

1. Determine whether each of the following statements is **TRUE** or **FALSE**. Justify your answer.

- (a) The line through the points $(2, 1, 1)$ and $(1, 2, 2)$ intersects the line through the points $(1, 1, 1)$ and $(-9, 7, 7)$.

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Line 1
slope is $(-1, 1, 1)$

$$x = 2 - t$$

$$y = 1 + t$$

$$z = 1 + t$$

Line 2

slope is $(-5, 3, 3)$

$$x = 1 - 5t$$

$$y = 1 + 3t$$

$$z = 1 + 3t$$

y and z coordinates are always the same for both lines, so we can disregard z .

$$\begin{aligned} 2 - t_1 &= 1 - 5t_2 \Rightarrow 2 - 3t_2 = 1 - 5t_2 \Rightarrow t_2 = -\frac{1}{2} \\ 1 + t_1 &= 1 + 3t_2 \Rightarrow t_1 = 3t_2 \end{aligned}$$

Line 1 at $t = -\frac{3}{2}$ is $(\frac{7}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2})$

Line 2 at $t = -\frac{1}{2}$ is $(\frac{7}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2})$

True

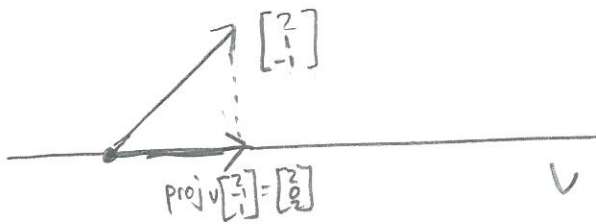
- (b) There exist two unit vectors $\vec{v}, \vec{u} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ such that $\vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} = 2$.

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False

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} &= \|\vec{u}\| \|\vec{v}\| \cos \theta \quad \text{since } \vec{u} \text{ and } \vec{v} \text{ are both unit vectors, their magnitude is } 1. \\ &= \cos \theta \\ & \quad -1 \leq \cos \theta \leq 1, \text{ so } \vec{u} \cdot \vec{v} \neq 2. \end{aligned}$$

- \star ~~6~~ (c) There is a subspace $V \subset \mathbb{R}^3$ such that $\text{proj}_V \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$. ^{magnitude.}
~~6~~ False, a projected vector cannot be ^{of} greater than the original vector,



$$\| \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} \| = \sqrt{6} < \| \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \| = \sqrt{8}$$

cannot be true.

2. Determine whether each of the following statements is **ALWAYS** true, **SOMETIMES** true, or **NEVER** true. Justify your answer

6/6 (a) Given a subspace V of \mathbb{R}^4 , $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ is in both V and V^\perp .

~~Sometimes,~~

Never,

~~True if $V = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, $V^\perp =$~~

the vector in V has to be orthogonal to the vector in V^\perp .

~~False if $V = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$~~

It could not be the same as $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \neq 0$.

6/6 (b) Given a real number k , the curves $\begin{cases} x = t, \\ y = t^2 \end{cases}$ and $\begin{cases} x = t \\ y = k(t-1) \end{cases}$ intersect in two points.

Sometimes,

$$\begin{cases} x = t_1 \\ y = t_1^2 \end{cases} \quad \begin{cases} x = t_2 \\ y = k(t_2 - 1) \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} t_1 = t_2 \\ t_1^2 = k(t_2 - 1) \end{cases} \quad t_1^2 - kt_1 + k = 0$$

$$t_1 = \frac{k \pm \sqrt{k^2 - 4k}}{2}$$

True, if $k^2 - 4k > 0$, for example $k = 5$, $t_1 = \frac{5 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$.

They intersect at $(\frac{5+\sqrt{5}}{2}, \frac{15+5\sqrt{5}}{2})$ and $(\frac{5-\sqrt{5}}{2}, \frac{15-5\sqrt{5}}{2})$

False, if $k^2 - 4k = 0$, $k = 4$, $t_1 = 2$, $\begin{cases} x = 2 \\ y = 4 \end{cases}$

They intersect only at $(2, 4)$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

- 6/6 (c) Given symmetric matrices A and B that have the same eigenvectors (but not necessarily the same eigenvalues), AB is symmetric.

Always.

Assume that $A = QD_1Q^{-1}$, $B = QD_2Q^{-1}$ where Q is orthogonal,

$$AB = (QD_1Q^{-1})(QD_2Q^{-1}) = QD_1D_2Q^{-1}$$

Since D_1D_2 still equals to a diagonal matrix and Q is orthogonal,

$AB = QD_3Q^{-1}$ is orthogonally diagonalizable.

