



AN INTRODUCTION TO MATLAB

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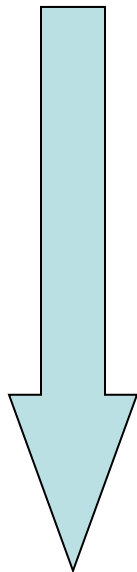
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CHAPTER 1

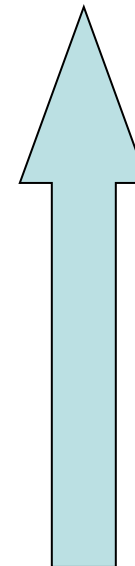
PROLOGUE

FIRST...WHERE IS MATLAB W/R/T PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES?



Increasing
program size
(fairly objective)

- **Matlab** (“scripting language”)
- Python
- Java
- Fortran, C, C++
- Assembly language
- **Machine code (binary!)**



Increasing
ease-of-use
(fairly subjective)

WHY MATLAB?

“Softer” Reasons . . .

- Most scientists and engineers know it
- Widely used in industry, academia and government
- Easy to learn (it’s a “scripting” language)
- **LOTS** of pre-developed application packages
- Very good technical support/user community

“Harder” Reasons . . .

- Excellent graphics capabilities
- Includes many modern numerical methods
- Optimized for scientific modeling
- Usually, **FAST** matrix operations
- Interfaces well with other languages

WHAT WE PLAN TO STUDY: The Building Blocks of Programs

- Sequence
 - ASSIGNMENT: single variables
 - ASSIGNMENT: vectors and matrices (arrays)
- Repetition
 - ITERATION (FOR loops, WHILE loops, and the all-important double nested FOR loops – DNFL)
- Selection
 - SELECTION (IF statements, single and multi-way)

WHAT THE EXPERTS HAVE SAID:

“The only way to learn a new programming language is by writing programs in it.”

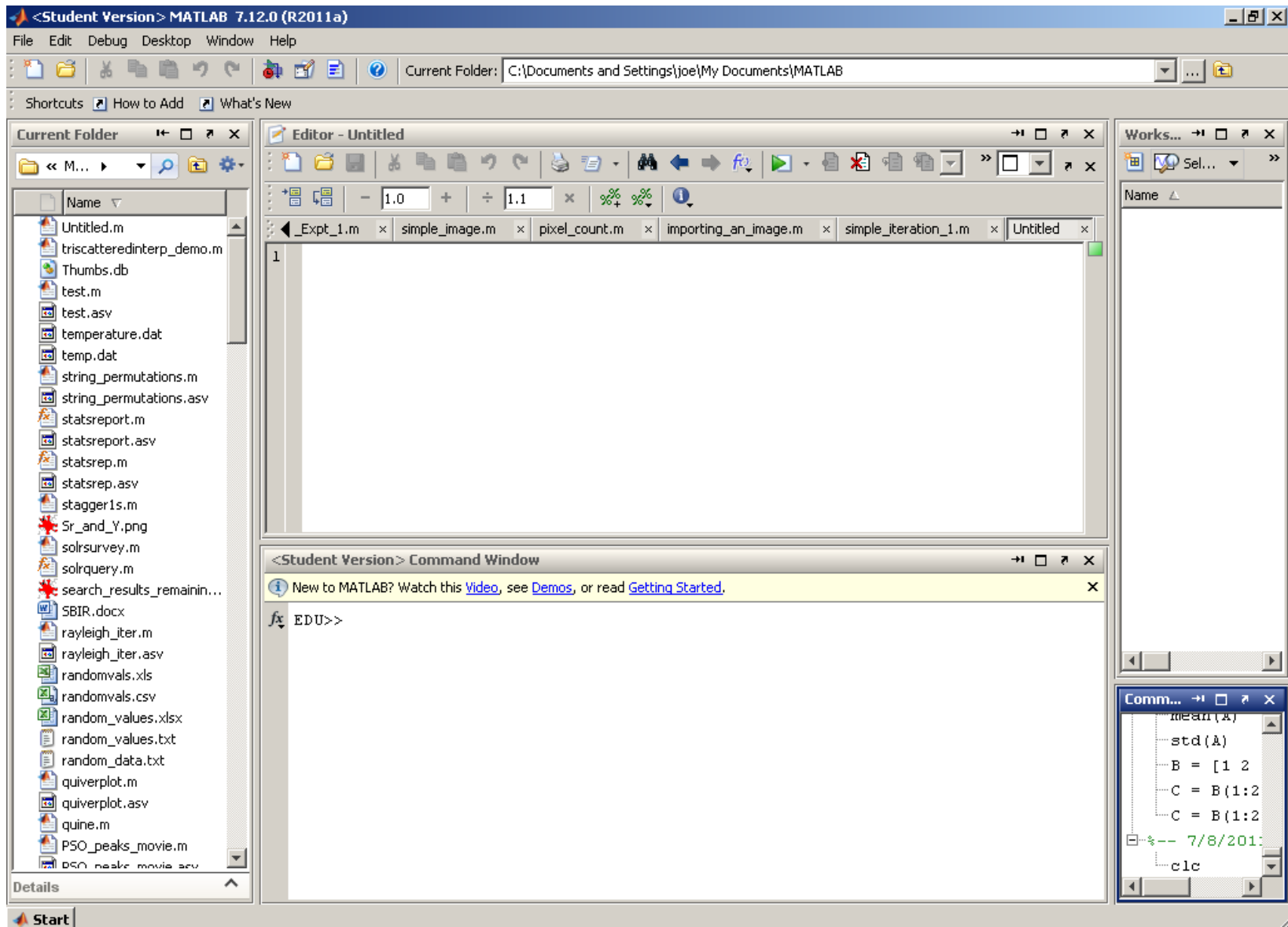
Brian Kernighan & Dennis Richie
“The C Programming Language”

[NOTE: red emphasis added]

CHAPTER 2

THE MATLAB ENVIRONMENT

THE MATLAB DESKTOP



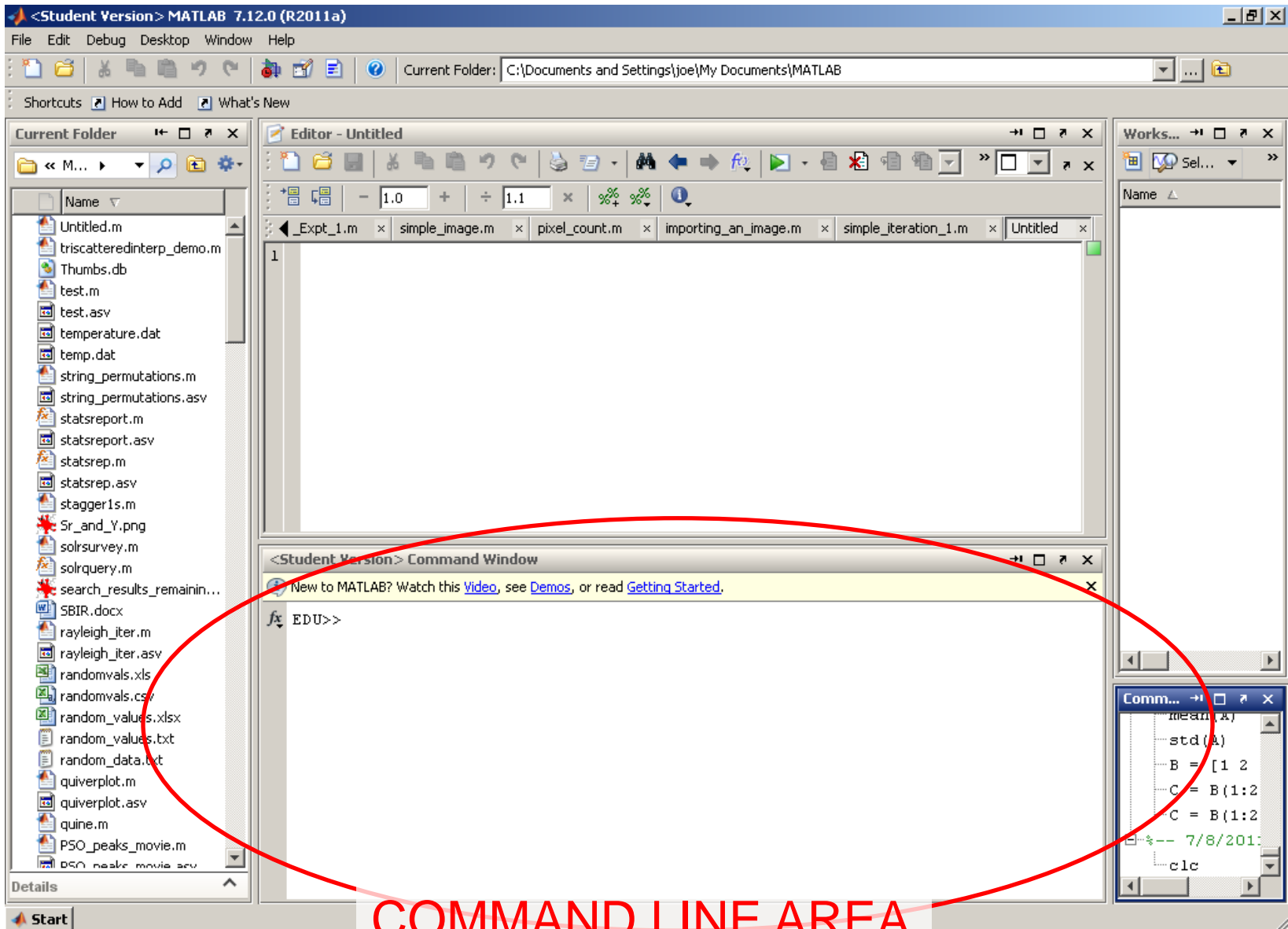
The screenshot displays the MATLAB 7.12.0 (R2011a) Student Version desktop environment. The interface is organized into several key components:

- Menu Bar:** Includes File, Edit, Debug, Desktop, Window, and Help.
- Toolbar:** Contains icons for file operations (New, Open, Save, Print) and MATLAB-specific functions (Run, Stop, Help).
- Current Folder:** Shows the path C:\Documents and Settings\joe\My Documents\MATLAB.
- Current Folder Panel:** A file explorer on the left showing a list of files and folders, including 'Untitled.m', 'triscatteredinterp_demo.m', 'Thumbs.db', 'test.m', 'test.asv', 'temperature.dat', 'temp.dat', 'string_permutations.m', 'string_permutations.asv', 'statsreport.m', 'statsreport.asv', 'statsrep.m', 'statsrep.asv', 'stagger1s.m', 'Sr_and_Y.png', 'solrsurvey.m', 'solrquery.m', 'search_results_remainin...', 'SBIR.docx', 'rayleigh_iter.m', 'rayleigh_iter.asv', 'randomvals.xls', 'randomvals.csv', 'random_values.xlsx', 'random_values.txt', 'random_data.txt', 'quiverplot.m', 'quiverplot.asv', 'quine.m', 'PSO_peaks_movie.m', and 'PSO_peaks_movie.asv'.
- Editor - Untitled:** The central workspace for writing MATLAB code. It features a toolbar with icons for file operations and mathematical functions. The code area shows a single line of code: '1'. The title bar indicates the current folder is 'C:\Documents and Settings\joe\My Documents\MATLAB'.
- Command Window:** Located at the bottom, it displays the MATLAB prompt 'EDU>' and a message: 'New to MATLAB? Watch this [Video](#), see [Demos](#), or read [Getting Started](#).' Below the message, there is a scrollable area for command history.
- Worksheets Panel:** Located on the right, it shows a list of open worksheets, currently empty.
- Command Window (Bottom Right):** A separate window showing MATLAB code execution results:


```

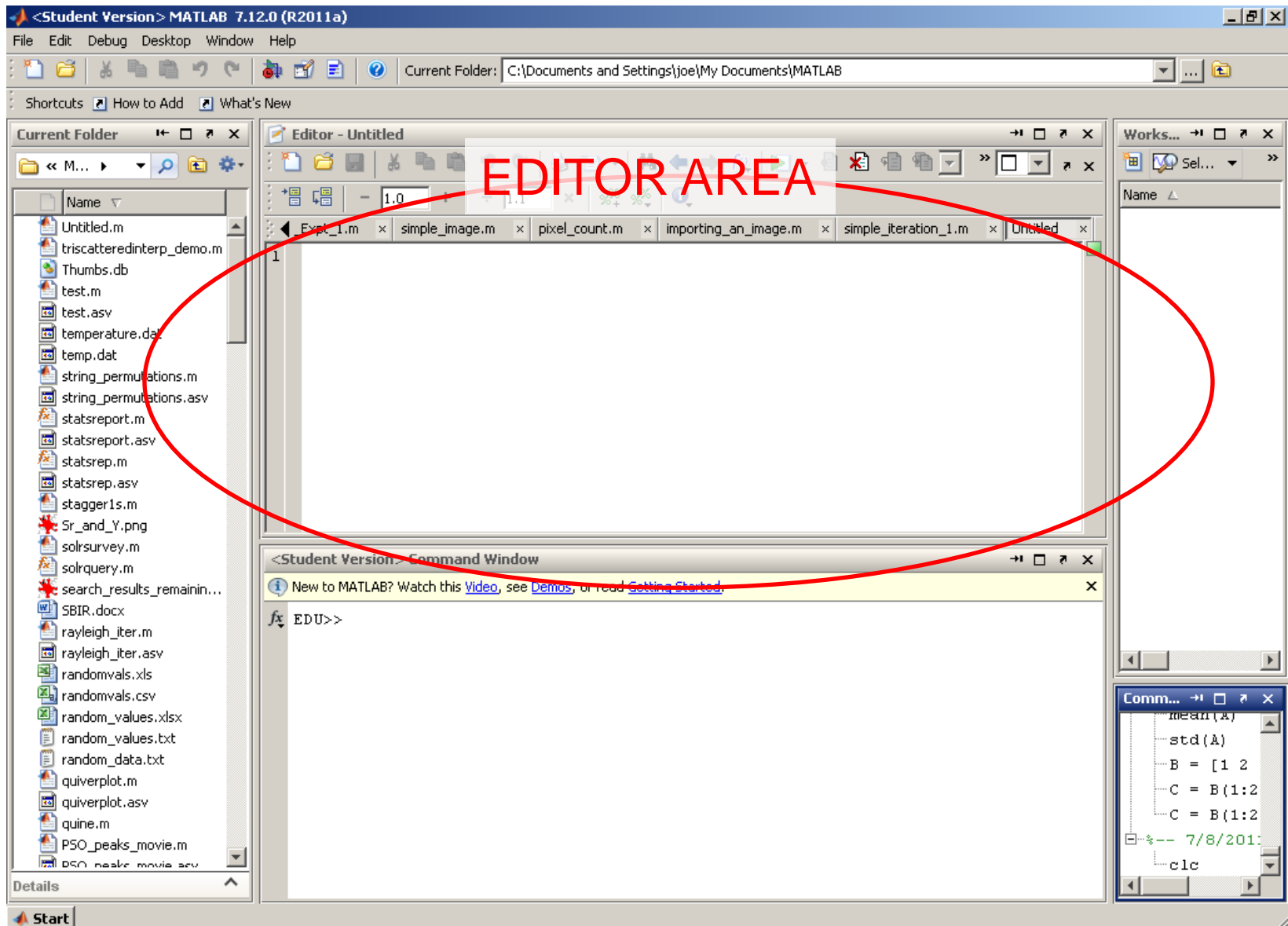
      mean(A)
      std(A)
      B = [1 2
          C = B(1:2
          C = B(1:2
      %-- 7/8/2011
      clc
      
```

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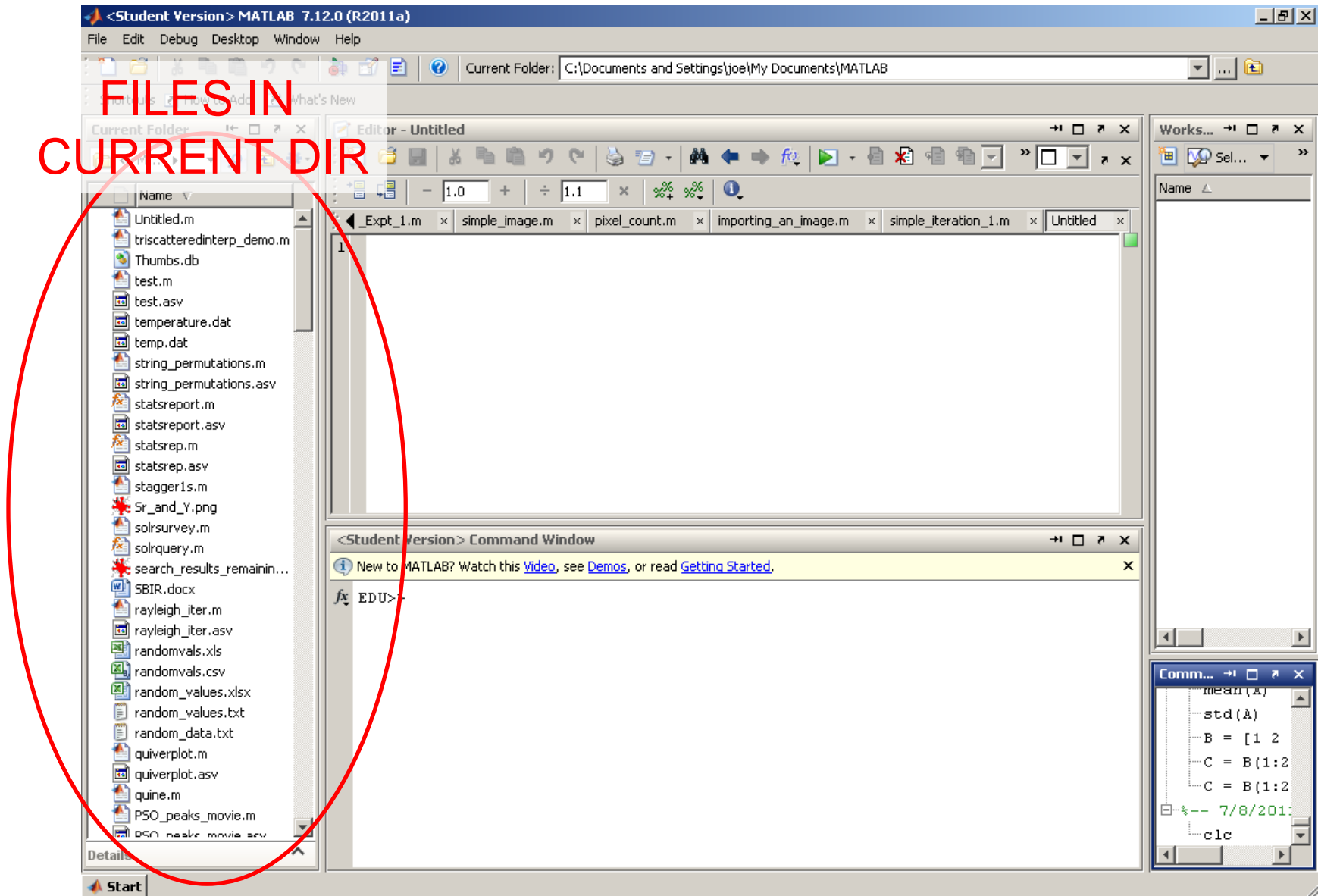


