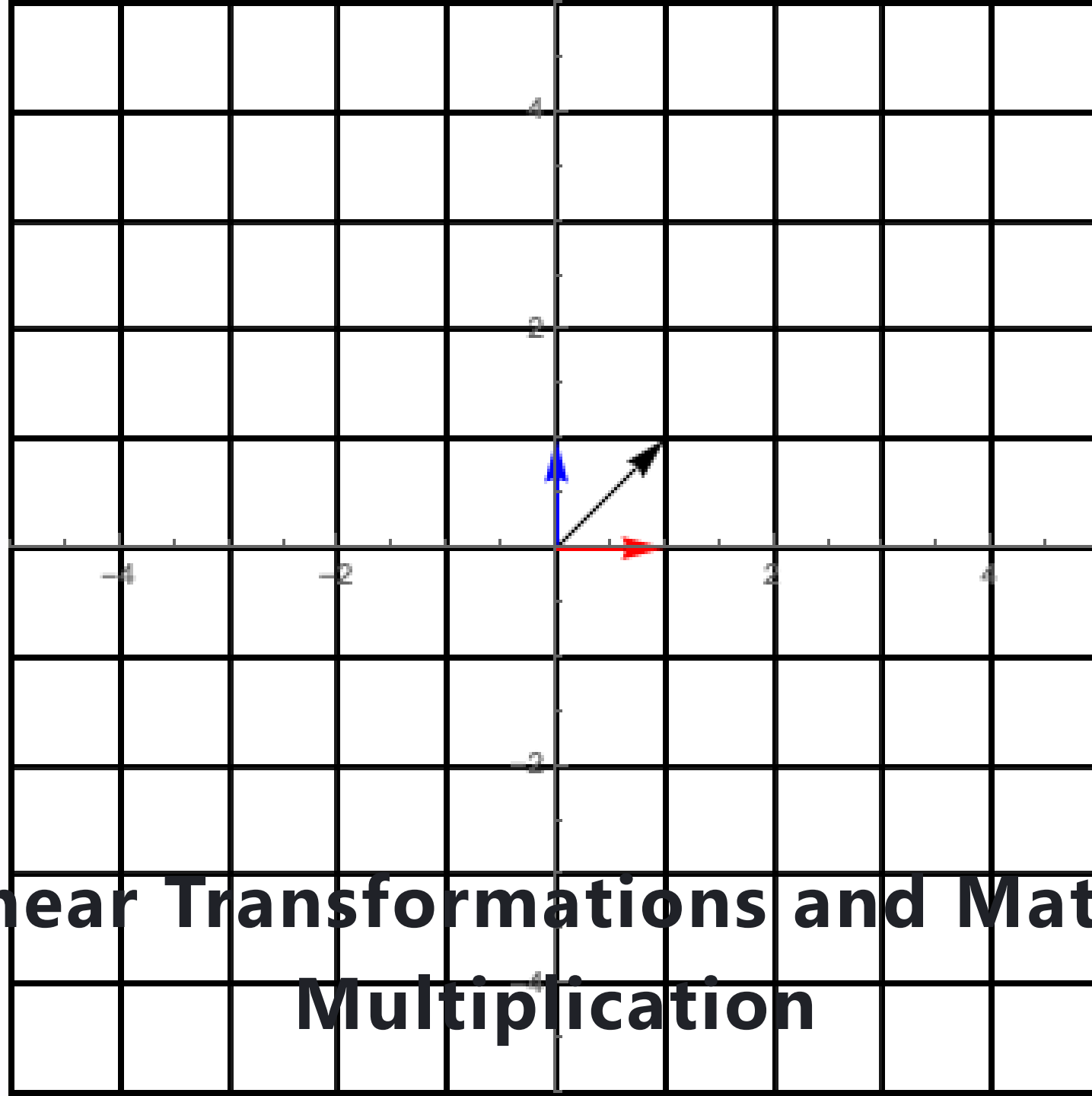
$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 \\ 0.5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$



**Span**

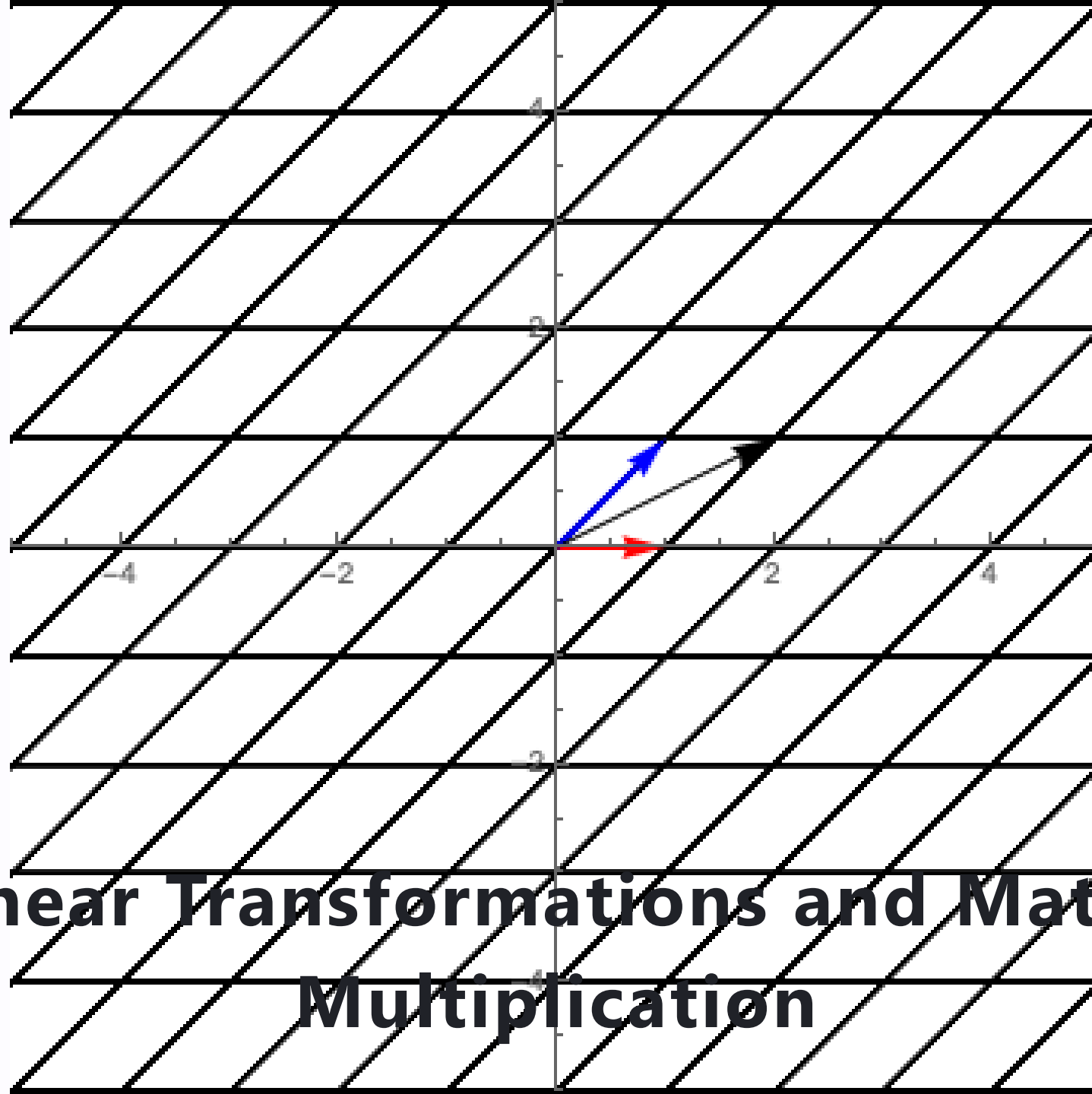
# Linear Transformations and Matrix Multiplication

- A **transformation** is basically a function that converts one vector to another vector
- For example the transformation  $f$  can be defined as  $f(\vec{x}) = 3\vec{x}$
- You can think of a transformation visually as the **distortion** of the entire vector space



# Linear Transformations and Matrix Multiplication





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# Linear Transformations

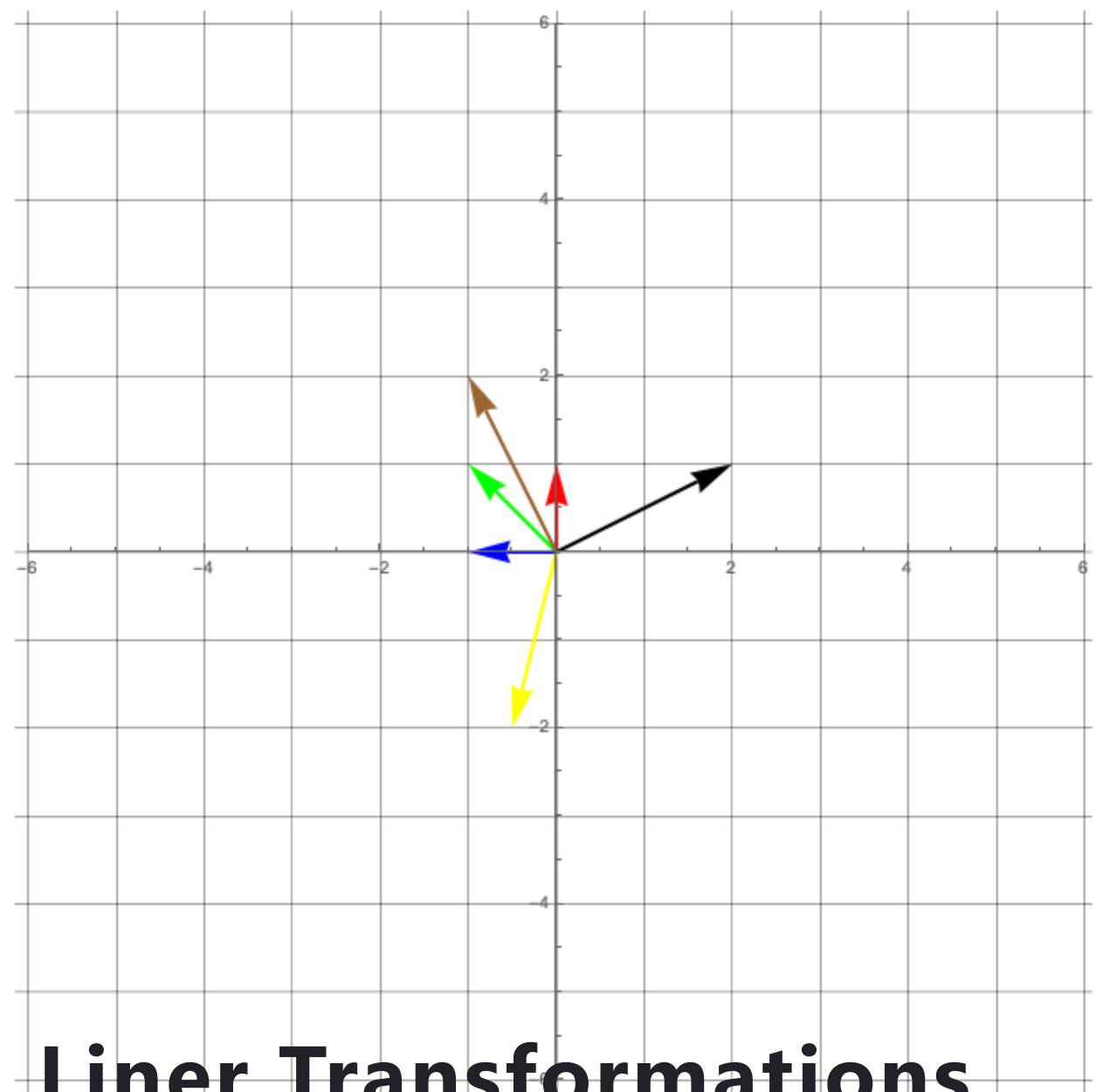
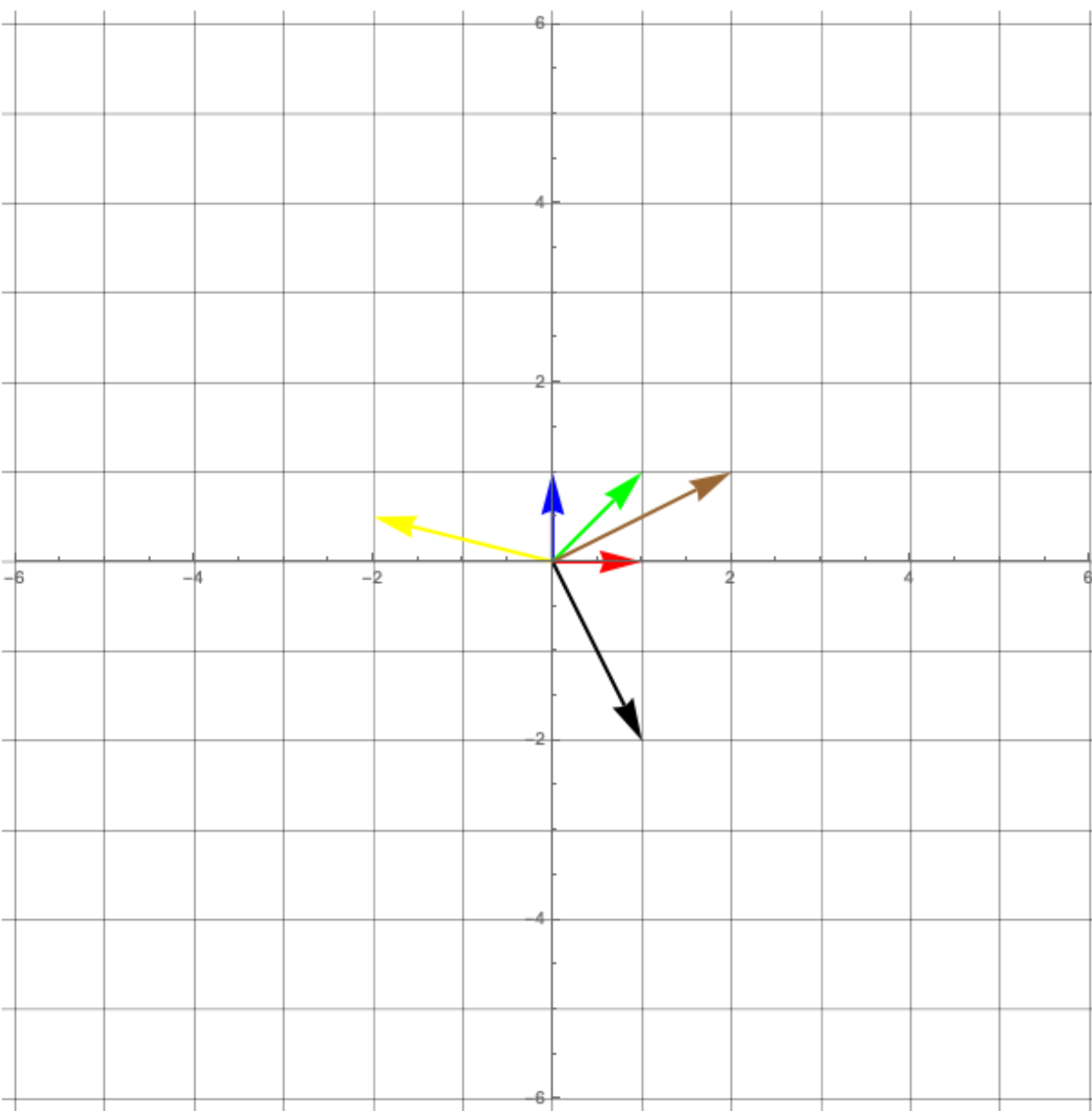
**Linear Transformations** are special transformations where the distortion of the vector space follows these rules:

# Linear Transformations

1. The origin should not move
2. Parallel lines stay parallel
3. Straight lines stay straight

# Linear Transformations

It turns out all transformations that satisfy the above rules can be perfectly described by watching how the **basis vectors** are transformed



**Liner Transformations**

# Linear Transformations

- new  $\hat{i}$  (red vector) :  $\hat{i}' = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$
- new  $\hat{j}$  (blue vector):  $\hat{j}' = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$
- Green vector:  $1 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + 1 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

# Linear Transformations

- Brown vector:  $2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + 1 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$
- Yellow vector:  $-2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + 0.5 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -0.5 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$

# Linear Transformations

- Black vector:  $1 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + -2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$



# Linear Transformations

- All of the other vector values after the transformation is basically **scaled versions** of the new basis vectors in the same way that the pretransformed vector values are combinations of the original basis vectors
- This means that any 2-dimensional linear transformation can be represented by 4 numbers, which we can write as a **matrix**, where each column corresponds to a basis vector

# Linear Transformations

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Linear Transformations

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$$

# Linear Transformation and Matrix Multiplication

$$x \begin{bmatrix} a \\ c \end{bmatrix} + y \begin{bmatrix} b \\ d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ax + by \\ cx + dy \end{bmatrix}$$

# Linear Transformation and Matrix Multiplication

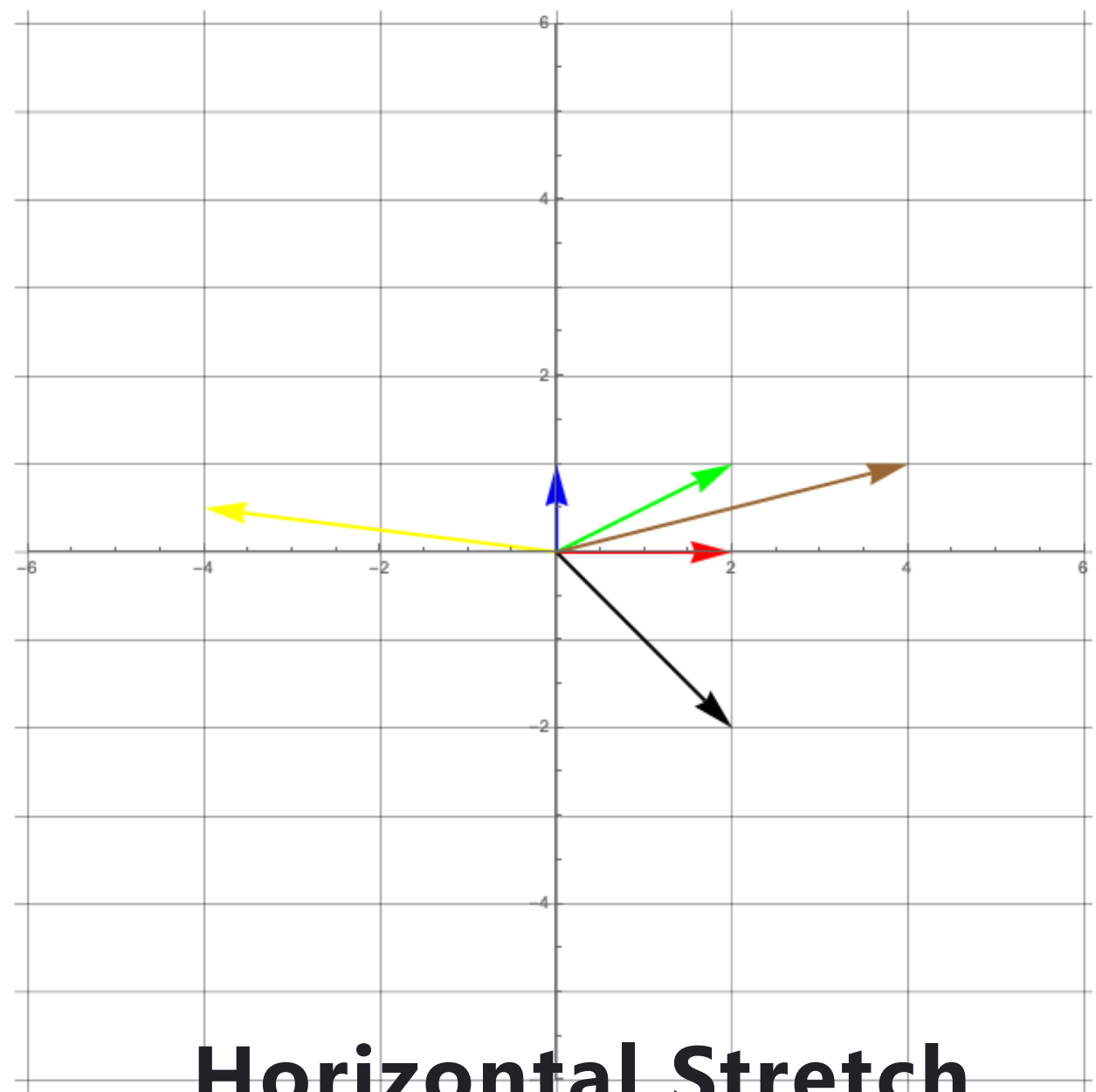
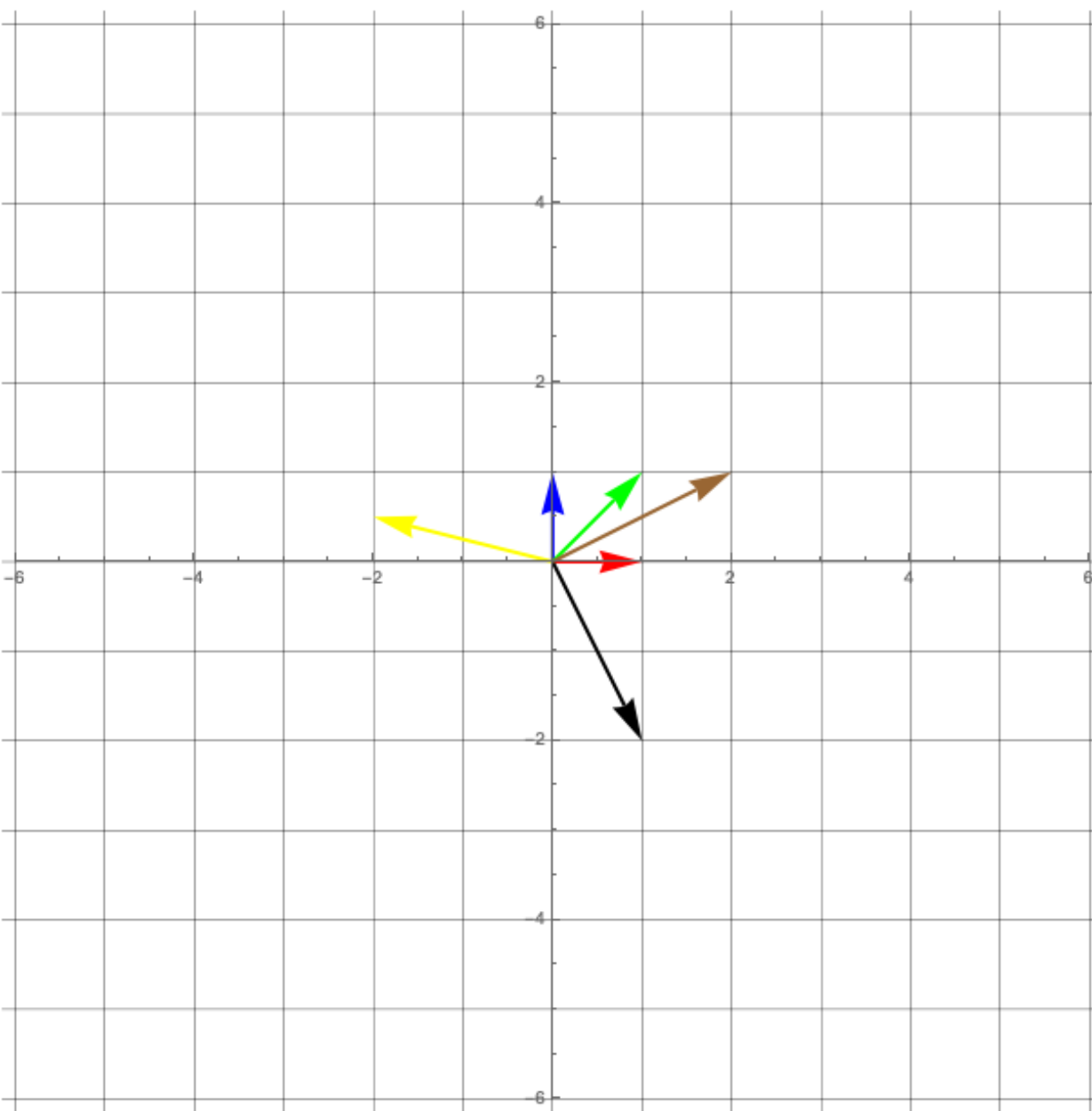
$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ax + by \\ cx + dy \end{bmatrix}$$

