EXERCISES

For Exercises 1–6, find three vectors that are in the span of the given vectors.

1.
$$\mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2\\6 \end{bmatrix}$$
; $\mathbf{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 9\\15 \end{bmatrix}$
2. $\mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -2\\7 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -3\\4 \end{bmatrix}$
3. $\mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2\\5\\-3 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\0\\4 \end{bmatrix}$
4. $\mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0\\5\\-2 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1\\2\\6 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{u}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -6\\7\\2 \end{bmatrix}$
5. $\mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2\\0\\0 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 4\\1\\6 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{u}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} -4\\0\\7 \end{bmatrix}$
6. $\mathbf{u}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0\\1\\3\\0 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{u}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1\\8\\-5\\2 \end{bmatrix}$, $\mathbf{u}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 12\\-1\\1\\0 \end{bmatrix}$

For Exercises 7–12, determine if \mathbf{b} is in the span of the other given vectors. If so, write \mathbf{b} as a linear combination of the other vectors.

7.
$$\mathbf{a}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$
, $\mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 9 \\ -15 \end{bmatrix}$



In Exercises 13–16, find *A*, **x**, and **b** such that A**x** = **b** corresponds to the given linear system.

- 13. $2x_1 + 8x_2 4x_3 = -10$ $-x_1 - 3x_2 + 5x_3 = -4$
- 14. $-2x_1 + 5x_2 10x_3 = 4$ $x_1 - 2x_2 + 3x_3 = -1$ $7x_1 - 17x_2 + 34x_3 = -16$

15.
$$x_1 - x_2 - 3x_3 - x_4 = -1$$

 $-2x_1 + 2x_2 + 6x_3 + 2x_4 = -1$
 $-3x_1 - 3x_2 + 10x_3 = 5$