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Interactive programming and enhanced GUI

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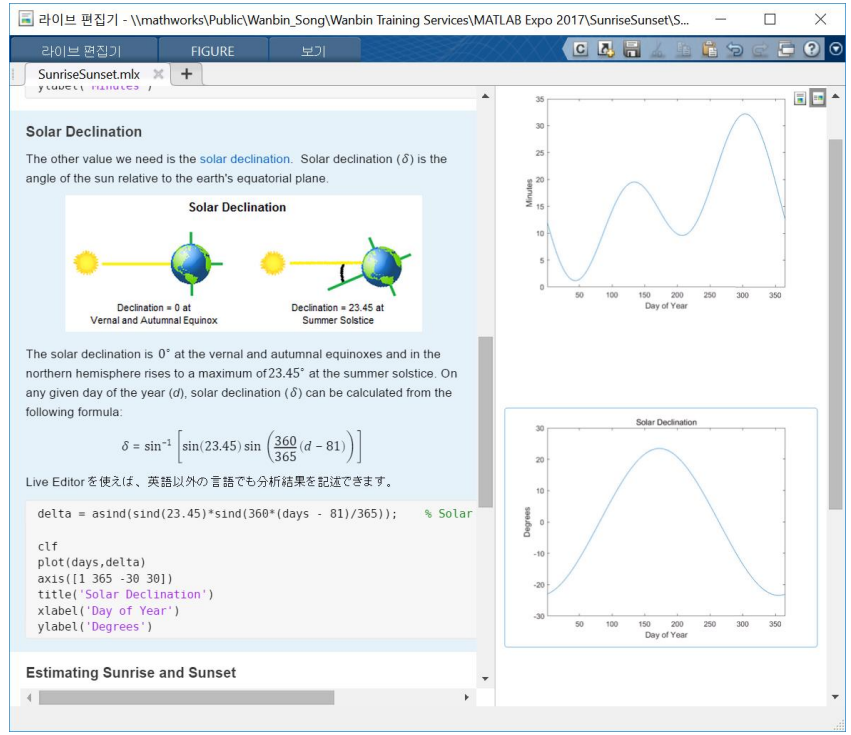
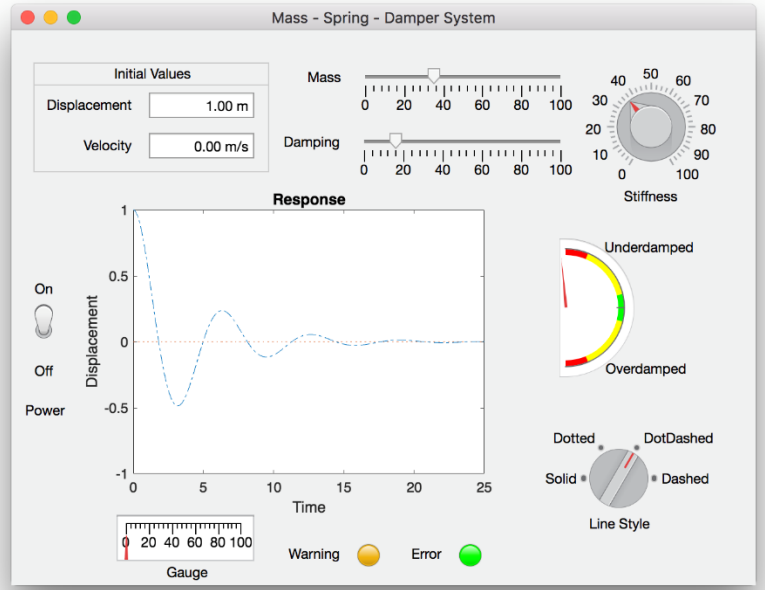
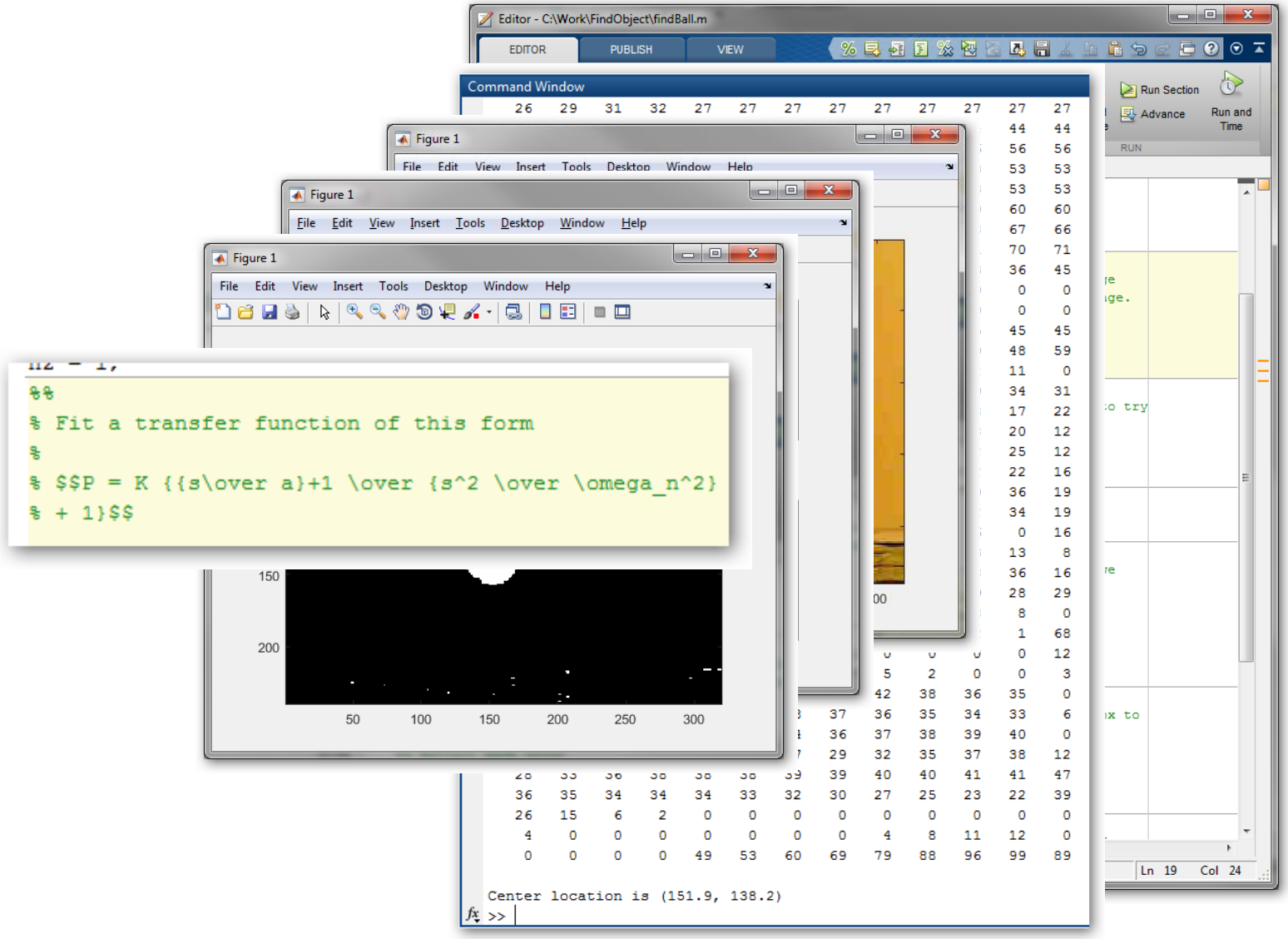




Conventional plain text script

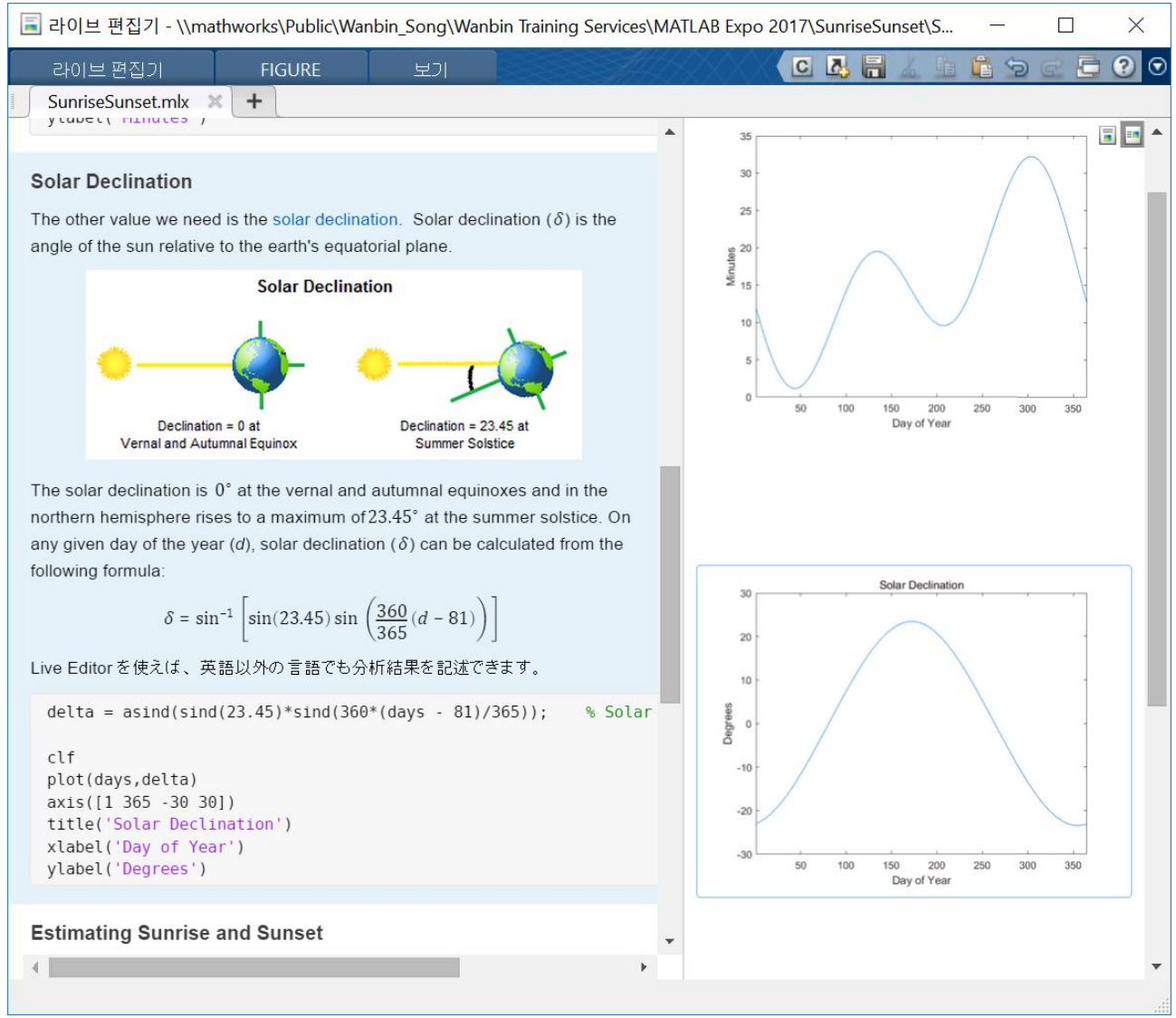
- ✓ Plain-text editing
- ✓ Output goes to Command Window
- ✓ Multiple figure windows appear
- ✓ Equations, images, and hyperlinks only appear if published



What is the Live Editor?

