

# Lecture 3: Element-wise Operations, Indexing

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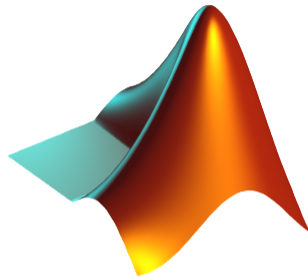
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1. Element-wise Operations
2. Indexing





## Warm Up: Complex Power Delivered To a Circuit

Consider the impedance matrix  $\mathbf{Z}$  and feeding voltage vector  $\mathbf{V}$  are known.

Evaluate:

- ▶ Current:

$$\mathbf{I} = \mathbf{Z}^{-1}\mathbf{V}$$

- ▶ Total power delivered to the system:

$$P = \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{I}^H\mathbf{V}.$$

- ▶ Is the circuit, represented by  $\mathbf{Z}$ , active or passive? Judge from the real part of  $P$ ...

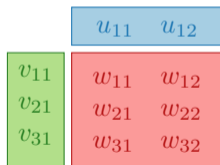
$$\mathbf{Z} = Z_0 \begin{bmatrix} 1 + 1j & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 - 1j & -1j \\ 2 & -1j & 3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{V} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$



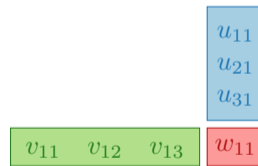
# Vector and Matrix Operations

- ▶ Remember that matrix multiplication is not commutative, i.e.  $\mathbf{AB} \neq \mathbf{BA}$ .
- ▶ Remember that vector-vector multiplication results in

$$\mathbf{v}_{M,1} \mathbf{u}_{1,N} = \mathbf{w}_{M,N}$$



$$\mathbf{v}_{1,M} \mathbf{u}_{M,1} = \mathbf{w}_{1,1}$$



...pay attention to the dimensions of matrices!



# Element-by-element Vector Product

- ▶ It is possible to multiply arrays of the same size in the element-by-element manner in MATLAB.
  - ▶ Result of the operation is an array.
  - ▶ Size of all arrays are the same, *e.g.*, in the case of  $1 \times 3$  vectors:

$$\mathbf{a} = [ a_1 \quad a_2 \quad a_3 ] \quad \mathbf{b} = [ b_1 \quad b_2 \quad b_3 ]$$

```
>> a*b
```

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \end{bmatrix} * \begin{bmatrix} b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow$$

Error using \*  
(Inner matrix dimensions must agree.)

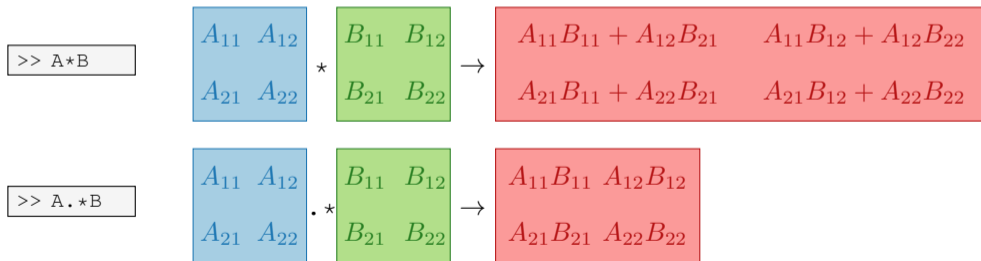
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>> a.*b
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$$\begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \end{bmatrix} .* \begin{bmatrix} b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} a_1b_1 & a_2b_2 & a_3b_3 \end{bmatrix} = [a_i b_i]$$



# Element-by-element Matrix Product

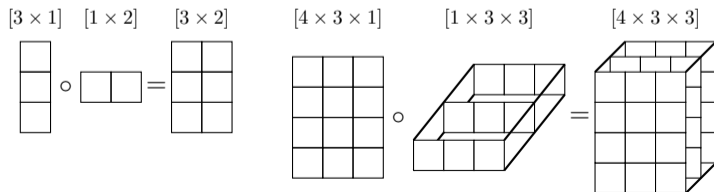
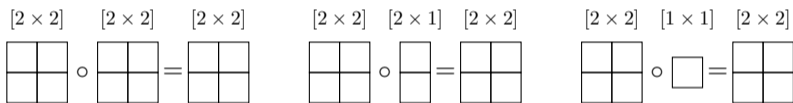
- ▶ If element-by-element multiplication of two matrices of the same size is needed, use the `.*` operator.
  - ▶ It is so called *Hadamard product*/*element-wise product*/*Schur product*:  $\mathbf{A} \circ \mathbf{B}$ .
  - ▶ These two cases of multiplication are distinguished:





# Compatible Array Size

- ▶ Since MATLAB version R2016b most two-input (binary) operators support arrays that have *compatible sizes*.
  - ▶ Variables have compatible sizes if their sizes are either the same or one of them is 1 (for all dimensions).
- ▶ Examples:
  - ▶  $\circ$  represents arbitrary two-input element-wise operator (+, -, .\*, ./, &, <, ==, ...).



