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# Matlab basics I.

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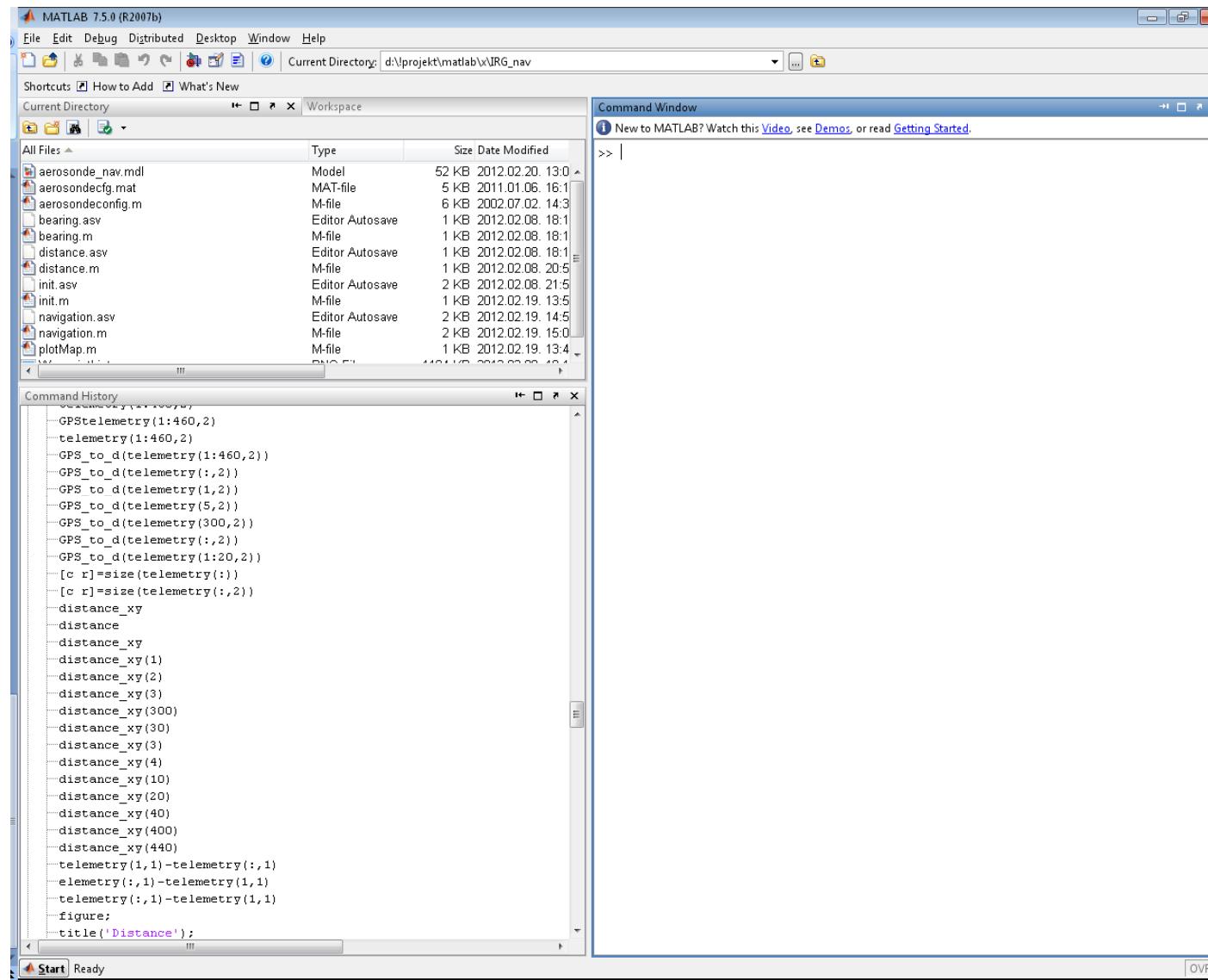


## Literature

- S. Gisbert: MATLAB, Typotex Kft, Budapest, 2005, ISBN 963 9548 49 9
  - (*Google Books*)
- *MATLAB help*



# Command Window



## First steps – the very basics

- Commands → Command Window
- More commands → .m file
- Importance of ;
  - If not used, execution and result is displayed
  - If used, execution and result is NOT displayed
- Comment %
- Indexing starts from 1
- Help help ☺



# Command Window

- Create a variable named *a*

```
a = 1
```

a = 1 → MATLAB immediately adds variable *a* to the workspace and displays the result in the Command Window.

