

MATLAB Tutorial

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What is MATLAB?

- **high-performance** software
 - **Computation**
 - **Visualization**
 - **Easy-to-use environment.**
- **high-level** language
 - **Data types**
 - **Functions**
 - **Control flow statements**
 - **Input/output**
 - **Graphics**
 - **Object-oriented** programming capabilities

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Calculations at the Command Line

MATLAB as a calculator

```
>> -5/(4.8+5.32)^2
ans =
-0.0488
>> (3+4i)*(3-4i)
ans =
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>> cos(pi/2)
ans =
6.1230e-017
>> exp(acos(0.3))
ans =
3.5470
```

Assigning Variables

```
>> a = 2;
>> b = 5;
>> a*b
ans =
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>> x = 5/2*pi;
>> y = sin(x)
y =
1
>> z = asin(y)
z =
1.5708
```

Semicolon suppresses screen output

Results assigned to "ans" if name not specified

() parentheses for function inputs

A Note about Workspace:
Numbers stored in double-precision floating point format

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General Functions

- **whos:** List current variables
- **clear:** Clear variables and functions from memory
- **cd:** Change current working directory
- **ls:** List files in directory

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Getting help

- help command** (`>>help`)
- lookfor command** (`>>lookfor`)
- Printable Documents**
 - "Matlabroot\help\pdf_doc"

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Matrices

- Entering and Generating Matrices
- Subscripts
- Scalar Expansion
- Concatenation
- Deleting Rows and Columns
- Array Extraction
- Matrix and Array Multiplication

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Entering Numeric Arrays

Row separator: semicolon (`;`)
Column separator: space / comma (`,`)

```
1 2
3 4
>> a=[1 2;3 4]
a =
    1   2
    3   4
>> b=[-2.8, sqrt(-7), (3+5+6)*3/4]
b =
  -2.8000   0 + 2.6458i  10.5000
>> b(2,5) = 23
b =
  -2.8000   0 + 2.6458i  10.5000   0   0
                                0   0   0  23.0000
```

- Any MATLAB expression can be entered as a matrix element
- Matrices must be rectangular. (Set undefined elements to zero)

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The Matrix in MATLAB

		Columns (n)								
		1	2	3	4	5				
Rows (m)	1	4	10	6	1	11	6	16	2	21
	2	8	1.2	7	9	12	4	17	25	22
	3	7.2	5	8	7	13	1	18	11	23
	4	0	0.5	9	4	14	5	19	56	24
	5	23	83	10	13	18	0	20	10	28

Rectangular Matrix:
Scalar: 1-by-1 array
Vector: m-by-1 array
1-by-n array
Matrix: m-by-n array

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Entering Numeric Arrays

Scalar expansion →

```
>> w=[1 2;3 4] + 5
w =
    6   7
    8   9
```

Creating sequences: colon operator (`:`) →

```
>> x = 1:5
x =
    1   2   3   4   5
```

Utility functions for creating matrices. →

```
>> y = 2:-0.5:0
y =
  2.0000   1.5000   1.0000   0.5000   0
>> z = rand(2,4)
z =
  0.9501   0.6068   0.8913   0.4565
  0.2311   0.4860   0.7621   0.0185
```

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Numerical Array Concatenation

Use [] to combine existing arrays as matrix "elements" →

```
>> a=[1 2;3 4]
a =
    1   2
    3   4
>> cat_a=[a, 2*a; 3*a, 4*a; 5*a, 6*a]
```

Row separator: semicolon (`:`) →

```
cat_a =
    1   2   2   4
    3   4   6   8
```

Column separator: space / comma (`,`) →

```
cat_a =
    3   6
    9   12
    5   10
    15  20
        4   8
        12  16
        6   12
        18  24
```

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Note:

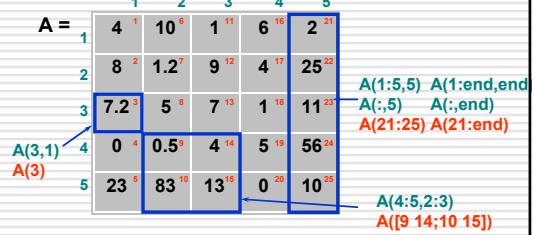
The resulting matrix must be rectangular

Deleting Rows and Columns

```
» A=[1 5 9;4 3 2.5; 0.1 10 3i+1]
A =
 1.0000      5.0000      9.0000
 4.0000      3.0000      2.5000
 0.1000     10.0000  1.0000+3.0000i
» A(:,2)=[]
A =
 1.0000      9.0000
 4.0000      2.5000
 0.1000    1.0000 + 3.0000i
» A(2,2)=[]
??? Indexing empty matrix assignment is not allowed.
```

