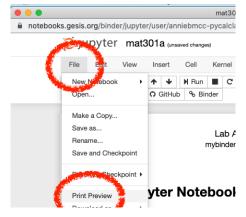
# MAT301 Lab Directions

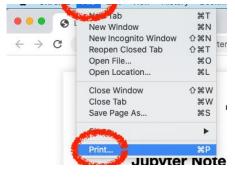
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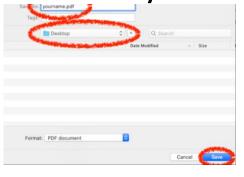


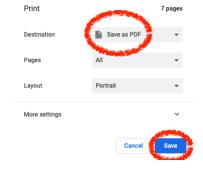
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## Lab A: Using Python as a Calculator

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## **Jupyter Notebooks**

A1. **RUN** the following "code cell" (gray rectangle with In[] next to it), by CLICKING the code cell and pressing SHIFT+RETURN. Notice that only the last result will display.

```
In [ ]: 1 + 2 + 3
50 - 3
100*5
```

A2. **RUN** the following. As always, only the last result displays, but the last result has 2 parts because of the comma.

```
In [ ]: 1 + 2 + 3
50 - 3, 1000*1000
100*5, 7*7
```

A3. The "+" on the toolbar adds a code cell. The "scissors" deletes a cell.

## Python arithmetic + - \* / \*\*

A4. **RUN** the following.

```
In [ ]: 3 + 10*5, 5**2, 27/10
```

#### A5. EXERCISE.

- a) What does each of the 5 arithmetic operations do?
- b) Do spaces around the 5 operations matter, or is it just style?

```
In [ ]: # TYPE YOUR ANSWERS BELOW
#
    # a) + is
# - is
# * is
# / is
# ** is
# # b)
```

## Python # and =

A6. RUN the following. You will notice python ignores everything after #

```
In [ ]: # This is a comment
1 + 1 # This is also a comment
```

A7. **RUN** the following. Notice we assign variables using = Assignment itself does NOT produce output.

```
In [ ]: a = 10
a

In [ ]: b = 20

In [ ]: a = 18
b = 21
c = a - b
c
```

A8. **RUN** the following. Notice you can assign multiple variables at once with a comma.

```
In [ ]: x, y = 100, 500
x
In [ ]: a,b,c = 3,4,5
a + b/c
```

A9. **RUN** the following. See that we can compute  $\frac{(2-3)*-3}{-1+2}$  all at once (1st cell below), or we can assign variables to help us (2nd cell below).

```
In []: (2-3)*-3/(-1+2)

In []: top = (2-3)*-3
bottom = -1+2
top/bottom
```

A10. **EXERCISE.** Assign variables to help you compute  $3 - \frac{3^2 - 2 \cdot 3}{2 \cdot 3 - 2}$ 

```
In [ ]: # Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
```

## **Order of Operations**

A11. **RUN** the following. Notice a - b \* c = a - (b \* c), but they do not equal (a - b) \* c.

```
In []: a,b,c = 3,4,5

a - b*c, a - (b*c), (a - b)*c
```

A12. **EXERCISE.** In each row, identify NON-equivalent choice. For example, the answer to (1) is (a - b) \* c because a - b \* c = a - (b \* c)

```
a-b*c a-(b*c) (a-b)*c
(1)
     a*(b-c) (a*b)-c a*b-c

a/b+c a/(b+c) (a/b)+c
(2)
(3) 	 a/b+c
                              a + b/c
                 a + (b/c)(a ** b) * c
(4) 	 (a+b)/c
(5)
     a ** (b * c)
                                a ** b * c
     a * (b ** c)
                  a*b**c
                                (a * b) ** c
(6)
                   (a/b) ** c
                                a/(b ** c)
(7)
     a/b ** c
     a ** b/c
                 (a ** b)/c \qquad a ** (b/c)
(8)
     (3-3)-3
                   3 - 3 - 3
                                3 - (3 - 3)
(9)
(10) \qquad (2**3)**2 \qquad 2**(3**2) \qquad 2**3**2
(11)
     6/3/2
                   6/(3/2)
                                (6/3)/2
```

A13. **RUN** the following example, where we add 2 sets of parentheses which show the order of the 2 operations.

```
In [ ]: 1 + 3/5
In [ ]: (1 + (3/5))
```