# Linear Transformation and Matrix Multiplication

$$f(\vec{v}) = T\vec{v}$$

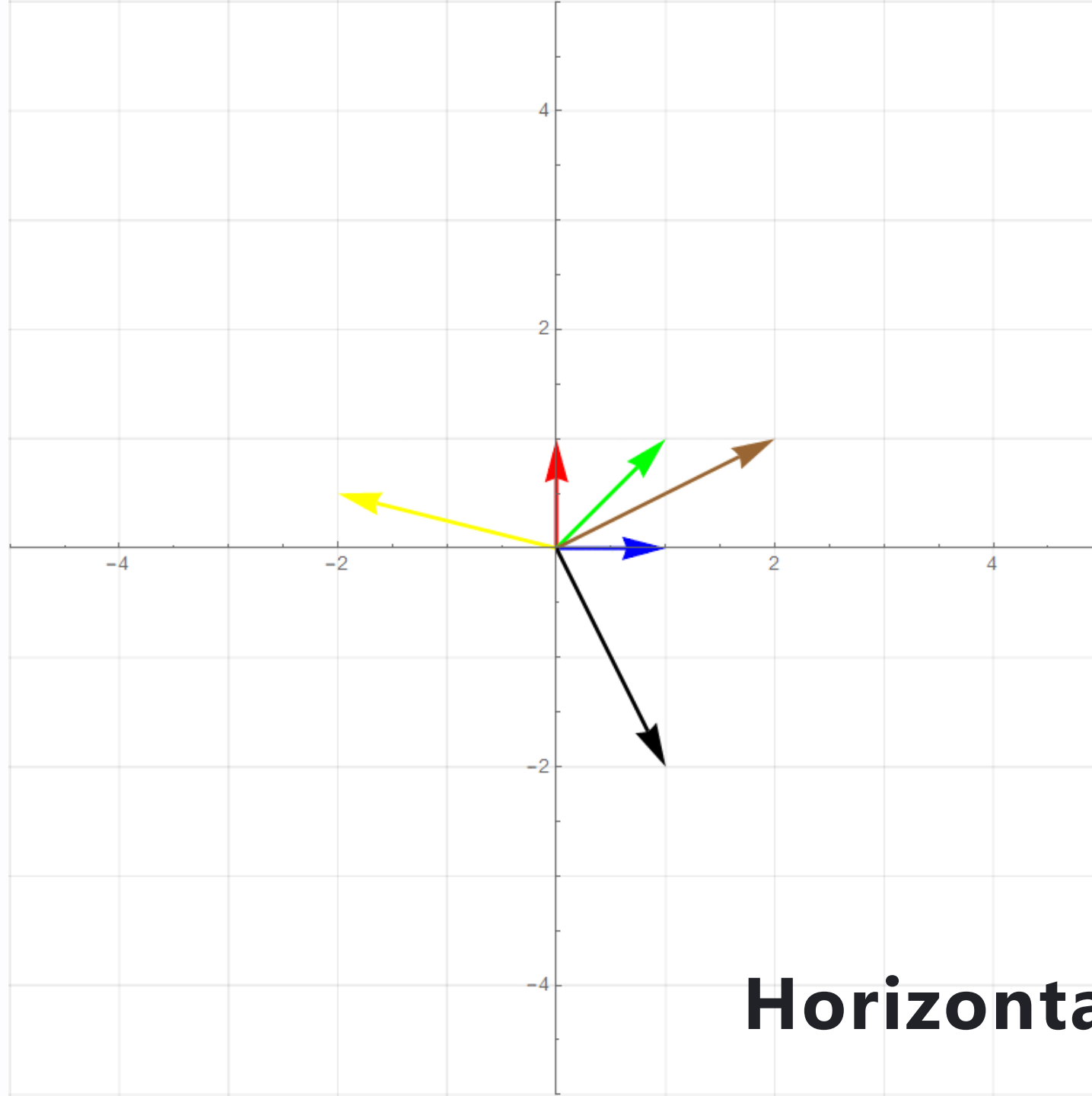
# Horizontal Stretch

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



**Horizontal Stretch**

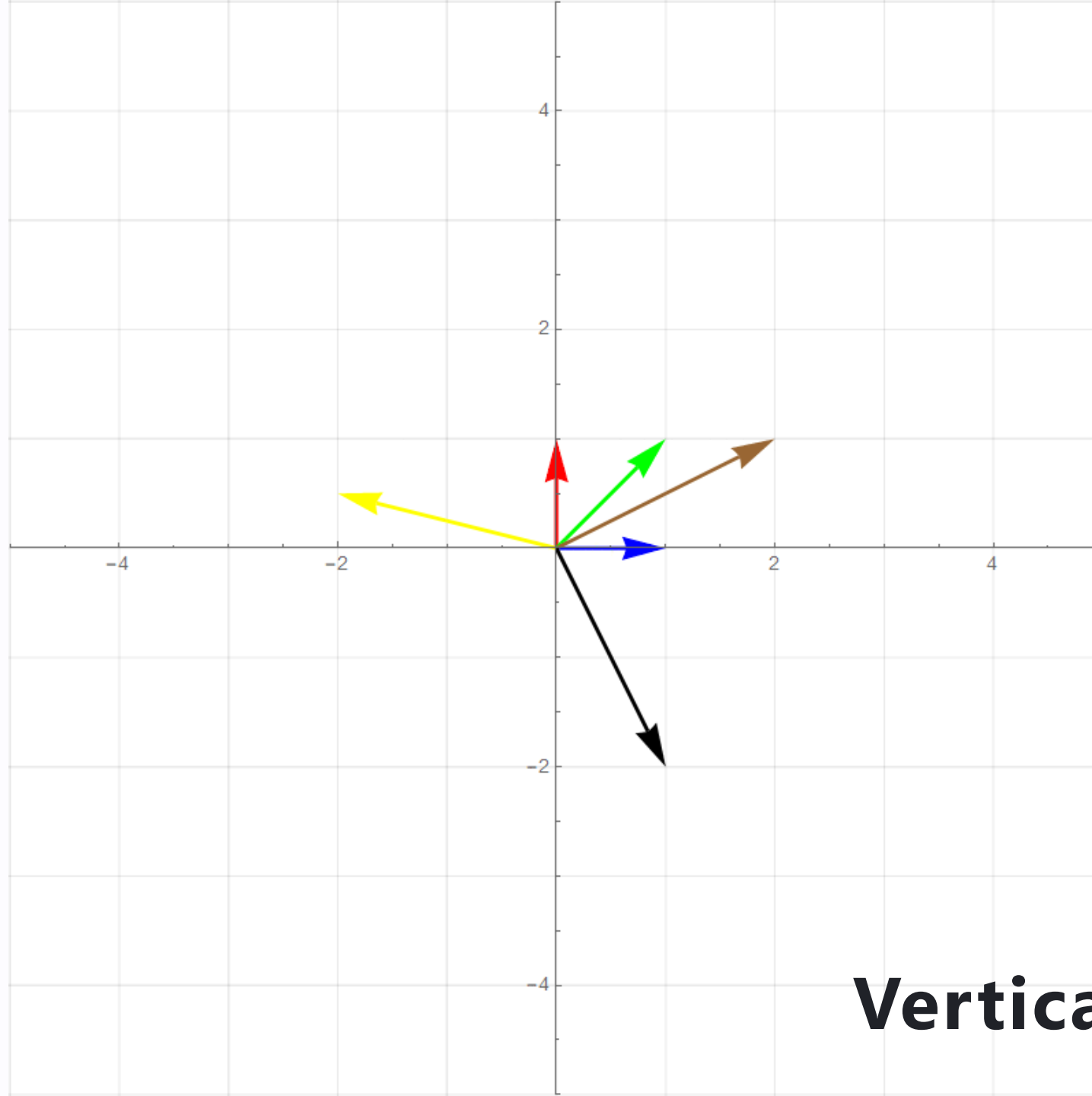




**Horizontal Stretch**

# Vertical Stretch

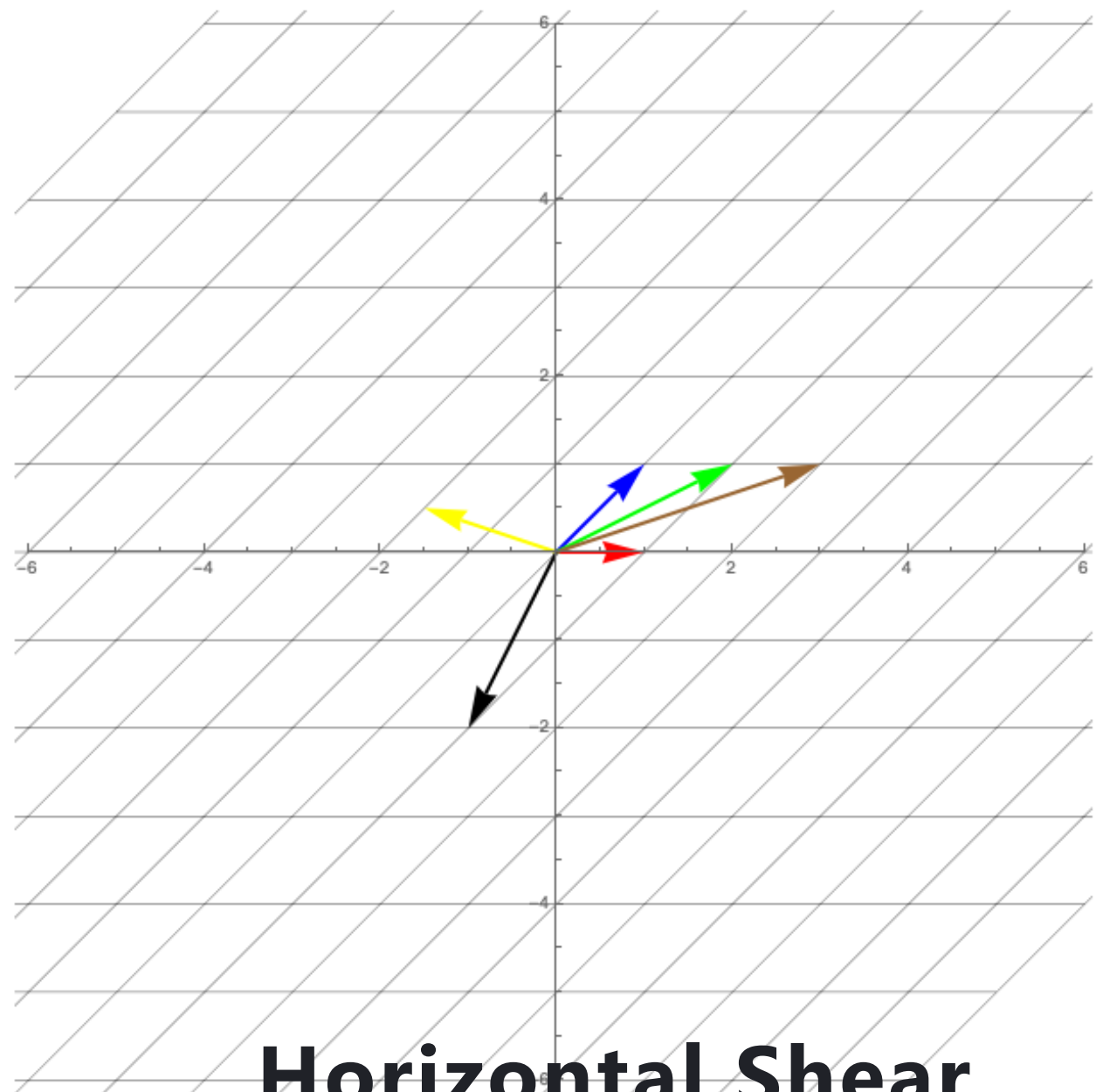
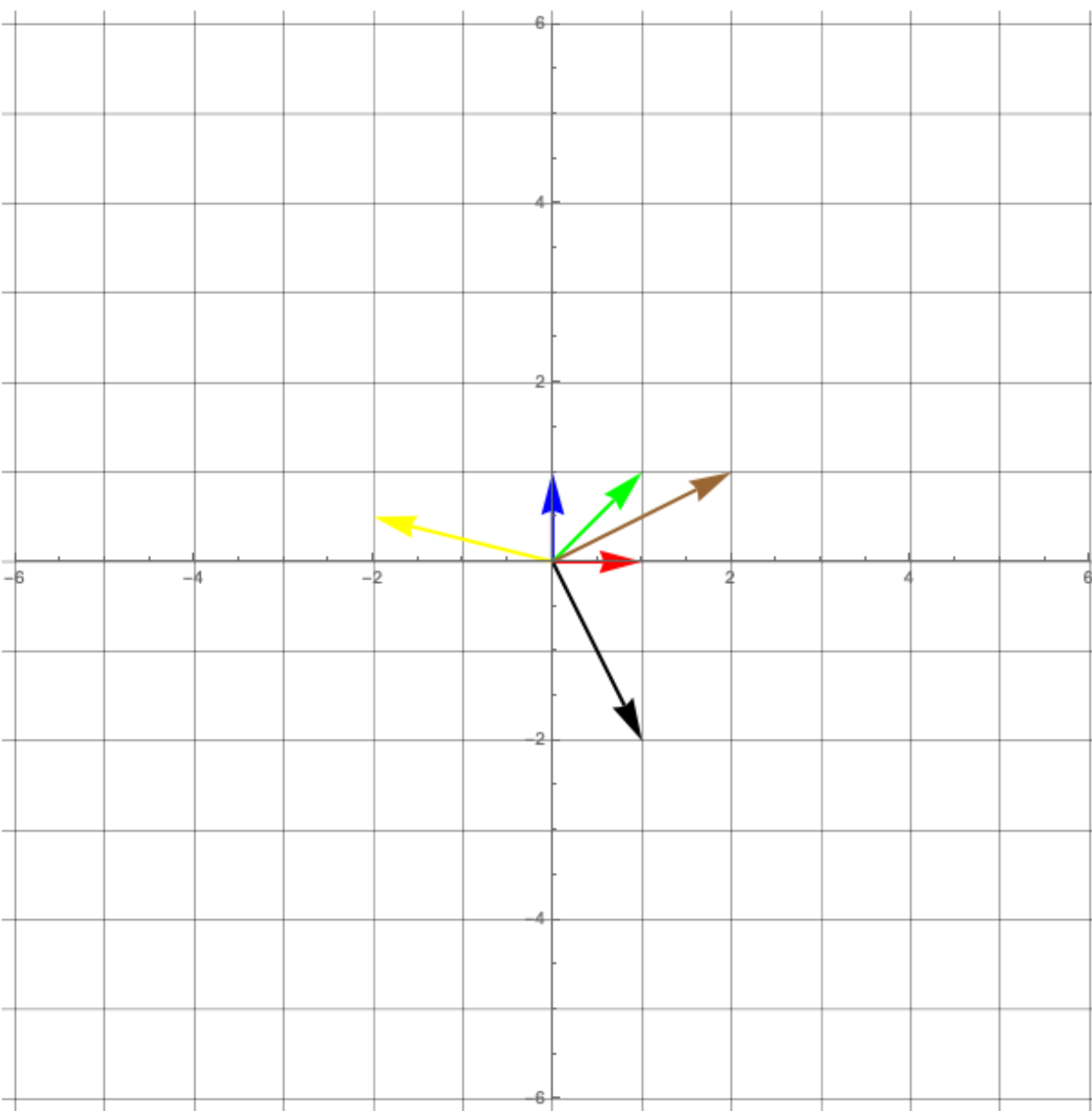
$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$



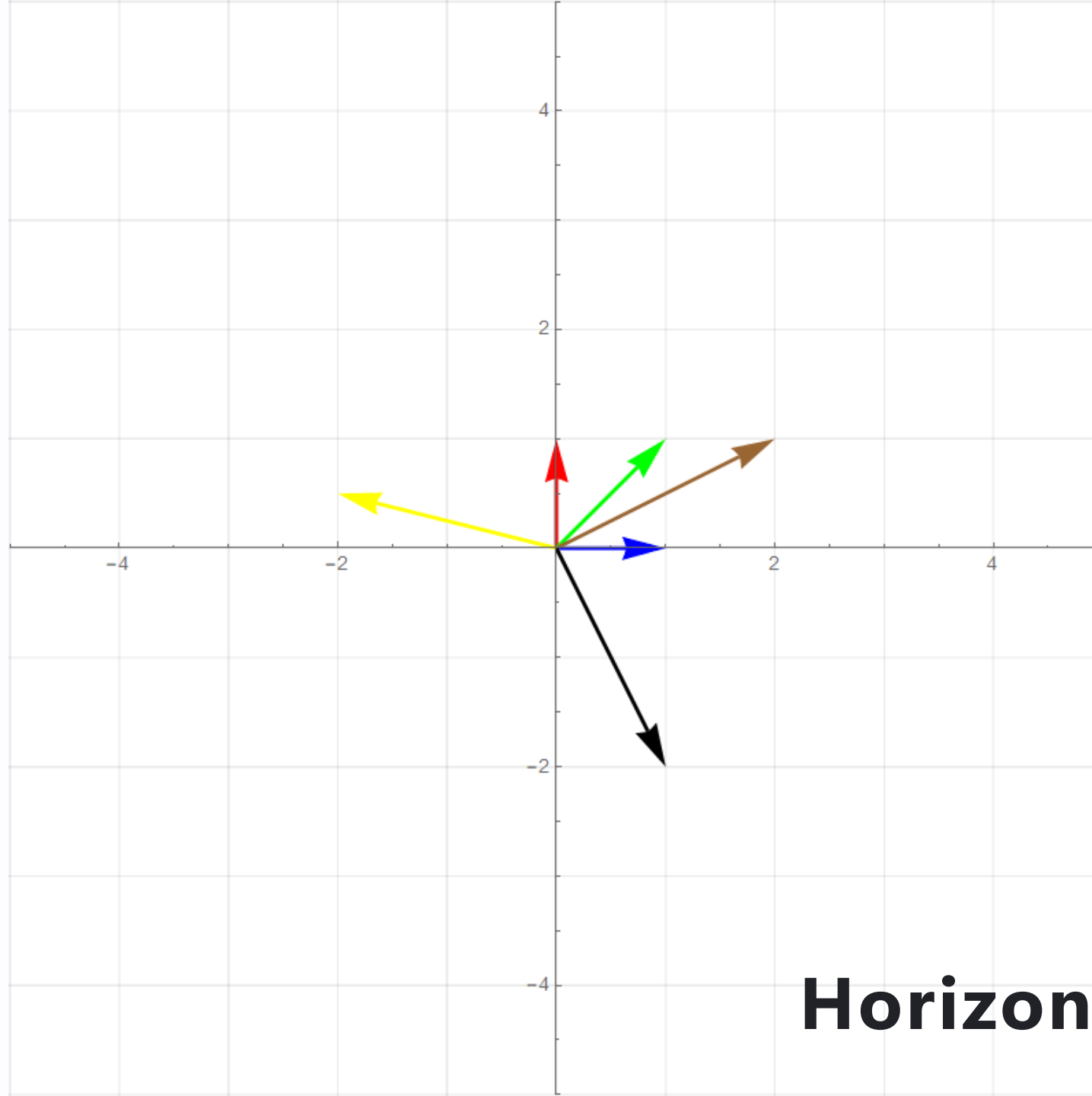
**Vertical Stretch**

# Horizontal Shear

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



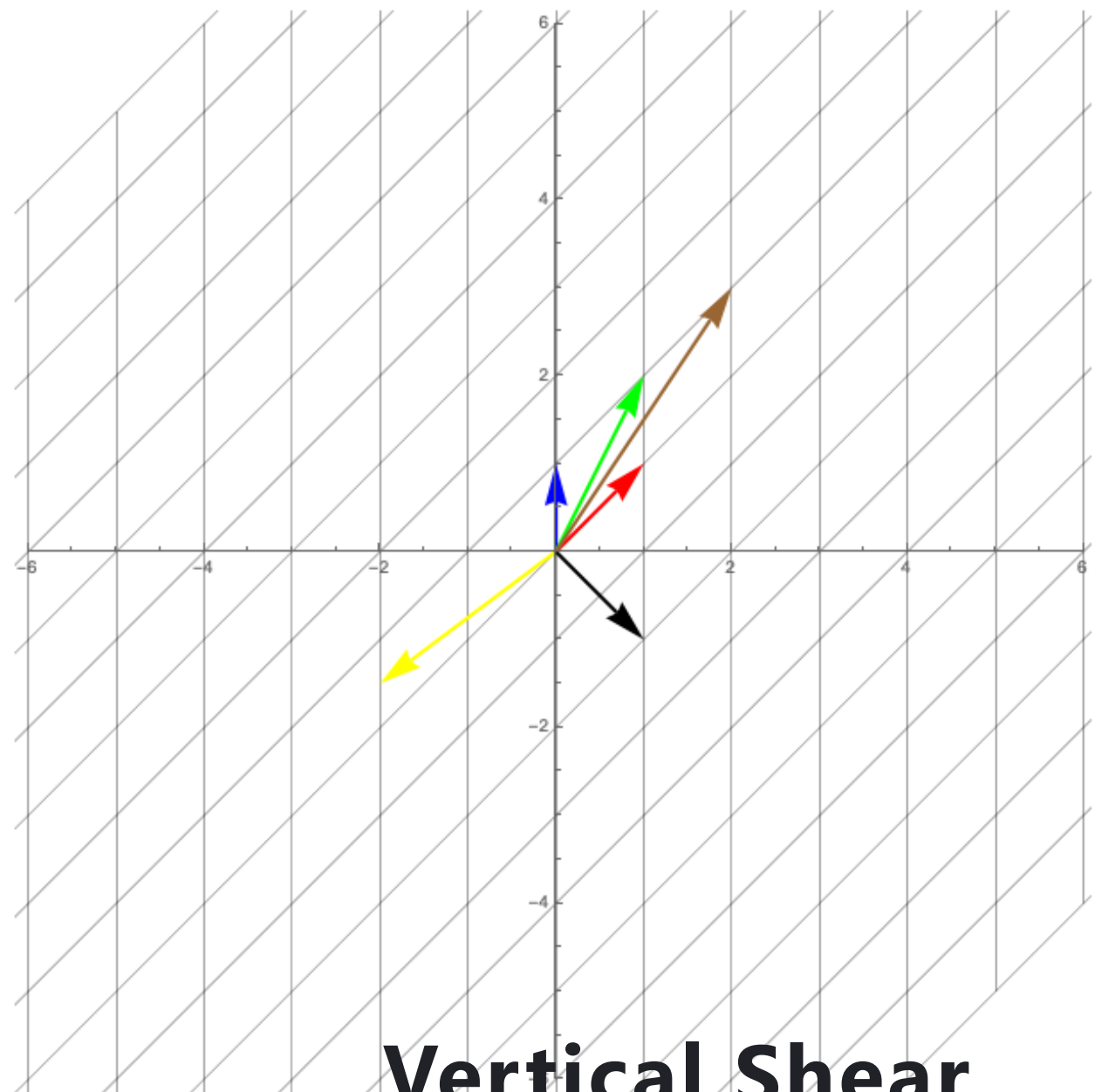
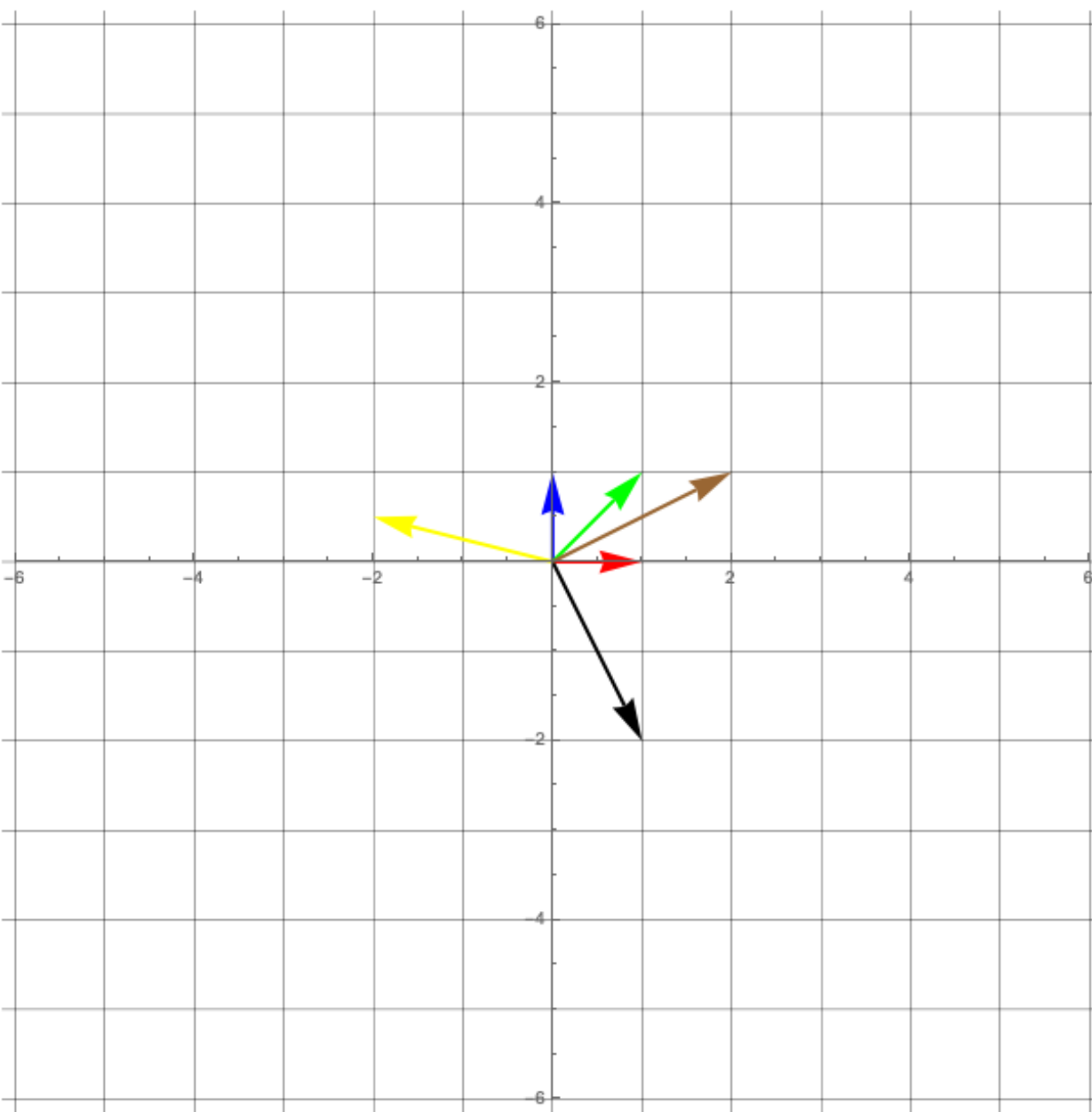
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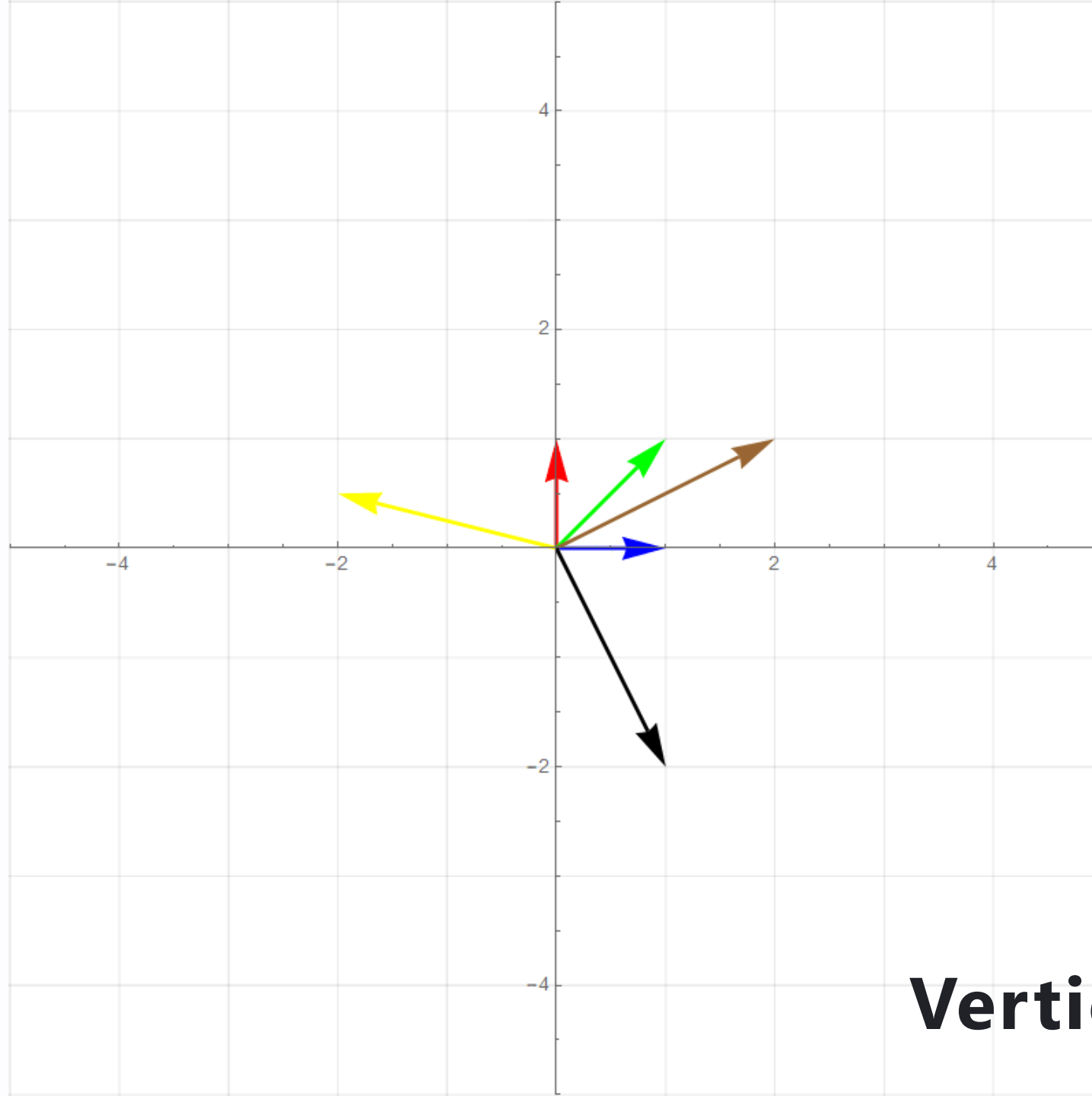
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**Vertical Shear**

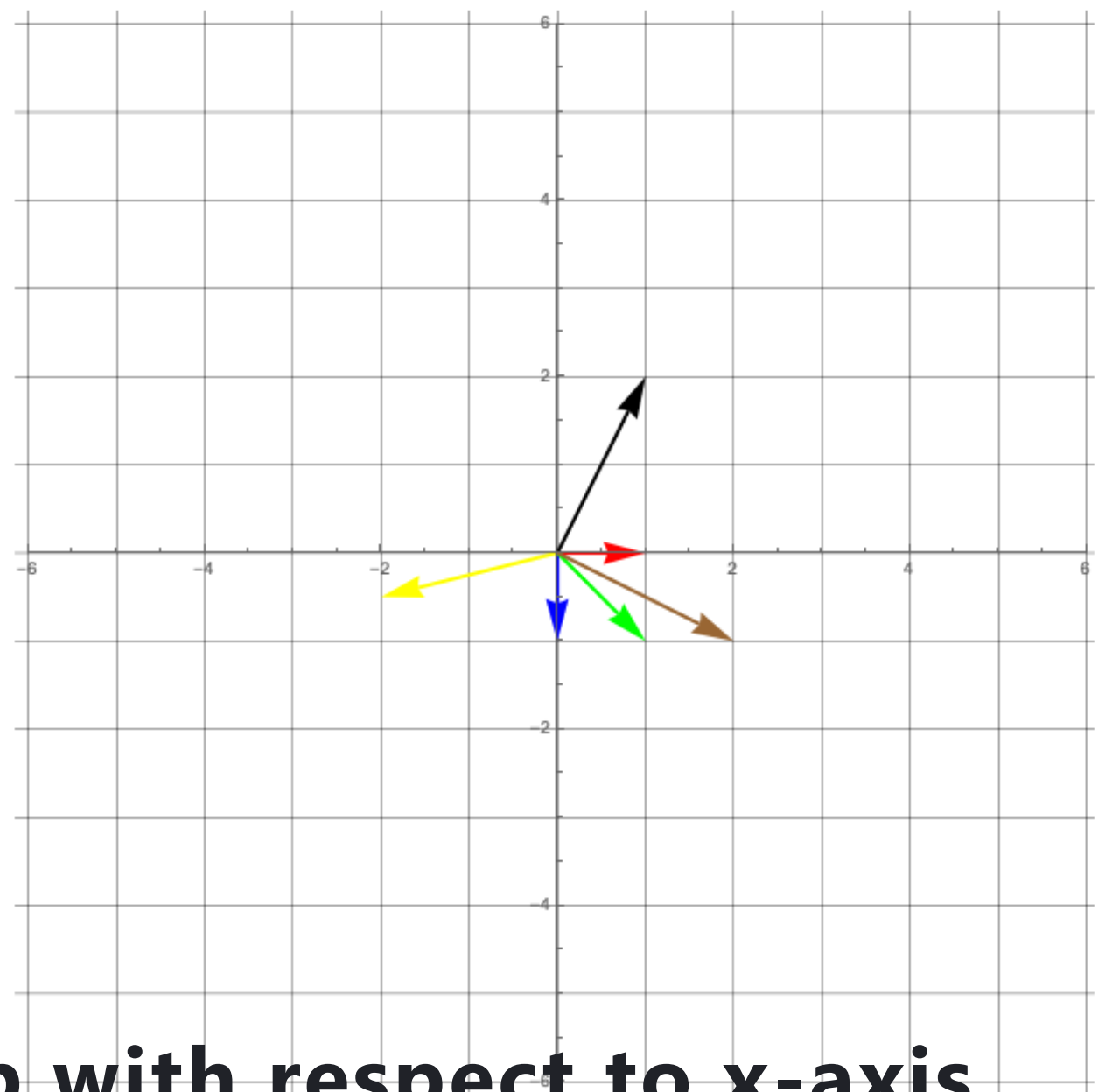
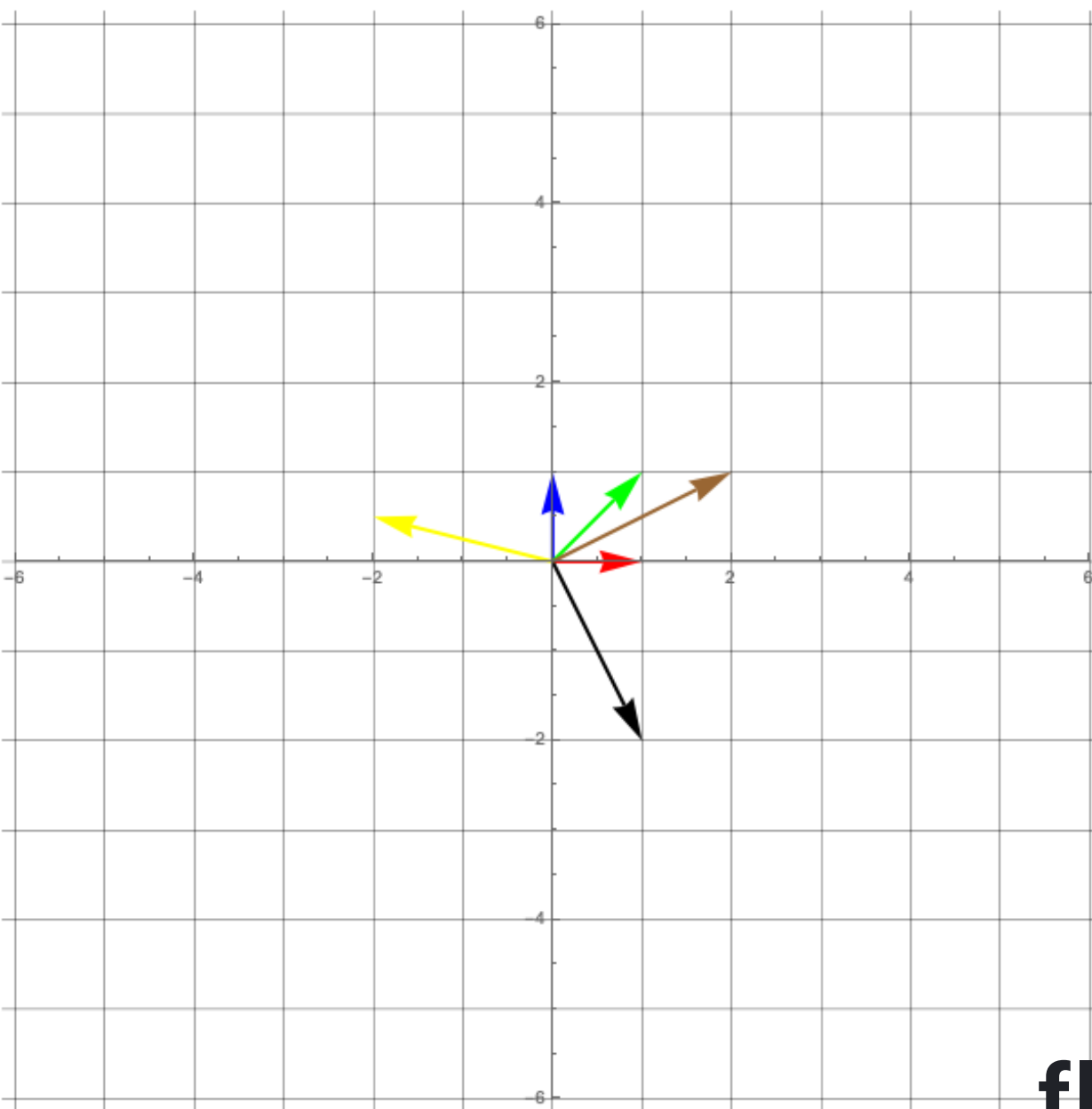




