

- Previous Lecture:
 - Iteration using **while**
- Today's Lecture:
 - Nested loops
 - Developing algorithms
- Announcements:
 - Discussion this week will be in Upson 225 computer lab
 - Project 1 grades released after lecture
 - **Project 2** due Monday 2/17 at 11pm
 - Part B posted after lecture
 - Thanks for filling out survey!

“I had to learn how to study differently – by practicing every day rather than cramming before. I wish that we could have been told earlier in the year to practice like 30 minutes per day...” – FA19 student

Important Features of Iteration

- Task-to-be-repeated forms the loop body
- Need a starting point
- Need to know when to stop
- Need to keep track of (and measure) progress

for vs. while

```
N= ____; L= ____; hits= 0;
```

```
for k = 1:1:N
```

```
    % Throw kth dart
```

```
    x = rand()*L - L/2;
```

```
    y = rand()*L - L/2;
```

```
    % Count if in circle
```

```
    if sqrt(x^2+y^2) <= L/2
```

```
        hits = hits + 1;
```

```
    end
```

```
end
```

```
myPi = 4*hits/N;
```

```
N= ____; L= ____; hits= 0;
```

```
k= 1;
```

```
while k <= N
```

```
    % Throw kth dart
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    x = rand()*L - L/2;
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    end
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    k = k+1;
```

```
end
```

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for-loop or while-loop: that is the question

- **for**-loop: loop body repeats a *fixed* (predetermined) number of times.
- **while**-loop: loop body repeats an *indefinite* number of times under the control of the “**loop guard**.”

In Matlab, which claim is true? (without **break**)

A:

for-loop can do anything while-loop can do

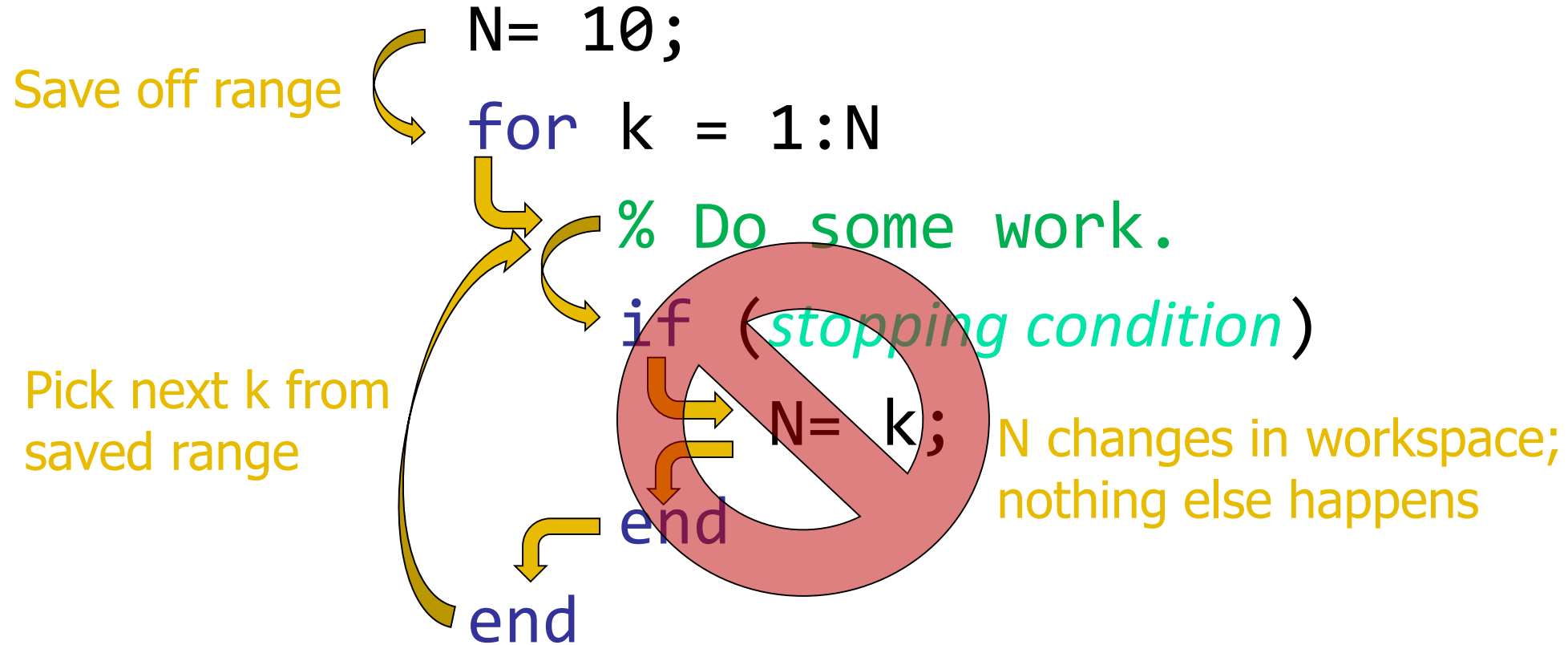
B:

