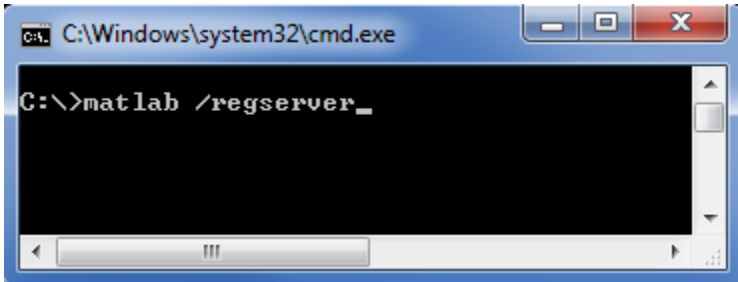


# Using MATLAB on Microsoft Windows

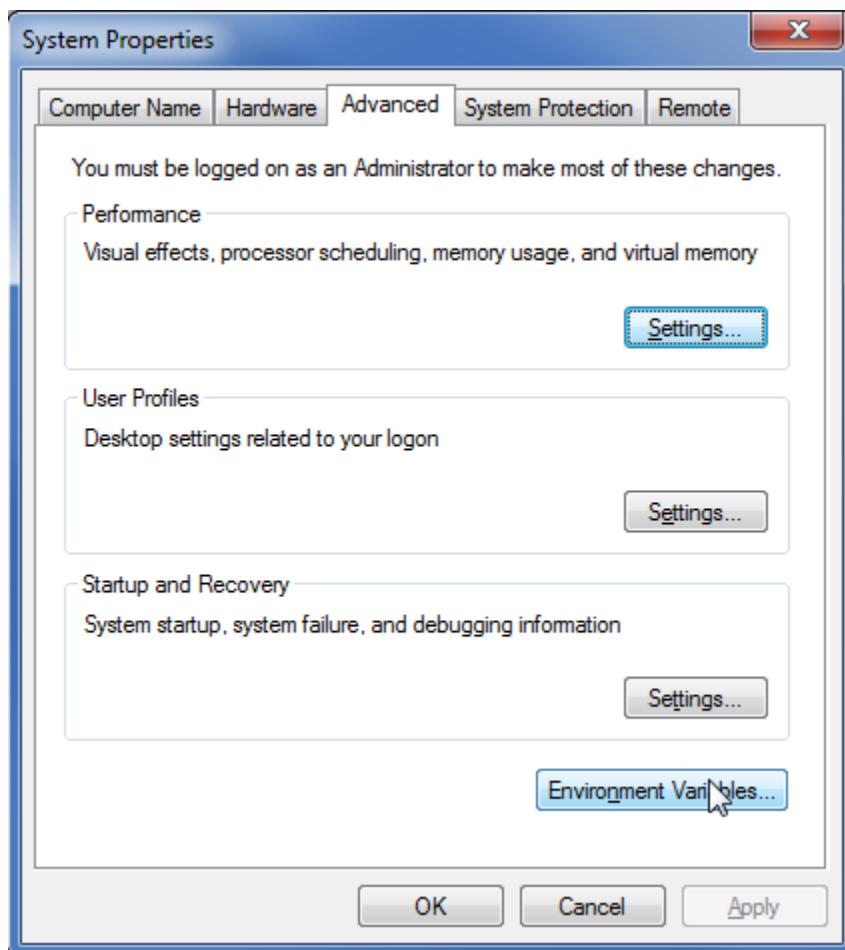
To use MATLAB® on Microsoft Windows

1. Install MATLAB®.
2. Press **Windows + R** to open the **Run** dialog.
3. Type *cmd* in the open combo box and click **OK** to open the command prompt window.
4. Type "matlab /regserver" and press **Enter** to register the MATLAB® components to Windows. The MATLAB® command prompt opens and is ready to use.

