

NumPy Complete Summary

Step 1: Introduction to NumPy

- NumPy stands for 'Numerical Python'.
- It is a powerful library for numerical computations and working with arrays.
- Arrays are faster and more efficient than Python lists.

Step 2: NumPy Arrays

- Use `np.array()` to create arrays.
- Supports 1D, 2D, 3D arrays.
- Attributes: `shape`, `ndim`, `size`, `dtype`.

Step 3: Array Indexing & Slicing

- Indexing: `arr[0]`, `arr[1][2]`, etc.
- Slicing: `arr[1:4]`, `arr[:,1]`, `arr[::-2]`, etc.

Step 4: Data Types in NumPy

- Arrays have a uniform data type (`dtype`).
- Convert using `arr.astype()`.

Step 5: Arithmetic Operations

- Element-wise operations: `+`, `-`, `*`, `/`, `**`
- Comparison: `>`, `<`, `==`, etc.
- Supports broadcasting.

Step 6: Broadcasting

- Automatic expansion of arrays to match shapes for operations.
- Follows specific broadcasting rules.

Step 7: Mathematical & Statistical Functions

- `sum()`, `mean()`, `median()`, `std()`, `var()`, `min()`, `max()`

- Use axis=0 or axis=1 for multi-dimensional arrays.

Step 8: Reshaping & Resizing Arrays

- reshape(), ravel(), flatten(), resize()
- transpose() and T for transposing.

Step 9: Stacking & Splitting Arrays

- vstack(), hstack(), column_stack()
- vsplit(), hsplitle()

Step 10: NumPy Random Module

- rand(), randn(), randint(), choice(), shuffle(), seed()

Step 11: Summary & Use Cases

- Used in Data Science, ML, Scientific Computing, Finance, Image Processing, etc.
- Forms the foundation for libraries like Pandas, Scikit-learn, TensorFlow.