## Question

Find the matrix which describes the following transformation:
(i) a rotation about the origin through $\frac{\pi}{3}$,
(ii) a reflection in the y-axis,
(iii) a reflection in the straight line passing through the origin and $(1,1)$.

## Answer

(i) $\left(\begin{array}{cc}\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2}\end{array}\right)$
(ii) $\left(\begin{array}{cc}-1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1\end{array}\right)$
(iii) $\left(\begin{array}{ll}0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0\end{array}\right)$