- When you do not specify an output variable, MATLAB uses the variable *ans*, short for *answer*, to store the results of your calculation

```
sin(a)
```

ans = 0.8415 → The value of *ans* changes with every command that returns an output value that is not assigned to a variable.

If you end a statement with a semicolon, MATLAB performs the computation, but suppresses the display of output in the Command Window.

```
b = 2;
```



## Command Window

```
>> a=10
```

```
a =
```

```
10
```

```
>> A=1
```

```
A =
```

```
1
```

```
>> A+a
```

```
ans =
```

```
11
```

```
>> a= [0,1,2]
```

```
a =
```

```
0 1 2
```

```
>> a= [0,1,2]'
```

```
a =
```

```
0
```

```
1
```

```
2
```



## Command Window

```
>> M=[1,2,3;4,5,6;7,8,9]
```

```
M =
```

```
1 2 3  
4 5 6  
7 8 9
```



# Command Window

```
>> a= [0:0.1:1]'
```

```
a =
```

```
0  
0.1000  
0.2000  
0.3000  
0.4000  
0.5000  
0.6000  
0.7000  
0.8000  
0.9000  
1.0000
```



# Command Window

```
>> length(a)
```

```
ans =
```

```
11
```

```
>> b=-1
```

```
b =
```

```
-1
```

```
>> abs(b)
```

```
ans =
```

```
1
```



# Command Window

```
>> ones(3)
```

```
ans =
```

```
1 1 1  
1 1 1  
1 1 1
```

```
>> zeros(3)
```

```
ans =
```

```
0 0 0  
0 0 0  
0 0 0
```



## Command Window

```
>> a = rand(3)  
a =  
0.9649 0.9572 0.1419  
0.1576 0.4854 0.4218  
0.9706 0.8003 0.9157
```

```
>> a=a*10  
a =  
9.6489 9.5717 1.4189  
1.5761 4.8538 4.2176  
9.7059 8.0028 9.1574
```



## Command Window

```
>> a = rand(3,1)
```

```
a =
```

```
0.0357
```

```
0.8491
```

```
0.9340
```

```
>> a=a*10
```

```
a =
```

```
0.3571
```

```
8.4913
```

```
9.3399
```

```
>> min(a)
```

```
ans =
```

```
0.3571
```

```
>> max(a)
```

```
ans =
```

```
9.3399
```

```
>> size(a)
```

```
ans =
```

```
3 3
```



# .m files

## What is an m-file?

- an m-file, or script file, is a simple text file where you can place MATLAB commands
- all m-file names must end with the extension '.m' (e.g. test.m)

## Why use m-files?

- for simple problems, entering your requests at the MATLAB prompt is fast and efficient
- for long, complex problems m-files are very helpful and almost necessary

## How to run the m-file?

- after the m-file is saved with the name filename.m in the current MATLAB folder or directory, you can execute the commands in the m-file by simply typing filename at the MATLAB command window prompt



# Arithmetic Operators

Operator	Description
+	Addition
-	Subtraction
'	Complex conjugate transpose
*	Matrix multiplication
/	Matrix right division
\	Matrix left division
^	Matrix power

Operator	Description
.*	Multiplication
./	Right division
.\	Left division
.^	Power
.'	Transpose



# Relational Operators

Operator	Description
<	Less than
<=	Less than or equal to
>	Greater than
>=	Greater than or equal to
==	Equal to
~=	Not equal to



# Logical Operators

Operator	Description	Example
&	Returns 1 for every element location that is true (nonzero) in both arrays, and 0 for all other elements.	$A \& B = 01001$
	Returns 1 for every element location that is true (nonzero) in either one or the other, or both arrays, and 0 for all other elements.	$A   B = 11101$
~	Complements each element of the input array, A.	$\sim A = 10010$
xor	Returns 1 for every element location that is true (nonzero) in only one array, and 0 for all other elements.	$\text{xor}(A,B) = 10100$

- The examples shown in the following table use vector inputs A and B, where  
 $A = [0 1 1 0 1]; B = [1 1 0 0 1];$
- For operators and functions that take two array operands, (&, |, and xor), both arrays must have equal dimensions, with each dimension being the same size.



