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## Title: Introduction to MATLAB

Objective: The objective of this experiment was to understand the use of MATLAB in various equations of data communication engineering problems. Using the obtained knowledge various commands, syntax and tools had to be used and implemented to obtaining the necessary results.

Introduction: MATLAB is a high-performance language for technical computation. It integrates computation programming and visualization in a user-friendly environment where problem and solution are expressed in an easy-to-understand mathematical notation. MATLAB is an interactive system whose basic data element is an array that does not require dimensioning. This allows the user to solve many technical computing problems, especially those with matrix and vector operation in less time than it would take to write a program in a scalar no interactive language such as C or FORTRAN. MATLAB features a family of applications-specific language solution which are called toolboxes. It is very important to most users of MATLAB that toolboxes allow to learn and apply specialized.

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features. These toolboxes are comprehensive collections of MATLAB function, so called M files extending the MATLAB environment to solve particular mathematical and engineering problems. MATLAB is a Matrix-based programming tool. Although matrices often need not be dimensioned explicitly, the user must always look carefully for matrix dimension. If it is not defined otherwise, the standard matrix exhibits two dimensions  $n \times m$ . Column vectors and row vector are represented consistently by  $n \times 1$  and  $1 \times n$  matrices respectively.

Simulation Tools or Software: MatLab 2016a.

Simulation:

Entering Matrices and Addressing the elements

Code:

```
>> A = [1 2 3; 8 6 4; 3 6 9]
```

```
Command Window
>> A = [1 2 3; 8 6 4; 3 6 9]

A =

     1     2     3
     8     6     4
     3     6     9

fx >>
```

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The above code was used to create a matrix 'A' represents the name of the matrix and the value within the third brackets are elements of the matrix. If there are multiple column in the matrix a space ( ) was used to separate the elements and to end a row a semicolon (;) was used after finishing entering the elements of a row.

Code:

`>> A(1,3)+A(2,1)+A(3,2)`

Command Window

`>> A(1,3) + A(2,1) + A(3,2)`

ans =

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`fx >>`

The above code sums up the selected elements. To select the elements, the name of the matrix was used along with the position of the matrix. If the matrix is  $A(m,n)$  'm' represents the row and 'n' is column.

Code:

`>> A(2:3,1:2)`

Command Window

`>> A(2:3, 1:2)`

ans =

8      6  
3      6

`fx >>`

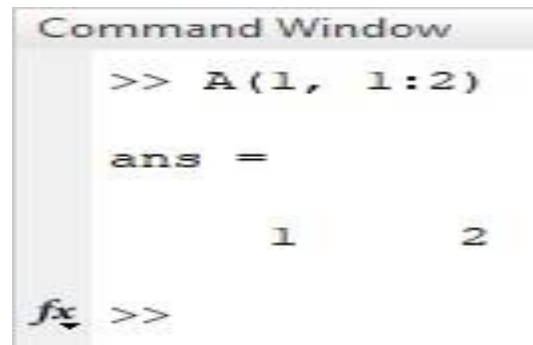


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The above code represents the code within a certain range. If the range of a matrix is  $A(m:n, k:l)$ , the range of the row 'm' to 'n' and the range of the column was 'k' to 'l'. All the elements within this range was display on the prompt.

Code:

`>> A(1, 1:2)`



```
Command Window
>> A(1, 1:2)

ans =

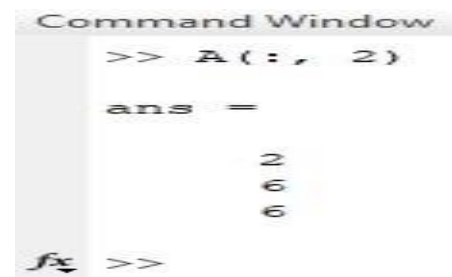
     1     2

fx >>
```

The above code displayed the elements of the first row which are within '1' to '2' column. In this same way, the elements of a certain column can be represents as well.

Code:

`>> A(:, 2)`



```
Command Window
>> A(:, 2)

ans =

     2
     6
     6

fx >>
```

In this code implementation, all the elements of a certain row or column were represented. In the all above example all the elements of the 2nd column of 'A' matrix have been represented. To all rows ':' sign. was used.

## Generating Matrices:

Code

```
>> v = (10:-2:0)
```

Command Window

```
>> v = (10:-2:0)
```

v =

10	8	6	4	2	0
----	---	---	---	---	---

fx >>

A Matrix was generated. The start value of the Matrix was 10 and the end value was 0; The value decreased by -2. Here, a matrix was generated which had 1 row and 6 columns with 6 elements.

