

Code examples and exercises: MATLAB programming

Code examples:

Matrix creation

```
A = [] % Create an empty matrix

A = [1 2; 3 4] % Create a 2-by-2 matrix
A = [1:2:100] % Create an array from 1 to 100, with an
interval of 2
A = zeros(4,5) % 4-by-5 matrix of all zeros
B = ones (2,3) % 2-by-3 matrix of all ones
C = rand(3,3) % 3-by-3 matrix of uniform random numbers in
[0,1]
D = randn(2,5) % 2-by-5 matrix of standard normally
distributed numbers
[E,F] = meshgrid(1:5) % 5-by-5 grids of numbers
[X,Y] = meshgrid(1:3,10:14) % Create a full grid from two monotonically
increasing grid vectors
M = magic(6) % Create a magic square in which sum(A,1) =
sum(A,2) = trace(A) = trace(rot90(A))
```

Matrix operations

```
A = [1 2; 3 4] % Create a 2-by-2 matrix
B = A' % Transpose A
C = [A; A] % Concatenate a matrix
A(1,2) % Extract the element in row 1, column 2
A(1,:) % Extract the element in row 1
A(end,:) % Extract the row of the last index
A(A>2) % Extract all the elements of A that are
greater than 2
```

Matrix assignment and deletion

```
A = rand(10,10)
A(1,2) = 100 % Assign 100 to the element in row 1, column
2
A = rand(10,10)
A(:,1:3:end) = 100 % Assign 100 to the elements of columns from
1 to the last index with an interval of 3
A(1,:) = [] % Delete the first row
```

Array and matrix sorting

```
A = [9 0 -7 5 3 8 -10 4 2] % Sort an array
B = sort(A)
A = [3 6 5; 7 -2 4; 1 0 -9] % Sort a matrix along its rows
B = sort(A,2)
A = [9 0 -7 5 3 8 -10 4 2] % Sort an array and also obtain the indices
[B, idx] = sort(A)
```

Matrix manipulation

```
A = [1 2; 3 4]
B = [2 4; 6 8]
C = A*B           % Matirx multiplication
Cdot = A.*B       % Matirx element-wise multiplication
```

MATLAB function example

```
function value = CosineFunction(x)
    value = cos(x);
end
```

Plot example

```
% Construct a sphere model
k = 5;
n = 2^k-1;
[x,y,z] = sphere(n);

%% Plot 3D lines
plot3(x,y,z);
axis equal

%% Plot 3D mesh plot
figure(2)
mesh(x,y,z);
axis equal

%% Plot contour
figure(3)
contourf(x,y,z);
```

Exercises

- 1.1 Create a 3-by-3 matrix with all ones. Create an 8-by-1 matrix with all zeros. Create a 5-by-2 matrix with all elements equal to 0.37.
- 1.2 Given matrix $m = [1, 2, 3; 2, 1, 5; 4, 6, 4; 2, 3, 2]$, create its submatrix n containing first two rows and the first and the third column.
- 1.3 Given the same matrix $A = [1, 2, 3; 2, 1, 5; 4, 6, 4; 2, 3, 2]$, create matrix B with rows sorted in a descending order of elements in the second column, e.g., $B = [4\ 6\ 4; 2\ 3\ 2; 1\ 2\ 3; 2\ 1\ 5]$
- 1.4 Write a Matlab function of two variables x and y : $z = y + x*x$. Evaluate the function over the range $x = -1 : 0.1 : 1$, $y = -1 : 0.1 : 1$. Plot a 3-D mesh surface and a contour plot of this function.
- 1.5 Learn how to use for-loop by typing “help for”, or by googling “for loop matlab”. Write a function using for-loop to do matrix multiplication. Compare the this for-loop version with matrix multiplication using $*$