

# Experiment–1: Introduction to MATLAB

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# Agenda of the Experiment

In this lab session, we will do the following:

- Learn basic vector operations
- Learn basic matrix operations
- Save and load variables, matrices, audio files, image files.
- Learn loops, functions, decision making.

# Vector Operations

1. Generate two vectors  $u$  and  $v$  by typing the code given below.  
 $v_1 = [1\ 2\ 3\ 4\ 10]$   
 $v_2 = [-1\ -2\ -3\ -4\ -10]$
2. Concatenate two vectors to form a new vector  $v_3$ . Use  $v_3 = [u, v]$  or  $v_3 = [u\ v]$
3. Type help ones and help zeros. Create vectors  $v_4$  of 20 zeros and  $v_5$  of 20 ones using the command. Use the size or length command to identify the size of the created vector.
4. Create a vector  $v_6$  of length 20 with every entry equal to 5.
5. Add two vectors  $v_1$  and  $v_2$  by using  $v_1 + v_2$ . Assign it to  $v_7$ .
6. Add a constant to all entries of  $v_7$  vector. Try  $v_7 + 5$
7. Try 1:2:10. Observe the result. Use this to create vectors
  - $v_8 = [1\ 2\ 3\ \dots\ 10]$
  - $v_9 = [25\ 20\ 15\ \dots\ -20]$
8. Pick the third value in vector  $v_1$ . Use  $v_1(3)$ . Note that numbering of entries is from 1 to  $\text{length}(v_1)$ . Try  $v_1(6)$  and  $v_1(0)$ .

# Vector Operations

9. Obtain  $v_{10}$  from  $v_1$  by removing the third entry.
10. Obtain  $v_{11}$  from  $v_1$  by picking only the odd indexed entries.
11. Obtain the transpose of  $v_1$  and save it as  $v_{1t}$ .
12. Try the operations  $v_1 * v_{1t}$  and  $v_{1t} * v_1$
13. Try the operation  $v_1 . * v_1$ . Also try  $v_1.^2$  and  $v_1 ./ v_2$ .
14. Add all the entries of  $v_1$  and store it in  $s$
15. Find the average of entries in  $v_1$
16. Try  $v_1 == 3$ . Observe the result.
17. Find the number of entries in  $v_9$  greater than or equal to 15. Do not use any loops.
18. Provide two different methods without using loops to find the sum of entries in  $v_9$  which are greater than 15. Hint: Use '\*' and '.\*'

# Matrix Operations

1. Create a  $3 \times 4$  matrix  $A$ . Use  $A = [1\ 2\ 3\ 4; 5\ 6\ 7\ 8; 9\ 10\ 11\ 12];$
2. Print only second row of  $A$  using  $A(2, :)$  and print only third column of  $A$  using  $A(:, 3)$ .
3. Print only first and third column of  $A$ .
4. Type help repmat. Use repmat command to create a  $12 \times 12$  matrix  $B$  repeating the matrix  $A$ .
5. Use reshape command to change  $A$  into  $2 \times 6$  matrix.
6. Use zeros, ones commands to create matrices  $C$  and  $D$  both of order  $3 \times 4$ .
7. Use horzcat to concatenate  $A$  and  $C$  and use vertcat to concatenate  $A$  and  $D$ .
8. Create an identity matrix using eye command.
9. Use diag command to obtain diagonal elements of  $B$ .
10. Use tril and triu commands on the matrix  $B$ . Apply these on matrix  $A$  also.
11. Using sum command find the sum of each row and the sum of each column of matrix  $A$ . Find the sum of all entries in the matrix. Use  $sum(A(:))$  or 'all'.
12. Understand the difference between '\*' and '.\*' in matrix multiplication by choosing suitable matrices.

1. Use rand command to generate a random matrix  $R$  of order  $3 \times 4$ .
2. Note that all the random values generated lies between 0 and 1. Suitably modify the code to obtain random matrices with entries between 5 and 10.
3. Use randi command to generate a matrix of uniformly distributed integers. The integers generated should belong to the interval  $-5$  to  $5$ .
4. Use randn command to generate a matrix of random values following standard normal distribution.
5. Modify the code to obtain entries from a normal distribution with mean 10 and variance 4.
6. Do the same for Rayleigh and Exponential distribution with scale parameter = 2 and mean parameter = 10 respectively.

1. Create and save two variables  $A$  and  $B$  to a file `savefile.mat`
2. Create a third variable  $C$  and append it to `savefile.mat`
3. Load all three variables from `savefile.mat`
4. Create a string array containing the names of your three friends and their ages. Use `writematrix` command to write the string array to an excel file.
5. Use `readmatrix` command to read from the saved excel file and compute the average age of your three friends.
6. Use `audioread` command to read an audio file.
7. Use `audiowrite` command to write a portion of the file to a new audio file.
8. Use `imread` to read a jpg image to a three dimensional matrix  $F$ .
9. Use `image` function to display the image.
10. Make the entries in  $F(:, :, 1)$  all zero and display the image. Restore the image and do the same for  $F(:, :, 2)$  and  $F(:, :, 3)$ .

1. Create a  $100 \times 100$  random matrix  $K$  having integer valued elements uniformly distributed in the interval 1 to 10. Use *for loop* to find the sum of square of the entries in the matrix  $K$ .
2. Do part 1 without using for loop.
3. Use tic toc command to compute the time elapsed in Part 1 and Part 2. Read more about vectorization.
4. Find the number of entries greater than 5 and less than 3 in the generated matrix  $K$ . Use *if else* statement
5. Do part 3 without using *if else* statement.
6. Demonstrate the use of *while loop* by a small program.
7. Demonstrate the use of *switch* statement by a small program.
8. Define a function to find the factorial of a number.