

**Topics:** MATLAB—elementary functions, script file, vector, conditional statement

**Reading:** MATLAB Essentials, Part I

## Example Script file

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% Example 1_2: Explore how the surface area of a sphere  
% changes with an increase in the radius.  
  
r= input('Enter radius r in miles: ');  
delta= input('Enter delta r in inches: ');  
newr= r + ((delta/12)/5280); % new radius in miles  
A= 4*pi*r^2; % original surface area  
newA= 4*pi*newr^2; % new surface area  
incr= newA - A; % increase in area  
fprintf('Increase in area (mile^2) is %f.\n', incr);
```

## Example

Given a vector  $x$ , calculate its *pair sums* and store them in a vector.

## Example

Variable  $m$  stores an integer value in  $[1..12]$ . Write a program fragment to print the number of days in month  $m$ . Assume a non-leap year.