

#### **Introduction:**

- Matplotlib is an amazing visualization library in Python for 2D plots of arrays.
- Matplotlib is a multi-platform data visualization library built on NumPy arrays and designed to work with the broader SciPy stack. It was introduced by John Hunter in the year 2002.
- One of the greatest benefits of visualization is that it allows us visual access to huge amounts of data in easily digestible visuals.
- Matplotlib consists of several plots like line, bar, scatter, histogram etc





## Importing matplotlib:

from matplotlib import pyplot as plt

or

import matplotlib.pyplot as plt





## **Types of Plots:**

The various types of plots available in matplotlib are

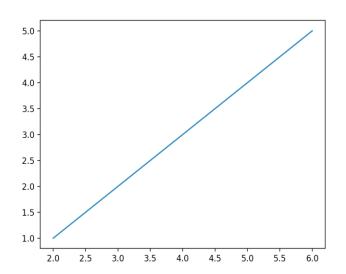
- 1. Line plot
- 2. Scatter Plot
- 3. Histogram
- 4. Bar Graph
- 5. Pie Chart
- 6. Box Plot
- 7. Polar Plot
- 8. Contour Plot
- 9. Quiver Plot
- 10. WireFrame Plot
- 11. Surface Plot





#### **Line Plot:**

A **line chart** or **line graph** is a type of **chart** which displays information as a series of data points called 'markers' connected by straight **line** segments.

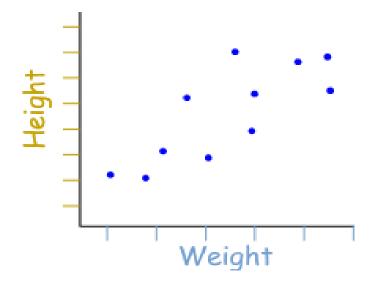






### **Scatter Plot:**

A scatter plot is a type of plot that shows the data as a collection of points. The position of a point depends on its two-dimensional value, where each value is a position on either the horizontal or vertical dimension.

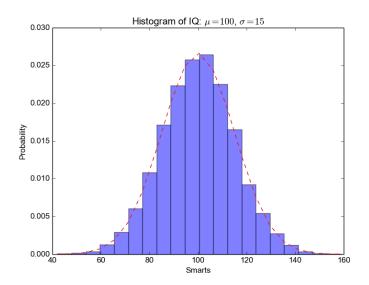






## **Histogram:**

A histogram shows the frequency on the vertical axis and the horizontal axis is another dimension. Usually it has bins, where every bin has a minimum and maximum value. Each bin also has a frequency between x and infinite.

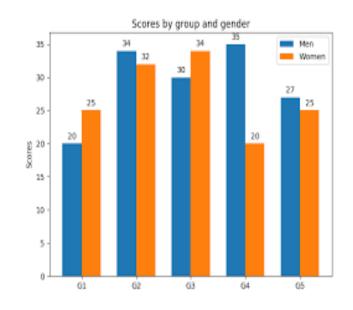






## **Bar Graph:**

- A bar chart or bar graph is a chart or graph that presents categorical data with rectangular bars with heights or lengths proportional to the values that they represent. The bars can be plotted vertically or horizontally.
- A bar graph shows comparisons among discrete categories. One axis of the chart shows the specific categories being compared, and the other axis represents a measured value.

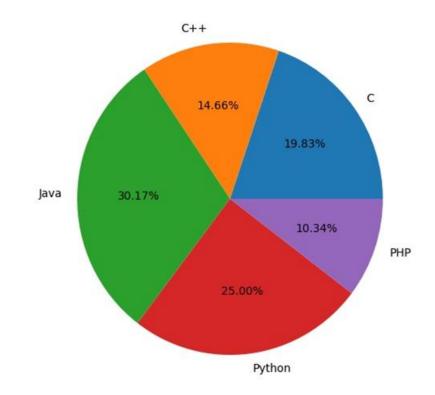






#### **Pie Chart:**

- A Pie Chart can only display one series of data. Pie charts show the size of items (called wedge) in one data series, proportional to the sum of the items.
- Matplotlib API has a pie() function that generates a pie diagram representing data in an array. The fractional area of each wedge is given by x/sum(x).