Code:

```
>> w = (5:10)
```

Command Window

```
>> w = (5:10)
```

w =

5	6	7	8	9	10
---	---	---	---	---	----

fx >>

In the above implementation a matrix was generated which started with 5 and ended with 10. In this case, the difference between the starting and ending was not explicitly defined in the code. Hence, the value was increased by 1, which is the default incremental value.

Code

```
>> B = zeros(3, 4)
```

Command Window

```
>> B = zeros(3, 4)
```

B =

0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0

fx >>

using the above command, a 3x4 matrix is generated which contained only zeros (0) as its elements.

Code:

```
>> C = ones(2, 5) * 6
```

Command Window

```
>> C = ones(2, 5) * 6
```

C =

6	6	6	6	6
6	6	6	6	6

fx >>

using the 'ones' function, a (m,n) matrix is generated which contains only '1' as elements of its matrix. After generating the ones matrix, it's multiplied

Code:

```
>> D = rand(1, 5)
```

Command Window

```
>> D = rand(1, 5)
```

D =

0.8147	0.9058	0.1270	0.9134	0.6324
--------	--------	--------	--------	--------

fx >>

To Create a matrix with random values, 'rand' function is used. In the above code, a (1x5) matrix is created with random values. The 'rand' function uses positive values only to fill the elements of matrix.

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Code:

&gt;&gt; E = randn(3,3)

Command Window

&gt;&gt; E = randn(3, 3)

E =

-1.3077	3.5784	3.0349
-0.4336	2.7694	0.7254
0.3426	-1.3499	-0.0631

fx &gt;&gt;

The above function works just like 'rand',  
The difference between the two is 'randn'  
uses any real number as elements of the matrix  
that it is implemented on.

Deleting rows and columns:

Code:

&gt;&gt; A(2,:) = []

Command Window

&gt;&gt; A(2, :) = [ ]

A =

1	2	3
3	6	9

fx &gt;&gt;

To delete a certain element, the above code  
was used. In the above implementation, the whole  
2nd row of Matrix 'A' was deleted.

Array Orientation:

Code:

&gt;&gt; a = 0:3;

&gt;&gt; b = a'

Command Window

&gt;&gt; a = 0:3

a =

0	1	2	3
---	---	---	---

fx &gt;&gt;



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## Scalar - Array Mathematics:

Code:

```
>> c = [1 2 3 4; 5 6 7 8;
        9 10 11 12];
>> 2*c-1
```

Command Window

```
>> b = a'
```

b =

```
0
1
2
3
```

fx >>

Command Window

```
>> c = [1 2 3 4; 5 6 7 8; 9 10 11 12];
>> 2*c-1
```

ans =

```
1    3    5    7
9   11   13   15
17   19   21   23
```

fx >>

The above implementation creates a matrix, called 'c'. All the elements of matrix 'c' have been multiplied by 2 and sub by 1 from each element.

## Array - Array Mathematics

Code:

```
>> d = [1 2 3; 4 5 6]
>> e = [2 2 2; 3 3 3]
>> f = d + e
>> g = 2*d - e
>> h = d.*e
>> d./e
>> e.\d
```

Command Window

```
>> d = [1 2 3; 4 5 6];
>> e = [2 2 2; 3 3 3];
>> f = d + e
```

f =

```
3    4    5
7    8    9
```

```
>> g = 2*d - e
```

g =

```
0    2    4
5    7    9
```

```
>> h = d.*e
```

h =

```
2    4    6
12   15   18
```

```
>> d./e
```

ans =

```
0.5000    1.0000    1.5000
1.3333    1.6667    2.0000
```

```
>> e.\d
```

ans =

```
0.5000    1.0000    1.5000
1.3333    1.6667    2.0000
```

fx >>

At first two matrices were entered called 'd' and 'e'. 'f' holds the value of the sum of 'd' and 'e'. Then 'd' is was multiplied by 2 and then subtracted by 'e'. Element-by-element mult.

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Code:

```
>> A = [1 2 3; 4 5 6]
```

```
>> B = [1 2; 3 4; 5 6]
```

```
>> C = A * B
```

The above implementation performed  
to perform this '\*' operator

```
Command Window
>> A = [1 2 3; 4 5 6]
A =
     1     2     3
     4     5     6

>> B = [1 2; 3 4; 5 6]
B =
     1     2
     3     4
     5     6

>> C = A * B
C =
    22    28
    49    64

fx >>
```

Creating a plot:

