# NumPy

• **Introduces ndarrays.** Those are n-dimensional arrays of homogeneous data types, with many operations being performed on compiled code for performance.

## Working with NumPy

The first thing we need to do when installing a Python library we can type pip install numpy in the terminal. If we are using JupyterNotebook we can run the following, which will basically call our terminal.

```
In [1]: !pip install numpy
```

Requirement already satisfied: numpy in c:\users\sergi\anaconda3\lib\site-packages (1.21.5)

Once NumPy is installed we might want to **import** it. To import a function we just need to type:

```
In [2]: import numpy as np
```

### Create an array from a list

```
In [4]: # Create a 1-dimensional array
A = np.array([1,3,4,5,6])  # A is our first array
print(A)  # allows to visualize A
type(A)  # check that the type is ndarray

[1 3 4 5 6]
numpy.ndarray

In [6]: # Create a 2-dimensional array
B = np.array([[1,2],[3,4],[5,6]])  # 2-d array
print(B)

[[1 2]
[3 4]
[5 6]]
```

- **shape**: number of dimensions of the array.
- **size** :number of elements in the array
- **ndim**: number of dimensions in the arrya

```
In [11]: print(f'The dimensions of array A are{A.shape}')
    print(f'The dimensions of array B are{B.shape}')

The dimenions of array A are(5,)
    The dimenions of array B are(3, 2)
```

```
In [17]: # We can also check the number of dimnesions:
    print(A.ndim)
    print(B.ndim)

# And we can also check the type
    print(A.dtype)

# We can also check the total number of elements of the array
    print(A.size)
    print(B.size)

1
2
int32
5
6
```

## **Creating Arrays**

#### np.array()

Can take as inputs Python lists among others.

```
In [24]: list1 = [1,2,4]
         list2 = [9,29129,12]
         list3 = [list1,list2]
         array1 = np.array(list3)
         print(array1)
         print(array1.dtype)
         # if we wish we could specify the data type:
         array2 = np.array(list3,dtype= np.int64)
         print(array2.dtype)
               1
                     2
                          4]
               9 29129
                          12]]
         int32
         int64
```

## np.zeros()

It allows to create an array full of 0s.

```
[[0. 0. 0.]
[0. 0. 0.]
[0. 0. 0.]
[0. 0. 0.]
[0. 0. 0.]
[0. 0. 0.]
[0. 0. 0.]
[0. 0. 0.]
[0. 0. 0.]
```

### np.ones()

It allows to create an array full of 1s.

```
In [28]: ones = np.ones(12)
print(ones)
[1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1.]
```

### np.empty()

It allows to create an array with random numbers. The reason to use empty over zeros is speed.

```
In [29]: empty = np.empty((2,2))
    print(empty)

[[2.12199579e-314 4.67296746e-307]
       [5.98807563e-321 3.79442416e-321]]
```

### np.arange()

It allows to create arrays in a range of elements, considering the initial value, the final value, and the step size.

```
In [33]: C = np.arange(1,10,2)
    print(C)

# A simpler version is
D = np.arange(4)
    print(D)

[1 3 5 7 9]
[0 1 2 3]
```

## np.linspace()

It allows to create arrays with values that are spaced linearly in a specified interval. The difference with <code>np.arange()</code> is that here instead of step size we choose the number of steps.

```
In [34]: E = np.linspace(5,25,6)
print(E)
[ 5.  9. 13. 17. 21. 25.]
```

### np.ones\_like()

It allows to create an arrays of ones with the same shape as an specified array.

The same can be done with np.zeros\_like() and np.empty\_like().

