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Assignment 16

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1 QUESTION

Let T be the linear operator on R^3 defined by

$$T(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (1.0.1)$$

$$(3x_1 + x_3, -2x_1 + x_2, -x_1 + 2x_2 + 4x_3)$$
 (1.0.2)

What is the matrix of T in the standard ordered basis of R^3 ?

2 Solution

The standard ordered basis for R^3 is

$$\{\mathbf{e_1}, \mathbf{e_2}, \mathbf{e_3}\} = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1\\0\\0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0\\1\\0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0\\0\\1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$
 (2.0.1)

$$\mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.2}$$

The matrix of T in the standard ordered basis is

$$\mathbf{T} = \begin{pmatrix} T(\mathbf{e}_1) & T(\mathbf{e}_2) & T(\mathbf{e}_2) \end{pmatrix}$$
 (2.0.3)

$$T(\mathbf{e_1}) = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.4}$$

$$T(\mathbf{e_2}) = \begin{pmatrix} 0\\1\\2 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.5}$$

$$T(\mathbf{e_3}) = \begin{pmatrix} 1\\0\\4 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2.0.6}$$

Hence,
$$\mathbf{T} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 1 \\ -2 & 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$
 (2.0.7)

and
$$T(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{T}\mathbf{x}$$
 (2.0.8)