while-loop can do anything for-loop can do

C:

for- and while-loops can do the same things

Can we cheat?

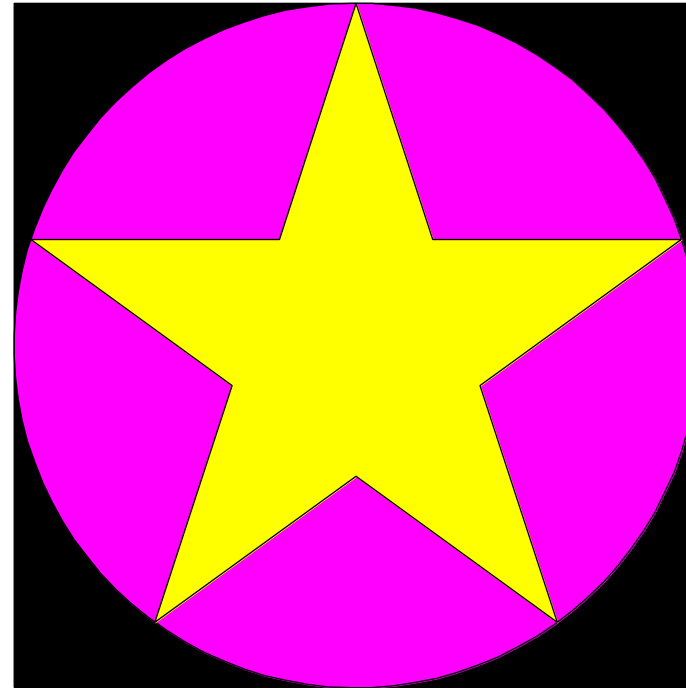


Review loops/conditionals using user-defined graphics function

Draw a black square;

then draw a magenta disk;

then draw a yellow star.