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Array Subscripting / Indexing



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Matrix Multiplication

```
» a = [1 2 3 4; 5 6 7 8];           [2x4]
» b = ones(4,3);                     [4x3]
» c = a*b                         [2x4]*[4x3] → [2x3]
c =
 10   10   10
 26   26   26
```

a(2nd row).b(3rd column)

Array Multiplication

```
» a = [1 2 3 4; 5 6 7 8];
» b = [1:4; 1:4];
» c = a.*b
c =
 1   4   9   16
 5  12  21  32
```

c(2,4) = a(2,4)*b(2,4)

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Matrix Manipulation Functions

- zeros**: Create an array of all zeros
- ones**: Create an array of all ones
- eye**: Identity Matrix
- rand**: Uniformly distributed random numbers
- diag**: Diagonal matrices and diagonal of a matrix
- size**: Return array dimensions
- repmat**: Replicate and tile a matrix

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Matrix Manipulation Functions

- det**: Matrix determinant
- inv**: Matrix inverse
- eig**: Evaluate eigenvalues and eigenvectors
- rank**: Rank of matrix

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Elementary Math

- Logical Operators
- Math Functions
- Polynomial and Interpolation

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Logical Operations

= equal to
> greater than
< less than
>= Greater or equal
<= less or equal
~ not
& and
| or
isfinite(), etc....
all(), any()
find

```
» Mass = [-2 10 NaN 30 -11 Inf 31];
» each_pos = Mass>=0
each_pos =
    0     1     0     1     0     1     1
» all_pos = all(Mass>=0)
all_pos =
    0
» all_pos = any(Mass>=0)
all_pos =
    1
» pos_fin = (Mass>=0) & (isfinite(Mass))
pos_fin =
    0     1     0     1     0     0     1
```

Note:

- 1 = TRUE
- 0 = FALSE

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Elementary Math Function

- **abs, sign**: Absolute value and Signum Function
- **sin, cos, asin, acos...**: Triangular functions
- **exp, log, log10**: Exponential, Natural and Common (base 10) logarithm
- **ceil, floor**: Round toward infinities
- **fix**: Round toward zero

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Elementary Math Function

- **round**: Round to the nearest integer
- **sqrt**: Square root function
- **real, imag**: Real and Image part of complex
- **rem**: Remainder after division

Elementary Math Function

- **max, min**: Maximum and Minimum of arrays
- **mean, median**: Average and Median of arrays
- **std, var**: Standard deviation and variance
- **sort**: Sort elements in ascending order
- **sum, prod**: Summation & Product of Elements

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Importing and Exporting Data

- Using the Import Wizard
- Using **Save** and **Load** command

```
save fname
save fname x y z
save fname -ascii
save fname -mat
```

```
load fname
load fname x y z
load fname -ascii
load fname -mat
```

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Input/Output for Text File

- Read formatted data, reusing the format string N times.

```
>[A1...An]=textread(filename,format,N)
```

- Import and Exporting Numeric Data with General ASCII delimited files

```
> M = dlmread(filename,delimiter,range)
```

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Graphics Fundamentals

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Graphics

- Basic Plotting
plot, title, xlabel, grid, legend, hold, axis
- Editing Plots
Property Editor
- Mesh and Surface Plots
meshgrid, mesh, surf, colorbar, patch, hidden
- Handle Graphics

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2-D Plotting

Syntax:

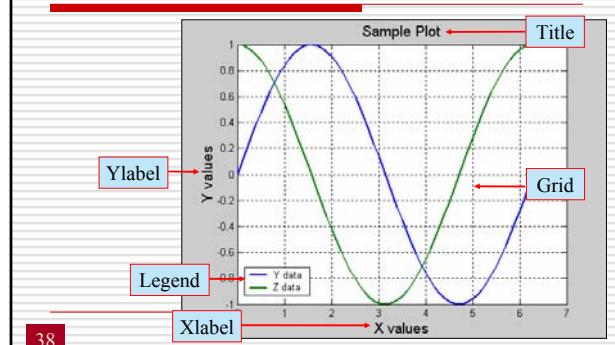
```
plot(x1, y1, 'c1m1', x2, y2, 'c2m2', ...)
```

Example:

```
x=[0:0.1:2*pi];
y=sin(x);
z=cos(x);
plot(x,y,x,z,'linewidth',2)
title('Sample Plot','fontsize',14);
xlabel('X values','fontsize',14);
ylabel('Y values','fontsize',14);
legend('Y data','Z data')
grid on
```