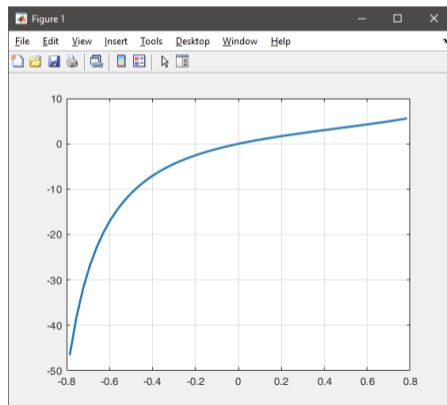


# Element-wise Operations I.

- ▶ Elements-wise operations can be applied to vectors as well in MATLAB. Element-wise operations can be usefully combined with vector functions.
- ▶ It is possible, quite often, to eliminate 1 or even 2 for-loops!!!
- ▶ These operations are extremely efficient → allow use of so called **vectorization** (*see later*).

$$f(x) = \frac{10}{(x+1)} \tan(x), \quad x \in \left[-\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4}\right]$$

```
x = -pi/4:pi/100:pi/4;
fx = 10 ./ (1 + x) .* tan(x);
plot(x, fx)
grid on
```







## Element-wise Operations II.

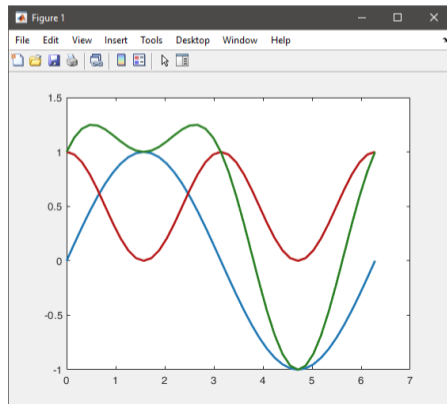
- ▶ Evaluate functions of the variable  $x \in [0, 2\pi]$ :
- ▶ Evaluate the functions in evenly spaced points of the interval, the spacing is  $\Delta x = \pi/20$ .
- ▶ For verification use:

```
plot(x, f1, x, f2, x, f3)
```

$$f_1(x) = \sin(x)$$

$$f_2(x) = \cos^2(x)$$

$$f_3(x) = f_1(x) + f_2(x)$$





# Element-wise Operations III.

- ▶ Depict graphically following functional dependency in the interval  $x \in [0, 5\pi]$ .
- ▶ Plot the result using the following function:

$$f_4(x) = \frac{-\cos(3x)}{\cos(x) \sin\left(x - \frac{\pi}{5}\right) - \pi}$$

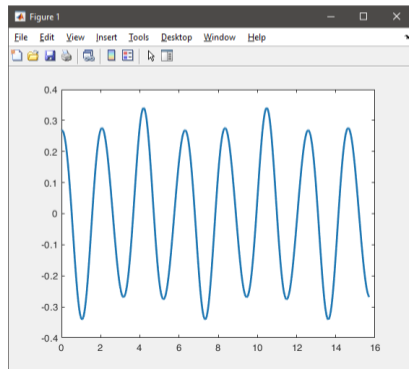
```
plot(x, f4)
```

- ▶ Explain the difference in the way of multiplication of matrices of the same size.

```
>> A*B
```

```
>> A.*B
```

```
>> A' .* B
```





# What Element-wise Operation is Correct?

- ▶ Consider the operation  $a1 \wedge a2$ . Is this operation applicable to the following cases?

$a1$ – matrix	$a2$ – scalar
$a1$ – matrix	$a2$ – matrix
$a1$ – matrix	$a2$ – vector
$a1$ – scalar	$a2$ – scalar
$a1$ – scalar	$a2$ – matrix
$a1, a2$ – matrix	$a1 \cdot a2$

You can always create the matrices  $a1, a2$  and make a test ...



# Indexing in MATLAB

- ▶ Mastering **indexing is crucial** for efficient work with MATLAB.
- ▶ Up to now, we have been working with entire matrices, quite often we need, however, to access individual elements of arrays.
- ▶ Two ways of accessing matrices/vectors are distinguished.
  - ▶ Access using round brackets “()”.
    - ▶ Matrix indexing: refers to position of elements in a matrix.
  - ▶ Access using square brackets “[]”.
    - ▶ Matrix concatenation: refers to element’s order in a matrix.