## who, whos, clear, clc

**who:** lists in alphabetical order all variables in the currently active workspace

Your variables are:

A      B      a      ans      b

**whos:** display information about all variables in the currently active workspace

Name	Size	Bytes	Class	Attributes
A	1x1	8	double	
B	1x1	8	double	
a	1x1	8	double	
ans	1x1	1	logical	
b	1x1	8	double	

**clear:** removes all variables from the current workspace, releasing them from system memory

**clc:** clears all input and output from the Command Window display, giving you a "clean screen."



# disp

**disp(X)**: displays the contents of X without printing the variable name. disp does not display empty variables

```
disp('text')
```

```
text
```

```
s= 'text'
```

```
s =
```

```
text
```

```
disp(s)
```

```
text
```



# Calculations on Vectors and Matrices

- Whereas some MATLAB functions support only vector inputs, others accept matrices.
- When your data is a vector, the result is the same whether the vector has a rowwise or columnwise orientation.
- When your data is a matrix where each row contains a data set,
  - ✓ you must transpose the matrix before proceeding with the data-analysis tasks to make the data sets have a columnwise orientation
  - ✓ eg. to transpose a real matrix A, use the syntax  $A'$ .



# Creating Vectors

- Enter each element of the vector (separated by a space) between brackets, and set it equal to a variable.

```
a = [1 2 3 4 5 6 9 8 7]
```

```
a =
```

```
1 2 3 4 5 6 9 8 7
```

- Create a vector with elements between 0 and 20 evenly spaced in increments of two (this method is frequently used to create a time vector):

```
t = 0:2:20
```

```
t =
```

```
0 2 4 6 8 10 12 14 16 18 20
```



# Manipulating Vectors

- Add 2 to each of the elements in the vector **a**

```
b = a + 2
```

b =

3 4 5 6 7 8 11 10 9

- Add two vectors together (if the two vectors are the same length)

```
c = a + b
```

c =

4 6 8 10 12 14 20 18 16

- Find the transpose of a vector using the apostrophe key

```
d = c'
```



# Creating Matrices

- The same as entering a vector, except each row of elements is separated by a semicolon ( ; ) or a return:

```
B = [ 1 2 3 4; 5 6 7 8; 9 10 11 12 ]
```

```
B = [ 1 2 3 4  
      5 6 7 8  
      9 10 11 12 ]
```

```
B = 1 2 3 4  
    5 6 7 8  
    9 10 11 12
```



# Manipulating Matrices

- Find the transpose of a matrix using the apostrophe key

```
C = B'
```

```
C = 1 5 9  
     2 6 10  
     3 7 11  
     4 8 12
```



# Manipulating Matrices

- Multiply the two matrices  $B$  and  $C$  together. Remember that order matters when multiplying matrices!

$$D = B * C$$

$$D = C * B$$

$$\begin{matrix} D = & 30 & 70 & 110 \\ & 70 & 174 & 278 \\ & 110 & 278 & 446 \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} D = & 107 & 122 & 137 & 152 \\ & 122 & 140 & 158 & 176 \\ & 137 & 158 & 179 & 200 \\ & 152 & 176 & 200 & 224 \end{matrix}$$



# Manipulating Matrices

- Multiply the corresponding elements of two matrices using the `. *`  operator (the matrices must be the same size to do this)

```
E = [ 1 2; 3 4 ]
```

```
F = [ 2 3; 4 5 ]
```

```
G = E .* F
```

```
E = 1 2  
      3 4
```

```
F = 2 3  
      4 5
```

```
G = 2   6  
     12 20
```