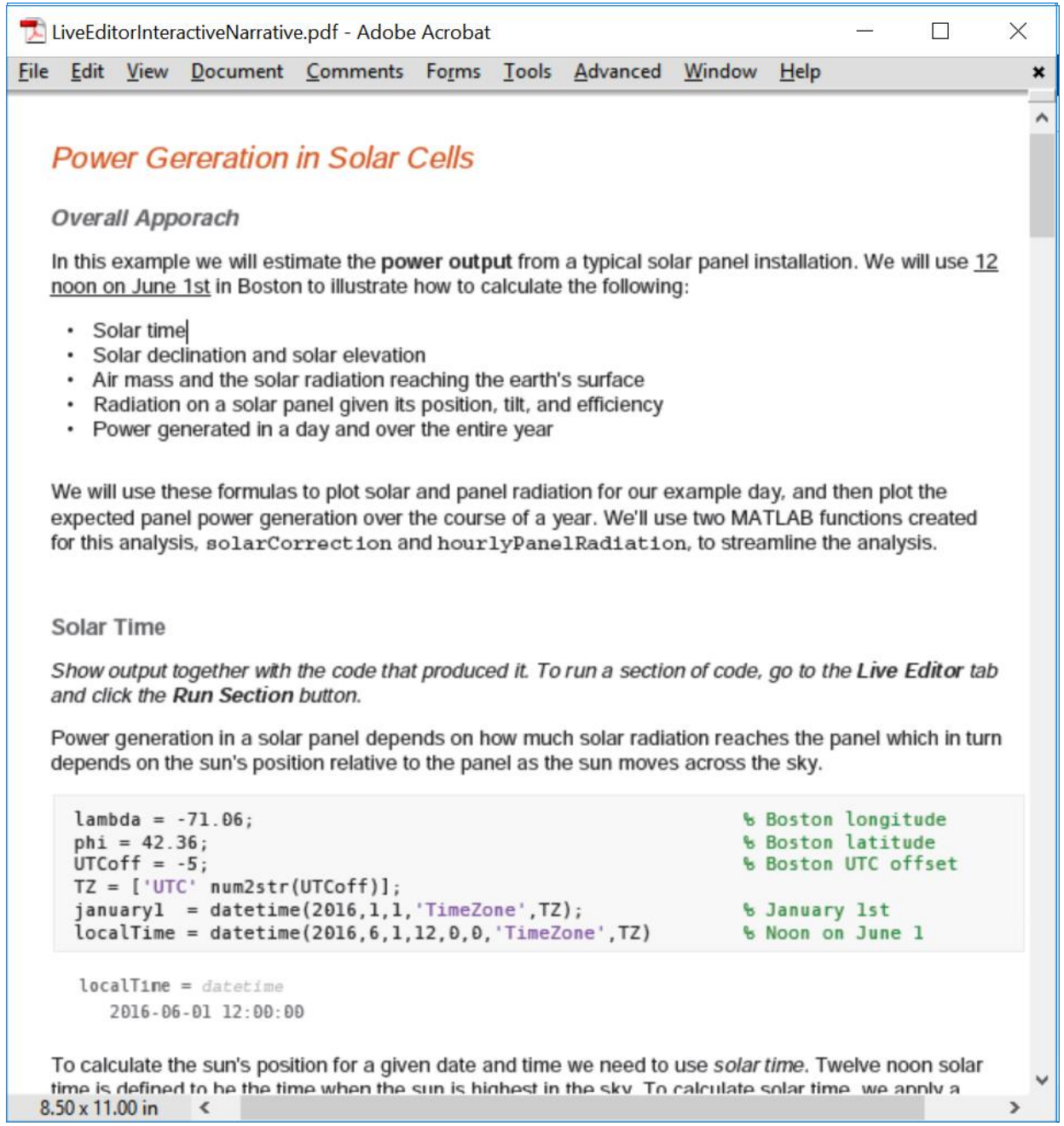
The Live Editor provides **a new way to create, edit and run MATLAB code**.

- ✓ Live editor = script + (fully formatted)text + result
- ✓ Write, edit(debug), and run code in a single interactive environment
- ✓ Generate results and graphics within the integrated developing environment
- ✓ Include (WYSWYG)images, (LaTeX)equations, hyperlinks and table of contents to create an interactive narrative
- ✓ Share your script as a richly formatted and executable document with code and its results



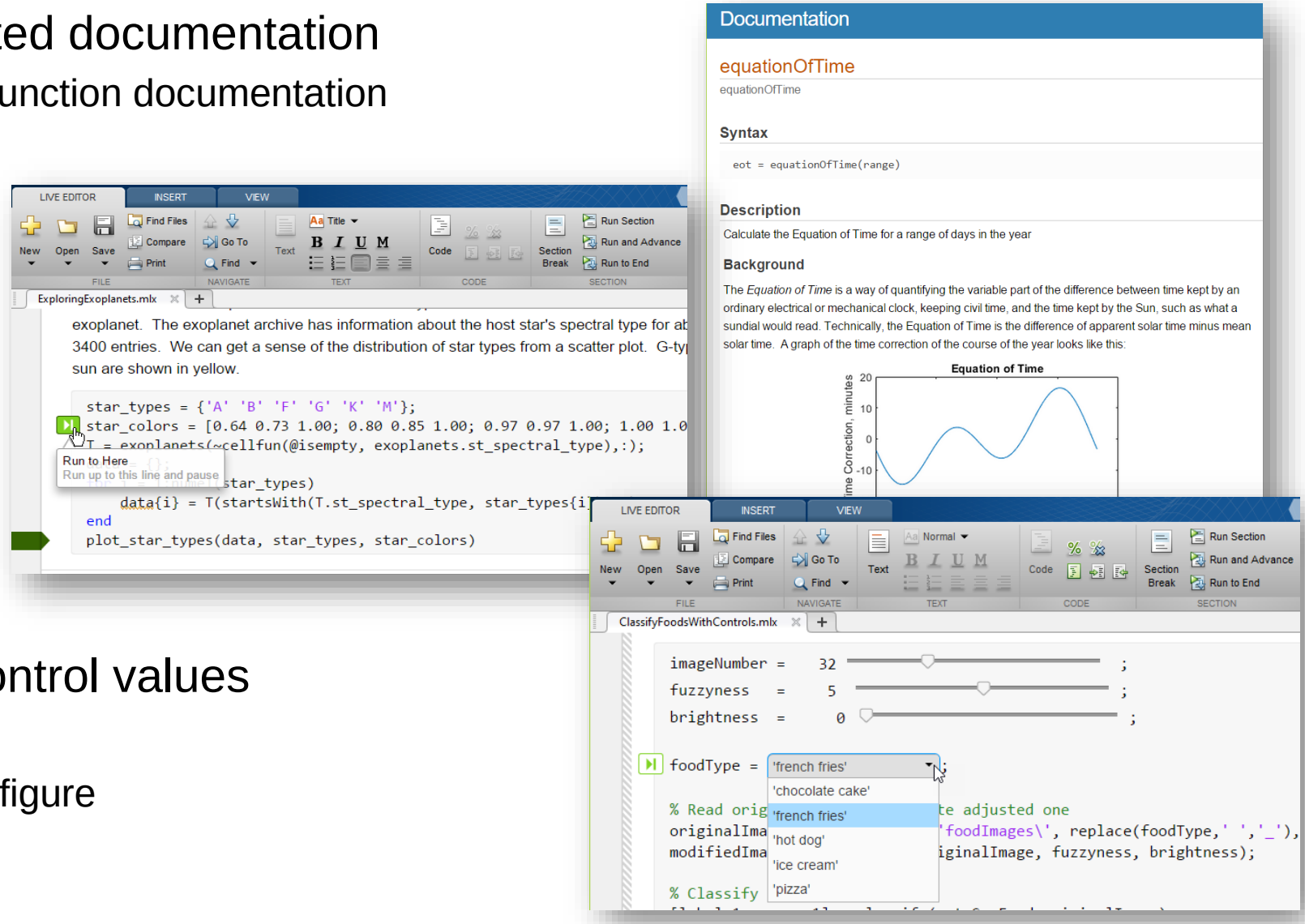
Key features till R2017b

- ✓ Write, execute, and test code in a single interactive environment
- ✓ Generate results and graphics in the Live Editor alongside the code that produced them
- ✓ Find errors at the location in the file where they occur
- ✓ Suggests corrections for mistyped commands and variables
- ✓ Edit a figure interactively
- ✓ Add images, and hyperlinks as supporting material
- ✓ Export report in pdf, html, LaTeX fomat



Key features of Live Editor in R2018a

- ✓ Create functions with formatted documentation
  - ✓ Use the Help Browser to view function documentation
- ✓ Debug functions and scripts
  - ✓ Run to here
  - ✓ Set breakpoints
  - ✓ Step into functions
- ✓ Use interactive controls to control values
  - ✓ Sliders and combo boxes
  - ✓ Easy insertion of annotation to figure



Create functions with formatted documentation

MathWorks

R2018a

Live Editor - C:\EXPO2018\demos\LiveEditor\equationOfTime.mlx

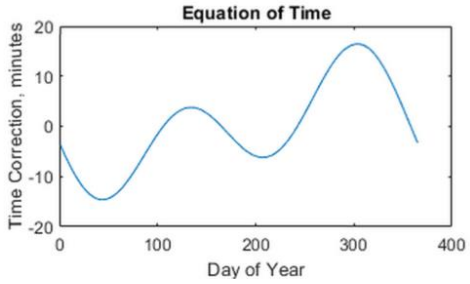
equationOfTime.mlx

equationOfTime

Calculate the Equation of Time for a range of days in the year

Background

The *Equation of Time* is a way of quantifying the variable part of the difference between time kept by an ordinary electrical or mechanical clock, keeping civil time, and the time kept by the Sun, such as what a sundial would read. Technically, the Equation of Time is the difference of apparent solar time minus mean solar time. A graph of the time correction of the course of the year looks like this:



Inputs

`range` - an array of days of the year - values must be between 1 and 365

Outputs

`eot` - an array of time corrections for each day in `range`

```
function eot = equationOfTime(range)

B = 360*(range - 81)/365;
eot = 9.87*sind(2*B) - 7.53*cosd(B) - 1.5*sind(B);
```

Command Window

```
>> doc equationOfTime
fx >>
```

Help

equationOfTime

Documentation

equationOfTime

equationOfTime

Syntax

```
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Description

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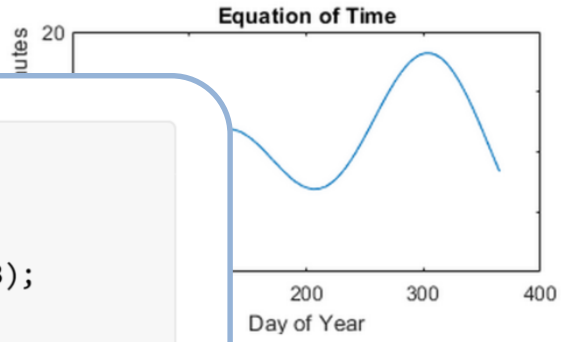


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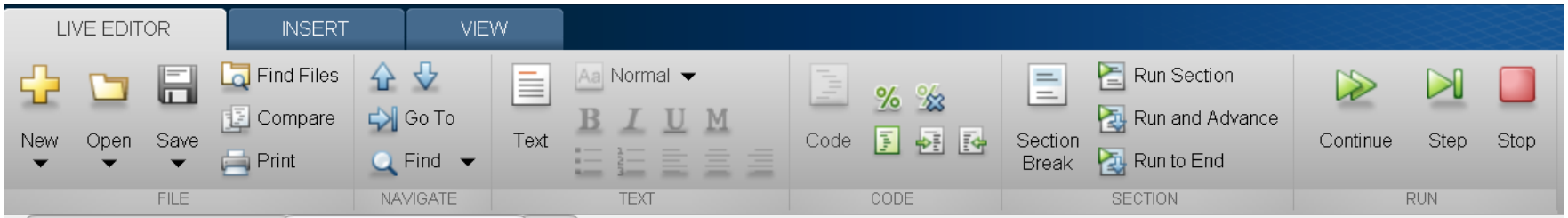
Debug function and script in live editor



equationOfTime.mlx | SunriseSunset.mlx

```
lat  = 41;
lon = -71;
UTCoff = -5;
```

Estimate the sunrise and sunset times.