# Indexing in MATLAB I.

- ▶ Let's consider following triplet of matrices.
  - ▶ Execute individual commands and find out their meaning.
  - ▶ Start from inner part of the commands.
  - ▶ Note the meaning of the pointer end.

$$\mathbf{N}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} -5 \\ 0 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{N}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 & 8 & 10 \\ 2 & 3 & 5 & 7 & 11 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{N}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 11 & 12 & 13 & 14 \\ 22 & 24 & 26 & 28 \\ 33 & 36 & 39 & 42 \\ 44 & 48 & 52 & 56 \end{bmatrix}$$

```
N1 = (-5:5:5)'; N2 = [1:5;2:2:10;primes(11)]; N3 = (1:4)'*(11:14);
```

```
N1(1:3)
N1([1 2 3])
N1(3:-1:1)
N1([1 3])
N1([1 3].')
N1([1 3]).'
N1([1; 3])
N1([1 3],1)
```

```
N2(1, 3)
N2(3, 1)
N2(1, end)
N2(end, end)
N2(1, :)
N2(1, :).''
N2(:, 2)
N2(:, 3:end)
```

```
N3(2:3, [1 1 1]) % like repmat
N3(2:3, ones(1,3))
N3(2:3, ones(3,1))
N3([N2(2,1:2)/2 4], [2 3])
N3([1 end], [1:4 1:2:end])
N3(:, :, 2) = magic(4)
N3([1 3], 3:4, 3) = ...
[1/2 -1/2; pi*ones(1, 2)]
```



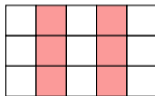
# Indexing in MATLAB II.

- ▶ Remember the meaning of end and the application of colon operator “:”.

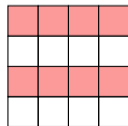
- ▶ Flip the elements of the vector  $\mathbf{N}_1$  without use of `fliplr`/`flipud` functions.



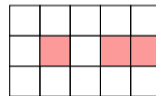
- ▶ Select only the even columns of  $\mathbf{N}_2$ .



- ▶ Select only the odd rows of  $\mathbf{N}_3$ .



- ▶ Select 2nd, 4th and 5th column of 2nd row of  $\mathbf{N}_2$ .



- ▶ Create matrix  $\mathbf{A}$  of size  $4 \times 3$  containing numbers 1 to 12 (row-wise, from left to right).



# Indexing in MATLAB IV.

- ▶ Which one of the following returns corner elements of a matrix **A** ( $10 \times 10$ )?

```
A([1, 1], [end, end])  
A([1, 1], [1, end], [end, 1], [end, end])  
A([1, end], [1, end])  
A(1:end, 1:end)
```



# Deleting and Replacing Elements of a Matrix

Empty matrix is a crucial concept in deleting elements of a matrix.

```
T = [];
```

We want to:

- ▶ Remove 2nd row of a matrix **A**.

```
A(2, :) = []
```

- ▶ Remove 1st, 2nd and 5th column of a matrix **A**.

```
A(:, [1 2 5]) = []
```

- ▶ Replace 3rd column of a matrix **A** (of size  $M \times N$ ) by a vector  $\mathbf{x}$  (length  $M$ ).

```
A(:, 3) = x
```

- ▶ Replace 2nd, 4th and 5th row of a matrix **A** by three rows of a matrix **B** (number of columns of both **A** and **B** is the same).

```
A([2 4 5], :) = B(1:3, :)
```





# Deleting, Adding and Replacing Matrices

- ▶ Which of the following deletes the first and the last column of matrix **A** ( $6 \times 6$ )?
  - ▶ Create your own matrix and give it a try.
  
- ▶ Replace 2nd, 3rd and 5th row of matrix **A** by first row of matrix **B**.
  - ▶ Assume the number of columns of matrices **A** and **B** is the same.
  - ▶ Consider the case where **B** has more columns than **A**.
  - ▶ What happens if **B** has less columns than **A**?

```

A[1, end] = 0
A(:, 1, end) = []
A(:, [1:end]) = []
A(:, [1 end]) = []
```



# Linear Indexing

- ▶ Elements of an array of arbitrary number of dimensions and arbitrary size can be referred using simple index.
  - ▶ Indexing takes place along the main dimension (column-wise) then along the secondary dimension (row-wise) etc.

A = magic(3)

8	1	6
3	5	7
4	9	2

A(1:end)  
A(:)

8	1	6
3	5	7
4	9	2

Diagram illustrating column-wise indexing. Vertical green arrows point down from each column. Red dashed arrows point up from the bottom of each column to the top of the next column, indicating the sequence of elements visited during column-wise traversal.



8
3
4
1
5
9
6
7
2

Diagram illustrating row-wise indexing. A vertical green arrow points down along the right side of the column, indicating the sequence of elements visited during row-wise traversal.

A([1 5])

8	1	6
3	5	7
4	9	2

Diagram illustrating the result of indexing A([1 5]). The elements 8, 1, 6, 3, 5, 7 are highlighted in green in the original image, representing the elements at row indices 1 and 5.

A([1 5], :)

Index in position 1  
exceeds array bounds  
(must not exceed 3).

# Questions?

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