Refinement tip: Survey your tools



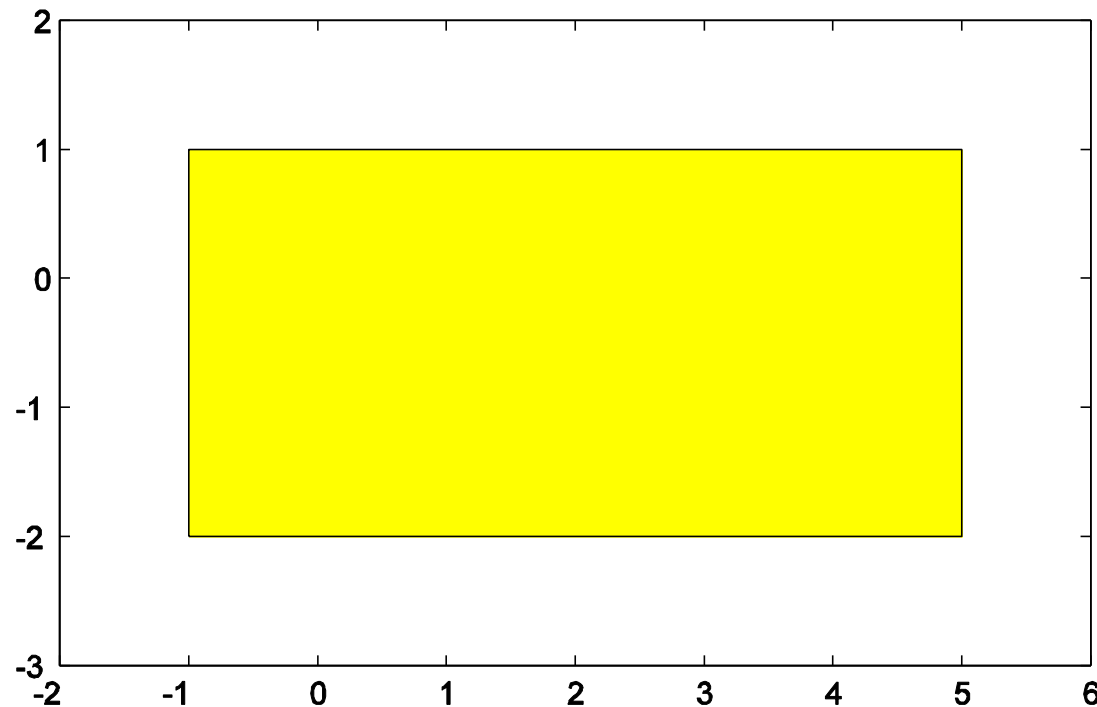
x and y coordinates
of lower left corner

width

height

DrawRect (-1, -2, 6, 3, 'y')