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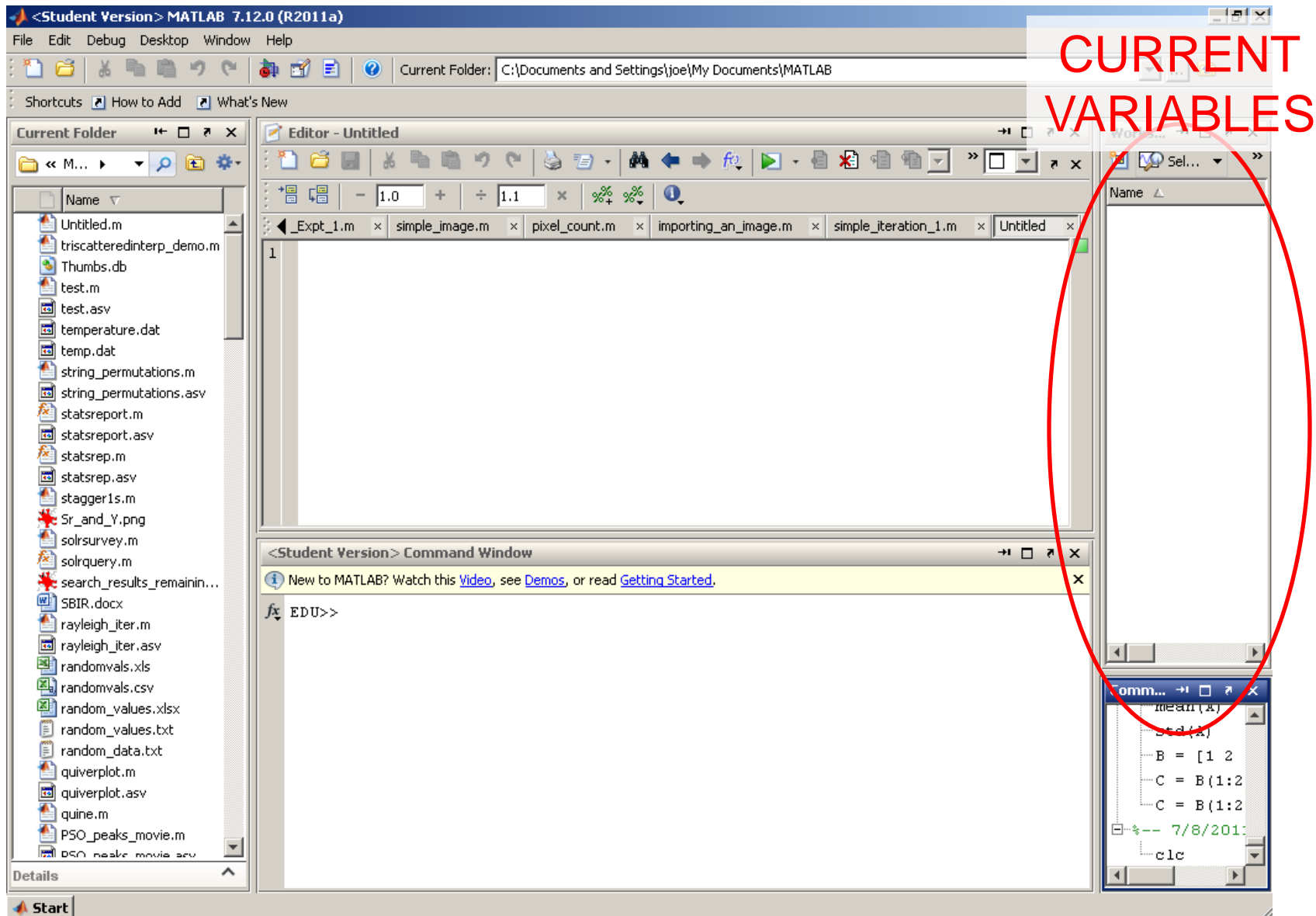
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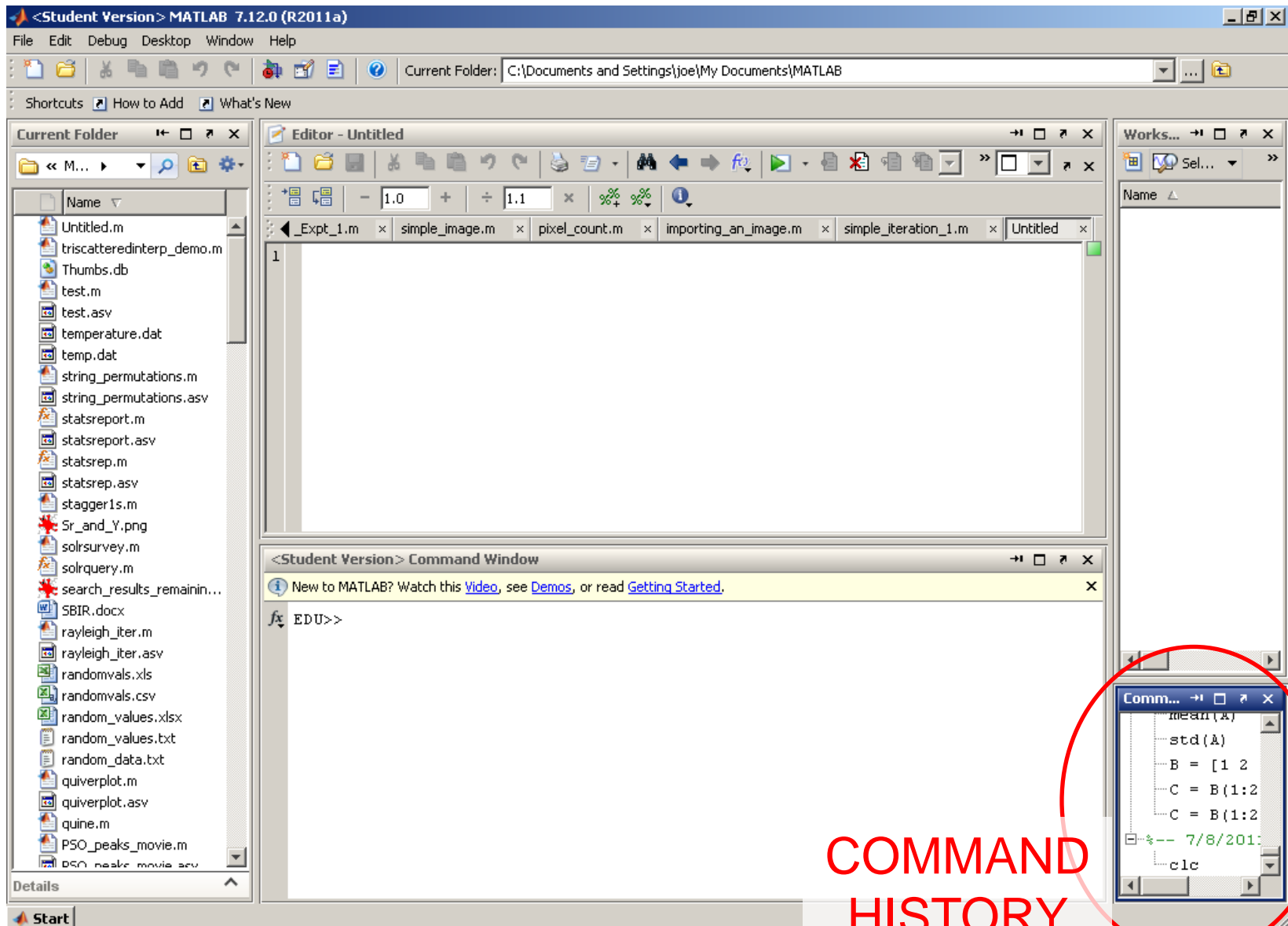
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CHAPTER 3

ASSIGNMENT and INTRINSIC FUNCTIONS

ASSIGNMENT: VARIABLES

- Think of a labeled box. We can put “stuff” inside that box. “Stuff” here means ***values***.
- Box labels have names written on them.
- Those names enable us to refer to specific boxes, at a later time, as needed – to go straight to them.
- These **labeled boxes** are what we call **variables**. A variable is a labeled memory box.
- Putting “stuff” inside that box is called **assigning a value to a variable**, or simply, **assignment**.

ASSIGNMENT: VARIABLES

- “MATLAB variable names must begin with a letter, which may be followed by any combination of letters, digits, and underscores. MATLAB distinguishes between uppercase and lowercase characters, so `A` and `a` are not the same variable.”

(http://www.mathworks.com/help/techdoc/matlab_prog/f0-38052.html)

- Valid variable names:

`A`, `a`, `Aa`, `abc123`, `a_b_c_123`

- Invalid variable names:

`1A`, `_abc`, `?variable`, `abc123?`

ASSIGNMENT: VARIABLES

- To do assignment in Matlab:
 1. Write a variable name
 2. Write the “=” symbol
 3. Write the value that you want to store in the variable

- Examples:

`A = 5`

(an integer value)

`a123 = 1.0`

(a floating point value)

`abc_123 = 1.0e-02`

(an exponential value)

`myVariable = 'Joe'`

(a string value)

ASSIGNMENT: VARIABLES


Rules of Assignment:

- The “=” symbol **DOES NOT MEAN EQUALS!** It means assignment: Assign the *value on the right* of the “=” symbol to the *variable on the left* of the “=” symbol.
- To access what’s “in the box”—that is, the value currently held by the variable—simply type the name of the variable alone on a line.

ASSIGNMENT: VARIABLES

REMEMBER:

- Value on the right of “=” gets stored into variable on the left of “=”:


var1 = 5.0

- Example: Valid assignment (creates var2, assigns it the **value contained in var1**):

var2 = var1

- Example: Invalid assignment (generates error: **var3 not previously declared** – holds no value)

var2 = var3

ASSIGNMENT: VARIABLES

- **Rules of Assignment (cont):**
 - Variables can be used in assignment statements to assign values to other variables: Since placing a variable on the right side of “=” retrieves its current value, we can subsequently assign that value to yet another variable:

`var1 = 3.0` (assigns the value 3.0 to var1)

`var2 = var1` (retrieves 3.0 from var1 and stores that value into var2)

- We can do math with variables, too:

Examples:

<code>var3 = var2 + var1</code>	(here, 3.0 + 3.0)
<code>var4 = var3 * var2</code>	(here, 6.0 * 3.0)
<code>var5 = var4 / var1</code>	(here, 18.0 / 3.0)
<code>var6 = var2 ^ var1</code>	(here, 3.0 ^ 3.0)

ASSIGNMENT: VARIABLES

- **Rules of Assignment (cont):**
 - We can also “update” a variable by constantly reassigning new values to it. Updating a variable by adding 1 to it, and then assigning the new value back into the same variable is called “incrementing”. Example:

```
var7 = 1  
var7 = var7 + 1
```

Incrementing a variable is a **VERY IMPORTANT** thing to do, because, doing so enables us to **count** effectively.

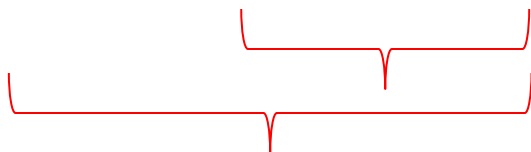
ASSIGNMENT: VARIABLES

- **Rules of Arithmetic Operator Precedence:**

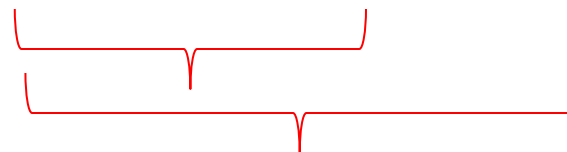
- The preceding arithmetic examples raise a question: In what order are the arithmetic operations performed in an assignment statement?
- Like in algebra: Anything in parentheses first, followed by exponentiation, followed by multiplication/division, followed by addition/subtraction

Examples:

`var3 = var2 + var1 * var4`



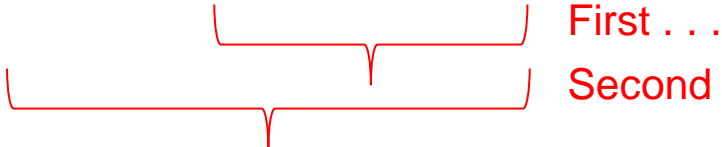
`var3 = (var2 + var1) * var4`

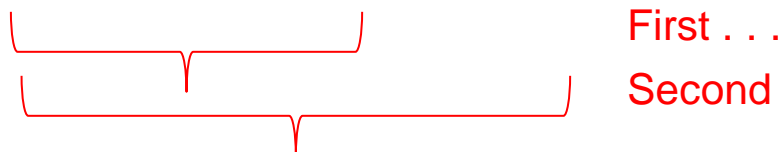


ASSIGNMENT: VARIABLES

- Rules of Arithmetic Operator Precedence :

Examples:

$$\text{var3} = \text{var2} + \text{var1} * \text{var4}$$


$$\text{var3} = (\text{var2} + \text{var1}) * \text{var4}$$


But what if the operators are of equal precedence?

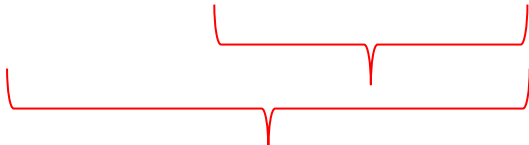
$$\text{var3} = \text{var2} / \text{var1} * \text{var4}$$

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ASSIGNMENT: VARIABLES

- Rules of Arithmetic Operator Precedence :

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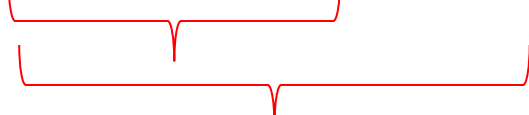
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A red bracket underlines the expression $\text{var1} * \text{var4}$, labeled "First ...". A second, larger red bracket underlines the entire expression $\text{var2} + \text{var1} * \text{var4}$, labeled "Second".

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When operators are of equal precedence, associate **LEFT TO RIGHT**:

$$\text{var3} = \text{var2} / \text{var1} * \text{var4}$$


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ASSIGNMENT: VARIABLES

- Rules of Arithmetic Operator Precedence :

Examples: `var3 = var2 / var1 / var4 / var5 / var6`

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`var3 = var2 * var1 - var4 / var5 + var6`

???

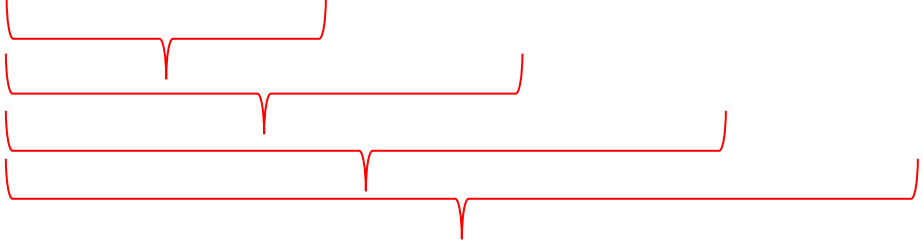
`var3 = var2 / var1 * var4 / var5 ^ var6`

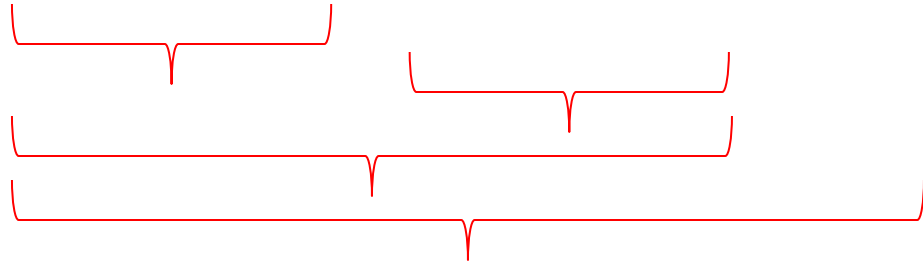
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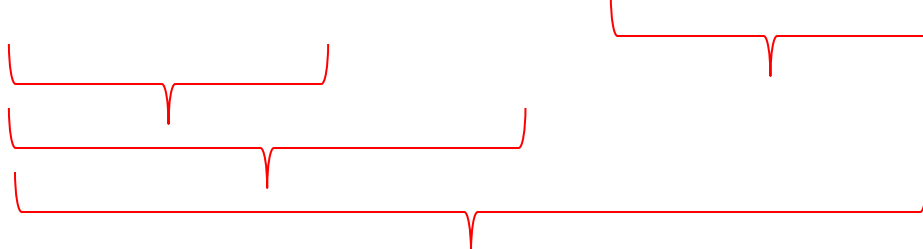
ASSIGNMENT: VARIABLES

- Rules of Arithmetic Operator Precedence :

Examples:

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The diagram shows four red brackets under the expression $\text{var2} / \text{var1} / \text{var4} / \text{var5} / \text{var6}$. The first bracket is under $\text{var2} / \text{var1}$. The second bracket is under $\text{var2} / \text{var1} / \text{var4}$. The third bracket is under $\text{var2} / \text{var1} / \text{var4} / \text{var5}$. The fourth bracket is under the entire expression $\text{var2} / \text{var1} / \text{var4} / \text{var5} / \text{var6}$. This illustrates that division is performed from left to right.

$$\text{var3} = \text{var2} * \text{var1} - \text{var4} / \text{var5} + \text{var6}$$
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APPEARANCE OF OUTPUT

- We can change the way numbers are printed to the screen by using Matlab's "format" command, followed by the appropriate directive, "short" or "long" (the format directive is *persistent!*)

```
>> pi
>> ans = 3.1416

>> format short
>> pi
>> ans = 3.1416

>> format long
>> pi
>> ans = 3.141592653589793

>> sqrt(2)
>> ans = 1.414213562373095
```

SOME BUILT-IN FUNCTIONS

Here are a few of Matlab's built-in (intrinsic) functions, to get you started:

π :

```
>> pi  
>> ans = 3.1416
```

sine(x):

```
>> sin(pi)  
>> ans = 1.2246e-016
```

e^N :

```
>> exp(1)  
>> ans = 2.7183
```

\sqrt{N} :

```
>> sqrt(2)  
>> ans = 1.4142
```

cosine(x):

```
>> cos(pi)  
>> ans = -1
```

natural log (N):

```
>> log(2)  
>> ans = 0.6931
```

remainder ($\frac{a}{b}$):

```
>> mod(5,2)  
>> ans = 1
```

tangent(x):

```
>> tan(pi)  
>> ans = 1.2246e-016
```

base 10 log (N):

```
>> log10(2)  
>> ans = 0.3010
```

SOME BUILT-IN FUNCTIONS

We can use Matlab's built-in functions on the right hand side of an assignment statement, to produce a value that we then assign to a variable:

π :

```
>> x = pi
>> x = 3.1416
```

sine(x):

```
>> x = sin(pi)
>> x = 1.2246e-016
```

e^N :

```
>> x = exp(1)
>> x = 2.7183
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INTERLUDE: FOCUS ON “MOD”

remainder ($\frac{a}{b}$):

```
>> x = mod(5, 2)
```

```
>> x = 1
```

The “mod” function is very important. It comes up again and again, and is quite useful.

It is simply this: The **INTEGER remainder** after long division.

Remember long division, and the remainder?

INTERLUDE: FOCUS ON “MOD”

“Ten divided by three is three remainder one”

or

$$\mathbf{\text{mod}(10,3) = 1}$$

“Twelve divided by seven is one remainder five”

or,

$$\mathbf{\text{mod}(12,7) = 5}$$

INTERLUDE: FOCUS ON “MOD” (cont)

“Eight divided by two is three remainder zero”

or

$$\text{mod}(8,2) = 0$$

“Twenty nine divided by three is nine remainder two”

or,

$$\text{mod}(29,3) = 2$$

INTERLUDE: FOCUS ON “MOD” (cont)

“Three divided by five is zero remainder three”

or

$$\text{mod}(3,5) = 3$$

“Eight divided by eleven is zero remainder eight”

or,

$$\text{mod}(8,11) = 8$$

INTERLUDE: FOCUS ON “MOD” YOUR TURN!

$\text{mod}(8,3) = ???$ (in words, then the value)

$\text{mod}(4,5) = ???$ (in words, then the value)

$\text{mod}(4,2) = ???$ (in words, then the value)

$\text{mod}(10,7) = ???$ (in words, then the value)

$\text{mod}(10,5) = ???$ (in words, then the value)

$\text{mod}(10,2) = ???$ (in words, then the value)

INTERLUDE: FOCUS ON “MOD” YOUR TURN! (ANSWERS)

mod(8,3) : “Eight divided by three is two remainder two”

mod(4,5) : “Four divided by five is zero remainder four”

mod(4,2) : “Four divided by two is two remainder zero”

mod(10,7) : “Ten divided by seven is one remainder three”

mod(10,5) : “Ten divided by five is two remainder zero”

mod(10,2) : “Ten divided by two is five remainder zero”

INTERLUDE: FOCUS ON “MOD” YOUR TURN! (ANSWERS)

$$\text{mod}(8,3) = 2$$

$$\text{mod}(4,5) = 4$$

$$\text{mod}(4,2) = 0$$

$$\text{mod}(10,7) = 3$$

$$\text{mod}(10,5) = 0$$

$$\text{mod}(10,2) = 0$$



Decimal to Binary Conversion Function

```
>>dec2bin(16)
```

```
>>dec2bin(1024)
```

```
>>dec2bin(1023)
```

ASSIGNMENT: YOUR TURN!

Example 1: Create a variable called **x** and assign it the value 3. Create another variable called **y** and assign it the value 4. Compute the product of **x** and **y**, and assign the result to a third variable called **z**.

Example 2: Now square **z**, and assign the result to a fourth variable called **a**. Take the base 10 logarithm of **z** and assign that to a fifth variable called **b**. Reassign the value of **b** to **x**. Cube **b**, and assign the result to a sixth variable called **c**.

Example 3: Print out the final values of **x**, **y**, **z**, **a**, **b** and **c**.

ASSIGNMENT: YOUR TURN! (ANSWERS)

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```
x = 3;  
y = 4;  
z = x * y;
```

NOTE: A semi-colon at the end of a Matlab statement suppresses output, i.e., tells Matlab to “be quiet!”

