MATLAB Course 2021-2022

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OBJECTIVE

- Matlab Desktop
- Command Window
- Arrays
- Matrices
- Set Functions
- System of Linear Equations
- Plotting

WHAT IS MATLAB?

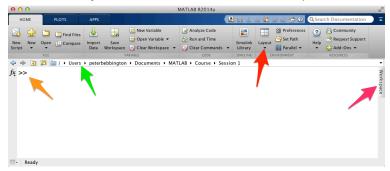
- MATLAB is an interpreted programming language. The statements are translated in to machine code one by one in MATLAB's interpreter. In comparison, a compiled programming language like C has a program translated as a whole into machine code by the compiler.
- There are three ways in which you can work in MATLAB.
 From the Command prompt or MATLAB, writing scripts and writing functions.
- A script file can take no arguments, it is just a series of statements that will be executed sequentially. A function file can take and return arguments.

MATLAB DESKTOP

- The main MATLAB desktop has the following windows.
 - Command Window
 - Command History
 - Current Directory
 - Workspace
- MATLAB has extensive help files.
 - Text Based
 - Help Browser
 - Web Based: http://www.mathworks.com/

MATLAB LAYOUT

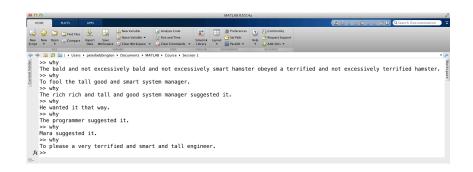
 Orange Arrow Command Line, Green Arrow Current Directory, Red Arrow Layout Editor and Pink Arrow Workspace.



 Makesure your current directory is something sensible for example folder on your desktop.

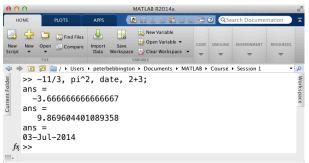
COMMAND WINDOW

 Lets look at typing and returning a simple command in to the command prompt.



NUMERICAL COMMANDS

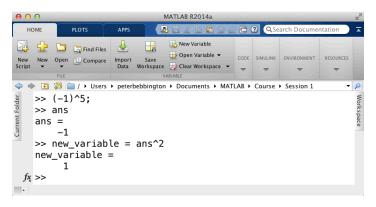
 Lets look at typing in some simple mathematical commands in the command prompt.



- For each command the output is creates the variable ans in the workspace.
- Notice that the semicolon stops the printing of the output to the command line and the comma allows the printing of the output to the command line.

VARIABLES

- The last answer can be called by returning ans.
- One can assign a variable with = operator.

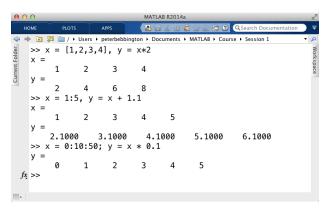


COMMANDS AND SHORTCUTS

Command	Meaning
whos	Gives the sizes and types of all loaded variables
<pre>diary('filename')</pre>	Save all commands in 'filename'
diary on/off	Set the mode of diary to on or off
save 'workspace.mat'	Save the current workspace in 'workspace.mat'
load 'workspace.mat'	Load 'workspace.mat' into the current workspace
close all	Closes all figure windows
clear all	Clears from memory all loaded variables
clc	Clear command windows
ctrl+c	Stops execution of a programme
ctrl+] or [/ ૠ+] or [Indent the selected text forward or backward
ctrl+R or T $/$ \Re +/ or T	Comment or uncomment selected text
↑ ´↓	Helps to search through old commands
quit or exit	Exit Matlab

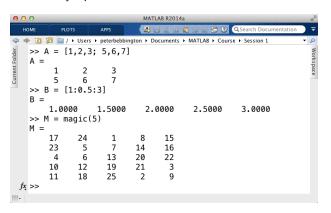
ARRAYS

- Arrays are equivalent to vectors.
- Lets create an array of homogeneous variables (vectors) and operate on collectively on elements.



BUILDING MATRICES

- Matrix Constructor:
 - Column Separator ,
 - Row Separator;
 - Uniformly Spaced :



CONCATENATING

- Matrices can be combined if and only if they have the correct dimensions.
- To do this one uses the [] operator.

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    >> AB = [A:B]
    Error using vertcat
    Dimensions of matrices being concatenated are not
    consistent.
    >> A = [1,2;3,4];
    >> B = [3,4;1,2];
    >> C = [A;B]
    C =
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ADDRESSING MATRIX ELEMENTS

- Round Brackets are used to address Matrix elements: D(r,c).
- It is also possible to address matrix elements via vectors:
 D([r, c]).

1,1	1,2	1,	1 , c_n
2,1	2,2	2,	$2,c_n$
,1	,2	,	,c _n
r_m ,1	r _m ,2	r_m,\ldots	r_m,c_n

MATRIX ELEMENTS EXAMPLE

 Notice we have used the reshape function which can take an array as an augment and change the shape to another array with consistent dimensions.

