CSE 152 Assignment 0  
Spring 2006  
Due Thursday, April 14, 5:00 PM

The purpose of this assignment is to gain some familiarity with Matlab programming. Matlab is intuitive and easy to use! Even if you don’t understand a command or a feature of the language, you can simply consult the reference manual that comes with the program.

Part 1 Print out the Matlab tutorial portion of the assignment and check each section off once you have completed it. You should not turn in any Matlab output. You may also make comments next to any portion that caused you trouble, or to make suggestions that would be useful for future revisions of the tutorial.

Part 2 Make your own artistic album cover! Using your newfound Matlab skills, write a program that does the following:

- Read in an image
- Resize the image to 256 × 256 pixels using bilinear interpolation
- Tile the image to form 4 quadrants, where
  - The top left quadrant is the original image
  - The top right is the red channel of the original image
  - The bottom left is the green channel
  - The bottom right is the blue channel

Test your program with the given image flag.jpg. Your program should be short (5 to 10 lines), and your result should match Figure 1. Interpret your results: does your program produce the correct output? Does the red / green / blue channel separation make sense? Why? Write a brief explanation / justification.

Finally, try running your program with a picture of your face! (Note that if your image dimensions are not square, the resulting picture may be distorted, so you may want to crop the image appropriately.) Turn in a copy of the source image and the final result with the assignment.

What to hand in

- A hardcopy of the completed tutorial, your Part 2 writeup, your Matlab code, and both pairs of images (source & result).
- Gather your Matlab source code and your results in a zip file, and attach it to an email addressed to mkchandraker@cs.ucsd.edu with the title CSE 152 Assignment 0.
Figure 1: The source image and result for flag.jpg
Matlab Tutorial

Adapted from http://www-cse.ucsd.edu/~sjb/classes/matlab/matlab.intro.html. See http://www-cse.ucsd.edu/~sjb/classes/matlab/ for more Matlab related resources.

1 Help and basics

- The symbol "%" is used in front of a comment.
- To get help type "help" (will give list of help topics) or "help topic"
- If you don't know the exact name of the topic or command you are looking for, type "lookfor keyword" (e.g., "lookfor regression")
- When writing a long matlab statement that exceeds a single row use "..." to continue statement to next row.
- When using the command line, a ";" at the end means matlab will not display the result. If ";" is omitted then matlab will display result.
- Use the up-arrow to recall commands without retyping them (and down arrow to go forward in commands).
- Other commands borrowed from emacs and/or tcsh: C-a moves to beginning of line (C-e for end), C-f moves forward a character (C-b moves back), C-d deletes a character, C-k cuts the line to the right of the cursor, C-u deletes an entire line, C-p goes back through the command history and C-n goes forward (equivalent to up and down arrows), tab command completion.

2 Objects in Matlab

The basic objects in matlab are scalars, vectors, and matrices.

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\begin{align*}
N &= 5 & \text{% a scalar} \\
v &= [1 \ 0 \ 0] & \text{% a row vector} \\
v &= [1;2;3] & \text{% a column vector} \\
v &= v' & \text{% transpose a vector} \\
& & \text{% (row to column or column to row)} \\
v &= [1:.5:3] & \text{% a vector in a specified range:} \\
v &= \pi *[{-4:4}]/4 & \text{% [start:stepsize:end]} \\
v &= [] & \text{% empty vector} \\
m &= [1 \ 2 \ 3; 4 \ 5 \ 6] & \text{% a matrix: 1ST parameter is ROWS}
\end{align*}
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\texttt{m = zeros(2,3)}  
\% a matrix of zeros: often MATLAB will run  
\% faster if you preallocate the matrix  
\% (e.g. filling it with zeros) before  
\% using it.  
\texttt{v = ones(1,3)}  
\% a matrix of ones  
\texttt{m = eye(3)}  
\% identity matrix  
\texttt{v = rand(3,1)}  
\% rand matrix (see also randn)  

\texttt{load matrix_data}

\texttt{matrix_data}

\texttt{v = [1 2 3];}
\texttt{v(3)}
\% access a vector element  
\% vector(number)

\texttt{m = [1 2 3; 4 5 6]}
\texttt{m(1,3)}
\% access a matrix element  
\% matrix(rownumber, columnnumber)

\texttt{m(2,:)}
\% access a matrix row (2nd row)

\texttt{m(:,1)}
\% access a matrix column (1st row)

\texttt{size(m)}
\% size of a matrix

\texttt{size(m,1)}
\% number rows

\texttt{size(m,2)}
\% number of columns

\texttt{m1 = zeros(size(m))}
\% create a new matrix with size of m

\texttt{who}
\% list of variables

\texttt{whos}
\% list/size/type of variables
3 Simple operations on vectors and matrices

3.1 Pointwise (element by element) Operations

Addition of vectors/matrices and multiplication by a scalar are done “element by element.”

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\begin{align*}
\mathbf{a} &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}; & \text{% vector} \\
2 \times \mathbf{a} & & \text{% scalar multiplication} \\
\mathbf{a} / 4 & & \text{% scalar multiplication} \\
\mathbf{b} &= \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 \end{bmatrix}; & \text{% vector} \\
\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b} & & \text{% pointwise vector addition} \\
\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b} & & \text{% pointwise vector addition} \\
\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} & & \text{% pointwise vector multiply (note .)} \\
\mathbf{a} / \mathbf{b} & & \text{% pointwise vector divide (note .)} \\
\log( \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} ) & & \text{% pointwise arithmetic operation} \\
\text{round}( \begin{bmatrix} 1.5 & 2; 2.2 & 3.1 \end{bmatrix} ) & & \text{% pointwise arithmetic operation}
\end{align*}
\]

3.2 Vector Operations (no for loops needed)

Built-in matlab functions operate on vectors, but if a matrix is given then the function operates on each column of the matrix.