color

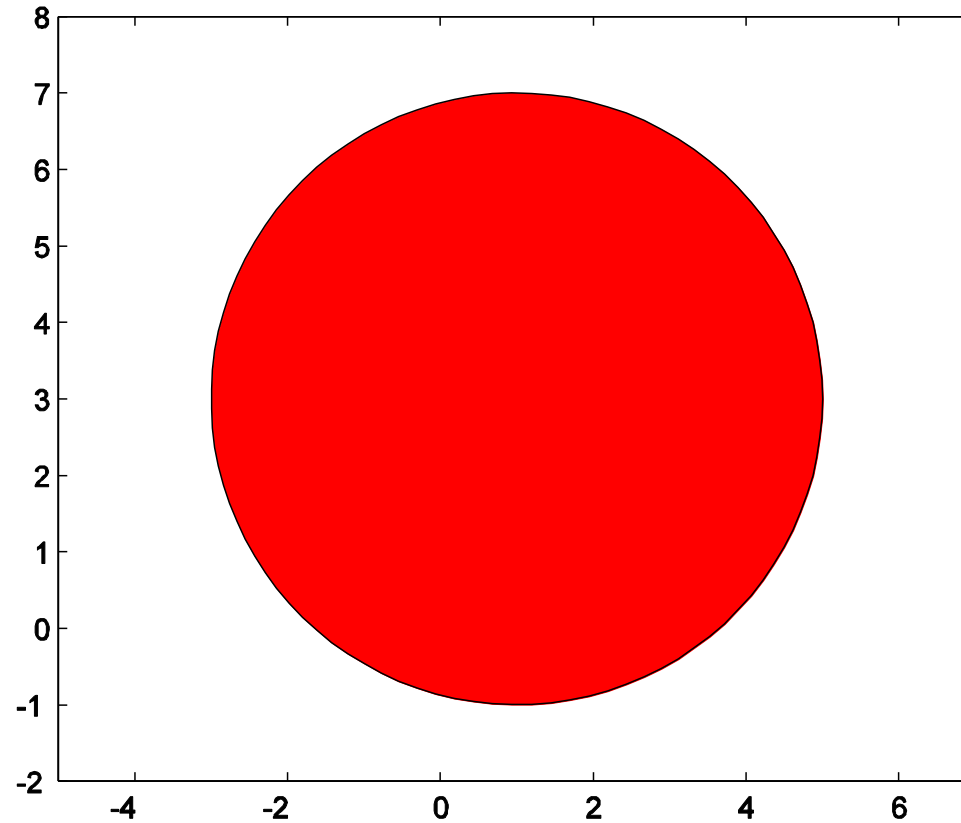


x and y coordinates
of the center

radius

DrawDisk (1, 3, 4, 'r')

