

# SciPy

- SciPy is a collection of mathematical algorithms and convenience functions built on the NumPy extension of Python
- SciPy contains various tools and functions for solving common problems in scientific computing
- It adds significant power to the Python session by providing the user with high-level commands and classes for manipulating and visualizing data

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- Each group of functions are classified as sub-packages in SciPy
- <https://docs.scipy.org/doc/scipy/reference/>
  - Special mathematical functions (`scipy.special`) - airy, elliptic, bessel, etc.
  - Integration (`scipy.integrate`)
  - Optimization (`scipy.optimize`)
  - Interpolation (`scipy.interpolate`)
  - Linear Algebra (`scipy.linalg`)
  - Statistics (`scipy.stats`)

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- Other Modules:
  - Fourier Transforms (`scipy.fftpack`)
  - Signal Processing (`scipy.signal`)
  - Compressed Sparse Graph Routines (`scipy.sparse.csgraph`)
  - Spatial data structures and algorithms (`scipy.spatial`)
  - Multidimensional image processing (`scipy.ndimage`)
  - Data IO (`scipy.io`)
  - Weave (`scipy.weave`)