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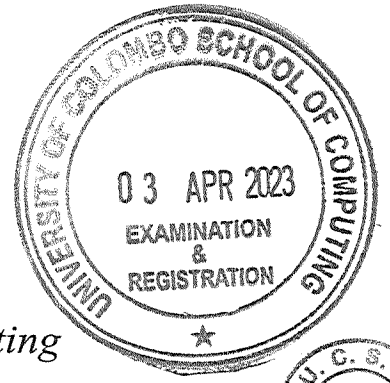
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Question 1

(a) Write the outputs of the octave code fragments given below.

i. `>> myVariable = [2:4;3:5;linspace(-2,2,3)]`
`>> size(myVariable)`

[03 Marks]

ii. `>> a = 1:15;`
`>> a = reshape(a, 3, 5)`
`>> a(2:3,3)=[99 ; 99]`
`>> a`

[04 Marks]

iii. `ceil(5.7)`

[02 Marks]

iv. `>> a = "My name is su";`
`>> b = "I love Octave";`
`>> c = "I like Maths and Stat";`
`>> d = "I am studying at UCSC";`
`>> e = "."; f = " ";`
`>>[a e f c e ; d e f b e]`

[04 Marks]

```
v.A = [3.7, 2.4, 0.3, 5.2, 4.8]
find( A > 3.5)
```

[02 Marks]

- (b) A two-dimensional object on an Octave plot (see Figure 1) can be subjected to a scaled up (or down) linear transformation. To scale an object by a factor of k the matrix $T_z = \begin{bmatrix} k & 0 \\ 0 & k \end{bmatrix}$ can be used. Complete the code in the code listing which is designed to dilate the given triangle by **factor of 2**.

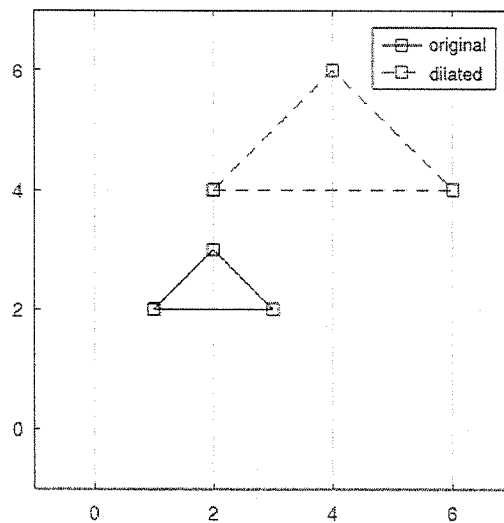


Figure 1: Dilation of a Triangle

Code Listing 1: Scale Operation

[10 Marks]

T1 = [1,3,2,1;2,2,3,2];	%points in first triangle
Tz = [____, 0; _____, _____];	% Transformation matrix
T2 = _____	% Transformation of the triangle
x1 = T2(_____, :); x = T1(1, :);	% Find the vectors
y1 = T2(2, :); y=T1(_____, :);	% Find the vectors
plot(x , _____ , 'sb-', _____ , _____ , 'sr--')	%plot triangle
_____ ;	% grid on
_____ ('original' , 'dilated')	% legend

Question 2.

(a) Write your answers to the each of the following:

i. What is the output of `stringConcat = ["foo"; 'bar', "huz"]`

[01 Mark]

ii. What is the text printed if the following code snippet is executed?

```

for n=1:3
    for m=1:2:5
        printf("%d %d", n, m);
        if ( m==2 )
            break;
        endif
    endfor
endfor

```

[04 Marks]

iii. What would be the value of the Z after executing the code below?

```

x = linspace(-2,2,5)
y = linspace(-2,2,5)
[X,Y] = meshgrid(x,y)
Z = X+Y

```

[03 Marks]

iv. Write down the Octave content for the three blanks to convert the variable `quote` to the commented.

[02 Marks]

```

quote = "the quick brown fox jump over the lazy dog"
% the quick br8wn f8x jump 8ver the lazy d8g

```

```

_____ (quote _____ "o") _____ '8'

```

- (b) Create two Octave struct type variables named **employer1** and **employer2**. **employer1** has **name** as "Luke" and **employee id** as 1285 (number) while **employer2** has **name** as "Mary" and **dob** as "89-05-23"(String).

[04 Marks]

- (c) The given Code Listing 2 generates a plot for random noisy data by fitting a second-order polynomial that best fits the data. Fill the indicated blanks in the code.