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    >> a = 1:16;
 >> D = reshape(a,4,4)
 D =
             10 14
             11 15
 >> D(9)
 ans =
 >> D(3.1)
 ans =
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MATRIX OPERATIONS

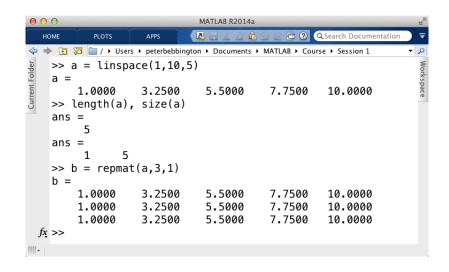
Syntax	Operation
,	Transpose
+	Addition
_	Subtraction
*	Matrix Multiplication
.*	Elementwise Multiplication
\wedge	Matrix Power
. ^	Elementwise Power

SPECIAL MATRICES

 It is convenient in MATLAB to be able to build special matrices without the necessity of long procedures. The reason will become more evident as we progress through the MATLAB course.

Command	Meaning
ones(a,b)	$a \times b$ matrix filled with ones
zeros(a,b)	$a \times b$ matrix filled with zeros
eye(a)	$a \times a$ identity matrix
repmat(e,a,b)	Replicates in $a \times b$ tiles the element e
rand(a,b)	$a \times b$ random matrix (uniformly distributed)
randn(a,b)	$a \times b$ random matrix (normally distributed)
linspace(s,e,nr)	Creates a linearly spaced row vector
logspace(s,e,nr)	Creates a log spaced row vector

SPECIAL MATRICES EXAMPLE



SET FUNCTIONS

Command	Meaning
unique(a)	Unique elements of a vector a
union(a,b)	Union of sets a and b
intersect(a,b)	Intersection of sets a and b
ismember(a,b)	Boolean for a elements in b
setdiff(a,b)	Elements in a that are not in b

SET FUNCTIONS EXAMPLE

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                  >> unique(b)
                  ans =
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                  >> c = [1 5.5 10];
                  >> a(ismember(a,c))
                  ans =
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                  >> a
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                  >> intersect(a.c)
                  ans =
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SYSTEMS OF LINEAR EQUATIONS

 As MATLAB is an interpreted programming language it is intuitive to solve problems in Matrix form rather than using control flow with if/while/for loops. Consider the following example: system of equations.

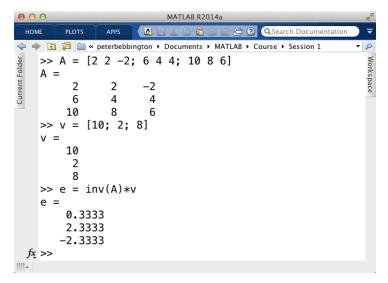
$$2x + 2y - 2z = 10$$
$$6x + 4y + 4z = 2$$
$$10x + 8y + 6z = 8$$

• These equations can be represented by

$$\bar{\bar{A}}\bar{e}=\bar{v}$$

SOLVING LINEAR EQUATIONS

• Solved by inverting matrix \bar{A} and multiplying it by \bar{v} .



PLOTTING FUNCTIONS

Command	Meaning
figure	new figure window
figure(n)	n-th figure window
<pre>title('string')</pre>	add title to the window
<pre>gtext('string')</pre>	add text with the mouse
<pre>legend('string')</pre>	add legend
grid on/off	swith grid on/off
<pre>subplot(m,n,p)</pre>	multiple plots in one figure window
hold on/off	hold the current contents

 Note that once a figure is created Matlab can auto generate code to reproduce the plot by Figure -> File -> Generate Code

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    >> year = [1951:10:2001];
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   >> population = [50.23, 52.71, 55.93, 56.93, 57.44, 59.05];
   >> bar(year, population)
   >> axis([1941,2011,40,70])
   >> ylabel('Millions','FontSize',8);
   >> xlabel('Year', 'FontSize',8);
   >> title('UK population growth', 'FontSize', 14);
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LINE PLOTS

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   >> population = [50.23, 52.71, 55.93, 56.93, 57.44, 59.05];
   >> figure
   >> plot(year,population)
   >> plot(year,population, 'kx--')
   >> plot(year, population, 'mv-', 'Markersize', 20, 'Linewidth', 5)
   >> xlabel('Year', 'FontSize',14);
   >> ylabel('Millions', 'FontSize', 14);
   >> title('UK population growth', 'FontSize', 14);
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HOLD AND SUBPLOT

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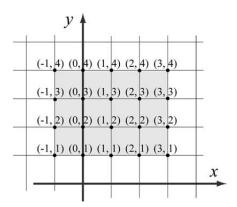
→ Table 1 Table 2 Table 2
                          >> clear
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                          >> close all
                          >> x = [0:0.1:6];
                          >> y1 = sin(x); y2 = cos(x);
                          >> figure,
                          >> plot(x, y1, ':b');
                          >> hold on;
                          >> plot(x, y2,'--r');hold off;
                          >> figure,
                          >> subplot(2,1,1); plot(x,y1);
                          >> subplot(2,1,2); plot(x,y2);
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3D PLOTS

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    >> t = 0:pi/50:10*pi;
                                                                           Workspace
    >> figure,
    >> plot3(sin(t),cos(t),t);
    >> xlabel('sin(t)');ylabel('cos(t)');zlabel('t');
    >> grid on
    >> axis square
    >> title('Helix')
 fx >>
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MESH, SURFACE, CONTOUR

- ullet Meshgrid creates the matrices of x and y co-ordinates
- mesh creates mesh plots
- surf creates surface plots
- contour creates contour plots.



MESH, SURFACE, CONTOUR PLOTS