## np.identity()

It allows to create the identity matrix.

```
In [38]: identity = np.identity(3)
    print(identity)

[[1. 0. 0.]
    [0. 1. 0.]
    [0. 0. 1.]]
```

### **Basic array operations**

Operations are **element-wise**:

```
In [45]: a = np.array([20, 30, 40, 50])
b = np.arange(4)

#Sum:

print('The sum is :',a+b)
print('The sum is :',np.add(a,b))

# Subtraction

print('The subctraction is :',a-b)
print('The subctraction is :',np.subtract(a,b))

The sum is : [20 31 42 53]
The sum is : [20 31 42 53]
The subctraction is : [20 29 38 47]
The subctraction is : [20 29 38 47]
```

- The product operator `\*` is element-wise.
- Matrix product with `@`.

```
# Element-wise:
print('element wise', A*B)
print(np.multiply(A,B))

# Matrix Produt

print('matrix product', A@B)
print(A.dot(B))

element wise [[2 0]
  [0 4]]
  [[2 0]
  [0 4]]
matrix product [[5 4]
  [3 4]]
  [[5 4]
  [3 4]]
```

#### **Dvision**

```
# Dvision

# element-wise:
    print(A/B)
    print(np.divide(A,B))

[[0.5 inf]
    [0. 0.25]]
    [[0.5 inf]
    [0. 0.25]]

C:\Users\Sergi\AppData\Local\Temp\ipykernel_23828\790273862.py:4: RuntimeWarning:
    divide by zero encountered in true_divide
        print(A/B)

C:\Users\Sergi\AppData\Local\Temp\ipykernel_23828\790273862.py:5: RuntimeWarning:
    divide by zero encountered in true_divide
        print(np.divide(A,B))
```

We can also perform operations between an array and a scalar.

```
In [51]: print(A**2)  # element-wise x^2
print(A*2)  # element-wise x*2
print(A+2)  # element-wise x+2
[[1 1]
    [0 1]]
    [[2 2]
    [0 2]]
    [[3 3]
    [2 3]]
```

## Indexing, Slicing and Iterating

Arrays can be indexed, sliced and iterated over much like lists and any other Python sequences. Let's see how it works with one-dimensional arrays:

```
In [55]: a = np.arange(10)**3
print(a)
print(a[2]) # access the element with index 2, the third element.
```

```
print(a[2:6]) # slice the array
print(a[-4:]) # slice from the -4 element to the end
        8 27 64 125 216 343 512 729]
[
8
[ 8 27 64 125]
[216 343 512 729]
```

We can also choose the step size in the interal slice. For example suppose we would like to

```
obtain a subset containing only every three elements:
In [57]: print(a[1:8:3])
         [ 1 64 343]
In [58]: # If we want to reverse the array:
          print(a[::-1])
          [729 512 343 216 125 64 27
                                              1
                                                  0]
         Multidimensional arrays have one index per axis. For example for a 2-dimensional array we
         would have array[i][j] where i are the row dimensions and j are the column
         dimensions. We can also write it as <code>array[i,j]</code>.
In [63]: a = np.array([[0, 1, 2, 3],
                 [10, 11, 12, 13],
                 [20, 21, 22, 23],
                 [30, 31, 32, 33],
                 [40, 41, 42, 43]])
          # Access one element:
          print(a[0,0],a[0][0]) # both will return the same
          # Slices
                             # only the third column
          print(a[:,2])
          print(a[2:5,3:])
          # We can also just inlcude one index
          print(a[2]) # third row
         0 0
          [ 2 12 22 32 42]
          [[23]
          [33]
          [43]]
          [20 21 22 23]
In [68]: # for a 3-dimensional array we have:
          c = np.array([[[ 0, 1, 2],
                         [ 10, 12, 13]],
                        [[100, 101, 102],
                         [110, 112, 113]])
          # we can access all its dimensions:
          print(c[1,1,1])
```

print(c[1,...])

```
112
[[100 101 102]
[110 112 113]]
```

The dots (...) represent as many colons as needed to produce a complete indexing tuple. For example, if x is an array with 5 axes, then x[1, 2, ...] is equivalent to x[1, 2, ...]; x[..., 3] to x[..., 5, ...] to x[4, ..., 5, ...] to x[4, ..., 5, ...].

