

PythonNotebook6_solution_2023

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0.1 Exercise 6.1.1 Plot the RICO input data

- split the matrix into separate variables for each column
- use subplots to plot several quantities side by side: `fig, axes = plt.subplots(nrows=1, ncols=5, sharey=True, figsize=(13,4))`
- to plot in the first subplot, use `axes[0].plot(...)`
- to set x and y labels, use `axes[0].set_ylabel(...)`
- use the y axis of the plot for the height above ground
- `sharey=True` makes the plots share the y axis
- `figsize=(13,4)` sets the figure size in inches (width,height) at some assumed dots-per-inch value. It's included here to make the plot a bit wider, so that the labels don't overlap.

```
[1]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy as np

rico = np.loadtxt('../rico.txt') # in case the dataset is one folder up

# rico = np.loadtxt('rico.txt') # in case the dataset is in the same folder
```

```
[2]: fig, axes = plt.subplots(nrows=1, ncols=5, sharey=True, figsize=(13,4))

z  = rico[:,0]
thl = rico[:,1]
qt  = rico[:,2]
u   = rico[:,3]
v   = rico[:,4]
tke = rico[:,5]

axes[0].plot(thl, z)
axes[1].plot(qt, z)
axes[2].plot(u, z)
axes[3].plot(v, z)
axes[4].plot(tke, z)
```

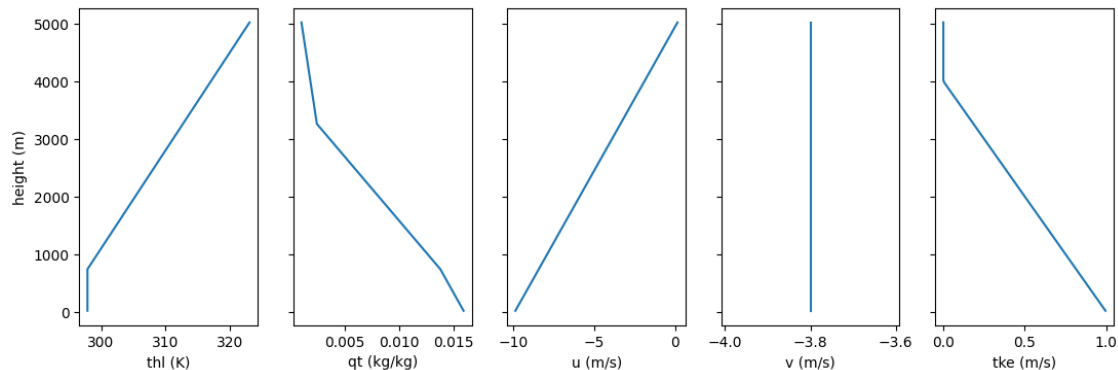
```

axes[0].set_ylabel('height (m)')

axes[0].set_xlabel('thl (K)')
axes[1].set_xlabel('qt (kg/kg)')
axes[2].set_xlabel('u (m/s)')
axes[3].set_xlabel('v (m/s)')
axes[4].set_xlabel('tke (m/s)')

```

```
[2]: Text(0.5, 0, 'tke (m/s)')
```



0.2 Exercise 6.2.1 More surface plots

- make surface plots of a few other function of your choice
- you can use the same meshgrid as above or choose a different one if you want other x and y ranges.

0.2.1 some inspiration

...which you can combine with other things

```

R = np.sqrt(X**2 + Y**2) # distance to origo
h = np.sin(1.4*X)         # a wave

```

```

[3]: x = np.linspace(-5, 5, 40) # create new coordinate arrays with more points
     y = np.linspace(-5, 5, 40)

     X,Y = np.meshgrid(x,y)

     R = np.sqrt(X**2 + Y**2)

     fig = plt.figure()
     ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')

     surf = ax.plot_surface(X, Y, R, cmap='viridis')

