# MatLab Programming Fundamentals

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The aim of the course is to acquire basics knowledge and skills of students the MatLab program. At the end of the course students will be able to use MatLab for their own work and will be ready to deepen their programming skills in MatLab.

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time requirements: 0p+2c

exercises:

ses: Monday 10:40-12:15; 12:30-14:05 (B-PC2, Tunák M.)

Tuesday 08:50-10:25; 10:40-12:15 (B-PC2, Tunák M.)

consultation: Wednesday 10:40-12:15 (E-KHT)

## Requirements on student/graded credit

- participation in exercises (max. 3 absences)
- elaboration of semester work (after approval of the semester work, you can attend a practical demonstration)
- practical demonstration of acquired skills (there will be 1-2 examples to solve; elaboration time 1 hour; you can use any materials ...)

## IS/STAG Syllabus

- Getting started with Matlab. Working environment, windows, paths, basic commands, variables. Loading, saving and information about variables. Help.
- Mathematics with vectors and matrices. Creating vectors and matrices. Indexing. Special matrices. Matrix operations. Element by element operations. Relational operations, logical operations, examples and tricks.
- 3. Control flow. Loops, conditional statements, examples.
- Script m-files, Function m-files.
- 5. Visualisation. Two-dimensional graphics. Three-dimensional graphics.
- 6. Graphical user interface.
- 7.-10. Statistics and Machine Learning Toolbox. Basics of statistical data processing, exploratory data analysis, descriptive statistics, data visualisation, hypothesis testing, confidence intervals, regression analysis, control charts.
- 11.-13. Solution of practical problems in textile and industrial engineering.

#### Recommended

MathWorks. Getting Started with MATLAB. [Online]. Dostupné z:

https://www.mathworks.com/help/matlab/getting-started-with-matlab.html

#### Study materials

http://elearning.tul.cz

#### Installation

http://liane.tul.cz/cz/software/MATLAB

## **Statistics and Machine Learning Toolbox**

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#### Hypothesis Testing

Hypothesis Testing

Statistical hypothesis - assumption about probability distribution of one or more random variables. The assumption applies to the parameters of distribution of a random variable in the population or can only relate to of the law of distribution of a random variable (to the distribution function, the quantile function or probability density function).

Test statistical hypothesis - a rule based on results obtained from random sample objectively prescribes the decision, if any whether or not the verified hypothesis is rejected. When testing, a distinction is made between the tested null hypothesis  $H_0$  and the alternative hypothesis  $H_A$ . The test should decide whether to reject the null hypothesis or not. An alternative hypothesis is the one we accept if we reject the null hypothesis.

To test the null hypothesis, relevant test statistics are constructed. If it falls this statistic into the region of acceptance, the null hypothesis is does not reject. However, if it falls into a critical region, it is zero hypothesis rejected. The probability of a test statistic falling into a critical region is called the significance level  $\alpha$  (0.05, 0.01). The critical region can be defined two tailed or one tailed. Two tailed defines if there is no reason why the test statistic should have either only a positive or negative sign. The significance level  $\alpha$  is then decomposed on two identical parts of size  $\alpha/2$ .

The process of testing hypotheses can be divided into several steps.

- formulation of null hypothesis H<sub>0</sub> and alternative hypothesis H<sub>A</sub> according to the nature of the problem
- ullet choice of significance level lpha
- choice of test statistics, i.e. function of random sample values with a known probability distribution in case of the null hypothesis is valid
- determination of the critical region of the test characteristic on the basis of its probability distribution and significance level
- obtaining a random sample, calculation of test statistics and their quantiles, which form the critical region
- decision whether
  - reject hypothesis H<sub>0</sub> and accept H<sub>A</sub> if the calculated value of test statistics will fall into the critical region
  - do not reject hypothesis H<sub>0</sub> if the calculated test value characteristics do not fall into the critical region

