

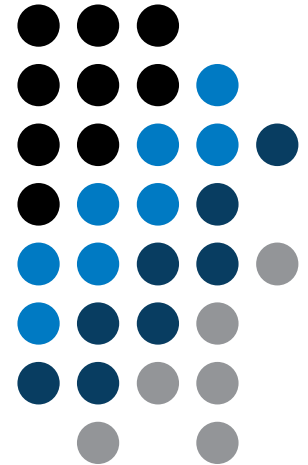
A0B17MTB – Matlab

# Part #4



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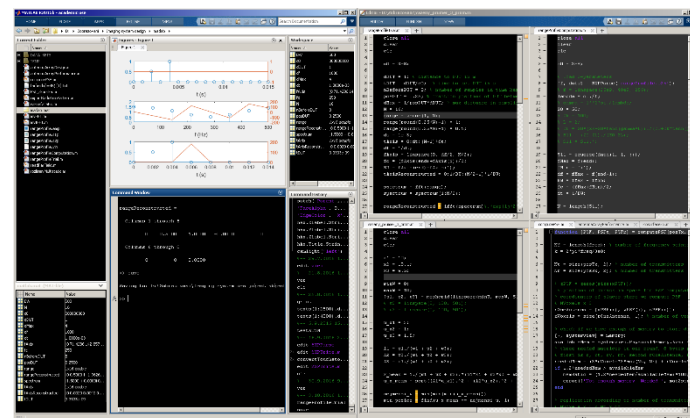


# Learning how to ...

**Matlab Editor**

**Relational and logical operators**

**Data type cell**



- it is often wanted to evaluate certain sequence of commands repeatedly  
⇒ utilization of Matlab scripts (plain ASCII coding)
- the best option is to use Matlab Editor
  - to be opened using: `>> edit`
  - or in Matlab < R2012a: Start → Desktop Tools → Editor
- a script is a sequence of statements that we have been up to now typing in the command line
  - all the statements are executed one by one on the launch of the script
  - the script operates with global data in Matlab Workspace
  - suitable for quick analysis and solving problems involving multiple statements
- there are specific naming conventions for scripts (and also for functions as we see later)

# Script execution, m-files

- to execute script:
  - F5 function key in Matlab Editor
  - Current Folder → select script → context menu → Run
  - Current Folder → select script → F9
  - From the command line: `>> script_name`
- Scripts are stored as so called m-files
  - .m
  - caution: if you have Mathematica installed, the .m files may be launched by Mathematica

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```

>> edit % launch editor
>> edit myFcel % open new file 'myFcel' in the current directory
    
```


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# Useful shortcuts for Matlab Editor

key	meaning
CTRL + Pg. UP	switch among all open m-files - one direction
CTRL + Pg. DOWN	- other direction
<b>CTRL + R</b>	adds '%' at the beginning of the selected lines, "comment lines"
<b>CTRL + T</b>	removes '%' from selected lines
<b>F5</b>	execute current script / function
CTRL + S	save current file (done automatically after pressing F5)
CTRL + HOME	jump to the beginning of file
CTRL + END	jump to the end of file
CTRL + → / ←	jump word-by-word or expression-by-expression to the right / left
CTRL + W	close current file
CTRL + O	activates open file dialog box (drag and drop technique also available)
CTRL + F	find / replace dialog box
CTRL + G	„go to“, jumps to the indicated line number
CTRL + D	open m-file of the function at the cursor's position
<b>CTRL + I</b>	indentation of block of lines corresponding to key words ( <code>for</code> / <code>while</code> , <code>if</code> / <code>switch – case</code> )
<b>F1</b>	open context help related to the function at position of cursor

- open Matlab Editor and prepare to work with a new script, call it `signal1.m`, for instance
- use signal generation and limiting from the previous lecture as the body of the script
- save the script in the current (or your own) folder
- try to execute the script (F5)

```
>> edit signal1
```



```
%% script generates signal with noise  
clear; clc;  
t = linspace(0, 5, 5*40);  
s_t = sqrt(2*pi)*sin(2*pi*t) + randn(1, 5*40);  
plot(t, s_t);
```

- note: from now on, the code inside scripts will be shown without leading „>>“

# Useful functions for script generation

- function `disp` displays value of a variable in Command Window
  - without displaying variable's name and the equation sign "="
  - can be combined with `s` text (more on that later)
  - more often it is advantageous to use more complicated but robust function `sprintf`

```
>> a = 2^13-1;
b = [8*a 16*a];
b =
```

```
65528    131056
```

```
a = 2^13-1;
b = [8*a 16*a];
b
```

vs.