```

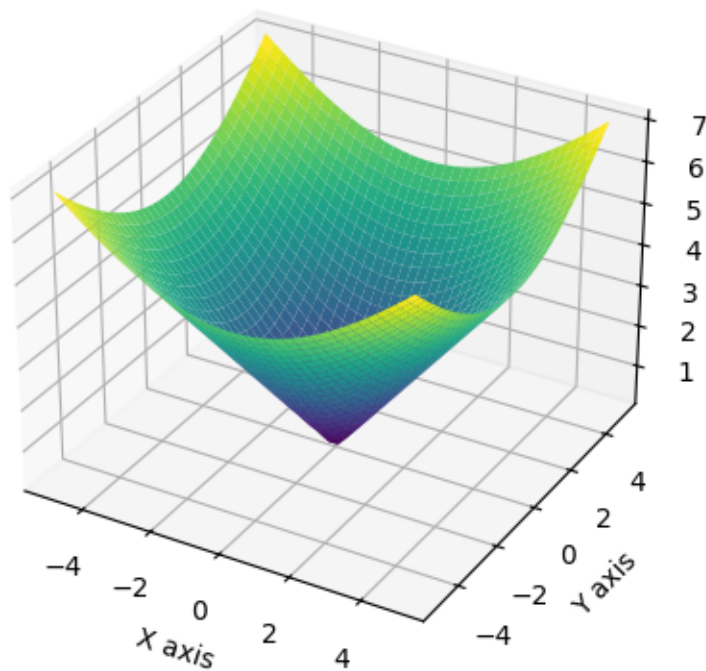
```

ax.set_xlabel('X axis')
ax.set_ylabel('Y axis')
ax.set_zlabel('R')
ax.set_title('3D Surface Plot')

plt.show()

```

3D Surface Plot



0.3 Exercise 6.2.2 ...and color plots

Plot your functions from above using color maps. Remember to include the color bar. Choose color maps you like from [here](#), and apply them with the `cmap` argument:

```
plt.pcolormesh(X,Y,Z,cmap='ocean')
```

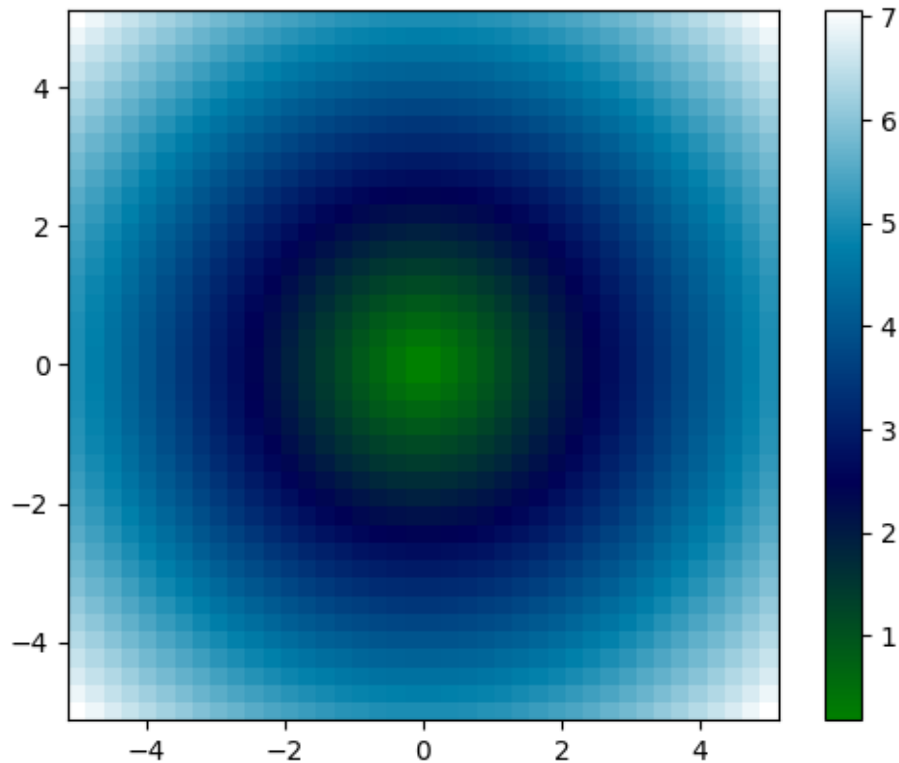
```

[4]: plt.gca().set_aspect('equal')

plt.pcolormesh(X,Y,R, cmap='ocean')
plt.colorbar()

plt.show()

```



0.4 6.3 List and loop repetition

0.5 Exercise 6.3.1

- Make a list
- Check it twice (by printing it's elements once from the start and once from the end)

```
[5]: my_list = [i for i in range(10)]

# printing from the start
print("Printing my list from the start to end.")
for val in my_list:
    print(val, end=' ') # note the `end` argument here to print with spaces
    ↪ instead of new lines

# printing from the end

print("\nPrinting my list from the end to start.")
for val in my_list[::-1]:
    print(val, end=' ')
```

Printing my list from the start to end.

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

```
Printing my list from the end to start.  
9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0
```