color

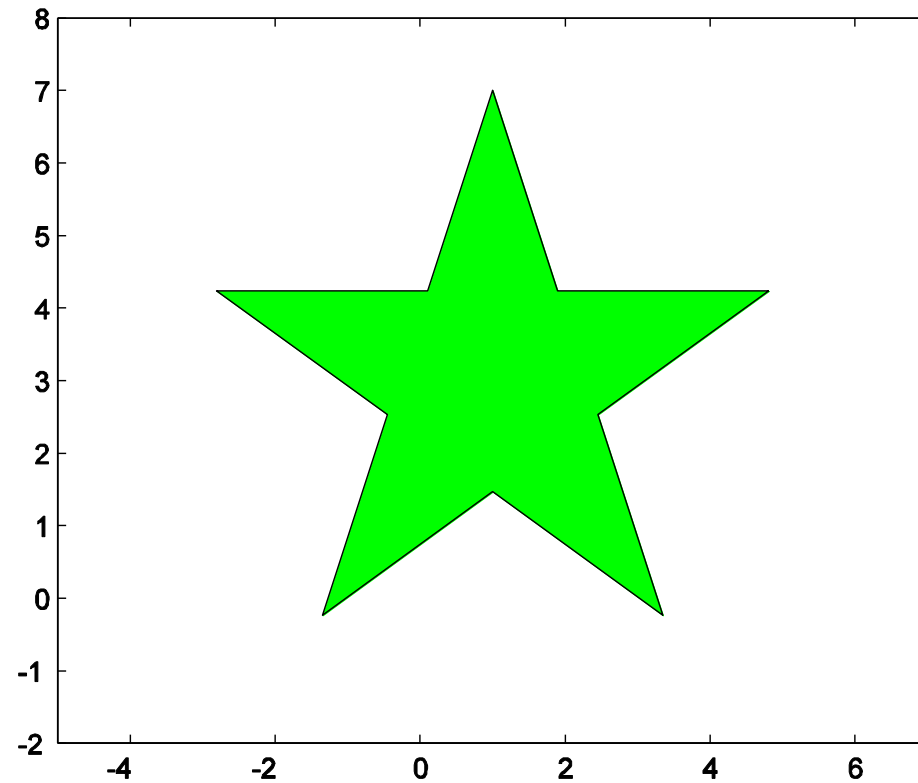


x and y coordinates
of the center


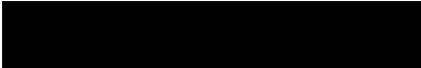






"radius"

```
DrawStar (1 , 3 , 4 , 'g' )
```

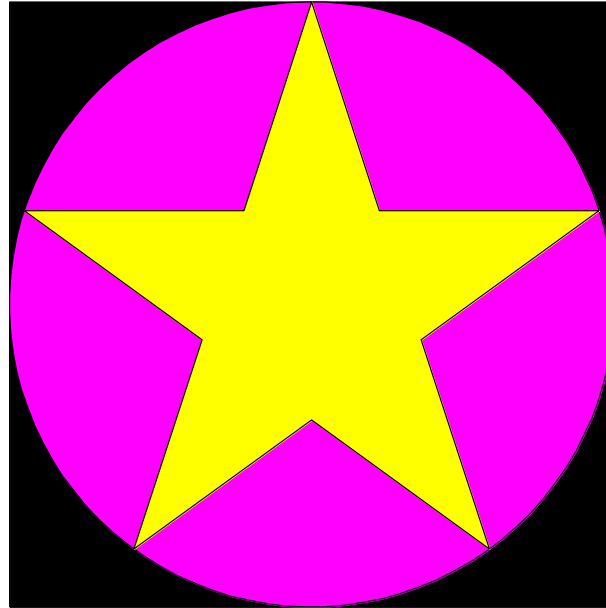
color



Color Options

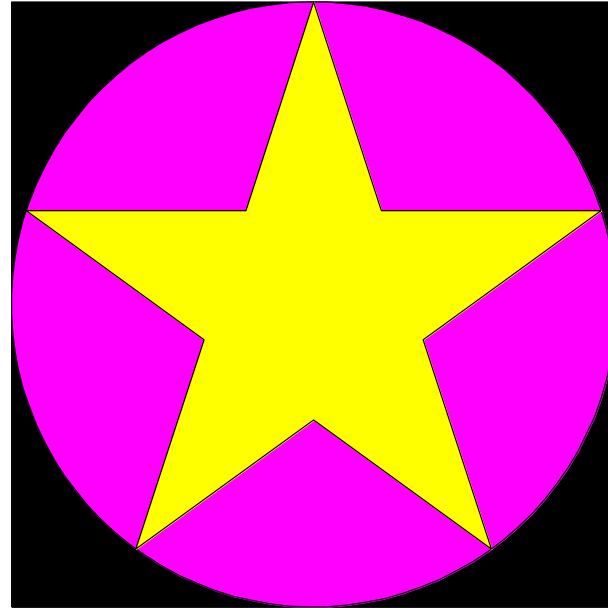
White	<code>'w'</code>	
Black	<code>'k'</code>	
Red	<code>'r'</code>	
Blue	<code>'b'</code>	
Green	<code>'g'</code>	
Yellow	<code>'y'</code>	
Magenta	<code>'m'</code>	
Cyan	<code>'c'</code>	

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then draw a yellow star.



```
DrawRect ( , , , , )  
DrawDisk ( , , , )  
DrawStar ( , , , )
```

Draw a black square;
then draw a magenta disk;
then draw a yellow star.



```
DrawRect (0,0,2,2, 'k')  
DrawDisk (1,1,1, 'm')  
DrawStar (1,1,1, 'y')
```

```
% drawDemo
```

```
close all
```

```
figure
```

```
axis equal off
```

```
hold on
```

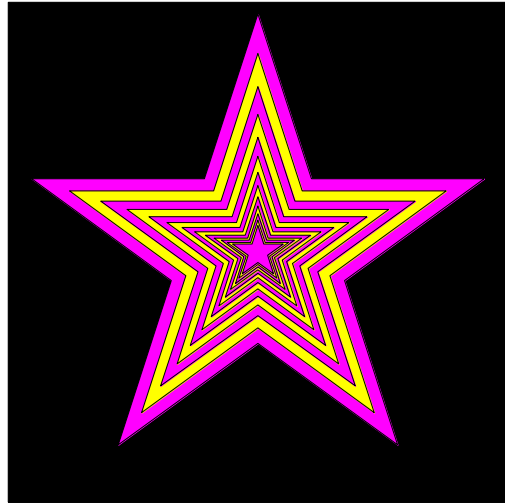
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DrawRect(0,0,2,2,'k')
```