ASSIGNMENT: YOUR TURN! (ANSWERS)

Example 2: Now square **z**, and assign the result to a fourth variable called **a**. Take the base 10 logarithm of **z** and assign that to a fifth variable called **b**. Reassign **x** the value of **b**. Cube **b**, and assign the result to a sixth variable called **c**.

$$a = z^2;$$

$$b = \log_{10}(z);$$

$$x = b;$$

$$c = b^3;$$

ASSIGNMENT: YOUR TURN! (ANSWERS)

Example 3: Print out the final values of **x**, **y**, **z**, **a**, **b** and **c**.

x
y
z
a
b
c



NOTE: Since a semi-colon at the end of a Matlab statement suppresses output, to get printed output, simply don't put a semi-colon at the end.

We stopped here on

February 14, 2013



February 19, 2013

Review

Question:

Use Matlab to do the following operation

- (1) Assign $A = 7$**
- (2) Assign $B = 236$**
- (3) Find $A * B$**
- (4) Find $B \text{ mod } A$**
- (5) Find $\sin(A)$**
- (6) Find $\log_{10}(B)$**
- (7) Find $\ln(B)$**
- (8) Find e^A**
- (9) Find $A + B + A^2 + B^{1/2}$**

Review

Answer

(1) `>> A = 7`

(2) `>> B = 236`

(3) `>> A * B`

`% ans = 1652`

(4) `>> mod(B, A)`

`% ans = 5`

(5) `>> sin(A)`

`% ans = 0.6570`

(6) `>> log10(B)`

`% ans = 2.3729`

(7) `>> log(B)`

`% ans = 5.4638`

(8) `>> exp(A)`

`% ans = 1.0966e+03`

(9) `>> A + B + A^2 + sqrt(B) % ans = 307.3623`

CHAPTER 4

VECTORS
and
VECTOR OPERATIONS

VECTORS

- Think of a “VECTOR” as a bunch of values, all lined up (here we have a “**row vector**”):

Vector **A**:

1	2	3	4	5
---	---	---	---	---

- We create **row vector** A like this (all three ways of writing the assignment statement are equivalent):

A = [1 2 3 4 5];

A = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5];

A = [1:5];

NOT: A = [1-5];



VECTORS

- Vectors are convenient, because by assigning a vector to a variable, we can manipulate the ENTIRE collection of numbers in the vector, just by referring to the variable name.
- So, if we wanted to add the value 3 to each of the values inside the vector A, we would do this:

$$A + 3$$

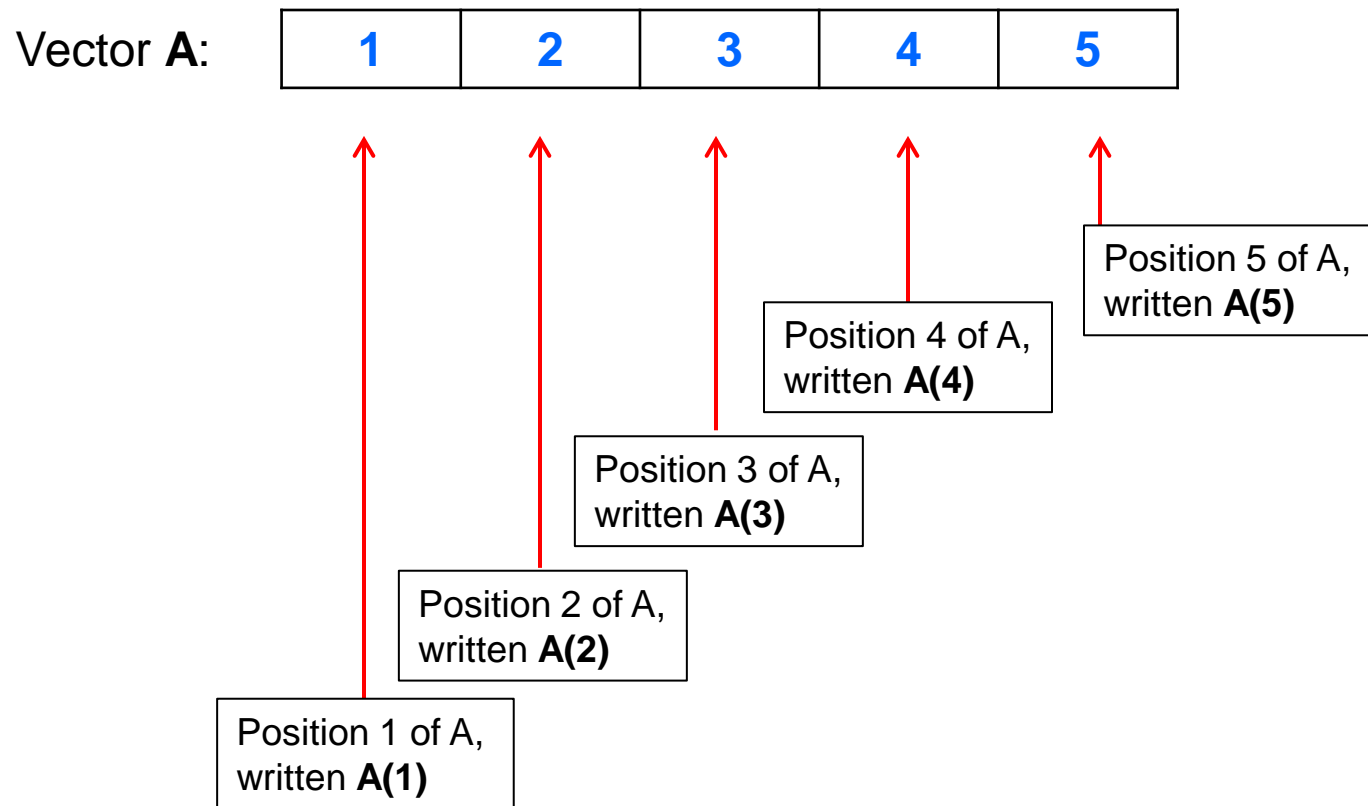
Which accomplishes this:

A + 3:

1+3	2+3	3+3	4+3	5+3
4	5	6	7	8

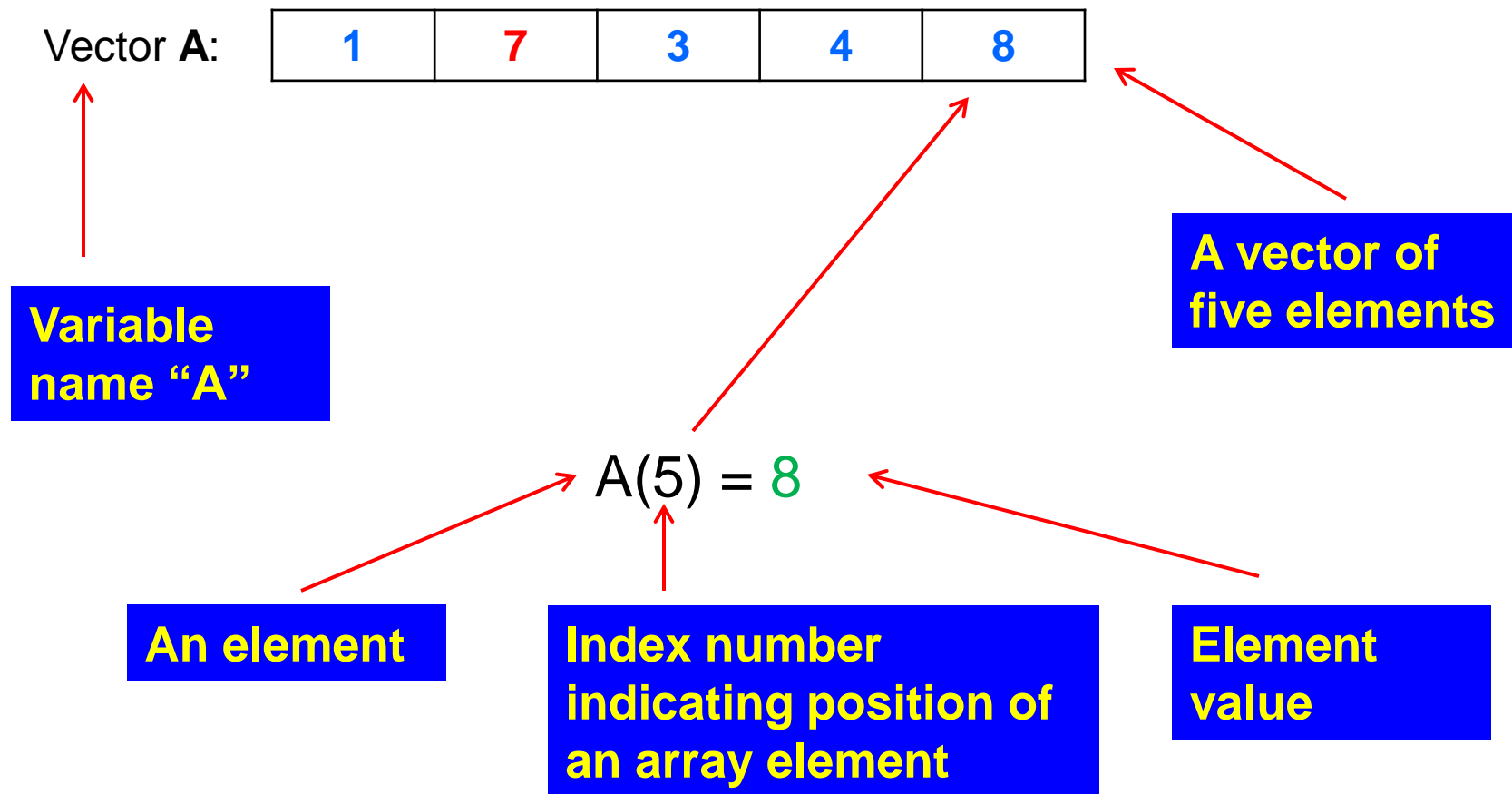
VECTORS

- We can refer to EACH POSITION of a vector, using what's called “subscript notation” or “index notation”



VECTORS

```
>> A=[1,7,3,4,10] ; %comment: assign values of a vector
```



VECTORS

- **KEY POINT:** Each POSITION of a vector can act like an independent variable. So, for example, we can reassign different values to individual positions.

Before the first assignment:

Vector **A**:

1	2	3	4	5
---	---	---	---	---



$$A(2) = 7;$$

After the first assignment:

Vector **A**:

1	7	3	4	5
---	---	---	---	---


VECTORS

- **KEY POINT:** Each POSITION of a vector can act like an independent variable. So, for example, we can reassign different values to individual positions.

Before the second assignment:

Vector **A**:

1	7	3	4	5
---	---	---	---	---


$$A(5) = 8;$$

After the second assignment:

Vector **A**:

1	7	3	4	8
---	---	---	---	---

VECTORS

- **ANOTHER KEY POINT:** Because each position in a vector can act like an independent variable, we can do all the things with vector positions that we can do with independent variables like we did previously with **x**, **y**, **z**, **a**, **b** and **c**.

Vector **A**:

1	7	3	4	8
---	---	---	---	---

So, given vector **A** above, if we type “**A(3)**” at Matlab’s command line, we will get the value **3** returned:

```
EDU>> A(3)
```

```
ans =
```

```
3
```

VECTORS: YOUR TURN!

Instructions:

For the next several examples, please try to work out the answers without running the code in Matlab. This is essential, as it will enable you to develop your “Matlab intuition” and also to visualize the sequence of a computation (thus developing your ability to think algorithmically). Furthermore, you will not be allowed to use Matlab software on exams or quizzes and so it’s better to get the practice now rather than wait until later! You may, however, use scratch paper to work out answers.

VECTORS: YOUR TURN!

Vector A:

1	7	3	4	8
---	---	---	---	---

- **Example 4:** If “A(2)” typed at Matlab’s command line, what value is printed?
- **Example 5:** If “A(2) + A(3)” is entered at Matlab’s command line, what value is printed?
- **Example 6:** If “A(4) * A(5)” is entered at Matlab’s command line, what value is printed?
- **Example 7:** If “A * 5” is entered at Matlab’s command line, what is printed? Why?

VECTORS: YOUR TURN!

ANSWERS

Vector **A**:

1	7	3	4	8
---	---	---	---	---

- **Example 4:** If “A(2)” typed at Matlab’s command line, what value is printed? **7**
- **Example 5:** If “A(2) + A(3)” is entered at Matlab’s command line, what value is printed? **10**
- **Example 6:** If “A(4) * A(5)” is entered at Matlab’s command line, what value is printed? **32**

VECTORS: YOUR TURN!

ANSWERS

Vector A:

1	7	3	4	8
---	---	---	---	---

- **Example 7:** If “A * 5” is entered at Matlab’s command line, what is printed? Why?

```
EDU>> A*5
```

```
ans =
```

```
5    35    15    20    40
```

Each position of A is multiplied by 5.

VECTORS: YOUR TURN!

Vector **A**:

1	7	3	4	8
---	---	---	---	---

- **Example 8:** If “ $A(2) = A(3) * A(4)$ ” typed at Matlab’s command line, what does vector **A** look like now?
- **Example 9:** Assume vector **A**, as shown above, and also assume that the following sequence is entered at Matlab’s command line. What does the vector **A** look like after this sequence?

$$A(1) = A(2) - (A(3) + A(4));$$
$$A = A * A(1);$$

VECTORS: YOUR TURN!

ANSWERS

Vector **A**:

1	7	3	4	8
---	---	---	---	---

- **Example 8:** If “ $A(2) = A(3) * A(4)$ ” typed at Matlab’s command line, what does vector **A** look like now?

```
EDU>> A(2) = A(3) * A(4)
```

```
A =
```

```
1    12    3    4    8
```

VECTORS: YOUR TURN!

ANSWERS

Vector A:

1	7	3	4	8
---	---	---	---	---

- **Example 9:** Assume vector A, as shown above, and also assume that the following sequence is entered at Matlab's command line. What does the vector A look like after this sequence?

$$A(1) = A(2) - (A(3) + A(4));$$
$$A = A * A(1)$$

A =

0 0 0 0 0

VECTOR OPERATIONS

Assume we have a vector, A , as follows:

$$\text{Vector } A: \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline 1 & 7 & 3 & 4 & 8 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

We can add a single number (a scalar) to every element of A , all at once, as follows:

$$B = A + 5 = \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline 6 & 12 & 8 & 9 & 13 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

We can also multiply every element of A by a single number (a scalar) as follows:

$$B = A * 5 = \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline 5 & 35 & 15 & 20 & 40 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

VECTOR OPERATIONS

Vector **A**:

1	7	3	4	8
---	---	---	---	---

We can subtract single number (a scalar) from every element of **A**, all at once, as follows:

$$B = A - 5 =$$

-4	2	-2	-1	3
----	---	----	----	---

We can also divide every element of **A** by a single number (a scalar) as follows:

$$B = A / 5 =$$

0.2	1.4	0.6	0.8	1.6
-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

VECTOR OPERATIONS

Vector **A**:

1	7	3	4	8
---	---	---	---	---

BUT:

If we want to **exponentiate** every element of **A** by a number (i.e., raise each element of **A** to a particular power), then we have to write this in a special way, using the **DOT** operator:

$$B = A \cdot ^2 =$$

1	49	9	16	64
---	----	---	----	----

NOT: $B = A^2$

VECTOR OPERATIONS

We can also do mathematical operations on two vectors ***OF THE SAME LENGTH***[‡]. For example, assume we have two vectors, A and B, as follows:

Vector **A**:

1	7	3	4	8
---	---	---	---	---

Vector **B**:

-1	7	10	6	3
----	---	----	---	---

Then:

$C = A - B =$

2	0	-7	-2	5
---	---	----	----	---

$C = A + B =$

0	14	13	10	11
---	----	----	----	----

[‡]: If A and B are not the same length, Matlab will signal an error

VECTOR OPERATIONS

Vector **A**:

1	7	3	4	8
---	---	---	---	---

Vector **B**:

-1	7	10	6	3
----	---	----	---	---

Multiplication, division, and exponentiation, BETWEEN TWO VECTORS, ELEMENT-BY-ELEMENT, is expressed in the DOT notation:

$C = A .* B =$

-1	49	30	24	24
----	----	----	----	----

$C = A ./ B =$

-1	1	0.3	0.666	2.666
----	---	-----	-------	-------

$C = A .^ B =$

1^{-1}	7^7	3^{10}	4^6	8^3
----------	-------	----------	-------	-------

OTHER USEFUL VECTOR OPERATIONS

Vector A:

1	7	3	4	8
---	---	---	---	---

e^x of each element of A, where x is an element of A:

```
>> exp(A)
```

```
ans =
```

```
1.0e+003 *
```

```
0.0027    1.0966    0.0201    0.0546    2.9810
```

Square root of each element of A:

```
>> sqrt(A)
```

```
ans =
```

```
1.0000    2.6458    1.7321    2.0000    2.8284
```



OTHER USEFUL VECTOR OPERATIONS

Vector A:

1	7	3	4	8
---	---	---	---	---

Natural logarithm of each element of A:

```
>> log(A)
```

```
ans =
```

```
0      1.9459      1.0986      1.3863      2.0794
```

Base ten logarithm of each element of A:

```
>> log10(A)
```

```
ans =
```

```
0      0.8451      0.4771      0.6021      0.9031
```

OTHER USEFUL VECTOR OPERATIONS

Vector A:

1	7	3	4	8
---	---	---	---	---

Cosine of each element of A (elements interpreted as radians):

```
>> cos(A)
ans =
    0.5403    0.7539   -0.9900   -0.6536   -0.1455
```

Sine of each element of A (elements interpreted as radians):

```
>> sin(A)
ans =
    0.8415    0.6570    0.1411   -0.7568    0.9894
```

OTHER USEFUL VECTOR OPERATIONS

Vector A:

1	7	3	4	8
---	---	---	---	---

Mean (average) of ALL elements of A:

```
>> mean(A)
ans =
    4.6000
```

Standard deviation of ALL elements of A:

```
>> std(A)
ans =
    2.8810
```

VECTORS: VARIABLE INDEXING

Let's say that I wanted to create a vector A containing all the odd integers between 1 and 10 (inclusive). How would I do this?

Here's one way:

$$A = [1, 3, 5, 7, 9];$$

I can simply list them all out. BUT, we could do this another way . . .

VECTORS: VARIABLE INDEXING

I could do it this way:

$$A = [1:2:10]$$


This says, “Begin at 1, then to generate all the remaining values in the vector, keep adding 2 to the previous value. Stop when we reach 10. Don’t add the value if it exceeds 10.” So . . .

Begin at 1:


$$A = [1]$$

VECTORS: VARIABLE INDEXING


Add 2 to the previous value (i.e., to 1) to generate the next value:

$$A = [1, 1+2]$$


Add 2 to the previous value (i.e., to 3) to generate the next value:


$$A = [1, 3, 3+2]$$


Add 2 to the previous value (i.e., to 5) to generate the next value:


$$A = [1, 3, 5, 5+2]$$


VECTORS: VARIABLE INDEXING

Add 2 to the previous value (i.e., to 7) to generate the next value:

$$A = [1, 3, 5, 7, 7+2]$$


Then . . . add 2 to the previous value (i.e., to 9) to generate the next value??

