Review of Lecture 6

Create a matrix in MATLAB

```
% Create a 2x3 matrix
>> M = [7, 2, 3; 9, 5, 1];
>> M=[7 2 3; 9 5 1];
% Create a 3x3 matrix using enter key
>> M = [7 2 3
9 5 1
7 4 9]
% arranged rows
>> M = [1:3; 4:6; 7:2:11]
```

Some usual matrices

```
zeros(), ones(), eye()
```

rand() function

```
rand, rand(n), rand(n,m)
randi, randi(i), rand(i,n), randi(i,n,m)
```

Operations on matrices

```
M(x), V(i,j), M(i:ii,j:jj)
M(i,:); M(:,j),
M(i,:) = [], M(:,j) = [], M(i,j) = a
M(i,:) = V, M(:,j) = V,
M = [M, v], M = [M; v]
```

Important functions for matrices

```
size(), numel(), det(), trace(), inv()
```

Algebraic operations

```
A+B, A-B, A.*B, A./B, A*B, A/B
```

Info 3 Introduction to MATLAB®

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Lecture 7

Control instructions (if and switch statements)

1. Control instructions if and switch

In MATLAB environments, if-else and switch are important control tasks and conditional statements that help the users to take decisions based on various conditions.

2. if-else statement

The if-else statement is employed to execute various parts of a program based on whether a specified condition is true or false.

- 1. if statement
- 2. if-else statement
- 3. if-elseif-else statement

2.1 if statemer

The **if** statement is utilized to test and examine a condition.

If the condition is **true**, a program or a set of instructions is executed.

The general form of the **if** statement is as follows.

```
if condition
     <Instructions>
end
```

Calculate the **root square** of a positive number.

SquareRoot.m

>> SquareRoot

ins

```
x = input('Please enter a number: ');
if x >= 0
fprintf('SQRT of %.2f is : %.2f\n', x, sqrt(x));
end
```

```
Please enter a number: 4
SQRT of 4.00 is: 2.00

>> SquareRoot
Please enter a number: -4
>>
```

2.2 if-else statement

Generally, the **if** statement is followed by another statement called **else** that allows to run another code or program when the condition in the **if** statement is **false**.

```
if condition
     <Instruction 1>
else
     <Instruction 2>
end
```

Calculate the **absolute** value of a number.

```
|x| = \begin{cases} -x & \text{if } x < 0 \\ x & \text{if } x >= 0 \end{cases}
```

absolute.m

```
x = input('Please enter a number: ');
if x < 0
   Absx = -x;
else
   Absx = x;
end
fprintf('Absolute value of %.2f is %.2f \n',x, Absx);</pre>
```

2.2 if-elseif-else statement

In some cases, **if** statement can be followed by one or more optional **elseif** and an **else** statement, which is very useful to test various conditions.

```
if condition 1
   <Tnstructions 1>
elseif condition 2
   <Instructions 2>
else
   <Tnstructions 3>
end
```

Determine if a number is positive, negative or null.

numberType.m

```
x = input('Please enter a number: ');
if x > 0
    type = 'positive';
elseif x < 0
    type = 'negative';
else
    type = 'null';
end
fprintf('%.2f is a %s number.\n',x, type);
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Determine if a number i Please enter a number: 4 4.00 is a positive number. >> numberType Please enter a number: -8 -8.00 is a negative number. >> numberType Please enter a number: 0

0.00 is a null number.

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3. Switch statement

The mechanism of the **switch** statement is based on **selecting one among various blocks to be executed**, this is done according to the value of a specific expression.

3. Switch grade.m

The mechanism of the switch true various blocks to be case numGrade >= 18 specific expression. Ir

Displays the grade of a student based on their numerical score.

0 Very weak 5 Weak 10 Middle 15 Good 18 Excellent 20 rade.m

```
numGrade = input('Enter the numerical grade (0-20): ');
       Grade = 'Excellent';
case numGrade >= 15
        Grade = 'Good';
case numGrade >= 10
        Grade = 'Middle';
case numGrade >= 5
        Grade = 'Weak';
case numGrade \geq = 0
        Grade = 'Very weak';
otherwise
        Grade = 'not a valid numerical grade';
end
fprintf('The letter grade for %.2f is: %s\n', numGrade, Grade);
```

Determine the type of a vehicle based on a category

3. Switch

The mechanism of the various blocks to be specific expression. In

Road vehicle

- Car
- Truck
- Bus

Water vehicle

- Boat
- Ship

Air vehicle

- Plane
- Helicopter

vehicle.m

>> vehicle

Enter the vehicle type: plane
This is an air vehicle.

Practice