A14. **EXERCISE.** Add 4 sets of parentheses, which show the order of the 4 operations.

```
In [ ]: 7 - 3 ** 2/9 + 4
In [ ]: # Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
```

A15. **EXERCISE.** Assign a,b,c = 4,5,8 and then evaluate  $\frac{a^b-c/b}{c-a}$ ,  $\frac{a^{c-b}}{c-b}$ ,  $\frac{a^{3/2}}{b}$ ,  $\frac{a-b(c-a)}{c-a}$ 

```
In [ ]: # Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
```

## **Making python functions**

A16. **RUN** the following.

```
In [ ]: def g(x):
    return x**2
g(7)
In [ ]: def h(n): return n + 100
h(7)
```

A17. **EXERCISE.** Make the function  $P(x) = x^2 - 2x + 1$  and find P(P(7)).

```
In [ ]: # Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
```

## Built-in %pylab functions

Meaning	Math notation	Python
absolute value	x	abs(x)
square root	$\sqrt{x}$	sqrt(x)
exponential function	$e^{x}$	exp(x)
natural logarithm	ln x	log(x)
sine	$\sin x$	sin(x)
inverse sine	$\sin^{-1} x$	arcsin(x)
converts degrees to radians		radians(x)

A18. **RUN** the code cells below. The command <code>%pylab</code> only needs to be run once per lab; it loads "built-in functions" (from python packages numpy and matplotlib).

A19. EXERCISE. Evaluate

```
1. \sin 40^{\circ}

2. \sin^2 65^{\circ}

3. e^{(10-8.5)/3}

4. \arcsin(\sin(3\pi/4))
```

Note. Python uses radians for all angle measurements, so you need to convert any degrees to radians.

```
In [ ]: # Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
```

## Making an array with $r_{[}$

A20. **RUN** the following. (If you get an error, go back and run A17.) The function  $r_{[]}$  can make an array of numbers of your choice. We will need arrays for graphing (Lab B).

```
In []: x = r_{2,3,4,5,10}
x**3
```

A21. **EXERCISE.** Use r = 1 to store the numbers 2,3,5,7,11 in an array named  $x \cdot Find x \cdot x \cdot x$ .

```
In [ ]: # Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
```

## Making an array with r\_[a:b:stride]

A22. **RUN** the following. In general,  $r_{a:b}$  will list integers from a up to but not including b. A missing a is the same as 0.

```
In [ ]: r_[5:10]
In [ ]: r_[:5]
```

A23. **EXERCISE.** Use  $r_{a:b}$  to make the array 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9

```
In [ ]: # Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
```

A24. **RUN** the following. In general,  $r_{a:b:stride}$  spaces out your numbers by the amount stride.

```
In [ ]: r_[0:100:2]
```

A25. **EXERCISE.** Use  $r_{a:b:stride}$  to make the array 1, 3, 5, ..., 99

```
In [ ]: # Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
```

## Making an array with linspace(a,b,n)

A26. **RUN** the following. Observe that linspace(a,b,n) lists n numbers from a to b inclusive. This is useful for generating a lot of evenly-spaced numbers, such as when graphing (Lab B). Observe that linspace(a,b) lists 50 numbers from a to b inclusive.

```
In [ ]: linspace(0,10,6)
In [ ]: linspace(0,10)
```

A27. **EXERCISE.** Use linspace(a,b,n) to make the array 1, 1.5, 2, 2.5, 3, 3.5, 4

```
In [ ]: # Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
```

#### A28. EXERCISE.

Convert average body temperature  $98.6^{\circ} F$  to Celsius using C = 5/9(F - 32).

```
In [ ]: # Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
```

A29. RUN the following.

Notice that  $\mathbf{x}$  and  $\mathbf{y}$  are arrays,

c [x,y] puts them into a table.

#### A30. EXERCISE.

Use r\_ to make an array of Fahrenheit values  $x = -100, -80, -60, \dots, 100$ .

Make the corresponding array of Celsius values y

Use c to put x and y into a table.

```
In [ ]: # Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
```

## Lab B: Plotting Graphs in Python

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## Plotting with plot

B1. Example. To graph  $f(x) = x^2$  over [-2, 2] by hand, make an xy table: choose some x values,

and then use f to compute the corresponding y values.