```
a = 2^13-1;
b = [8*a 16*a];
disp(b);
```

```
>> a = 2^13-1;
b = [8*a 16*a];
disp(b);
65528    131056
```

- function `input` is used to enter variables
  - if the function is terminated with an error, the input request is repeated

```
A = input('Enter parameter A: ');
```

```
>> A = input('Enter parametr A: ');
Enter parametr A: 10.153
>> A = input('Enter string str: ', 's');
Enter string str: this is a test
>> whos
```

Name	Size	Bytes	Class	Attributes
A	1x14	28	char	
ans	1x1	8	double	

- It is possible to enter strings as well:

```
str = input('Enter String str: ', 's');
```



# Matlab Editor – Exercise

600 s



- create a script to calculate compound interest\*
  - the problem can be described as :

$$P = \frac{rA \left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nk}}{n \left( \left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nk} - 1 \right)},$$

where  $P$  is regular repayment of debt  $A$ , paid  $n$ -times per year in the course of  $k$  years with interest rate  $r$  (decimal number)

- create a new script and save it
- at the beginning delete variables and clear Command Window
- implement the formula first, then proceed with inputs (input) and outputs (disp)
- try to vectorize the code, e.g. for various values of  $n$ ,  $r$  or  $k$
- check your results (for  $A = 1000$ ,  $n = 12$ ,  $k = 15$ ,  $r = 0.1$  is  $P = 10.7461$ )

\*interest from the prior period is added to principal

```
%% script loanRepayment.m
clear; clc;

...
...
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...
...
...
...
...
```

- try to vectorize the code, both for  $r$  and  $k$

$$P = \frac{rA \left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nk}}{n \left( \left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nk} - 1 \right)}$$

- use scripts for future work with Matlab
  - bear in mind, however, that parts of the code can be debugged using command line

- ```
%% script loanRepaymentVectorized.m
```

[illegible]

# Useful functions for script generation

- function `keyboard` stops execution of the code and gives control to the keyboard
  - the function is widely used for code debugging as it stops code execution at the point where doubts about the code functionality exist

```
K>>
```

- `keyboard` status is indicated by `K>>` (K appears before the prompt)
- The keyboard mode is terminated by `dbcont` or press F5 (Continue)
- function `pause` halts code execution,
  - `pause(x)` halts code execution for x seconds

```
% code; code; code;  
pause;
```

- see also: `echo`, `waitforbuttonpress`
  - special purpose functions

- modify the script for compound interest calculation in the way that
  - values  $A$  and  $n$  are entered from the command line (function input)
  - test the function keyboard (insert it right after parameter input)
    - is it possible to use keyboard mode to change the parameters inserted by input?
    - arrange for exiting the keyboard (K>>) mode, use dbcont
  - interrupt the script before displaying results (function pause)
    - note the warning „Paused“ in the bottom left part of main Matlab window

```
%% script loanRepayment.m calculates regular repayment
clear; clc;

...
...
...
...
...
...
...
...
...
```

# Script commenting

- **MAKE COMMENTS!!**
  - important / complicated parts of code
  - description of functionality, ideas, change of implementation

enables to separate  
function into more  
blocs  
(%% ...)

```
% A      = magic(3);  
matX = dataIn(:,1);  
SumX = sum(matX); % all members are summed  
%% CELL mode (must be enabled in Editor)  
disp(num2str(SumX));  
Z = inv(ZZ);  
%{  
This is a multi-line comment.  
Mostly, it is more appropriate to use more  
single-line comments.  
%}
```

typical comment  
(one-/multiple- line)

**Shortcuts:**  
**CTRL+R**  
**CTRL+T**

Multiple-line  
comment

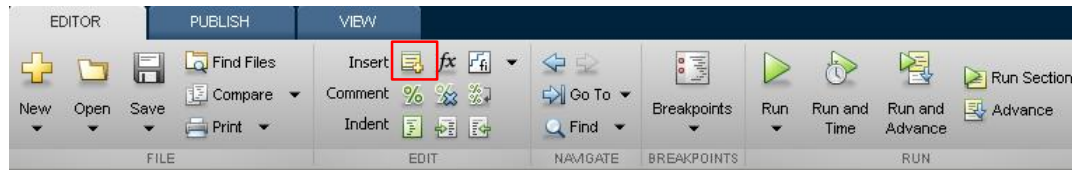
# When not making comments...

- ...  
no  
one  
will  
understand!