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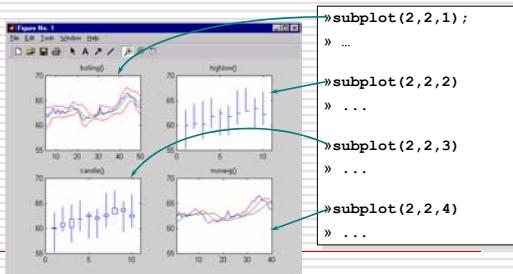
Sample Plot



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Subplots

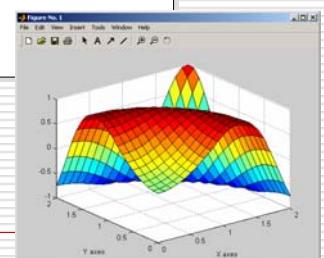
Syntax: `subplot(rows,cols,index)`



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Surface Plot Example

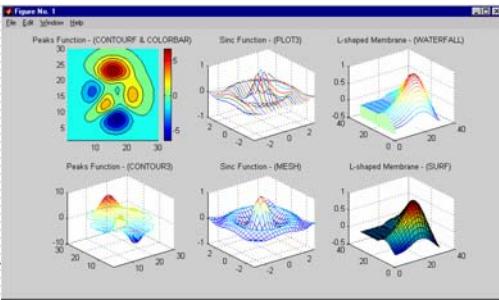
```
x = 0:0.1:2;
y = 0:0.1:2;
[xx, yy] = meshgrid(x,y);
zz=sin(xx.^2+yy.^2);
surf(xx,yy,zz)
xlabel('X axes')
ylabel('Y axes')
```



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3-D Surface Plotting

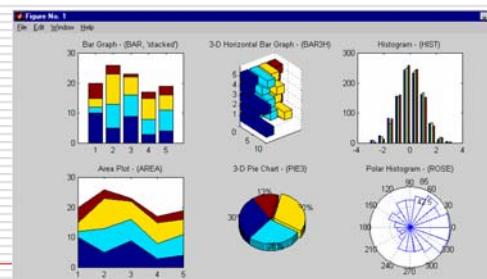
contourf-colorbar-plot3-waterfall-contour3-mesh-surf



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Specialized Plotting Routines

bar-bar3h-hist-area-pie3-rose



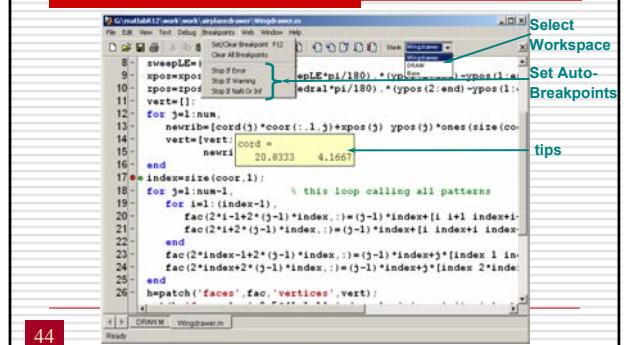
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Editing and Debugging M-Files

- What is an M-File?
- The Editor/Debugger
- Search Path
- Debugging M-Files
 - Types of Errors (*Syntax Error* and *Runtime Error*)
 - Using **keyboard** and “ ; ” statement
 - Setting Breakpoints
 - Stepping Through
 - Continue, Go Until Cursor, Step, Step In, Step Out
 - Examining Values
 - Selecting the Workspace
 - Viewing **Datatips** in the Editor/Debugger
 - Evaluating a Selection

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Debugging



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Programming and Debugging

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Script and Function Files

• Script Files

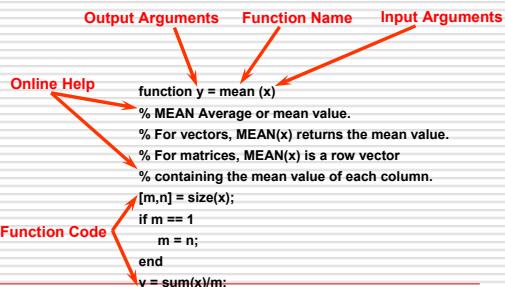
- Work as though you typed commands into MATLAB prompt
- Variable are stored in MATLAB workspace

• Function Files

- Let you make your own MATLAB Functions
- All variables within a function are **local**
- All information must be passed to functions as parameters
- Subfunctions are supported