#### A one sample ttest

ttest

Let  $x_1,...,x_n$  sample from distribution  $N(\mu,\sigma^2)$ , where n>1 and  $\sigma^2>0$  is unknown. We test the null hypothesis against the alternative

$$H_0: \mu = \mu_0$$
  
 $H_A: \mu \neq \mu_0$ 

Test statistics

$$T = \frac{\overline{x} - \mu_0}{s} \sqrt{(n)}$$

Hypothesis  $H_0$  is rejected at the significance level  $\alpha$  if it is valid

$$|T| \geqslant t_{n-1}(1-\alpha/2)$$

If the inequality does not apply, then we do not reject  $H_0$ . Critical fields of hypothesis tests  $H_0$ :  $\mu = \mu_0$  against various alternatives  $H_A$  for significance level  $\alpha$ 

$H_0$	$H_A$	testing characteristics	critical region
$\mu = \mu_0$	$\mu > \mu_0$ $\mu < \mu_0$	$T = \frac{\overline{x} - \mu_0}{s} \sqrt{(n)}$	$T \geqslant t_{n-1}(1-\alpha)$ $T < t_{n-1}(\alpha)$ $ T  \geqslant t_{n-1}(1-\alpha/2)$
	$\mu \neq \mu_0$		$ I  \ge t_{n-1}(1-\alpha/2)$

• Example: When inspecting the packaging machine to be filled packages weighing 1 kg, the following deviations were found during the exact weighing of 5 packages: -3, 2, -2, 0, -1 It is necessary to find out whether the automaton has a systematic deviation from the required value. <sup>1</sup>

**Solution**: We will consider individual deviations as realizations of independent random variables with distribution  $N(\mu,\sigma^2)$ , where  $\sigma^2$  is an unknown parameter. It is necessary to test the hypothesis  $H_0:\mu=0$  (i.e. that the deviations fluctuate around zero and are not systematically shifted to either positive or negative values). We have:

$$n=5,\mu_0=0$$

$$T = \frac{-0.8 - 0}{1.9235} \sqrt{(5)} = -0.9300$$

Since  $0.9300 \geqslant t_4(0.975) = 2.7764$  does not apply to inequality, the data obtained do not contradict the assumption that the automaton does not have a systematic deviation (we do not reject  $H_0$ ).



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Anděl, J., Matematická statistika, SNTL Praha, 1985

```
>> x=[-3 2 -2 0 -1]
x =
>> [h,p,ci,stats]=ttest(x)
h =
     0
  =
    0.4050
ci =
   -3.1884 1.5884
stats =
  struct with fields:
    tstat: -0.9300
       df: 4
       sd: 1.9235
```

- The result h je 1, if the test rejects the null hypothesis at the 5% significance level, and 0 otherwise.
- p-value is the probability of observing a test statistic as extreme as, or more extreme than, the observed
  value under the null hypothesis (small values of p cast doubt on the validity of the null hypothesis.)
- ci confidence interval for the true population mean, returned as a two-element vector containing the lower and upper boundaries of the 100% (1-alfa) confidence interval.
- stats tstat value of the test statistic, df degrees of freedom of the test, sd estimated population
   standard deviation



## A one sample variance test

vartest

Let  $x_1,...,x_n$  sample from distribution  $N(\mu,\sigma^2)$ , where n>1 and  $\sigma^2>0$  is unknown. We test the null hypothesis against the alternative

$$H_0: \sigma^2 = \sigma_0^2$$
  
 $H_A: \sigma^2 \neq \sigma_0^2$ 

Test statistics

$$\chi^2 = \frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma_0^2}$$

Hypothesis  $H_0$  is rejected at the significance level lpha if it is valid

$$\chi^2_{n-1}(\alpha/2) \leqslant \chi^2 \leqslant \chi^2_{n-1}(1-\alpha/2)$$

If the inequality does not apply ,then we do not reject  $H_0$ . Critical field of hypothesis tests  $H_0: \sigma^2 = \sigma_0^2$  against various alternatives  $H_A$  for significance level  $\alpha$ 

H <sub>0</sub>	$H_A$	testing characteristics	critical region
	$\sigma^2 > \sigma_0^2$	2	$\chi^2 \geqslant \chi^2_{n-1}(1-\alpha)$
$\sigma^2 = \sigma_0^2$	$\sigma^2 < \sigma_0^2$	$\chi^2 = \frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma_s^2}$	$\chi^2 < \chi^2_{n-1}(\alpha)$
	$\sigma^2 \neq \sigma_0^2$	0	$\chi^2_{n-1}(\alpha/2) \le \chi^2 \le \chi^2_{n-1}(1-\alpha/2)$

