



Matplotlib is a powerful and widely-used Python library for creating visualizations that help in data analysis.

## 1. Line Plot

Used for showing trends or continuous data.

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

```
# Sample data: x-axis and y-axis values
```

```
x = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]
```

```
y = [10, 15, 13, 17, 20]
```

```
# Plotting a line graph
```

```
plt.plot(x, y)
```

```
# Adding title and labels
```

```
plt.title("Line Plot")
```

```
plt.xlabel("X-axis")
```

```
plt.ylabel("Y-axis")
```

```
# Adding a grid for better readability
plt.grid(True)
```

```
# Display the plot
plt.show()
```

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## 2. Bar Chart

Used for comparing quantities across categories.

```
# Categories (x-axis) and their corresponding values (y-axis)
categories = ['A', 'B', 'C', 'D']
values = [23, 45, 56, 78]
```

```
# Creating a vertical bar chart
plt.bar(categories, values, color='skyblue')
```

```
# Adding title and axis labels
plt.title("Bar Chart")
plt.xlabel("Category")
plt.ylabel("Value")
```

```
# Show the chart
plt.show()
```

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## 3. Histogram

Used to understand the distribution of data.

```
import numpy as np
```

```
# Generate 1000 random values from a normal distribution
data = np.random.randn(1000)
```

**# Plot a histogram with 30 bins**

```
plt.hist(data, bins=30, color='orange', edgecolor='black')
```

**# Add title and labels**

```
plt.title("Histogram")
```

```
plt.xlabel("Value")
```

```
plt.ylabel("Frequency")
```

**# Show plot**

```
plt.show()
```

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#### 4. Scatter Plot

**Shows the relationship between two numerical variables.**

**# Generate 50 random values**

```
x = np.random.rand(50)
```

**# Add noise to simulate a realistic relationship**

```
y = x + np.random.normal(0, 0.1, 50)
```

**# Create scatter plot**

```
plt.scatter(x, y, color='green')
```

**# Add title and labels**

```
plt.title("Scatter Plot")
```

```
plt.xlabel("X Value")
```

```
plt.ylabel("Y Value")
```

**# Display plot**

```
plt.show()
```

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## 5. Box Plot

Useful for detecting outliers and understanding spread.

# Create two sets of 100 random data points

```
data = [np.random.randn(100), np.random.randn(100)]
```

# Create boxplot

```
plt.boxplot(data)
```

# Set title and category names for x-axis

```
plt.title("Box Plot")
```

```
plt.xticks([1, 2], ['Group 1', 'Group 2'])
```

# Show plot

```
plt.show()
```

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## 6. Pie Chart

Visualizes proportions among categories.

# Define category labels and their sizes (proportions)

```
labels = ['A', 'B', 'C', 'D']
```

```
sizes = [25, 35, 20, 20]
```

# Create pie chart

```
plt.pie(sizes, labels=labels, autopct='%1.1f%%', startangle=140)
```

# Add title and make the chart circular

```
plt.title("Pie Chart")
```

```
plt.axis('equal') # Equal aspect ratio ensures circle shape
```

```
# Display pie chart  
plt.show()
```

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## 7. Heatmap (with Seaborn)

**Shows correlations or density over a grid.**

```
import seaborn as sns  
import pandas as pd
```

```
# Create a 5x5 DataFrame with random values  
df = pd.DataFrame(np.random.rand(5, 5), columns=list('ABCDE'))
```

```
# Create a heatmap from the DataFrame  
sns.heatmap(df, annot=True, cmap="YlGnBu")
```

```
# Title for the plot  
plt.title("Heatmap")
```

```
# Show heatmap  
plt.show()
```

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