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Basic Parts of a Function M-File



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Flow Control Statements

if Statement

```

if ((attendance >= 0.90) & (grade_average >= 60))
    pass = 1;
end;

```

while Loops

```

eps = 1;
while (1+eps) > 1
    eps = eps/2;
end
eps = eps*2

```

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Flow Control Statements for Loop

```

a = zeros(k,k) % Preallocate matrix
for m = 1:k
    for n = 1:k
        a(m,n) = 1/(m+n -1);
    end
end

```

switch Statement

```

method = 'Bilinear';
switch lower(method)
    case {'linear','bilinear'}
        disp('Method is linear')
    case 'cubic'
        disp('Method is cubic')
    otherwise
        disp('Unknown method.')
end

```

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M-file Programming Features

- SubFunctions
- Varying number of input/output arguments
- Local and Global Variables
- Obtaining User Input
 - Prompting for Keyboard Input
 - Pausing During Execution
- Errors and Warnings
 - Displaying error and warning Messages
- Shell Escape Functions (! Operator)
- Optimizing MATLAB Code
 - Vectorizing loops
 - Preallocating Arrays

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Function M-file

```

function r = ourrank(X,tol)
% rank of a matrix
s = svd(X);
if (nargin == 1)
    tol = max(size(X)) * s(1)* eps;
end
r = sum(s > tol);

function [mean,stdev] = ourstat(x)
    [m,n] = size(x);
    if m == 1
        m = n;
    end
    mean = sum(x)/m;
    stdev = sqrt(sum(x.^2)/m - mean.^2);

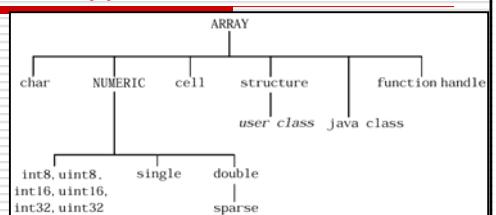
```

Multiple Input Arguments
use ()

Multiple Output Arguments, use []

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Data Types



- Numeric Arrays
- Multidimensional Arrays
- Structures and Cell Arrays

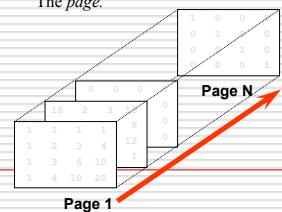
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Multidimensional Arrays

The first references array dimension 1, the row.

The second references dimension 2, the column.

The third references dimension 3, The *page*.



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```
>> A = pascal(4);
>> A(:,:,2) = magic(4)
A(:,:,1) =
1   1   1   1
1   2   3   4
1   3   6   10
1   4   10  20

A(:,:,2) =
16   2   3   13
5   11  10   8
9   7   6   12
4   14  15   1

>> A(:,:,9) =
diag(ones(1,4));
```

Structures

- Arrays with named data containers called *fields*.

```
patient
--.name----> 'John Doe'
--.billing---> 127.00
--.test----->
    test
      79 75 73
      180 178 177.5
      220 210 205;
```

```
>> patient.name='John Doe';
>> patient.billing = 127.00;
>> patient.test= [79 75 73;
180 178 177.5;
220 210 205];
```

• Also, Build structure arrays using the *struct* function.

- Array of *structures*

```
>> patient(2).name='Katty Thomson';
>> Patient(2).billing = 100.00;
>> Patient(2).test= [69 25 33; 120 128 177.5; 220
210 205];
```

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Cell Arrays

- Array for which the elements are *cells* and can hold other MATLAB arrays of different types.

```
>> A(1,1) = {[1 4 3;
0 5 8;
7 2 9]};
>> A(1,2) = {'Anne Smith'};
>> A(2,1) = {3+7i};
>> A(2,2) = {-pi:pi/10:pi};
```

cell 1,1	cell 1,2
1 4 3 0 5 8 7 2 9	Anne Smith
cell 2,1	cell 2,2
3+7i	[-pi:pi/10:pi]

- Using braces {} to point to elements of cell array
- Using *celldisp* function to display cell array

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Next Tutorial Session

- Image Processing Toolbox
- Movie Making
- Problem Set 1

Getting more help

- Contact <http://www.mathworks.com/support>
 - You can find more help and FAQ about mathworks products on this page.
- Getting started with Matlab
 - http://www.indiana.edu/~statmath/math/matlab/getting_started/index.html
- Matlab Primer
 - <http://math.ucsd.edu/~driver/21d-s99/matlab-primer.html>

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Questions?



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