B2. **RUN** the following. Notice that graphing in python is similar to B1: we make a list of x values and y values.

```
In [ ]: %pylab inline
In [ ]: x = r_[-2, -1, 0, 1, 2]
y = r_[4, 1, 0, 1, 4]
plot(x,y)
```

B3. **RUN** the following. Notice that we save time by making the x array using linspace (see A27) and making the y array by doing arithmetic on x (see A29). For illustrative purposes, we use  $c_{x,y}$  to make a table out of the arrays x and y (see A29).

B4. **RUN** the following, which graph  $f(x) = e^x$  over the interval [0, 7]. Here we make our array x using  $r_{a:b:stride}$  (see A22). Remember that exp(x) is how you write  $e^x$  in python (see A18).

B5. **RUN** the following. When we change the x we must recompute the y; there are two ways to do it (compare B4 to B5).

#### B6. EXERCISE.

- (1) Graph  $y = \cos 4x$  over  $[0, \pi]$  with a step size of pi/10
- (2) Redo your plot from iii. using x = linspace(0,pi)
- (3) Which plot looks more like the plot of a cosine curve?

```
In [ ]: # (1) Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
In [ ]: # (2) Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
# (3) Your answer:
```

B7. **EXERCISE.** Plot the function  $f(x) = e^{\cos x}$  over the interval  $[0, 2\pi]$ .

```
In [ ]: # Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
```

## Doing arthmetic on arrays

B8. RUN the following.

We make numpy arrays with  $r_{-}$  or linspace

Numpy arrays "know" how to do "elementwise" arithmetic.

Warning:  $x^2$  is written x\*\*2.

```
In [ ]: x = r_{1:5}

x, 10 - x, x + 10, 10*x, x**2, 12/x, x**x, 10**x
```

#### B9. **RUN** the following.

```
In [ ]: # We can add arrays of the same shape (same length)
x = r_[10, 20, 50, 100]
y = r_[3, 0, 7, -1]
x + y
```

```
In [ ]: # We can add an array (x) and a scalar (y)

x = r_[10, 20, 50, 100]
y = 100
x + y
```

```
In [ ]: # We CANNOT add arrays of DIFFERENT shape
x = r_[10, 20, 50, 100]
y = r_[3, 0, 7]
x + y
```

#### B10. **RUN** the following.

```
In [ ]: # y = sin x + cos 3x over the domain [0,2pi]
    x = linspace(0,2*pi)
    y = sin(x) + cos(3*x)
    plot(x,y)

In [ ]: # y = e^(-x/2) cos 6x over the domain [0,10pi]
    x = linspace(0, 10*pi, 300)
    y1 = exp(-x/2) # Here we break up the
    y2 = cos(6*x) # computation into
    y = y1*y2 # bite-sized pieces
    plot(x,y)

In [ ]: # y = 1/(x^2 - 1) over the domain [2,5]
    x = x_[2:5:0.1]
    y = 1/(x**2 - 1)
    plot(x,y)
```

#### B11. **EXERCISE.** First **RUN** the following.

```
In [ ]: a,b,c = r_[:5], r_[:50:10], r_[:10]
a,b,c
```

Now, that we've defined a, b, c, which of the following are defined? a + b a + c a + 1 a \* b c \*\* 2  $c ^2$ 

```
In [ ]: # Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
```

B12. **RUN** the following example. Let x be the array 1,2,3. Write Python commands to compute  $x^3$ . The output you get should be array([1, 8, 27]).

```
In []: x = r_{1,2,3}
x**3
```

```
B13. EXERCISE. Using the same array x = r_{1,2,3}, find:
```

```
\cos x \sin x \qquad \sin^2 x \qquad \sin x^2 \qquad 7x^2 \sin \frac{1}{7x^2}
```

You should get

```
array([ 0.45464871, -0.37840125, -0.13970775])
array([0.70807342, 0.82682181, 0.01991486])
array([ 0.84147098, -0.7568025 , 0.41211849])
array([0.99660211, 0.99978743, 0.99995801])
```

```
In [ ]: # Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
```

B14. **EXERCISE.** Using the same array  $x = r_{1,2,3}$ , find:

$$x - \frac{\cos x - \sin x}{\sin x + \cos x}$$
  $\frac{1}{10}(x - \frac{x^{3/2}}{10})^2$ 