```
DrawDisk(1,1,1,'m')
```

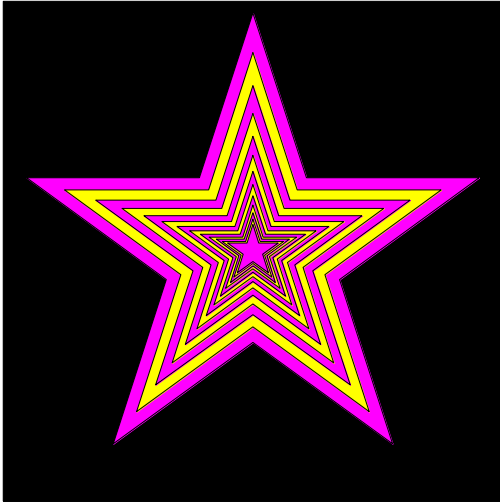
```
DrawStar(1,1,1,'y')
```

```
hold off
```

Example: Nested Stars



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Draw a black square

- Bigger than the biggest star (at least 2 times radius of star)
- Center at $(0,0)$

Draw a sequence of stars

- Stars alternate in color
- Stars get smaller
 - radius $r=1$ to start
- 1st star smaller than the sqr
- When to stop?
 - when r is small

`nestedStars.m`

```
x= 0; y= 0;    % figure centered at (0,0)
r= 1;         % radius of outermost star
s= 2*r + 0.1; % side length of square
DrawRect(x-s/2, y-s/2, s, s, 'k')

% Draw nested stars, smallest r at least 0.1
```

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x= 0; y= 0;    % figure centered at (0,0)
r= 1;         % radius of outermost star
s= 2*r + 0.1; % side length of square
DrawRect(x-s/2, y-s/2, s, s, 'k')

% Draw nested stars, smallest r at least 0.1

while r >= 0.1
    % Draw a star with radius r

    % Reduce r

end
```

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DrawRect(x-s/2, y-s/2, s, s, 'k')

% Draw nested stars, smallest r at least 0.1

while r >= 0.1
    % Draw a star with radius r

    % Reduce r
    r= r/1.2;

end
```

```
x= 0; y= 0;    % figure centered at (0,0)
r= 1;         % radius of outermost star
s= 2*r + 0.1; % side length of square
DrawRect(x-s/2, y-s/2, s, s, 'k')

% Draw nested stars, smallest r at least 0.1

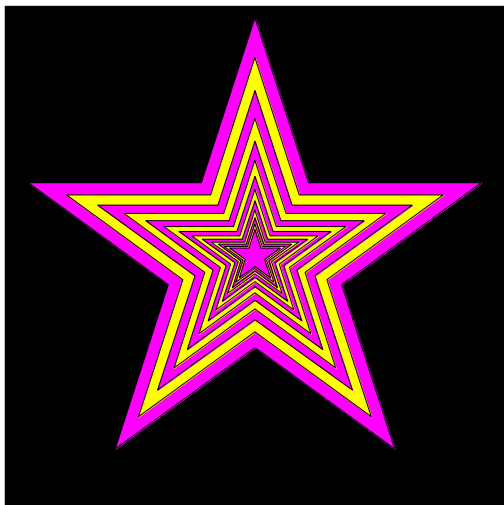
while r >= 0.1
    % Draw a star with radius r
    if
        % magenta
    else
        % yellow
    end
    % Reduce r
    r= r/1.2;

