# 1-NumPy-array

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#Course: Introduction to NumPy

# 2 NumPy

NumPy is a library for the Python programming language, adding support for large, multidimensional arrays and matrices, along with a large collection of high-level mathematical functions to operate on these arrays.

Numpy is also incredibly fast, as it has bindings to C libraries. We will only learn the basics of NumPy, to get started we need to install it!

```
[1]: import numpy as np
```

Numpy has many built-in functions and capabilities. We won't cover them all but instead we will focus on some of the most important aspects of Numpy: vectors, arrays, matrices, and number generation. Let's start by discussing arrays.

# 3 Numpy Arrays

NumPy arrays are the main way we will use Numpy throughout the course. Numpy arrays essentially come in two flavors: vectors and matrices. Vectors are strictly 1-d arrays and matrices are 2-d (but you should note a matrix can still have only one row or one column).

Let's begin our introduction by exploring how to create NumPy arrays.

# 3.1 Creating NumPy Arrays

### 3.1.1 From a Python List

We can create an array by directly converting a list or list of lists:

```
[19]: my_list = [1,2,3] my_list
```

```
[19]: [1, 2, 3]
```

### 3.2 Built-in Methods

There are lots of built-in ways to generate Arrays

#### **3.2.1** arange

Return evenly spaced values within a given interval.

```
[22]: np.arange(0,10)

[22]: array([0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9])

[23]: np.arange(0,11,2)

[23]: array([0, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10])
```

### 3.2.2 zeros and ones

Generate arrays of zeros or ones

#### 3.2.3 linspace

Return evenly spaced numbers over a specified interval.

```
[29]: np.linspace(0,10,3)
[29]: array([ 0., 5., 10.])
[31]: np.linspace(0,10,50)
[31]: array([ 0.
                              0.20408163,
                                            0.40816327,
                                                           0.6122449 ,
               0.81632653,
                              1.02040816,
                                            1.2244898 ,
                                                           1.42857143,
                                                           2.24489796,
               1.63265306,
                              1.83673469,
                                            2.04081633,
               2.44897959,
                              2.65306122,
                                            2.85714286,
                                                           3.06122449,
               3.26530612,
                              3.46938776,
                                            3.67346939,
                                                           3.87755102,
               4.08163265,
                              4.28571429,
                                            4.48979592,
                                                           4.69387755,
               4.89795918,
                              5.10204082,
                                            5.30612245,
                                                           5.51020408,
               5.71428571,
                              5.91836735,
                                            6.12244898,
                                                           6.32653061,
               6.53061224,
                              6.73469388,
                                            6.93877551,
                                                           7.14285714,
               7.34693878,
                             7.55102041,
                                            7.75510204,
                                                           7.95918367,
                              8.36734694,
               8.16326531,
                                            8.57142857,
                                                           8.7755102 ,
               8.97959184,
                              9.18367347,
                                            9.3877551 ,
                                                           9.59183673,
                                        ])
               9.79591837,
                             10.
```

### 3.3 eye

Creates an identity matrix

#### 3.4 Random

Numpy also has lots of ways to create random number arrays:

#### 3.4.1 rand

Create an array of the given shape and populate it with random samples from a uniform distribution over [0, 1).

```
[47]: np.random.rand(2)
[47]: array([ 0.11570539, 0.35279769])
     np.random.rand(5,5)
[46]:
[46]: array([[ 0.66660768,
                                                                0.60260888],
                          0.87589888, 0.12421056,
                                                   0.65074126,
            [0.70027668, 0.85572434, 0.8464595, 0.2735416, 0.10955384],
            [ 0.0670566 , 0.83267738,
                                       0.9082729 ,
                                                   0.58249129,
                                                                0.12305748],
            [ 0.27948423, 0.66422017, 0.95639833, 0.34238788,
                                                                0.9578872],
            [ 0.72155386, 0.3035422 , 0.85249683, 0.30414307,
                                                                0.79718816]])
```

#### 3.4.2 randn

Return a sample (or samples) from the "standard normal" distribution. Unlike rand which is uniform:

#### 3.4.3 randint

Return random integers from low (inclusive) to high (exclusive).

```
[50]: np.random.randint(1,100)

[50]: 44

[51]: np.random.randint(1,100,10)

[51]: array([13, 64, 27, 63, 46, 68, 92, 10, 58, 24])
```

# 3.5 Array Attributes and Methods

Let's discuss some useful attributes and methods or an array:

## 3.6 Reshape

Returns an array containing the same data with a new shape.

#### 3.6.1 max,min,argmax,argmin

These are useful methods for finding max or min values. Or to find their index locations using argmin or argmax

```
[64]: ranarr
[64]: array([10, 12, 41, 17, 49, 2, 46, 3, 19, 39])
[61]: ranarr.max()
[61]: 49
[62]: ranarr.argmax()
[62]: 4
[63]: ranarr.min()
```

```
[60]: ranarr.argmin()
[60]: 5
     3.7 Shape
     Shape is an attribute that arrays have (not a method):
[65]: # Vector
      arr.shape
[65]: (25,)
[66]: # Notice the two sets of brackets
      arr.reshape(1,25)
[66]: array([[ 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16,
              17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24]])
[69]: arr.reshape(1,25).shape
[69]: (1, 25)
[70]: arr.reshape(25,1)
[70]: array([[ 0],
             [ 1],
             [2],
             [3],
             [4],
             [5],
             [ 6],
             [7],
             [8],
             [ 9],
             [10],
             [11],
             [12],
             [13],
             [14],
             [15],
             [16],
             [17],
             [18],
             [19],
             [20],
```

[21],

```
[22],
[23],
[24]])
```

```
[76]: arr.reshape(25,1).shape
```

[76]: (25, 1)

# 3.7.1 dtype

You can also grab the data type of the object in the array:

```
[75]: arr.dtype
```

[75]: dtype('int64')