You should get

```
array([1.2179581 , 4.68770694, 1.66751188])
array([0.081 , 0.29486292, 0.61523085])
```

```
In [ ]: # Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
```

## **Graphing practice**

### B15 EXERCISE.

- (1) Graph the function  $f(x) = \sin(\frac{\pi}{2}x) + \sin(\frac{2}{5}\pi x)$  over the interval [0, 40].
- (2) How many peaks (relative maxima) does your graph have?
- (3) This function is periodic; how many periods are graphed in [0, 40]?
- (4) Estimate from your graph the value of f(10) to 1 decimal point.

```
In [ ]: # (1) Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
# (2) Your answer:
# (3) Your answer:
# (4) Your answer:
```

#### B16. EXERCISE.

- (1) Graph  $f(x) = \cos^2 x \sin^2 x$  over the interval  $[-2\pi, 2\pi]$  using 100 points.
- (2) Does the resemble any of the following?  $\cos 2x \qquad \cos x/2 \qquad \cos x$

```
In [ ]: # (1) Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
# (2) Your answer:
```

#### B17. EXERCISE.

- (1) Plot the polynomial function  $f(x) = x^3 20x^2 + 10x 1$  over the interval [-10, 10].
- (2) Which is the approximate range for the *y*-axis?

$$[-10, 10]$$
  $(-10, 10)$   $[-3100, 0]$   $[0, 2\pi]$ 

```
In [ ]: # (1) Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
# (2) Your answer:
```

B18. **EXERCISE.** We wish to investigate when (if) the function in B17 is positive. We can't readily tell from our graph in B17 so we will replot over a smaller domain.

- (1). Which of these domains seems appropriate for this task?
  - [0, 500]
- [0, 10]
- [-1, 1]
- $[0, 2\pi]$
- (2) Replot the graph over the selected domain. Turn on the grid using grid()
- (3) From your graph, which of these x values have f(x) > 0? Indicate all that apply:
  - 0 0.25
    - 0.50
- 0
- 0.75

```
In [ ]: # (1) Your answer:
# (2) Type your answer below and press SHIFT+ENTER
# (3) Your answer:
```

## Lab C: Finding Limits in Python

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C1. **RUN** the following. When we are asked to compute a limit, the first thing we try is plugging in. Sometimes this works, such as for  $\lim_{x\to\pi/2} \sin(x)/x$ :

C2. **RUN** the following. However sometimes plugging in doesn't work, such as for  $\lim_{x\to 0} \sin(x)/x$ :

```
In [ ]: x = 0\sin(x)/x
```

C3. **RUN** the following. When plugging in doesn't work, there are two things we can do in Python. First we can look at the graph. The graph tells us that  $\lim_{x\to 0} \sin(x)/x = 1$ .

C4. **RUN** the following. The second thing we can do is make a table of x and f(x) where we plug in numbers closer and closer to the given x = a. The table tells us that  $\lim_{x\to 0} \frac{\sin(x)}{x} = 1$ .

C5. **RUN** the following. Sometimes python will give us scientific notation. We use the command set printoptions to turn off scientific notation and get more digits of precision.

C\_[x,y]

```
In [ ]: x = r_[1, .1, .01, .001, .0001, .00001]
y = sin(x)/x
c_[x,y]
```

```
In [ ]: set_printoptions(precision=17, suppress=True)

x = r_[1, .1, .01, .001, .0001, .00001]
y = sin(x)/x
c_[x,y]
```

C6. **RUN** the following. See that we get the same output in C6 and C5, but the code is cleaner in C6 because we make x in a more clever way.

#### C7. EXERCISE.

(1) Use the graphical approach to find the following right limit of  $f(x) = x^x$ , x > 0,

$$\lim_{x\to 0^+} x^{\mathcal{X}}.$$

(2) What is the value of the limit? (Enter no limit as DNE)

```
In [ ]: # (1) Type your code below and press SHIFT+ENTER
# (2) YOUR ANSWER:
```

#### C8. EXERCISE.

(1) Use the numeric (table) approach to find the following (two sided) limit

$$\lim_{x \to 0} \frac{1 - \cos x}{x^2}.$$

You will need a table for the right-hand limit and a table for the left-hand limit.

