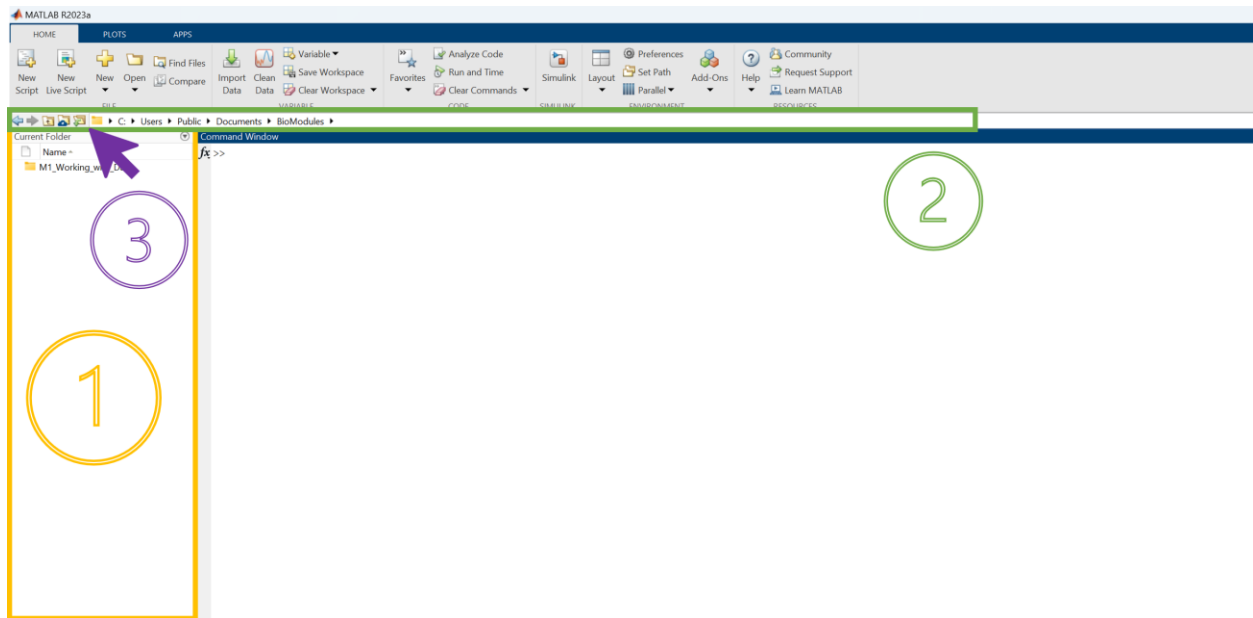


# Getting Started with MATLAB®

The first thing you need to do to use this module is to open MATLAB. Option 1 is to work with these files on your local computer, and option 2 is to access these files using MATLAB Online.

## Option 1:

- 1: If MATLAB isn't already installed on your computer, you'll need to do that first ([instructional video](#)).
- 2: Download this repository to your Desktop. Unzip the folder. Then you can open file 1 (Introduction) in MATLAB. In the folder on your computer you can click "Open with" and then MATLAB. You can also open MATLAB directly. The MATLAB editor will open and look like this:



- 1) The "Current Folder" pane shows the contents of the folder you are currently working in. This is called your current path.
- 2) This path is also denoted as "File" above the command window.
- 3) You can click "browse for a folder" to the left of the file path and navigate through your computer to find the folder you want to work in (navigate to the repository folder for this module that you downloaded). You will want to save any data you access to this folder, and always make sure that you are working from that folder as you go through the module.

## Option 2:

You can open these files in MATLAB online (be sure to link). You'll need to login to your MathWorks account (if you are with a university, use your .edu email address to access your university's license).

## Further information:

If you want a little more information on how to work in MATLAB and what the other parts of the MATLAB window do, check out [this video](#).