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\begin{align*}
\mathbf{a} &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 4 & 6 & 3 \end{bmatrix} & \text{% vector} \\
\text{sum}(\mathbf{a}) & & \text{% sum of vector elements} \\
\text{mean}(\mathbf{a}) & & \text{% mean of vector elements} \\
\text{var}(\mathbf{a}) & & \text{% variance} \\
\text{std}(\mathbf{a}) & & \text{% standard deviation} \\
\text{max}(\mathbf{a}) & & \text{% maximum} \\
\mathbf{a} &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3; 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} & \text{% matrix} \\
\text{mean}(\mathbf{a}) & & \text{% mean of each column} \\
\text{max}(\mathbf{a}) & & \text{% max of each column} \\
\text{max}(\text{max}(\mathbf{a})) & & \text{% to obtain max of matrix} \\
\text{max}(\mathbf{a}(:)) & & \text{% or...}
\end{align*}
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3.3 Matrix Operations

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\begin{align*}
\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \T & & \text{\% row vector 1x3 times column vector 3x1} \\
& & \text{\% results in single number, also} \\
& & \text{\% known as dot product or inner product} \\
\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \T \times \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix} & & \text{\% column vector 3x1 times row vector 1x3} \\
& & \text{\% results in 3x3 matrix, also} \\
& & \text{\% known as outer product}
\end{align*}
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a = rand(3,2) % 3x2 matrix
b = rand(2,4) % 2x4 matrix
c = a * b % 3x4 matrix

a = [1 2; 3 4; 5 6] % 3 x 2 matrix
b = [5 6 7] % 1 x 3 vector
b * a % matrix multiply
a' * b' % matrix multiply

4 Saving your work

save mysession % creates mysession.mat with all variables
save mysession a b % save only variables a and b

clear all % clear all variables
clear a b % clear variables a and b

load mysession % load session
a
b

5 Relations and control statements

An example: given a vector v, create a new vector with values equal to v if they are greater than 0, and equal to 0 if they less than or equal to 0.

v = [3 5 -2 5 -1 0] % 1: FOR LOOPS
u = zeros( size(v) ); % initialize
for i = 1:size(v,2)
    if( v(i) > 0 )
        u(i) = v(i);
    end
end
u

v = [3 5 -2 5 -1 0] % 2: NO FOR LOOPS
u2 = zeros( size(v) ); % initialize
ind = find( v>0 ) % index into > 0 elements
u2(ind) = v(ind)

v .* ( v > 0 ) % 3: EVEN SIMPLER
6 Creating functions using m-files

Functions in matlab are written in m-files. Create a file called 'thres.m', and in this file put the following:

```matlab
function res = thres ( v )

u = zeros ( size (v) );
% initialize
ind = find ( v >0 )
% index into >0 elements
u(ind) = v(ind)

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Now, try these commands from the command line:

```matlab
v = [3 5 -2 5 -1 0]
% call from command line
thres( v )
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7 Plotting

Plotting is one aspect of Matlab that is different from other computer algebra systems (such as Maple or Mathematica). Plotting in Matlab is a bit “manual” in a sense that you need to discretize your domain by defining it as a vector or a matrix (or even a multi-dimensional array).

```matlab
x = [0 1 2 3 4];
% basic plotting
plot( x );
plot( x , 2*x );
axis( [0 8 0 8] );
% horizontal , then vertical axis range

x = pi*[ -24:24]/24;
plot( x , sin(x) );
xlabel( 'radians' );
ylabel( 'sin value' );
title( 'dummy' );
gtext( 'put cursor where you want text and press mouse' );
figure;
% multiple functions in separate graphs
subplot( 1,2,1 );
plot( x , sin(x) );
axis square;
subplot( 1,2,2 )
plot( x , 2.*cos(x) );
axis square;

figure;
% multiple functions in single graph
plot( x,sin(x) );
hold on;
plot (x, 2.*cos(x), '--' );
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legend('sin', 'cos');
hold off;

figure;
% matrices as images
m = rand(64,64);
imagesc(m)
colormap gray;
axis image
axis off;

8 Working with the Images and the Matlab Image Processing Toolbox

[I, map] = imread('trees.tif');
% read a TIFF image
figure
imshow(I, map)
% display it as indexed image w/colormap
I2 = ind2gray(I, map);
% convert it to grayscale
figure
imagesc(I2, [0 1])
% scale data to use full colormap
% for values between 0 and 1
colormap('gray')
% use gray colormap
axis('image')
% make displayed aspect ratio proportional
% to image dimensions

I = imread('photo.jpg');
% read a JPEG image into 3D array
figure
imshow(I)
rect = getrect;
% select rectangle
I2 = imcrop(I, rect);
% crop
I2 = rgb2gray(I2);
% convert cropped image to grayscale
imagesc(I2)
% scale data to use full colormap
% between min and max values in I2
colormap('gray')
colorbar
% turn on color bar
pixval
% display pixel values interactively
truesize
% display at resolution of one screen
% pixel per image pixel
truesize(2*size(I2))
% display at resolution of two screen
% pixels per image pixel

I3 = imresize(I2, 0.5, 'bil');
% resize by 50% using bilinear
% interpolation
I3 = imrotate(I2, 45, 'bilinear', 'crop'); % rotate 45 degrees and crop to original size
I3 = double(I2); % convert from uint8 to double, to allow math operations
imagesc(I3.^2) % display squared image (pixel-wise)
imagesc(log(I3)) % display log of image