

1. Let  $\mathbf{b}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\mathbf{b}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\mathbf{b}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ , and  $\mathcal{B} = \{\mathbf{b}_1, \mathbf{b}_2, \mathbf{b}_3\}$

(a) Show that  $\mathcal{B}$  is a basis for  $\mathbb{R}^3$

(b) Find the  $\mathcal{B}$ -coordinates for the vectors  $\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\mathbf{y} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$

2. Let  $p_1(t) = 2 + t$   
 $p_2(t) = 1 + t$  and  $\mathcal{B} = \{p_1(t), p_2(t), p_3(t)\}$   
 $p_3(t) = 1 + t + t^2$

(a) Show that  $\mathcal{B}$  is a basis for  $\mathbb{P}_2$

(b) Find the  $\mathcal{B}$ -coordinates for the polynomials  $q(t) = -1 + 4t + 2t^2$  and  $r(t) = 6 + 2t - t^2$