- (2) What is the value of the limit?
- (3) How does the numerical instability of the problem show up in the output?

```
In [ ]: # (1) Type your code below and press SHIFT+ENTER
In [ ]: # (2) YOUR ANSWER:
# (3) YOUR ANSWER:
# # #
```

#### C9. EXERCISE.

(1) Use the numeric approach to find the following limit

$$\lim_{x \to \pi/2} \left( \frac{\pi}{2} - x \right) \tan x.$$

(2) What is the value of the limit?

```
In [ ]: # (1) Type your code below and press SHIFT+ENTER
In [ ]: # (2) YOUR ANSWER:
```

#### C10. EXERCISE.

Let  $f(x) = x \ln x$  for x > 0. We will investigate the right-hand limit  $\lim_{x \to 0^+} f(x)$  as follows.

- (1) Use the numeric approach to find the limit.
- (2) What is the value of the limit?
- (3) Plot a graph of f(x) over the interval (0, 1).
- (4) Does the graph in (3) confirm your answer in (2)?

```
In [ ]: # (1) Type your code below and press SHIFT+ENTER
In [ ]: # (2) YOUR ANSWER:
In [ ]: # (3) Type your code below and press SHIFT+ENTER
# (4) YOUR ANSWER:
```

#### C11. EXERCISE.

We wish to find the limit of the oscillating function

$$f(x) = x \sin \frac{1}{x}$$

as x approaches 0.

- (1) Plot the function f over the interval [-pi, pi] using 10000 points for x.
- (2) "Zoom in" by replotting the function over [-0.1, 0.1].
- (3) Motivated by the squeeze theorem, plot on the same axes the function f over [-0.1, 0.1] as well as y = |x| and y = -|x|.
- (4) Estimate the limit as  $x \to 0$ .
- (5) How did graphing the absolute value help you find the limit in (3)? (Choose one)

The mean-value theorem The function is continuous The squeeze theorem They didnt; I just guessed

```
In [ ]: # (1) Type your code below and press SHIFT+ENTER

In [ ]: # (2) Type your code below and press SHIFT+ENTER
```

```
In [ ]: # (3) Type your code below and press SHIFT+ENTER
# (4) YOUR ANSWER:
# (5) YOUR ANSWER:
```

## **Functions**

C12. RUN the following. We learned how to make python functions in A16. Here we define

$$f(x) = \frac{\sin x}{x}$$
$$g(x) = 7x^2 \sin \frac{1}{7x^2}$$

and then use our functions to find f(1) and g(1).

```
In [ ]: def f(x):
    return sin(x)/x

def g(x):
    a = 7*x**2
    return a * sin(1/a)

f(1), g(1)
```

#### C13. EXERCISE.

- (1) Define the python function  $f(x) = x^{-1}e^{-1/x}$
- (2) Plot the function f(x) over the interval (0,1] using your python function f
- (3) Use your graph in (2) to estimate the right limit as x goes to 0.

```
In [ ]: # (1) Type your code below and press SHIFT+ENTER
# (2) Type your code below and press SHIFT+ENTER
# (3) YOUR ANSWER:
```

#### C14. EXERCISE.

(1) Create python functions with the following definitions.

$$f(x) = \frac{x - 1}{\arccos x}$$
$$g(x) = x^{X}$$

(2) Make a table to find the limit

$$\lim_{x \to 1^{-}} g(f(x))$$

- (3) What is the value of the limit in (2)?
- (4) Does the limit in (1) satisfy the following limit law? If so, what are c, L, M?

If 
$$\lim_{x\to c} f(x) = L$$
  
and  $\lim_{x\to L} g(x) = M$   
then  $\lim_{x\to c} g(f(x)) = M$ 

```
In [ ]: # (1) Type your code below and press SHIFT+ENTER
# (2) Type your code below and press SHIFT+ENTER
# (3) YOUR ANSWER:
# (4) YOUR ANSWER:
```

### C15. EXERCISE.

- (1) Define  $f(x) = x^{\chi}$ .
- (2) Make a table to find

$$f'(x) := \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

for x = 1.

- (3) What value for f'(1) do you get?
- (4) Make the same table as in (2) but with x = 0.
- (5) What value for f'(0) do you get?
- (6) Are you surprised that 43) worked? What part of (4) do we expect to fail, and what did python do instead?

```
In [ ]: # (1) Type your code below and press SHIFT+ENTER
# (2) Type your code below and press SHIFT+ENTER
# (3) YOUR ANSWER:
```