
Subject: Re: Matlab Syntax

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Folks,

I need more Matlab help. Here is the line I am struggling with:

```
invAI = inv(A + gamma * diag(ones(1,N)));
```

A is a matrix and gamma is the scalar 1.0.

Here is the output from Matlab when I print A and invAI:

A =

```
 8  -5  1  1  -5
-5  8  -5  1  1
 1  -5  8  -5  1
 1  1  -5  8  -5
-5  1  1  -5  8
```

invAI =

```
0.3158  0.2105  0.1316  0.1316  0.2105
0.2105  0.3158  0.2105  0.1316  0.1316
0.1316  0.2105  0.3158  0.2105  0.1316
0.1316  0.1316  0.2105  0.3158  0.2105
0.2105  0.1316  0.1316  0.2105  0.3158
```

I have the matrix A in my IDL session:

IDL> print, array

```
 8.00000  -5.00000   1.00000   1.00000  -5.00000
-5.00000   8.00000  -5.00000   1.00000   1.00000
 1.00000  -5.00000   8.00000  -5.00000   1.00000
 1.00000   1.00000  -5.00000   8.00000  -5.00000
-5.00000   1.00000   1.00000  -5.00000   8.00000
```

But I get the wrong answers when I invert. Here is my translation of the Matlab inverse line:

```
invARRAY = Invert((ARRAY + gamma) ## Diag_Matrix(Replicate(1,npts)) )
```

Here is what I get:

```
0.185455  0.0581818 -0.0509091 -0.0509091  0.0581818
```

0.0581818	0.185455	0.0581818	-0.0509091	-0.0509091
-0.0509091	0.0581818	0.185455	0.0581818	-0.0509091
-0.0509091	-0.0509091	0.0581818	0.185455	0.0581818
0.0581818	-0.0509091	-0.0509091	0.0581818	0.185455

I'm pulling my hair out here! Can someone help?

Cheers,

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