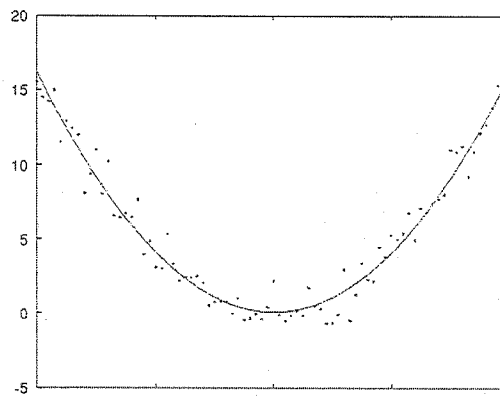


Figure 2:polynomial fitting. Noisy data

Code Listing 2 : Polynomial plotting

[05 Marks]

```
x = -4:0.1:4;
```

```
Y = x.^2;
```

```
y = y + _____(size(y)); % plot random noisy signals
```

```
plot(x,y, '. ') %
```

```
P = _____(x,y, _____); %fit 2nd degree polynomial to the data
```

```
hold on;
```

```
plot(x, _____(p,x), 'r') % plot the fitted polynomial
```

- (d) Write the Octave commands that can be used to solve the system of linear equations given below.

$$\begin{aligned}x + 2y &= 9 \\ 4x + 3y &= 11\end{aligned}$$

[02 Marks]

- (e) Solve the following system of equations by finding the **Reduced Row Echelon Form** (RREF) of the augmented matrix associated with the given system. Give the original augmented matrix, the reduced row echelon form of the matrix and the solution to the system of equations. Show the steps clearly.

$$\begin{aligned}-1x + 5y &= 4 \\ 5x + 2y &= 7\end{aligned}$$

[04 Marks]

Question 3

- (a) Suppose you are conducting a study on the relationship between a student's chosen major and the grade point average (GPA).

- i. What type of scale of measurement would you use to measure the GPA of students?
[02 Marks]

- ii. Specify whether the data you collect is discrete or continuous.
[02 Marks]

- iii. If you wanted to group students into categories based on their majors (e.g., Biology, Engineering, History), what scale of measurement would you use for the data in each category?
[02 Marks]

- (b) Fifteen students' performance in a 100m freestyle swimming competition is listed below, indicating the time in seconds that each student took to complete the race.

52, 54, 54, 55, 58, 58, 59, 60, 60, 61, 61, 64, 67, 70, 75

- i. Arrange the above data in a *stem and leaf diagram*.
[02 Marks]

- ii. Write the **R** code to create the vector named **time** and to draw the stem and leaf diagram.

[02 Marks]

- iii. Compute the Mean.

[02 Marks]

- iv. Compute the Median.

[02 Marks]

- v. State 03 numerical methods of measuring the variability/dispersion of the given data.

[03 Marks]

- vi. Compute the 25th and 75th percentiles.

[04 Marks]

vii. Using the appropriate measures calculated in part (b) draw a sketch of the boxplot. [04 Marks]

Question 4.

- (a) Suppose a car manufacturer wants to estimate the average fuel efficiency of a new model it is planning to release. From previous tests it is known that the population variance of fuel efficiency is 16. The manufacturer takes a random sample of 36 cars from the production line and measures their fuel efficiency. The sample mean fuel efficiency is 30 miles per gallon.

- i. What is the point estimate of the population mean fuel efficiency based on the sample data?

[01 Mark]

- ii. What is the 95% confidence interval estimate of the population mean fuel efficiency based on the sample data? (The z-value for a 95% confidence level with a two-tailed test is $Z = 1.96$)

[05 Marks]

- iii. What is the minimum sample size needed to estimate the population mean fuel efficiency with a 95% confidence level and a margin of error no more than 2 miles per gallon?

[02 Marks]

(b) Researchers are considering a new drug for the treatment of migraine headaches, but some individuals who participated in early tests of the medication have reported experiencing slight nausea as a side effect. The FDA (Food and Drug Administration) will reject the drug if it thinks that more than 15% of the population would suffer from this side effect. In an experiment to test this side effect, 400 people who suffer from migraine headaches receive the new drug and 80 of them report nausea as a side effect.

- i. Define the parameter of interest, giving appropriate notation and writing a sentence saying what it is.

[01 Mark]

- ii. State the null and alternative hypothesis. (Use notation, not words.)

[04 Marks]

The following R code is used for the analysis.

```
> pbar = 80/400
> p0 = .15
> n = 400
> z = (pbar-p0)/sqrt(p0*(1-p0)/n)
> z
[1] 2.80056
> pval = pnorm(z, lower.tail=FALSE)
> pval
[1] 0.0025507
```

- iii. What is the value of the test static?

[01 Mark]

- iv. At 5% significance level, give your decision and the conclusion clearly.

[03 Marks]

(c) Write the outputs of the following code segments.

i. `class(4L)`

[02 Marks]

ii. `matrix(month.name, nrow=3)`

[02 Marks]

iii. `> v <- c("one", "Two", "Three", "Four", "Five")`
`> v[c(1:2, 4)]`

[02 Marks]

iv. `seq(1, 20, 5)`

[02 Marks]