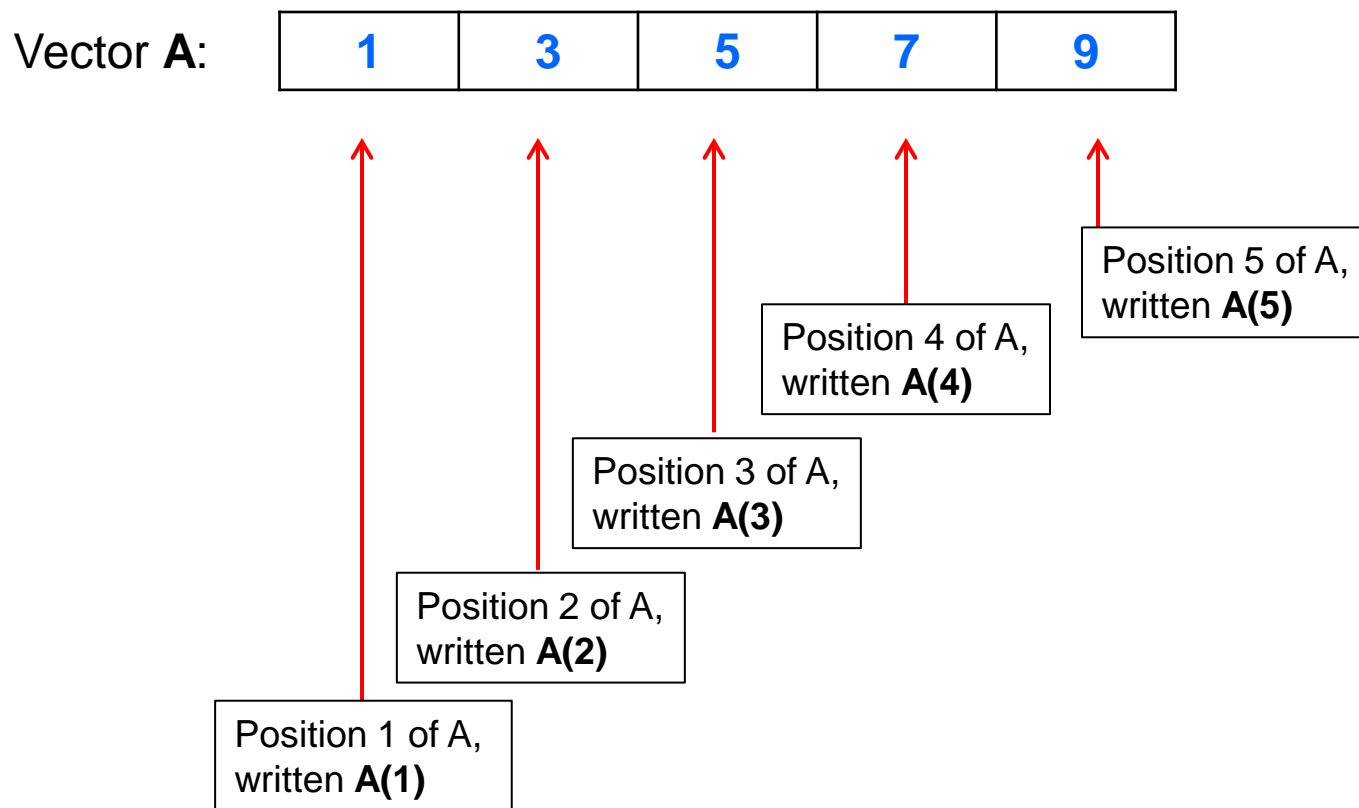
$$A = [1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 9+2]$$


WAIT! $9+2 = 11$ and $11 > 10$, which is the end of the vector. So since we must stop at 10, we DO NOT insert 11 into the vector A. Thus, the vector A is now constructed as desired:

$$A = [1, 3, 5, 7, 9]$$

VECTORS: VARIABLE INDEXING

NOTE WHAT WE NOW HAVE:



VECTORS: VARIABLE INDEXING

THUS:

Vector **A**:

1	3	5	7	9
----------	----------	----------	----------	----------

A(1)=1 A(2)=3 A(3)=5 A(4)=7 A(5)=9

VECTORS: VARIABLE INDEXING

WHAT'S THE ADVANTAGE of doing it this way? Why not list out all the members of the vector? Isn't it easier that way?

Actually, no. What if I wanted to create a vector B containing all the odd, positive integers between, say, 1 and 1000 (inclusive). How would I do that? I could list them out, one by one, but that's pretty tedious (not to mention time consuming). Here's how to do it all in one statement:

```
B = [1:2:1000];
```

Remember to end with a semi-colon, or else you're going to see a LOT of output!

That's it!

VECTORS: VARIABLE INDEXING

How about creating a vector C containing all the even, positive integers between 1 and 1000 (inclusive). How would I do that?

Begin at 2 and then add 2:

```
C = [2:2:1000];
```

We can start anywhere we want. We start at 2 because of course, 1 is odd and will not be a member of the vector! The vector will begin with the value 2.

VECTORS: VARIABLE INDEXING

Let's say that I want to find the average of all the even, positive integers between 1 and 1000. How would I do that?

Here's how:

```
C = [2:2:1000];  
mean(C)
```

That's it!

CHAPTER 5

MATRICES (ARRAYS) and MATRIX OPERATIONS

MATRICES (ARRAYS)

- Think of a MATRIX as a partitioned box: The box itself has a label (its variable name), and, we can store MULTIPLE things inside the box, each inside its own partition:

Matrix A:

- We can manipulate the ENTIRE COLLECTION at once, just by referring to the matrix's variable name.

MATRICES (ARRAYS)

- A matrix has **DIMENSIONS**: In the 2 dimensional case, rows and columns.
- Each partition is referred to by both its row number and its column number.
- **Rule**:
 - In Matlab, both row and column numbers **START AT 1**:

Matrix A:

(ROW, COLUMN)

(1,1)	(1,2)	(1,3)
(2,1)	(2,2)	(2,3)
(3,1)	(3,2)	(3,3)

Row 1

Row 2

Row 3

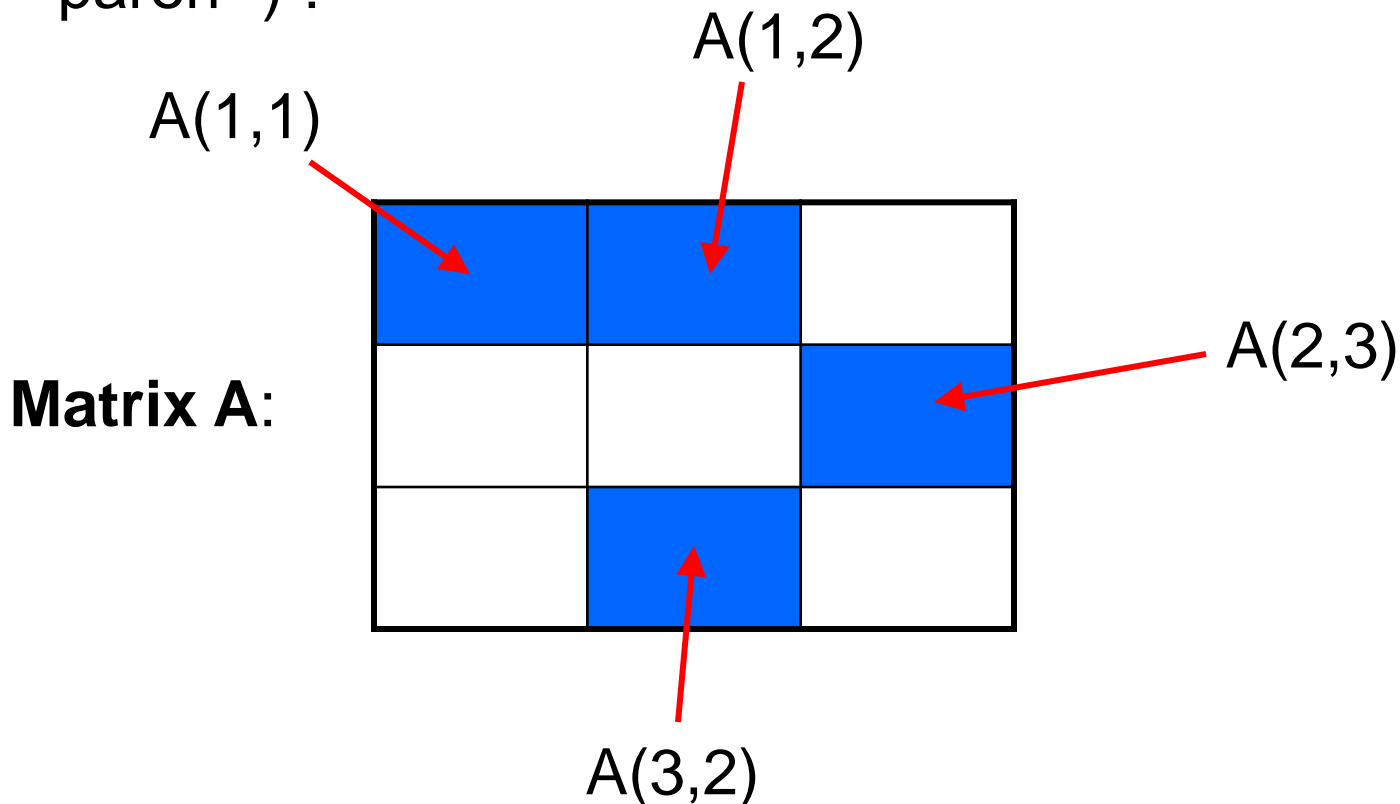
Column
1

Column
2

Column
3

MATRICES (ARRAYS)

- We can access individual partitions (called “elements”) by writing the matrix name, followed by a left paren “(”, the row number, a comma, the column number, and a right paren “)”:



MATRICES (ARRAYS)

- **Rule:**

The name for an individual matrix element acts **just like a variable**.

(ROW, COLUMN) A(1,3) (ACTUAL VALUES)

Matrix A:

A(1,1)	A(1,2)	A(1,3)
A(2,1)	A(2,2)	A(2,3)
A(3,1)	A(3,2)	A(3,3)

4	2	0
13	7	12
1	3	-10

Typing "A (1, 1) " at the command line, will result in 4
 Typing "A (2, 2) " at the command line, will result in 7
 Typing "A (3, 3) " at the command line, will result in -10

MATRICES (ARRAYS)

- **Rules:**

- Each matrix element acts like a variable and so can be used like variables

(ROW, COLUMN)

A(1,1)	A(1,2)	A(1,3)
A(2,1)	A(2,2)	A(2,3)
A(3,1)	A(3,2)	A(3,3)

(ACTUAL VALUES)

4	2	0
13	7	12
1	3	-10

Matrix A:

Examples:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{varX} &= A(1,1) + A(1,2) && (\text{so, varX} = 4 + 2) \\ \text{varX} &= A(2,2) * A(1,2) && (\text{so, varX} = 7 * 2) \\ \text{varX} &= A(3,1) - A(2,3) && (\text{so, varX} = 1 - 12) \\ \text{varX} &= A(1,2) ^ A(3,2) && (\text{so, varX} = 2^3) \end{aligned}$$

MATRICES (ARRAYS)

- As a result, you can assign values to specific matrix elements, too:

(ROW, COLUMN)

(NEW VALUES)

Matrix A:

A(1,1)	A(1,2)	A(1,3)
A(2,1)	A(2,2)	A(2,3)
A(3,1)	A(3,2)	A(3,3)

100	2	0
13	200	12
1	3	300

Examples:

$$A(1,1) = 100;$$

$$A(2,2) = 200;$$

$$A(3,3) = 300;$$

MATRICES (ARRAYS)

- Matrices can be different dimensions.
Here's a 1-D matrix (called a "row vector"):

(ROW, COLUMN)

Matrix B:

B(1,1)	B(1,2)	B(1,3)	B(1,4)	B(1,5)
--------	--------	--------	--------	--------

$$B(1,1) = 10;$$

$$B(1,2) = 8;$$

$$B(1,3) = 6;$$

$$B(1,4) = 4;$$

$$B(1,5) = 2;$$

(ACTUAL VALUES)

Matrix B:

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

MATRICES (ARRAYS)

- Another 1-dimensional matrix (called a “column vector”):

(ROW, COLUMN)

(ACTUAL VALUES)

Matrix C:

C(1,1)
C(2,1)
C(3,1)
C(4,1)
C(5,1)

$$\begin{aligned}
 C(1,1) &= 10; \\
 C(2,1) &= 8; \\
 C(3,1) &= 6; \\
 C(4,1) &= 4; \\
 C(5,1) &= 2;
 \end{aligned}$$

10
8
6
4
2

MATRICES (ARRAYS)

- **Creating matrices in Matlab (cont):**
 - **Method #1:** Write it out explicitly (separate rows with a semi-colon):

```
>> D = [1; 2; 3]
```

```
D =
```

```
1
2
3
```

Note: commas
are optional

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

```
D =
```

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

MATRICES (ARRAYS)

- **Creating matrices in Matlab:**
 - **Method #2:** Like variable assignment:
 - Assign the last element in a 1-D matrix, or the “lower right corner element” in a 2-D matrix to be some value.
 - Now you have a matrix filled with zeros and whatever you assigned to the last element:

```
>> D(1,5) = 0
```

```
D = 0 0 0 0 0
```

```
>> D(3,3) = 10
```

```
D = 0 0 0
    0 0 0
    0 0 10
```

MATRICES (ARRAYS)

- **Creating matrices in Matlab (cont):**
 - **Method #2:** Keep assigning pieces to it:

```
>> D(1,1) = 5 ;assigning value to D(1,1)
```

```
>> D(1,2) = 6 ;assigning value to D(1,2)
```

.....

```
>> D(2,3) = 7 ;assigning value to D(2,3)
```

MATRICES (ARRAYS)

Method #2, while computationally expensive inside Matlab, is nevertheless perfectly suited for inclusion inside a *FOR loop* – particularly when you do not know the exact number of iterations that will be done (and thus, you don't know the exact size of the matrix involved).

FOR loops describe the second topic we will investigate: *ITERATION*.

SOME BASIC MATRIX OPERATIONS

Some of Matlab's built-in (intrinsic) functions work the way we would expect, on an element-by-element basis for an input matrix (here called "A"):

cosine:

```
>> cos(A)
```

returns cosine of each element of A

sqrt

```
>> sqrt(A)
```

returns the sqrt of each element of A

base 10 log:

```
>> log10(A)
```

returns base 10 logarithm of each element of A

sine:

```
>> sin(A)
```

returns sine of each element of A

natural log:

```
>> log(A)
```

returns the natural logarithm of each element of A

Multiplication by a number (scalar):

```
>> A*5
```

returns matrix A with each element multiplied by 5.

BASIC MATRIX OPERATIONS (cont)

Some arithmetic operators also operate this way, and in particular, if give two matrix arguments “A” and “B”, these operators compute on an element-by-element basis:

+ :

>> A + B

returns a matrix containing the sum of each element of A and its corresponding element in B.

- :

>> A - B

returns a matrix containing the difference of each element of A and its corresponding element in B.

BASIC MATRIX OPERATIONS (cont)

BUT Multiplication and division operate differently, when we are dealing with a matrix multiplied by a matrix. In order to do element-by-element multiplication or division, we need to use the “dot” operator:

`>> A .* B`

returns a matrix containing the product of each element of A and its corresponding element in B.

`>> A ./ B`

returns a matrix containing the result of dividing each element of A by its corresponding element in B.

We stopped here on

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Review: Array and Matrix

Question:

(1) Create a row array with five elements

“10,20,30,40,50”

(1) Create a column array with five elements

“10,20,30,40,50”

Review: Array and Matrix

Answer:

```
>> A=[10,20,30,40,50] ;row array
```

```
>>A=[10;20;30;40;50] ;column array
```

Review: Array and Matrix

Question:

(1) Create a 3 X 3 matrix A with the following elements

1	2	3
4	5	6
7	8	9

(2) Create a matrix B, and $B=A*10$

(3) Calculate $A+B$, $A-B$, A multiply B (element by element), A divide B (element by element)

Review: Array and Matrix

Answer:

```
>>A=[1,2,3;4,5,6;7,8,9] %explicit method
```

```
%alternative method, but tedious
```

```
>> A(3,3) = 0           % element assignment method
```

```
>> A(1,1)=0
```

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

```
>> A(1,3)=3
```

```
>>A(2,1)=4
```

```
>>A(2,2)=5
```

```
>>A(2,3)=6
```

```
>>A(3,1)=7
```

```
>>A(3,2)=8
```

```
>>A(3,3)=9
```

Review: Array and Matrix

Answer (continued):

```
>> B=A*10
```

```
>> A+B
```

```
>>A-B
```

```
>>A.*B %comment: use “.”operator, different from  
A*B
```

```
>>A./B %comment: use “.”operator
```

Review: Array and Matrix

Question:

Create a 11 X 11 matrix A with all elements equal 10?
Then change the value at the center to 100?

Review: Array and Matrix

Answer:

```
>> A(11,11)=0 %create an 11 X 11 matrix with all  
elements equal to 0
```

```
>>A=A+10    % all elements in A are added by 10
```

```
>>A(6,6)=100 %element A(6,6) is assigned to 100
```


Review: Array and Matrix

Questions:

(1) For array $A=[3,4,5,7,10]$, what is $A(4)$?

(2) For the following matrix A

2	8	10
9	1	3
6	20	5
14	7	6

(a) How many rows and columns in this matrix?

(b) What is $A(2,3)$?

(c) What is $A(3,2)$?

Review: Array and Matrix

Answer

(1) $A(4)$ Ans = 7

(2)

(a) Four rows and three columns

(b) $A(2,3)$ Ans = 3

(c) $A(3, 2)$ Ans = 20

Getting Matlab to “Be Quiet!”

By the way . . .

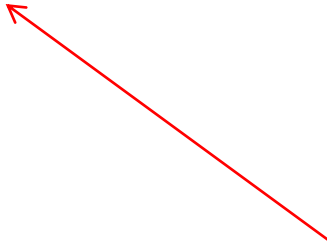
```
>> D(1,5) = 0
```

```
D = 0 0 0 0 0
```

But . . .

```
>> D(1,5) = 0;
```

```
>>
```

A red arrow points from the semi-colon at the end of the command `D(1,5) = 0;` to the explanatory text below.

The appearance of a semi-colon at the end of a statement suppresses output to the screen. Otherwise, Matlab echoes output back to you (rather inconvenient if you have a loop that goes for, say, 1,000 iterations! Loops are up next . . .)

CHAPTER 6

ITERATION I: FOR LOOPS

ITERATION

- Often times, we'll want to repeat doing something again, and again, and again, and again...maybe millions of times...or maybe, just enough times to access and change each element of a matrix.
- Computers, of course, are great at doing things over and over again
- This is called *ITERATION*.
- Iteration is executed with a *FOR loop*, or, with a *WHILE loop*.

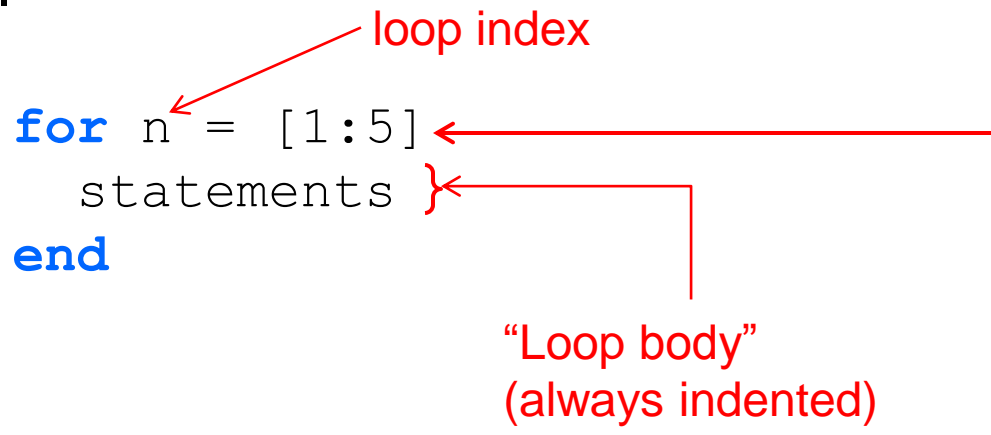
ITERATION (FOR loops)

- **Syntax:** *As shown, and always the same.* **NOTE:** The keywords FOR and END come in a pair—*never one without the other.*

```
for n = [1:5]
    statements
end
```

loop index

“Loop body”
(always indented)



- **What's happening:**

- n first assigned the value 1
- the statements are then executed
- END is encountered
- END sends execution back to the top
- Repeat: n = 2, 3, 4, 5
- Is n at the end of the list? Then STOP.