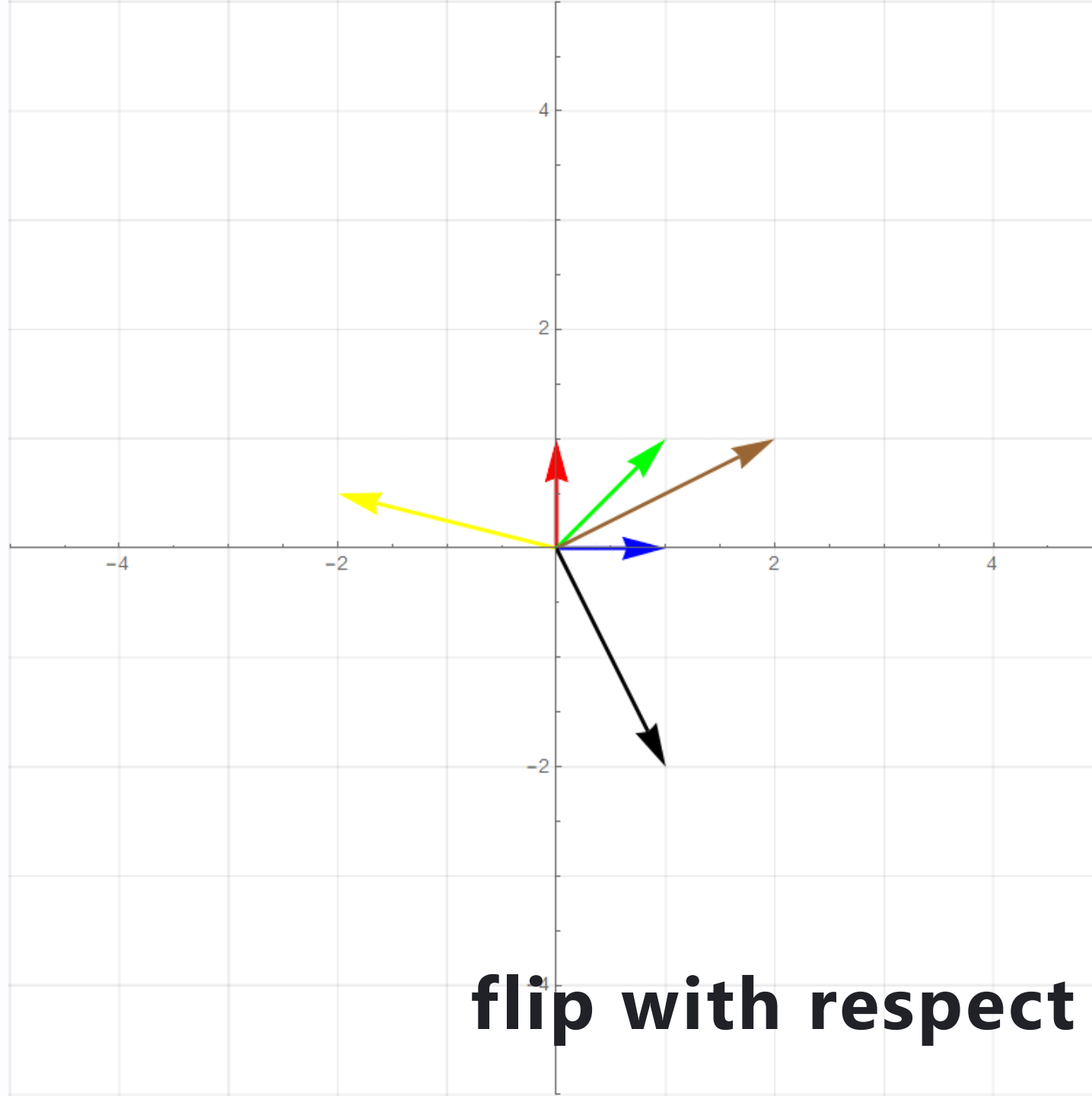
**Vertical Shear**

**flip with respect to x-axis**

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$



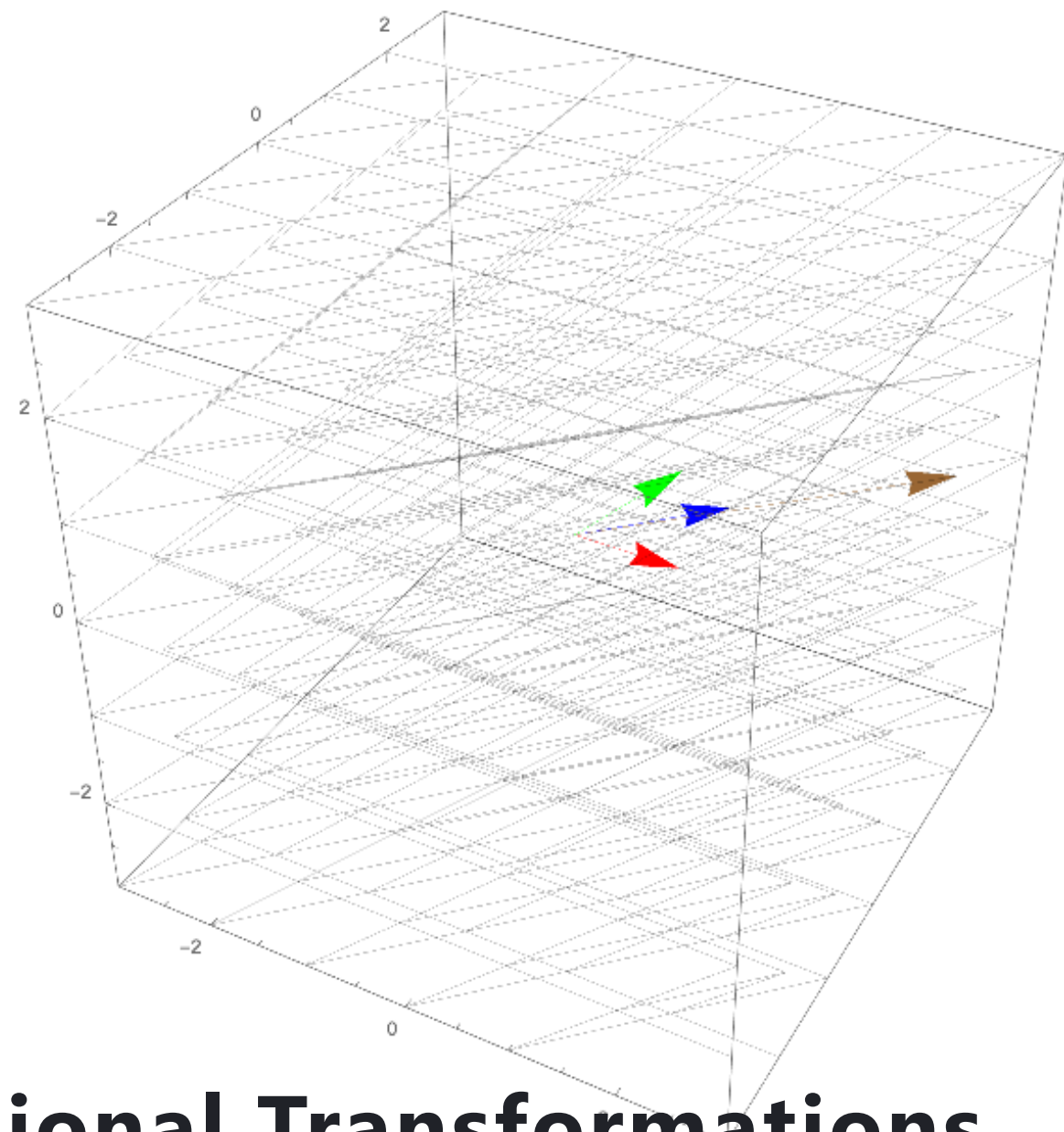
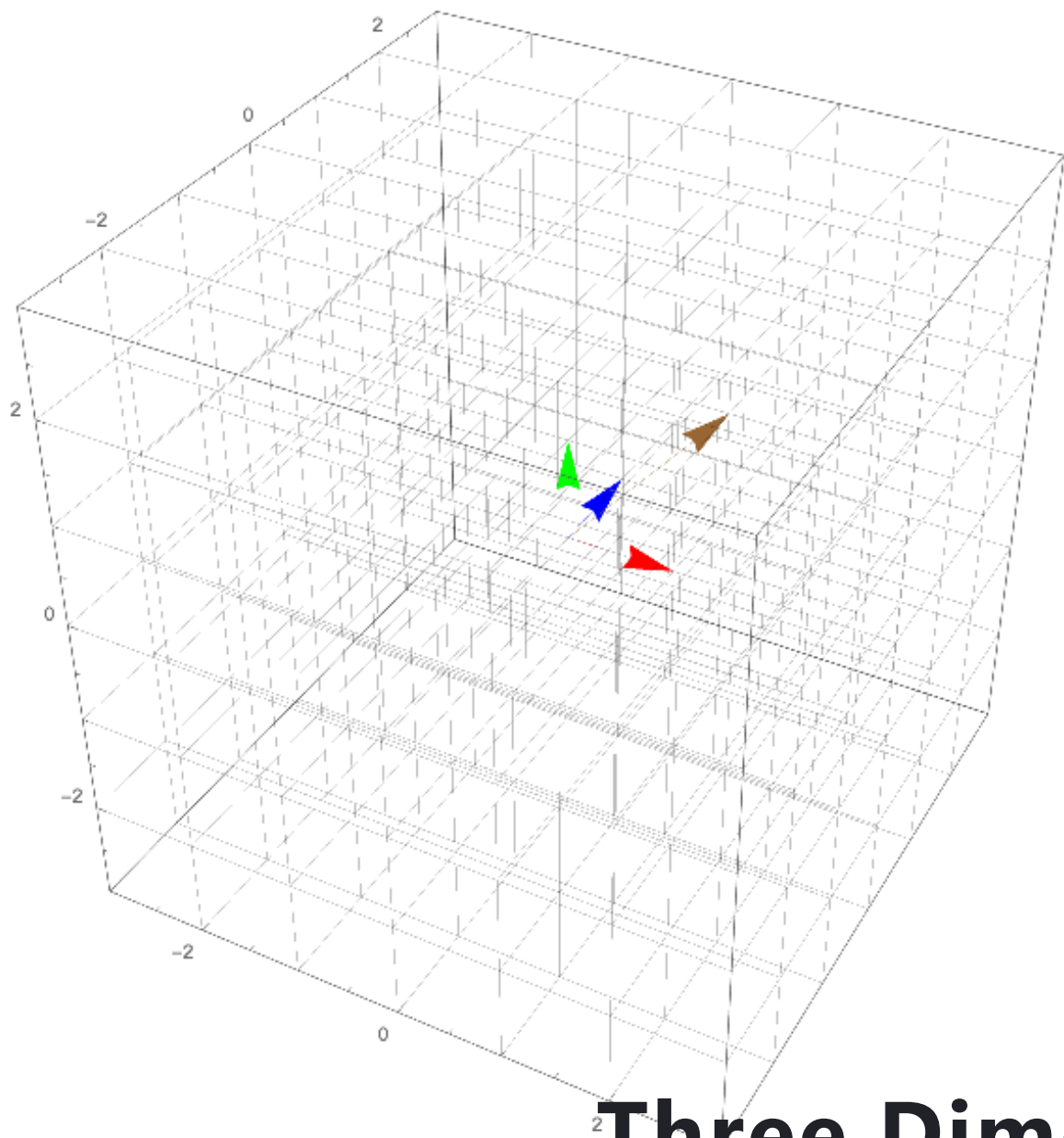
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# Three Dimensional Transformations

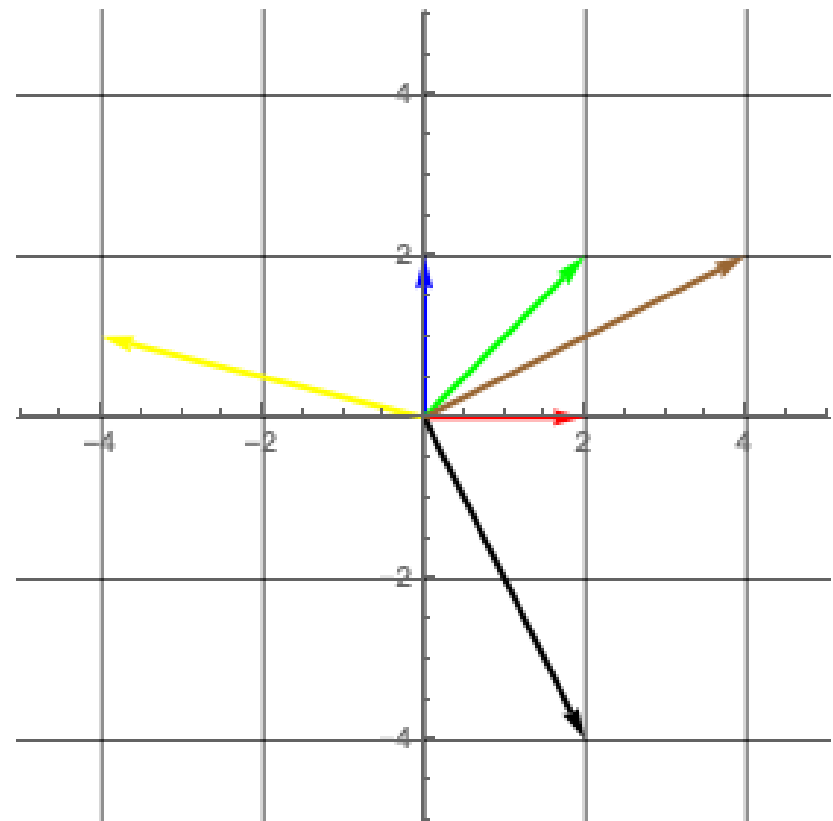
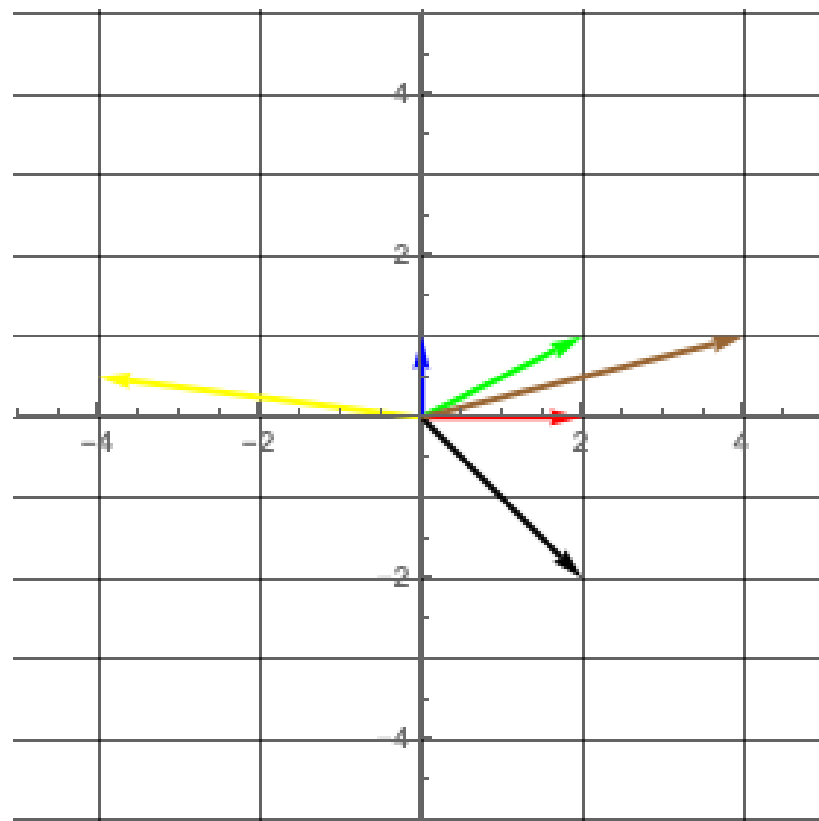
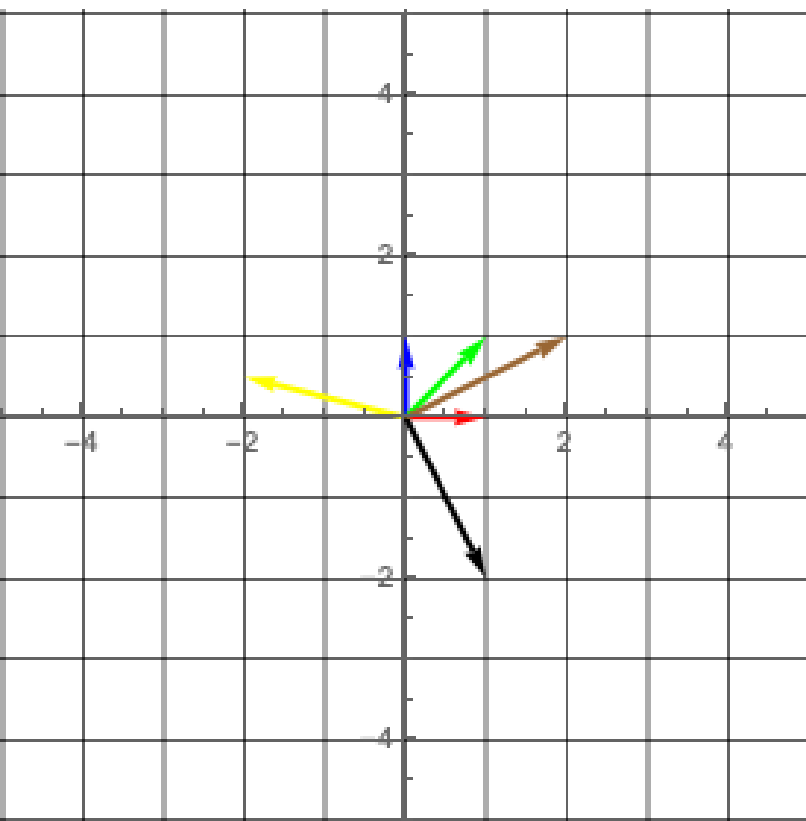
$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



# Three Dimensional Transformations

# Composing transformations

- You can combine transformations by performing transformations in a **sequence**
- For example, you can **combine** a horizontal stretch with a vertical stretch which can be defined as a new transformation.



**Composing transformations**



# Composing transformations

Since you are applying one transformation after the other, the overall transformation can be defined as a **composition** of the horizontal stretch transformation inside a vertical stretch transformation.

# Composing transformations

$$f(\vec{v}) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \vec{v}$$

$$g(\vec{v}) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \vec{v}$$

$$g(f(\vec{v})) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \left( \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \vec{v} \right)$$

# Composing transformations

$$g(f(\vec{v})) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \left( \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \vec{v} \right) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \vec{v}$$

# Composing transformations

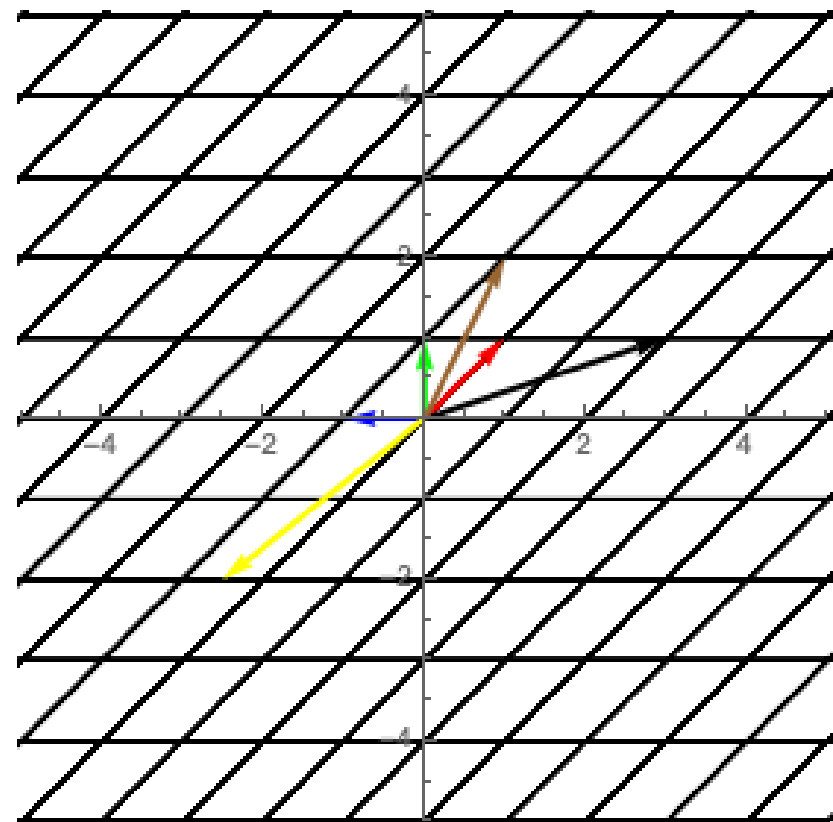
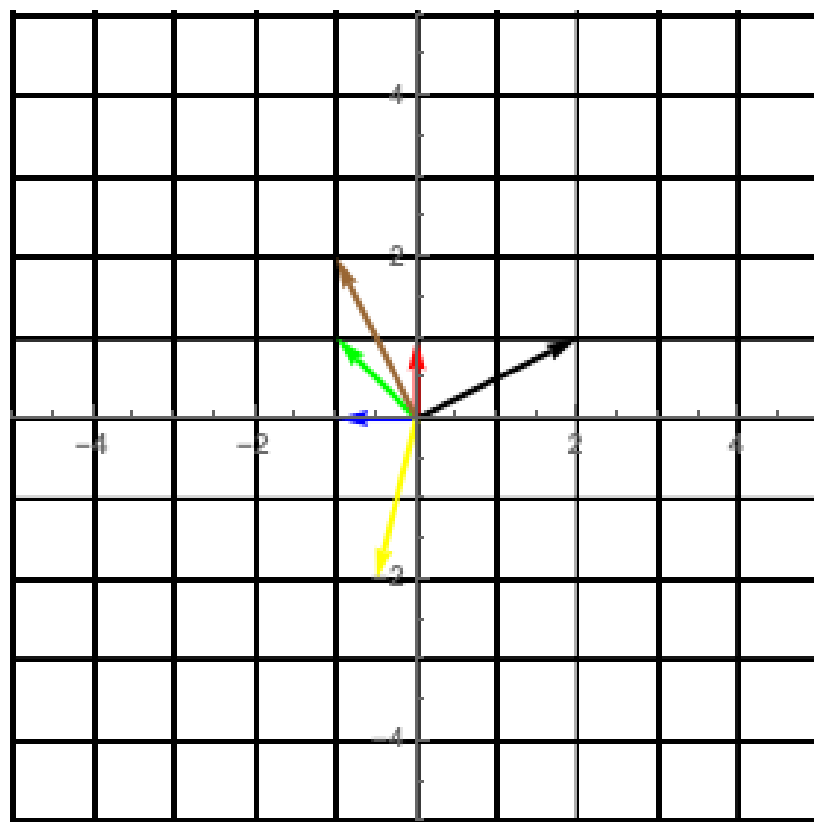
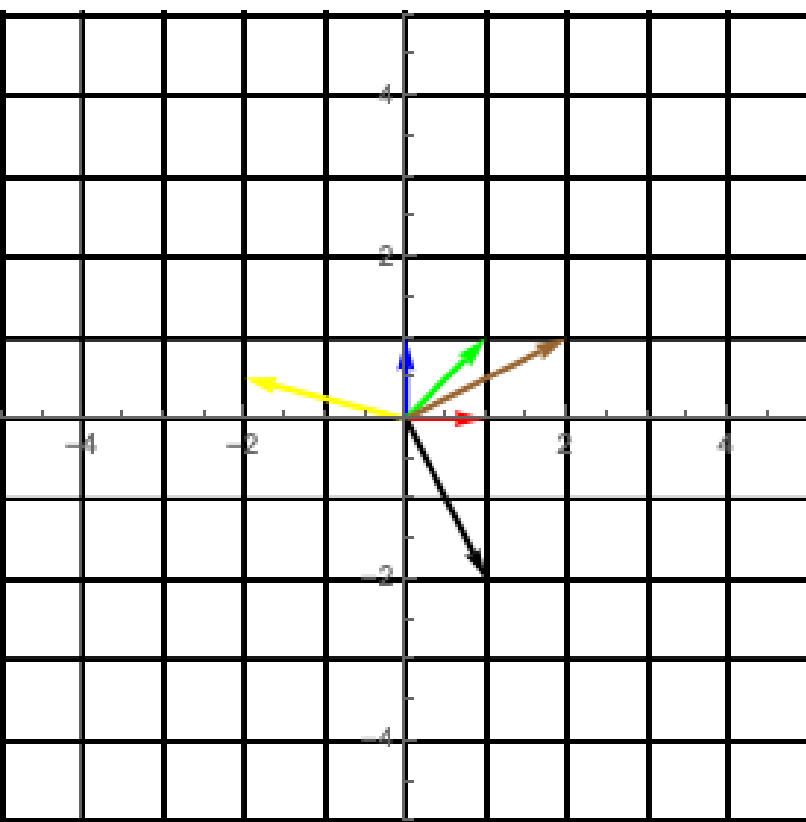
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# Composing transformations

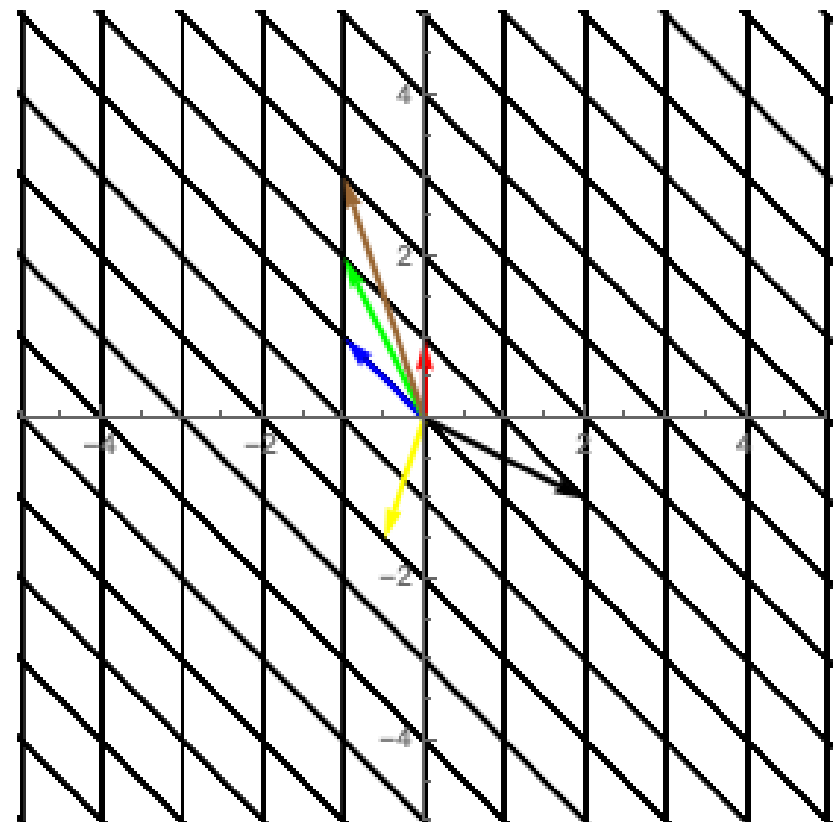
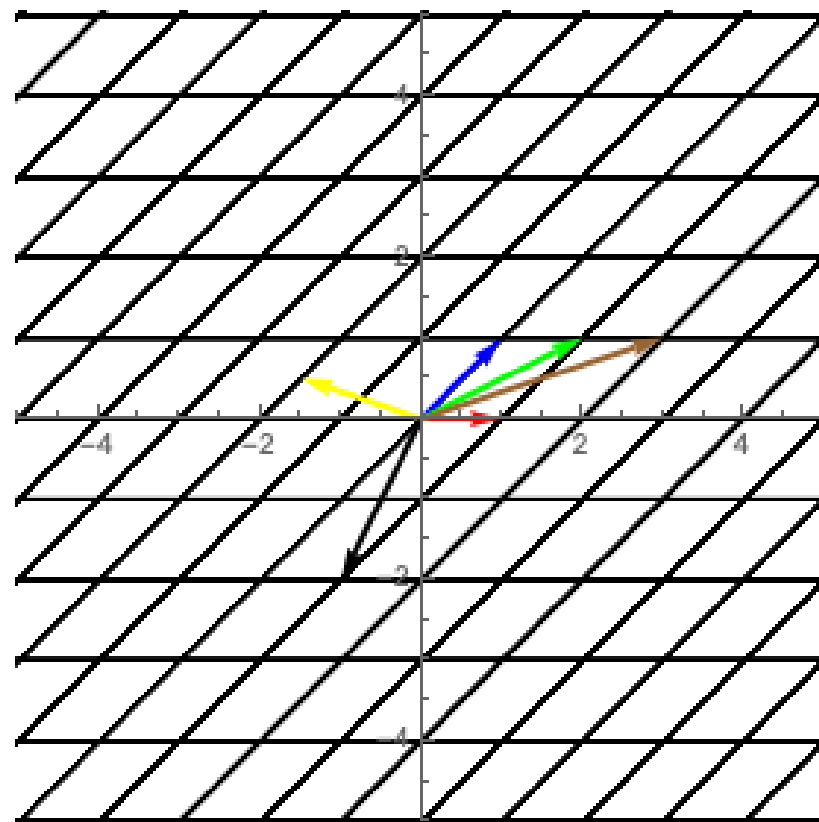
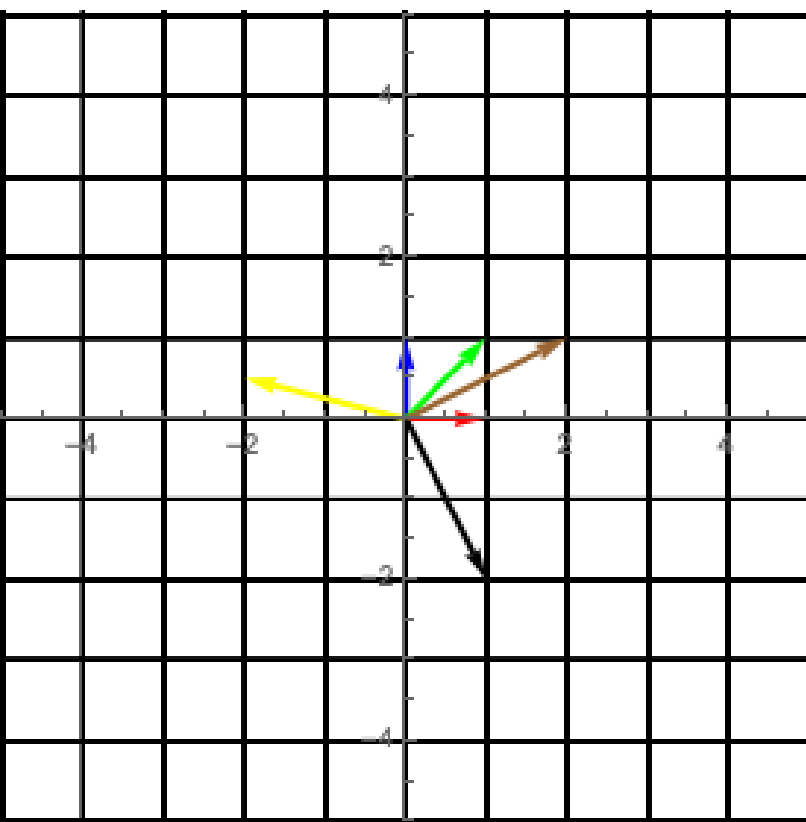
$$f(\vec{v}) = T_1 \vec{v}$$

$$g(\vec{v}) = T_2 \vec{v}$$

$$g(f(\vec{v})) = T_2 T_1 \vec{v}$$



**Composing transformations**



**Composing transformations**

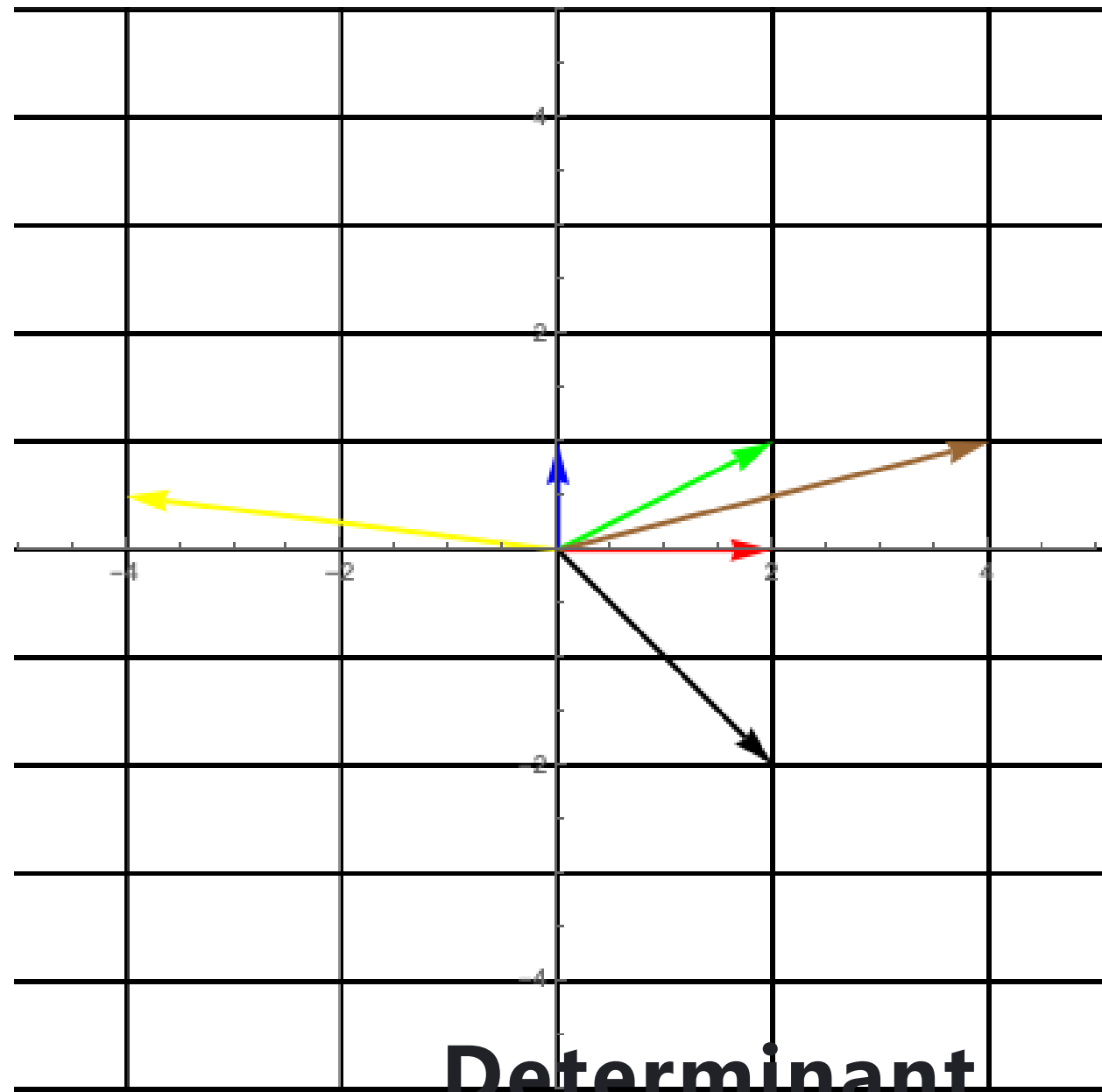
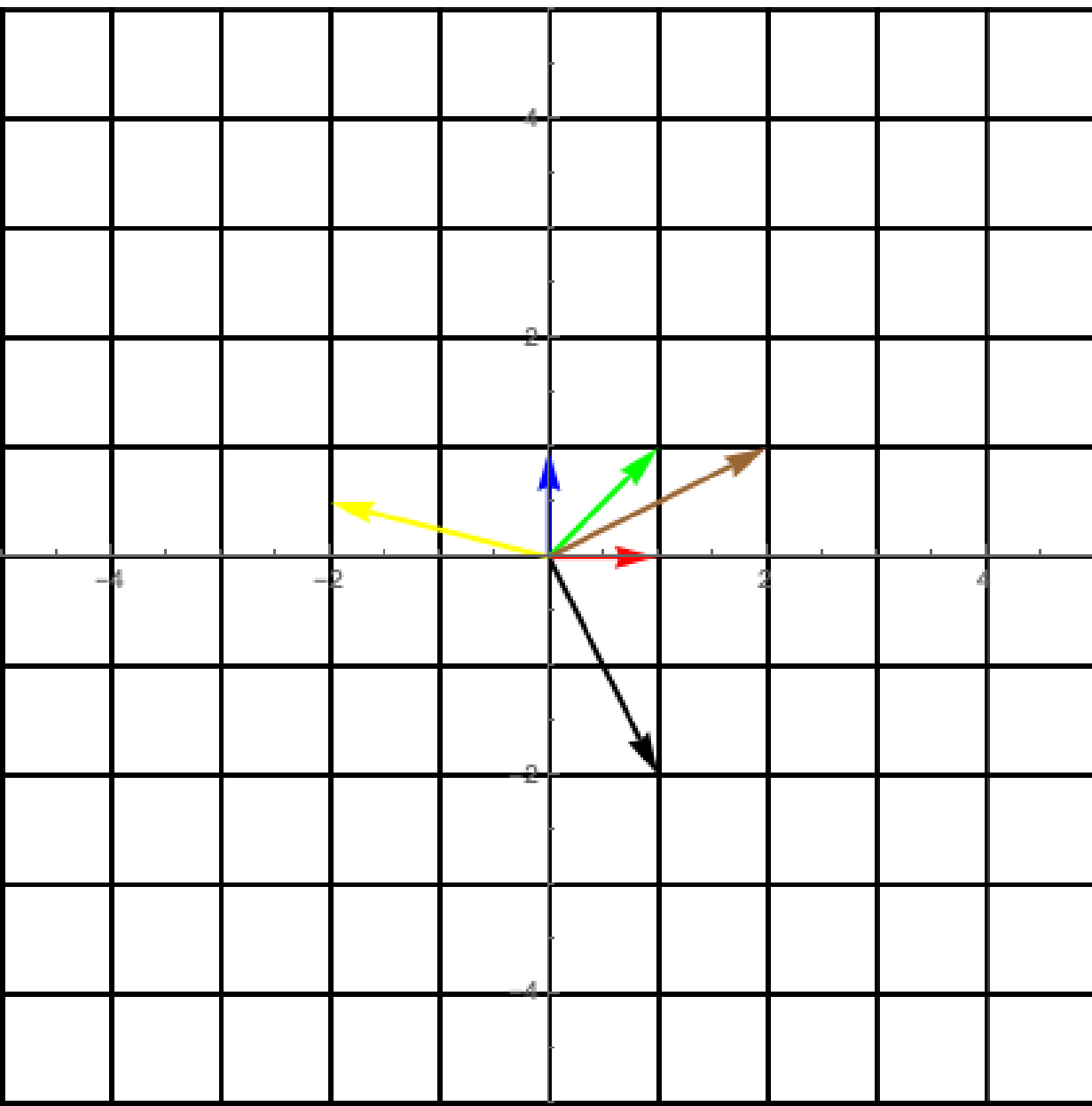
# Determinant

