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## Exercises for Day 9

Exercise 1. Type the nested for loop program from the lecture into a script. Use the debugger to complete the table below. (Just turn in this paper, not the script.)
\(\left.$$
\begin{array}{|c|c|c|}\hline \text { When row is ... } & \text { And column is ... } & \text { C is ... } \\
\hline 1 & 1 & {[2]} \\
\hline 1 & 2 & {\left[\begin{array}{ll}2 & 3\end{array}\right]} \\
\hline 1 & 3 & {\left[\begin{array}{lll|}2 & 3 & 4\end{array}
$$\right]} <br>
\hline 2 \& 1 \& {\left[\begin{array}{lll|}2 \& 3 \& 4 <br>

3 \& 0 \& 0\end{array}\right]}\end{array}\right]\)| 2 |
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| 2 |

Exercise 2. Start with your code from Day 8 Exercise 1. Instead of creating 3 different vectors with 21 entries each, make a $21 \times 3$ matrix using a single for loop:

- in the first column, put the $x$ values: $0,0.2,0.4, \ldots, 4$
- in the second column, put the value of $y$ at each $x$ for the given function $y(x)=x^{3}-2 x^{2}$
- in the third column, put the value of the slope $\frac{\mathrm{d} y(x)}{\mathrm{d} x}=3 x^{2}-4 x$ at each $x$


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Make certain that your matrix has 21 rows and 3 columns by inspecting it:

| V Variables - M |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 M X |  |  |  |
| \# $21 \times 3$ double |  |  |  |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 | 0.2000 | -0.0720 | -0.6800 |
| 3 | 0.4000 | -0.2560 | -1.1200 |
| 4 | 0.6000 | -0.5040 | -1.3200 |
| 5 | 0.8000 | -0.7680 | -1.2800 |

AFTER the loop, print the entire matrix to a text file as a three-column table, using a single fprintf command. Your table should begin as follows:

| $\mathbf{x}$ | $y(x)$ | $d y(x) / d x$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ---0.0 | 0.000 | 0.000 |
| 0.0 | -0.072 | -0.680 |
| 0.2 | -0.256 | -1.120 |
| 0.4 | -0.504 | -1.320 |

Exercise 3. Create a script to do the following:
a. Read the thermocouple data file (available on course web page) and assign it to a matrix. (The data has voltages in the first column and temperatures in ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$ in the second column.)
b. Add a new third column to that existing matrix. The third column should contain the temperature readings converted to degrees Celsius:

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T\left({ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)=\frac{T\left({ }^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\right)-32}{1.8}
$$

c. Print to a text file a table containing some of the values. Write out rows 10, 20, 30, $\ldots$ until the end of the matrix is reached. The start of your table should look like the following:

| Potential <br> (Volts) | Temperature <br> (deg. F) | Temperature <br> (deg. C) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ------------------------------------- |  |  |

