

BASIC SYNTAX

```
>>> x = 1
>>> y = [1,2,3,4,5] # list
>>>
>>> range(1,6,2)
[1,3,5]
>>>
>>> y[0] # zero-indexed
1
```

```
>> x = 1;
>> y = [1 2 3 4 5]; % row vector
>> z = [1 2 3 4 5]'; % column vector
>> 1:2:6
ans =
    1    3    5
>> y(1) % one-indexed
ans =
    1
```



OPERATORS & NUMBERS

	+	-	*	/	**	:	%	#	=	1j	np.nan	np.inf	==	<	>	<=	>=	!=	and	or	not	
	+	-	.*	./	.^	.\	:	mod(x,n)	%	=	i	NaN	Inf	==	<	>	<=	>=	~=	&&		~

BOOLEAN OPERATORS

SPECIAL FUNCTIONS

from numpy import * # many of these functions also available in math





	sin	cos	tan	sinh	cosh	tanh	arcsin	arcsinh	exp	expm1	deg2rad	rad2deg	log	log10	sqrt
	sin	cos	tan	sinh	cosh	tanh	asin	asinh	exp	expm1	deg2rad	rad2deg	log	log10	sqrt
	sind	cosd	tand				asind								

from scipy.special import *

	j0	j1	jv	y0	yn	yv	gamma	erf	erfc	hyp2f1	binom	poch	airy		
	besselj	bessely					gamma	erf	erfc	hypergeom	nchoosek		airy	isprime	nthroot

ARRAYS & OPERATIONS

from numpy import *

	array(((a,b,c),(d,e,f)))	eye(n)	zeros((m,n))	ones((m,n))	rand	empty((m,n))	None
	[a b c; d e f]	eye(n)	zeros(m,n)	ones(m,n)	rand		[]
	linspace	arange(a,b,d)	diag	vstack	hstack	meshgrid	reshape
	linspace	a:d:b	diag	vertcat	horzcat	meshgrid	reshape
							ravel
							tile
							repmat

NumPy also provides *universal functions*.

PLOTTING

```
import numpy as np
import scipy as sp
x = np.linspace(0,6,201)
y = sp.j0(x)
fig = plt.figure()
ax = fig.add_subplot(111)
ax.plot(x,y,'r-',lw=2,label='J_0(x)')

ax.set_title('Zeroth-Order Bessel
Function', fontsize=24, family='serif')
ax.set_ylabel('f(x)', fontsize=18)
ax.set_xlabel('x', fontsize=18)
ax.set_ylim((-1, 2))
ax.legend()
plt.show()
```

```
x = linspace(0,6,201);
y = besselj(0,x);
figure1 = figure;
axes1 = axes('Parent',figure1);
plot(x,y,'r-','DisplayName','J_0(x)',
'LineWidth',2);
title({'Zeroth-Order Bessel Function'});

xlabel('x');
ylabel('f(x)');
ylim([-1 2])
legend();
```

from numpy import *

from matplotlib.pyplot import *

	plot		plot_surface		contour	legend	
	plot	fplot	ezplot	surf	ezsurf	plot3	contour
							legend
							imread
							imshow
							imwrite

LINEAR ALGEBRA



from numpy import *

from scipy.linalg import *



	dot	cross	A.T	inv	det	trace	inner	outer	matmul	eig	solve	qr	svd	lu	expm	logm	cholesky
	dot	cross	A'	inv	det	trace	*		*	eig	\	qr	svd	lu	expm	logm	chol

POLYNOMIALS & CURVE FITTING

from numpy import *

 `poly(v)` `roots(p)` `polyval(p,x)` `polyder(p,m)` `polyint(p,m)` `polyfit(x,y,n)`
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from scipy.interpolate import *


 `interp1d(xd,yd,mt)` `griddata(xd,yd,(gx,gy),mt)` `splrep(xd,yd)` `bisplrep` `splprep`
 `interp1(xd,yd,x,mt)` `interp2(xd,yd,x,gx,gy)` `spline(xd,yd,x)`


STRING OPERATIONS

 `print` `'%f'%np.pi` `.find` `in` `.join` `.split` `+` `.upper`
 `disp` `sprintf('%f',pi)` `strfind` `strcmp` `strjoin` `strsplit` `strcat` `strtok`

ADVANCED SYNTAX

CONTROL STATEMENTS

 `if expr1:`
 `code1`
 `elif expr2:`
 `code2`
 `else:`
 `code3`

 `if expr1`
 `code1`
 `elseif expr2`
 `code2`
 `else`
 `code3`
 `end`

EXCEPTION HANDLING

`A = 1`
`try:`
 `file = open('file.txt')`
`except IOError, exc:`
 `print 'file cannot be opened'`
`except:`
 `print 'non-IOError'`
`else:`
 `print file.readlines()`
`finally:`
 `file.close()`


`A = rand(3);`
`B = ones(5);`
`try`
 `C = [A; B];`
`catch err`
 `error('Dimension mismatch');`
`end`

LOOPS


`for v in arange(1.0,0.0,-0.2):`
 `print v`
`n = 0`
`while n < 10:`
 `print n`
 `n -= 1`

`for v = 1.0:-0.2:0.0`
 `disp(v)`
`end`
`n = 0;`
`while n < 10`
 `disp(n);`
 `n = n - 1;`
`end`

FUNCTION DEFINITIONS

 `def foo(x):`
 `y = x ** 2`
 `return y`

may be defined in any block
(including in nested blocks)

 `function [y] = foo(x)`
 `y = x .^ 2`
 `end`

must be in file named `foo.m`



ANONYMOUS FUNCTIONS

`lambda x: x ** 2`

`@(x) x .^ 2;`

USING CODE & SCRIPTING

FILE INPUT & OUTPUT

 `import eval` `execfile` `open` `.read` `.readline` `.write` `.close` `np.loadtxt` `np.savetxt`
 `import eval` `run` `open` `fileread` `fgetl` `fprintf` `fclose` `load` `save`

INTERESTING FEATURES

`import this`
`from __future__ import division`
`@decorator`
`with x as y:`
 `pass`

IPython makes an excellent default interpreter, as does the Jupyter notebook.

`tic; expr; toc` % stopwatch timer
`clc` % clear display
`format short` % or long (change # disp)
`echo on` % or off (echo script cmds)
`!cd dir` % run shell commands

MATLAB has an extensive collection of [Toolboxes](#).

The command window shares the variable environment with scripts but not with functions.