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# **Title:** Introduction to MATLAB

## **Abstract:**

This experiment is designed to-

- 1. Understand the use of MATLAB for solving communication engineering problems.
- 2. Develop an understanding of MATLAB environment, commands and syntax.

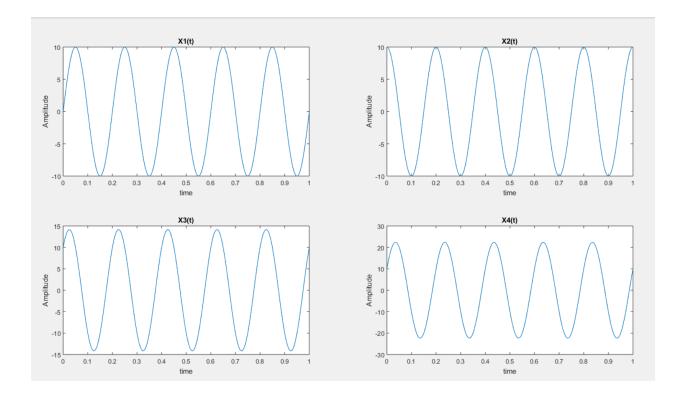
## **Introduction:**

MATLAB is famous for its application-specific solutions, known as toolboxes. These toolboxes are extensive collections of MATLAB functions (M-files) that expand the MATLAB environment and allow users to apply specialist technologies to certain types of issues.

As a matrix-based programming tool, MATLAB simplifies matrix operations, but matrix dimensions must be carefully considered. In MATLAB, standard matrices are represented in two dimensions (n  $\times$  m). Column vectors and row vectors are represented by n  $\times$  1 and 1  $\times$  n matrices, respectively.

#### Creating a plot

```
t=0:.0001:1;
X1=10*sin(2*pi*5*t);
subplot(2,2,1);
plot(t, X1);
title('X1(t)');
xlabel('time');
ylabel('Amplitude');
X2=10*\cos(2*pi*5*t);
subplot(2,2,2);
plot(t, X2);
title('X2(t)');
xlabel('time');
ylabel('Amplitude');
X3 = X1 + X2;
subplot(2,2,3);
plot(t, X3);
title('X3(t)');
xlabel('time');
ylabel('Amplitude');
X4=X1+X3;
subplot(2,2,4);
plot(t, X4);
title('X4(t)');
xlabel('time');
ylabel('Amplitude');
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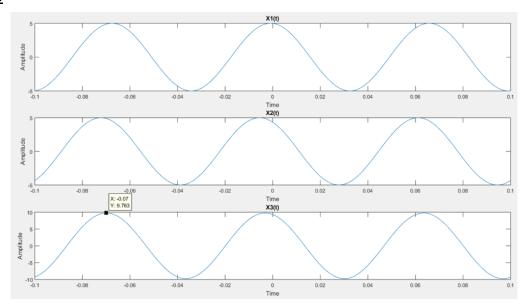
## Performance Task for Lab Report: (my ID = 23-51364-1)

- \*\*Generate two CDEF hertz sinusoids with different amplitudes and phases.  $x_1(t) = A_1 \cos(2\pi(C+D+E+F)t + j_1) x_2(t) = A_2 \cos(2\pi(C+D+E+F)t + j_2)$
- (a) Select the value of the amplitudes as follows: let  $A_1 = A + B$  and  $A_2 = G + H$ . For the phases, use  $j_1 = D + G$  (in degrees), and take  $j_2 = 30^\circ$ . When doing computations in Matlab, make sure to convert degrees to radians.
- (b) Make a plot of both signals over a range of t that will exhibit approximately 3 cycles. Make sure the plot starts at a negative time so that it will include t = 0, and make sure that you have at least 20 samples per period of the wave.
- (c) Verify that the phase of the two signals  $x_1(t)$  and  $x_2(t)$  is correct at t = 0, and also verify that each one has the correct maximum amplitude.
- (d) Use subplot (3,1,1) and subplot(3,1,2) to make a three-panel subplot that puts both of these plots on the same window. See help subplot.
- (e) Create a third sinusoid as the sum:  $x_3(t) = x_1(t) + x_2(t)$ . In Matlab this amounts to summing the vectors that hold the samples of each sinusoid. Make a plot of  $x_3(t)$  over the same range of time as used in the previous two plots. Include this as the third panel in the window by using subplot (3,1,3).
- (f) Measure the magnitude and phase of  $x_3$  (t) directly from the plot. In your lab report, explain how the magnitude and phase were measured by making annotations on each of the plots.

#### **Code:**

```
A=2;
B=3;
C=5;
D=1;
E=3;
F=6;
G=4;
H=1;
A1=A+B;
A2=G+H;
J1=(D+G)*(pi/180);
J2= (30*(pi/180));
t=-0.1:0.001:0.1;
X1 = A1*cos((2*pi*(C+D+E+F)*t)+J1);
subplot(3,1,1);
plot(t, X1);
xlabel('Time');
ylabel('Amplitude');
title('X1(t)');
X2 = A2 \cos((2 \pi i (C+D+E+F) t)+J2);
subplot(3,1,2);
plot(t, X2);
xlabel('Time');
ylabel('Amplitude');
title('X2(t)');
X3 = X1 + X2;
subplot(3,1,3);
plot(t, X3);
xlabel('Time');
ylabel('Amplitude');
title('X3(t)');
```

### **Output:**



For X3,

From the Graph:

The amplitude of the waveform is 9.763

The first peak is at approximately t=-0.07 seconds.

The second peak is at approximately t=0.025 seconds.

The period, T=0.025-(-0.07)=0.095 seconds

$$\Phi = \frac{2\pi}{T} \times (-0.07) \approx -4.63 \ radians$$

$$=-4.63 \times \frac{180}{\pi}$$

Therefore, the phase shift  $\phi$  of the waveform in degrees is approximately  $-265.26^{\circ}$ 

#### **References:**

- 1. MATLAB user guide.
- 2. Prof. Dr.-Ing. Andreas Czylwik, "MATLAB for Communications"