#### Paired t-test

ttest

Let's have a random sample of  $(y_1,z_1),...,(y_n,z_n)$  from some a two-dimensional distribution whose vector of mean values is  $(\mu_1,\mu_2)$ . We want to test the null hypothesis against the alternative

$$H_0: \mu_1 - \mu_2 = \Delta$$
  
 $H_A: \mu_1 - \mu_2 \neq \Delta$ 

where  $\Delta$  s a given number. We put  $x_1=y_1-z_1,...,x_n=y_n-z_n$ . Quantities  $(x_1,...,x_n)$  are independent and we assume that  $x_i\sim N(\mu,\sigma^2)$ , i=1,...,n. Apparently  $\mu=\mu_1-\mu_2$ . If these prerequisites are met, it is actually a test

$$H_0: \mu = \Delta$$
  
 $H_A: \mu \neq \Delta$ 

This actually translates the task into a one-sample t-test. First, from  $x_1,...,x_n$  calculate  $\overline{x},s^2$ . We reject the hypothesis  $H_0$  at the level of significance  $\alpha$ , if it is valid

$$\frac{|\overline{x} - \Delta|}{s} \sqrt{(n)} \geqslant t_{n-1} (1 - \alpha/2)$$

The paired t-test is used in situations where we have two quantities measured on each of the n objects. Individual objects can usually be considered independent, but measurements on the same object are not (e.g. properties before material treatment and after material treatment of the same samples - if the mean value of differences does not differ significantly from zero, it means that the effect of material processing is not statistically significant for the observed property ).

Example: We need to decide whether a car of certain marks, when the car's geometry is set correctly, are driven by both front tires just as fast. Therefore, 6 new cars were selected and after a certain time it was found out how many mm their right and left front tires went down. 2

car	1	2	3	4	5	6
right tire used by	1.8	1.0	2.2	0.9	1.5	1.6
left tire used by	1.5	1.1	2.0	1.1	1.4	1.4
difference	0.3	-0.1	0.2	-0.2	0.1	0.2



**Solution:** We will consider the differences in the used tires as the realization of independent random variables with a distribution  $N(\mu,\sigma^2)$ , where  $\sigma^2$  is unknown. If both front tires roll at the same speed, the hypothesis applies  $H_0:\mu=0$ .

$$\frac{|\overline{x} - \Delta|}{s} \sqrt{(n)} = \frac{0.0833}{0.1941} \sqrt{(6)} = 1.0518$$

Since  $1.051 < t_5(0.975) = 2.5706$ , based on the data obtained, the hypothesis that both front tires run at the same speed cannot be rejected.

```
>> r=[1.8 1 2.2 0.9 1.5 1.6];
>> 1=[1.5 1.1 2 1.1 1.4 1.4];
\Rightarrow [h,p,ci,stats] = ttest(r,l)
h =
     0
    0.3411
ci =
   -0.1203
             0.2870
stats =
  struct with fields:
    tstat: 1.0518
       df: 5
       sd: 0.1941
```

#### Two sample t-test

ttest2

Let us have two samples of the range  $n_1$  a  $n_2$  from distributions  $N(\mu_1,\sigma_1^2)$  and  $N(\mu_2,\sigma_2^2)$  and sample averages  $\overline{x}_1,\overline{x}_2$ , the variances  $\sigma_1^2$  and  $\sigma_2^2$  are unknown. We test the null hypothesis against the alternative

$$H_0: \mu_1 = \mu_2$$
  
 $H_A: \mu_1 \neq \mu_2$ 

(a) If  $\sigma_1^2 = \sigma_2^2$  (which is verified by F - test) the test criterion is:

$$T = \frac{\overline{x}_1 - \overline{x}_2}{\sqrt{(n_1 - 1)s_1^2 + (n_2 - 1)s_2^2}} \sqrt{\frac{n_1 n_2 (n_1 + n_2 - 2)}{n_1 + n_2}}$$

Hypothesis  $H_0$  is reject at the  $\alpha$  significance level if it is valid

$$|T| \geqslant t_{n_1+n_2-2}(1-\alpha/2)$$

If the inequality does not apply, then we do not reject  $H_0$ .