SIDE NOTE:

n = [1:5]
same as
n = [1,2,3,4,5],
same as
n = 1:5

ITERATION (FOR loops)

- **Syntax:** *As shown, and always the same.* **NOTE:** The keywords FOR and END come in a pair—*never one without the other.*

```
for n = [1:5]
    statements
end
```

Diagram annotations:

- A red arrow points from the text "loop index" to the variable `n` in the `for` statement.
- A red arrow points from the text "Loop body" (always indented) to the `statements` line, which is indented relative to the `for` and `end` keywords.
- A red bracket on the right side of the `statements` line indicates the scope of the loop body.
- A red line connects the `end` keyword to the `for` keyword, indicating they form a pair.

- **Key Features:**
 - The FOR loop executes for a finite number of steps and then quits.
 - Because of this feature, it's hard to have an infinite loop with a FOR loop.
 - You can NEVER change a FOR loop's index counter (here, called "n").

SIDE NOTE:

`n = [1:5]`
same as
`n = [1,2,3,4,5]`,
same as
`n = 1:5`

ITERATION (FOR loops)

- So, a FOR loop is doing “implicit assignment” to the loop index n : each time “through the loop” (or, one “trip”), the loop index n has a particular value (which can’t be changed by you, only by the FOR loop). After the trip is complete (when execution reaches END), the loop index is reassigned to the next value in the 1-D matrix, from left to right. When the rightmost (last) value is reached, the FOR loop stops executing.

And then statements AFTER the FOR loop (following the END keyword) are executed -- that is, the FOR loop “exits”.

ITERATION (FOR loops) – YOUR TURN!

Instructions:

For the next several examples, please try to work out the answers without running the code in Matlab. This is essential, as it will enable you to develop your “Matlab intuition” and also to visualize the sequence of a computation (thus developing your ability to think algorithmically). Furthermore, you will not be allowed to use Matlab software on exams or quizzes and so it’s better to get the practice now rather than wait until later! You may, however, use scratch paper to work out answers.

ITERATION (FOR loops) – YOUR TURN!

Example 10: `for` n = [1:5]
 n
 `end`

This will print out the value of n, for each iteration of the loop. Why? Because the statement `n` is NOT terminated with a semi-colon:

```
ans = 1  
ans = 2  
ans = 3  
ans = 4  
ans = 5
```



ITERATION (FOR loops) – YOUR TURN!

Example 11:

```
for n = [1:5]
    n^2
end
```

This FOR loop will print out:

```
ans = 1
ans = 4
ans = 9
ans = 16
ans = 25
```

ITERATION (FOR loops) – YOUR TURN!

Example 12:

```
for n = [1:5]
    n^3 - 5
end
```

What will this FOR loop print out?

```
ans = ?
ans = ?
ans = ?
ans = ?
ans = ?
```

ITERATION (FOR loops) – YOUR TURN!

Example 12:

```
for n = [1:5]
    n^3 - 5
end
```

What will this FOR loop print out?

```
ans = -4
ans = 3
ans = 22
ans = 59
ans = 120
```


ITERATION (FOR loops) – YOUR TURN!

Example 13:

```
counter = 1;  
for n = [1:5]  
    counter = counter + n  
end
```

What will this FOR loop print out?

```
counter = ?  
counter = ?  
counter = ?  
counter = ?  
counter = ?
```

A red arrow points from the text on the right towards the question marks in the code block.

Why, all of a sudden, “counter” and NOT “ans”?

ITERATION (FOR loops) – YOUR TURN!

Example 13:

```
counter = 1;  
for n = [1:5]  
    counter = counter + n  
end
```

What will this FOR loop print out?

```
counter = 2  
counter = 4  
counter = 7  
counter = 11  
counter = 16
```

Why, all of a sudden, “counter” and NOT “ans”?

ITERATION (FOR loops) – YOUR TURN!

Example 14:

```
counter = 1;  
for n = [1:5]  
    counter = counter - n  
end
```

What will this FOR loop print out?

```
counter = ?  
counter = ?  
counter = ?  
counter = ?  
counter = ?
```


ITERATION (FOR loops) – YOUR TURN!

Example 14:

```
counter = 1;  
for n = [1:5]  
    counter = counter - n  
end
```

What will this FOR loop print out?

```
counter = 0  
counter = -2  
counter = -5  
counter = -9  
counter = -14
```



ITERATION (FOR loops) – YOUR TURN!

Example 15:

```
counter = 1;  
for n = [1:5]  
    counter = counter*n  
end
```

What will this FOR loop print out?

```
counter = ?  
counter = ?  
counter = ?  
counter = ?  
counter = ?
```

ITERATION (FOR loops) – YOUR TURN!

Example 15:

```
counter = 1;  
for n = [1:5]  
    counter = counter*n  
end
```

What will this FOR loop print out?

```
counter = 1  
counter = 2  
counter = 6  
counter = 24  
counter = 120
```


ITERATION (FOR loops) – YOUR TURN!

Example 16:

```
A = [5 4 3 2 1];  
for n = [1:5]  
    A(1,n)  
end
```

What will this FOR loop print out?

```
ans = ?  
ans = ?  
ans = ?  
ans = ?  
ans = ?
```

A large red right-facing curly bracket groups the five lines of code above it.


ITERATION (FOR loops) – YOUR TURN!

Example 16:

```
A = [5 4 3 2 1];  
for n = [1:5]  
    A(1,n)  
end
```

What will this FOR loop print out?

```
ans = 5  
ans = 4  
ans = 3  
ans = 2  
ans = 1
```

A large red right-facing curly bracket groups the five lines of output, indicating that all five values will be printed.

ITERATION (FOR loops) – YOUR TURN!

Example 17: `A = [5 4 3 2 1];`
`counter = 0;`
`for n = [1:5]`
 `A(1,n) = A(1,n) + counter;`
 `counter = counter + 1;`
`end`
A

What will print out?

A = ? }
}

ITERATION (FOR loops) – YOUR TURN!

Example 17: `A = [5 4 3 2 1];`
`counter = 0;`
`for n = [1:5]`
`A(1,n) = A(1,n) + counter;`
`counter = counter + 1;`
`end`
A

What will print out?

A = 5 5 5 5 5 }

ITERATION

(FOR loops with variable indexing, I)

- **Syntax:** In the case of variable indexing, the loop index steps forward by an amount other than 1:

```
for n = [1:2:15]  
    statements  
end
```

- **Key Features:**
 - In this FOR loop, the index variable `n` first takes on the value 1 and then, each trip through the loop, it is increased by 2, up to the limit 15. What this means is that the index variable `n` takes on the following values: 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15

ITERATION

(FOR loops with variable indexing, II)

- **Syntax:** In this second case of variable indexing, the loop index steps *backward* by an amount other than 1:

```
for n = [15:-2:1]
    statements
end
```

- **Key Features:**
 - In this second FOR loop, the index variable `n` first takes on the value 15 and then, each trip through the loop, it is *decreased* by 2, down to the limit 1. What this means is that the index variable `n` takes on the following values: 15, 13, 11, 9, 7, 5, 3, 1

ITERATION

(FOR loops with variable indexing, III)

- **Syntax:** In this third case of variable indexing, the loop index steps *forward*, but by an amount *less than* 1:

```
for n = [0.1: 0.1 : 1.0]
    statements
end
```

- **Key Features:**

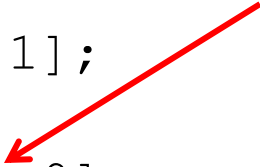
In this third FOR loop, the index variable `n` first takes on the value 0.1 and then, each trip through the loop, it is *increased* by 0.1, up to the limit 1.0. What this means is that the index variable `n` takes on the following values: 0.1, 0.2, 0.3, 0.4, 0.5, 0.6, 0.7, 0.8, 0.9, 1.0 . Thus, the index variable `n` need not be assigned integer values! Furthermore, we could do the above in reverse, too, as follows: `n = [1.0: -0.1 : 0.1]`

ITERATION

(FOR loops; variable indexing)—YOUR TURN

Example 19:

```
A = [5 4 3 2 1];  
counter = 1;  
for n = [1:2:9]  
    A(1,counter) = A(1,counter) + n;  
    counter = counter + 1;  
end  
A
```

A red arrow points from the top right towards the for loop line in the code.

TRICKY!!

What will print out?

A = ?

ITERATION

(FOR loops; variable indexing)—YOUR TURN

Example 19:

```
A = [5 4 3 2 1];
counter = 1;
for n = [1:2:9]
    A(1,counter) = A(1,counter) + n;
    counter = counter + 1;
end
A
```

TRICKY!!

What will print out?

A =

6	7	8	9	10
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ITERATION (FOR loops)

Study the preceding discussions and example problems **VERY CAREFULLY** to ensure that you understand completely what each FOR loop is doing, AND WHY!

These problems are VERY REPRESENTATIVE of those you might encounter in the future . . .

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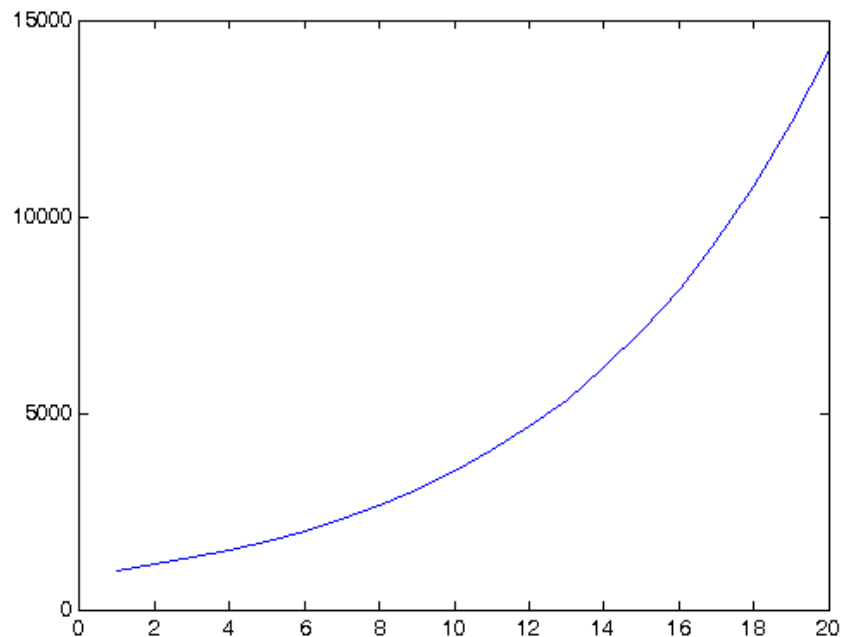
CHAPTER 7

BASIC GRAPHS AND PLOTS

BASIC GRAPHS and PLOTS

Let's begin by creating the graph on the right with the Matlab code on the left . . .

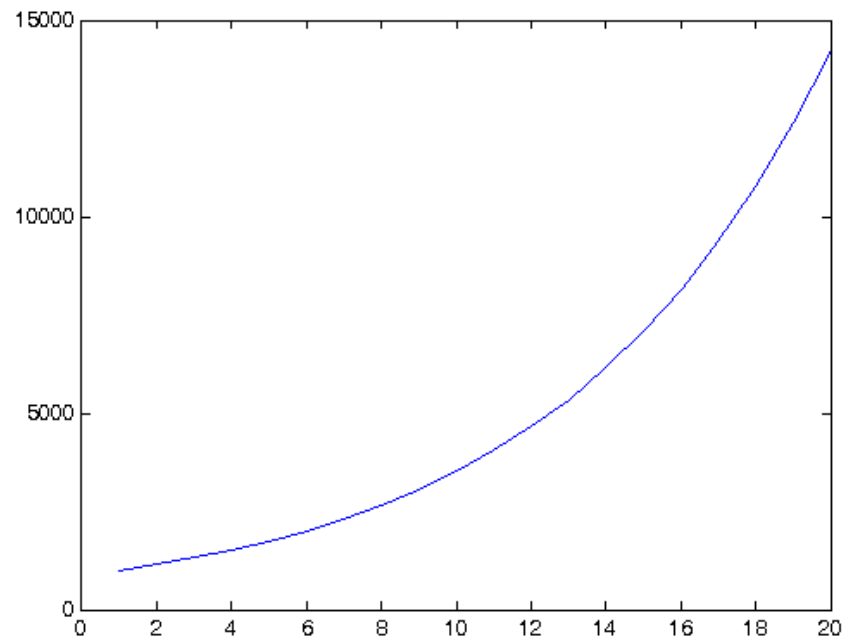
```
clear;clc
birth = 0.15;
death = 0.000;
deltat = 1;
P(1) = 1000;
for t = [1:19]
    P(t+1) = P(t)+birth*P(t);
end
plot(1:20,P)
```



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First, give the graph a name (internal to Matlab) by using the **figure** command:

```
clear;clc
birth = 0.15;
death = 0.000;
deltat = 1;
P(1) = 1000;
for t = [1:19]
    P(t+1) = P(t)+birth*P(t);
end
figure(1)
plot(1:20,P)
```

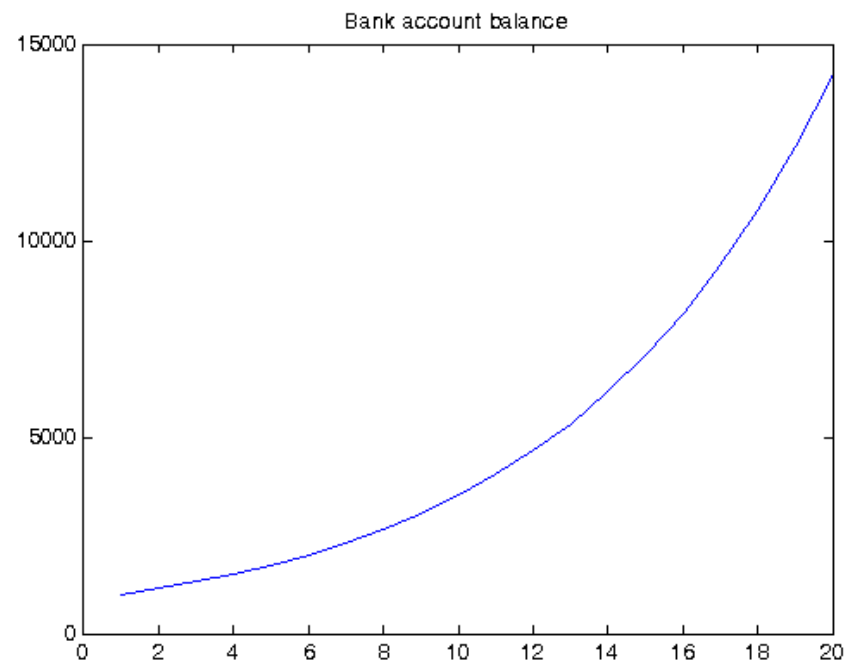


When you re-run this code, there's no visible effect, but the plot now has a name (meaning it won't be overwritten later!)

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Next, give the graph a title
by using the **title** command:

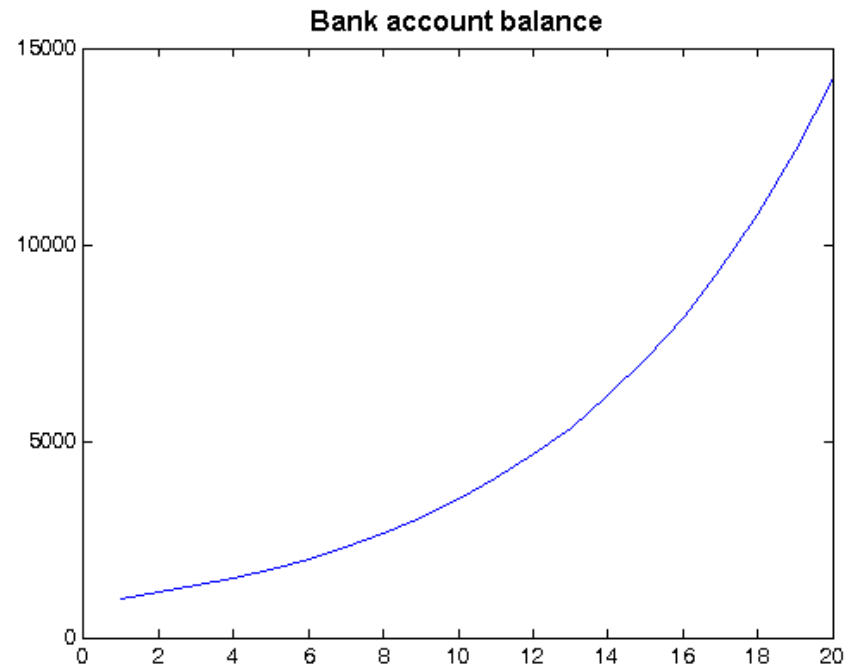
```
clear;clc
birth = 0.15;
death = 0.000;
deltat = 1;
P(1) = 1000;
for t = [1:19]
    P(t+1) = P(t)+birth*P(t);
end
figure(1)
plot(1:20,P)
title('Bank account balance')
```



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Change the title's font: continue on next line and use the **FontName**, **FontSize** and **FontWeight** commands:

```
clear;clc
birth = 0.15;
death = 0.000;
deltat = 1;
P(1) = 1000;
for t = [1:19]
    P(t+1) = P(t)+birth*P(t);
end
figure(1)
plot(1:20,P)
title('Bank account balance', ...
    'FontName', 'Arial', ...
    'FontSize', 12, ...
    'FontWeight', 'Bold')
```

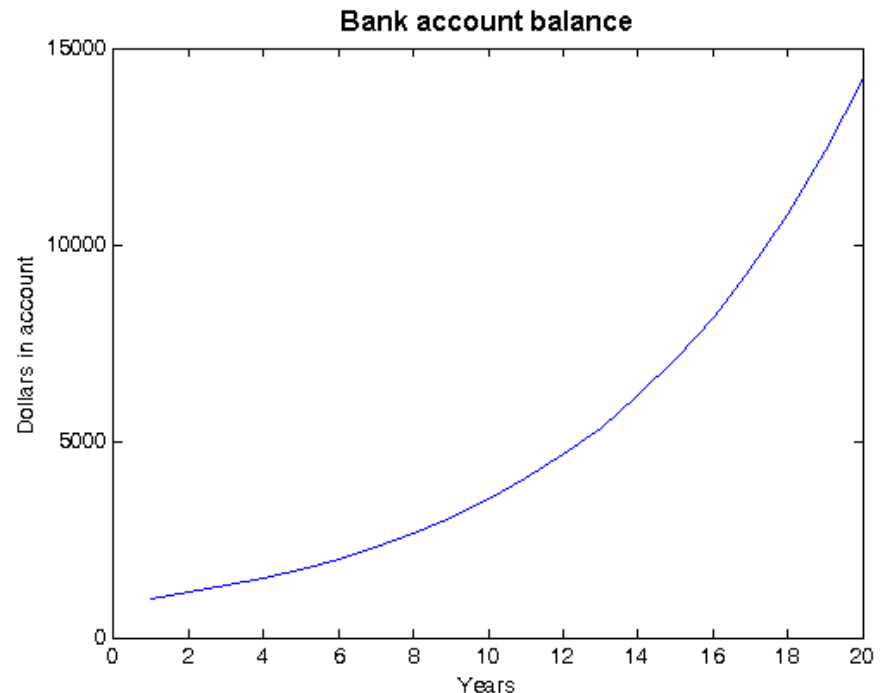


Continue on the next line with three dots in a row

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Add X and Y axis labels:
use the **xlabel** and **ylabel** commands:

```
clear;clc
birth = 0.15;
death = 0.000;
deltat = 1;
P(1) = 1000;
for t = [1:19]
    P(t+1) = P(t)+birth*P(t);
end
figure(1)
plot(1:20,P)
title('Bank account balance', ...
    'FontName', 'Arial', ...
    'FontSize', 12, ...
    'FontWeight', 'Bold')
xlabel('Years')
ylabel('Dollars in account')
```