One of the important things you can study about a given linear transformation is how it generally **stretches** or **compresses** the space

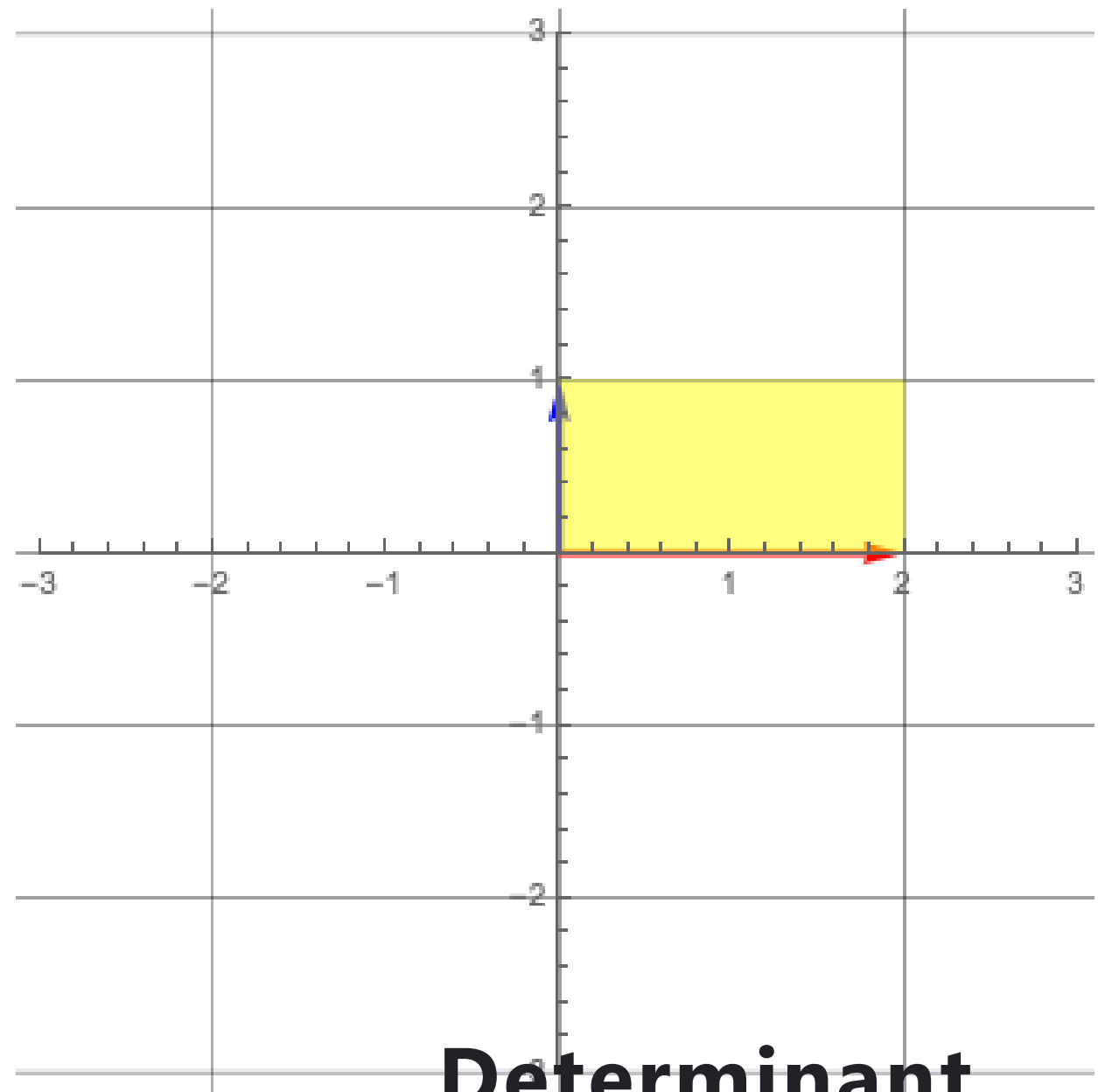
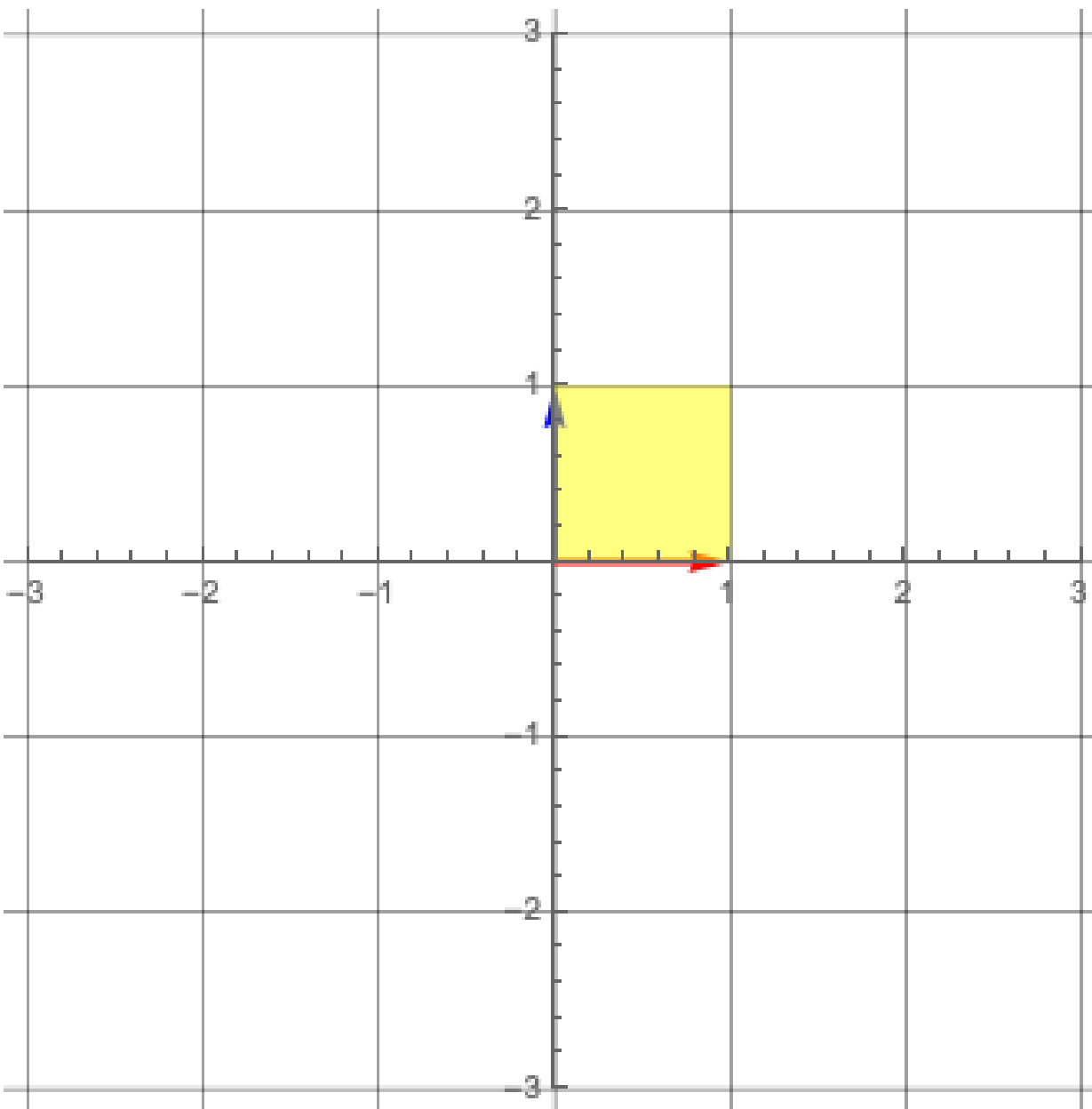


# Determinant

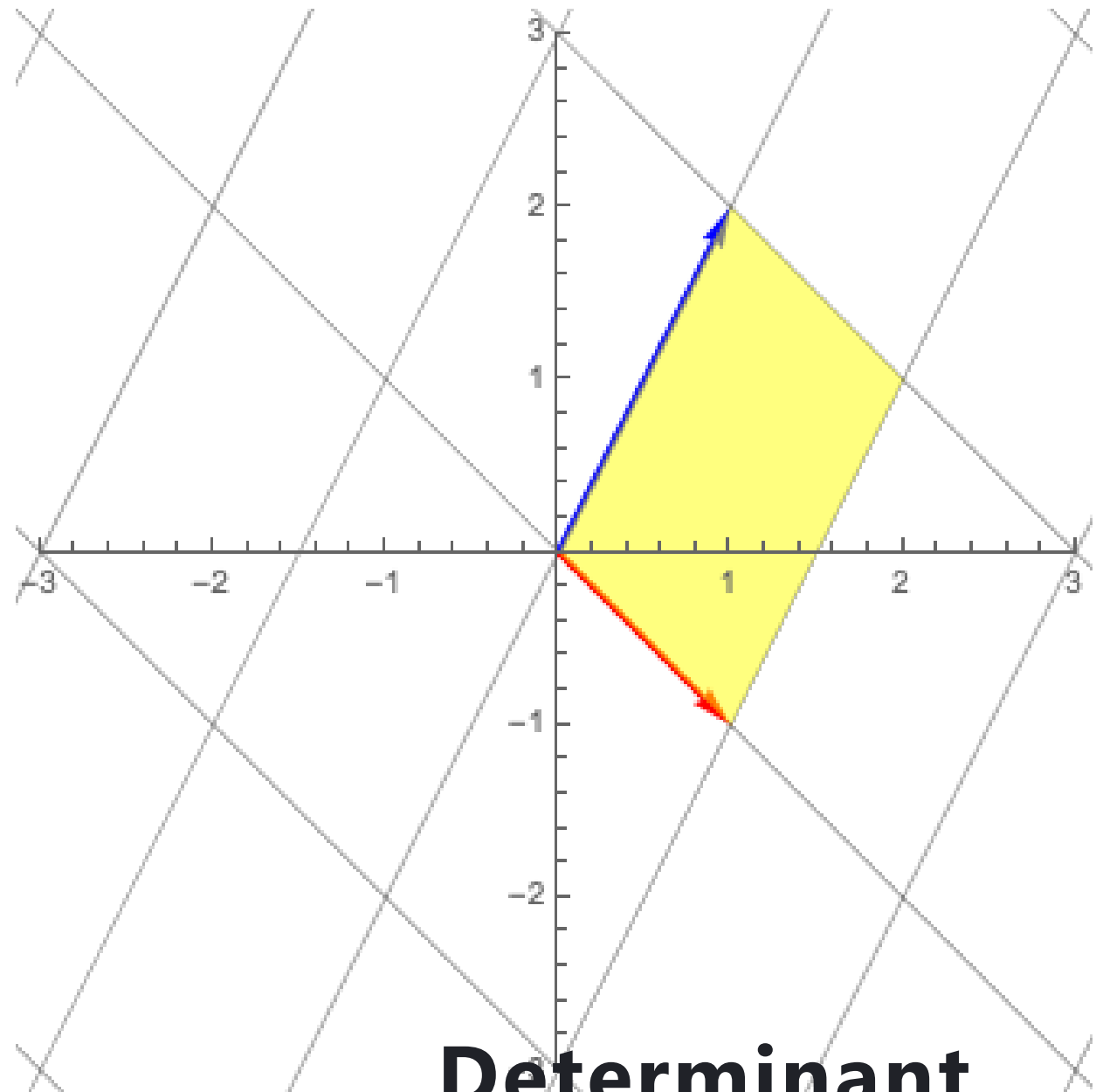
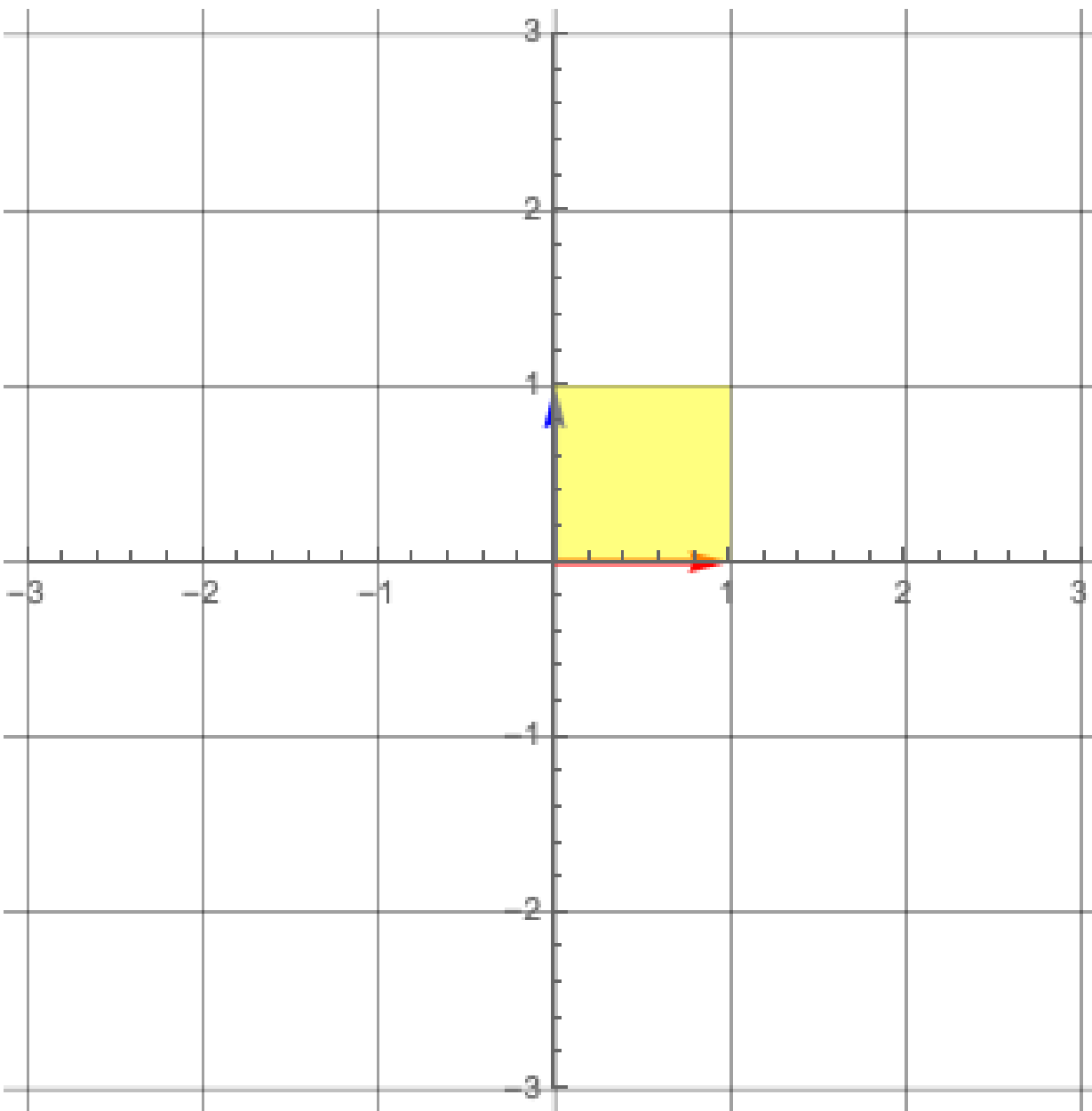
$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



**Determinant**



**Determinant**



**Determinant**

# Determinant

The factor stretching/compression of the entire space that occurs during a transformation has a special name called the **determinant** of a transformation

# Determinant

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det \left( \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \right) = ad - bc$$

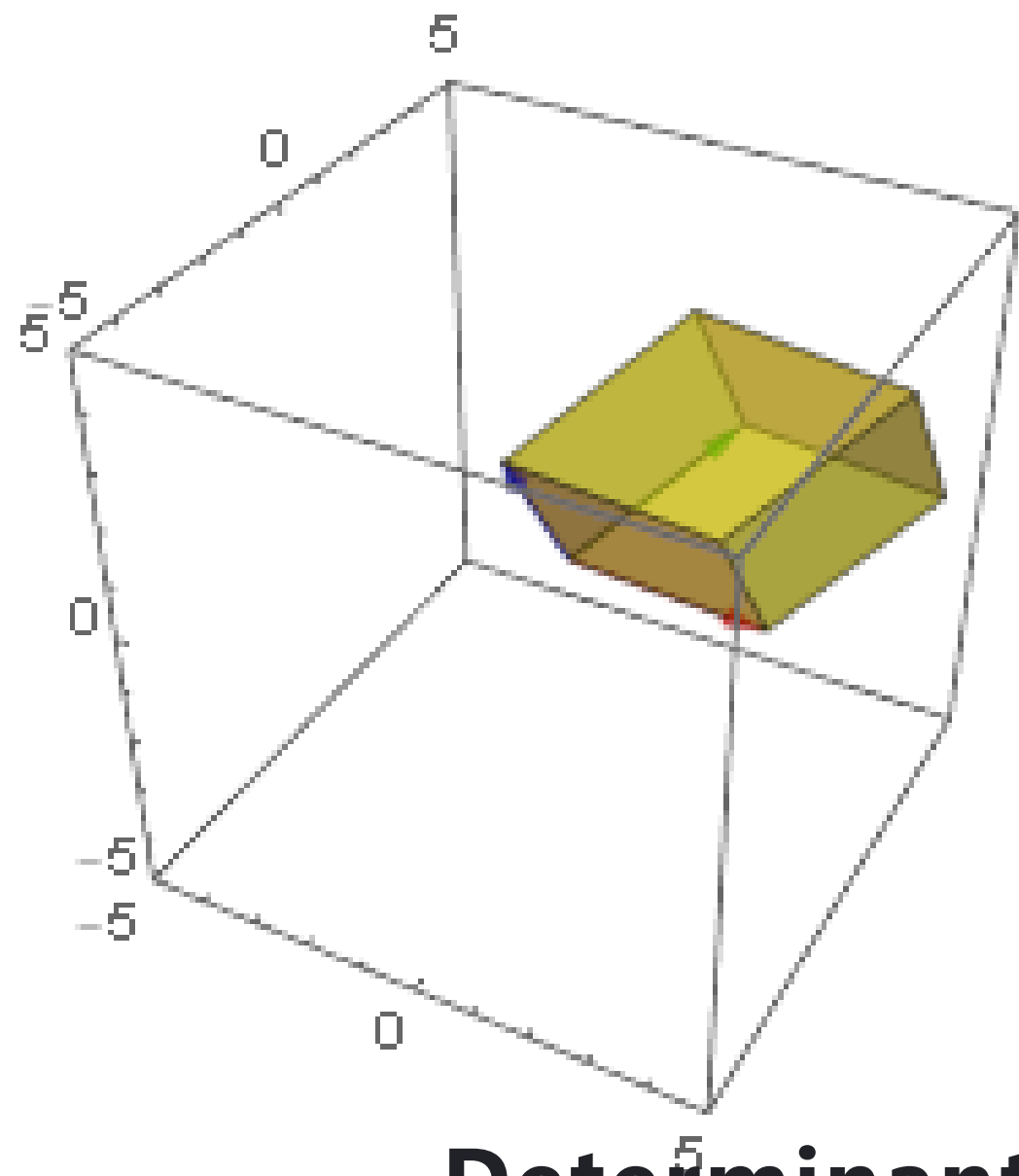
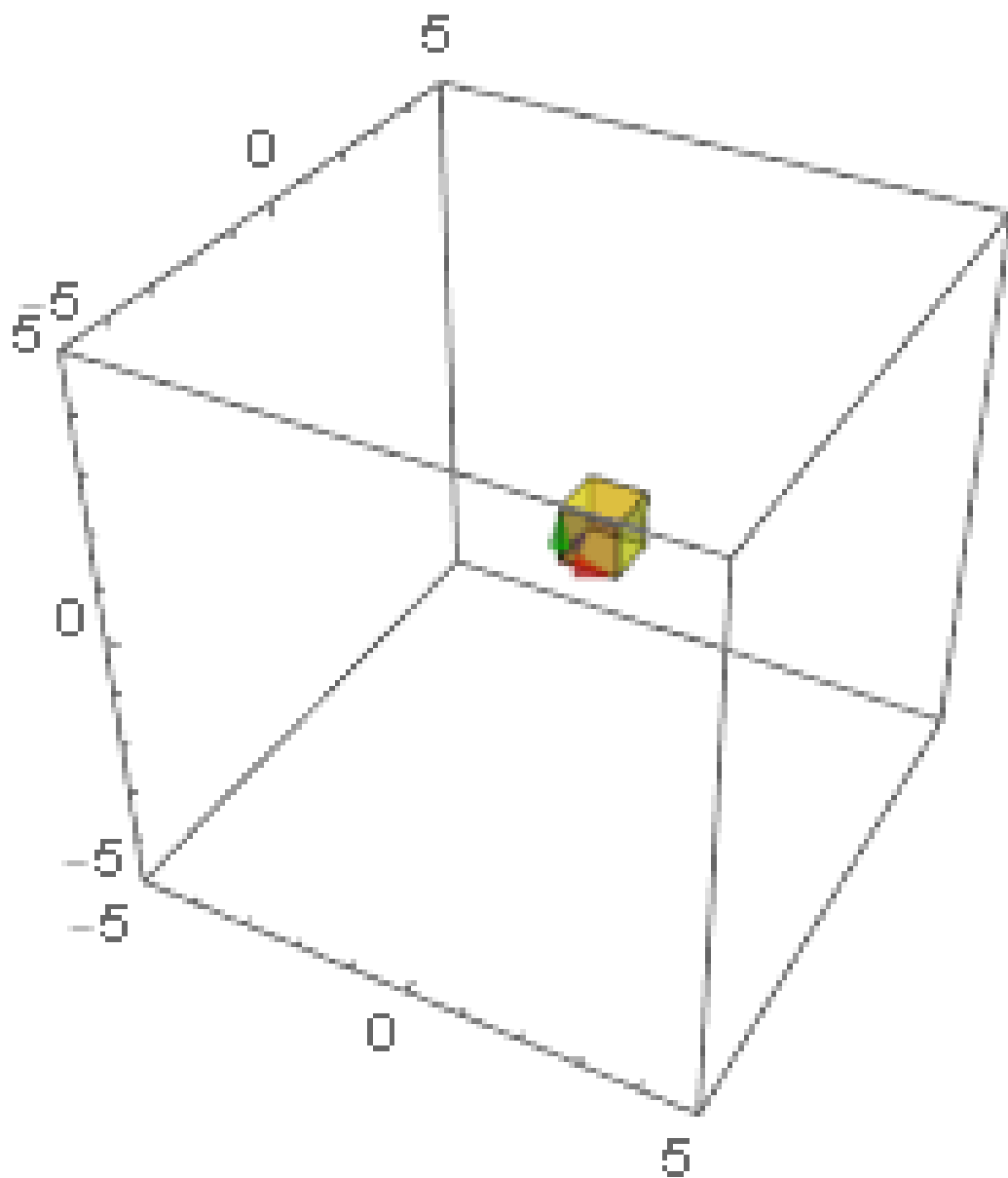
# Determinant

This formula can be derived by calculating the **area** of the resulting yellow parallelogram, which is the transformed version of the yellow square

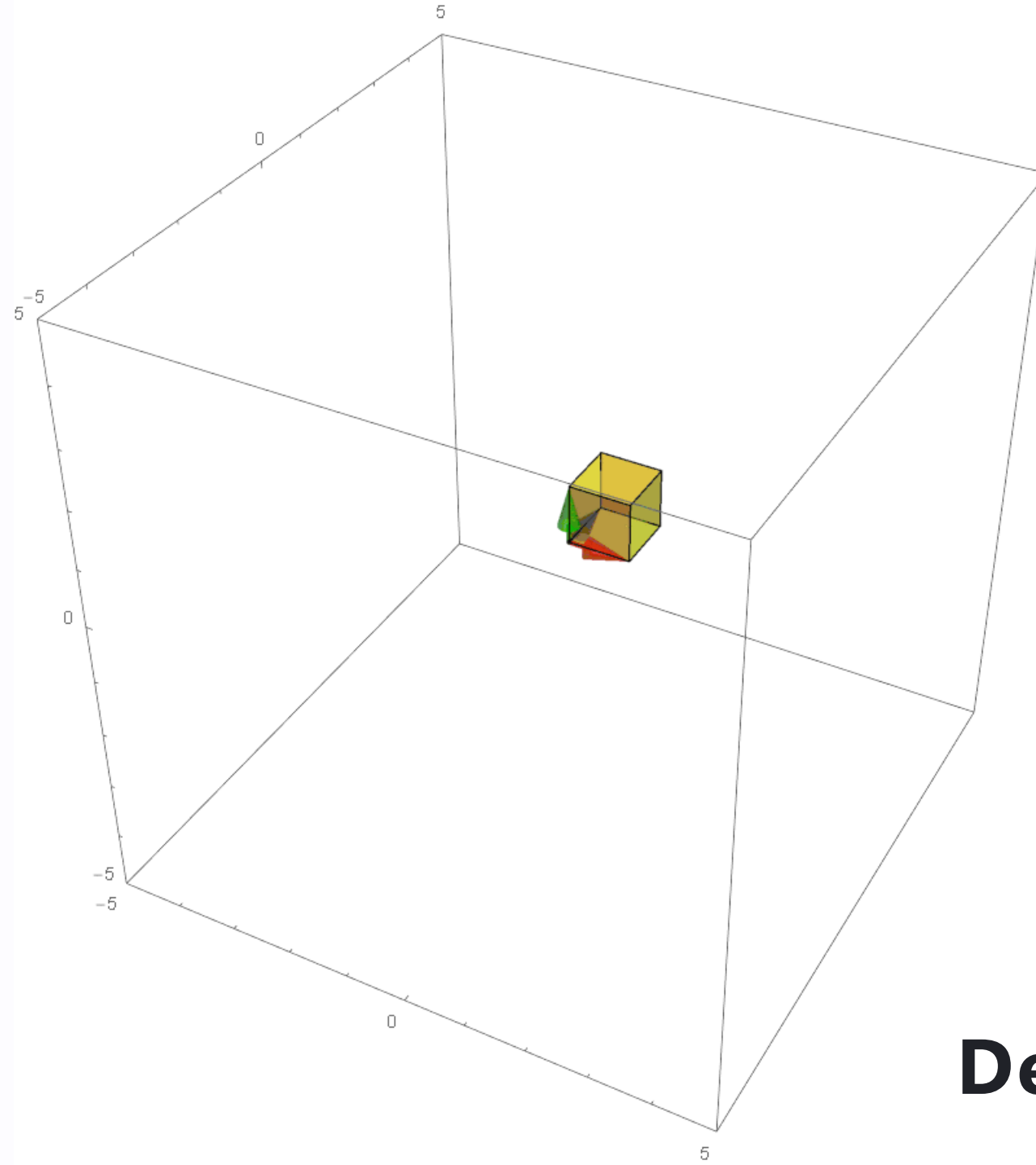
# Determinant

The determinant of a 3 dimensional transformation is the factor of stretching/compression of the **volume** of the unit cube to the parallelepiped:

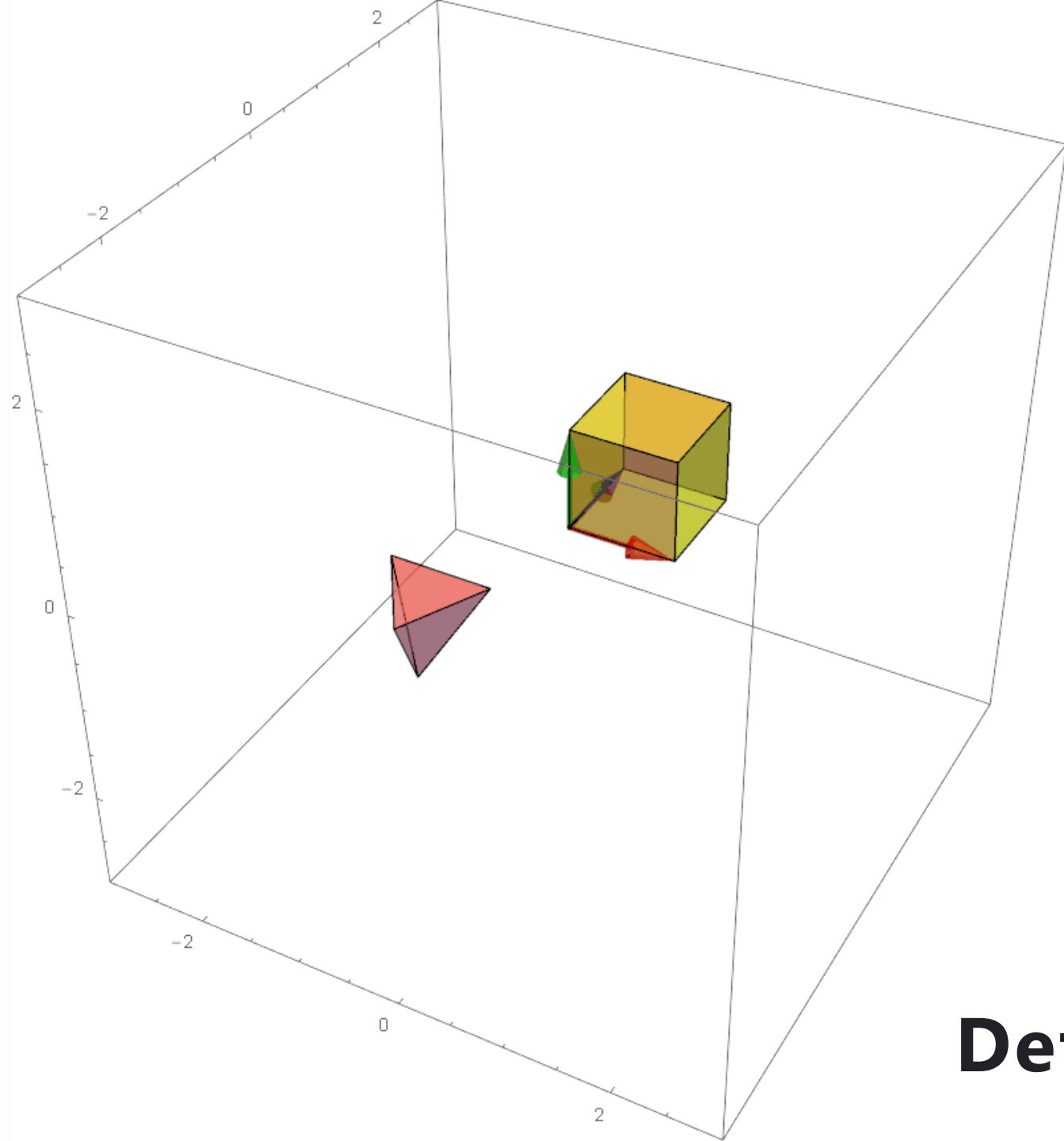




**Determinant**



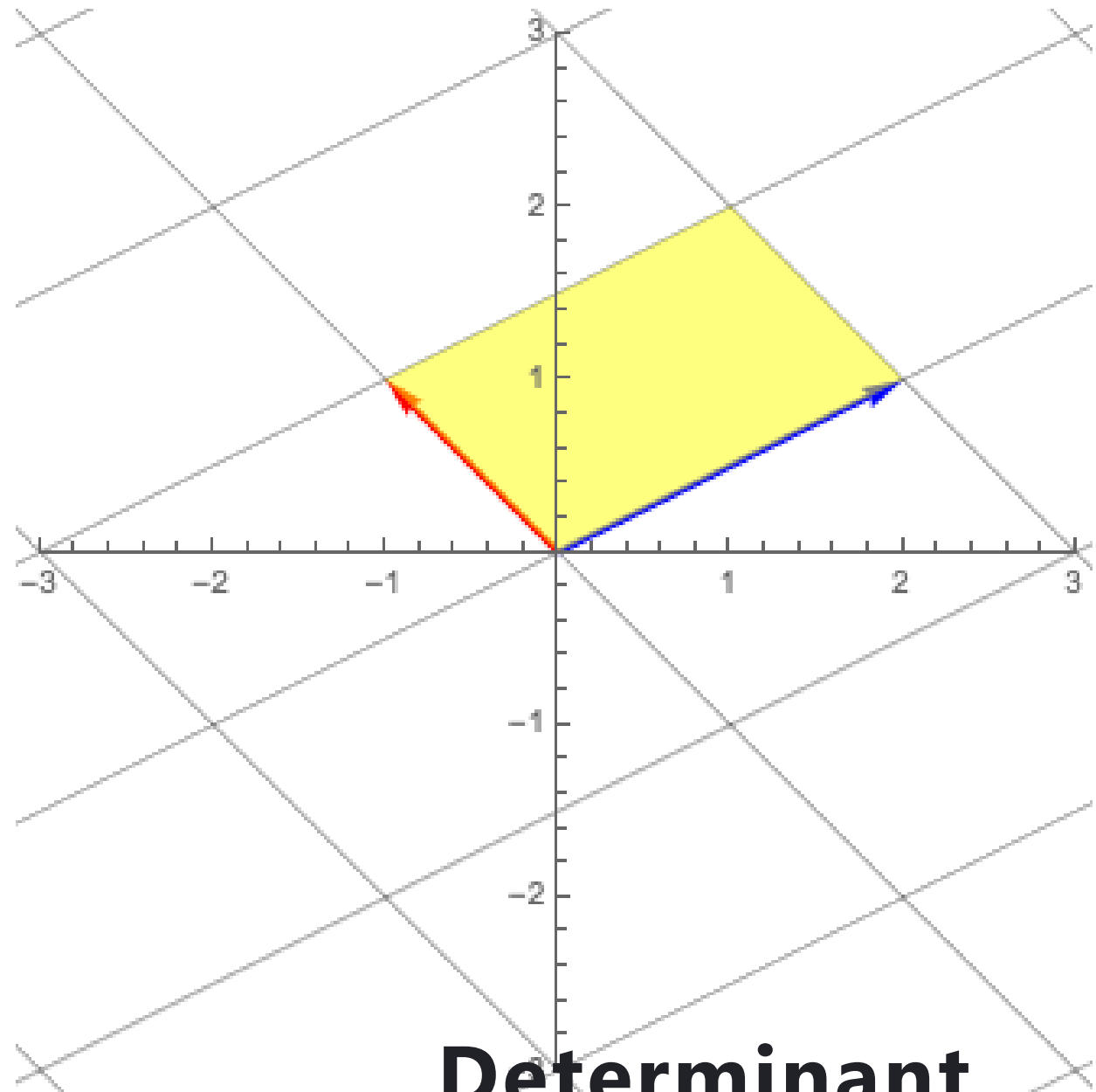
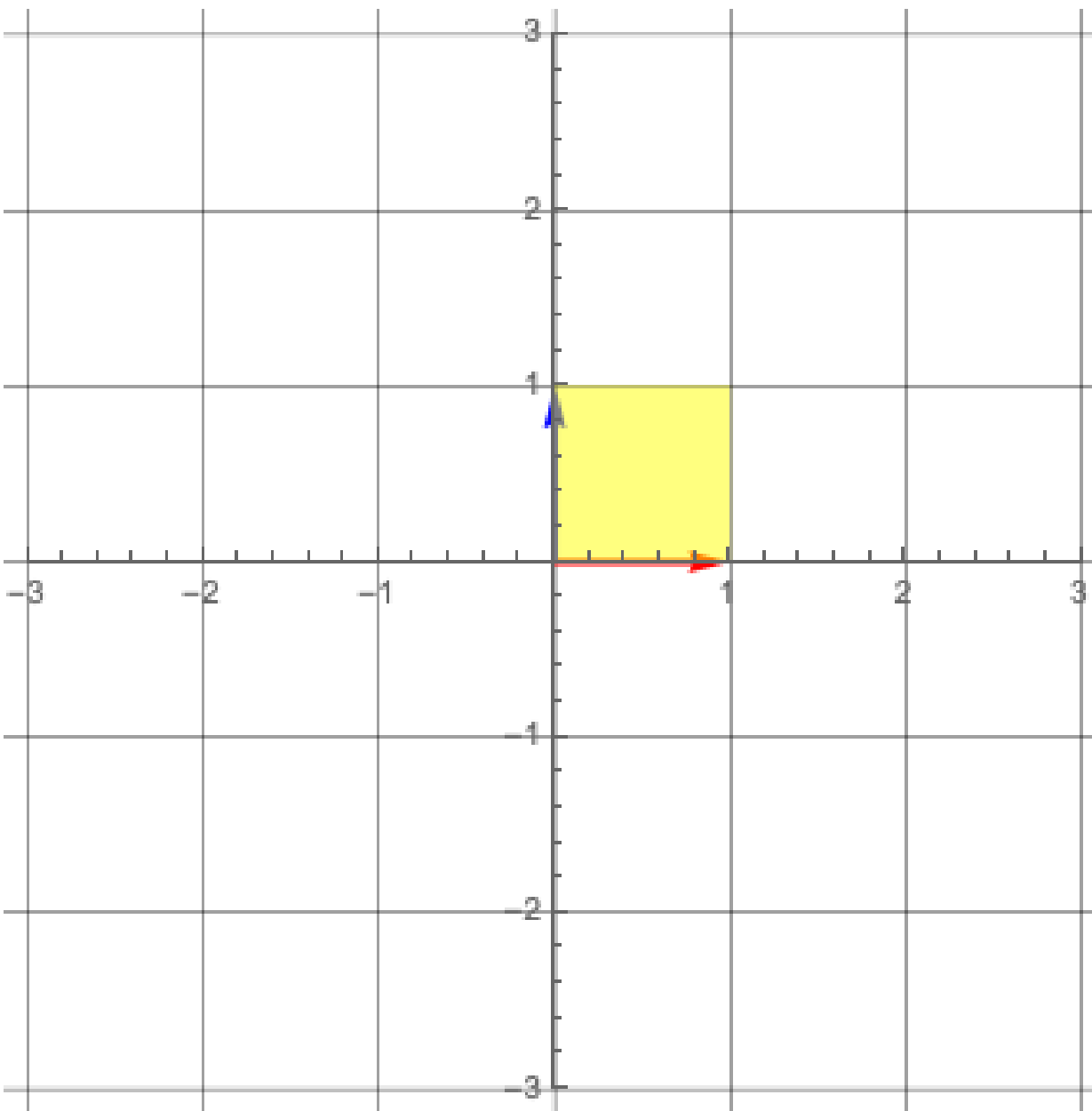
**Determinant**