Therefore, it's symmetric.

3. Find the least-squares solution for the line best approximating the data points $(-1, 6)$, $(0, 0)$, $(2, 10)$.

$$\begin{array}{lll} f(-1) = 6 & C_0 - C_1 = 6 & \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} C_0 \\ C_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix} \\ f(0) = 0 & C_0 = 0 & \parallel \\ f(2) = 10 & C_0 + 2C_1 = 10 & \parallel \\ & & \begin{matrix} A \\ B \end{matrix} \end{array}$$

$$A^T A \vec{x} = A^T \vec{b}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 0 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 16 \\ 14 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{33}{7} \\ \frac{13}{7} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore f(t) = \frac{33}{7} + \frac{13}{7}t$$

4. Suppose that A is a 3×3 matrix with eigenvectors

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \text{ and } \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

corresponding respectively to the eigenvalues $2, 2, -3$. Find an orthonormal basis of \mathbb{R}^3 consisting of eigenvectors of A , and use it to compute $A^3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$.

$$\vec{b}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{b}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{b}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} - 0 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - \left(\frac{-6}{18}\right) \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{b}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\vec{u}_1 = \frac{\vec{b}_1}{\|\vec{b}_1\|} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \lambda = -3 \quad \vec{u}_2 = \frac{\vec{b}_2}{\|\vec{b}_2\|} = \begin{bmatrix} 3/\sqrt{18} \\ -3/\sqrt{18} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \lambda = 2 \quad \vec{u}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \lambda = 2$$

$$\left[\begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3/\sqrt{18} \\ -3/\sqrt{18} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right] \quad \checkmark$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}\right) \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \left(\frac{3}{\sqrt{18}} - \frac{9}{\sqrt{18}}\right) \begin{bmatrix} 3/\sqrt{18} \\ -3/\sqrt{18} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 2 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \left(\frac{4}{\sqrt{2}}\right) \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \left(\frac{-6}{\sqrt{18}}\right) \begin{bmatrix} 3/\sqrt{18} \\ -3/\sqrt{18} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

$$A = (-3) \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + (2) \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + (2) \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^3 = (-3)^3 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + (2)^3 \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + (2)^3 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= (-27) \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -8 \\ 8 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -54 \\ -54 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -8 \\ 8 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix} =$$

$$\boxed{\begin{bmatrix} -62 \\ -46 \\ 8 \end{bmatrix}} \quad \checkmark$$

5. Sketch the curve described by the equation

$$q(\vec{r}) = \lambda_1 c_1^2 + \lambda_2 c_2^2$$

$$3x^2 - 2xy + 3y^2 = 1.$$

Label the principal axes and their points of intersection with the curve.

$$q(\vec{x}) = 3x^2 - 2xy + 3y^2 = \begin{bmatrix} x & y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} 3-\lambda & -1 \\ -1 & 3-\lambda \end{bmatrix} = (3-\lambda)(3-\lambda) - 1 = \lambda^2 - 6\lambda + 8 = (\lambda-4)(\lambda-2) = 0$$

$\hookrightarrow \lambda = 4, \lambda = 2$

$$\lambda = 4 \rightarrow \ker \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \rightarrow \text{eigenvector} = \begin{pmatrix} -1/\sqrt{2} \\ 1/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda = 2 \rightarrow \ker \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \text{span} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\} \rightarrow \text{eigenvector} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 1/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