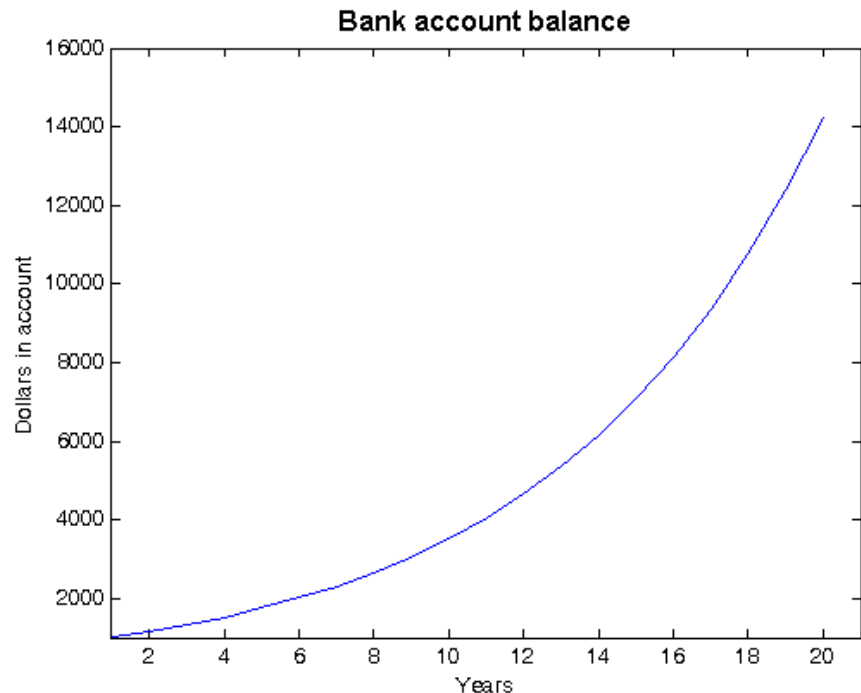


You can also change X and Y axis fonts, sizes, etc, just like for the title

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Change X and Y axis ranges:
use the **xlim** and **ylim** commands:

```
clear;clc
birth = 0.15;
death = 0.000;
deltat = 1;
P(1) = 1000;
for t = [1:19]
    P(t+1) = P(t)+birth*P(t);
end
figure(1)
plot(1:20,P)
title('Bank account balance', ...
    'FontName', 'Arial', ...
    'FontSize', 12, ...
    'FontWeight', 'Bold')
xlabel('Years')
ylabel('Dollars in account')
xlim([1 21])
ylim([1000 16000])
```

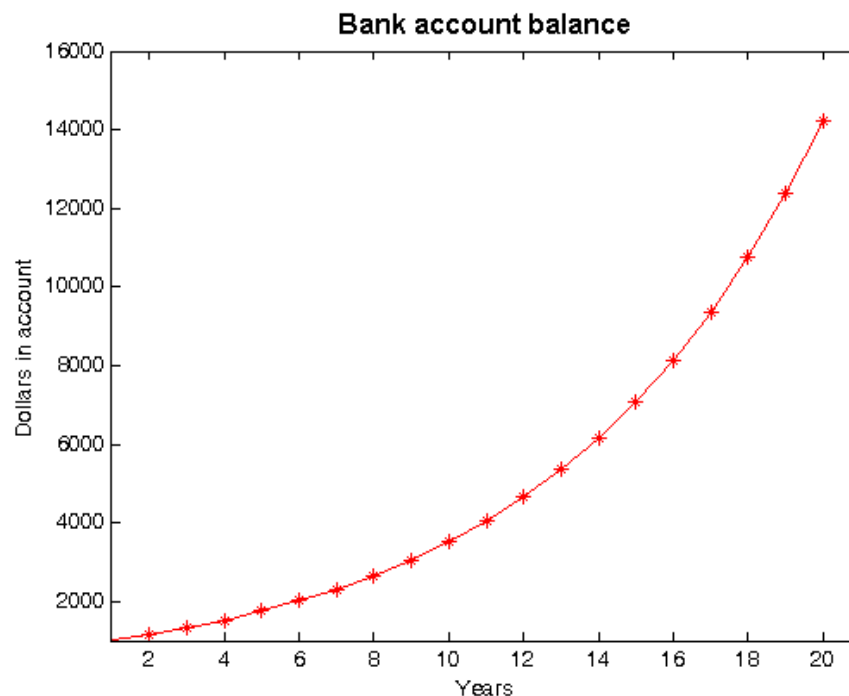


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Now, change the plot:

Let it have a **red** line and ***** datamarkers:

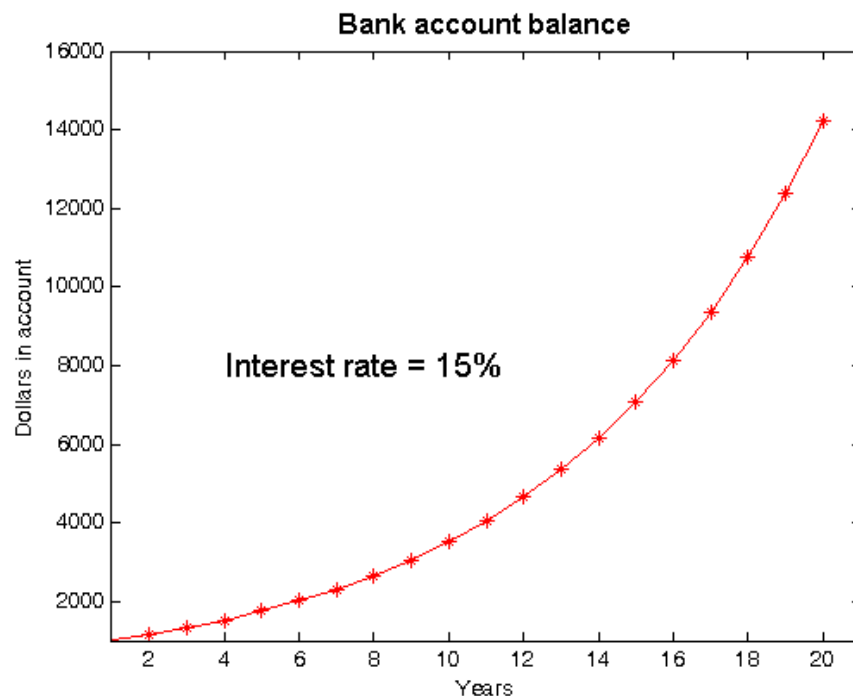
```
clear;clc
birth = 0.15;
death = 0.000;
deltat = 1;
P(1) = 1000;
for t = [1:19]
    P(t+1) = P(t)+birth*P(t);
end
figure(1)
plot(1:20,P,'-*r')
title('Bank account balance', ...
    'FontName', 'Arial', ...
    'FontSize', 12, ...
    'FontWeight', 'Bold')
xlabel('Years')
ylabel('Dollars in account')
xlim([1 21])
ylim([1000 16000])
```



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Finally, insert some text annotation on the graph using the **text** command, and control its properties:

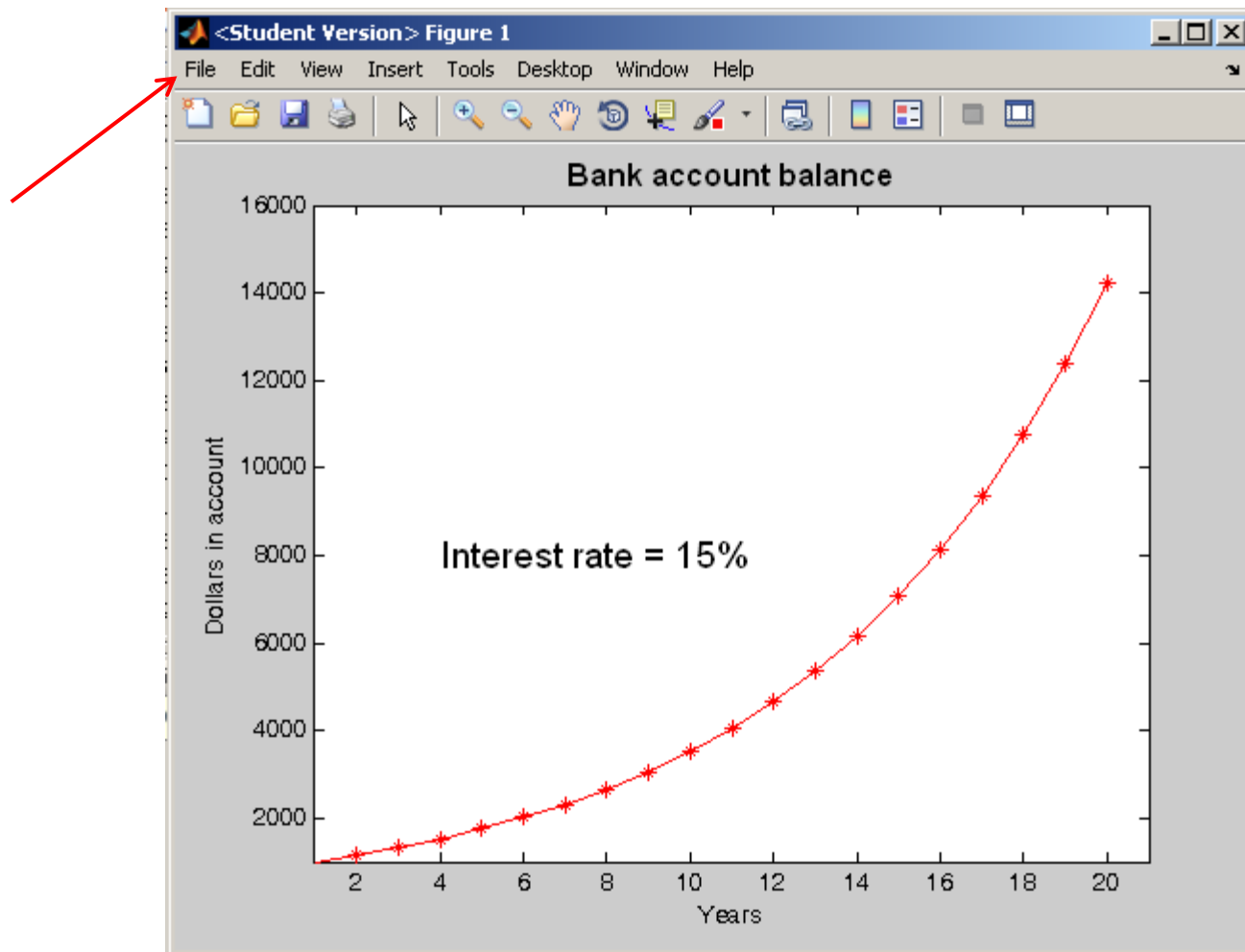
```
clear;clc
birth = 0.15;
death = 0.000;
deltat = 1;
P(1) = 1000;
for t = [1:19]
    P(t+1) = P(t)+birth*P(t);
end
figure(1)
plot(1:20,P,'-*r')
title('Bank account balance', ...
    'FontName', 'Arial', ...
    'FontSize', 12, ...
    'FontWeight', 'Bold')
xlabel('Years')
ylabel('Dollars in account')
xlim([1 21])
ylim([1000 16000])
text(4,8000,'Interest rate = 15%', ...
    'FontName', 'Arial', 'FontSize', 14)
```



Again, font size, weight, etc. can be controlled just like the title command

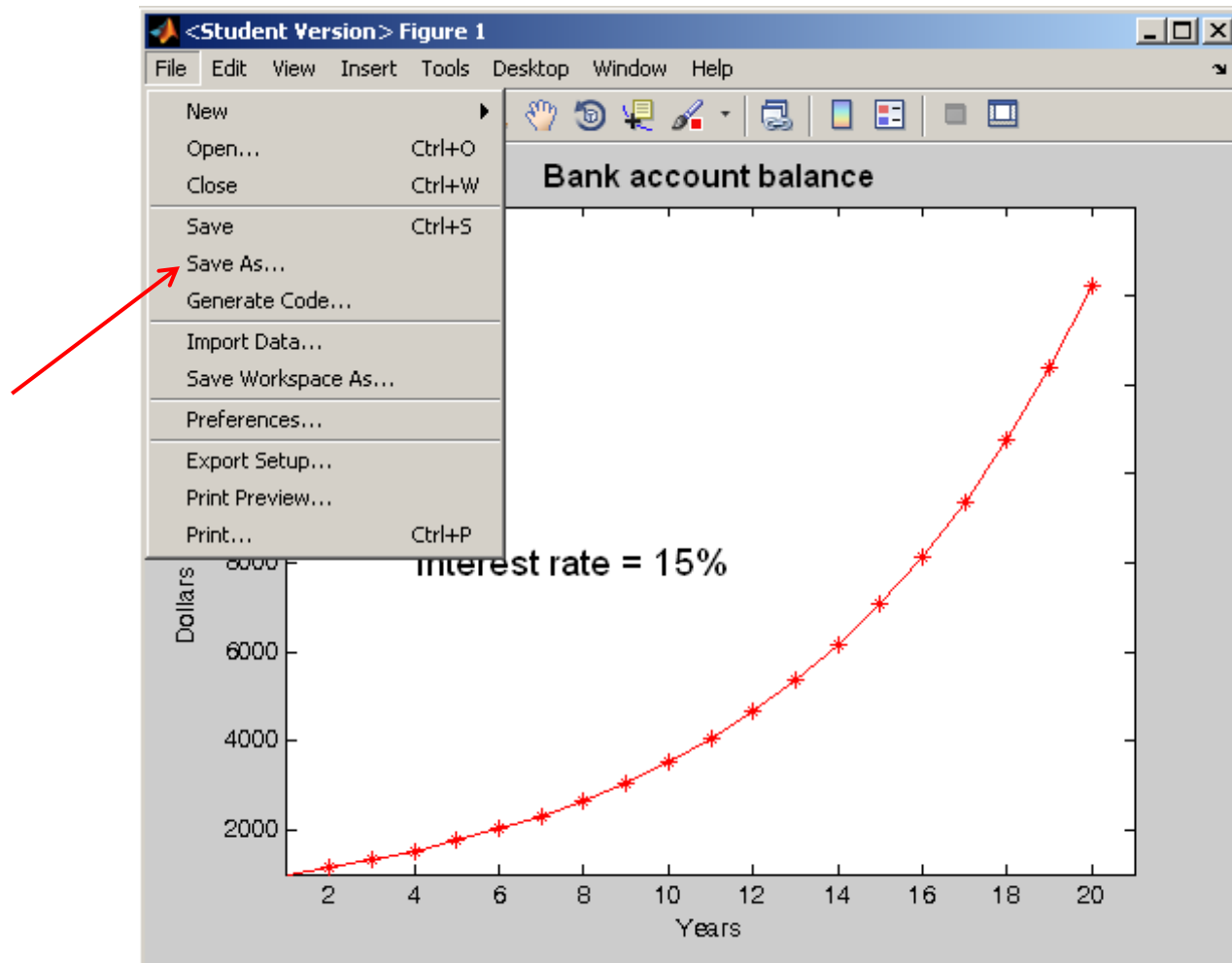
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Now, switch to the window containing the figure and click on “File”:



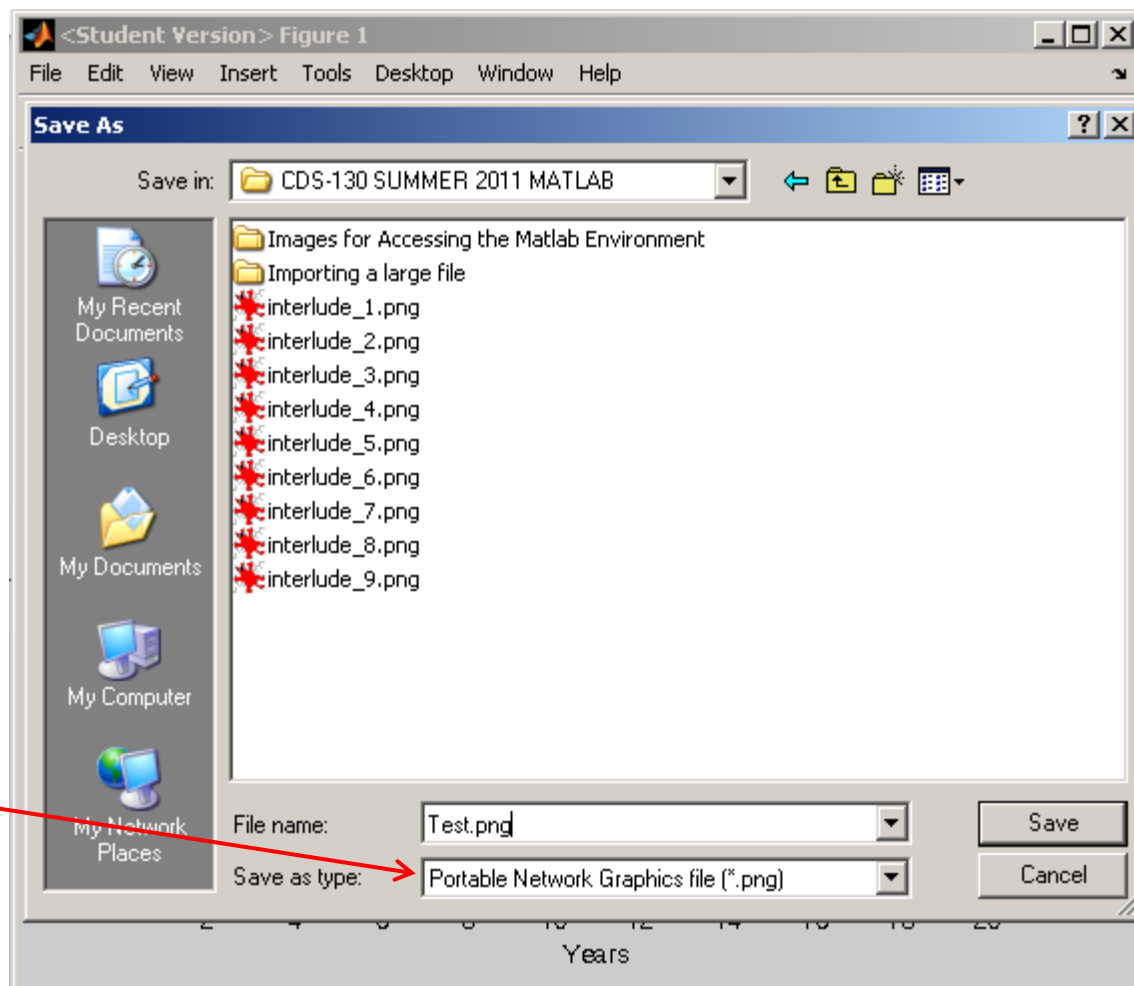
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Select "Save As":



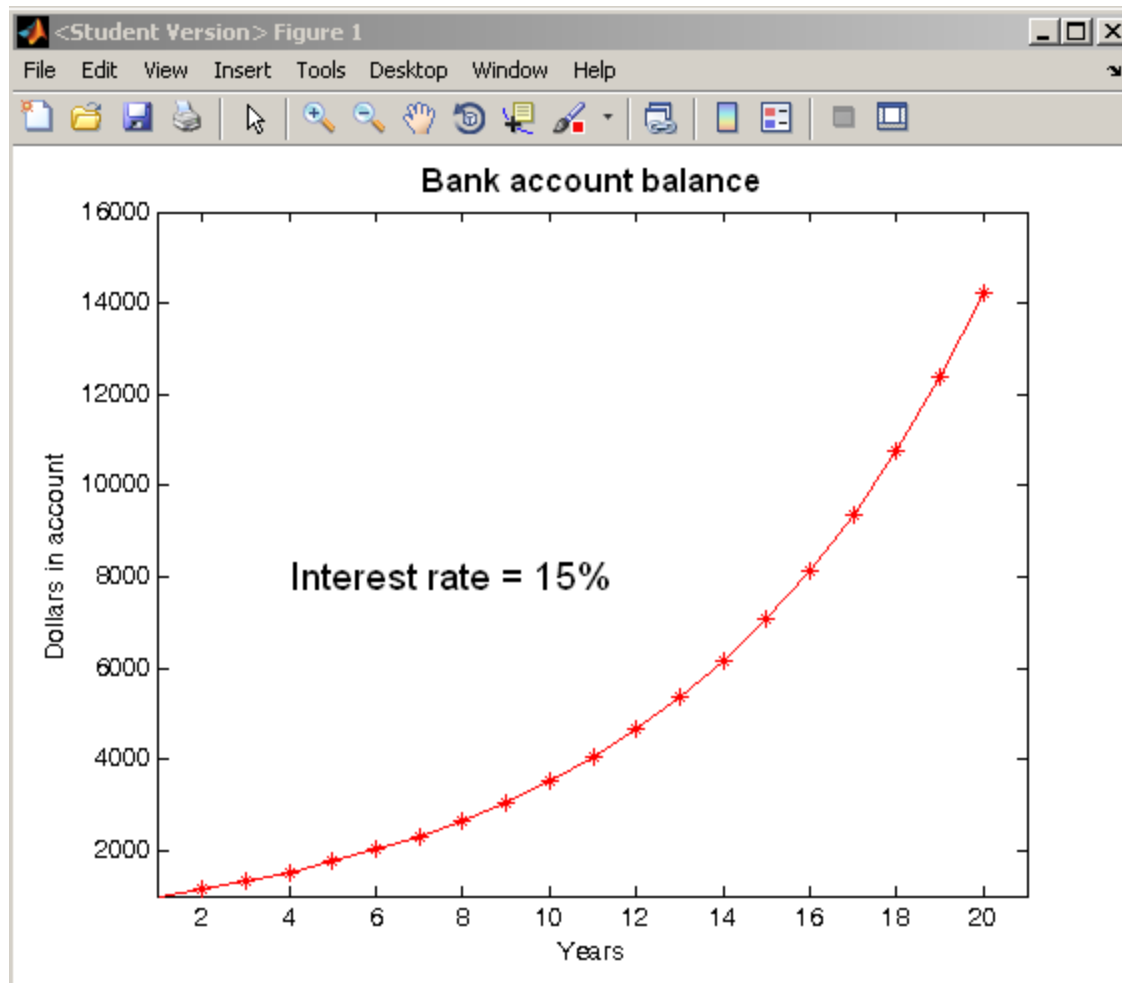
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Navigate to the directory where you want to save the file, enter a filename, and ensure “Save as Type” is “PNG”:



