

### How to install matplotlib,

Using pip,  
**pip install matplotlib**

### How to import matplotlib.pyplot

In Python,  
**import matplotlib.pyplot as plt**

### How to plot two arrays

Plot the two arrays using Plot function

#### Example:

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
x = [0,1,2,3,4,5,6]
y = [9,10,11,12,13,14,15]
# Plots the x and y
plt.plot(x,y)
# Display the plot
plt.show()
```

#### Additional arguments to Plot function:

**marker\_symbol:** to draw each point with a specified marker

#### Syntax:

```
plt.plot(x_points, y_points,
marker = 'marker_symbol')
marker_symbol can be 'o','*','+','s','d' etc
```

**line\_symbol:** to connect different points

#### Syntax:

```
plt.plot(x_points, y_points,
linestyle = 'line_symbol')
```

line\_symbol can be '-',':','-' etc

**color\_symbol:** Color of the plot

#### Syntax:

```
plt.plot(x_points, y_points,
color = 'color_symbol')
color_symbol can be 'r','g','b' etc
```

#### Shortcut Syntax for all arguments:

```
plt.plot(x_points,y_points,'m-
arker_symbol:line_symbol:color-
_symbol')
```

### Create Labels for Plot

**xlabel() and ylabel()** functions to set a label for the x-axis and y-axis.

**title()** function to set the title for the plot

#### Syntax:

```
plt.title(title)
plt.xlabel(xlabel)
plt.ylabel(ylabel)
```

#### Additional arguments to Labels function:

Add font details to labels() function

#### Syntax:

```
font = {'family':'font_type','c-
olor':'color_symbol','size':fo-
nt_size}
```

#### Example:

```
font = {'family':'serif','co-
lor':'b','size':30}
plt.title(title, fontdict=font)
```

### Grid of the plot

**grid()** function to add grid lines to the plot.

#### Syntax:

```
plt.grid() - Gridlines in x and y axis
plt.grid(axis='x') - Gridlines in x
axis alone
plt.grid(axis='y') - Gridlines in y
axis alone
```

### Display the multiple subplot

**subplot()** function you can draw multiple plots in single figure itself

#### Syntax:

```
plt.subplot(rows,columns,index)
rows - Total number of rows in figure
columns - Total number of cols in figure
index - Index of the current plot
```

#### Example:

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
#plot 1
x = [1, 2, 3, 4]
y = [1, 2, 3, 4]
#First subplot
plt.subplot(2, 1, 1)
plt.plot(x,y)
```

### Display the multiple subplot (cont)

```
#plot 2
x = [0, 1, 2, 3]
y = [0, -1, -2, -3]
#Second subplot
plt.subplot(2, 1, 2)
plt.plot(x,y)
plt.show()
```

### Different plot types

#### Scatter plot:

##### Syntax:

```
plt.scatter(x,y)
```

#### Bar plot:

*Vertical plot*

##### Syntax:

```
plt.bar(x,y,width=size,height-
=size,color='color_symbol')
```

*Horizontal plot:*

##### Syntax:

```
plt.barh(x,y,width=size,height-
t=size,color='color_symbol')
```

#### Histogram:

*Histogram is a graph showing frequency distributions.*

##### Syntax:

```
plt.hist(x)
```

#### Pie chart:

##### Syntax:

```
plt.pie(x,labels = labels_list)
```



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