```

    edgTotal = MeshStruct.edgTotal;
    RHO_P    = zeros(3,9,edgTotal);
    RHO_M    = zeros(3,9,edgTotal);
    for m = 1:edgTotal
        RHO_P(:, :, m) = repmat(MeshStruct.Rho_Plus1(:, m), [1 9]);
        RHO_M(:, :, m) = repmat(MeshStruct.Rho_Minus1(:, m), [1 9]);
    end
    Z        = zeros(edgTotal, edgTotal) + 1j * zeros(edgTotal, edgTotal);
    for p = 1:MeshStruct.trTotal
        Plus = find(MeshStruct.TrianglePlus - p == 0);
        Minus = find(MeshStruct.TriangleMinus - p == 0);
        D     = MeshStruct.trCenter9 - ...
            repmat(MeshStruct.trCenter(:, p), [1 9 MeshStruct.trTotal]);
        R     = sqrt(sum(D.*D));
        g     = exp(-K*R) ./ R;
        gP    = g(:, :, MeshStruct.TrianglePlus);
        gM    = g(:, :, MeshStruct.TriangleMinus);
        Fi    = sum(gP) - sum(gM);
        ZF    = FactorFi.*reshape(Fi, edgTotal, 1);
        for k = 1:length(Plus)
            n = Plus(k);
            RP = repmat(MeshStruct.Rho_Plus9(:, :, n), [1 1 edgTotal]);
            RPi = repmat(MeshStruct.Rho_Minus9(:, :, n), [1 1 edgTotal]);
            A = sum(gP.*sum(RP.*RHO_P)) + sum(gM.*sum(RP.*RHO_M));
            Z1 = FactorA.*reshape(A, edgTotal, 1);
            Z(:, n) = Z(:, n) + MeshStruct.edgLength(n)*(Z1+ZF);
        end
        for k = 1:length(Minus)
            n = Minus(k);
            RP = repmat(MeshStruct.Rho_Minus9(:, :, n), [1 1 edgTotal]);
            RPi = repmat(MeshStruct.Rho_Plus9(:, :, n), [1 1 edgTotal]);
            A = sum(gP.*sum(RP.*RHO_P)) + sum(gM.*sum(RP.*RHO_M));
            Z1 = FactorA.*reshape(A, edgTotal, 1);
            Z(:, n) = Z(:, n) + MeshStruct.edgLength(n)*(Z1-ZF);
        end
    end
end

```



- cells enable to separate the code into smaller logically compact parts
  - separator: %%
  - the separation is visual only, but it is possible to execute a single cell - shortcut CTRL+ENTER



# Cell mode in Matlab Editor

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- split previous script (`loanRepayment.m`) into separate parts
  - use the (cell) separator `%%`

```
% script loanRepayment.m
clear; clc;

...

...

...

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...

...
```

# Data in scripts

- scripts can use data that has appeared in Workspace
- variables remain in the Workspace even after the calculation is finished
- operations on data in scripts are performed in the base Workspace

# Naming conventions of scripts and functions

- names of scripts and functions
  - max. number of characters is 63 (additional characters are ignored)
  - naming restrictions similar to variable names apply
  - choose names describing what the particular function calculates
  - avoid existing names as the new script is called instead of an existing built-in function (overloading can occur)
- more information:
  - <http://www.mathworks.com/matlabcentral/fileexchange/2529-matlab-programming-style-guidelines>
- in the case you want to apply vector functions row-wise
  - check whether the function enables calculation in the other dimension (max)
  - transpose your matrix
  - some of the functions work both column-wise and row-wise (sort × sortrows)

# startup.m script

- script `startup.m`
  - always executed at Matlab start-up
  - it is possible to put your predefined constants and other operations to be executed (loaded) at Matlab start-up
- location (use `>> which startup`):
  - `...\Matlab\R201Xx\toolbox\local\startup.m`
- change of base folder after Matlab start-up :