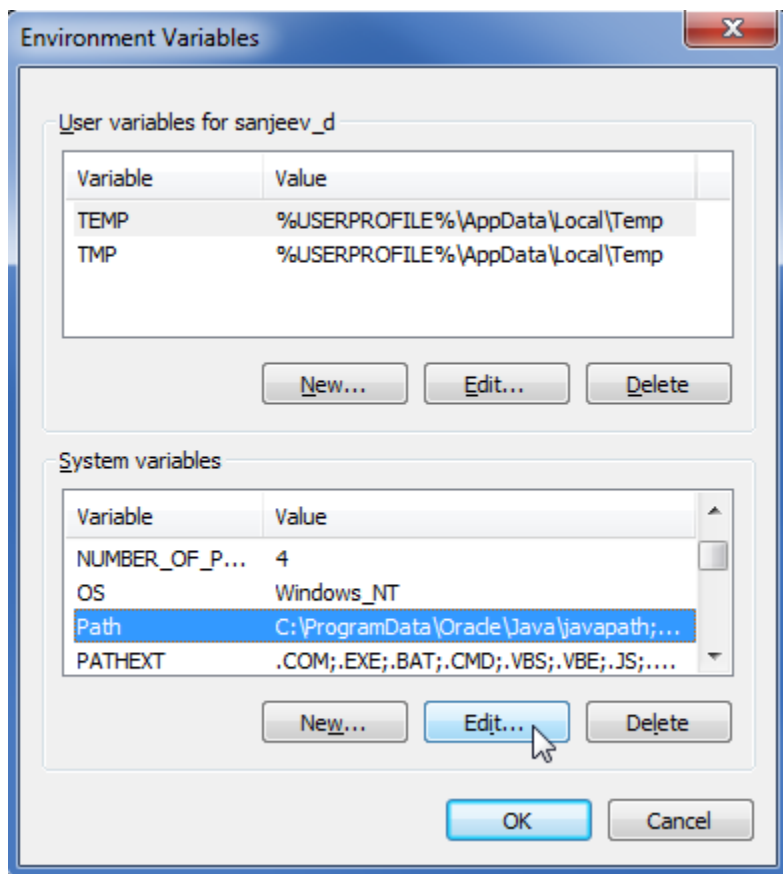


5. Add the path of the MATLAB® bin and bin/win32 (or bin/win64 for Microsoft Windows 64-bit) folders to the **Path** environment variable using the following steps

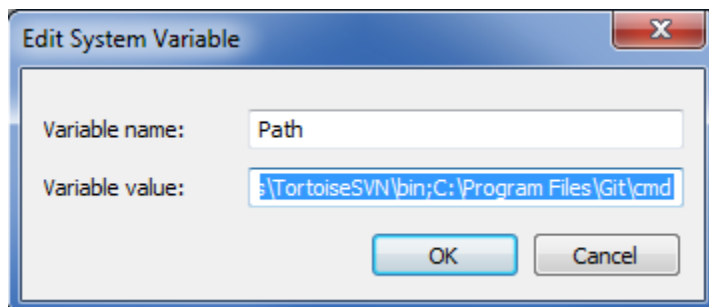
5.1 Double-click **System** in **Control Panel** to open the **System Properties** dialog. Click the **Advanced** tab.



5.2 Click **Environment Variables**. The **Environment Variables** dialog opens.



5.3 From the **System variables** list, select **Path** and click **Edit**. The **Edit System Variable** dialog opens.



5.4 In the **Variable value** box, enter the path to MATLAB®...bin and ...bin\win64 (or ...bin\win32) folders, for example:

- C:\Program Files\MATLAB\R2010b\bin;
- C:\Program Files\MATLAB\R2010b\bin\win64;

5.5 For earlier versions of MATLAB®, you must enter the path of the runtime directory of MATLAB® ...runtime\win32 (or ...runtime\win64), for example:

- C:\Program Files\MATLAB\R2010b\runtime\win32;

5.6 Click **OK**.

6. Restart Windows.

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