**(b)** If  $\sigma_1^2 \neq \sigma_2^2$  the test criterion is:

$$T = \frac{\overline{x}_1 - \overline{x}_2}{\sqrt{\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_2^2}{n_2}}}$$

Hypothesis  $H_0$  is reject at the  $\alpha$  significance level if it is valid

$$|T| \geqslant \frac{\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} t_{n_1 - 1} (1 - \alpha/2) + \frac{s_2^2}{n_2} t_{n_2 - 1} (1 - \alpha/2)}{\frac{s_1^2}{n_1} + \frac{s_2^2}{n_2}}$$

If the inequality does not apply, then we do not reject  $H_0$ .

We use a two-sample t-test in cases where, for example, n patients are tested for the effect of A and other m patients are tested for the effect of B. The purpose of the experiment is to determine whether the effects of both drugs are the same.

Example: 11 piglets of the same age were randomly divided into two groups. There were 6 of them in the first group and these piglets were fed diet A, in the second there were 5 of them and they were fed diet B. After six months they were calculated average daily gains in dkg. Results were obtained: 3

It is necessary to find out whether both diets are equally effective.



**Solution**: We will consider the average daily increments in the first group as sample  $N(\mu_1,\sigma_1^2)$ ,ncrements in the second group will be considered as sample  $N(\mu_2,\sigma_2^2)$  where  $\sigma_1^2=\sigma_2^2$  is unknown. The hypothesis that both diets are equally effective can be expressed as  $H_0:\mu_1=\mu_2$ .

$$T = \frac{57 - 51.6}{\sqrt{(6-1)12.8 + (5-1)7.3}} \sqrt{\frac{6*5(6+5-2)}{6+5}}$$

Since  $2.7712 \geqslant t_9(0.975) = 2.2622$ , we reject the hypothesis that both diets are equally effective.

```
>> A=[62 54 55 60 53 58];
>> B=[52 56 49 50 51];
>> [h,p,ci,stats] = ttest2(A,B,[],[],'equal')
h =
     1
    0.0217
ci =
    0.9920 9.8080
stats =
  struct with fields:
    tstat: 2.7712
       df: 9
       sd: 3.2180
```

#### Two sample F-test

vartest2

Let's have two random samples of  $n_1$  and  $n_2$  from the distribution  $N(\mu_1,\sigma_1^2)$  and  $N(\mu_2,\sigma_2^2)$  a sample variances  $\sigma_1^2$  a  $\sigma_2^2$ .

We test the null hypothesis against the alternative

$$H_0: \sigma_1^2 = \sigma_2^2 H_A: \sigma_1^2 \neq \sigma_2^2$$

Test criterion:

$$F = max\left(\frac{s_1^2}{s_2^2}, \frac{s_2^2}{s_1^2}\right)$$

is constructed so that the larger of the variances is in the numerator. If  $s_1^2>s_2^2$  critical value holds

$$F_{n_1-1,n_2-1}(1-\alpha/2)$$

is determined from the Fischer distribution tables for  $n_1-1$  and  $n_2-1$  degrees of freedom. Otherwise, the order of the degrees of freedom is reversed. If  $F>F_{n_1-1,n_2-1}(1-\alpha/2)$ , we reject  $H_0$  and accept  $H_A$ .

Example: Based on the data given in the previous example on the two-sample t
test, it is to be decided whether both base files have the same variance. It is
assumed that each of these basic files has a normal distribution: 4

Solution:

$$\sigma_A^2 = 12.8$$
  
 $\sigma_B^2 = 7.3$ 

$$1.7534 > F_{5,4}(0.975) = 9.3645$$

We do not reject the  $H_0$  hypothesis of the agreement of variances.



```
>> A=[62 54 55 60 53 58];
>> B=[52 56 49 50 51];
>> [h,p,ci,stats] = vartest2(A,B)
h =
     0
    0.6063
ci =
    0.1872 12.9541
stats =
  struct with fields:
    fstat: 1.7534
      df1: 5
      df2: 4
```