```
% script startup.m in ..\Matlab\Rxxx\toolbox\local\
clc;
disp('Workspace is changing to:');
cd('d:\Data\Matlab\');
cd
disp(datestr(now, 'mmm dd, yyyy HH:MM:SS.FFF AM'));
```

Workspace is changing to:

d:\Data\Matlab

February 25, 2014 3:36:03.347 PM  
Keep on working...  
>>

# matlabrc.m script

- executed at Matlab start-up (or manually executed: `>> matlabrc`)
- contains some basic definitions, e.g.
  - figure size, set-up of some graphic elements
  - sets Matlab path (see later)
  - and others
- in the case of a multi-license it is possible to insert a message in the script that will be displayed to all users at the start-up
- location (use `>> which matlabrc`):
  - `...\Matlab\R201Xx\toolbox\local\matlabrc.m`
- last of all, `startup.m` is called (if existing)
- `matlabrc.m` is to be modified only in the case of absolute urgency!

# Relational operators

- to inquire, to compare, whether ‘something’ is greater than, lesser than, equal to etc.
- the result of the comparison is always either
  - positive (`true`), logical one „1“
  - negative (`false`), logical zero „0“

|    |                          |
|----|--------------------------|
| >  | greater than             |
| >= | greater than or equal to |
| <  | lesser than              |
| <= | lesser than or equal to  |
| == | equal to                 |
| ~= | not equal to             |

- all relational operators are vector-wise
  - it is possible to compare as well vectors vs. vectors, matrices vs. matrices, ...
- often in combination with logical operators (see later)
  - more relational operators applied to a combination of expressions

# Relational operators

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- having the vector  $\mathbf{G} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\pi}{2} & \pi & \frac{3}{2}\pi & 2\pi \end{pmatrix}$ , find elements of  $\mathbf{G}$  that are
  - greater than  $\pi$
  - lesser or equal to  $\pi$
  - not equal to  $\pi$
- try similar operations for  $\mathbf{H} = \mathbf{G}^T$  as well
- try to use relational operators in the case of a matrix and scalar as well
- find out whether  $\mathbf{V} \geq \mathbf{U}$ :
 
$$\mathbf{V} = \begin{pmatrix} -\pi & \pi & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{U} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

# Relational operators

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- find out results of following relations
  - try to interpret the results

```
>> 2 > 1 & 0 % ???
```

```
>> r = 1/2;  
>> 0 < r < 1 % ???
```

```
>> (1 > A) <= true
```



# Logical operators

- to enquire, to find out, whether particular condition is fulfilled
- the result is always either
  - positive (`true`), logical one „1“
  - negative (`false`), logical zero „0“
- `all`, `any` is used to convert logical array into a scalar
- Matlab interprets any numerical value except 0 as `true`
- all logical operators are vector-wise
  - it is possible to compare as well vectors vs. vectors, matrices vs. matrices, ...
- functions `is*` extend possibilities of logical enquiring
  - we see later

|   |     |
|---|-----|
| & | and |
|   | or  |
| ~ | not |
|   | xor |
|   | all |
|   | any |

# Logical operators – application

- assume a vector of 10 random numbers ranging from -10 to 10

```
>> a = 20*rand(10, 1) - 10
```

- following command returns `true` for elements fulfilling the condition:

```
>> a < -5 % relation operator
```

- following command returns values of those elements fulfilling the condition (logical indexing):

```
>> a(a < -5)
```

- following command puts value of -5 to the position of elements fulfilling the condition :

```
>> a(a < -5) = -5
```

- following command sets value of the elements in the range from -5 to 5 equal to zero (opposite to tresholding):

```
>> a(a > -5 & a < 5) = 0
```

- tresholding function (values below -5 sets equal to -5, values above 5 sets equal to 5):

```
>> a(a < -5 | a > 5) = sign(a(a < -5 | a > 5))*5
```

# Logical operators

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- determine which of the elements of the vector  $\mathbf{A} = \left( \frac{\pi}{2} \quad \pi \quad \frac{3}{2}\pi \quad 2\pi \right)$ 
  - are equal to  $\pi$  or are equal to  $2\pi$ 
    - pay attention to the type of the result (= logical values `true` / `false`)
  - are greater than  $\pi/2$  and at the same time are not equal  $2\pi$
- elements from the previous condition add to vector  $\mathbf{A}$

# Logical operators: &&, ||

- in the case we need to compare scalar values only then "short-circuited" evaluation can be used
- evaluation keeps on going till a point where it makes no sense to continue
  - i.e. when evaluating

```
>> clear; clc;  
>> a = true;  
>> b = false;  
>> a && b && c && d
```

... no problems with undefined variables c, d, because the evaluation is terminated earlier

- however:
  - terminated with error ...