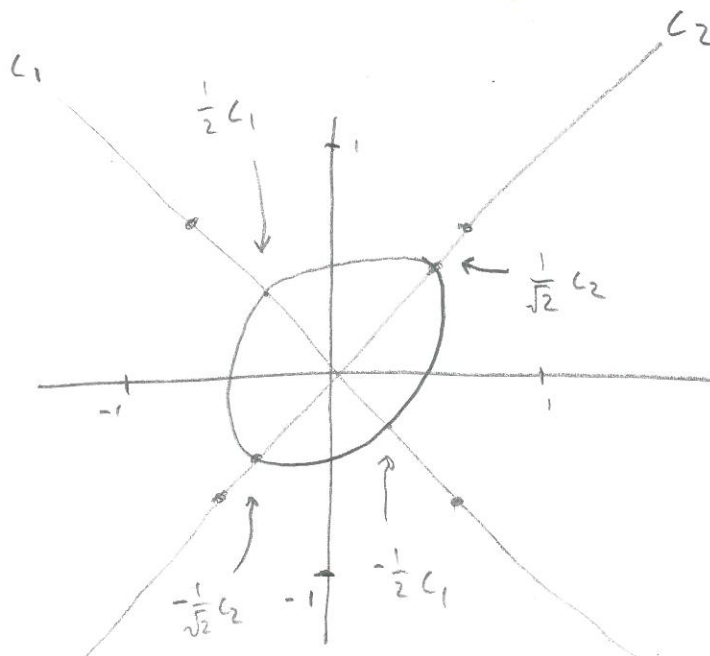
$$q(\vec{x}) = 4c_1^2 + 2c_2^2 = 1 \rightarrow \text{ellipse. b/c } c_1 + c_2 > 0$$

$$4c_1^2 = 1$$

$$c_1 = \sqrt{\frac{1}{4}} = \pm \frac{1}{2}$$

$$2c_2^2 = 1$$

$$c_2 = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$



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6. Let $V = \text{span}\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}\right)$.

(a) Find an orthonormal basis for V .

$$\vec{u}_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{v}_2^\perp &= \vec{v}_2 - (\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_2) \vec{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} - \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} & 0 & 1/\sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \right) \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} - 6/\sqrt{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{u}_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1/3 \\ -2/3 \\ 2/3 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \vec{v}_3^\perp &= \vec{v}_3 - (\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{v}_3) \vec{u}_1 - (\vec{u}_2 \cdot \vec{v}_3) \vec{u}_2 \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} - \left(\begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} & 0 & 1/\sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} \right) \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix} - \left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1/3 & -2/3 & 2/3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} \right) \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1/3 \\ -2/3 \\ 2/3 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} - 3/\sqrt{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix} + 6 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1/3 \\ -2/3 \\ 2/3 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 6 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ -4 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 5 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ -4 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{u}_3 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1/\sqrt{6} \\ 2/\sqrt{6} \\ 1/\sqrt{6} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

orthonormal basis is $\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1/3 \\ -2/3 \\ 2/3 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1/\sqrt{6} \\ 2/\sqrt{6} \\ 1/\sqrt{6} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right\}$

- (b) Write the standard matrix for $\text{proj}_V : \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$ as a product of matrices. (You do not have to multiply them out.)

$$Q Q^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} & 0 & -1/\sqrt{6} \\ 0 & 1/3 & 2/\sqrt{6} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} & -2/3 & 1/\sqrt{6} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} & 2/3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} & 0 & 1/\sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 0 & 1/3 & -2/3 & 2/3 \\ -1/\sqrt{6} & 2/\sqrt{6} & 1/\sqrt{6} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (c) Find the point on V closest to $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{proj}_V \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} &= (\vec{u}_1 \cdot \vec{v}) \vec{u}_1 + (\vec{u}_2 \cdot \vec{v}) \vec{u}_2 + (\vec{u}_3 \cdot \vec{v}) \vec{u}_3 \\ &= 3/\sqrt{3} \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1/3 \\ -2/3 \\ 2/3 \end{bmatrix} + 0 \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1/3 \\ -2/3 \\ 2/3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1/3 \\ 1 \\ 5/3 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

7. Let $A = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & b^2 & c \\ a & -b & b \\ 2 & -1 & -b \end{bmatrix}$. Find all values of a , b , and c , if any, such that $\|A\vec{x}\| = \|\vec{x}\|$ for all $\vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^3$.

$$\text{if } \|A\vec{x}\| = \|\vec{x}\|$$

then A is an orthogonal matrix +3

$$\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{a}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$\frac{8}{9} + \left(\frac{a}{3}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$a = \pm 1$$

$$\left(\frac{b}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{-b}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{-1}{3}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$\frac{2}{9} b^2 = \frac{8}{9}$$

$$b^2 = 4$$

$$b = \pm 2$$

$$\left(\frac{c}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{b}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{-b}{3}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$c = \pm 1$$

$$\begin{cases} a = 1 \\ b = 2 \\ c = 1 \end{cases}$$

~~$$\begin{cases} a = 1 \\ b = -2 \\ c = 1 \end{cases}$$~~

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 & -2 \\ 1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \\ \hline 2 & 2 & -2 \\ -1 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 & -1 \end{array}$$

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is the only solution