end
```

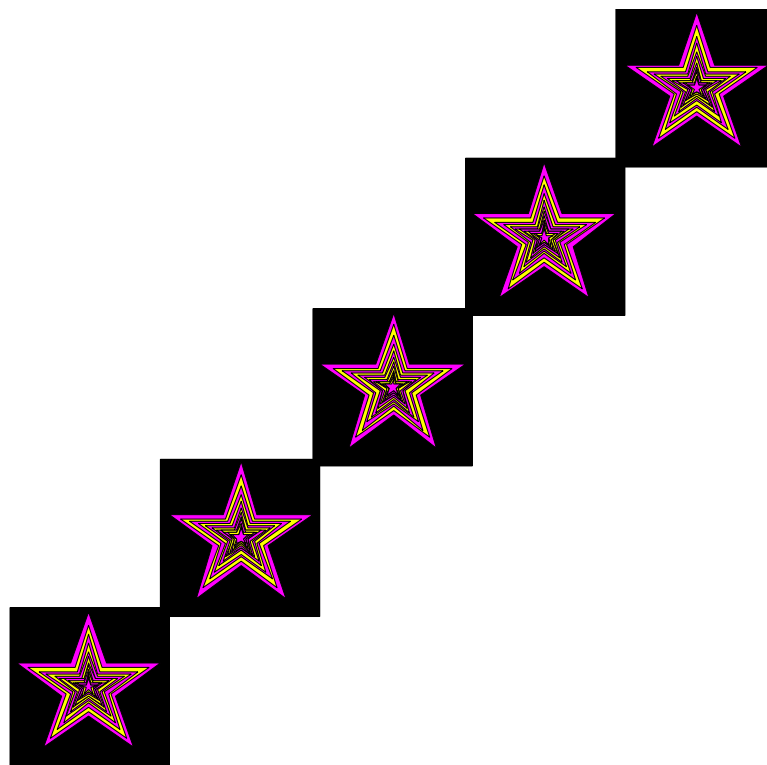
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s= 2*r + 0.1; % side length of square
DrawRect(x-s/2, y-s/2, s, s, 'k')

% Draw nested stars, smallest r at least 0.1
k= 1;
while r >= 0.1
    % Draw a star with radius r
    if rem(k,2)==1 % odd k
        DrawStar(x, y, r, 'm') % magenta
    else
        DrawStar(x, y, r, 'y') % yellow
    end
    % Reduce r
    r= r/1.2;
    k= k + 1;
end
```

Knowing how to draw, ...



how difficult is it to draw... ?



Pattern for doing something n times

```
n= _____  
for k= 1:n
```

```
% code to do  
% that something
```

```
end
```



```
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    % Draw a star with radius r
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        DrawStar(x, y, r, 'm') % magenta
    else
        DrawStar(x, y, r, 'y') % yellow
    end
    % Reduce r
    r= r/1.2;
    k= k + 1;
end
```

```
for c = 0:2:8
```

```
x= c; y= c;    % figure centered at (0,0)
r= 1;         % radius of outermost star
s= 2*r + 0.1; % side length of square
DrawRect(x-s/2, y-s/2, s, s, 'k')

% Draw nested stars, smallest r at least 0.1
k= 1;
while r >= 0.1
    % Draw a star with radius r
    if rem(k,2)==1 % odd k
        DrawStar(x, y, r, 'm') % magenta
    else
        DrawStar(x, y, r, 'y') % yellow
    end
    % Reduce r
    r= r/1.2;
    k= k + 1;
end
end
```

```
end
```

Nested loop

Example: Times Table

Write a script to print a times table for a specified range.

Row headings

	3	4	5	6	7
3	9	12	15	18	21
4	12	16	20	24	28
5	15	20	25	30	35
6	18	24	30	36	42
7	21	28	35	42	49

Column headings

Developing the algorithm for the times table

	3	4	5	6	7
3	9	12	15	18	21
4	12	16	20	24	28
5	15	20	25	30	35
6	18	24	30	36	42
7	21	28	35	42	49

- Look for patterns
 - Each entry is $\text{row\#} \times \text{col\#}$
 - Row#, col# increase regularly
- \Rightarrow Loop!!!
- What kind of loop?
 - for-loop—since the range of the headings is specified and the increment is regular
 - for each row#, get the products with all the col#. Then go to next row# and get products with all col#, ...
 - \Rightarrow Nested loops!
- Details: what will be the print format? Don't forget to start new lines. Also need initial input to specify the range.

```
disp('Show the times table for specified range')  
lo= input('What is the lower bound? ');  
hi= input('What is the upper bound? ');
```

mTable.m