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clear all
close all
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Problem 1: Variables and Time

A) Create a variable 'time' using the 'clock' function

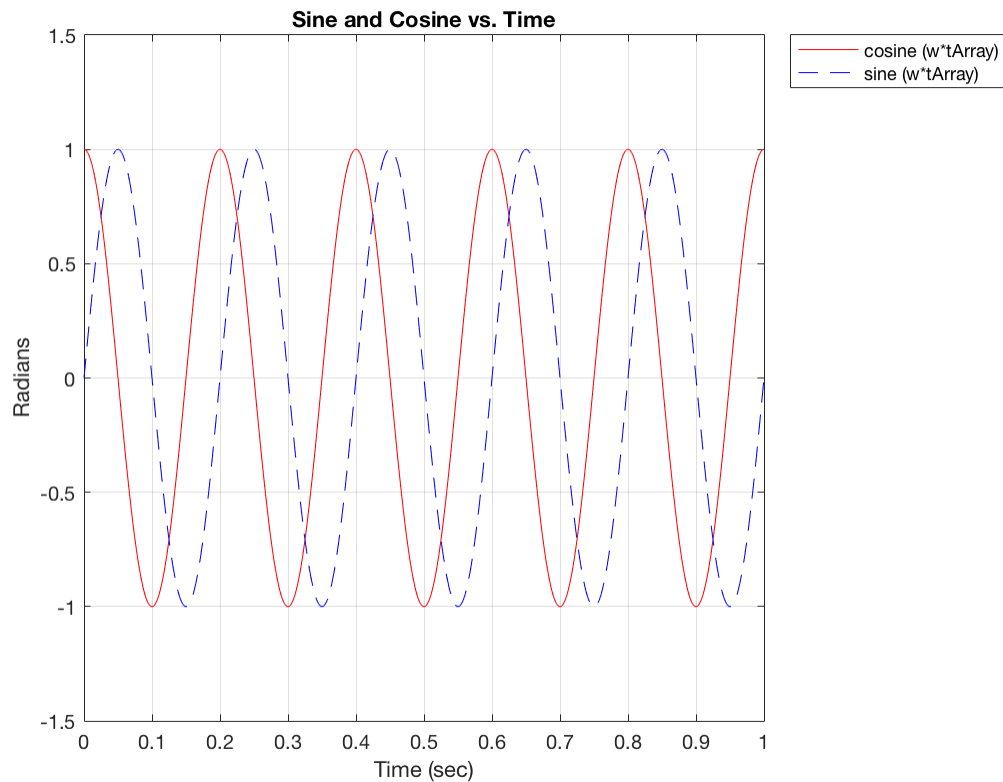
```
time = clock;
%
%
%
% What is the size of 'time'?
% The size of this array is a 1x6 matrix.
%
%
% Is it a row or column vector?
% It is a row vector.
%
%
% What does time contain?
% By using the 'help' function, we see that the clock function
% displays the
% [year month day hour minute second] and seconds is accurate to
% several
% digits beyond the decimal point.
%
%
% What variable class is 'time'?
% 'time' is a double type.
%
%
% B) Create a variable called 'yearString' using the 'datestr'
% function
% displaying only the year.
yearString = datestr(now, 'YYYY');
%
%
% C) Saved 'yearString' and 'time' as a .mat file called
% 'Time_yearString.mat'
%
%
```