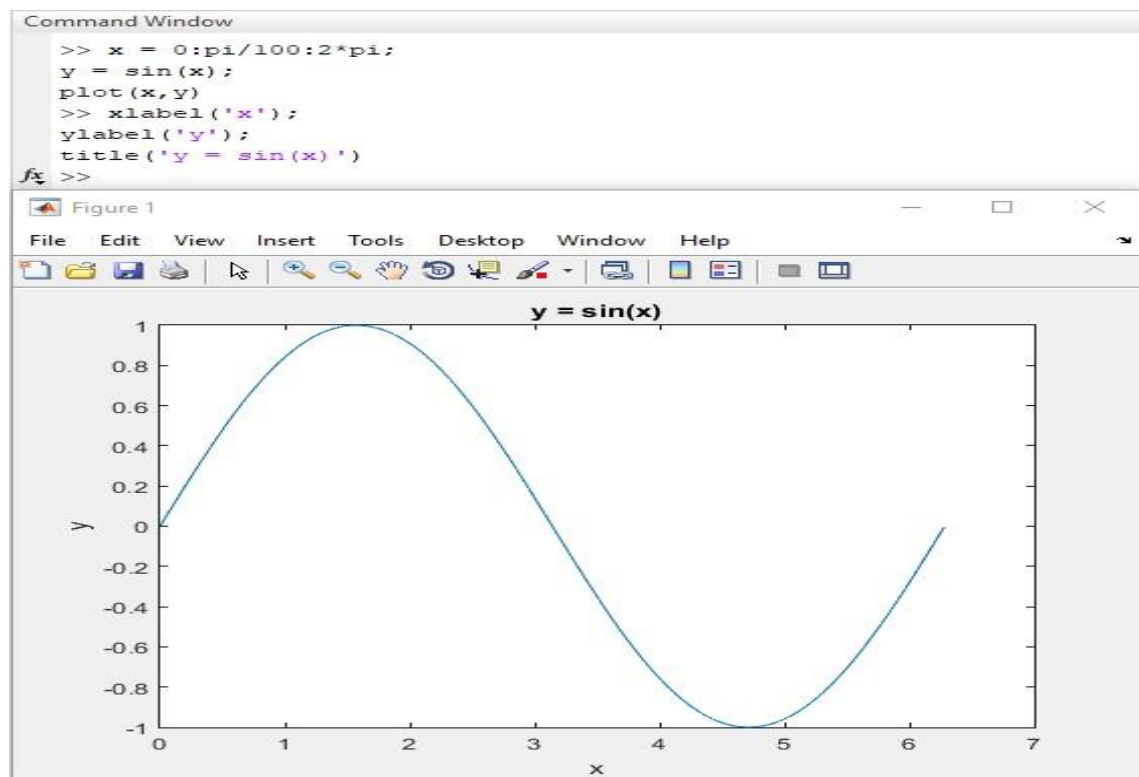
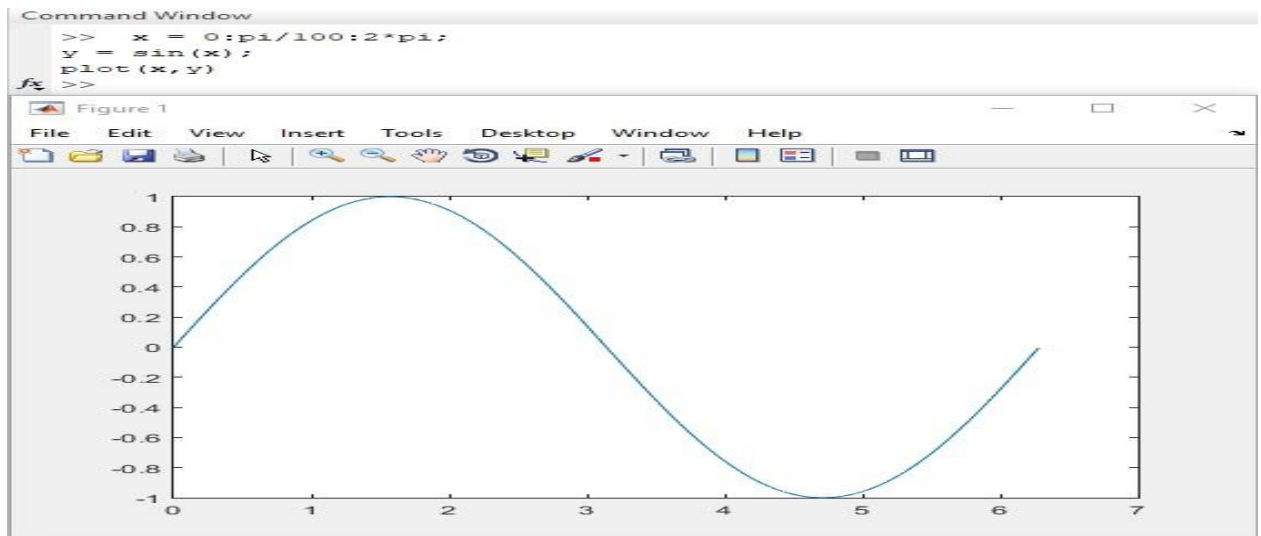
Code:

```
>> x = 0: pi/100: 2*pi;
```

```
>> y = sin(x);
```

```
>> plot(x, y)
```

The above code implementation plots a curve of a certain equation. ('x') represents the range of the values and the difference between each point of the range. 'y' also used to plotted on the graph. The function of 'plot', the ~~the~~ plotted graph emerged.



