## Answers

## Lesson Check

1. $\left[\begin{array}{rr}1 & 1 \\ -2 & 8\end{array}\right]$
2. $\left[\begin{array}{rrr}1 & -9 & 8 \\ -3 & -1 & 8\end{array}\right]$
3. $\left[\begin{array}{rr}-3 & 4 \\ -5 & 11\end{array}\right]$
4. $\left[\begin{array}{rr}6 & 10 \\ 13 & -4\end{array}\right]$
5. Yes; the elements in each of the corresponding positions are equal.
6. The elements were not subtracted.

The correct answer is
$\left[\begin{array}{l}6 \\ 5\end{array}\right]-\left[\begin{array}{l}3 \\ 7\end{array}\right]=\left[\begin{array}{r}3 \\ -2\end{array}\right]$

## Practice and Problem-Solving

 Exercises7. $\left[\begin{array}{rrr}6 & 5 & 4 \\ 2 & -1 & 7\end{array}\right]$
8. $\left[\begin{array}{rrr}0 & -2 & 0 \\ -2 & 0 & -2\end{array}\right]$
9. $\left[\begin{array}{rr}3.9 & -2.3 \\ -0.6 & 9.1\end{array}\right]$
10. $\left[\begin{array}{ll}-6.8 & 1.3 \\ -2.1 & -1\end{array}\right]$
11. $\left[\begin{array}{rr}4 & -8 \\ -1 & -1 \\ 11 & 1\end{array}\right]$
12. $\left[\begin{array}{rrr}-9 & -2 & 12 \\ -15 & 11 & -7\end{array}\right]$
13. $\left[\begin{array}{rr}6 & 2 \\ -1 & 3\end{array}\right]$
14. $\left[\begin{array}{ll}-4 & -1 \\ -1 & -2\end{array}\right]$
15. $\left[\begin{array}{rrr}2 & -3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 & -7\end{array}\right]$
16. $\left[\begin{array}{ll}0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0\end{array}\right]$
17. $x=-2, y=3, z=1$
18. $x=2, t=\frac{1}{10}$
19. $B$ and $D$ cannot be added because they do not have the same dimensions.
20. $\left[\begin{array}{rr}6 & 3 \\ -3 & 3\end{array}\right]$
21. $\left[\begin{array}{rr}-6 & -3 \\ -4 & -2 \\ -2 & 5\end{array}\right]$
22. $\left[\begin{array}{rr}-4 & 1 \\ -3 & -1\end{array}\right]$
23. 

Plant 1
Plastic Rubber
3-color $\left[\begin{array}{ll}1000 & 1400 \\ 2600 & 3800\end{array}\right]$
Plant 2
Plastic Rubber
3 -color $\left[\begin{array}{ll}1200 & 3600 \\ 1800 & 4800\end{array}\right]$;
28. $a=2, b=\frac{9}{4}, c=-1, d=0, f=\frac{1}{2}, g=-4$

