

# Numpy\_Indexing\_2

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## 1 NumPy Indexing and Selection

In this lecture we will discuss how to select elements or groups of elements from an array.

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

```
[2]: #Creating sample array  
arr = np.arange(0,11)
```

```
[3]: #Show  
arr
```

```
[3]: array([ 0,  1,  2,  3,  4,  5,  6,  7,  8,  9, 10])
```

### 1.1 Bracket Indexing and Selection

The simplest way to pick one or some elements of an array looks very similar to python lists:

```
[4]: #Get a value at an index  
arr[8]
```

```
[4]: 8
```

```
[5]: #Get values in a range  
arr[1:5]
```

```
[5]: array([1, 2, 3, 4])
```

```
[6]: #Get values in a range  
arr[0:6]
```

```
[6]: array([0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5])
```

### 1.2 Broadcasting

Numpy arrays differ from a normal Python list because of their ability to broadcast:

```
[7]: #Setting a value with index range (Broadcasting)  
arr[0:5]=100  
  
#Show  
arr
```

```
[7]: array([100, 100, 100, 100, 100,  5,  6,  7,  8,  9, 10])
```

```
[8]: # Reset array, we'll see why I had to reset in a moment  
arr = np.arange(0,11)  
  
#Show  
arr
```

```
[8]: array([ 0,  1,  2,  3,  4,  5,  6,  7,  8,  9, 10])
```

```
[9]: #Important notes on Slices  
slice_of_arr = arr[0:6]  
  
#Show slice  
slice_of_arr
```

```
[9]: array([0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5])
```

```
[10]: #Change Slice  
slice_of_arr[:]=99  
  
#Show Slice again  
slice_of_arr
```

```
[10]: array([99, 99, 99, 99, 99, 99])
```

Now note the changes also occur in our original array!

```
[11]: arr
```

```
[11]: array([99, 99, 99, 99, 99, 99,  6,  7,  8,  9, 10])
```

Data is not copied, it's a view of the original array! This avoids memory problems!

```
[12]: #To get a copy, need to be explicit  
arr_copy = arr.copy()  
  
arr_copy
```

```
[12]: array([99, 99, 99, 99, 99, 99,  6,  7,  8,  9, 10])
```

### 1.3 Indexing a 2D array (matrices)

The general format is `arr_2d[row][col]` or `arr_2d[row,col]`. I recommend usually using the comma notation for clarity.

```
[13]: arr_2d = np.array([[5,10,15],[20,25,30],[35,40,45]])
```

```
#Show  
arr_2d
```

```
[13]: array([[ 5, 10, 15],  
           [20, 25, 30],  
           [35, 40, 45]])
```

```
[14]: #Indexing row  
arr_2d[1]
```

```
[14]: array([20, 25, 30])
```

```
[15]: arr_2d[2][1]
```

```
[15]: 40
```

```
[16]: arr_2d[1][2]
```

```
[16]: 30
```

```
[17]: # Format is arr_2d[row][col] or arr_2d[row,col]  
  
# Getting individual element value  
arr_2d[1][0]
```

```
[17]: 20
```

```
[18]: # Getting individual element value  
arr_2d[1,0]
```

```
[18]: 20
```

```
[19]: arr_2d
```

```
[19]: array([[ 5, 10, 15],  
           [20, 25, 30],  
           [35, 40, 45]])
```

```
[20]: # 2D array slicing  
  
#Shape (2,2) from top right corner
```

```
arr_2d[0:3,0:1]
```

```
[20]: array([[ 5],  
           [20],  
           [35]])
```

```
[21]: #Shape bottom row  
arr_2d[1]
```

```
[21]: array([20, 25, 30])
```

```
[22]: #Shape bottom row  
arr_2d[1,:]
```

```
[22]: array([20, 25, 30])
```

### 1.3.1 Fancy Indexing

Fancy indexing allows you to select entire rows or columns out of order, to show this, let's quickly build out a numpy array:

```
[23]: #Set up matrix  
arr2d = np.zeros((10,10))  
arr2d
```

```
[23]: array([[0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0.],  
           [0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0.],  
           [0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0.],  
           [0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0.],  
           [0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0.],  
           [0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0.],  
           [0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0.],  
           [0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0.],  
           [0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0.],  
           [0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0.]])
```

```
[24]: #Length of array  
arr_length = arr2d.shape[1]
```

```
[25]: #Set up array  
  
for i in range(arr_length):  
    arr2d[i] = i  
  
arr2d
```

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

Fancy indexing allows the following

```
[26]: arr2d[[2,4,6,8]]
```

```
[26]: array([[2., 2., 2., 2., 2., 2., 2., 2., 2., 2.],
            [4., 4., 4., 4., 4., 4., 4., 4., 4., 4.],
            [6., 6., 6., 6., 6., 6., 6., 6., 6., 6.],
            [8., 8., 8., 8., 8., 8., 8., 8., 8., 8.]])
```

```
[27]: #Allows in any order
      arr2d[[6,4,2,7]]
```

```
[27]: array([[6., 6., 6., 6., 6., 6., 6., 6., 6., 6.],
            [4., 4., 4., 4., 4., 4., 4., 4., 4., 4.],
            [2., 2., 2., 2., 2., 2., 2., 2., 2., 2.],
            [7., 7., 7., 7., 7., 7., 7., 7., 7., 7.]])
```

## 1.4 More Indexing Help

Indexing a 2d matrix can be a bit confusing at first, especially when you start to add in step size. Try google image searching NumPy indexing to find useful images, like this one:

## 1.5 Selection

Let's briefly go over how to use brackets for selection based off of comparison operators.

```
[28]: arr = np.arange(1,11)
      arr
```

```
[28]: array([ 1,  2,  3,  4,  5,  6,  7,  8,  9, 10])
```

```
[29]: arr > 4
```

```
[29]: array([False, False, False, False,  True,  True,  True,  True,  True,
           True])
```

```
[30]: bool_arr = arr>4
```

```
[31]: bool_arr
```

```
[31]: array([False, False, False, False,  True,  True,  True,  True,  True,
           True])
```

```
[32]: arr[bool_arr]
```

```
[32]: array([ 5,  6,  7,  8,  9, 10])
```

```
[33]: arr[arr>2]
```

```
[33]: array([ 3,  4,  5,  6,  7,  8,  9, 10])
```

```
[34]: x = 2
      arr[arr>x]
```

```
[34]: array([ 3,  4,  5,  6,  7,  8,  9, 10])
```

```
[ ]:
```