Programming

optimisation and operations research algorithms with Julia

for Business Tasks

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Selected topics Random numbers





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Integer number in [a;b]:

```
rand(a:b)

julia> rand(1:6)
```

Vector of *n* integers in [*a*;*b*]:

```
rand(a:b,n)

julia> rand(1:6.2)
```

Matrix of $n_1 \times n_2$ integers in [a;b]:

```
rand(a:b,n_1,n_2)
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Reseed the random number generator:

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Random.seed!(init)

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→ a reproducible sequence of numbers when a seed is provided.

Selected topics Search and Sort





Search functions on an array (1/3)

Compute the minimum (maximum) value of an array (a vector V or a matrix M) over the given dimensions

```
minimum(array, dims)
maximum(array, dims)
```

```
julia> minimum(V)
julia> minimum(M)
julia> minimum(M,dims=1)
julia> minimum(M,dims=2)
```

```
julia> maximum(V)
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Search functions on an array (2/3)

For an array (a vector V or a matrix M), return the indices of the minimum (maximum) elements over the given dimensions

```
argmin(array, dims)
argmax(array, dims)
```

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julia> argmin(M)
julia> argmin(M,dims=1)
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julia> argmax(V)
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```

Search functions on an array (3/3)

For an array (a vector V or a matrix M), return the index or key of the first element of A for which predicate returns true. Return nothing if there is no such element.

```
{\tt findfirst}(predicate, array)
```

```
julia> findfirst(isequal(3),M)
```

index i, j of the first element of M for which M[i,j]=3

```
julia> findfirst(iseven,M)
```

```
julia> findfirst("Linz", "Hello Linz")
```

See also findlast, findprev, findnext



Sort functions on a vector (1/2)

Returns a sorted copy of a vector V

```
sort(vector)

julia> sort(V)
```

Returns the vector V sorted

```
julia> sort!(V)
```

Option to reverse the sorting order

```
sort(vector, rev=true)
```

```
julia> sort(V,rev=true)
```

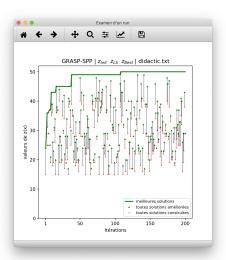
Sort functions on a vector (2/2)

Return a permutation vector I that puts V[I] in sorted order

```
sortperm(vector)
sortperm(vector, rev=true)
```

```
julia> V=[2,7,4]
julia> p=sortperm(V)
julia> V[p]
julia> p=sortperm(V,rev=true)
julia> V[p]
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julia > ax = subplot(223)
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julia> x = randn(100); nb = 25
julia> hist(x,nb)
julia > subplot(224)
julia> PyPlot.title("224 - SE"); xlabel("X axis")
julia> Xc=[i \text{ for } i=0:0.1:2*\pi]; Yc = \sin(Xc)
julia> plot(Xc,Yc)
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Review and exercises

(notebook)