**Determinant**

# Determinant

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{bmatrix} \end{pmatrix} \\ = a \det \begin{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e & f \\ h & i \end{bmatrix} \end{pmatrix} - b \det \begin{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} d & f \\ g & i \end{bmatrix} \end{pmatrix} + c \det \begin{pmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} d & e \\ g & h \end{bmatrix} \end{pmatrix}$$



**Determinant**

# Determinant

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

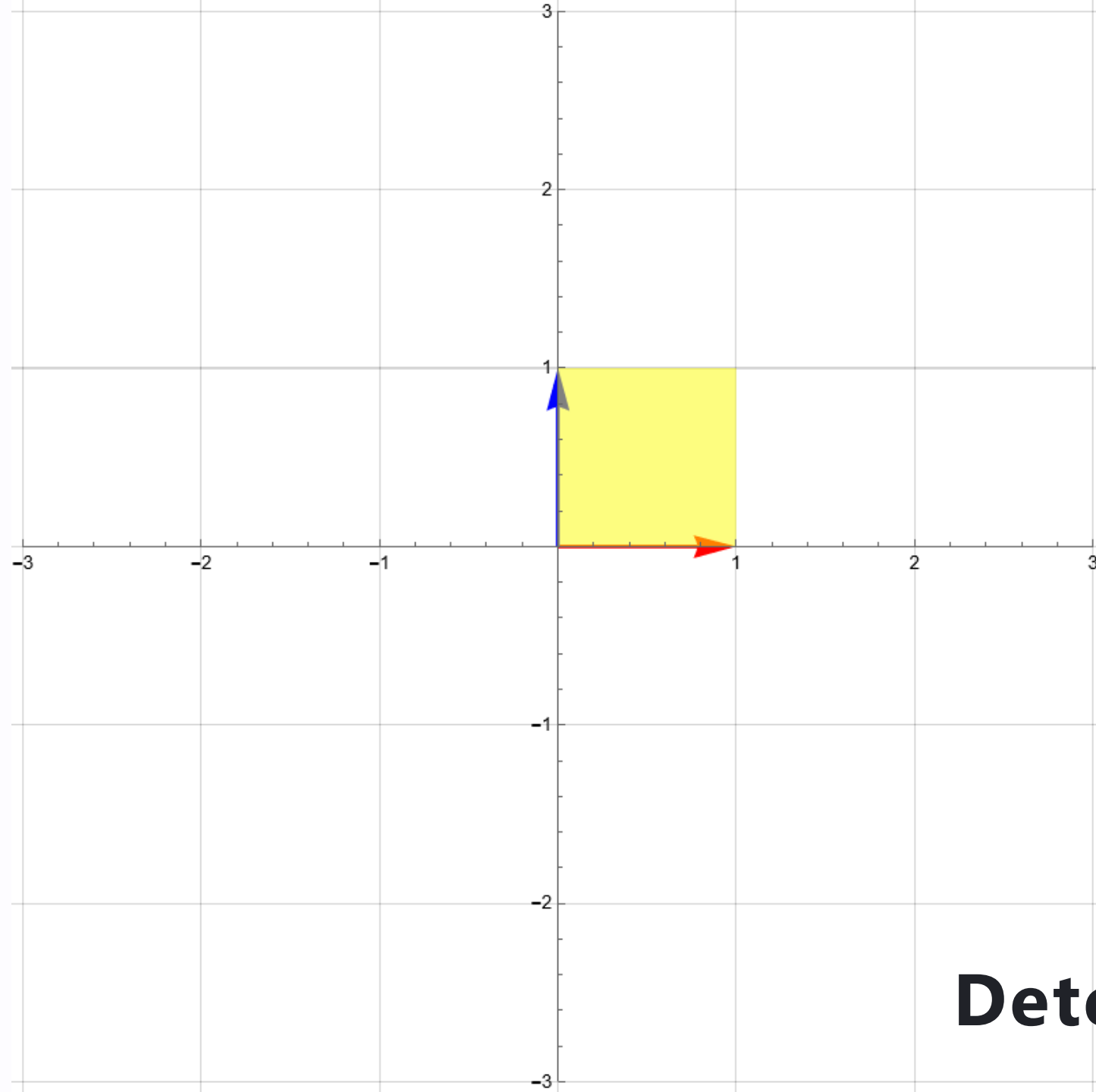
# Determinant

$$\det \left( \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) = -1(1) - 2(1) = -3$$

# Determinant

- This means that the factor of stretching/compression for the transformation is  $-3$
- The **sign** of the determinant has meaning
- If the determinant is negative it means that the space is **compressed beyond 0** to the point that the space is flipped.

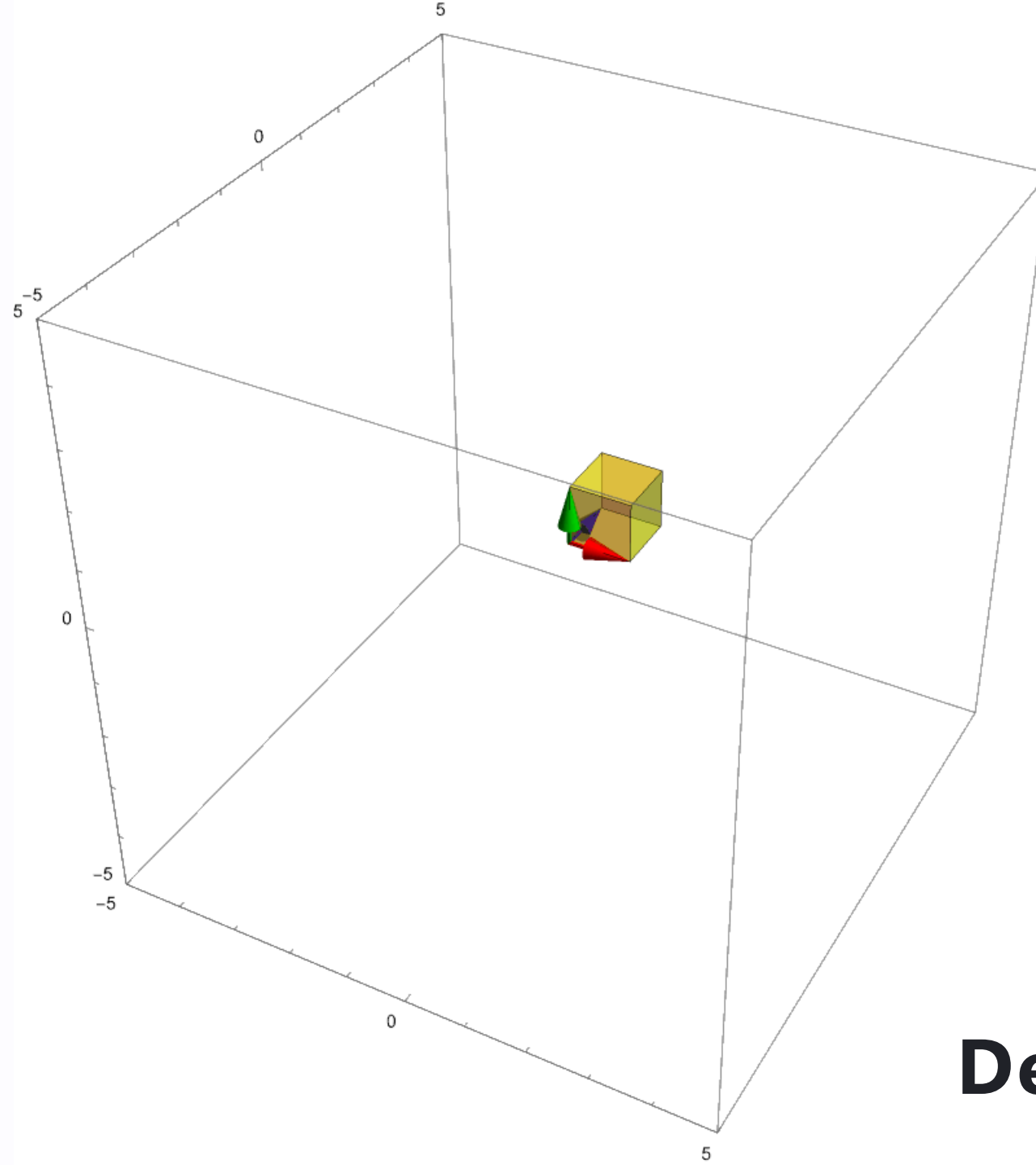




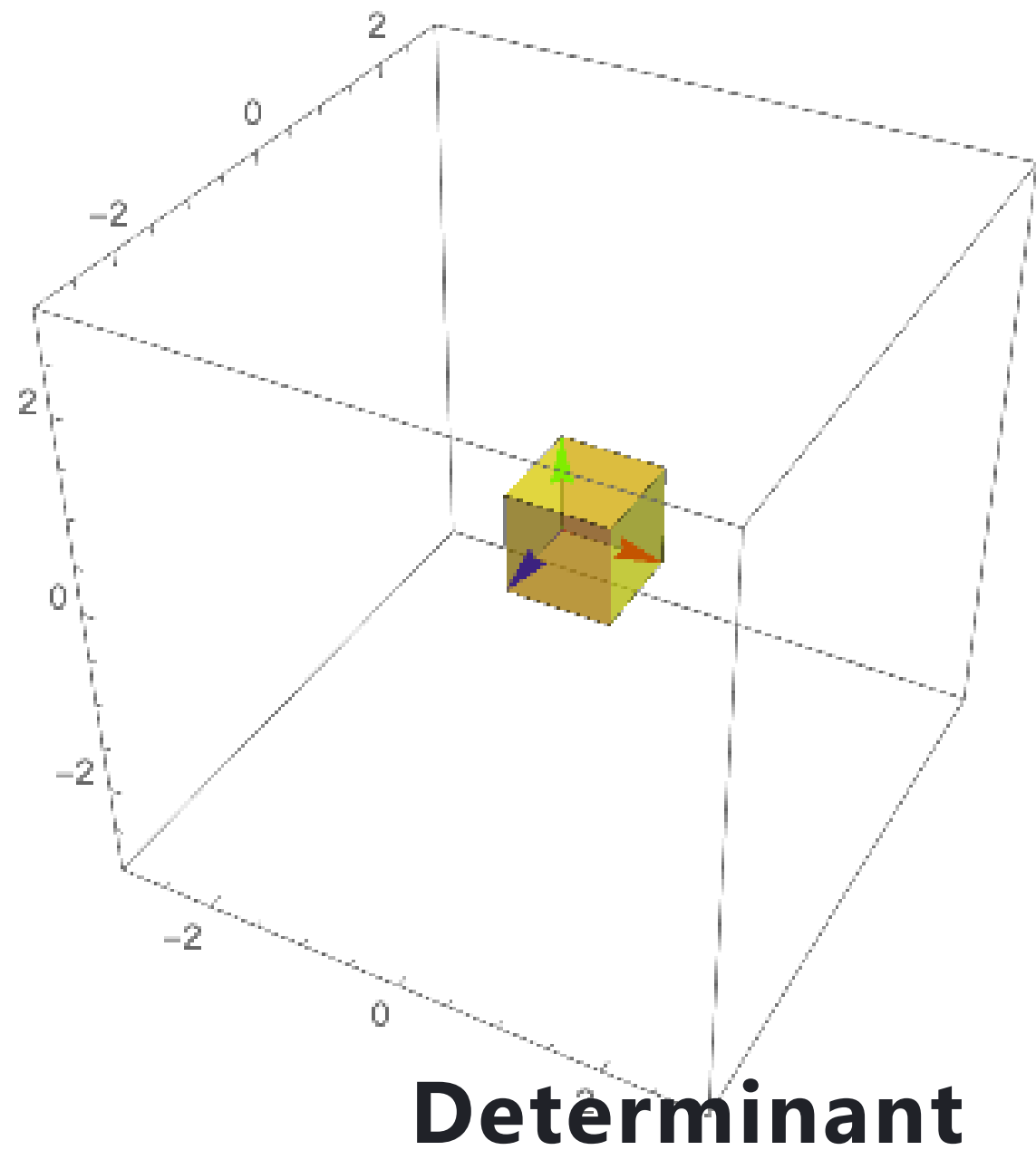
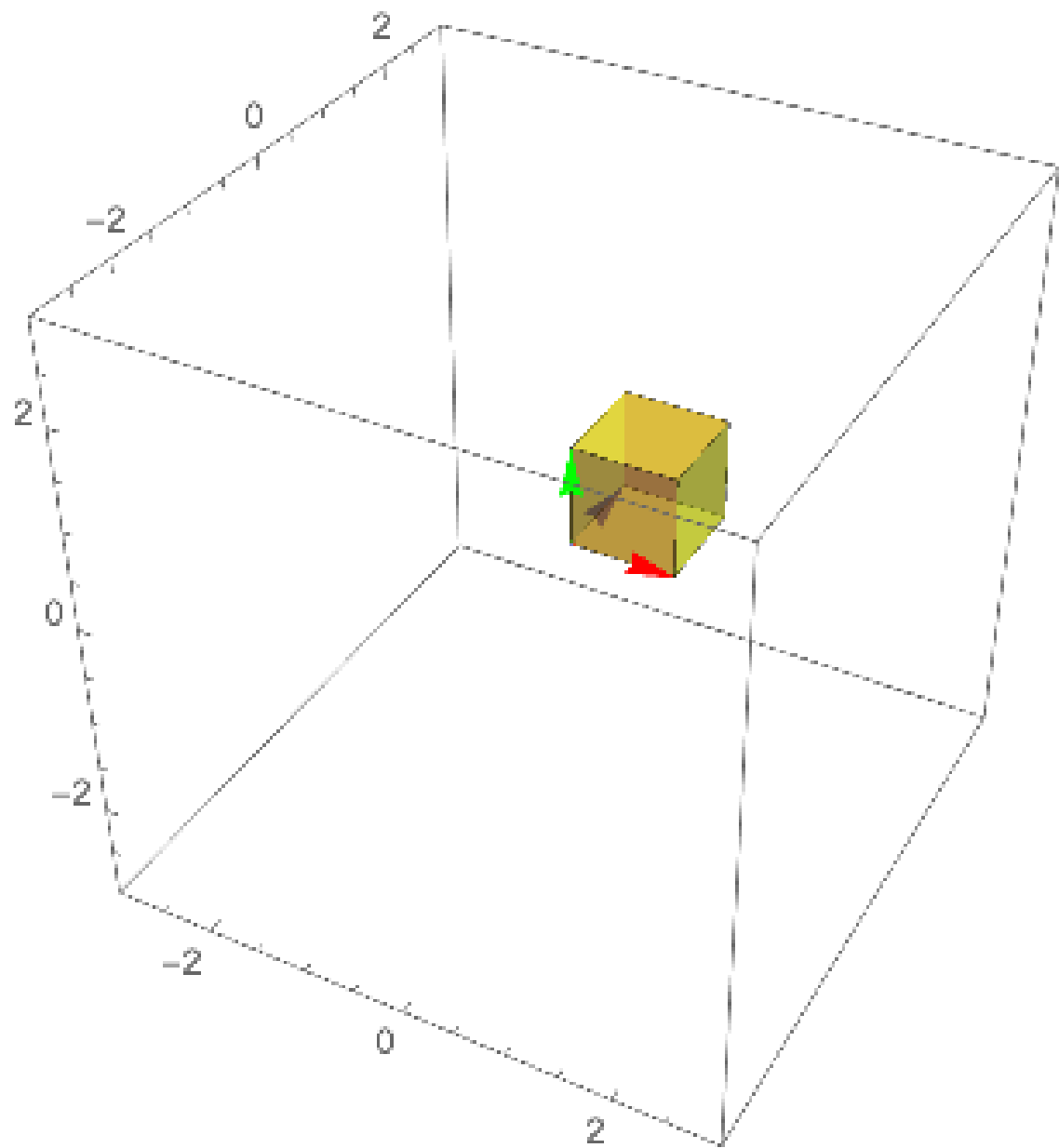
**Determinant**

# Determinant

Flipping space in the 3 dimensions means that the basis vectors cannot follow **right hand rule**.



**Determinant**



# Inverse Matrices

$$2x + 0y = 4$$

$$0x + y = 3$$

# Inverse Matrices

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Inverse Matrices

You can think of the **coefficients** for  $x$  and  $y$  as the numbers that make up the **transformation matrix**,  $T$

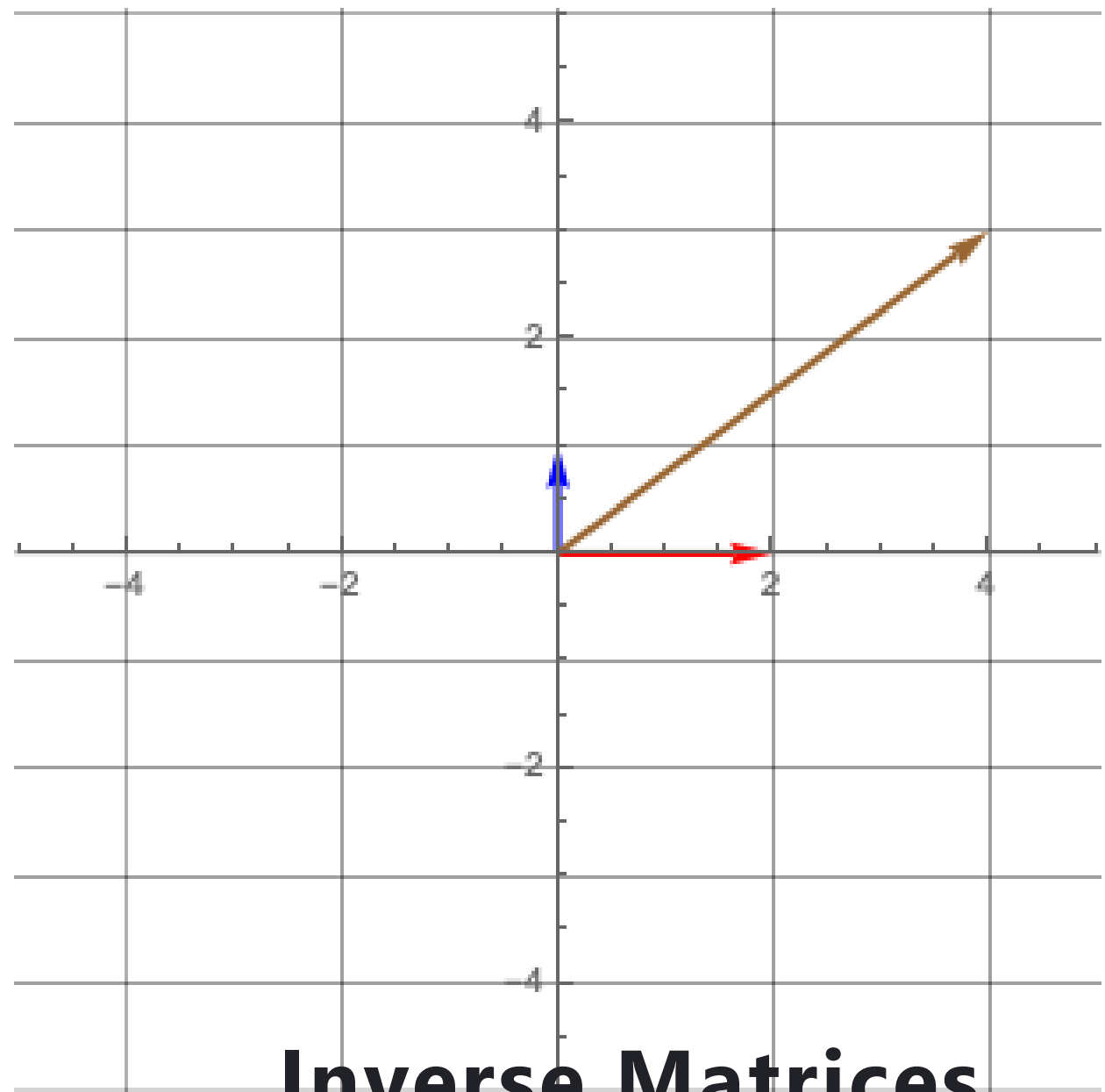
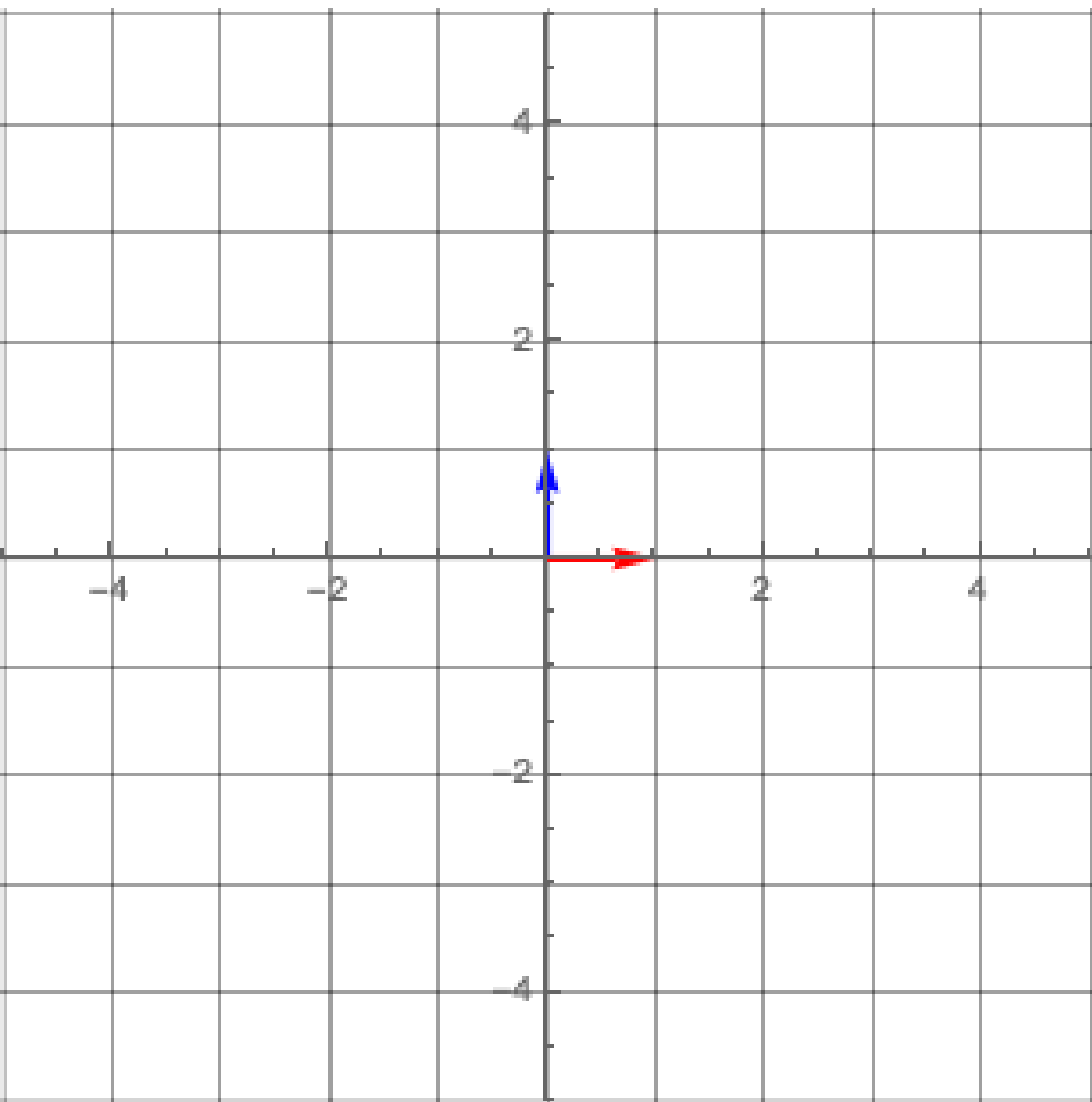
# Inverse Matrices

$$T\vec{v} = \vec{v}'$$



# Inverse Matrices

To find the solutions of this system of linear equations,  
you need to look for the **original value** of  $\vec{v}'$  **before**  
the transformation



**Inverse Matrices**

# Inverse Matrices

- To do this you need to make use of a special matrix related to the transformation matrix  $T$ , called the **inverse matrix**,  $T^{-1}$
- This matrix serves as the inverse of the transformation  $T$  such that, **combining  $T$  and  $T^{-1}$**  results to the original locations of the basis, or the identity matrix

# Inverse Matrices

$$T^{-1}T = I$$

# Inverse Matrices

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.5 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

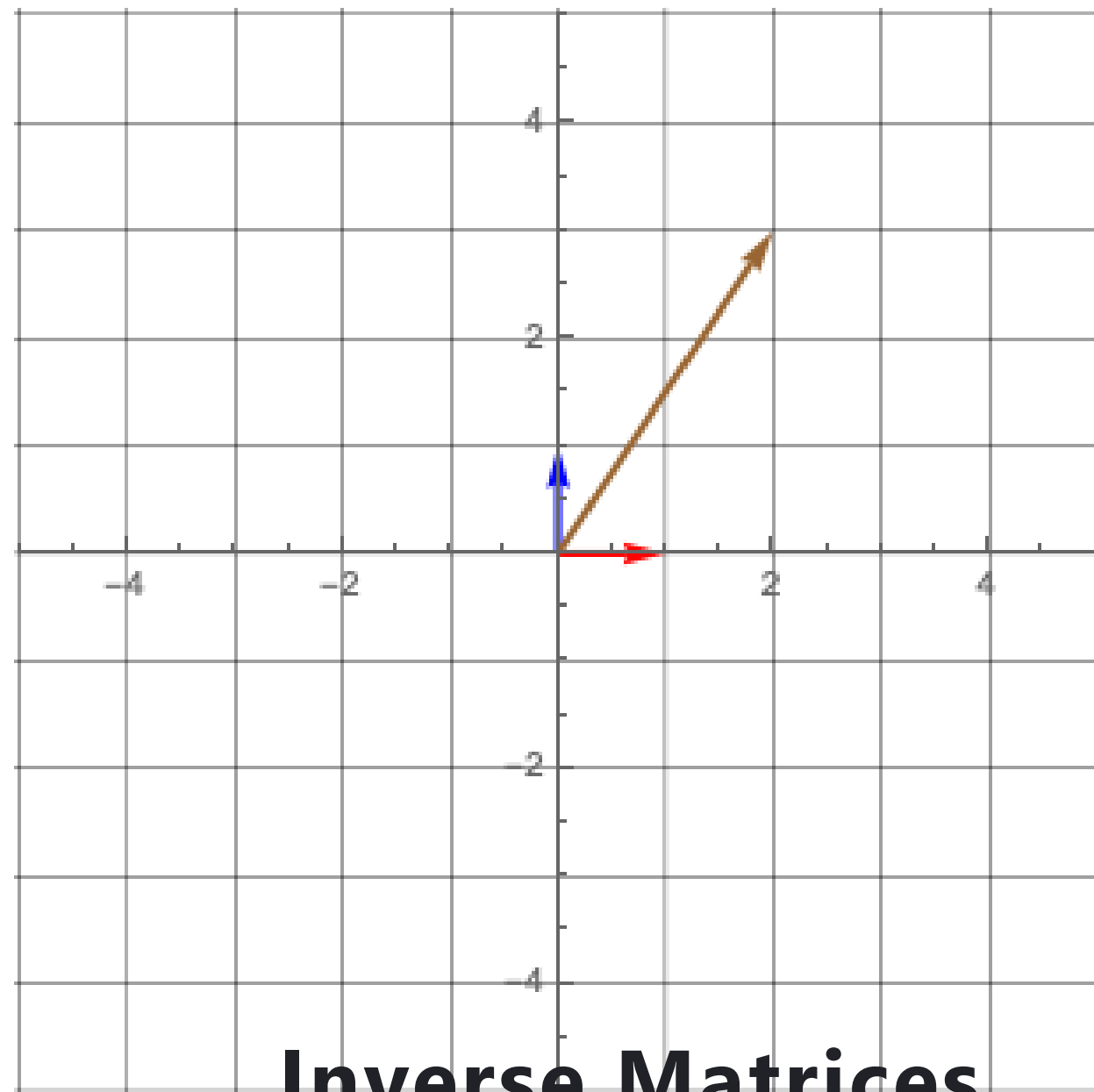
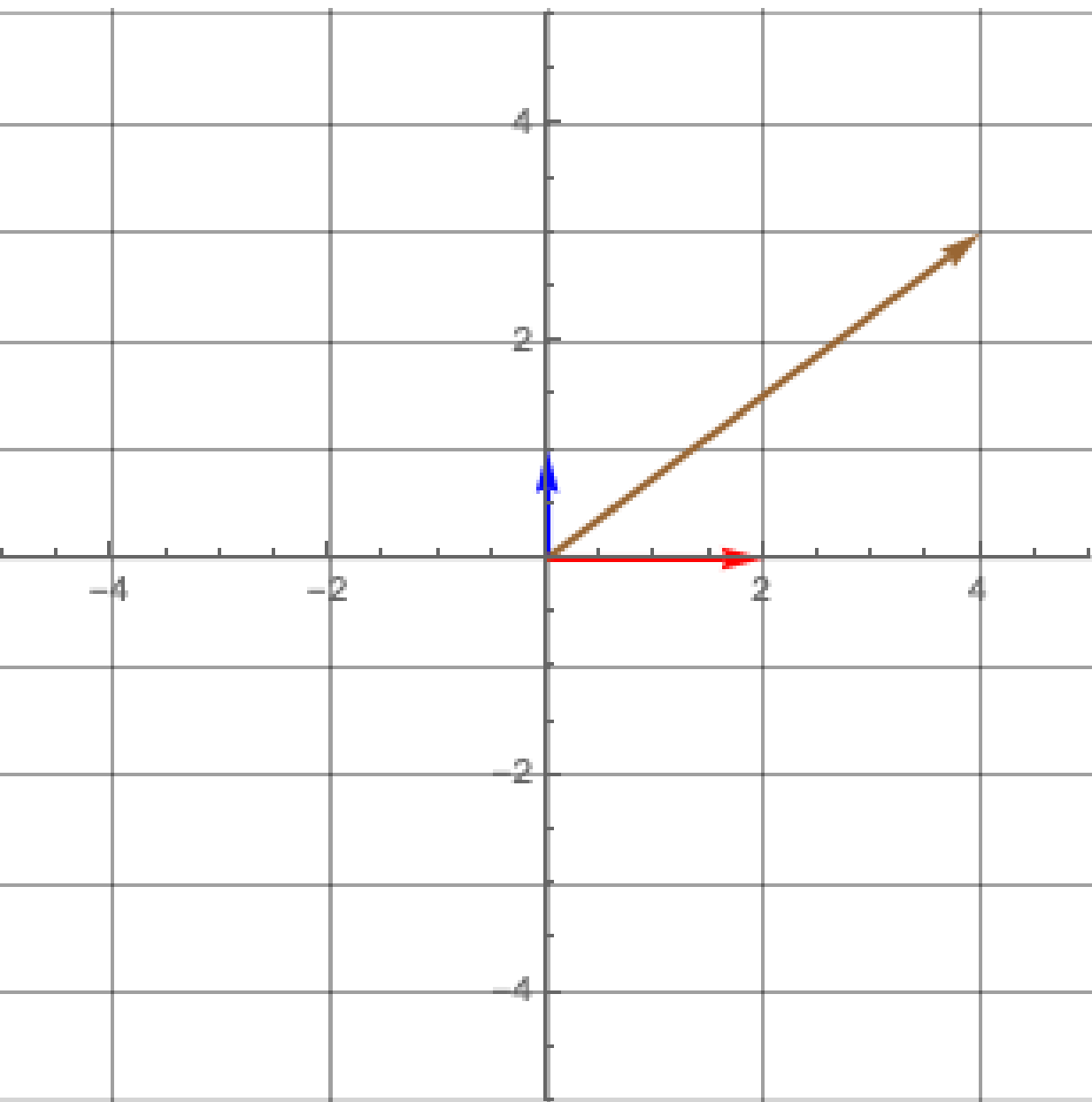
# Inverse Matrices

$$T^{-1}T\vec{v} = T^{-1}\vec{v}'$$

$$\vec{v} = T^{-1}\vec{v}'$$

# Inverse Matrices

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.5 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$





# Finding the inverse matrix

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

# Finding the inverse matrix

1. You can change the values of a row by multiplying all of the numbers in the row by a constant
2. You can change rows by adding the elements of other rows to it.