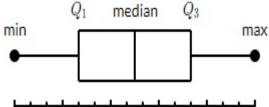






#### **Box Plot:**

• A box plot which is also known as a whisker plot displays a summary of a set of data containing the minimum, first quartile, median, third quartile, and maximum.



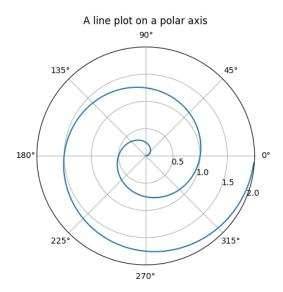
• In a box plot, we draged the line goes through the box at the median. The whiskers go from each quartile to the minimum or maximum.





#### **Polar Plot:**

 The matplotlib.pyplot module contains a function polar(), which can be used for plotting curves in polar coordinates.

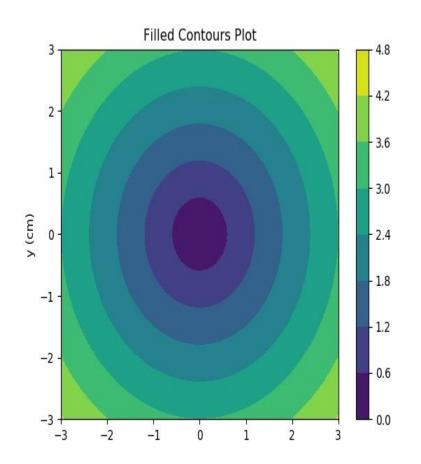






#### **Contour Plot:**

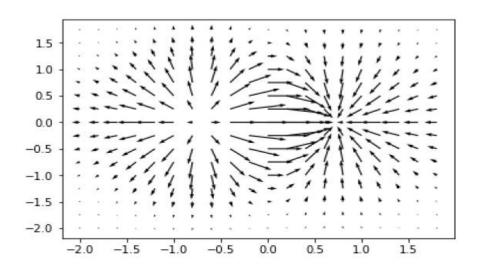
- Contour plots (sometimes called Level Plots)
   are a way to show a three-dimensional
   surface on a two-dimensional plane.
- It graphs two predictor variables X Y on the yaxis and a response variable Z as contours.
- These contours are sometimes called the zslices or the iso-response values.





## **Quiver Plot:**

A quiver plot displays the velocity vectors as arrows with components (u,v) at the points (x,y).

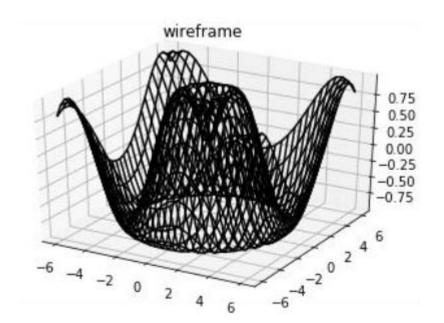






#### **Wireframe Plot:**

Wireframe plot takes a grid of values and projects it onto the specified three-dimensional surface, and can make the resulting three-dimensional forms quite easy to visualize

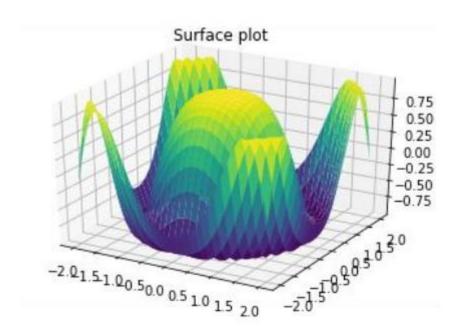






#### **Surface Plot:**

- Surface plot shows a functional relationship between a designated dependent variable (Y), and two independent variables (X and Z).
- The plot is a companion plot to the contour plot.
- A surface plot is like a wireframe plot, but each face of the wireframe is a filled polygon.









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