# Manipulating Matrices

- Multiply the matrix by itself (the matrix must be a square matrix)

```
E.^3
```

```
ans =
```

```
37 54  
81 118
```

- To cube each element in the matrix, just use the element-by-element cubing

```
E.^3
```

```
ans =
```

```
1 8  
27 64
```



# Manipulating Matrices

- Find the inverse of a matrix

```
X = inv(E)
```

X =

```
-2.0000 1.0000  
1.5000 -0.5000
```

- Find the eigenvalues of a matrix

```
eig(E)
```

ans =

```
-0.3723  
5.3723
```



## zeros, ones, eye, rand

**zeros(n)**: returns an n-by-n matrix of zeros (**zeros** returns the scalar 0)

```
zeros( 2 )
```

```
ans =
```

```
0     0  
0     0
```

**ones(n)**: returns an n-by-n matrix of ones (**ones** returns the scalar 1)

```
ones( 2 )
```

```
ans =
```

```
1     1  
1     1
```

**eye(n)**: returns an n-by-n identity matrix with ones on the main diagonal and zeros elsewhere (**eye** returns the scalar 1)

```
eye( 2 )
```

```
ans =
```

```
1     0  
0     1
```

**rand(n)**: returns an n-by-n matrix containing pseudorandom values drawn from the standard uniform distribution on the open interval (0,1).

```
rand( 2 )
```

```
ans =
```

```
0.8147    0.1270  
0.9058    0.9134
```



## Elements of a matrix

`a (:)` each element - 1D

`a (:, :)` each element - 2D

`a = (1,1)` 1,1 element

`a = (:, 1)` 1. column

`a = (1, :)` 1. row

`d = size(X)` returns the sizes of each dimension of array **X** in a vector *d*

`[m,n] = size(X)` returns the size of matrix **X** in separate variables *m* and *n*

`length(vector)` returns the length of the vector

`length(array)` finds the number of elements along the largest dimension of an array



# if, elseif, else, end

```
if expression  
    statements  
elseif expression  
    statements  
else  
    statements  
end
```

- if *expression*, *statements*, end evaluates an expression, and executes a group of statements when the expression is true.
- elseif and else are optional, and execute statements only when previous expressions in the if block are false; an if block can include multiple elseif statements
- an evaluated expression is true when the result is nonempty and contains all nonzero elements (logical or real numeric); otherwise, the expression is false.
- expressions can include relational operators (such as < or ==) and logical operators (such as &&, ||, or ~)



# for, while

```
for index = values  
    program statements  
    :  
end
```

- repeatedly executes one or more MATLAB statements in a loop

```
for s = 1.0: -0.1: 0.0  
    disp(s)  
end
```

- step by increments of -0.1, and display the step values

```
while expression  
    statements  
end
```

- repeatedly executes one or more MATLAB program *statements* in a loop as long as an expression remains true



# Importing Data

## MATLAB Import Wizard

✓ you can import the following types of data sources:

- Text files, such as .txt and .dat
- MAT-files
- Spreadsheet files, such as .xls
- Graphics files, such as .gif and .jpg
- Audio and video files, such as .avi and .wav



# Loading Data

```
load count.dat
```

- import data into MATLAB using the `load` function
- loading this data creates a 24-by-3 matrix called `count` in the MATLAB workspace

```
[n,p] = size(count)
```

n =

24

p =

3

- get the size of the data matrix
- $n$  represents the number of rows, and  $p$  represents the number of columns