#### Confidence Intervals

- ullet confidence interval the interval in which the actual value of the given parameter  $\Theta$  will be located with the specified probability (1-lpha)
- ullet confidence interval limits  $L_1$  and  $L_2$
- ullet confidence interval covers unknown estimated parameter  $\Theta$  with preselected probability (1-lpha) (confidence level)
- $P(L_1 < \Theta < L_2) = (1 \alpha)$
- ullet the probability that the actual value of  $\Theta$  will be within the random limits of  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  is equal to (1-lpha)

The following applies to confidence intervals:

- ullet the larger the sample range n, the narrower the confidence interval
- the more accurate the estimate and the smaller the variance, the narrower the confidence interval
- lacktriangle the higher the statistical certainty (1-lpha), the wider the confidence interval
- lacktriangle the specified confidence intervals  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are two-sided
- in practice, also one-sided interval is used, left-handed  $< L_1, \infty)$ , or right-sided  $(-\infty, L_2 >$

#### Confidence intervals for $\mu$ with unknown $\sigma^2$

normfit

Let  $x_1,...,x_n$  be a selection from  $N(\mu,\sigma^2)$  and let n>1,  $\sigma^2>0$ . The task is to construct a two-sided confidence interval for  $\mu$  at the level  $1-\alpha$ . Because quantity

$$\frac{\overline{x} - \mu}{s} \sqrt{n}$$

has Student's t -distribution, the probability can be expressed

$$P(-t_{n-1}(1-\alpha/2) \leqslant \frac{\overline{x}-\mu}{s}\sqrt{n} \leqslant t_{n-1}(1-\alpha/2) = 1-\alpha$$

where  $t_{n-1}(1-\alpha/2)$  je  $100(1-\alpha/2)\%$  quantile of Student's distribution with n-1 degrees of freedom. After adjustment, we get  $100(1-\alpha/2)\%$  the mean interval of the value in the form

$$\overline{x} - t_{n-1}(1 - \alpha/2) \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}} \leqslant \mu \leqslant \overline{x} + t_{n-1}(1 - \alpha/2) \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$$

For larger sample ranges n>30 you can use the quantile  $t(1-\alpha/2)$  quantile of the normalized normal distribution

## Confidence intervals for $\mu$ with unknown $\sigma^2$

Random variable

$$\chi^2 = \frac{(n-1)s^2}{\sigma^2}$$

has  $\chi^2$  distribution with (n-1) degrees of freedom. For  $100(1-\alpha/2)\%$  two-sided variance confidence interval  $\sigma^2$  then holds

$$\frac{(n-1)s^2}{\chi^2_{(n-1)}(1-\alpha/2)} \leqslant \sigma^2 \leqslant \frac{(n-1)s^2}{\chi^2_{(n-1)}(\alpha/2)}$$

where  $\chi^2_{(n-1)}(1-\alpha/2)$  is upper and  $\chi^2_{(n-1)}(\alpha/2)$  lower quantile of the distribution  $\chi^2$ .

## Confidence intervals for $\mu$ with unknown $\sigma^2$

ullet Example: Calculate the interval estimates (lpha=0.05) of the mean value and standard deviation for n=200 random numbers generated from the normal distribution with  $\mu=50$  and  $\sigma=5$ .

#### Solution:

```
>> x=normrnd(50,5,1,200)
x = Columns 1 through 6
  52.5762 51.3070 45.2926
                                49.1883
                                        49.2697
                                                   47.3399
 Columns 195 through 200
  53.4958
            51.3482
                    52.4714
                                42.5844 44.8987
                                                   47.7650
>> [muHat,sigmaHat,muCI,sigmaCI] = normfit(x,0.05)
muHat =
  49.4929
sigmaHat =
   4.9028
muCI =
            50.1765
  48.8092
sigmaCI =
   4.4648
            5.4369
```

```
Command Description

** ttest(x) one sample t-test

** vartest(x) one sample variance test

** ttest(x,y) paired t-test

** ttest2(x,y) two sample t-test

** vartest2(x,y) two sample F-test

** normfit estimates of normal distribution parameter
```

**Examples for practice** 

#### **Examples for practice**

■ Example:In the data file data\_01.txt the results of the utility property measurements for 6 types of samples are obtained. Each type of sample was measured 10 times. Calculate the interval estimates of the mean value for each sample and plot on a graph.

#### Solution