### Slice based on logical conditions

We can also slice arrays based on logical conditions like < or > .

## **Shape Manipulation and other methods**

There are many ways of doing shape manipulation with arrays. We will now review some of them:

## np.ravel()

It returns the specified array flattened (with only one dimension).

```
In [5]: print(a)
    print(a.ravel()) # the array is now flattened

[[ 0  1  2  3]
       [10  11  12  13]
       [20  21  22  23]
       [30  31  32  33]
       [40  41  42  43]]
       [ 0  1  2  3  10  11  12  13  20  21  22  23  30  31  32  33  40  41  42  43]
```

## np.reshape()

The reshape method returns its argument with a modified shape.

```
In [84]: print(a.size) # the amount of elements needs to be the same
print(a)
print('New a ',a.reshape(2,5,2))
```

```
20
[[0 1 2 3]
[10 11 12 13]
[20 21 22 23]
[30 31 32 33]
[40 41 42 43]]
New a [[[ 0 1]
 [23]
 [10 11]
 [12 13]
 [20 21]]
 [[22 23]
 [30 31]
 [32 33]
  [40 41]
 [42 43]]]
```

## np.resize()

It does the same as np.reshape but instead of returning a new array, it modifies the array itself

## np.swapaxes()

It allows to change two axis of an array.

```
In [86]: print(a)
b = np.swapaxes(a,0,1) # we are changing axis 0 for 1
print(b)
```

```
[[[ 0 1]
 [ 2 3]]
[[10 11]
 [12 13]]
[[20 21]
 [22 23]]
[[30 31]
 [32 33]]
[[40 41]
 [42 43]]]
[[[0 1]
  [10 11]
  [20 21]
  [30 31]
 [40 41]]
 [[2 3]
 [12 13]
 [22 23]
 [32 33]
  [42 43]]]
```

### np.transpose()

It returns an array with axes transposed.

```
In [90]: # with a 2-d array
         a = np.linspace(0, 250, 20).reshape(2, 10)
         print(a)
         print(np.transpose(a))
                         13.15789474 26.31578947 39.47368421 52.63157895
            65.78947368 78.94736842 92.10526316 105.26315789 118.42105263]
          [131.57894737 144.73684211 157.89473684 171.05263158 184.21052632
           197.36842105 210.52631579 223.68421053 236.84210526 250.
                                                                            11
                        131.57894737]
         [[ 0.
          [ 13.15789474 144.73684211]
          [ 26.31578947 157.89473684]
          [ 39.47368421 171.05263158]
          [ 52.63157895 184.21052632]
          [ 65.78947368 197.36842105]
          [ 78.94736842 210.52631579]
          [ 92.10526316 223.68421053]
          [105.26315789 236.84210526]
          [118.42105263 250.
                                     11
In [91]: # example with more than 2 dimensions, without specifying axis:
         a = np.ones((2, 3, 4, 5))
         print(np.transpose(a).shape)
         (5, 4, 3, 2)
In [93]: # Example 2-d, specifying axis
         a = np.ones((1, 2, 3))
         print(np.transpose(a, (1, 0, 2)).shape) #we are indicating that we want the first
         (2, 1, 3)
```