```
day = 1:365;
timeCorr = equationOfTime(day);
solarCorr = 4*(lon - 15*UTCoff) + timeCorr;
delta = asind(sind(23.4...)*sind(360*(day - 81)/365));
...(delta))/15 - solarCorr/60;
...lat)*tand(...  - solarCorr/60;
```

Continue to Here
Continue running up to this line and pause

Show the sunrise and sunset times on January 1st.

```
[sunrise(1),sunset(2)]
```

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sunset  = 12 + acosd(-tand(lat)*tand(delta))/15 - solarCorr/60;
```

```
timeCorr = 1×365
    -3.7052   -4.1497   -4.5894   -5.0239   -5.4528 ···
```

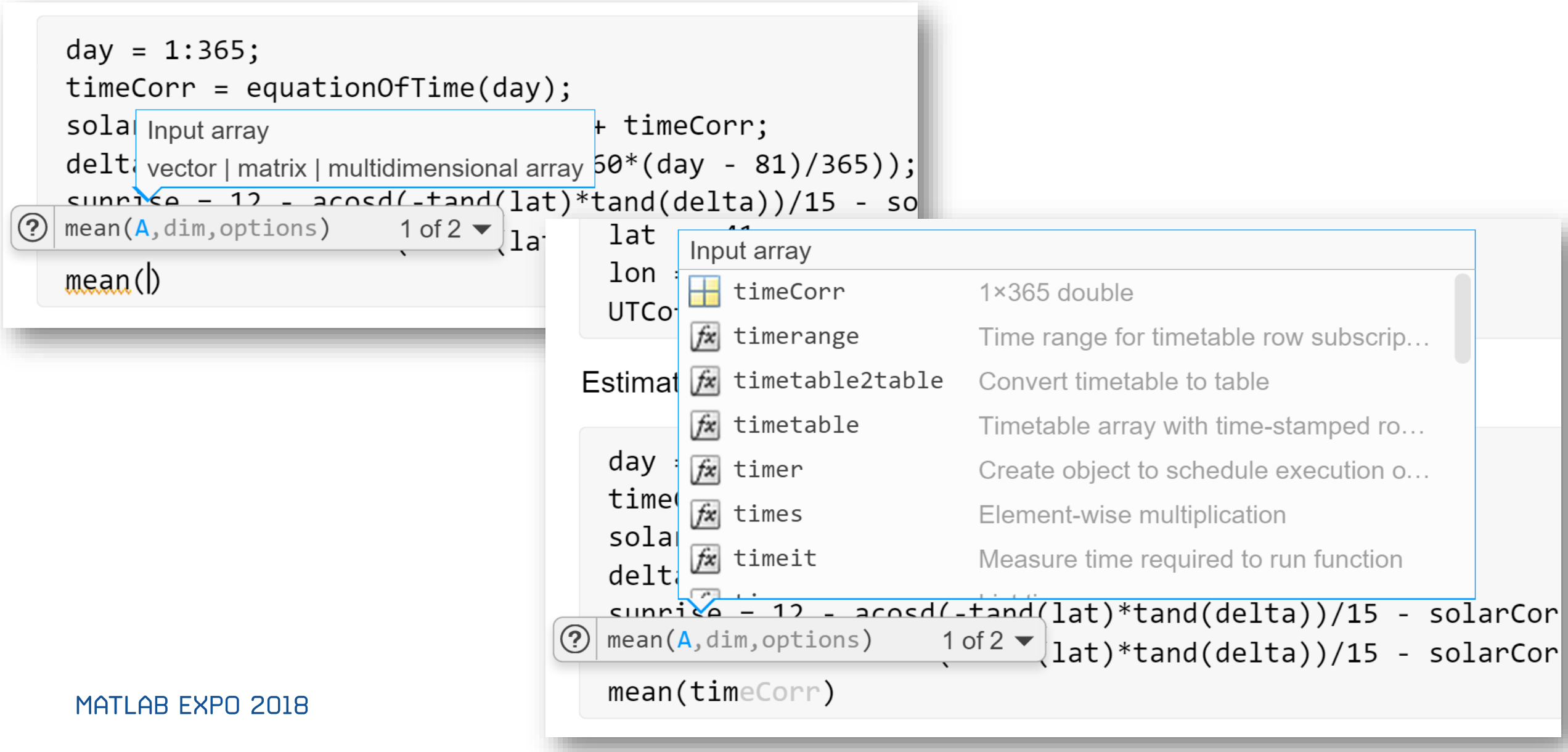
Command Window

```
fx K>> lon = -74;
```

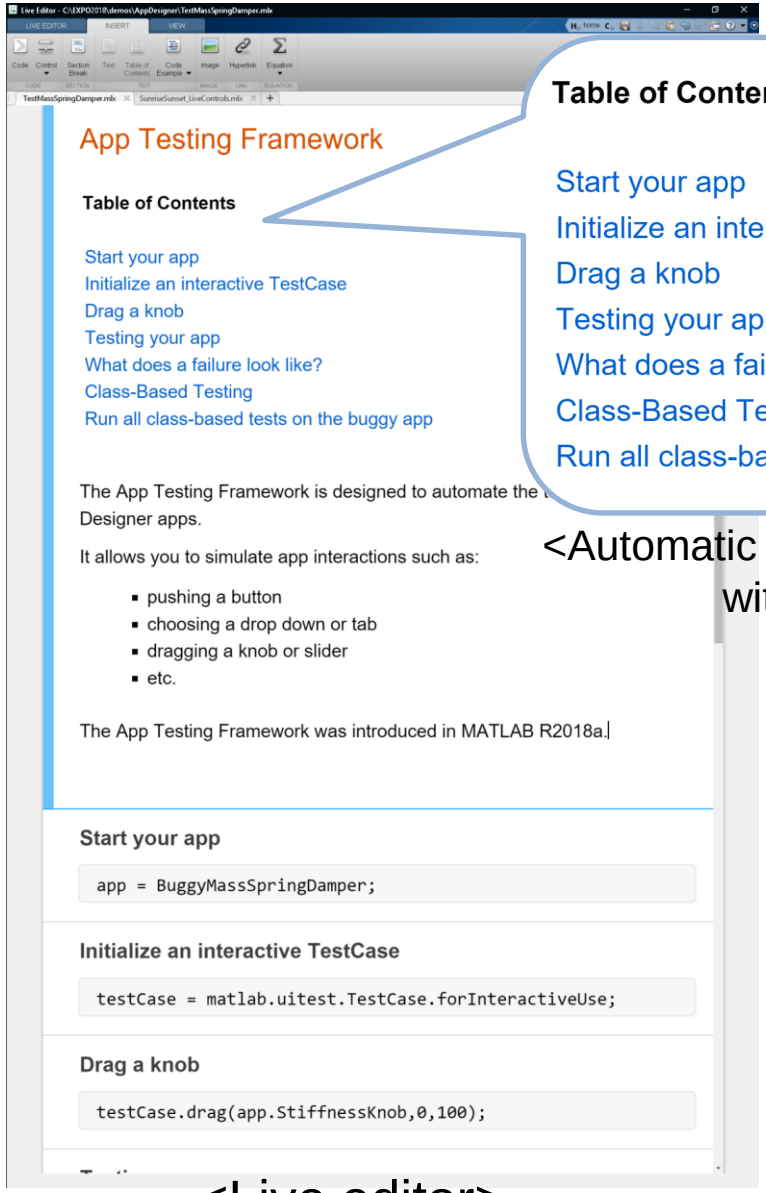
Workspace - SunriseSunset

Name	Value
day	1x365 double
delta	1x365 double
lat	41
lon	-71
solarCorr	1x365 double
sunrise	1x365 double

Help function and variable's Contextual hints



Report generation to pdf, html, and LaTeX



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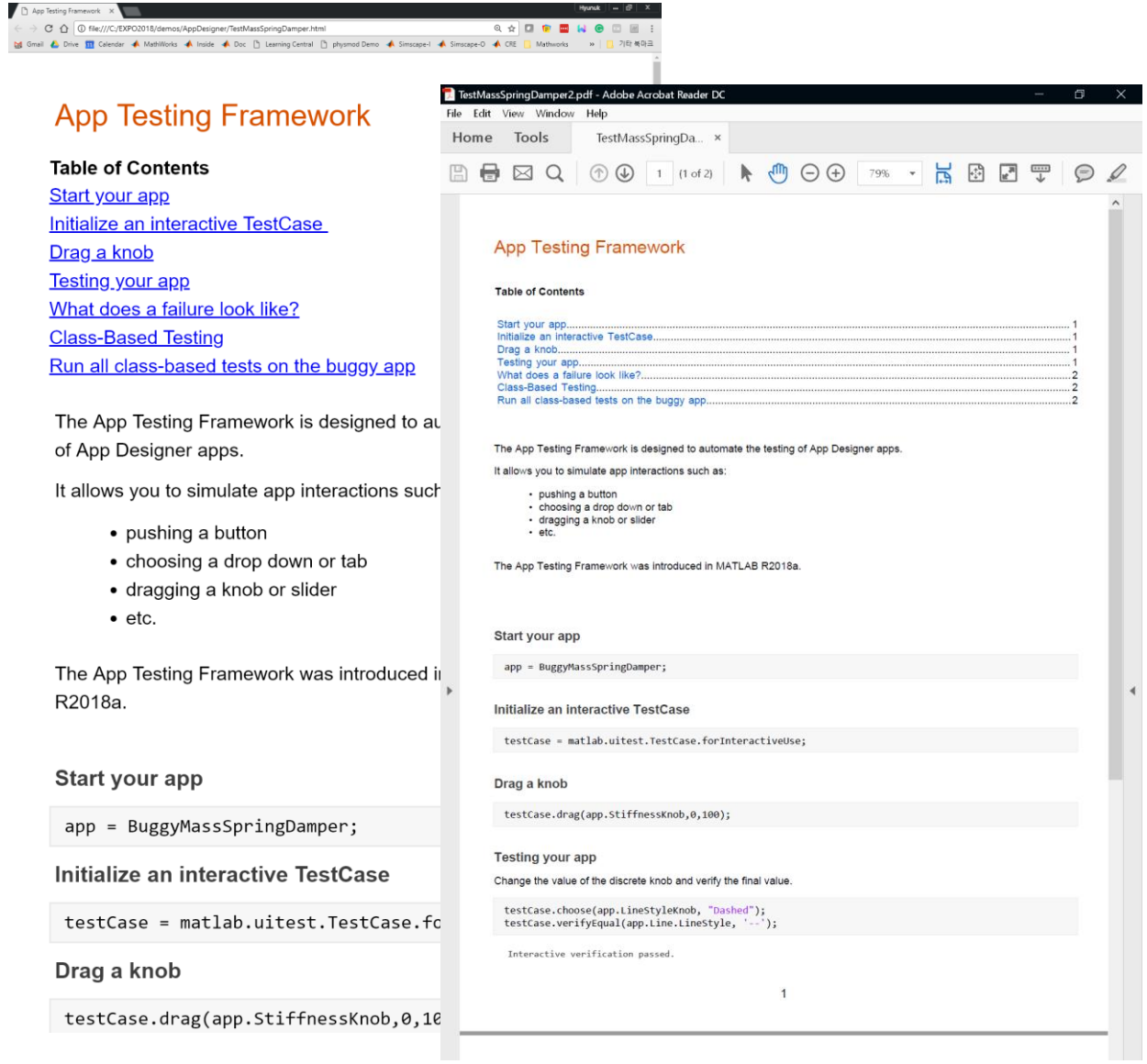
Export to pdf, html, LaTeX