```
>> clear; clc;  
>> a = true;  
>> b = true;  
>> a && b && c && d
```

# Logical operators

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- create a row vector in the interval from 1 to 20 with step of 3
  - create the vector filled with elements from the previous vector that are greater than 10 and at the same time smaller than 16; use logical operators

# Logical operators

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- create matrix  $M = \text{magic}(3)$  and find out using functions `all` and `any`
  - in which columns all elements are greater than 2
  - in which rows at least one element is greater than or equal to 8
  - whether the matrix  $A$  contains positive numbers only

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 8 & 1 & 6 \\ 3 & 5 & 7 \\ 4 & 9 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{any} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = (1 \quad 1 \quad 1), \quad \text{all} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = (0 \quad 1 \quad 0), \quad \text{any} \left( \text{all} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right) = \text{any} (0 \quad 1 \quad 0) = 1$$

# Logical operators

240 s ↑

- find out the result of following operation and interpret it

```
>> ~(~[1 2 0 -2 0])
```

- test whether variable  $b$  is not equal to zero and then test whether at the same time  $a / b > 3$ 
  - following operation tests whether both conditions are fulfilled while avoiding division by zero!

# Matrix indexation using own values

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- create matrix A

```
>> N = 4;  
>> A = magic(N)
```

```
A =  
    16     2     3    13  
     5    11    10     8  
     9     7     6    12  
     4    14    15     1
```

- first think about what will be the result of the following operation and only then carry it out

```
>> B = A(A)
```

- does the result correspond to what you expected?
  - can you explain why the result looks the way it looks?
  - notice the interesting mathematical properties of the matrix A and B
  - are you able to estimate the evolution?,  $C = B(B)$
- try similar process for  $N = 3$  or  $N = 5$



- variable of type cell enables to store all types of variables (i.e. for instance variable of type cell inside another variable of type cell)

- Examples of cell:

```
>> CL1 = {zeros(2), ones(3), rand(4), 'test', {NaN(1), inf(2)}}
```

- variable of type cell can be easily allocated:

```
>> CL0 = cell(1, 3)
```

- memory requirements is a trade-off for complexity of cell type

# Cell indexing #1

- there are two possible ways of cell structure indexing
  - round brackets ( ) are used to access cells as such
  - curly brackets { } are used to access data in individual cells



- **Example.:**

```
>> CL = {[1 2;3 4];eye(3);'test'}
>> CL(2:3)      % returns cells 2, 3 of CL
>> CL{1}        % returns matrix [1 2; 3 4]
>> CL{1}(2,1)   % = 3

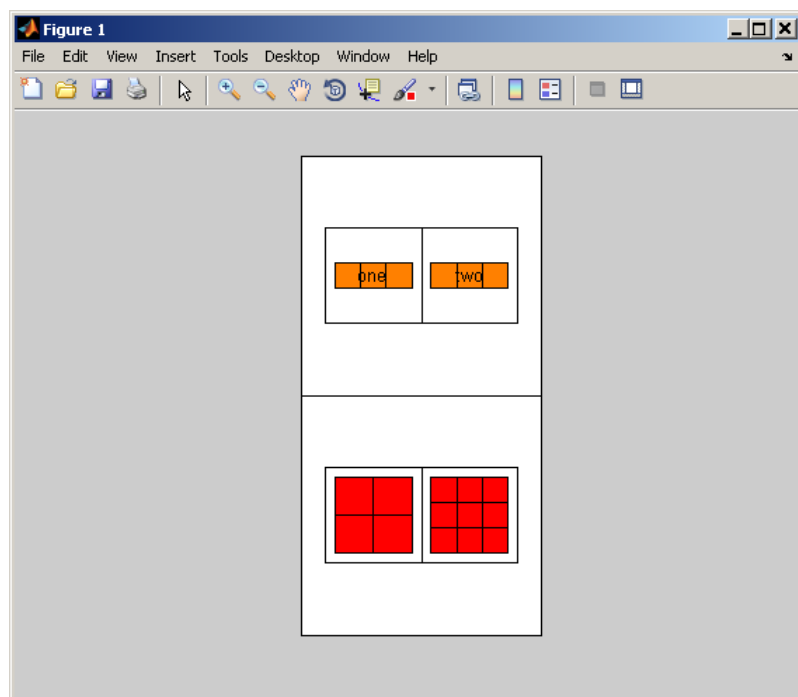
>> CL1 = CL(1)  % CL1 is still a cell!
>> M      = CL1{1} % M is a matrix of numbers of type double
double
```

# Cell indexing #2

- Example.:

```
>> CL1 = {'one', 'two'};
>> CL2 = {[1, 2; 3, 4], magic(3)};
>> CL = {CL1; CL2};
>> CL{2}{1}(2,1)
```

- functions to get oriented in a cell



- celldisp

```
>> celldisp(CL)
```

```
CL{1}{1} =
```

```
one
```

```
CL{1}{2} =
```

```
two
```

```
CL{2}{1} =
```

```
1    2
3    4
```

```
CL{2}{2} =
```

```
8    1    6
3    5    7
4    9    2
```

- cellplot

# Typical application of cells

- in `switch-case` branching for enlisting more possibilities
- work with variously long strings
- GUI
- all iteration algorithms with variable size of variables
- ...

# Discussed functions

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|                                |                                                                    |   |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|---|
| <code>edit</code>              | open Matlab Editor                                                 | • |
| <code>keyboard</code>          | stops execution of the file and gives control to keyboard          | • |
| <code>return, input</code>     | return control to invoking function, value input request           | • |
| <code>disp, pause</code>       | display result in command line, pauses code execution              | • |
| <code>num2str</code>           | conversion from datatype <code>numeric</code> to <code>char</code> | • |
| <code>and, or, not, xor</code> | functions overloading logical operators                            |   |
| <code>all, any</code>          | evaluation of logical arrays („all of“, „at least one of“)         | • |
| <code>sign</code>              | signum function                                                    |   |

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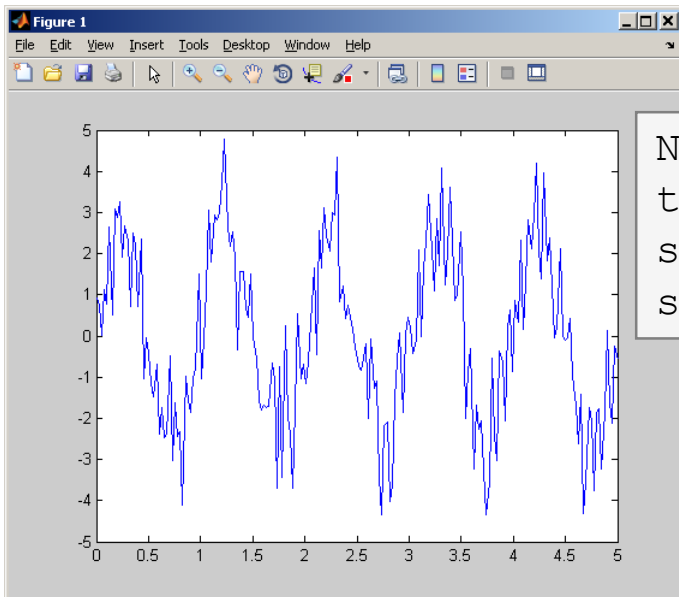
# Exercise #1

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- recall the signal from lecture 3
  - try again to limit the signal by values  $s_{\min}$  a  $s_{\max}$
  - use relational operators ( $>$  /  $<$ ) and logical indexing ( $s(a > b) = c$ ) instead of functions  $\max, \min$
  - solve the task item-by-item

$$s_p(t) = \begin{cases} s_{\min} & \Leftrightarrow s(t) < s_{\min} \\ s_{\max} & \Leftrightarrow s(t) > s_{\max} \\ s(t) & \dots \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad \begin{aligned} s_{\min} &= -\frac{9}{10} \\ s_{\max} &= \frac{\pi}{2} \end{aligned}$$



```
N = 5; V = 40;  
t = linspace(0, N, N*V);  
s_t = randn(1, N*V) + ...  
sqrt(2*pi)*sin(2*pi*t);
```

# Exercise #2

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- consider following matrix:  $\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$
- write a condition testing whether all elements of  $\mathbf{A}$  are positive and at the same time all elements of the first row are integers
  - if the condition is fulfilled display the result using `disp`

```
A = [1 1 2; 2 3 5];  
if logicalExpr  
    % display result  
end
```

- compare with
  - what is the difference?

# Thank you!



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