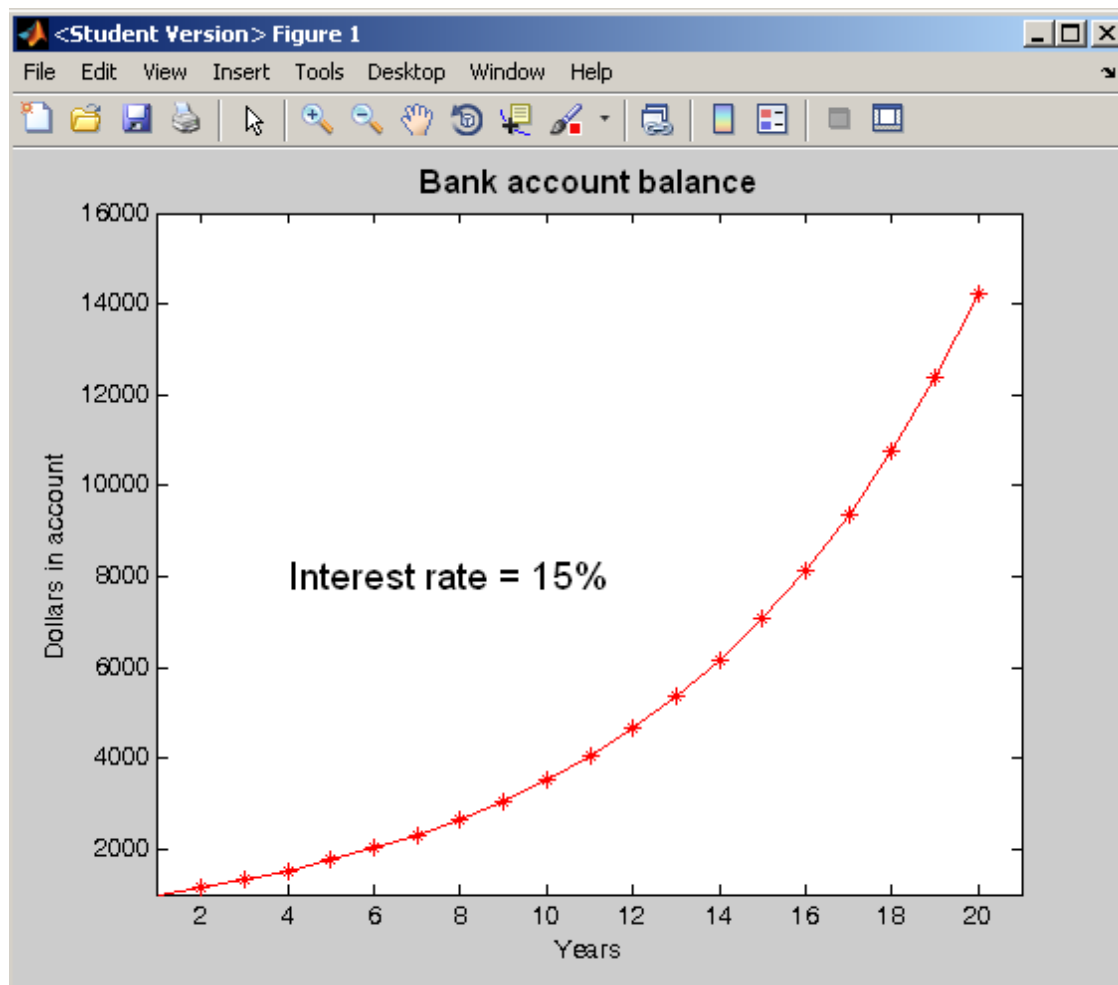
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You'll be taken back to the figure. It will flash white for an instant:



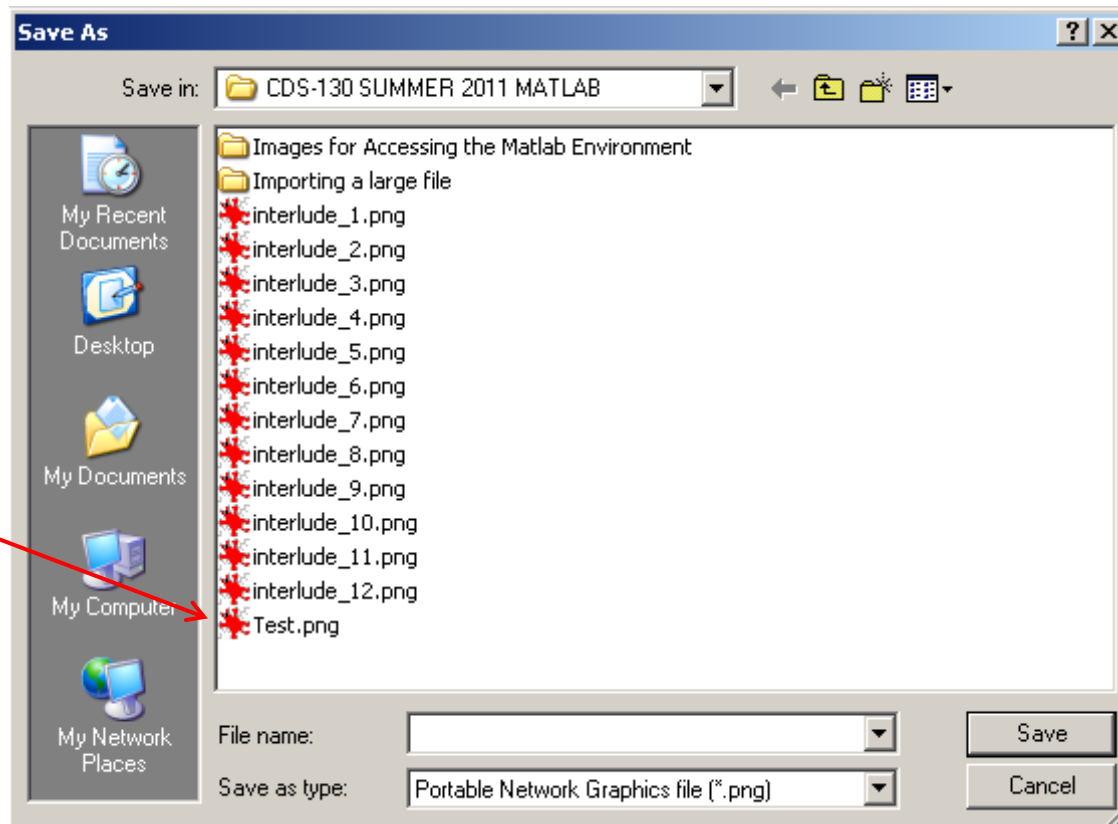
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And then it will return to its “normal self”, with a grey background. The image has been saved . . .



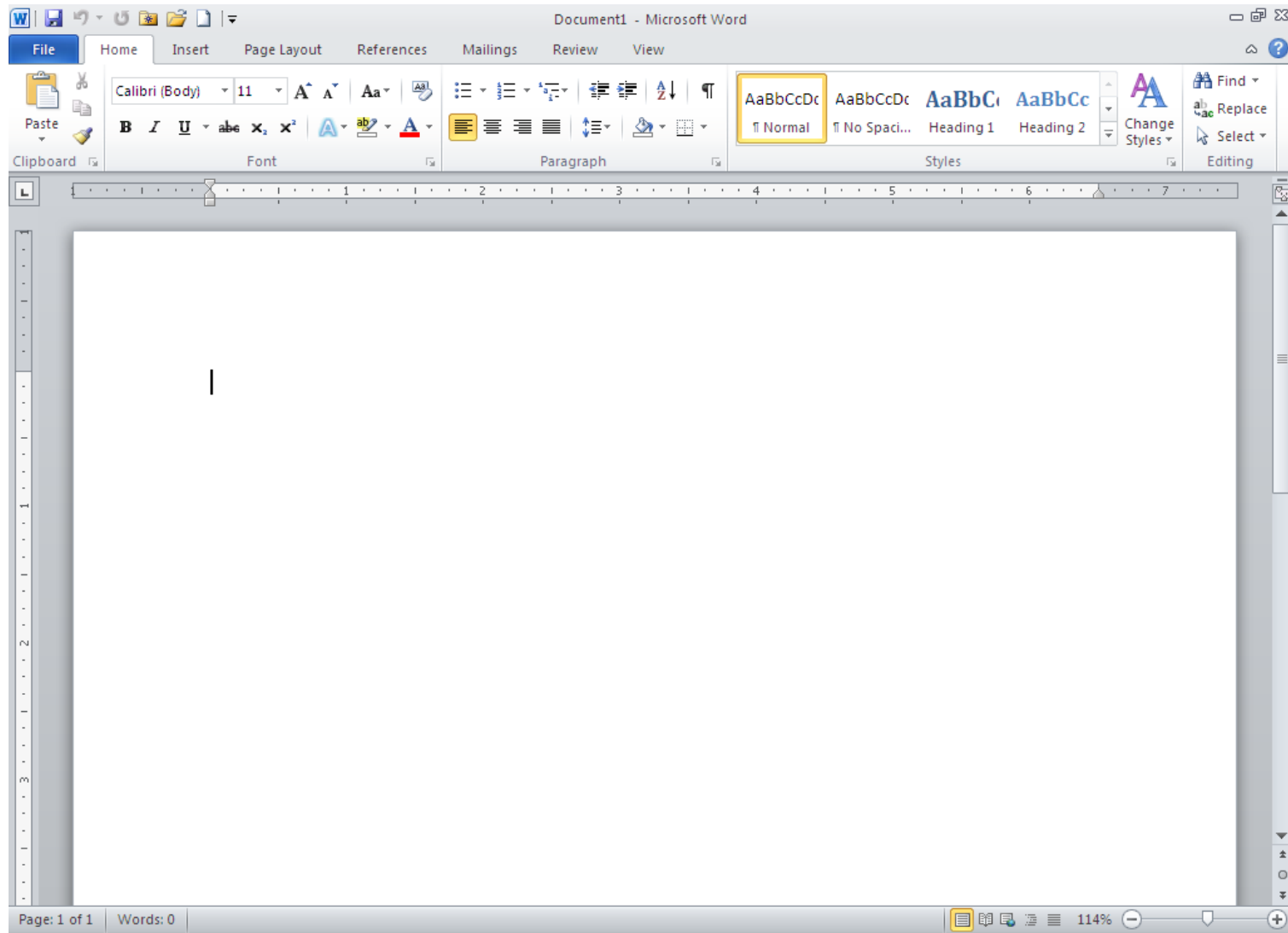
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Which you can now verify by inspecting the directory structure:



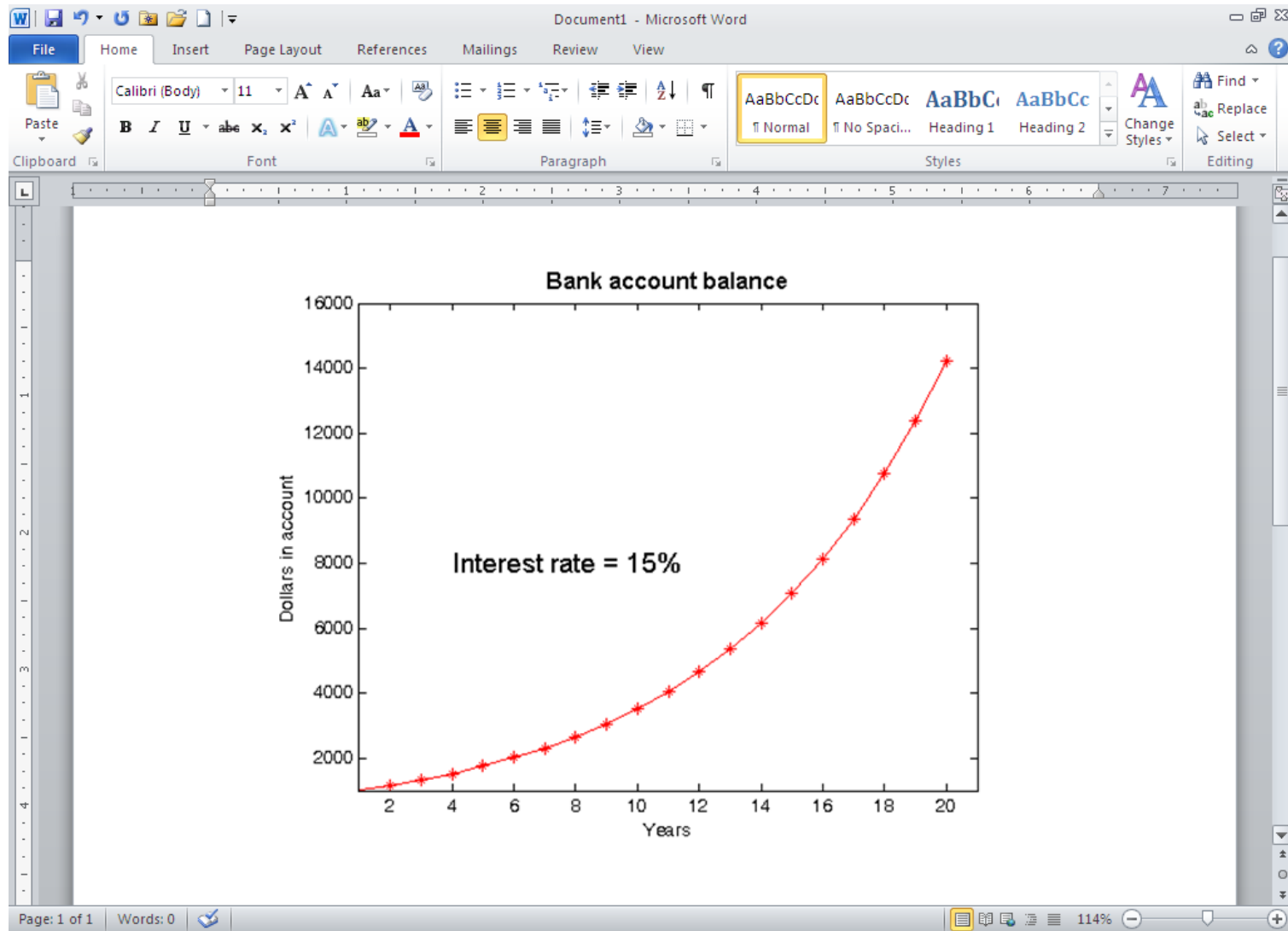
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Now you can open Microsoft Word:



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And paste your .PNG graph right onto the page:



CHAPTER 8

Write a Matlab Program



Matlab Tutorial Video

1. Online demo video - Writing a Matlab Program (04:57)
 - <http://www.mathworks.com/videos/writing-a-matlab-program-69023.html>

Links are also available at class website resource page:
http://spaceweather.gmu.edu/jzhang/teaching/2013_CDS301_Spring/resource.html



April 04, 2013

CHAPTER 9

ITERATION II: DOUBLE-NESTED FOR LOOPS (DNFL)

ITERATION: Double Nested FOR Loops (DNFL)

Now we come to a very important syntactic structure, the ***Double Nested FOR Loop*** (aka, “DNFL”)

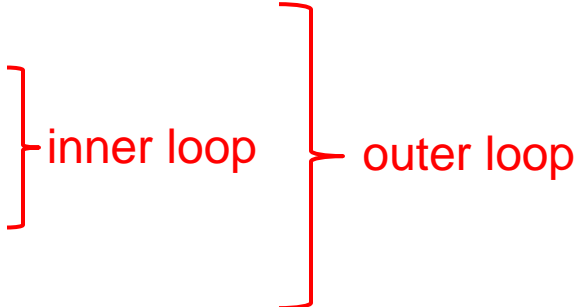
This is important precisely because double nested FOR loops enable us to “walk through” a two dimensional matrix, element by element.

This is the basis for ***image processing algorithms***.

ITERATION: DNFL

- **Syntax:** *As shown, and always the same* (except for the end limit of the indexes m and n , which could be any number other than 3—and frequently will be!)

```
for m = [1:3]
    for n = [1:3]
        statements
    end
end
```

A diagram consisting of two red curly braces. The inner brace is on the right side of the code, spanning the lines 'for n = [1:3]', 'statements', and 'end'. It is labeled 'inner loop'. The outer brace is on the right side of the code, spanning the lines 'for m = [1:3]', 'for n = [1:3]', 'statements', 'end', and the final 'end'. It is labeled 'outer loop'.

ITERATION: DNFL

```
for m = [1:3]
    for n = [1:3]
        statements
    end
end
```

inner loop } outer loop

What's happening:

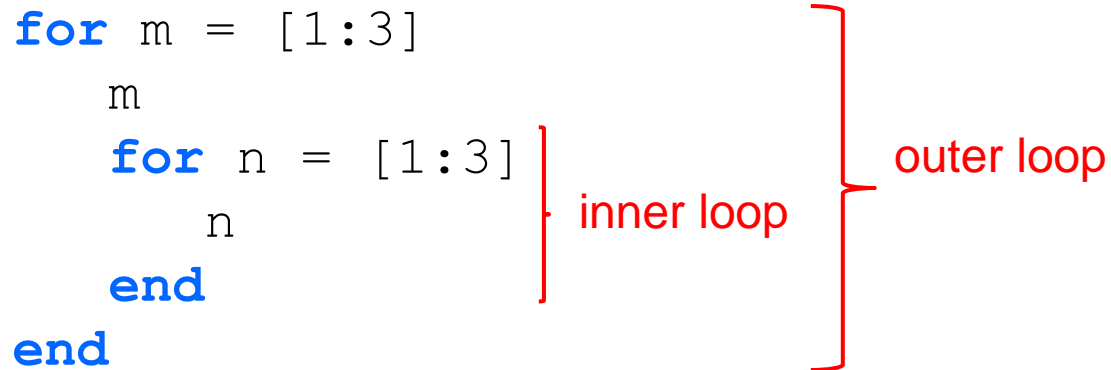
- `m` is assigned the value 1
- `n` is assigned the value 1
- the `statements` are executed
- the first `end` is encountered, sending execution to the top of the inner loop . More to do? If not, then . . .
- the second `end` is encountered, sending execution to the top of the outer loop. More to do? If not, then EXIT the outer loop and program execution continues onward, immediately following the second end statement.

ITERATION: DNFL

```
for m = [1:3]
    m
    for n = [1:3]
        n
    end
end
```

inner loop

outer loop

A diagram illustrating nested loops. The code is shown in blue. A red bracket on the right side of the code spans the inner loop and its 'end' statement, labeled "inner loop". A larger red bracket on the right side spans the entire code block, labeled "outer loop".