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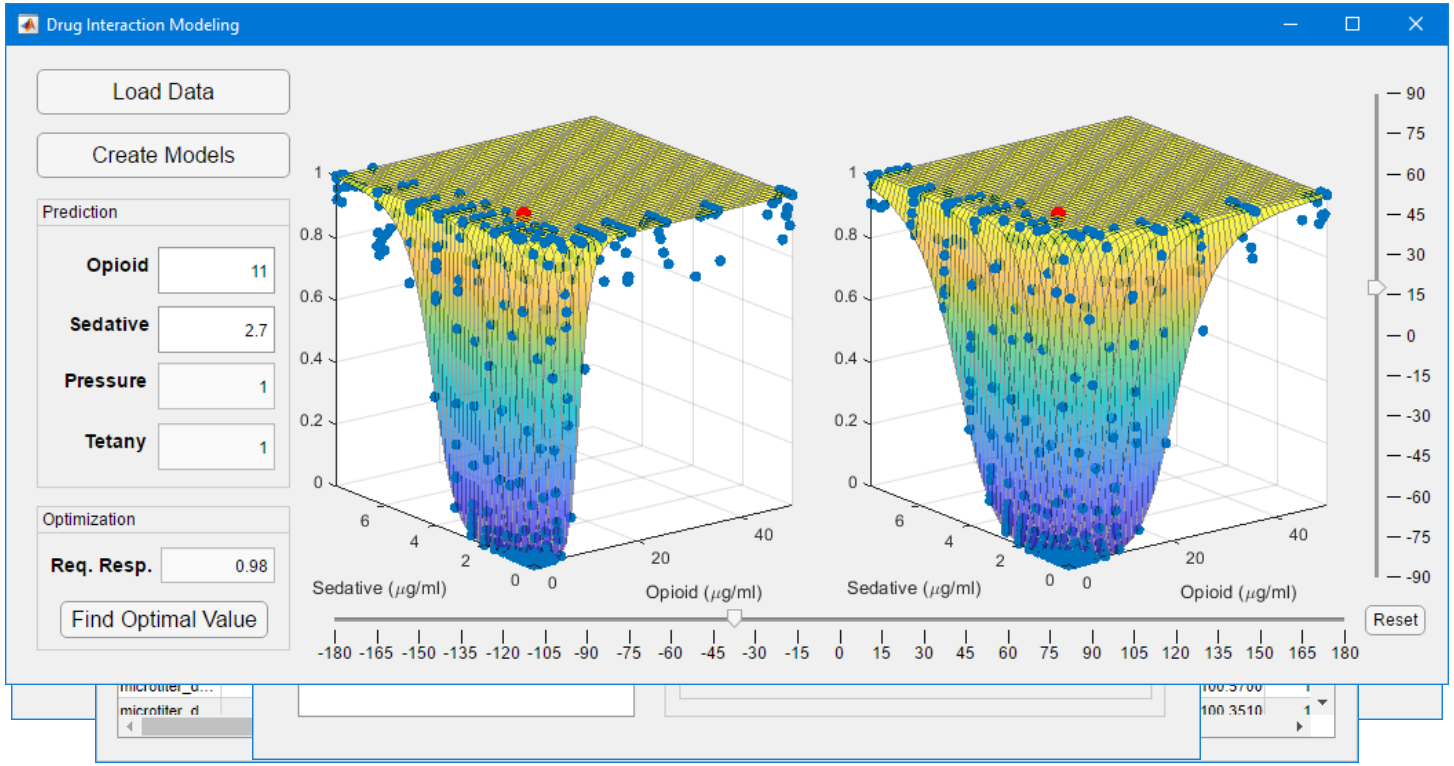
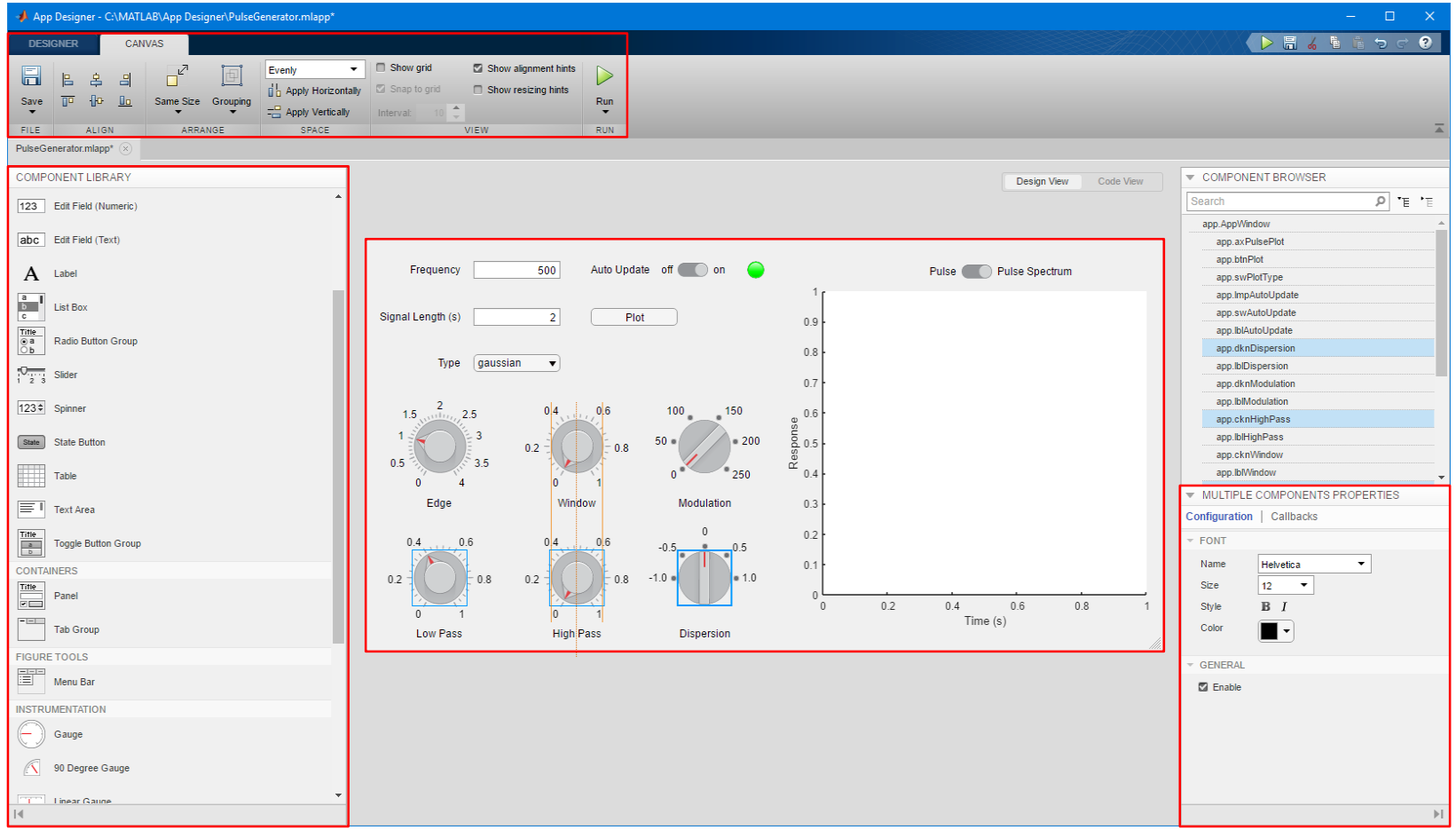
What is App Designer?

- ✓ A new environment for building MATLAB Apps
- ✓ Broad set of UI components including instrumentation controls
- ✓ Integrates the two primary tasks of app building
  - ✓ laying out visual components
  - ✓ programming app behavior
- ✓ Generates code as a MATLAB class



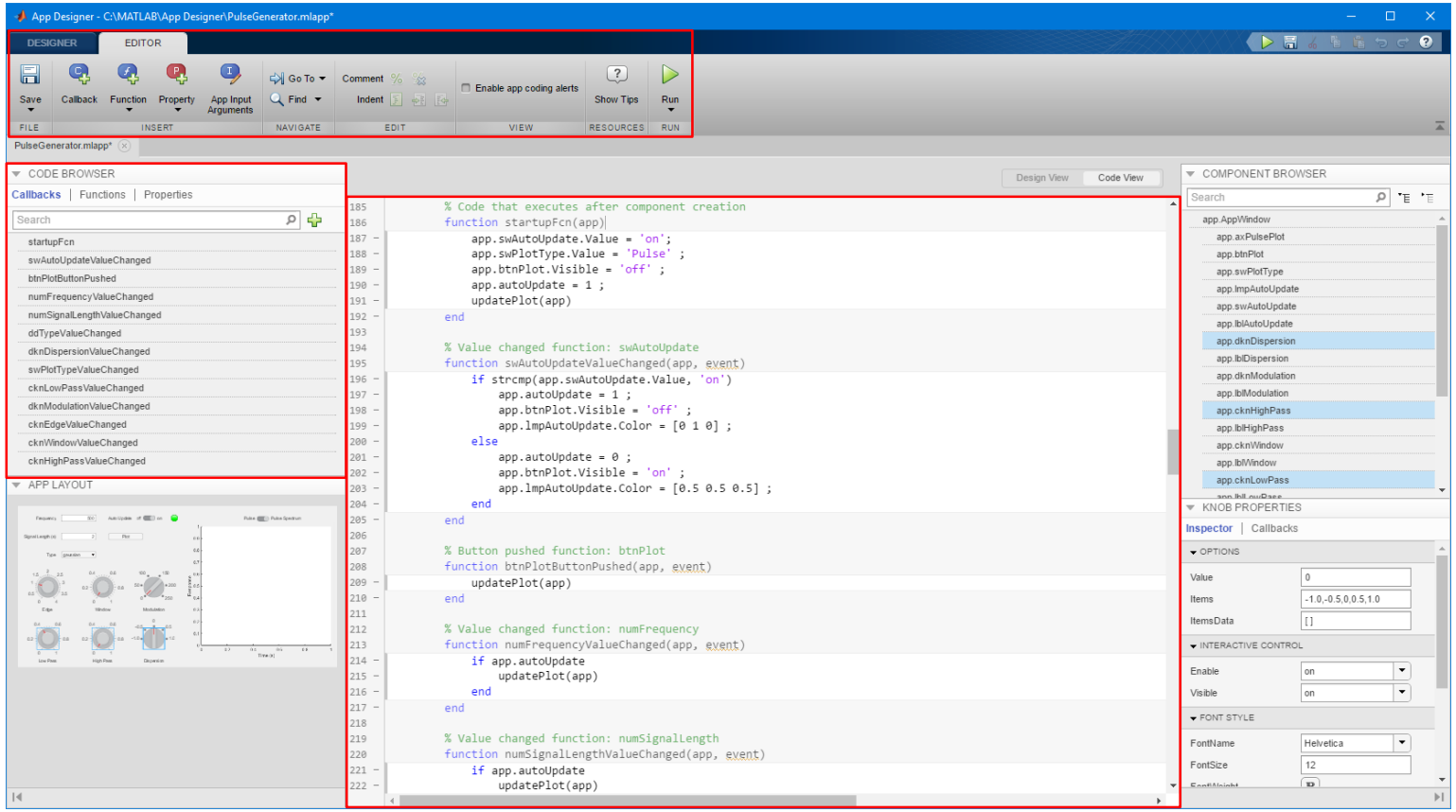
The App Designer Desktop – Design View

- ✓ Design and layout the app's interface
- ✓ Component Library
  - ✓ Select components and add them to the canvas
- ✓ Design Canvas
  - ✓ Layout components
- ✓ Toolstrip
  - ✓ Align, space, and group components
- ✓ Properties panel
  - ✓ Set common component properties



