## Turn these problems in with the assigned problems from the text:

(1) Let  $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^2$  be the linear transformation that rotates all vectors in the plane counterclockwise by  $\theta$  radians. Let  $\alpha$  be the standard basis of  $\mathbb{R}^2$ . Draw me a picture to convince me that

$$[T]^{\alpha}_{\alpha} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) \end{bmatrix}.$$

(In your picture you may assume that  $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$ .)

- (2) Use the previous problem to derive the following famous trigonometric identies:
  - $\sin(\alpha + \beta) = \sin(\alpha)\cos(\beta) + \cos(\alpha)\sin(\beta)$

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$$\cos(\alpha + \beta) = \cos(\alpha)\cos(\beta) - \sin(\alpha)\sin(\beta).$$

(Hint: Rotate by  $\alpha$ , then by  $\beta$ .)

(3) Let 
$$T : \mathbb{R}^2 \to \mathbb{R}^2$$
 be defined by

$$T(\vec{x}) = A\vec{x},$$

where  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -4 \\ 2 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$ .

- Find the two eigenvalues of A, and find an eigenvector for each one.
- Since the two eigenvectors you got above are independent, they must be a basis for R<sup>2</sup>. Call this basis of eigenvectors β. Compute:

$$[T]^{\beta}_{\beta}.$$

(There is a quick way to do this.)

(Optional) Bonus Problems: For each problem that you solve correctly I will increase your homework score by one point. All or nothing for these – no partial credit.

Let A be the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- **1 point:** Find the eigenvalues of *A*.
- **1 point:** Find an eigenvector corresponding to each of the eigenvalues of *A*.
- **1 point:** Find a formula for the *n*th Fibonacci number by writing  $\begin{bmatrix} 1\\0 \end{bmatrix}$  as a linear combination of these eigenvectors, and then computing  $A^n \begin{bmatrix} 1\\0 \end{bmatrix}$ .

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