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1. Determine whether the matrices  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  are linearly independent in  $M_{22}$ .

Recall that  $M_{22}$  is the set of all  $2 \times 2$  matrices of real numbers.