### Stacking together different arrays

There are different ways. To do it along different axis we can use np.vstack() or np.hstack() when dealing with 2-dimensional arrays.

```
In [100... a = np.empty([2,2])
          b = np.zeros([2,2])
          print(np.vstack((a,b)))
          print(np.hstack((a,b)))
          [[2.12199579e-314 4.67296746e-307]
           [5.98807563e-321 3.79442416e-321]
           [0.00000000e+000 0.0000000e+000]
           [0.00000000e+000 0.00000000e+000]]
          [[2.12199579e-314 4.67296746e-307 0.00000000e+000 0.00000000e+000]
           [5.98807563e-321 3.79442416e-321 0.00000000e+000 0.00000000e+000]]
          We can also stack one dimensional arrays as columns in two dimensional arrays using
           np.column_stack() or the row equivalent np.row_stack().
In [101...
          a = np.empty([2,2])
          b = np.zeros([2,1])
          print(np.column_stack((a, b)))
          [[2.12199579e-314 4.67296746e-307 0.00000000e+000]
           [5.98807563e-321 3.79442416e-321 0.00000000e+000]]
          Splitting Arrays
          Finally, we can also split one array into multiples arrays using np.hsplit() or
          np.vsplit() .
          a = np.zeros([4,3])
In [104...
          print(np.hsplit(a, 3)) # split a into three arrays
          b = np.zeros([5,7])
          print(np.vsplit(b,5)) # split into five arrays
          [array([[0.],
                  [0.],
                  [0.],
                  [0.]]), array([[0.],
                  [0.],
                  [0.],
                  [0.]]), array([[0.],
                  [0.],
                  [0.],
                  [0.]])]
          [array([[0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0.]]), array([[0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0.]]), arr
          ay([[0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0.]]), array([[0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0.]]), array
```

# **NumPy Functions**

([[0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0.]])]

## **Statistics**

### np.mean()

It allows to compute the arithmetic mean along the specified axis.

#### np.std()

Like np.mean() it allows to compute the standard deviation along the specified axis.

```
In [112... print(np.std(a,axis=0)) # there is no deviation
print(np.std(a))

[0. 0. 0.]
0.4714045207910317
```

## np.var()

It allows to copmute the variance along the specified axis.

```
In [113... print(np.var(a,axis=0))
    print(np.var(a))

[0. 0. 0.]
    0.22222222222224
```

## np.average()

It allows to compute the weighted average along the specified axis.

**TIP!** Sometimes we might have missing observations. With NumPy we can code those as Not a Number using the **np.nan** constant

### np.nanmean()

It allows to compute the arithmetic mean along the specified axis, ignoring Nans.

```
In [119... a = np.array([[1, np.nan], [3, 4]])
    print(np.mean(a))  # this will be incorrect
    print(np.nanmean(a))  # right way to deal with nans

[[ 1. nan]
       [ 3. 4.]]
       nan
       2.666666666666665
```

Similar to np.nanmean() we could also use np.nanstd() and np.nanvar() for the standard deviation and variance counterparts.

## **Arithmetic Operations**

### np.sum()

It allows to sum array elements over a given axis.

```
In [122... data = np.arange(6).reshape((3, 2))
    print(np.sum(data,axis=0)) # The function way
    print(data.sum(axis=0)) # The method way

[6 9]
  [6 9]
```

### np.cumsum()

Returns the cumulative sum of elements along a given axis.

```
In [124... print(data)
print(np.cumsum(data,axis=0))

[[0 1]
     [2 3]
     [4 5]]
     [[0 1]
     [2 4]
     [6 9]]
```

### np.min()

It returns the minimum element along a given axis.

```
In [125... print(np.min(data,axis=0))
    print(np.min(data))

[0 1]
    0
```

The maximum counterpart is np.max().

### np.sqrt()

It returns the non-negative square-root of an array, element-wise.

### np.exp()

It returns the exponential of all the elements in the input array

## Copmarisons

### np.any()

Test wether any array element along a given axis evaluates as True.

On its own it is not very informative, unless we combine it with logical operations, to gain information on our array.

```
In [129... print(np.any(data>1)) # we have some values greater than 1
True
In [130... print(np.any(data>1,axis=0)) # we can also specify the axis
[ True True]
```

### np.all()

It is similar to np.any() but now evaluates if all the elements of the array satisfy the condition.

```
In [131... a = np.zeros([3,2])
    print(np.all(a==0))
```

True

### Other usefull functions

There are some functions that do not belog to any of the prevoius categories, but still they are useful and worth studying.

