

1. (a)  $\det(A^{-1}) = 1/\det(A) = 1/3$ .  
(b)  $A$  has full rank since it is nonsingular. Thus  $\text{rank } A = 3$ .  
(c) not enough information  
(d)  $\det(A^T B) = \det(A^T) \det(B) = \det(A) \det(B) = 6$ .
2. Since  $\det(A - \lambda I) = \lambda^2 - \lambda - 2 = (\lambda - 2)(\lambda + 1)$ , the eigenvalues are 2 and  $-1$ .
3. Recall that  $[T]_{\mathcal{B}} = [[\mathbf{b}_1]_{\mathcal{B}} \ [\mathbf{b}_2]_{\mathcal{B}}]$ . Since  $T(\mathbf{b}_1) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{b}_2$   
and  $T(\mathbf{b}_2) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = -\mathbf{b}_1 + \mathbf{b}_2$ , we have  $[T]_{\mathcal{B}} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .
4. (a) Since the dimension of an eigenspace cannot exceed the multiplicity of a root of the characteristic polynomial, it is at most 3. Thus the possible values are 1, 2 and 3.  
(b) No. The sum of the dimensions of the eigenspaces is at most  $2 + 2 + 3 = 7$ , which is less than 8, the size of  $A$ .  
(c) It must be singular since zero is an eigenvalue.  
(d) The only possible values are the eigenvalues, namely 0, 1 and  $-2$ .