

## 2) The Shape and Reshaping of NumPy Array

### 1. Dimensions of a NumPy Array

The number of dimensions (axes) in an array is given by the `ndim` attribute:

```
import numpy as np

# Creating a 2-D array
array_2d = np.array([[1, 2, 3], [4, 5, 6]])

print(array_2d.ndim)
```

# Output: 2

### 2. Shape of a NumPy Array

The shape of an array, representing the size of each dimension, is accessible via the `shape` attribute:

```
print(array_2d.shape)
```

# Output: (2, 3)

### 3. Size of a NumPy Array

The total number of elements in the array is obtained using the `size` attribute:

```
print(array_2d.size)
```

# Output: 6

### 4. Reshaping a NumPy Array

To change the shape of an array without altering its data, use the `reshape()` method. The new shape must be compatible with the original size:

```
array_1d = np.array([1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6])

array_2d = array_1d.reshape((2, 3))

print(array_2d)
```

# Output:

```
# [[1 2 3]
```

```
# [4 5 6]]
```

Alternatively, you can use the `np.reshape()` function:

```
array_2d = np.reshape(array_1d, (2, 3))

print(array_2d)
```

# Output:

```
# [[1 2 3]
```

```
# [4 5 6]]
```

### **5. Flattening a NumPy Array**

To convert a multi-dimensional array into a 1-D array, use the `flatten()` method or `ravel()` function:

```
array_2d = np.array([[1, 2, 3], [4, 5, 6]])
```

```
array_1d = array_2d.flatten()
```

```
print(array_1d)
```

```
# Output: [1 2 3 4 5 6]
```

### **6. Transpose of a NumPy Array**

To transpose an array (swap rows and columns), use the `T` attribute:

```
array_2d = np.array([[1, 2, 3], [4, 5, 6]])
```

```
array_transposed = array_2d.T
```

```
print(array_transposed)
```

```
# Output:
```

```
# [[1 4]
```

```
# [2 5]
```

```
# [3 6]]
```