Problem 2: Plotting sine and cosine waves

A) Create a vector called 'tArray' using the function 'linspace'

```
tArray = linspace(0, 1, 1001); % contains 1001 elements with equal
    spacing between 0 and 1
delta = tArray(2) - tArray(1);
%
%
% What is the sample interval (in seconds) of 'tArray'?
% By using the 'delta' function, I determined the interval to be 0.001
% seconds. This function is essentially subtracting the first term in
    the
% array from the second term.
%
%
% B) Create a variable 'f' and set it equal to 5 Hz.
f = 5;
%
%
% C) How do you convert 'f' to angular frequency? Do this and call the
    new
% variable 'w'.
% By multiplying 'f' by 2pi, it will result in an angular frequency.
w = f*2*pi;
%
%
% D) Compute the cosine and sine of w*tArray and assign each of
    these to
% a variable.
cosine = cos(tArray*w);
sine = sin(tArray*w);
%
%
% E) Plot the two curves as a function of 'tArray'.
x = tArray;
y1 = cosine;
y2 = sine;
plot (x, y1, 'r-', x, y2, 'b--');
%
%
xlabel ('Time (sec)'); %added labels to axes
ylabel ('Radians');
%
%
legend ('cosine (w*tArray)', 'sine
    (w*tArray)', 'Location', 'northeastoutside'); %Use 'legend' to add a
    legend outside of the plot window in the upper
% right corner of the figure
%
%
axis( [0 1 -1.5 1.5] ); % Use 'axis' to set the x and y limits
title ('Sine and Cosine vs. Time') % Add title to plot
```

```
%  
%  
grid ON % Use 'grid' to turn on a background grid in the plot  
%  
%  
% Discuss observations of graph:  
% It appears everything was properly graphed. To verify, I observed  
% what  
% the cosine of tArray(1)*2pi*5 and it resulted in 1, which is  
% observed  
% on the graph. Also, I observed what the sine of tArray(1)*2pi*5 and  
% it  
% was 0, which is what is showed on the graph of the sine function.  
% Also,  
% these two functions are very similar. They both have the same  
% wavelength  
% and amplitude. However, the sine function is shifted to the right on  
% the  
% plot.  
%  
%  
%  
% What is the amplitude of the wave?  
% The amplitude of these waves is 1 rad, which is clear from the  
% figure.  
%  
%  
% How could you change the amplitude of the wave?  
% You can change the amplitude of the wave by multiplying it by a  
% number.  
% For example, if it was 0.5*cos(tArray*w), the amplitude would then  
% be 0.5  
% rads.
```



Problem 3: Population Growth

A) Create a variable called 'initialRabbits', create a time interval 'dt'

```
initialRabbits = 2;  
dt = 1;  
%  
%  
% B) Create a variable for the maximum gestation units and growth rate  
maxGestation = 7;  
b = 0.8;  
%  
%  
% C) Use a 'while' loop to run the model through all gestation  
% periods.  
timevector = [1:7]  
rabbitvector = zeros(7,1)  
while dt <= 7  
    totalRabbits = initialRabbits + (initialRabbits * b * dt)  
    initialRabbits = totalRabbits;  
    rabbitvector(dt) = totalRabbits  
    dt = dt+1  
end  
%  
% D) Create a subplot for the two graphs.  
subplot (1, 2, 1)
```

```

plot(1:7, rabbitvector)
xlabel ('Gestation Period'); %added labels to axes
ylabel ('Number of Rabbits');
ax = gca;
ax.YTickLabel = ax.YTick;
axis( [0 8 0 26000] )
title ('Population of Rabbits over 7 gestation periods') % Add title
    to plot
grid ON
%
%
subplot (1, 2, 2)
plot(1:7, log10(rabbitvector))
xlabel ('Gestation Period'); %added labels to axes
ylabel ('log(Number of Rabbits)');
axis( [0 8 0 5] )
title ('Log(Population of Rabbits over 7 gestation periods)') % Add
    title to plot
grid ON
%
%
% D) Vary the growth rate 'b'.
%b = 0.4
%   When the growth rate equals 0.4, the population at the end of 7
%   gestation periods is 1117.4 rabbits instead of 25582.7 rabbits at
    0.8
%
%
%b = 0.99
%   When the growth rate equal 0.99, the population at the end of 7
%   gestation periods is 76475.3 rabbits instead of 25582.7 rabbits at
    0.8
%
%
% F) Gestation length of rabbits and number of rabbits in a population
% after a full year.
% The average gestation length of rabbits is 31 days.
% Source: http://www.bio.miami.edu/hare/surpriselitter.html
% Based on this, there would be roughly 12 gestation periods in the
    year.
% If there are 12 gestation periods in the year and a population
    beginning
% with 2 rabbits grows at a rate of 1, there will be roughly
    12,454,041,600
% rabbits at the end of 1 year.

timevector =

    1    2    3    4    5    6    7

rabbitvector =