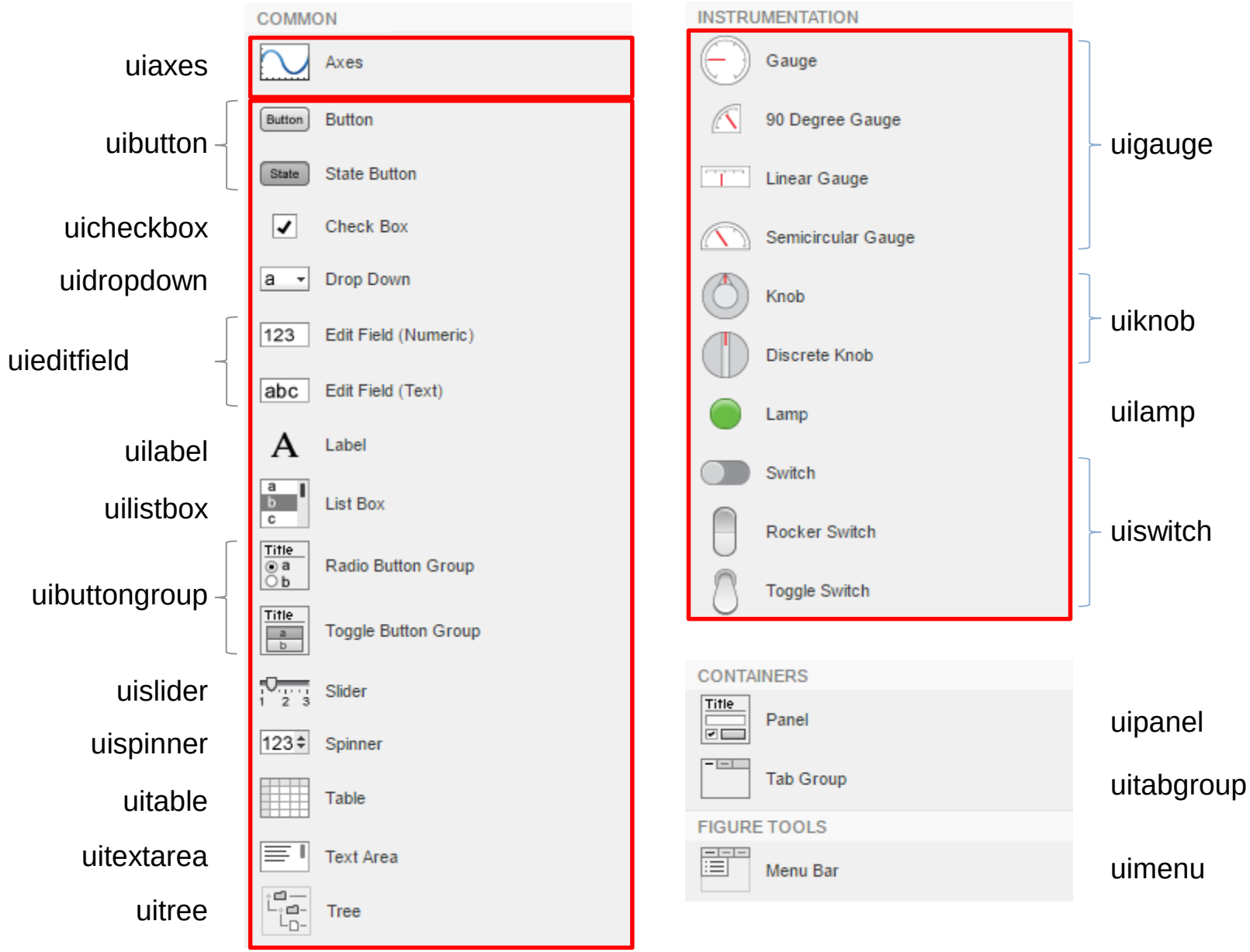
The App Designer Desktop – Code View

- ✓ Write code to control the app's behavior
- ✓ Editor
  - ✓ Write code for callbacks and other functions
- ✓ Code Browser
  - ✓ Navigate to callbacks and app properties
- ✓ Toolstrip
  - ✓ Add new code elements – properties, callbacks, and functions



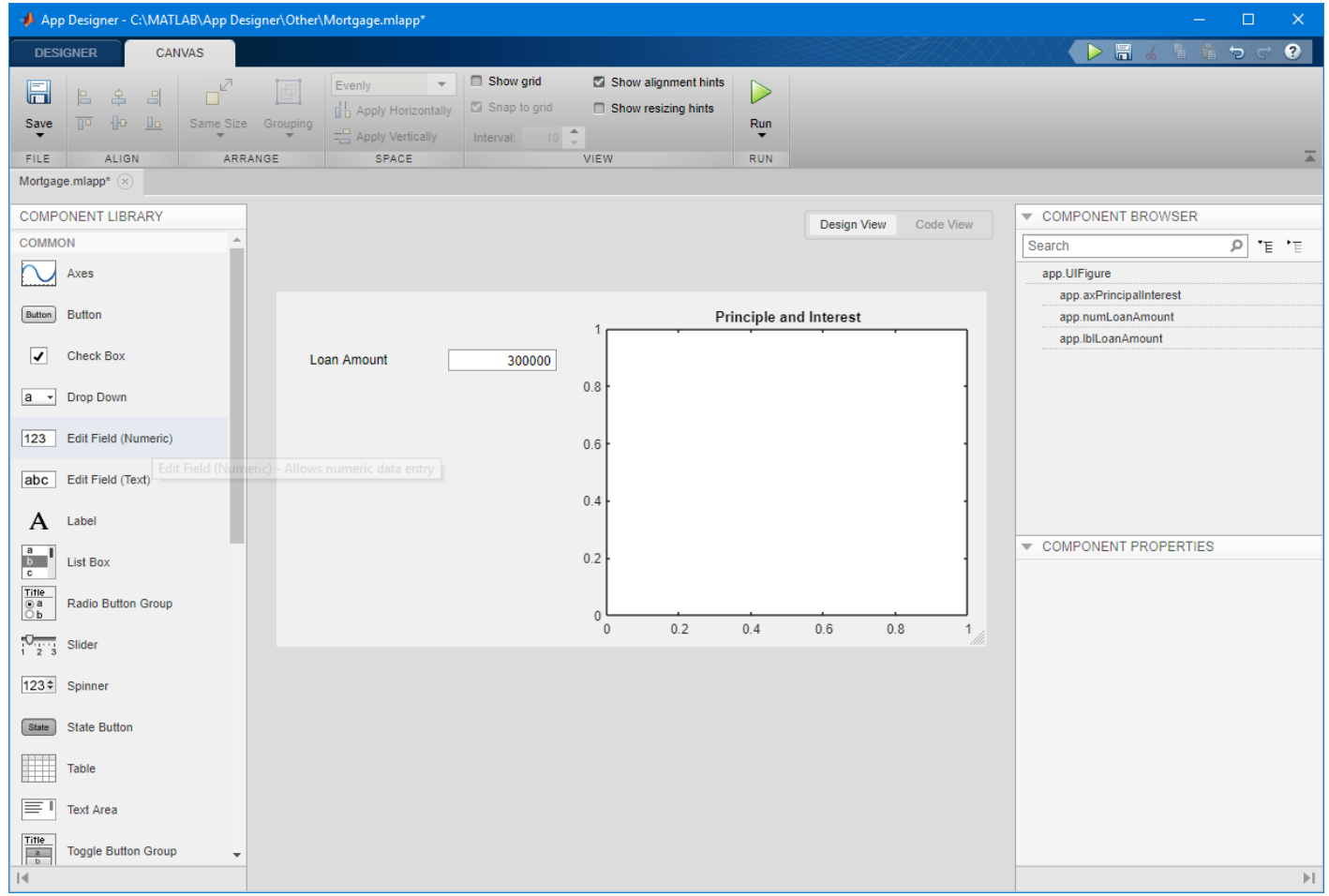
App Designer Components

- ✓ New javascript `uifigure` component
- ✓ New `uiaxes` component for web graphics
- ✓ Expanded set of standard components
- ✓ New instrumentation components
- ✓ Other components being considered
  - ✓ file picker
  - ✓ date picker
  - ✓ toolbar



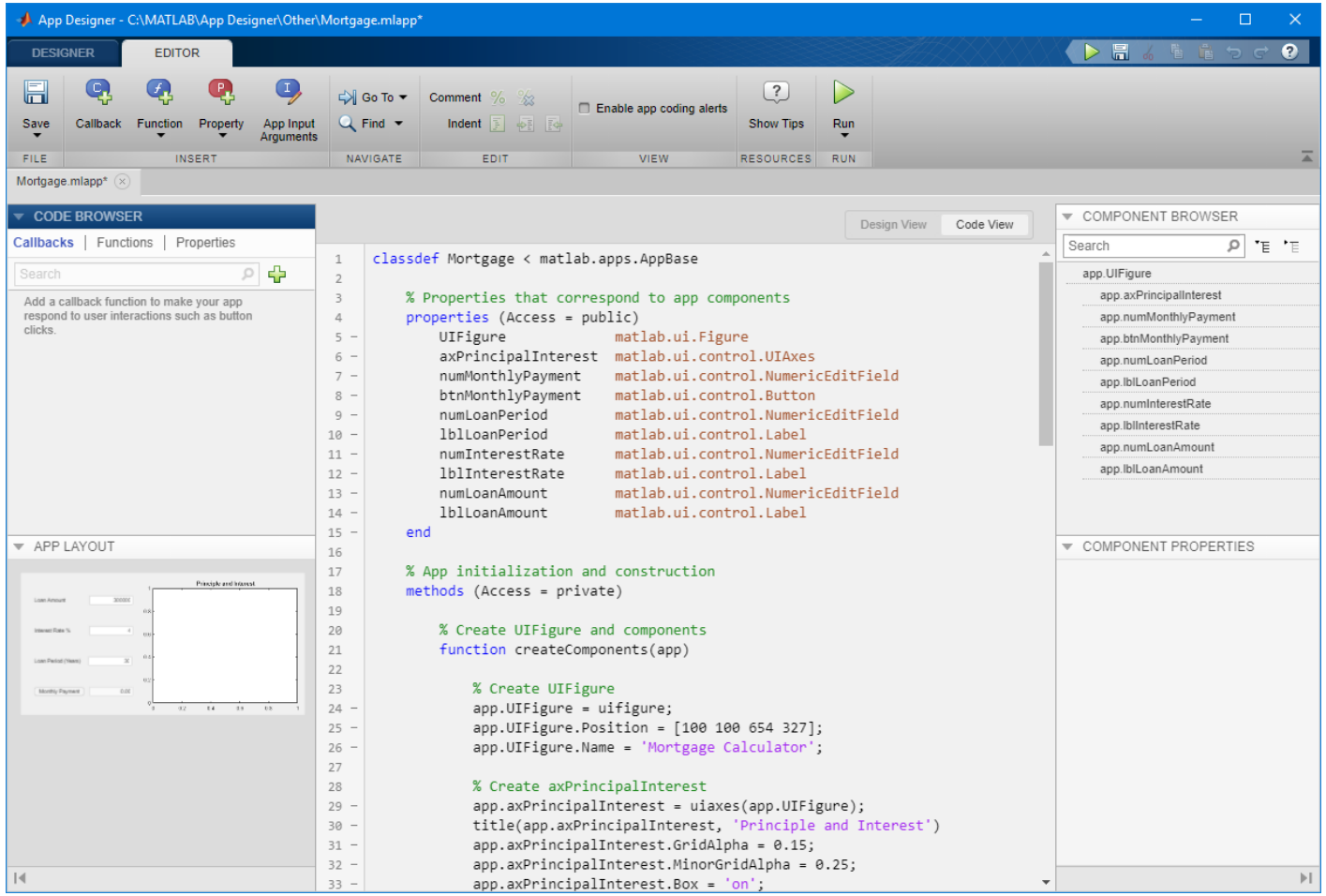
Design and Layout – Basic Steps

- ✓ Select a component from the library and drag it to the canvas
- ✓ Name the component
- ✓ Set the component properties
- ✓ Position manually or align with other components