Simple example: When the above code is run, we get the following output . . .

m = 1
n = 1
n = 2
n = 3

m = 2
n = 1
n = 2
n = 3

m = 3
n = 1
n = 2
n = 3

First iteration outer;
inner iterates 3 times

Second iteration outer;
inner iterates 3 times

Third iteration outer;
inner iterates 3 times



ITERATION: DNFL

It is essential that each of you understand **WHY** each of the values of m and n printed out the way that they did.

Any questions so far?

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Instructions:

For the next several examples, please try to work out the answers without running the code in Matlab. This is essential, as it will enable you to develop your “Matlab intuition” and also to visualize the sequence of a computation (thus developing your ability to think algorithmically). Furthermore, you will not be allowed to use Matlab software on exams or quizzes and so it’s better to get the practice now rather than wait until later! You may, however, use scratch paper to work out answers.

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 21:

```
a = 1;  
b = 1;  
for m = [1:3]  
    for n = [1:3]  
        a  
        b  
    end  
end
```

What is printed out by the above Double Nested FOR loop?

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 21:

```
a = 1;  
b = 1;  
for m = [1:3]  
    for n = [1:3]  
        a  
        b  
    end  
end
```

What is printed out by the above Double Nested FOR loop?

```
a = 1  
b = 1  
(repeated nine times)
```

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 22:

```
a = 1;  
b = 1;  
for m = [1:3]  
    for n = [1:3]  
        a = a + 1;  
        b = b + a  
    end  
end
```

What is printed out by the above Double Nested FOR loop?
(You can use a calculator)

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 22:

```
a = 1;  
b = 1;  
for m = [1:3]  
    for n = [1:3]  
        a = a + 1;  
        b = b + a  
    end  
end
```

b = 3
b = 6
b = 10

When $m = 1$

b = 15
b = 21
b = 28

When $m = 2$

b = 36
b = 45
b = 55

When $m = 3$

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 23:

```
a = 1;  
b = 1;  
for m = [1:3]  
    for n = [1:3]  
        a = a + b;  
        b = b + a  
    end  
end
```

**BIG
NUMBERS**

What is printed out by the above Double Nested FOR loop?
(You can use a calculator)

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 23:

```
a = 1;  
b = 1;  
for m = [1:3]  
    for n = [1:3]  
        a = a + b;  
        b = b + a  
    end  
end
```

**BIG
NUMBERS**

b = 3

b = 8

b = 21

When m = 1

b = 55

b = 144

b = 377

When m = 2

b = 987

b = 2584

b = 6765

When m = 3

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 24:

```
a = 2;  
b = 3;  
for m = [1:3]  
    for n = [1:3]  
        a = a + b;  
        b = b + 1  
    end  
end
```

**TINY BIT
TRICKY!!**

What is printed out by the above Double Nested FOR loop?
(You can use a calculator—HINT: IF you really, really need one!)

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 24:

```
a = 2;  
b = 3;  
for m = [1:3]  
    for n = [1:3]  
        a = a + b;  
        b = b + 1  
    end  
end
```

**TINY BIT
TRICKY!!**

b = 4

b = 5

b = 6

When m = 1

b = 7

b = 8

b = 9

When m = 2

b = 10

b = 11

b = 12

When m = 3

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 25:

```
A(3,3) = 0;  
for m = [1:3]  
    for n = [1:3]  
        A(m,n) = m;  
    end  
end  
A
```

What is printed out by the above Double Nested FOR loop?

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 25:

```
A(3,3) = 0;  
for m = [1:3]  
    for n = [1:3]  
        A(m,n) = m;  
    end  
end  
A
```

A =

1	1	1
2	2	2
3	3	3

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 26:

```
A(3,3) = 0;  
for m = [1:3]  
    for n = [1:3]  
        A(m,n) = n;  
    end  
end  
A
```

What is printed out by the above Double Nested FOR loop?

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 26:

```
A(3,3) = 0;  
for m = [1:3]  
    for n = [1:3]  
        A(m,n) = n;  
    end  
end  
A
```

A =

1	2	3
1	2	3
1	2	3



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ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 27:

```
A = [1, 2, 3; 4, 5, 6; 7, 8, 9];  
for m = [1:3]  
    for n = [1:3]  
        A(m,n) = m - n;  
    end  
end  
A
```

What is printed out by the above Double Nested FOR loop?

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 27:

```
A = [1, 2, 3; 4, 5, 6; 7, 8, 9];  
for m = [1:3]  
    for n = [1:3]  
        A(m,n) = m - n;  
    end  
end  
A
```

A =

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

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 28:

```
A = [1, 2, 3; 4, 5, 6; 7, 8, 9];  
for m = [1:3]  
    for n = [1:3]  
        A(m,n) = m*n + 1;  
    end  
end  
A
```

What is printed out by the above Double Nested FOR loop?

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 28:

```
A = [1, 2, 3; 4, 5, 6; 7, 8, 9];  
for m = [1:3]  
    for n = [1:3]  
        A(m,n) = m*n + 1;  
    end  
end  
A
```

A =

2	3	4
3	5	7
4	7	10

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 29:

```
A = [1, 2, 3; 4, 5, 6; 7, 8, 9];  
B = [1 -2 2; 2 -2 3; 3 -3 4];  
C(3,3) = 0;  
for m = [1:3]  
    for n = [1:3]  
        C(m,n) = A(m,n) - B(m,n);  
        C(m,n) = C(m,n) * (-1);  
    end  
end  
C
```

What is printed out by the above Double Nested FOR loop?

ITERATION: DNFL – YOUR TURN!

Example 29:

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

```
B = [1 -2 2; 2 -2 3; 3 -3 4];
```

```
C(3,3) = 0;
```

```
for m = [1:3]
```

```
    for n = [1:3]
```

```
        C(m,n) = A(m,n) - B(m,n);
```

```
        C(m,n) = C(m,n) * (-1);
```

```
    end
```

```
end
```

```
C
```

C =

0	-4	-1
-2	-7	-3
-4	-11	-5

CHAPTER 10

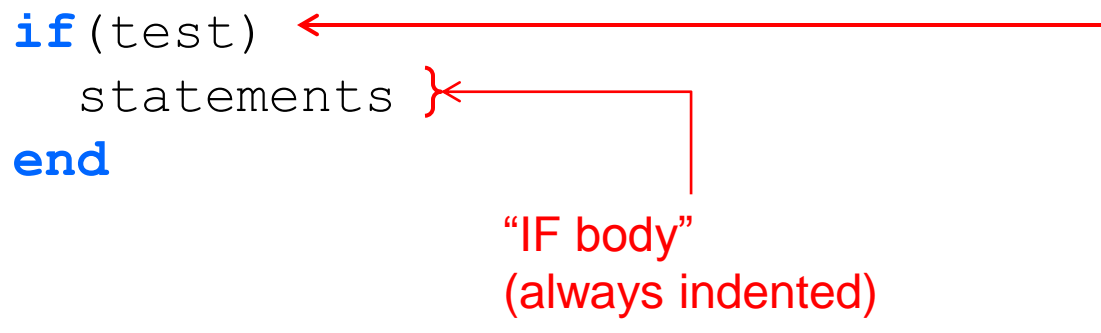
CONDITIONALS: IF STATEMENTS

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)

- **Syntax #1:** *As shown, for first variant.*

NOTE: The keywords `if` and `end` come in a pair—*never one without the other.*

```
if (test)
  statements
end
```

A diagram illustrating the syntax of an if statement. The code is shown as:

```
if (test)
  statements
end
```

Red arrows and text provide annotations: a red arrow points from the text "IF body" (always indented) to the indented "statements" line; another red arrow points from the same text to the "end" keyword; a third red arrow points from the text to the "if (test)" line.

What's happening in the first variant:


- IF checks `test` to see if `test` is **TRUE**
- if `test` is **TRUE**, then `statements` are executed
- if `test` is **FALSE**, then nothing happens, and program execution continues immediately after the `end` statement.

SIDE NOTE:
A LOGICAL
TEST

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)

- What is this thing, “test”, all about?

```
if (test)
    statements
end
```



- `test` is what’s called a “logical test”, or, “conditional”. It’s like asking the question, “Is this statement true?”
- Logical tests evaluate to a single truth value: either TRUE, or FALSE (never both!)
- The formal name for a `test` that evaluates to either TRUE or to FALSE, is a **PREDICATE**.

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)

- What is this thing, “test”, all about?

↓
`if (test)`
 statements
`end`

- The predicate is (usually) composed of a LHS and a RHS featuring “logical operators” and “relational operators”:

(logical connective)	&&	means	“AND”
(logical connective)		means	“OR”
(logical connective)	~	means	“NOT”
(relational operator)	>	means	“Greater than”
(relational operator)	<	means	“Less than”
(relational operator)	>=	means	“Greater-than-or-equal-to”
(relational operator)	<=	means	“Less-than-or-equal-to”
(relational operator)	==	means	“Equal-to”
(relational operator)	~=	means	“NOT Equal-to”

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)


- What is this thing, “test”, all about?

↓
`if` (test)
 statements
`end`

- So a complete `test` (or predicate) usually has a left hand side, one or more logical connectives and/or relational operators, and a right hand side.
- **The complete `test` asks a question that is answered only TRUE or FALSE (or if you prefer, “yes” or “no”) – BUT NEVER BOTH (called, the “Law of the Excluded Middle”)**
- Example predicate: The `test` $(x < y)$ asks the question, “**Is x less than y?**” There is ONLY one answer to this question: YES (true) or NO (false).

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)


- What is this thing, “test”, all about?


if (test)
 statements
end

Predicate Example	Relational Operator	Equivalent Question(s)
$(x > y)$	$>$	Is x greater than y?
$(x \leq y)$	\leq	Is x less-than-or-equal-to y?
$(x \geq y)$	\geq	Is x greater-than-or-equal-to y?
$(x == y)$	$==$	Is x equal to y?

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)

- What is this thing, “test”, all about?


if (test)
 statements
end

Predicate Example	Relational / Logical / Relational Sequence	Equivalent Question(s)
<code>(x == y) && (a == b)</code>	<code>==, &&, ==</code>	Is x equal to y AND is a equal to b?
<code>(x == y) (a < b)</code>	<code>==, , <</code>	Is x equal to y OR is a less than b?
<code>(x ~= y) && (a >= 0)</code>	<code>~=, &&, >=</code>	Is x NOT equal to y AND is a greater-than-or-equal-to 0?



How we write “NOT”

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)—Your Turn !

Instructions:

For the next several examples, please try to work out the answers without running the code in Matlab. This is essential, as it will enable you to develop your “Matlab intuition” and also to visualize the sequence of a computation (thus developing your ability to think algorithmically). Furthermore, you will not be allowed to use Matlab software on exams or quizzes and so it’s better to get the practice now rather than wait until later! You may, however, use scratch paper to work out answers.

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)—Your Turn !

Example 31:

```
c = 1;  
a = 1;  
b = 2;  
if (a + b < 3)  
    c = c + 1;  
end
```

Question: Will `c` be incremented by 1? Why or why not?



IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)—Your Turn !

Example 31:

```
c = 1;  
a = 1;  
b = 2;  
if (a + b < 3)  
    c = c + 1;  
end
```

Question: Will c be incremented by 1? Why or why not?

No, it will not: $a + b$ is equal to 3 and not less than 3!

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)—Your Turn !

Example 32:

```
c = 1;  
a = pi;  
b = 2;  
if (cos (a*b) == 1)  
    c = c + 1;  
end
```

Question: Will `c` be incremented by 1? Why or why not?

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)—Your Turn !

Example 32:

```
c = 1;  
a = pi;  
b = 2;  
if (cos (a*b) == 1)  
    c = c + 1;  
end
```

Question: Will c be incremented by 1? Why or why not?

Yes: $\cosine(2*\pi)$ is equal to 1

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)—Your Turn !

Example 33:

```
c = 1;  
a = pi;  
b = 2;  
if (cos (a*b) == 1 && a < b)  
    c = c + 1;  
end
```

Question: Will `c` be incremented by 1? Why or why not?

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)—Your Turn !

Example 33:

```
c = 1;  
a = pi;  
b = 2;  
if (cos (a*b) == 1 && a < b)  
    c = c + 1;  
end
```

Question: Will c be incremented by 1? Why or why not?

No: Although $\cos(2*\pi)$ is equal to 1, a is NOT less than b (rather: $\pi > 2$), and so BOTH CONDITIONS ARE NOT TRUE TOGETHER, which is what is required by AND, and so the statements bounded by IF and END will not execute!

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)—Your Turn !

Example 34:

```
c = 1;  
a = pi;  
b = 2;  
if (cos (a*b) == 0 || a > b)  
    c = c + 1;  
end
```

Question: Will `c` be incremented by 1? Why or why not?

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)—Your Turn !

Example 34:

```
c = 1;  
a = pi;  
b = 2;  
if (cos (a*b) == 0 || a > b)  
    c = c + 1;  
end
```

Question: Will `c` be incremented by 1? Why or why not?

Yes: Although `cosine(2* π)` is NOT equal to 0, in this case, we're dealing with an OR, which means either the first condition OR the second condition can be true, and then the entire test is considered true. That happens here.

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)—Your Turn !

Example 35:

```
c = 1;  
for m = 1:3  
    if (m <= m^2)  
        c = c + 1;  
    end  
end  
c
```

Question: What final value of `c` is printed out?

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)—Your Turn !

Example 35:

```
c = 1;  
for m = 1:3  
    if (m <= m^2)  
        c = c + 1;  
    end  
end  
c
```

Question: What final value of `c` is printed out?

c = 4

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)—Your Turn !

Example 36:

```
a = 0;  
c = 1;  
for m = 1:3  
    for n = 1:3  
        if (m > n)  
            c = c + 1;  
            a = c;  
        end  
    end  
end  
a
```

Question: What final value of `a` is printed out?

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)—Your Turn !

Example 36:

```
a = 0;  
c = 1;  
for m = 1:3  
    for n = 1:3  
        if (m > n)  
            c = c + 1;  
            a = c;  
        end  
    end  
end  
a
```

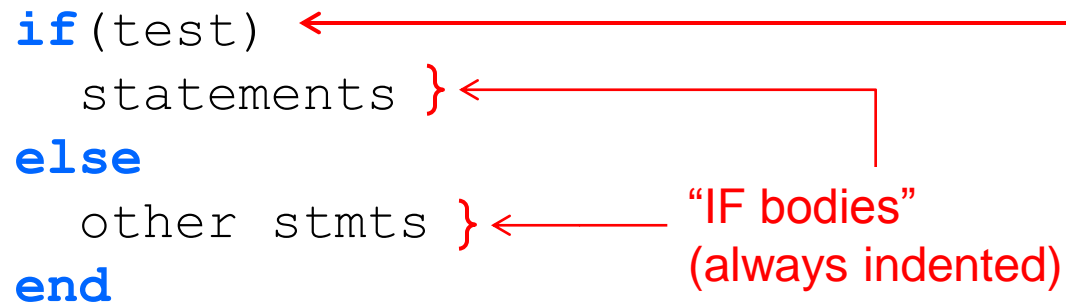
Question: What final value of `a` is printed out?

a = 4

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)

- **IF STATEMENT Syntax #2:** *As shown, for second variant*. **NOTE:** The keywords **if** and **end** come in a pair—*never one without the other*.

```
if (test) ←
  statements } ←
else
  other stmts } ← "IF bodies"
end          (always indented)
```



SIDE NOTE:
A LOGICAL
TEST

What's happening in the second variant:

- IF checks `test` to see if `test` is **TRUE**
- if `test` is **TRUE**, then `statements` are executed
- if `test` is **FALSE**, then `other stmts` are executed, and overall program execution continues immediately after the **end** statement.

IF STATEMENT Syntax #2: A way to select between TRUE and FALSE:

(assume a and b were previously assigned)

```
if (cos(a*b) == 0)
    c = c + 1;
else
    c = c - 1;
end
```

What happens now depends upon whether `cos(a*b) == 0` evaluates to TRUE or to FALSE: If to TRUE, then the statement `c = c + 1;` is executed but if FALSE, then the statement `c = c - 1;` is executed instead.

IF STATEMENT Syntax #2: ILLUSTRATION

(assume a and b were
previously assigned)

```
A(5,5) = 0.0;  
A = (A + 2)/2.0;  
if (cos(a*b) == 0)  
    c = c + 1;
```

```
else
```

```
    for m = [1:5]
```

```
        for n = [1:5]
```

```
            A(m,n) = A(m,n)/2.0
```

```
        end
```

```
    end
```

```
end
```

Here, an **entire**
double nested FOR
loop is executed if
 $\cos(a*b) == 0$
is false! If not, the
variable c is
incremented
instead.



IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)

- **IF STATEMENT Syntax #3: As shown, for third variant.** NOTE: The keywords **if** and **end** come in a pair—*never one without the other*. **elseif** doesn't need an **end** statement:

```
if (first test) ←
    first set of statements
elseif (second test) ←
    second set of statements
elseif (third test) ←
    third set of statements
    .
    .
    .
end
```

Multiple tests!

Multiple tests MEANS multiple outcomes are possible!

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)

IF STATEMENT Syntax #3: ILLUSTRATION 1

(assume a, b and c were previously assigned)

```
A(5,5) = 0.0;
A = (A + 2)/2.0;
if(cos(a*b) == 0)
    c = c + 1;
elseif(cos(a*b) < 0)
    for m = [1:5]
        for n = [1:5]
            A(m,n) = A(m,n)/2.0
        end
    end
elseif(cos(a*b) > 0)
    c = c - 1;
end
```

IF STATEMENT Syntax #3: ILLUSTRATION 2

(assume matrix A and variables a, b and c were all previously assigned)

```
if (A(1,1) == 0 && A(1,2) == 0 && A(1,3) == 0)
    c = c + 1;
elseif (A(1,1) == 0 && A(1,2) == 0 && A(1,3) == 1)
    c = c - 1;
elseif (A(1,1) == 0 && A(1,2) == 1 && A(1,3) == 0)
    c = a*b;
elseif (A(1,1) == 0 && A(1,2) == 1 && A(1,3) == 1)
    c = a/b
elseif (A(1,1) == 1 && A(1,2) == 0 && A(1,3) == 0)
    c = cos(a)*b
elseif (A(1,1) == 1 && A(1,2) == 0 && A(1,3) == 1)
    c = a*cos(b)
elseif (A(1,1) == 1 && A(1,2) == 1 && A(1,3) == 0)
    c = log(a*b)
elseif (A(1,1) == 1 && A(1,2) == 1 && A(1,3) == 1)
    c = a^b
end
```

**WOW!!
A Multi-
Branch
IF that
covers eight
possibilities!**

IF STATEMENT Syntax #3 ILLUSTRATIONS 1 & 2

The purpose of ILLUSTRATIONS 1 & 2 was to demonstrate to you that by using Syntax #3 (and also Syntax #1 and #2), it is possible to build up some very complex program capability! The ability of a program to evaluate conditionals and then select from a (possibly) wide range of available processing options – based on the outcome of the conditional evaluation – is what's enabled by the IF statement and its variations.

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)

Example 37:

```
a = 0;  
c = 0;  
for m = 1:3  
    for n = 1:3  
        if (m <= n)  
            c = c + 1;  
        end  
        if (c > a)  
            a = a + 1;  
        end  
    end  
end  
a
```

TRICKY!!

Question: What final value of `a` is printed out?

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)

Example 37:

```
a = 0;
c = 0;
for m = 1:3
    for n = 1:3
        if (m <= n)
            c = c + 1;
        end
        if (c > a)
            a = a + 1;
        end
    end
end
a
```

TRICKY!!

Question: What final value of `a` is printed out?

a = 6

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)

Example 38:

```
a = 0;
c = 1;
for m = 1:3
    for n = 1:3
        if (m <= n && c ~= a)
            c = c + 1;
        end
        if (c > a^2)
            a = a + 1;
        end
    end
end
a
```

**VERY
TRICKY!!**

Question: What final value of `a` is printed out?

a = 6

IF STATEMENTS (Conditionals)

Example 38:

```
a = 0;
c = 1;
for m = 1:3
    for n = 1:3
        if (m <= n && c ~= a)
            c = c + 1;
        end
        if (c > a^2)
            a = a + 1;
        end
    end
end
a
```

**VERY
TRICKY!!**

Question: What final value of `a` is printed out?

a = 3

The End