# Finding the inverse matrix

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

# Finding the inverse matrix

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & \frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -2 & 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 3 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \quad (R_1 \rightarrow \frac{1}{3}R_1)$$

# Finding the inverse matrix

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & \frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & \frac{4}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 3 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \quad (R_2 \rightarrow -R_1)$$

# Finding the inverse matrix

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & \frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & \frac{4}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & \frac{8}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \quad (R_3 \rightarrow R_1 + R_3)$$

# Finding the inverse matrix

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & \frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{6} & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 3 & \frac{8}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right] \quad (R_2 \rightarrow -\frac{1}{2}R_2)$$

# Finding the inverse matrix

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & \frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{6} & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{14}{3} & -\frac{1}{6} & \frac{3}{2} & 1 \end{array} \right] \quad (R_3 \rightarrow -3R_3)$$



# Finding the inverse matrix

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & \frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{6} & -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{1}{28} & \frac{9}{28} & \frac{3}{14} \end{array} \right] \quad (R_3 \rightarrow \frac{3}{14}R_3)$$

# Finding the inverse matrix

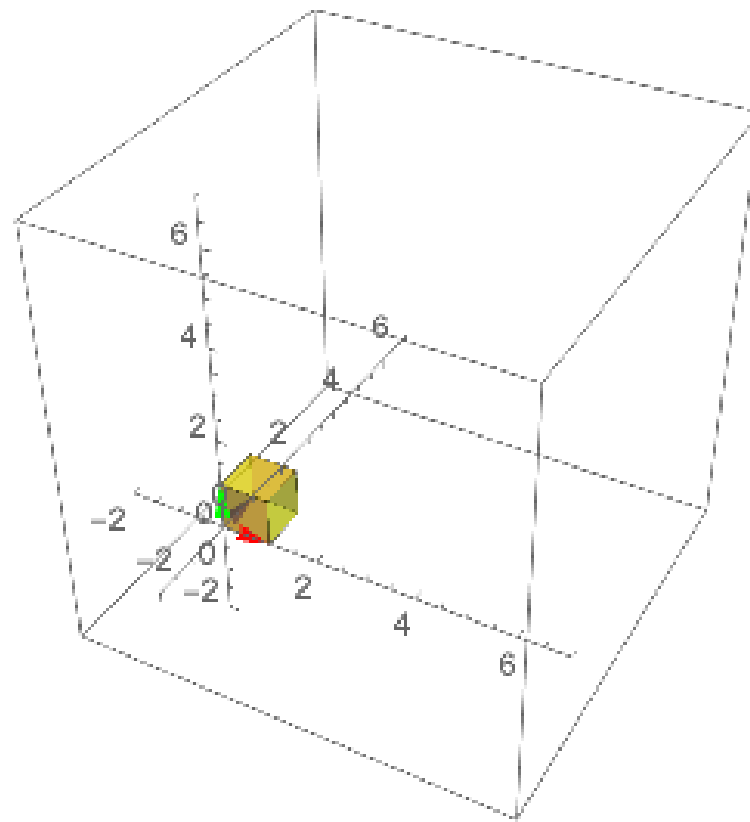
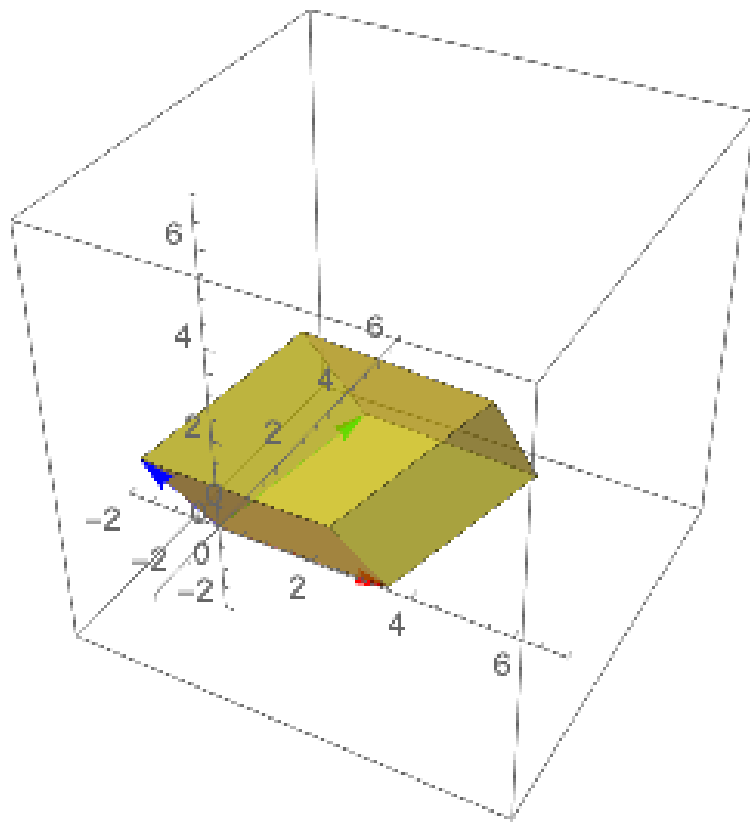
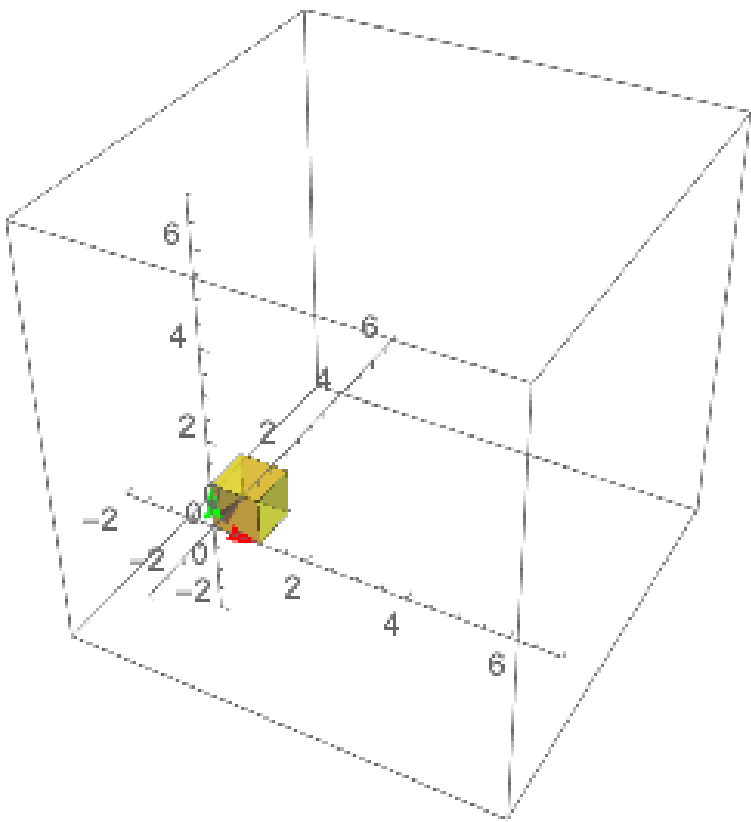
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# Finding the inverse matrix

$$\left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & \frac{5}{14} & -\frac{3}{14} & -\frac{1}{7} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \frac{1}{7} & -\frac{2}{7} & \frac{1}{7} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{1}{28} & \frac{9}{28} & \frac{3}{14} \end{array} \right] \quad (R_2 \rightarrow \frac{2}{3})$$

# Finding the inverse matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{5}{14} & -\frac{3}{14} & -\frac{1}{7} \\ \frac{1}{7} & -\frac{2}{7} & \frac{1}{7} \\ -\frac{1}{28} & \frac{9}{28} & \frac{3}{14} \end{bmatrix}$$



**Finding the inverse matrix**

# Singular Matrices

1. There is one solution
2. There are infinitely many solutions
3. There are no solutions

# Singular Matrices

These happen when the span of the transformed basis vectors (also called **column space**) has reduced dimension

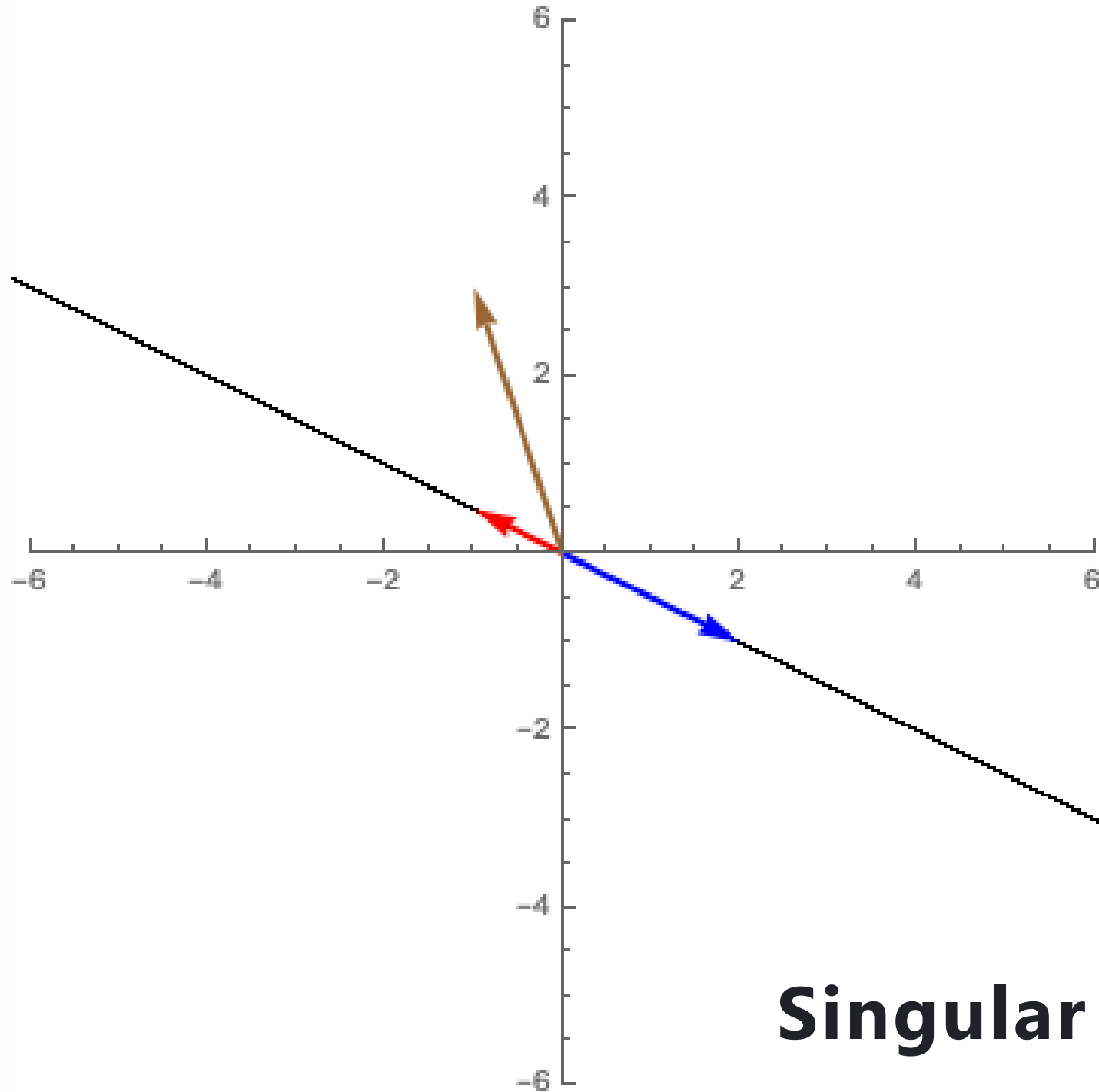
# Singular Matrices

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 0.5 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

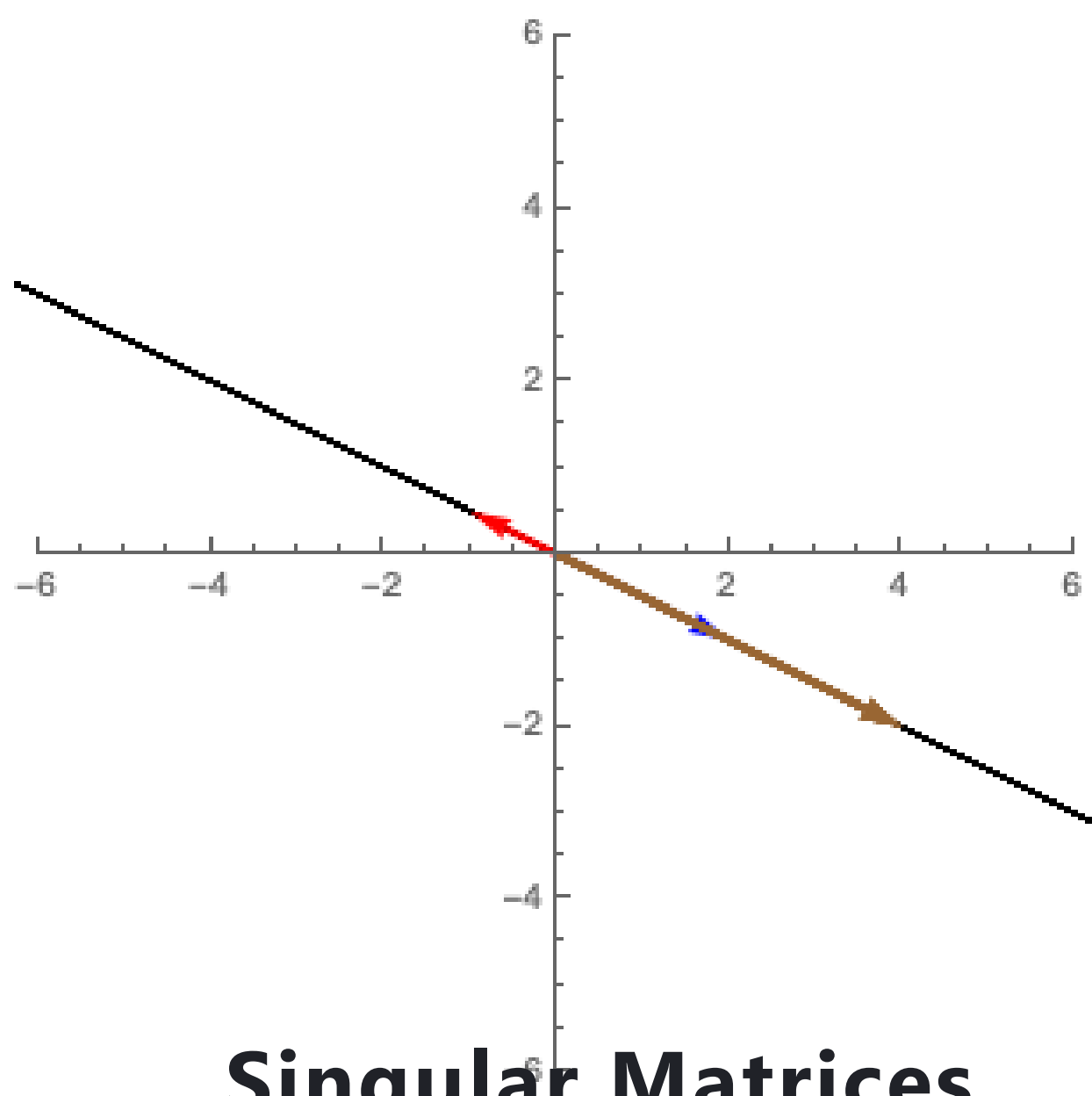
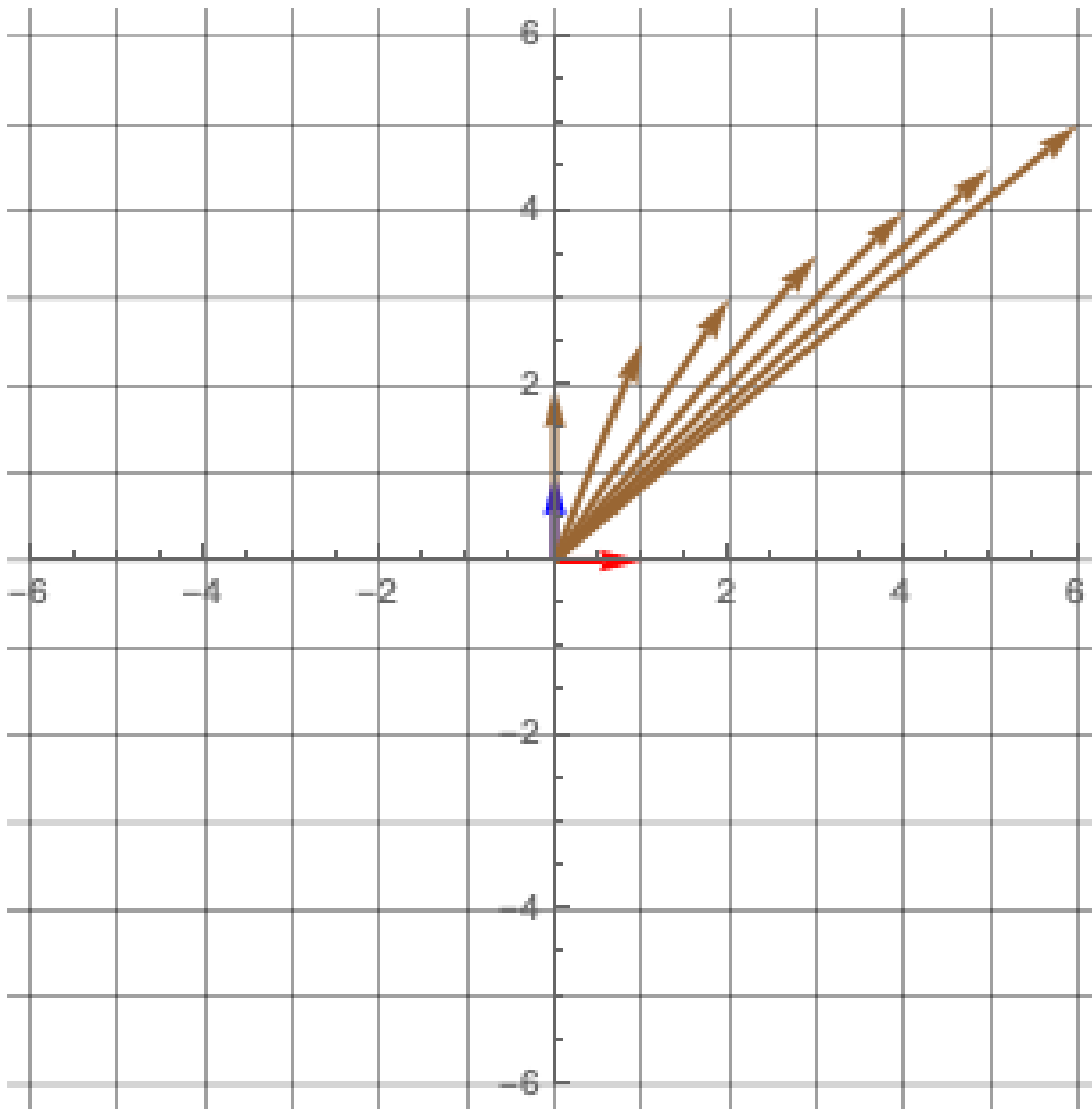


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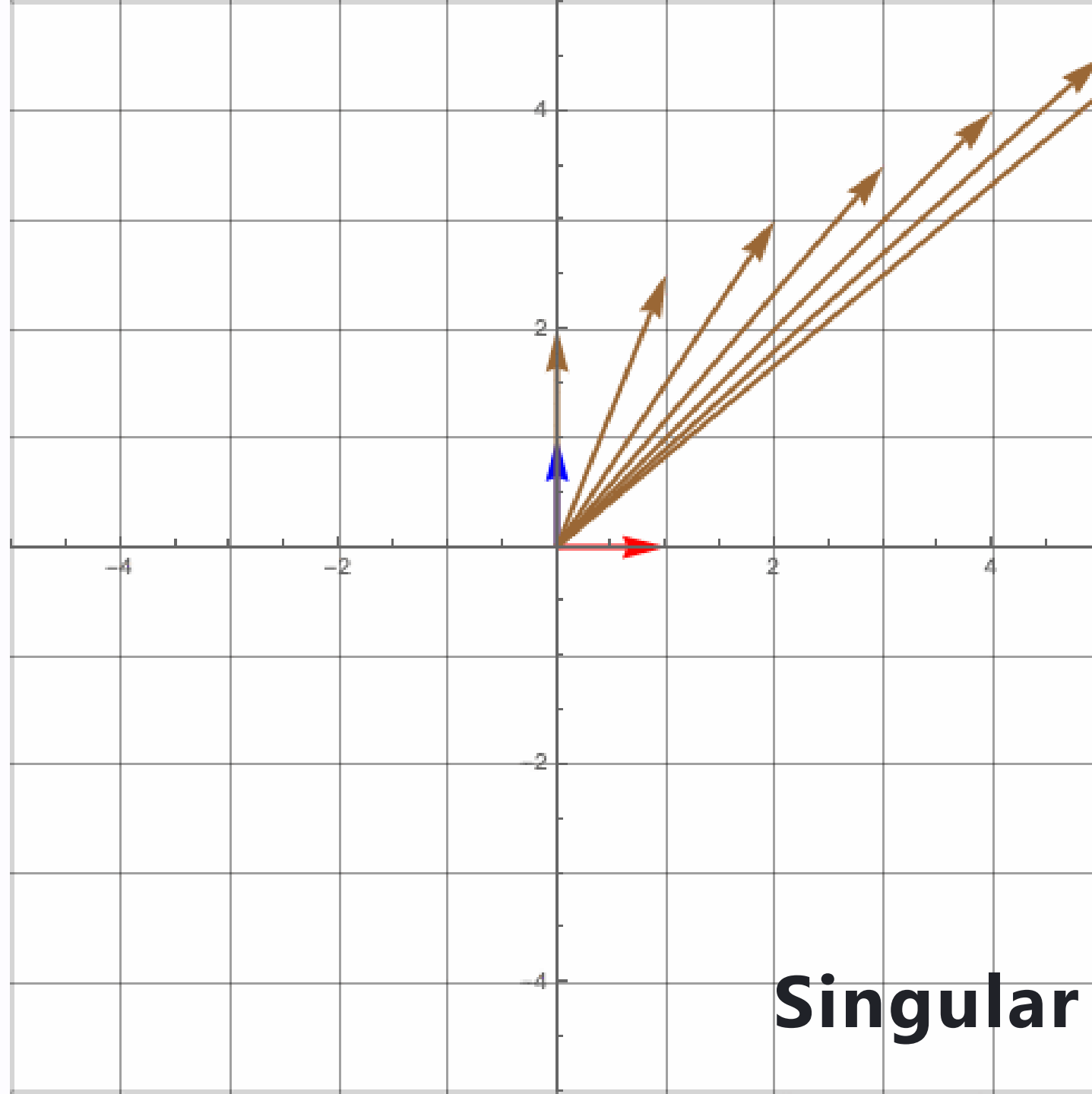
$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 0.5 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$



**Singular Matrices**



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**Singular Matrices**

# Singular Matrices

We call non-invertible matrices such as the transformation above, **singular**.

# Matrices in the Perspective of Linear Algebra

- The main thesis of this series of lectures should not just be on the definitions of **matrices and their concepts**
- The focus of this lecture is the essence of these concepts both **numerically** and **visually**

# Matrices in the Perspective of Linear Algebra

- A **vector** - an arbitrary member of some vector space, presented as an arrow from origin to a corresponding point in some  $n$ -dimensional space.
- An  $n$ -dimensional **square matrix** - defines some linear transformation, its values correspond to the new location of the basis vectors after the transformation.

# Matrices in the Perspective of Linear Algebra

- **matrix multiplication** - composition of linear transformations. The product summarizes the linear transformations into one.
- **determinant** - the factor of scaling of the vector space during a transformation
- **matrix inverse** - the functional inverse of a matrix, reverses the transformation



# Non-square Matrices

Let's talk about a class of matrices we haven't talked about before, a **non-square matrix**:

# Non-square Matrices

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

# Non-square Matrices

- But the closest related concept for these matrices are **linear transformations**
- If these are indeed linear transformations, these matrices are meant to be **multiplied** to other vectors to apply some transformation.

# Non-square Matrices

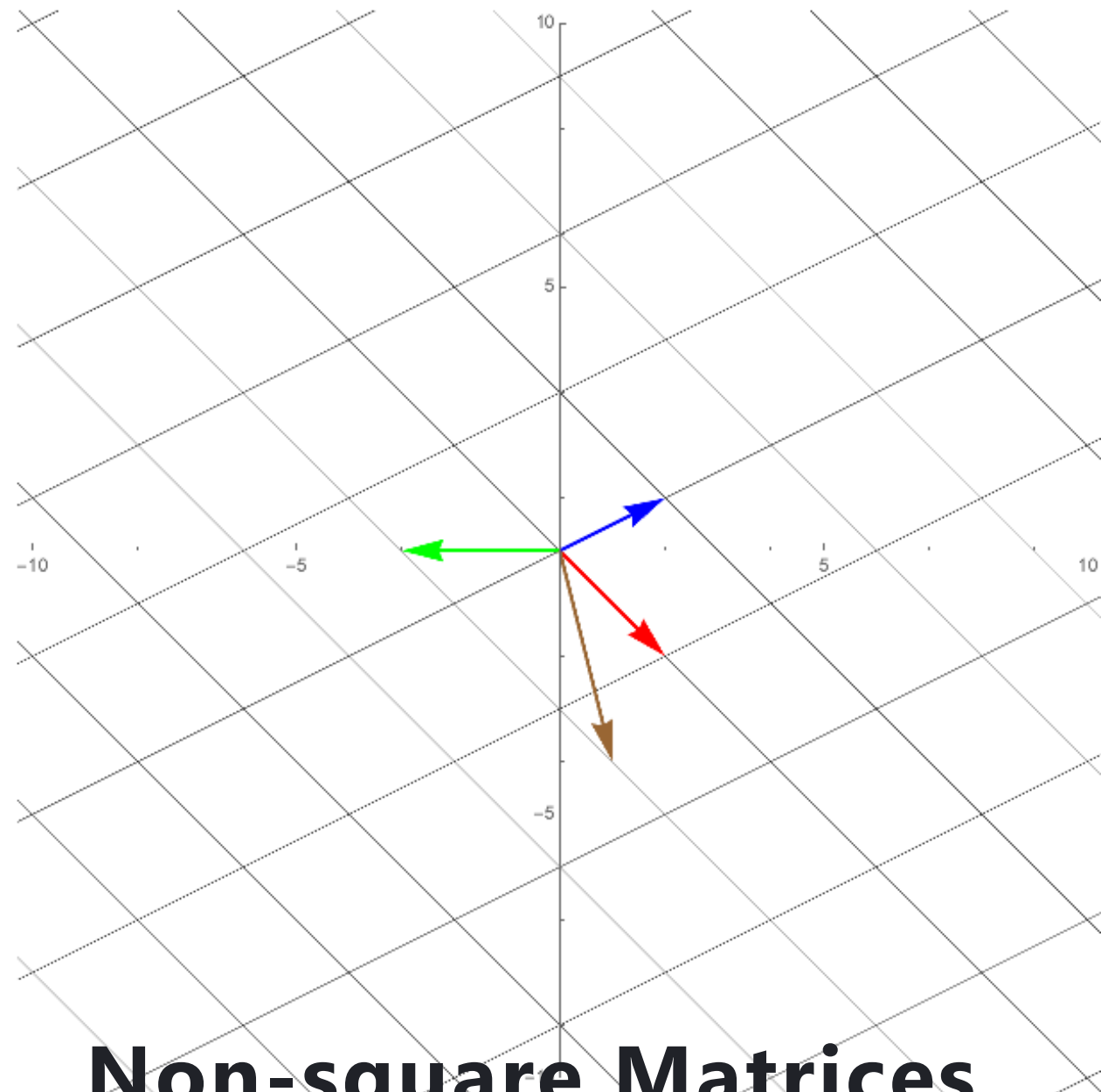
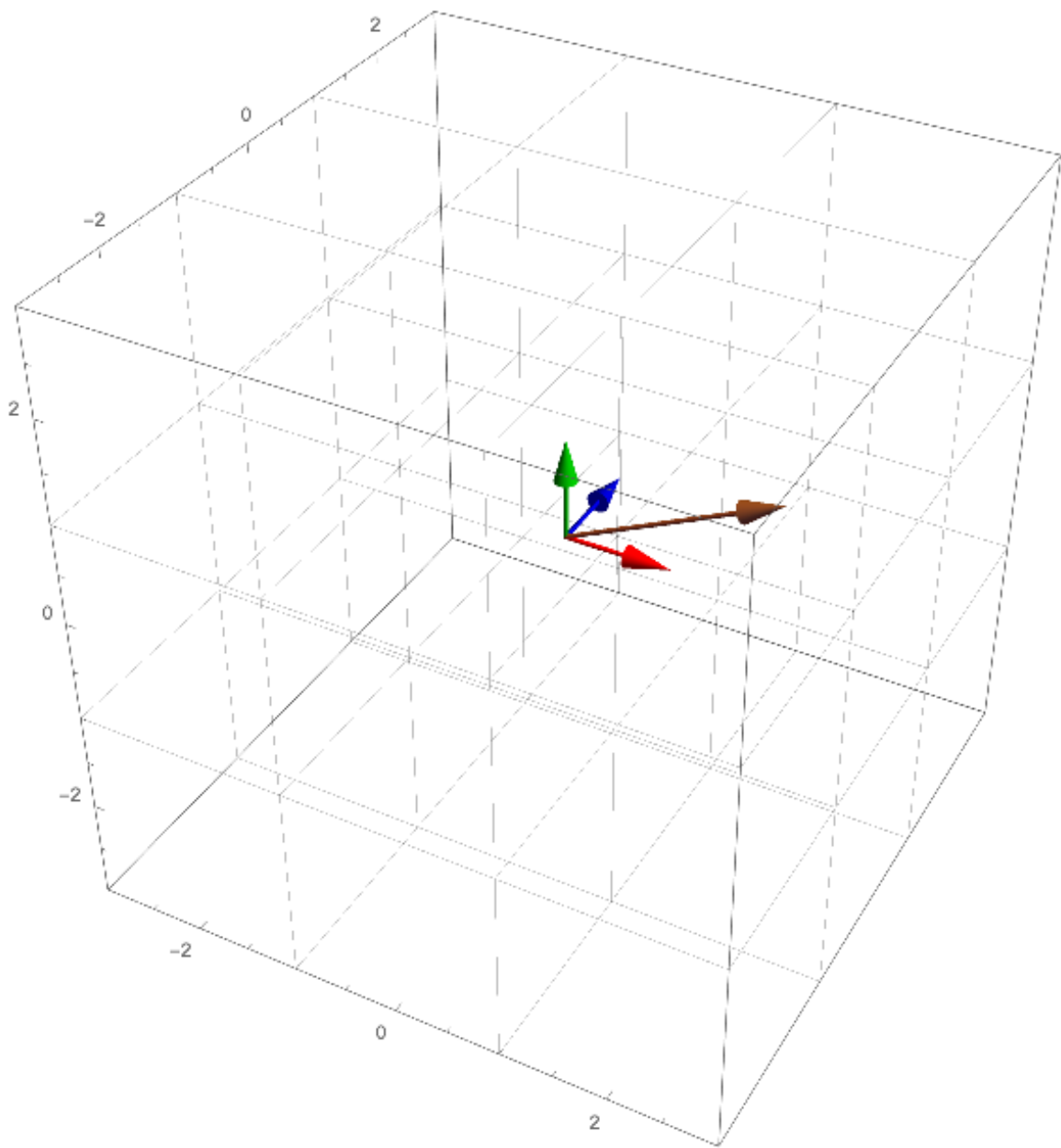
$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & -3 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \vec{v} = \vec{v}'$$

# Non-square Matrices

- Since this is a  $2 \times 3$  matrix, you can only multiply these with vectors of size  $3 \times 1$
- But the interesting thing about this transformation is that it produces a vector of size  $2 \times 1$ .