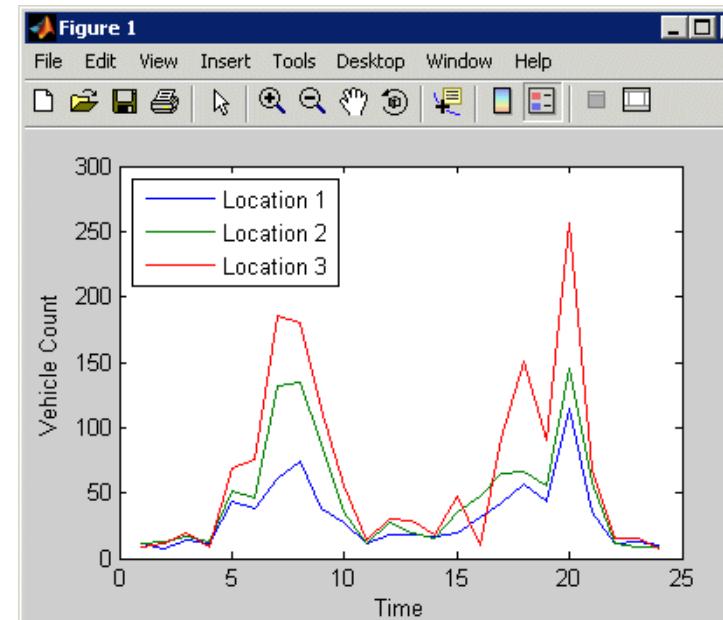
# Plotting Data

```
t = 1:n;
```

- create a time vector,  $t$ , containing integers from 1 to  $n$

```
plot(t,count),  
legend('Location 1','Location 2','Location 3',2)  
xlabel('Time'), ylabel('Vehicle Count')
```

- plot the data as a function of time,
- and annotate the plot



# Exercise 1

## Calculating $\pi$ with Leibniz series

$$\frac{\pi}{4} = 1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{7} + \dots$$

```
format long
iterPi = 10000000; % iteration
erLeibniz = 1; %1. element of the series
for i = 3:4:iterPi
    erLeibniz = erLeibniz - (1.0 / i) + (1.0 / (i +
2));
end

disp('Eredmény: ')
erLeibniz=erLeibniz*4

disp('Pi:')
pi
```

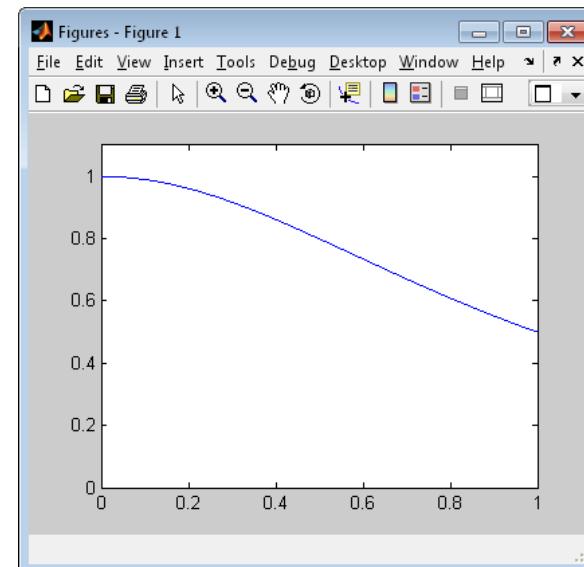


## Exercise 2

Calculating  $\pi$  with  $\frac{1}{1+x^2}$  area under the function

$$\int_0^1 \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{\pi}{4} \approx 0.785398$$

```
x=[ 0:0.001:1 ] ;  
y= 1 ./ (1+x.^2) ;  
plot(x,y)  
xlim( [ 0 1 ] ) ;  
ylim( [ 0 1.1 ] ) ;
```



## Exercise 2

Calculating  $\pi$  with  $\frac{1}{1+x^2}$  area under the function

myfun.m:

```
function y = myfun(x)
y= 1./(1+x.^2) *4;
```

```
>> quad(@myfun, 0, 1)
```

ans =

3.141592682924567



## Exercise 2

**Calculating  $\pi$  with  $\frac{1}{1+x^2}$  area under the function**

```
format long
iterPi = 10000000; % iteration
x=0;
width = 1 / iterPi;
erFuggvenyTer = 0;

for i = 0:iterPi
    x = (i + 0.5) * width;
    erFuggvenyTer = erFuggvenyTer + 4 / (1 + x * x);
end

disp('1/(1+n^2) alatti terület : ')
erFuggvenyTer*width

disp('Pi:')
pi
```



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