### np.sort()

Returns a sorted copy of any array

```
In [136... a = np.array([1,435,3,45,65,4,7,65,65756,878,2])
print(a)
print(np.sort(a))

[    1    435    3    45    65    4    7    65   65756   878    2]
[    1    2    3    4    7    45    65    65    435   878   65756]
```

### np.round()

Rounds an array to the given number of decimals.

```
In [141... a = np.array([3.4545,4.3435,6.746757,8.67324])
    print(np.round(a,decimals=2))

[3.4545     4.3435     6.746757     8.67324 ]
     [3.45     4.34     6.75     8.67]
```

## np.where()

Allows to locate elements that satisfy a conditon.

```
In [ ]: a = np.arange(10).reshape([2,5])
    print(a)
    np.where(a>5)
```

What does the output mean? It is returning the indexs of the elements that satisfy the condition. The first index corresponds to the row, and the second to the column.

## NumPy random sampling

NumPy has a module that produces random numbers. The main functions are:

### np.random.randint()

It returns random numbers within the specified values.

```
In [147... a = np.random.randint(5,25,(2,3)) # produces a 2x3 array with numbers in the integrint(a)

[[ 5 23 8]
        [ 9 7 21]]
```

### np.random.rand()

Returns random numbers for the specified array dimensions.

```
In [149... a = np.random.rand(2,2) # creates a random 2x2 array
print(a)

[[0.09201743 0.79882103]
       [0.6226247 0.94176854]]
```

### np.random.random\_sample()

Returns random floats on the half-open interval [0,1).

```
In [150... a = np.random.random_sample((2,3))
    print(a)

[[0.80948258  0.42618003  0.58292804]
    [0.49953237  0.65621386  0.3936935 ]]
```

## np.random.seed()

It allow us to set the random number generator seed to achieve replicability of our results.

## np.random.uniform()

It allows to draw from a uniform distribution in the prespecified interval.

```
In [156... a = np.random.uniform(3,7,(2,2)) # a 2x2 array in the interval [3,7] drawn from a
print(a)

[[3.10068691 5.83683204]
  [4.06226451 4.05441138]]
```

### np.random.binomial()

Allows to draw from a binomial distribution. We can choose the amount of drawns and the probability of a 1.

```
In [158... a = np.random.binomial(5,0.3,size=20) # a 20x1 array of 5 repetated drawns with so
print(a)
[2 0 2 1 2 1 1 0 3 1 0 2 0 2 2 1 2 3 4 1]
```

### np.random.normal()

Allows to draw from a normal distribution with a given mean and standard deviation.

```
In [159... mean = 5
    std = 2
    size = (4,5)
    a = np.random.normal(mean,std,size)
    print(a)

[[4.24490727 6.39126232 7.0496893    8.41551089 1.06576555]
    [3.25808667 2.78634904 5.55024732 4.27108771 2.66969306]
    [2.31386023 7.90678572 5.0023389    4.97615923 6.43176629]
    [2.62846291 3.72734419 3.77837231 2.36121721 3.87654317]]
```

# Save and Load Arrays

We have already seen most of the functions that allow us to work with arrays. But how can we save an array to our computer?

## np.savetxt()

It allows to save an array in '.txt' format. It has an important limitation, arrays can only have 1 or 2 dimensions.

```
In [161... # save the previous array np.savetxt('array.txt',a) # we are saving with the name array.txt
```

## np.loadtxt()

To load an array already saved, we can just use np.loadtxt().

```
In [162... newarray = np.loadtxt('array.txt')
print(newarray)

[[4.24490727 6.39126232 7.0496893 8.41551089 1.06576555]
      [3.25808667 2.78634904 5.55024732 4.27108771 2.66969306]
      [2.31386023 7.90678572 5.0023389 4.97615923 6.43176629]
      [2.62846291 3.72734419 3.77837231 2.36121721 3.87654317]]
```

## Histograms

NumPy also allow us to prepare our data to future visualizations. We can for example compute histograms with np.histogram() which allows to compute the histogram of a dataset.