# Non-square Matrices

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



**Non-square Matrices**

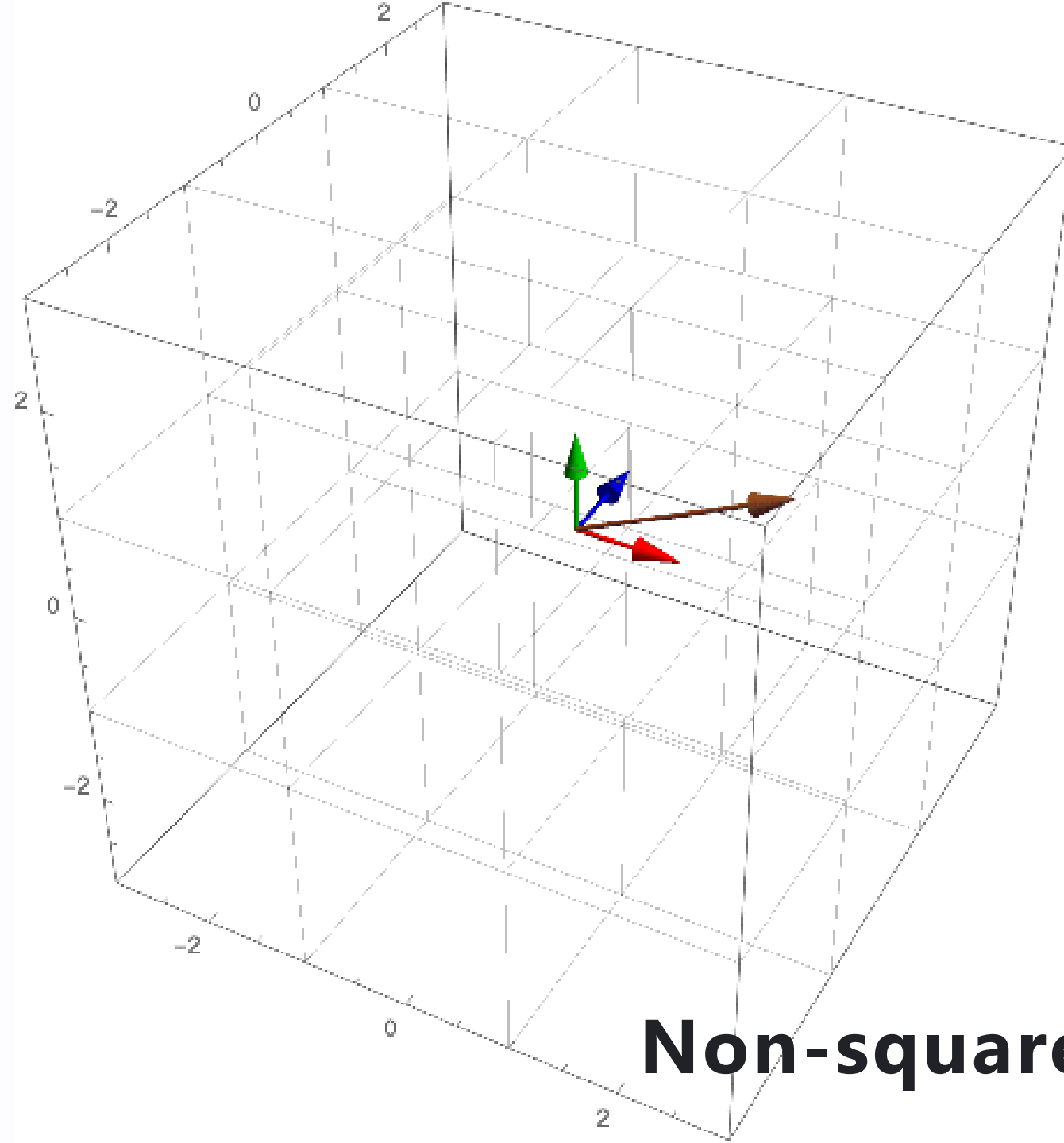
# Non-square Matrices

It is also a linear transformation, but it is specifically a transformation that **changes** the number of dimensions of the vector space



# Non-square Matrices

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



**Non-square Matrices**

# Non-square Matrices

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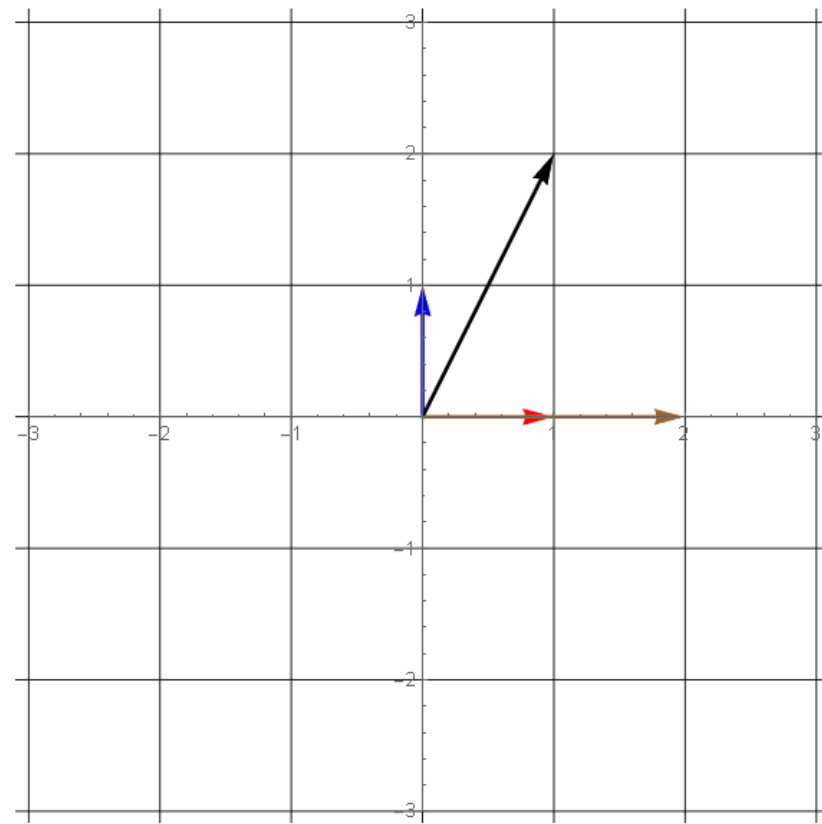
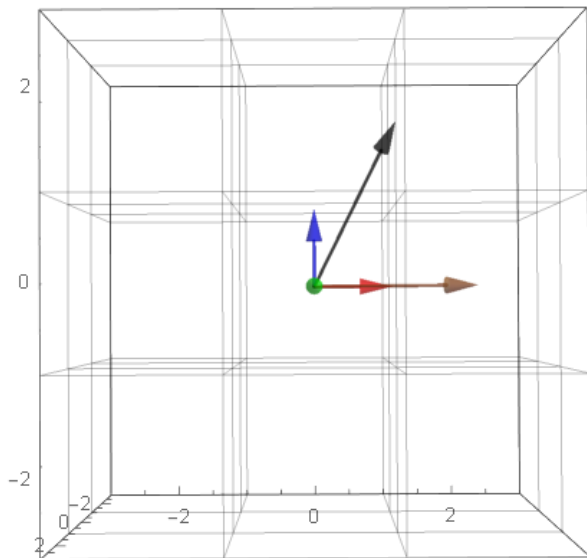
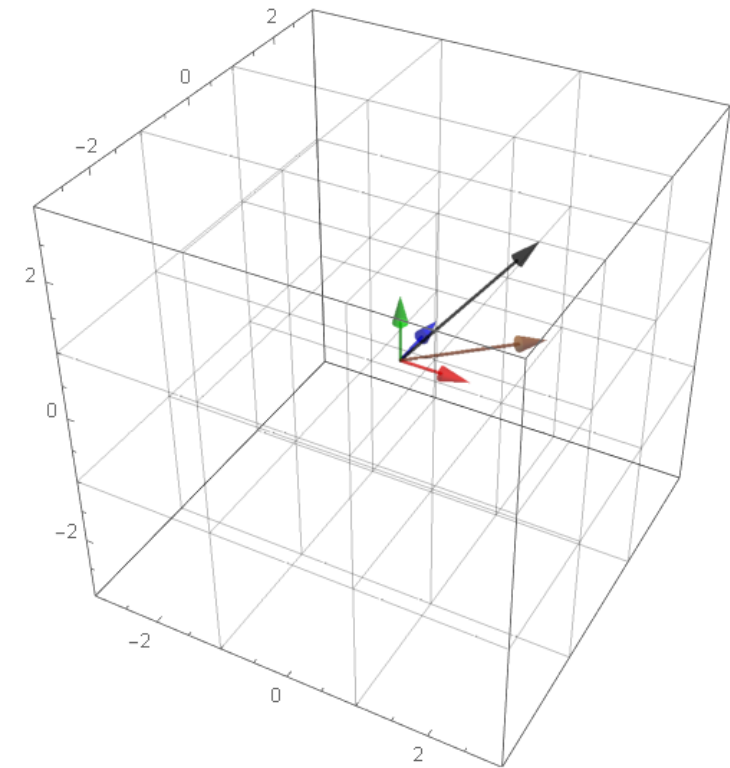
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \neq \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Non-square Matrices

The transformation of any  $n$ -dimensional vector to less than  $n$ -dimensional space, is similar to producing the **projection** or shadow of the vector

# Non-square Matrices

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

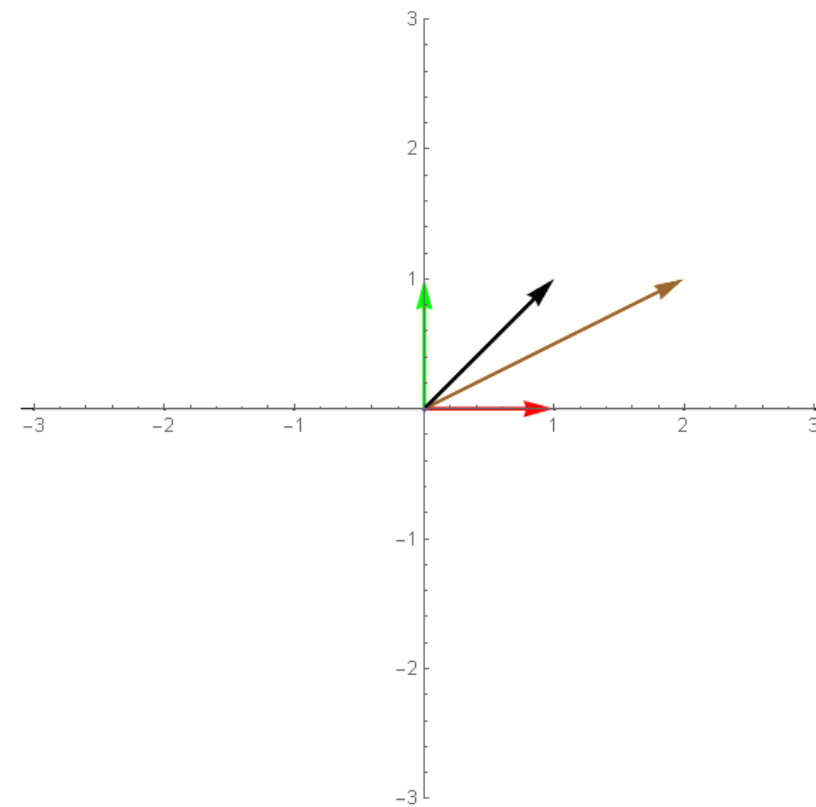
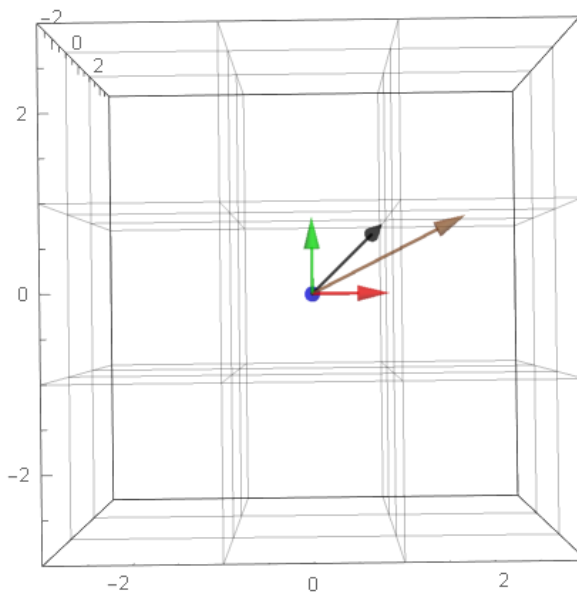
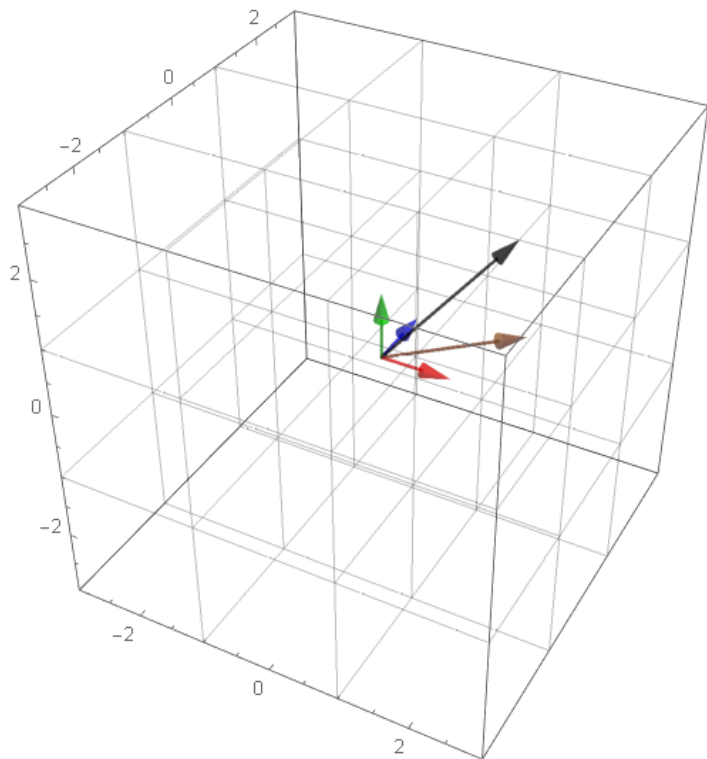


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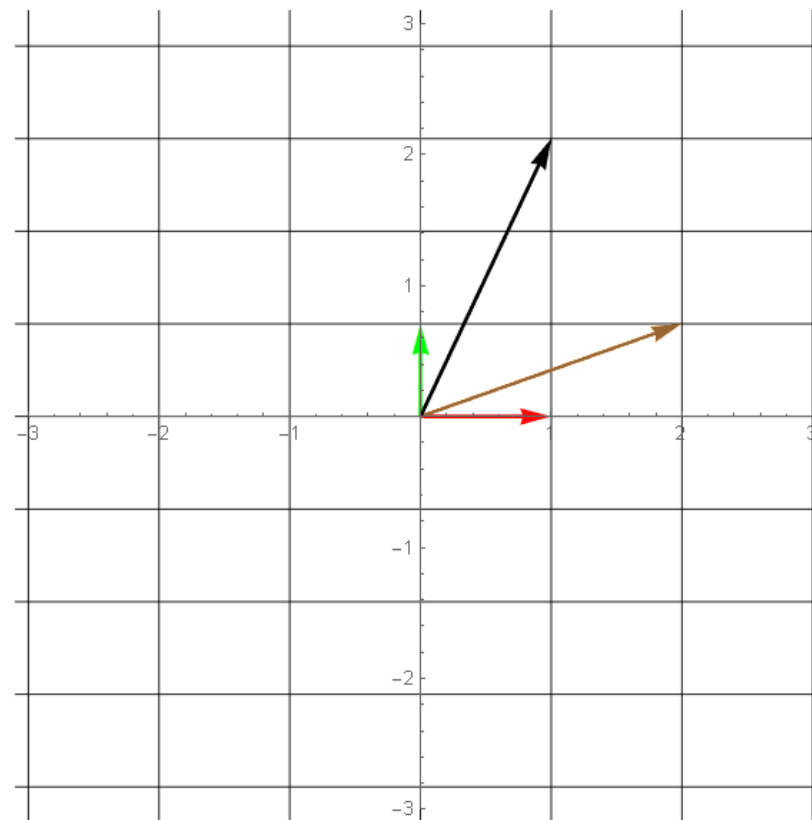
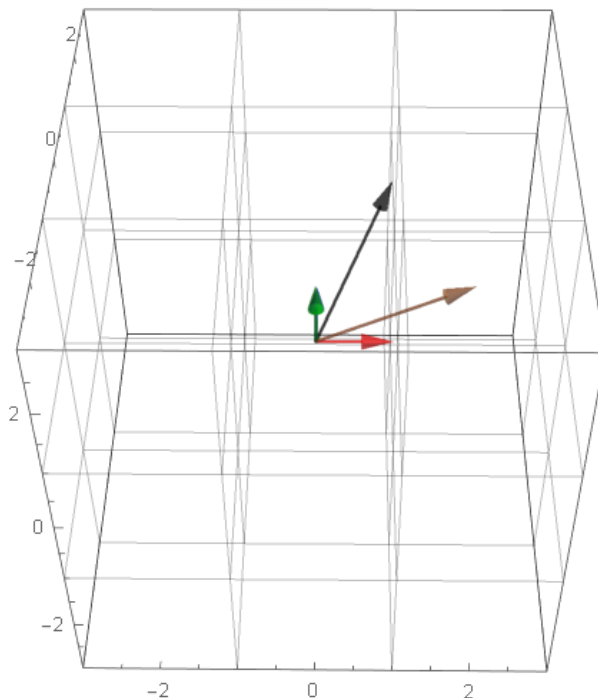
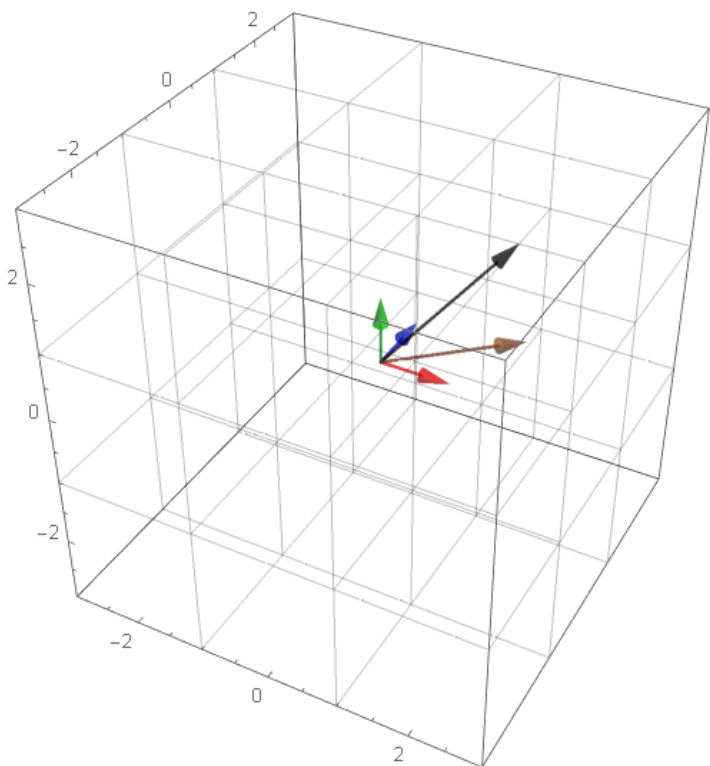
$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



# Non-square Matrices

# Non-square Matrices

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$



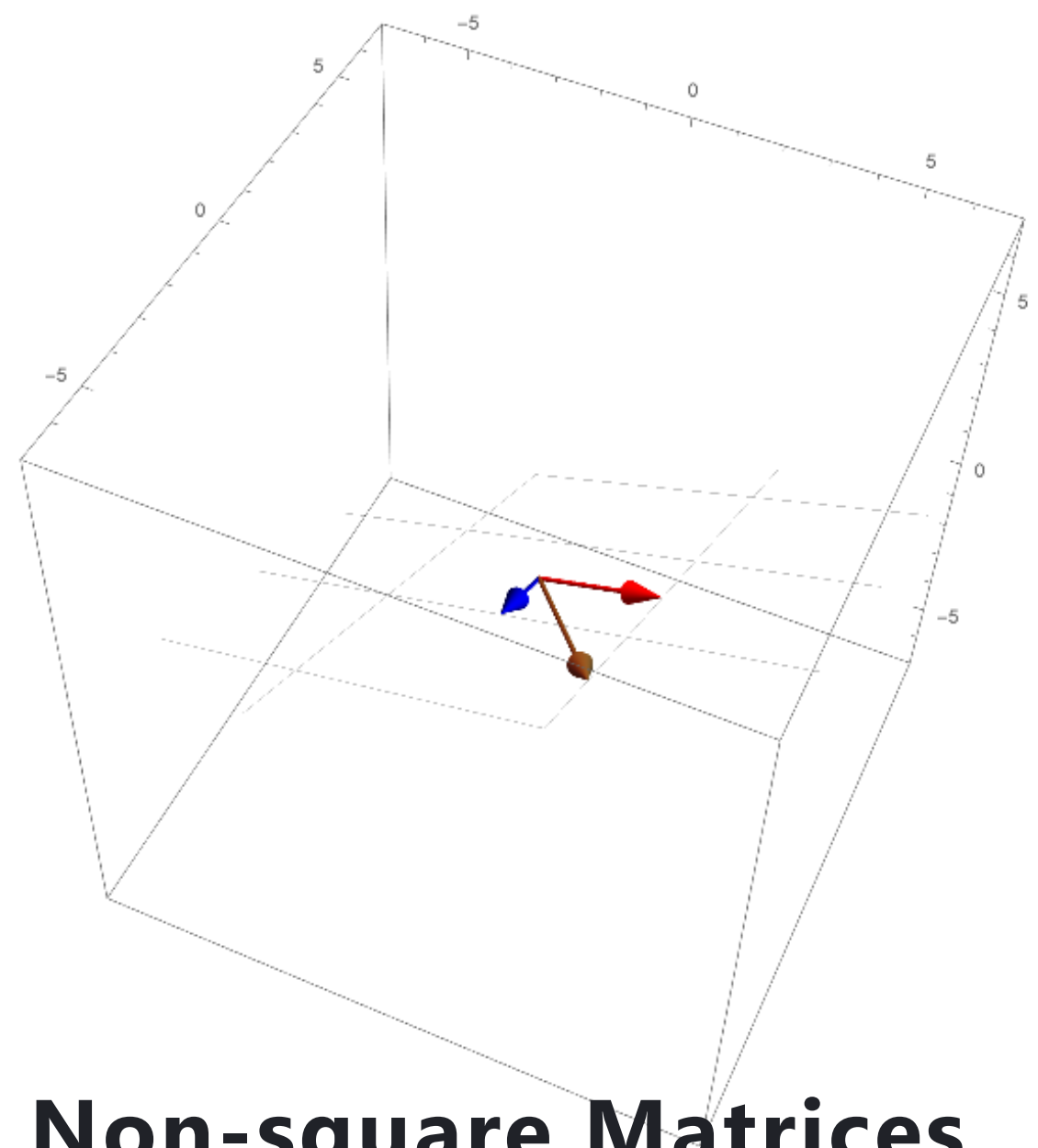
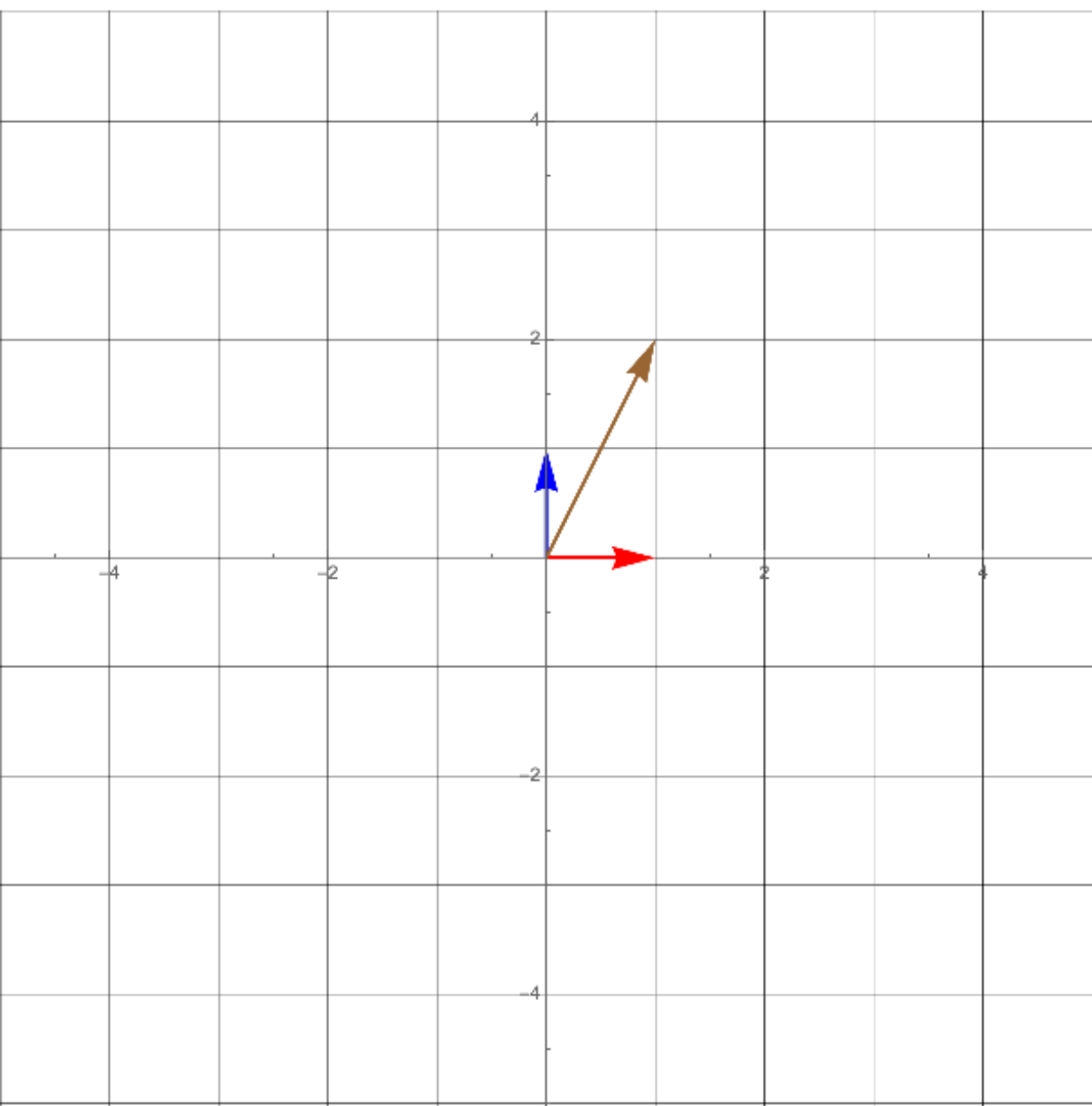
# Non-square Matrices

# Non-square Matrices

You can also transform a **2-dimensional** vector into a **3-dimensional vector**, to do this you need a  $3 \times 2$  transformation matrix.

# Non-square Matrices

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ -1 & -2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -5 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$



**Non-square Matrices**

# Non-square Matrices

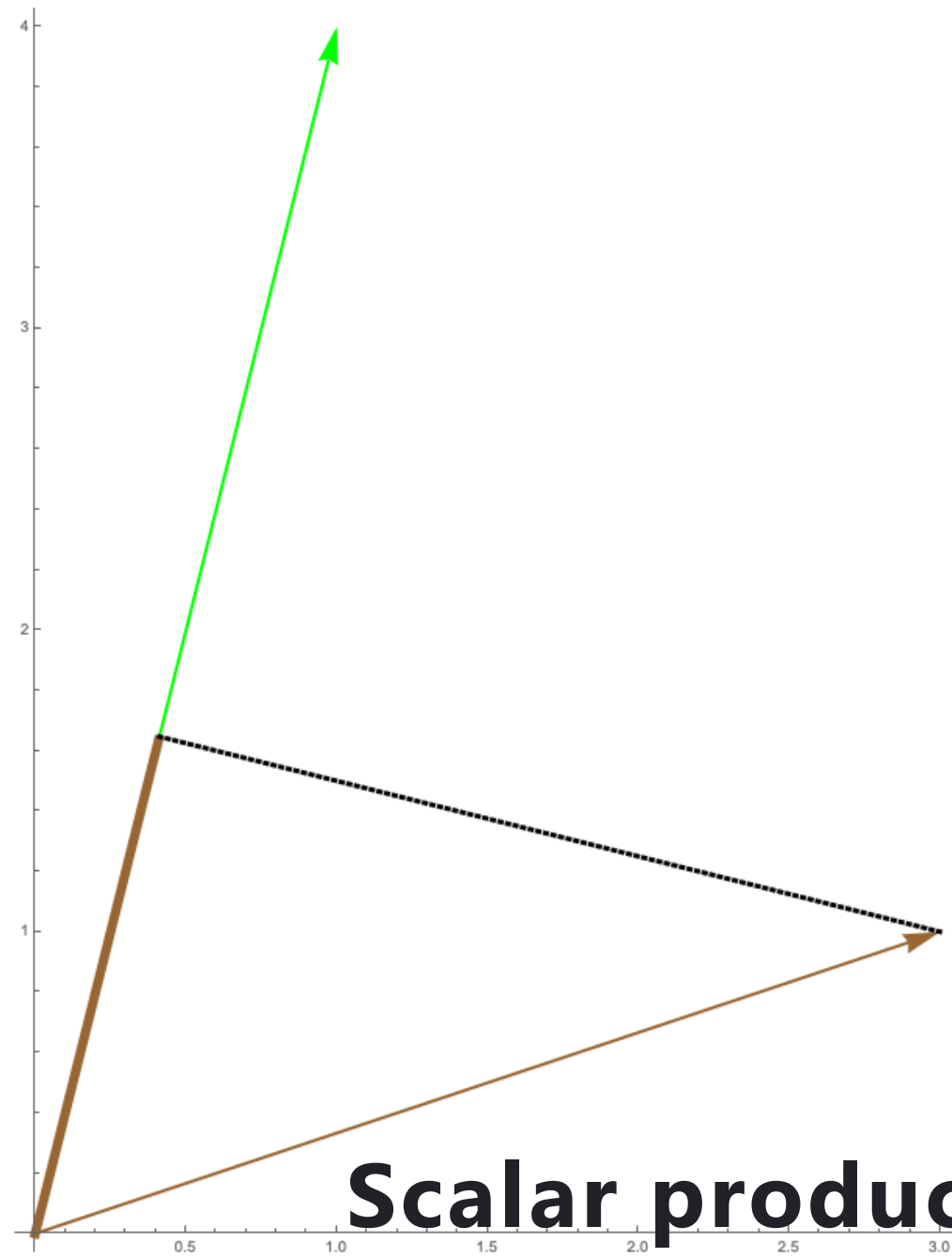
- **the span that the basis vectors produce is still 2 dimensional**
- This is because there is no way for the vectors to be transformed with **extra dimensionality**.



# Non-square Matrices

As a general rule, you can think of any  $m \times n$  matrix as a transformation that transforms an  $n$ -**dimensional** vector into an  $m$ -**dimensional vector**.

The scalar product of  $\vec{a}$  and  $\vec{b}$ , denoted by  $\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}$  is the product of the magnitude of  $\vec{a}$  and the magnitude of the projected version of  $\vec{b}$  onto  $\vec{a}$ .