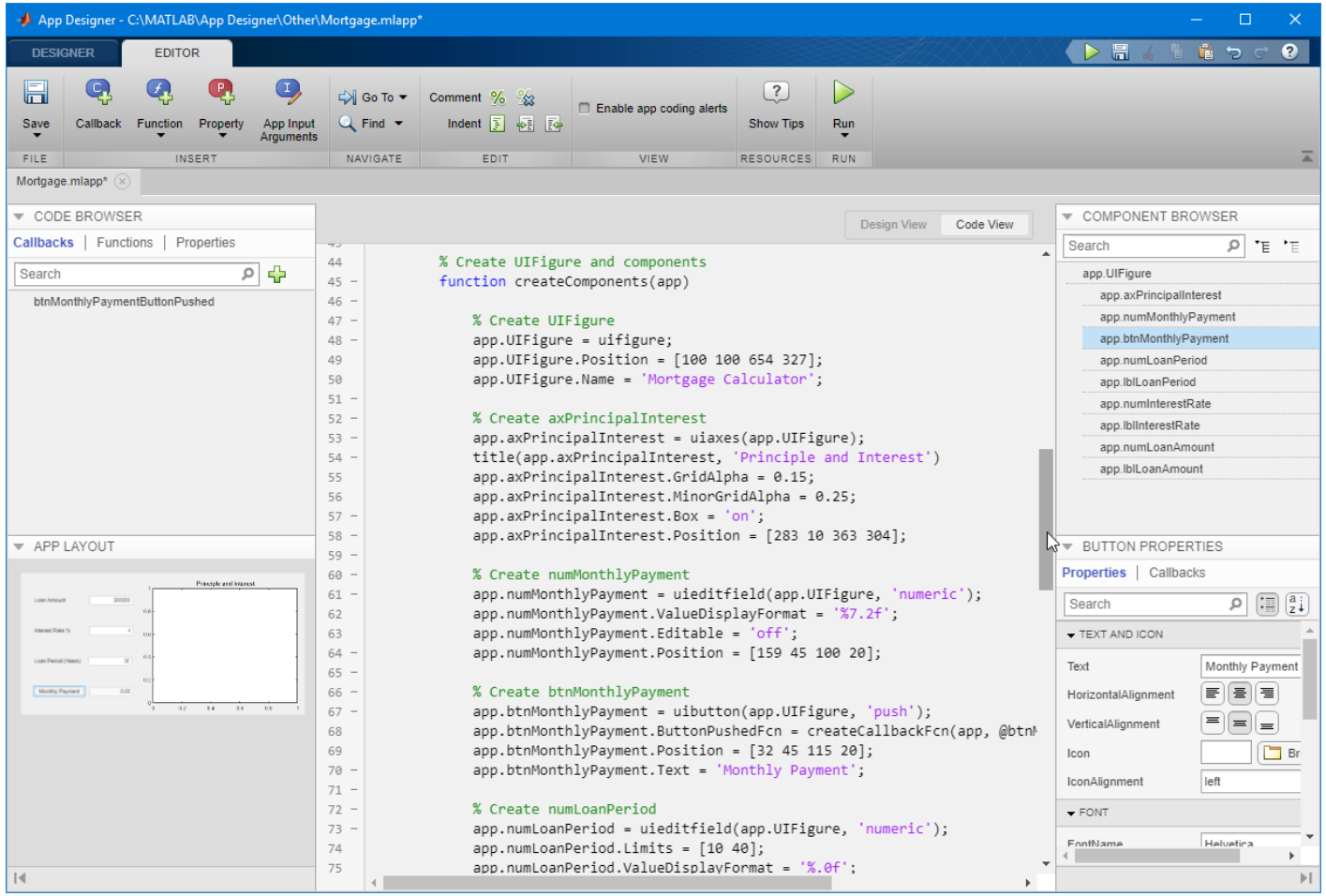
Coding App Behavior – Basic Steps

- ✓ Select a component
- ✓ Create a callback
- ✓ Add callback code
- ✓ Use hints to avoid common programming errors



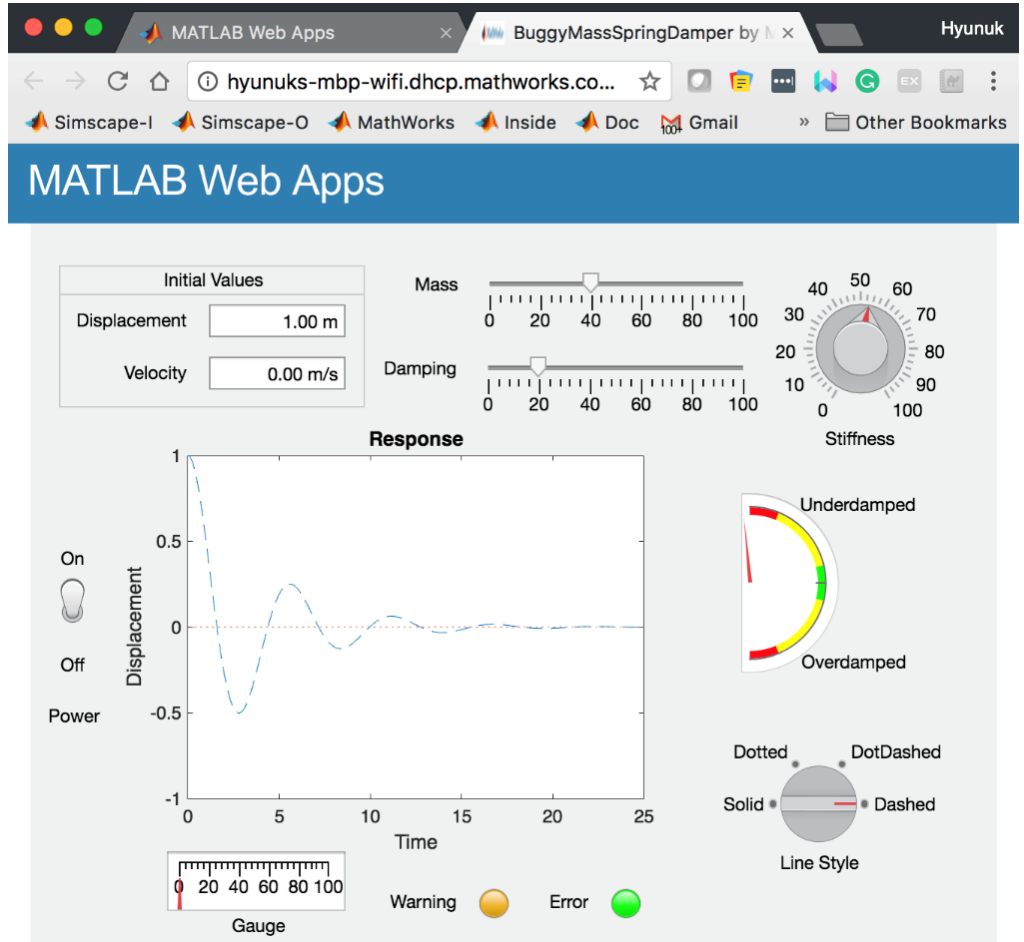
App Code Structure

- ✓ Code created for the App is a MATLAB class
- ✓ Controls and shared data are stored as properties of the class
- ✓ Callbacks and helper functions are stored as methods of the class
- ✓ App Designer generates the code for all the app components

