



Codeblock class: octave

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sudo apt-get install octave
https://www.gnu.org/software/octave
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runs:
> octave --no-gui -q {im_opt} <fname>.octave <fname>.{im_fmt}
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class->cmd
octave -> octave
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Metadata options

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image.im_out: img, fcb
image.im_log: 4
```

Notes

- ; makes statements silent
- `figure(1, "visibility", "off")` prevents pop-up window
- `print(1, argv(){1});` prints to intended output filename
- octave will infer image type from output filename extension
- `image` calls `octave --no-gui -q <im_opt> <infile> <outfile>`, where
- *Octave seems to suffer from a bug in localhost's libosmesa6*

Octave

Sinus plot

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```octave
outname = argv(){1}
figure(1, 'visible', 'off');

x = 0:0.01:2*pi;
a = sin(x);
b = cos(2*x);
c = sin(4*x);
d = 2*sin(3*x);
plot(x,a,x,b,x,c,x,d, "linewidth", 2);
set(gca, "xlim", [0,2*pi], "fontsize", 15);
title("sinusoids");

print(1, outname, '-dpng');
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```octave
outname = argv(){1}
figure(1, "visible", "off");

x=linspace(-2,2,50);
y=linspace(-2,2,50);
[xx,yy]=meshgrid(x,y);
meshc(xx,yy,4-(xx.^2+yy.^2))

print(1, outname, '-dpng');
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Peaks surface

?? missing pd-images/8ca9ae545afe53e6d8fbe3378fb884fabeb4a74a.png

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```octave
figure('visible', 'off');

surf(peaks);
title("peaks");
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print(1, argv(){1});
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Peaks contour

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```octave
figure(1, 'visible', 'off');

contourf(peaks);
title("peaks");

print(1, argv(){1});
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3-D wave

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```octave
outname = argv(){1}
figure(1, 'visible', 'off');

x = 0:0.1:2*pi;
y = 0:0.1:2*pi;
z = sin(x)' * sin(y);
mesh(x, y, z);
xlabel("x-axis");
ylabel("y-axis");
zlabel("z-axis");
title("3-D waves");

print(1, outname, '-dpng');
```
```

Documentation

octave -h

GNU Octave, version 4.2.2

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Octave was configured for "x86_64-pc-linux-gnu".

Usage: octave [options] [FILE]

Options:

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|---------------------------------|---|
| --built-in-docstrings-file FILE | Use docs for built-ins from FILE. |
| --debug, -d | Enter parser debugging mode. |
| --debug-jit | Enable JIT compiler debugging/tracing. |
| --doc-cache-file FILE | Use doc cache file FILE. |
| --echo-commands, -x | Echo commands as they are executed. |
| --eval CODE | Evaluate CODE. Exit when done unless --persist. |
| --exec-path PATH | Set path for executing subprograms. |
| --force-gui | Force graphical user interface to start. |
| --help, -h, | Print short help message and exit. |
| --image-path PATH | Add PATH to head of image search path. |
| --info-file FILE | Use top-level info file FILE. |
| --info-program PROGRAM | Use PROGRAM for reading info files. |
| --interactive, -i | Force interactive behavior. |
| --jit-compiler | Enable the JIT compiler. |
| --line-editing | Force readline use for command-line editing. |
| --no-gui | Disable the graphical user interface. |
| --no-history, -H | Don't save commands to the history list |
| --no-init-file | Don't read the ~/.octaverc or .octaverc files. |
| --no-init-path | Don't initialize function search path. |
| --no-line-editing | Don't use readline for command-line editing. |
| --no-site-file | Don't read the site-wide octaverc file. |
| --no-window-system, -W | Disable window system, including graphics. |
| --norc, -f | Don't read any initialization files. |
| --path PATH, -p PATH | Add PATH to head of function search path. |
| --persist | Go interactive after --eval or reading from FILE. |
| --silent, --quiet, -q | Don't print message at startup. |
| --texi-macros-file FILE | Use Texinfo macros in FILE for makeinfo command. |
| --traditional | Set variables for closer MATLAB compatibility. |
| --verbose, -V | Enable verbose output in some cases. |

`--version, -v` Print version number and exit.

`FILE` Execute commands from `FILE`. Exit when done
unless `--persist` is also specified.

Additional information about Octave is available at <http://www.octave.org>.

Please contribute if you find this software useful.

For more information, visit <http://www.octave.org/get-involved.html>

Read <http://www.octave.org/bugs.html> to learn how to submit bug reports.

man page

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NAME

octave - A high-level interactive language for numerical computations.

SYNOPSIS

octave [options]... [file]

DESCRIPTION

Octave is a high-level language, primarily intended for numerical computations. It provides a convenient command line interface for solving linear and nonlinear problems numerically.

OPTIONS

The complete set of command-line options for octave is available by running the following command from the shell.

octave --help

DOCUMENTATION

The primary documentation for Octave is written using Texinfo, the GNU documentation system, which allows the same source files to be used to produce online and printed versions of the manual.

You can read the online copy of the Octave documentation by issuing the following command from within octave.

octave:1> doc

The Info files may also be read with a stand-alone program such as

info or xinfo. HTML, Postscript, or PDF versions of the documentation are installed on many systems as well.

BUGS

The Octave project maintains a bug tracker at <http://bugs.octave.org>. Before submitting a new item please read the instructions at <http://www.octave.org/bugs.html> on how to submit a useful report.

FILES

Upon startup Octave looks for four initialization files. Each file may contain any number of valid Octave commands.

`octave-home/share/octave/site/m/startup/octaverc`

Site-wide initialization file which changes options for all users. `octave-home` is the directory where Octave was installed such as `/usr/local`.

`octave-home/share/octave/version/m/startup/octaverc`

Site-wide initialization file for Octave version version.

`~/.octaverc`

User's personal initialization file.

`.octaverc`

Project-specific initialization file located in the current directory.

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