```

```

0
0
0
0
0
0
0
0

totalRabbits =

3.6000

rabbitvector =

3.6000
0
0
0
0
0
0
0

dt =

2

totalRabbits =

9.3600

rabbitvector =

3.6000
9.3600
0
0
0
0
0
0

dt =

3

totalRabbits =

31.8240

```

rabbitvector =

3.6000
9.3600
31.8240
0
0
0
0

dt =

4

totalRabbits =

133.6608

rabbitvector =

3.6000
9.3600
31.8240
133.6608
0
0
0

dt =

5

totalRabbits =

668.3040

rabbitvector =

3.6000
9.3600
31.8240
133.6608
668.3040
0
0

dt =

6

totalRabbits =

3.8762e+03

rabbitvector =

1.0e+03 *

0.0036

0.0094

0.0318

0.1337

0.6683

3.8762

0

dt =

7

totalRabbits =

2.5583e+04

rabbitvector =

1.0e+04 *

0.0004

0.0009

0.0032

0.0134

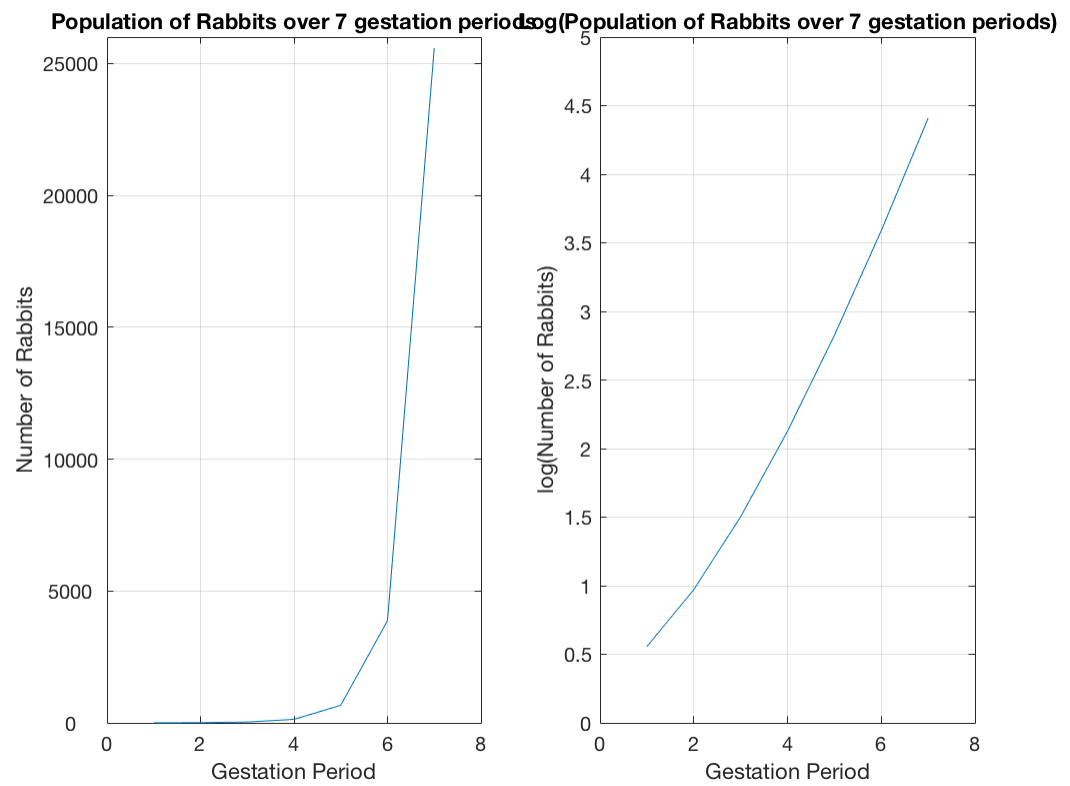
0.0668

0.3876

2.5583

dt =

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