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```
>> t = -pi : pi/100 : pi;
```

```
s = cos(t);
```

```
plot(t,s)
```

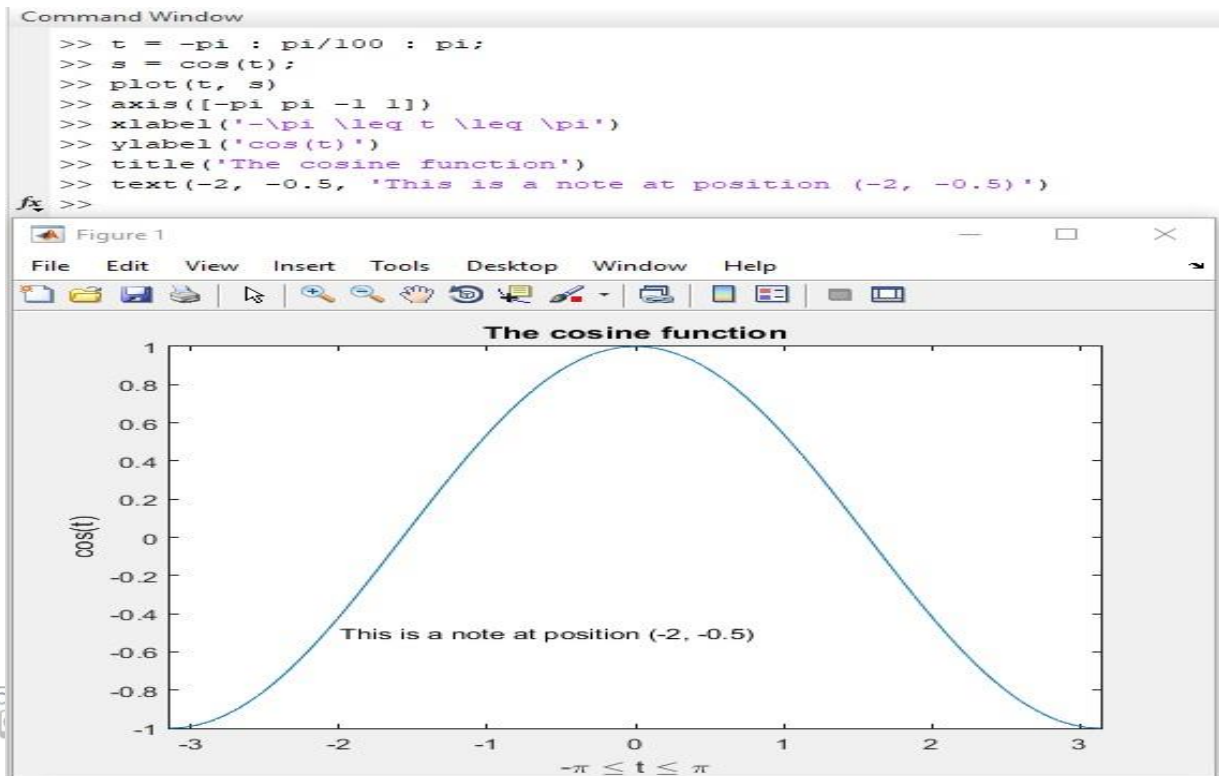
```
axis([-pi pi -1 1])
```

```
xlabel('-\pi \leq t \leq \pi')
```

```
ylabel('cos(t)')
```

```
title('The cosine function')
```

```
text(-2, -0.5, 'This is a note at position (-2, -0.5)')
```





Code:

```
>> x = 0: pi/100: 2*pi;  
>> y = sin(x);  
>> plot(x, y)  
>> xlabel('x');  
>> ylabel('y');  
>> title('y = sin(x)')
```

formatting a graph is another important part of graph plotting. To label the x-axis and y-axis, the function 'xlabel' and 'ylabel'. 'title' was used to give the title of the graph.

Discussion and Conclusion: From the above simulation, various functions of MATLAB were observed in hand. Various functions that were available on MATLAB were learned and observed. Using this knowledge, graphs were plotted in MATLAB software.

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