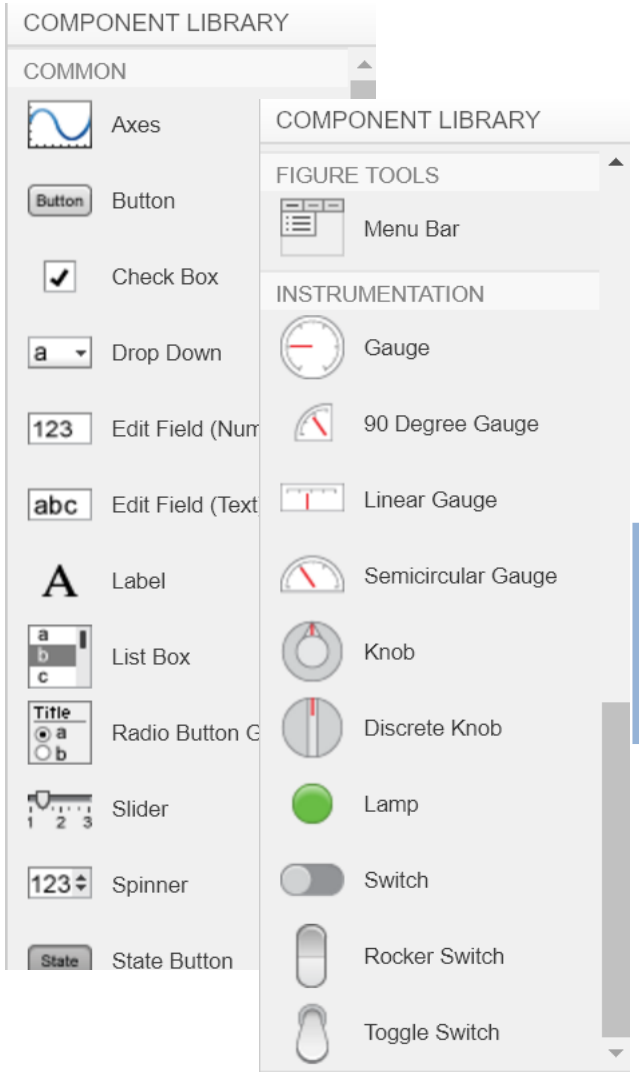


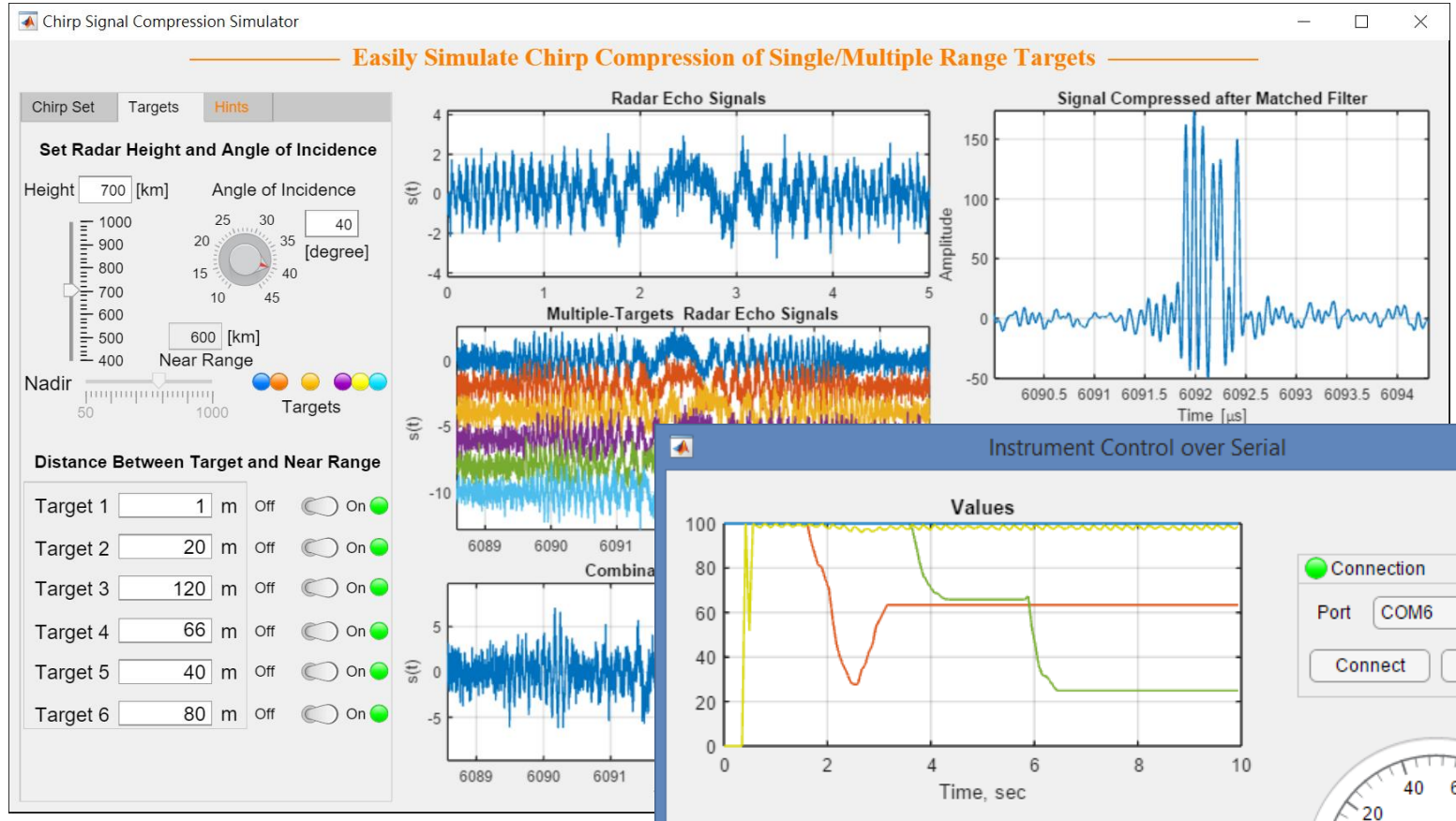
Key features of App designer in R2018a

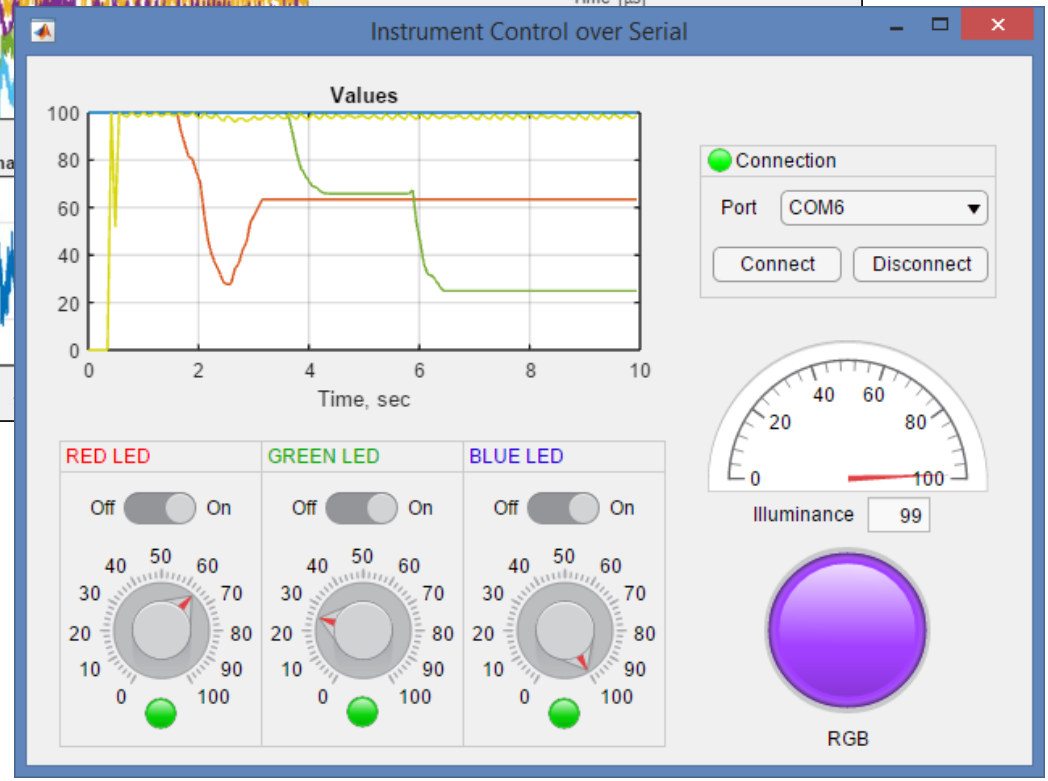
- ✓ More HMI friendly components
- ✓ Web deploy
- ✓ GUIDE to App designer tool
- ✓ + append : Integrating with Simulink
  (Not the latest feature)



More HMI-friendly components







Differences between GUIDE and App Designer

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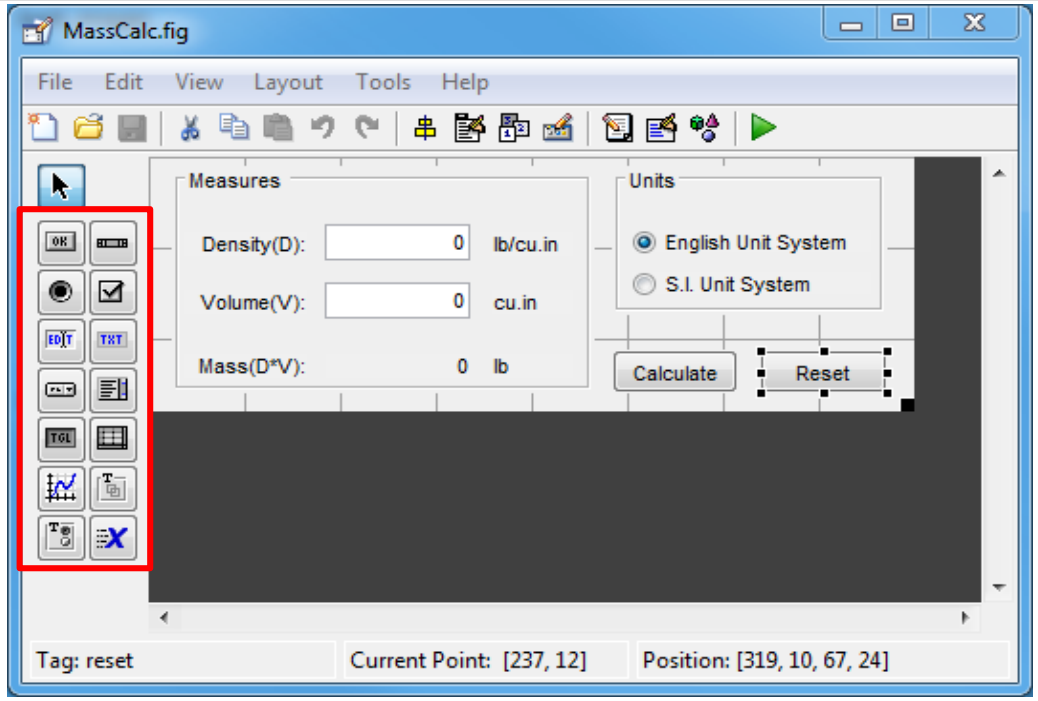	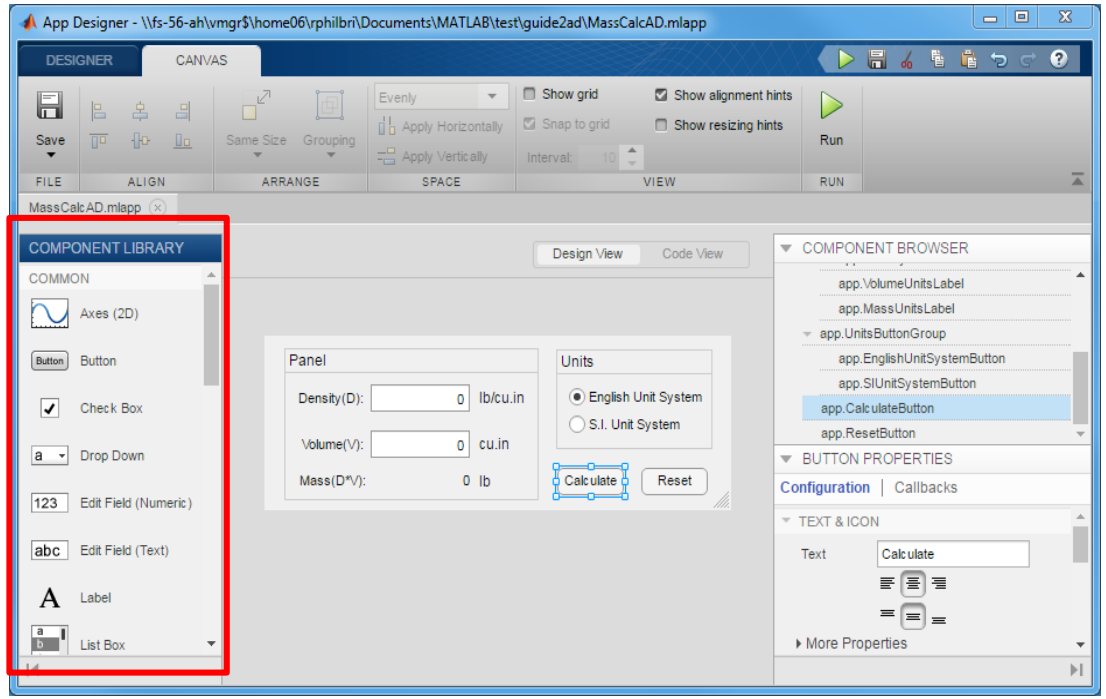
Use figure functions and figure properties	Use uifigure functions and UI Figure properties
Essential components for GUI	More HMI friendly components
Standalone deployable	Standalone deployable + Web deployable
Use get, set functions	Use dot notation using class

GUIDE to App Designer Migration Tool for MATLAB

version 1.0 (15.1 KB) by MathWorks App Designer Team

Use the GUIDE to App Designer Migration tool to help transition your GUIDE apps to App Designer.

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Overview

App Designer is a new environment for building MATLAB apps. There are many advantages to migrating existing GUIDE apps to App Designer including:
- An improved design canvas, and a new generated code structure that makes it easier to share data across the app.
- An expanded component set with a full set of standard user interface components, new components such as a tree, date picker, and an enhanced table, as well as components to create control panels and human-machine interfaces.
- Ability to deploy to the web, so you can share your app with anyone in your organization, or run it in

MATLAB Release

MATLAB 9.4 (R2018a)