**Scalar products**

# Scalar products

$$\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ \vdots \\ c \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ \vdots \\ z \end{bmatrix} = ax + by + \cdots + cz$$

# Scalar products

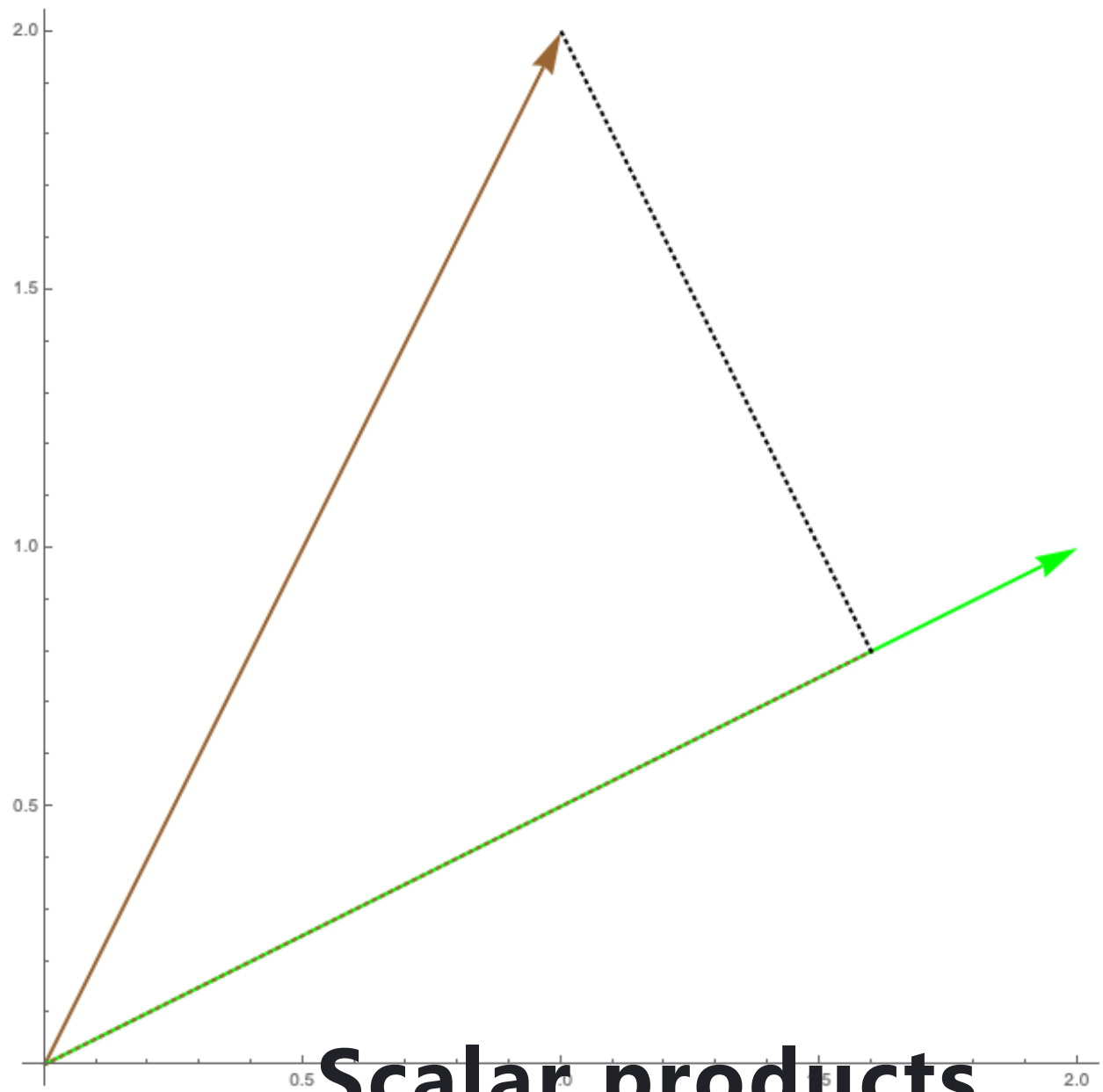
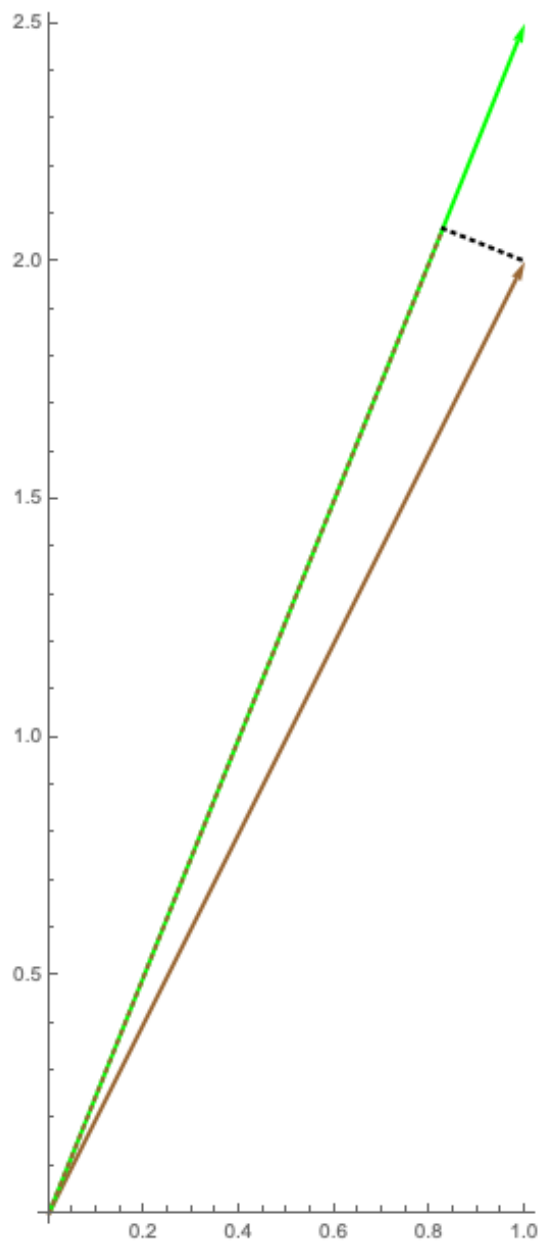
It is the measure of **similarity** between two vectors,  
For example, given three vectors,

# Scalar products

$$\vec{a} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2.5 \end{bmatrix}, \vec{c} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Scalar products

Is  $\vec{a}$  **more similar** to  $\vec{b}$  or to  $\vec{c}$ ?



**Scalar products**



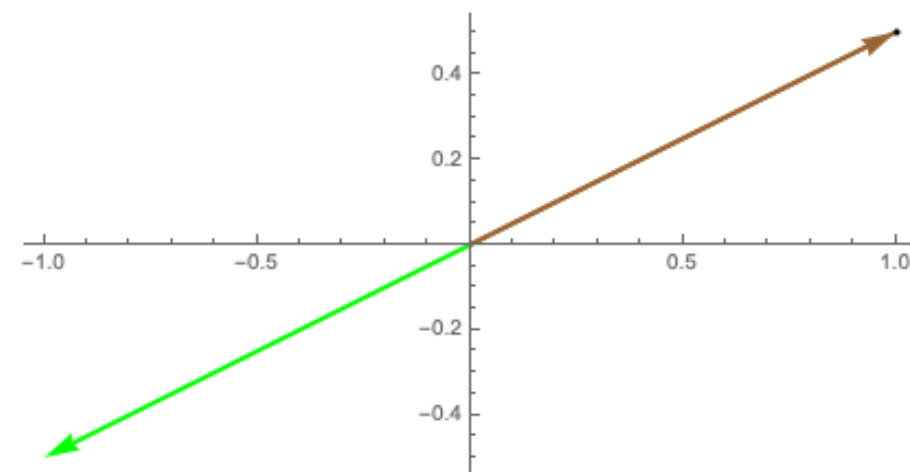
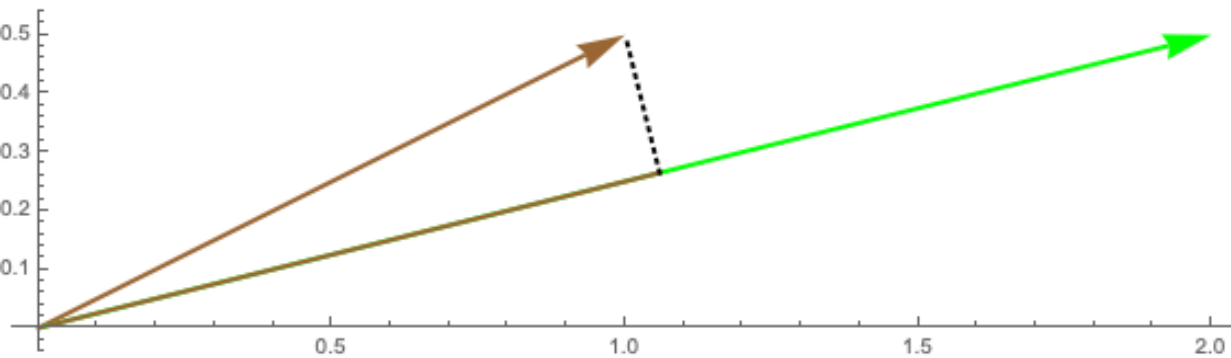
# Scalar products

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b} = 6$$

$$\vec{a} \cdot \vec{c} = 4$$

# Scalar products

This means that two vectors perpendicular to each other will have a scalar product of **zero** and two vectors pointing in the opposite direction will have a **negative** scalar product:



**Scalar products**

# Scalar products

How does the scalar product relate to **linear transformations**?

# Scalar products

And it turns out, a scalar product is merely a transformation of any vector to **one-dimensional space**:

# Scalar products

$$\begin{bmatrix} u_x \\ u_y \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = u_x a + u_y b$$

# Scalar products

$$\begin{bmatrix} u_x & u_y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix} = u_x a + u_y b$$

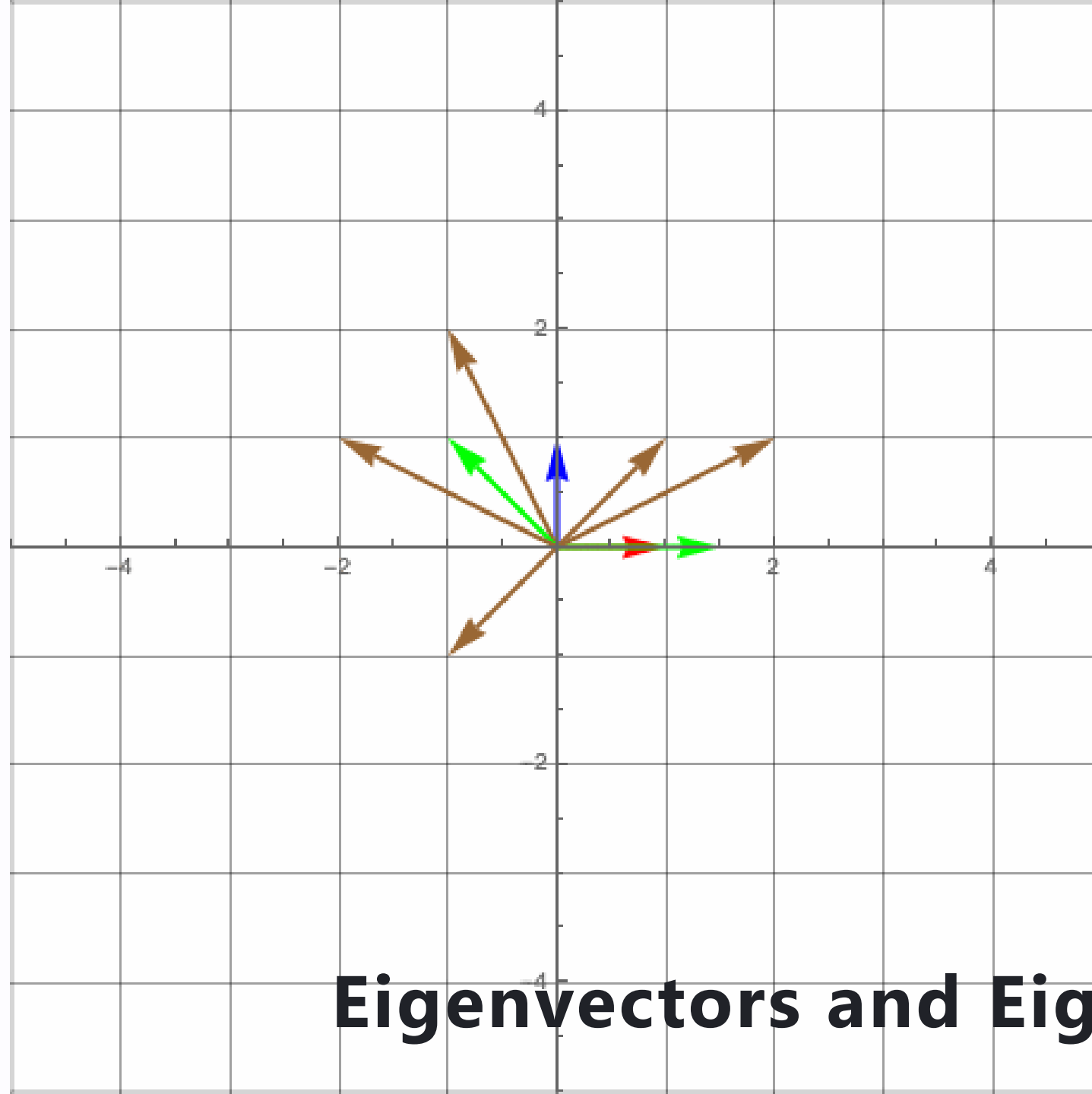
# Scalar products

When looking at, the scalar product of two  $n \times 1$  vectors, you can imagine that one vector is **reduced** into the **one dimensional vector space**

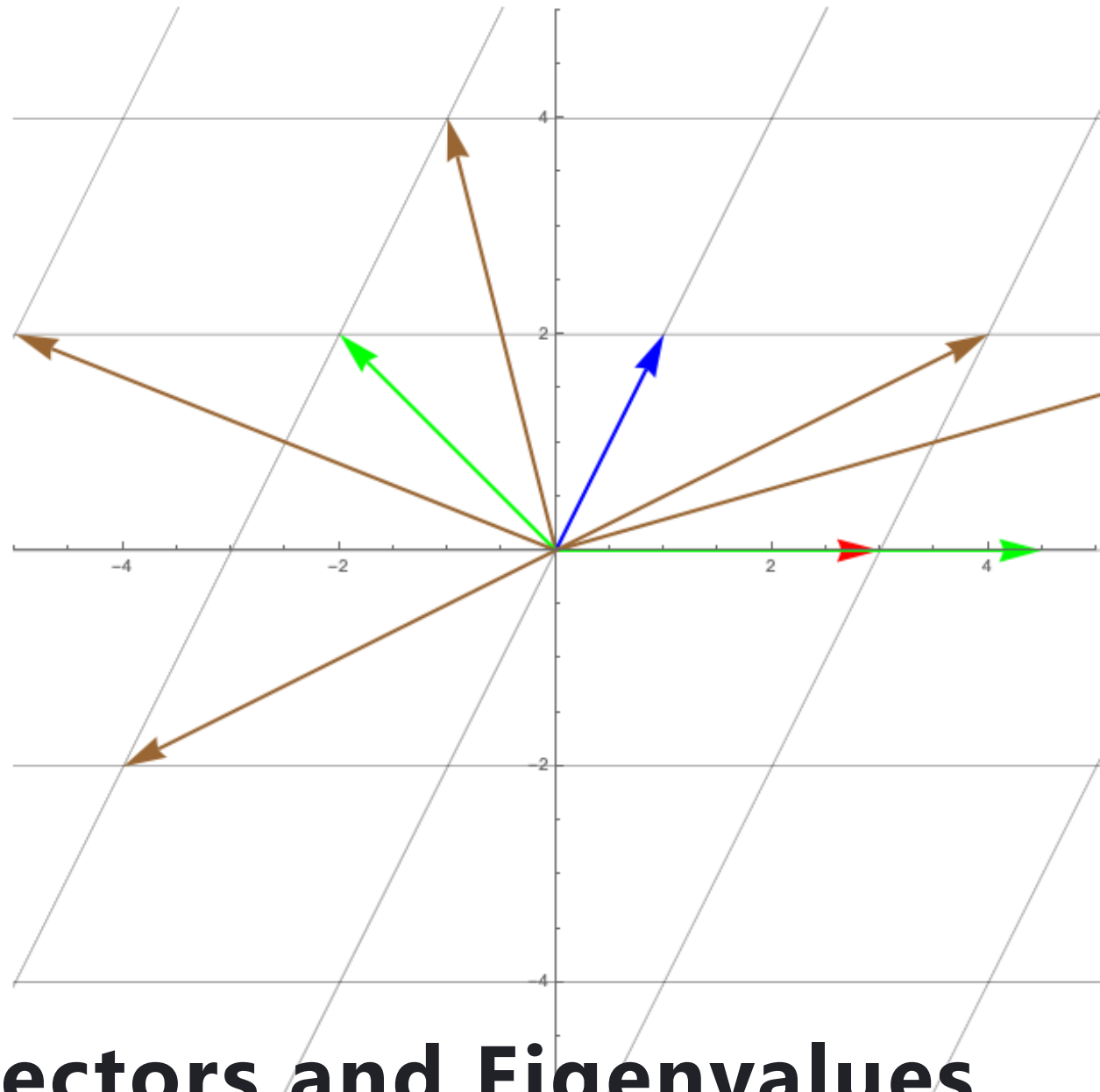
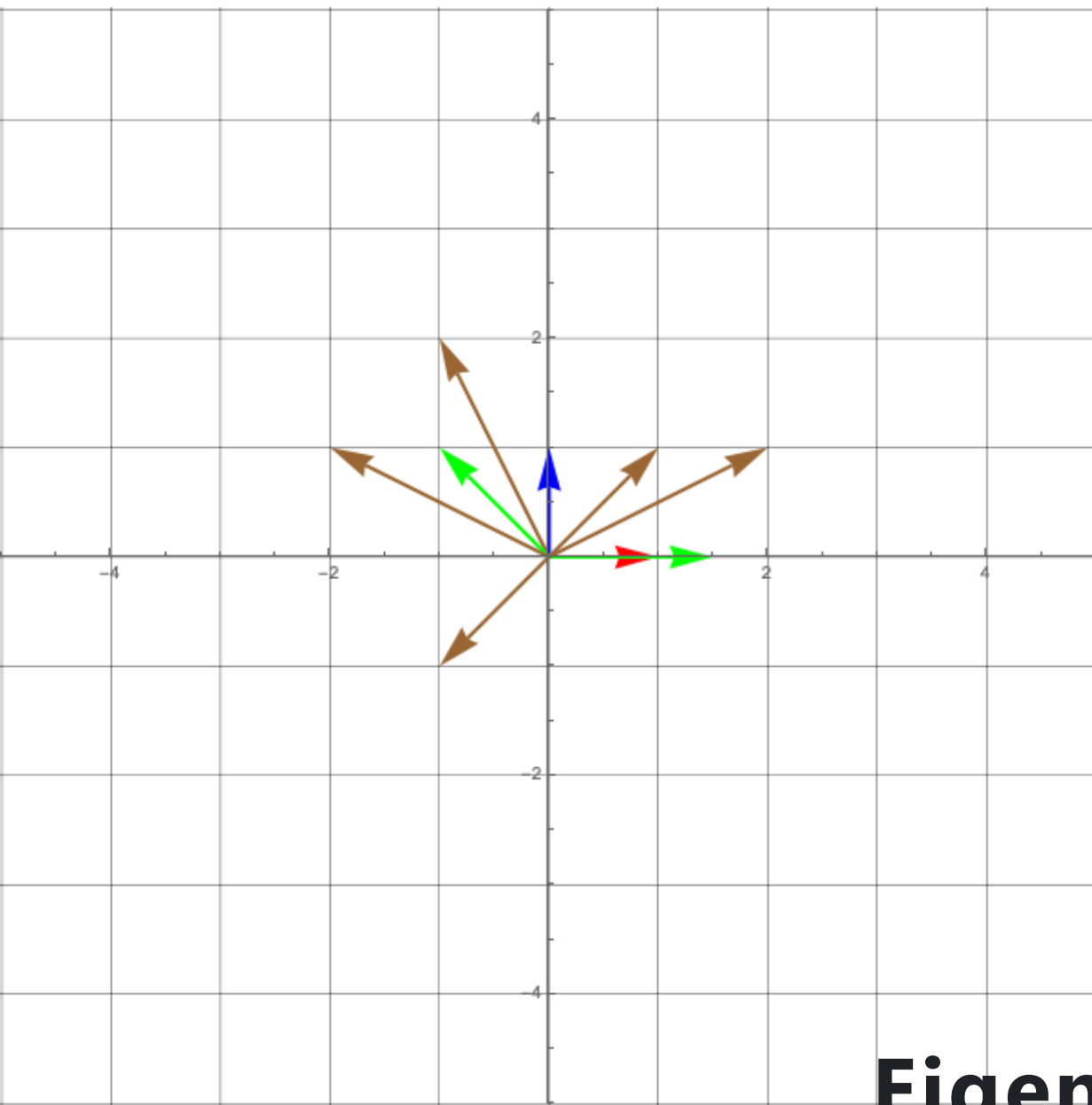


# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$



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# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

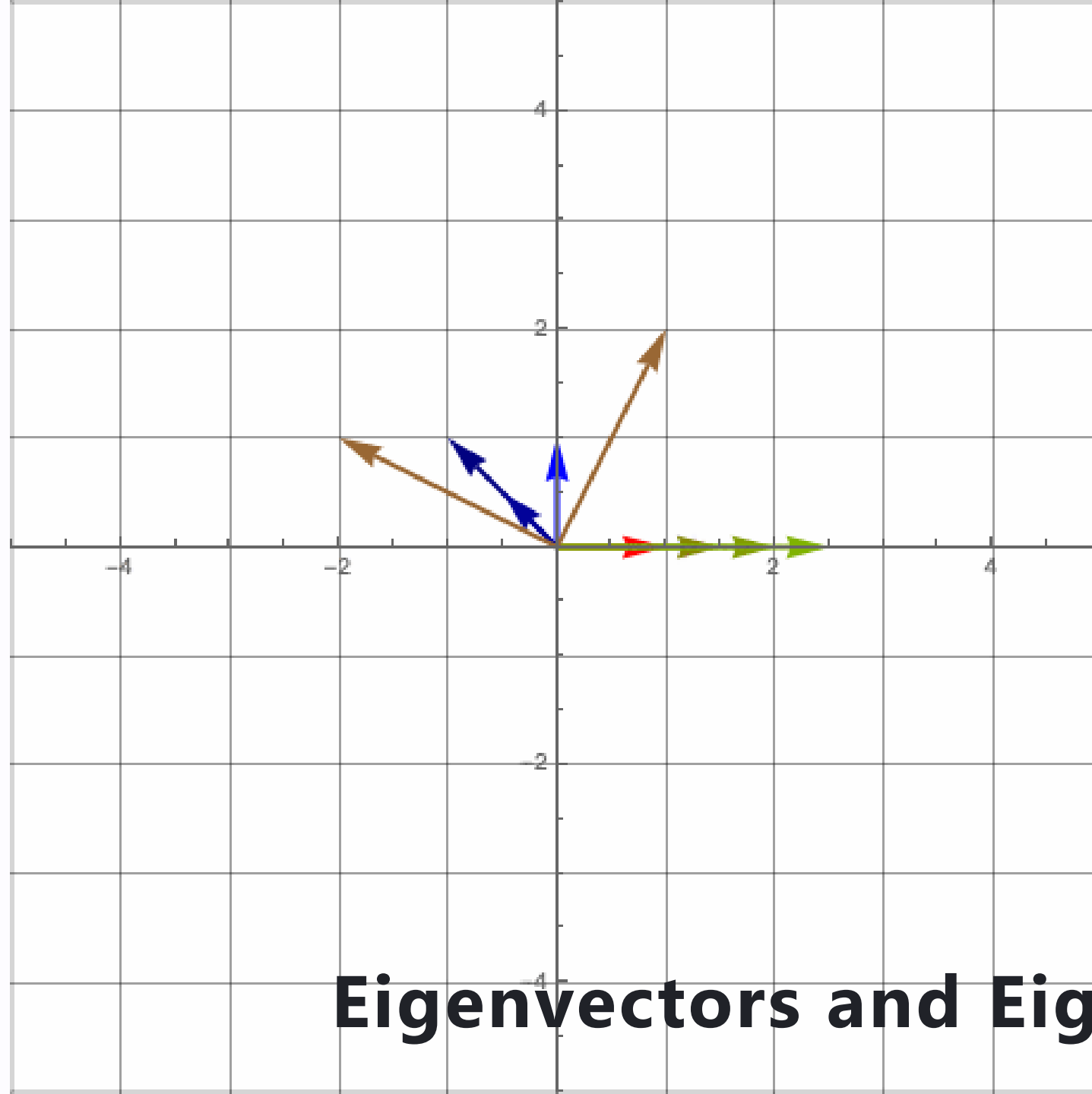
$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = 2 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1.5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4.5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 3 \begin{bmatrix} 1.5 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

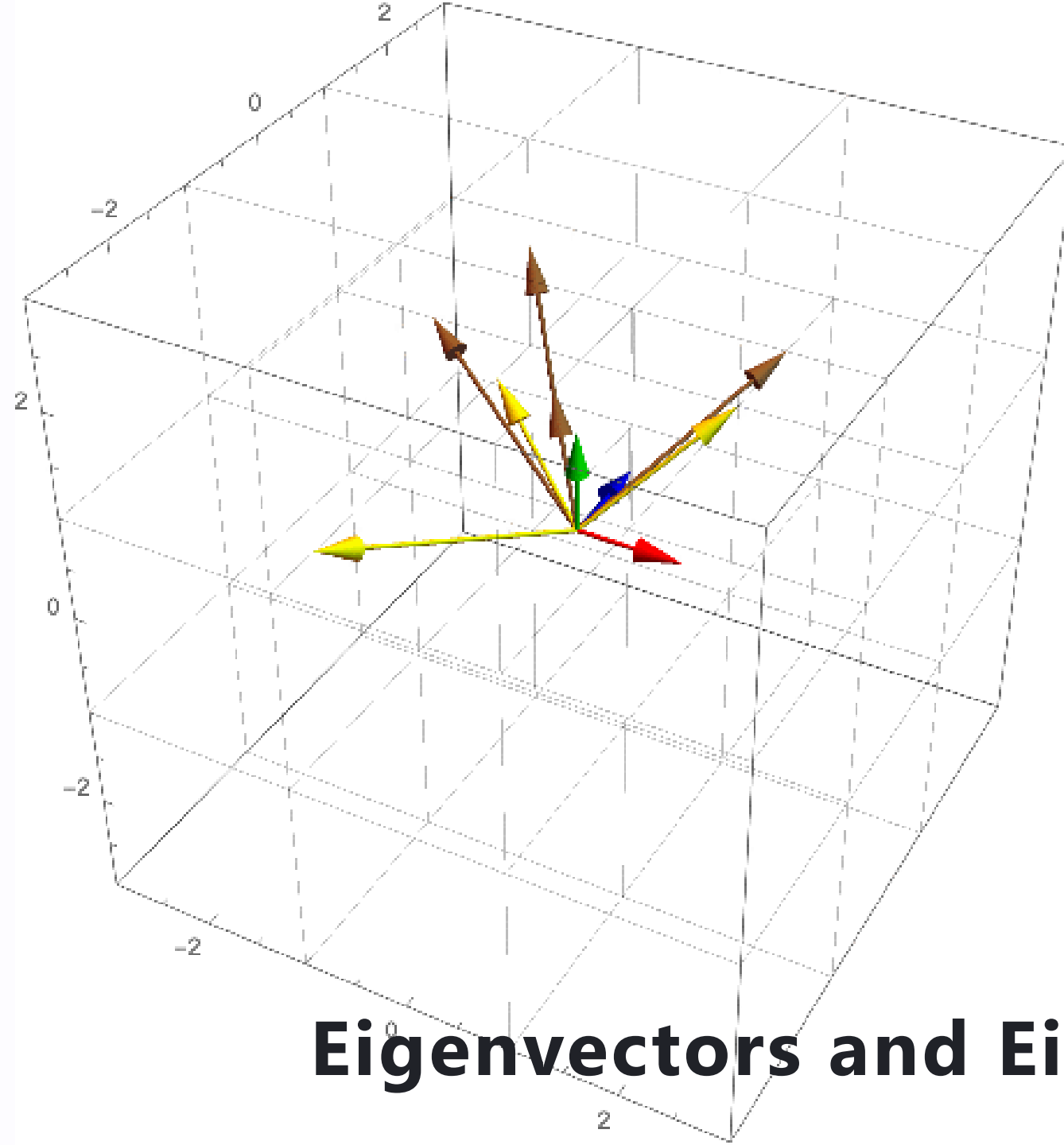
- These special vectors are called **eigenvectors**
- Each eigenvector is always accompanied by special scalar values called **eigenvalues**, which correspond to the factor of scaling for the transformation.

# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

In fact **all** the vectors along the **span of the green vectors** are eigenvectors as well.

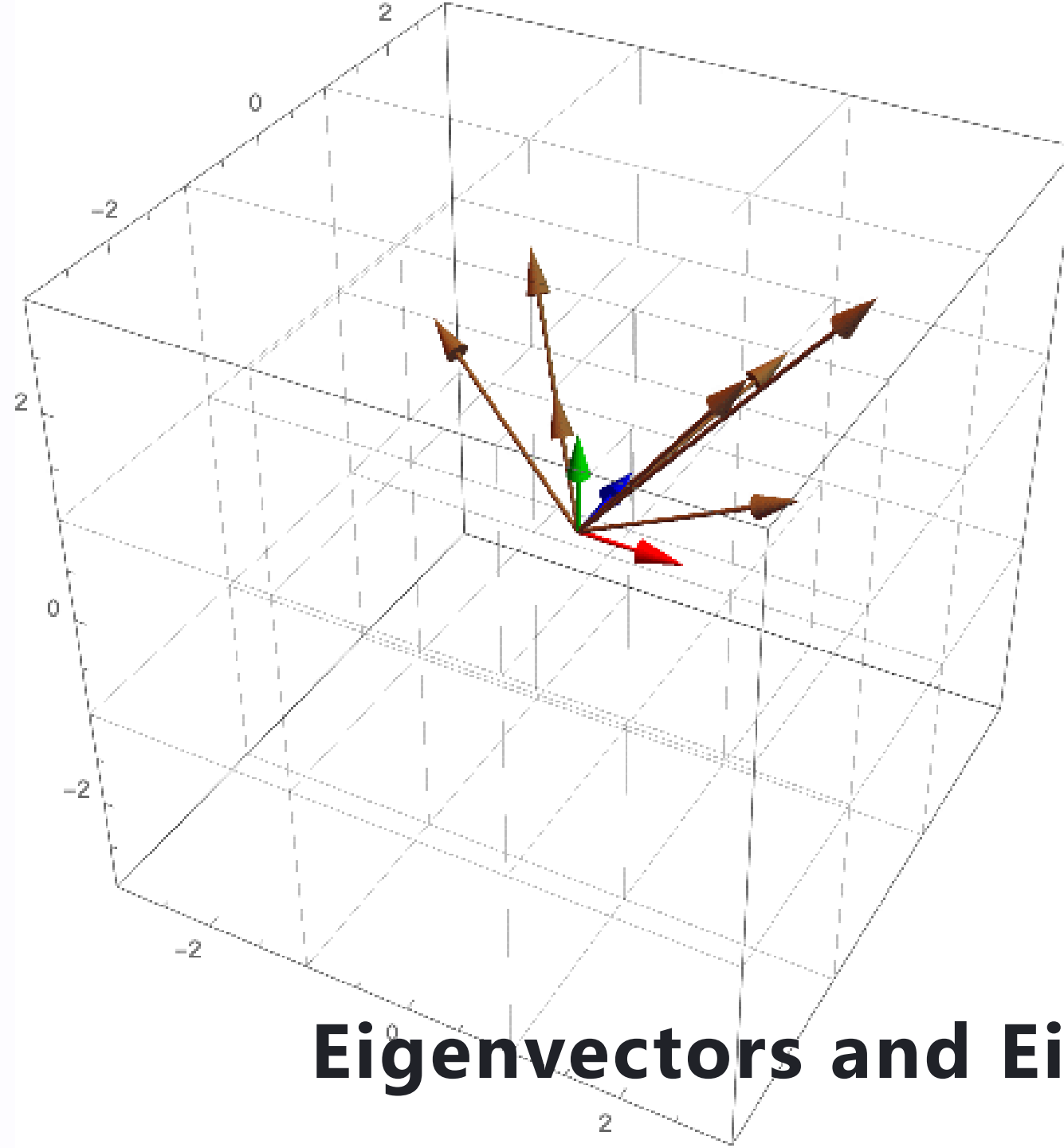


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- Since eigenvectors are vectors that are **only** scaled as a result of the transformation, we can solve for  $\vec{e}$  in the following equality
- The scalar value  $\lambda$  refers to the unknown eigenvalue.

# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

$$T\vec{e} = \lambda\vec{e}$$

# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

- Scalar times vector multiplication  $\lambda \vec{e}$  can be written as a **linear transformation** instead
- **multiplying**  $\lambda I$  to  $\vec{e}$

# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

$$\begin{bmatrix} \lambda & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & \lambda \end{bmatrix} \vec{e}$$

# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

To solve for the unknowns, we can rewrite  $T\vec{e} = \lambda\vec{e}$  into  
a **solution from zero**:

# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

$$T\vec{e} = \lambda I\vec{e}$$

$$T\vec{e} - \lambda I\vec{e} = \vec{0}$$

$$(T - \lambda I)\vec{e} = \vec{0}$$

# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

- If you recall, a non-zero vector can only be transformed to zero if and only if the whole vector space has been **squished to zero itself**
- And this can only happen when the **determinant** of transformation is **zero**.



# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

$$\det(T - \lambda I) = \det\left(\begin{bmatrix} t_{11} - \lambda & t_{12} & \cdots & t_{1n} \\ t_{21} & t_{22} - \lambda & \cdots & t_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ t_{n1} & t_{n2} & \cdots & t_{nn} - \lambda \end{bmatrix}\right) = 0$$

# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

This means that we can find the eigenvalues of any transformation by finding the **lambdas** that reduces the determinant to 0

# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

$$\det\left(\begin{bmatrix} a - \lambda & b \\ c & d - \lambda \end{bmatrix}\right) = 0$$

$$(a - \lambda)(d - \lambda) - bc = 0$$

# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

$$\det\left(\begin{bmatrix} 3 - \lambda & 1 \\ 0 & 2 - \lambda \end{bmatrix}\right) = 0$$

$$(3 - \lambda)(2 - \lambda) - (1)(0) = 0$$

$$(3 - \lambda)(2 - \lambda) = 0$$

$$\lambda = 2$$

$$\lambda = 3$$

# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \vec{e} = 2\vec{e}$$

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# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

Eigenvectors for  $\lambda = 2$

$$3x + y = 2x$$

$$2y = 2y$$

$$x + y = 0$$

$$x = -y$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} u \\ -u \end{bmatrix}$$

# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

Eigenvectors for  $\lambda = 3$

$$3x + y = 3x$$

$$2y = 3y$$

$$y = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} v \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Eigenvectors and Eigenvalues

As you can see, the solutions for  $\vec{e}$  is infinitely many,  
any vector of the form  $\begin{bmatrix} u \\ -u \end{bmatrix}$  and any vector of the  
form  $\begin{bmatrix} v \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .



