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GET 315 Advanced Programming Methods  
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Computer Project 9

Introduction:

The subject of matrix algebra was discussed in class and more information was presented in another document. We also wrote C code that implement many different matrix operations. This project assignment explores the functions in the MATLAB<sup>®</sup> libraries that solve the same type of problems.

Assignment:

Use the 'Command Window' to perform the following operations:

1. Define the independent variable as a vector, then calculate the value of the function as element-by-element operation (use the operators `.*`, `./`, & `.^` when writing the expression for the function) for each value of the independent variable
  - a)  $y = (x + x\sqrt{x+3})(1 + 2x^2) - x^3$  for  $x$  values of -2, -1.5, -1, -0.5, 0, 0.5, 1, 1.5, 2
  - b)  $y = \frac{4\sin(w) + 6}{(\cos^2(w)\sin(w))^2}$  for  $w$  values of 15°, 25°, 35°, 40°, 55°, 60°
2. Define the vector ( $\mathbf{v} = x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j} + z\mathbf{k}$ ) in each part then calculate the required value as indicated using element-by-element operations
  - a) The length of a vector is given by  $|\mathbf{v}| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$ . For the vector  $\mathbf{v} = -5.6\mathbf{i} + 11\mathbf{j} - 14\mathbf{k}$ , write a single command that calculates the length of the vector by multiplying it by itself and using the MATLAB 'sum' & 'sqrt' functions
  - b) The angle between two vectors is determined by  $\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{x_1x_2 + y_1y_2 + z_1z_2}{|\mathbf{v}_1||\mathbf{v}_2|}\right)$ .  
Given the vectors  $\mathbf{v}_1 = 3.2\mathbf{i} - 6.8\mathbf{j} + 9\mathbf{k}$  &  $\mathbf{v}_2 = -4\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 7\mathbf{k}$ , write a single MATLAB command that determines the angle  $\theta$  (in degrees) between the two vectors using only the 'sum', 'sqrt', & 'acosd' functions
3. Given the vector  $x = [1 \ 3 \ 5 \ 7]$ , generate the following vectors using only element-by-element operations
  - a)  $[3 \ 9 \ 15 \ 21]$
  - b)  $[1 \ 9 \ 25 \ 49]$
  - c)  $[1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 1]$
  - d)  $[6 \ 6 \ 6 \ 6]$
4. The angle between two vectors,  $\mathbf{v}_1$  &  $\mathbf{v}_2$ , can be determined by the formula

$$\theta = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{|\mathbf{v}_1 \times \mathbf{v}_2|}{|\mathbf{v}_1||\mathbf{v}_2|}\right) \text{ where } |\mathbf{v}| = \sqrt{\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{v}} \text{ (Note that } \times \text{ \& } \cdot \text{ are the cross \& dot products of}$$

two vectors, respectively). Given the vectors  $\mathbf{v}_1 = 2.5\mathbf{i} + 8\mathbf{j} - 5\mathbf{k}$  &  $\mathbf{v}_2 = -\mathbf{i} + 6\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$ , use the MATLAB functions 'asind', 'cross', 'dot', & 'sqrt' to determine  $\theta$  in degrees

5. Using the following matrices  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & -3 & 7 \\ 1 & 0 & -6 \\ -4 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & -1 \\ 6 & 8 & -7 \\ 4 & 4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ , &

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} -9 & 8 & 3 \\ 1 & 7 & -5 \\ 3 & 3 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

- a) Find  $5(B + C)$  &  $5B + 5C$  and compare the results
  - b) Does  $(B * C)^{-1} = B^{-1} * C^{-1}$
  - c) Does  $(A + B)^T = A^T + B^T$
6. Find the solution of the following systems of equations
- $$\begin{aligned} 2u - 4v + 5w - 3.5x + 1.8y + 4z &= 52.52 \\ -1.5u + 3v + 4w - x - 2y + 5z &= -21.1 \\ 5u + v - 6w + 3x - 2y + 2z &= -27.6 \\ 1.2u - 2v + 3w + 4x - y + 4z &= 9.16 \\ 4u + v - 2w - 3x - 4y + 1.5z &= -17.9 \\ 2u + v - w + 4x - 2y - 4z &= -16.2 \end{aligned}$$

Write up Requirements:

Your report must include at minimum the following -

- A single document with a title page that includes the following information

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- For each question include a comment line (%) before each group of commands that identify the question number and any other relevant information
- A screen capture or a printout of MATLAB session showing the entered commands and responses for each question