Pseudo 4D Plot

In this project, I explored the visualization of a 3D surface plot using MATLAB. A 3D surface plot is a powerful tool for representing relationships between three variables, where the z-axis provides depth to the visualization.

To begin, I defined the x and y values using MATLAB's meshgrid function, creating a grid of points within the range $-\pi$ -\pi $-\pi$ to π \pi π . This grid served as the foundation for the surface. The z-values were then calculated using a mathematical expression that combined the x and y values with trigonometric functions, specifically $z=x\cdot y\cdot \sin(x)\cdot \cos(y)z=x\cdot (\cot y) \cdot (\cot x) \cdot (\cos y)z=x\cdot y\cdot \sin(x)\cdot \cos(y)$. This formula generated an intricate surface with peaks and valleys, reflecting the interplay between the variables.

I visualized the surface using the surf function, which rendered the grid as a smooth, colorful surface. To enhance clarity, I added labels to the x, y, and z axes, a title to describe the plot, and a grid for visual alignment. I used the 'jet' colormap to assign vibrant colors to different z-values, providing an intuitive representation of height variations. Adding a colorbar further improved the visualization by linking specific colors to corresponding z-values.

This project demonstrated how mathematical expressions can be brought to life through 3D plotting.

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% Creating a 3D Surface Plot
\% I want to visualize a 3D surface defined by x, y, and z.
% Generate x and y values
[x, y] = meshgrid(-pi:0.2:pi, -pi:0.2:pi);
% Define the surface function
z = x .* y .* sin(x) .* cos(y);
% Plot the surface
figure;
surf(x, y, z);
xlabel('X Axis');
ylabel('Y Axis');
zlabel('Z Axis');
grid on;
colormap('jet');
colorbar;
title('3D Surface Plot');
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