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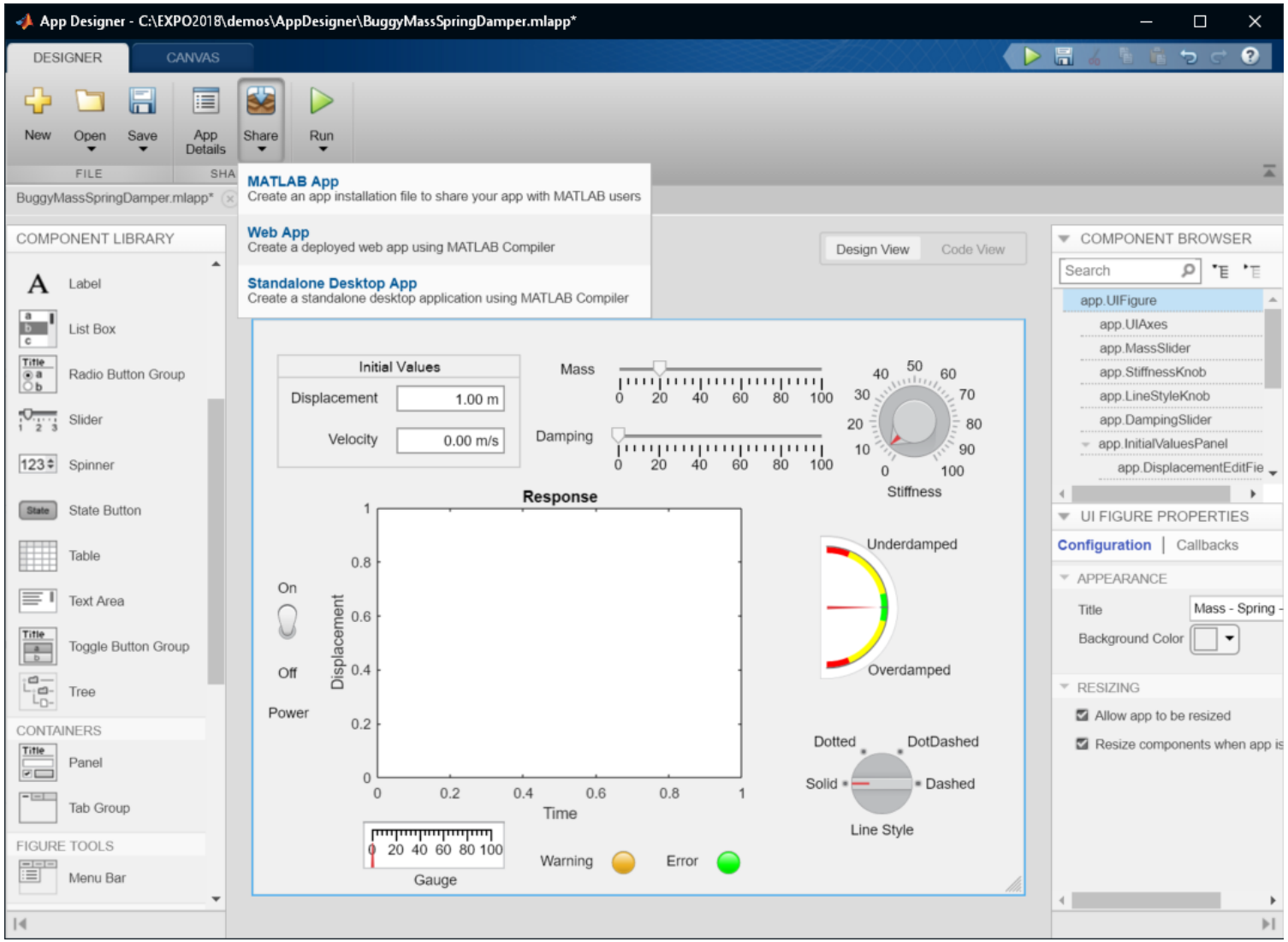
app designer

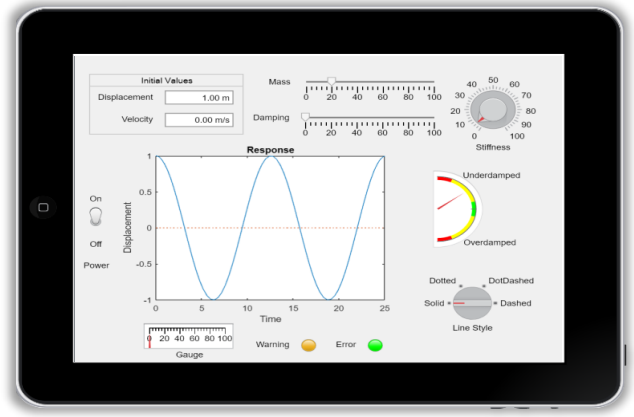
Standalone desktop app & Web Deploy



Stand alone

app.exe

Web deploy



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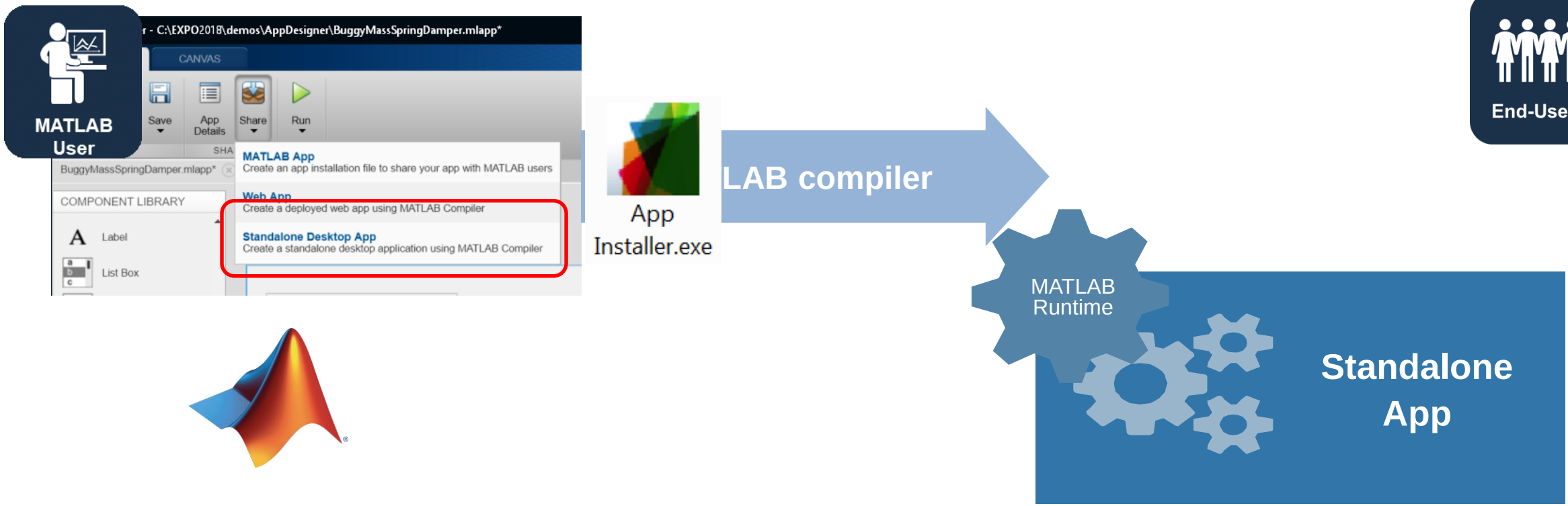
Sharing apps before R2018a



Yesterday

Sharing apps after R2018a

MATLAB User

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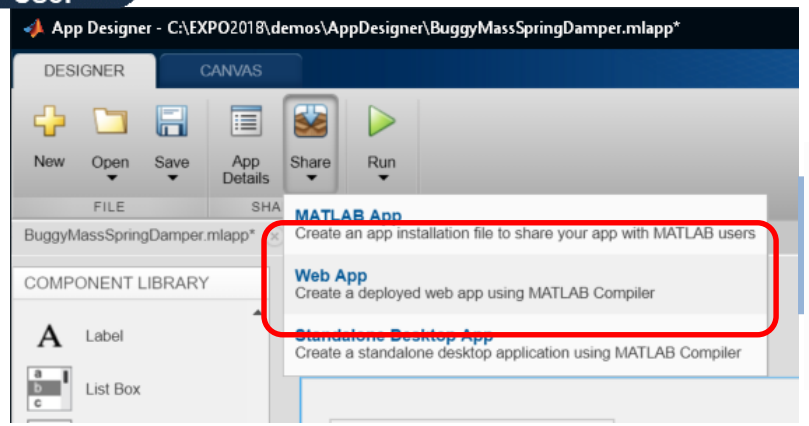
End-Users



App Installer.exe

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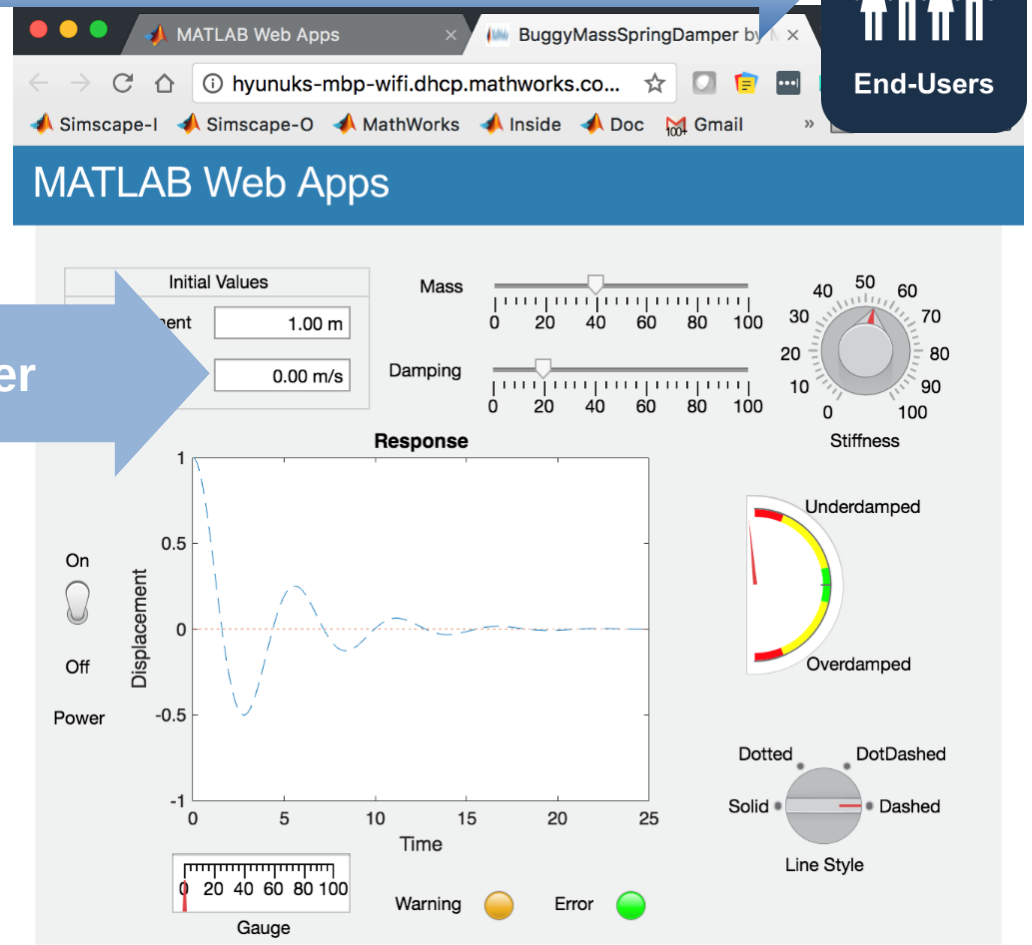

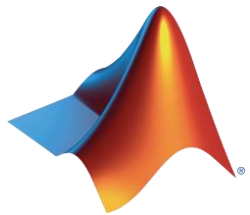

Today with R2018a

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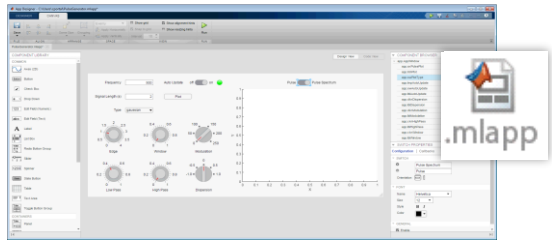

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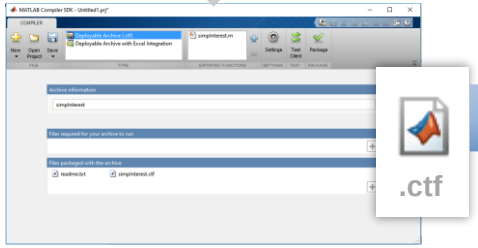
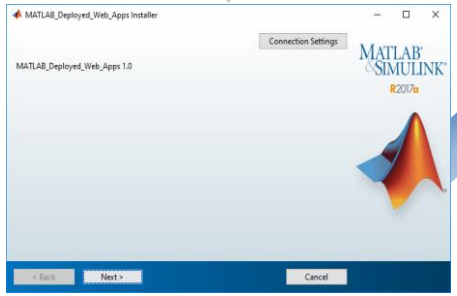


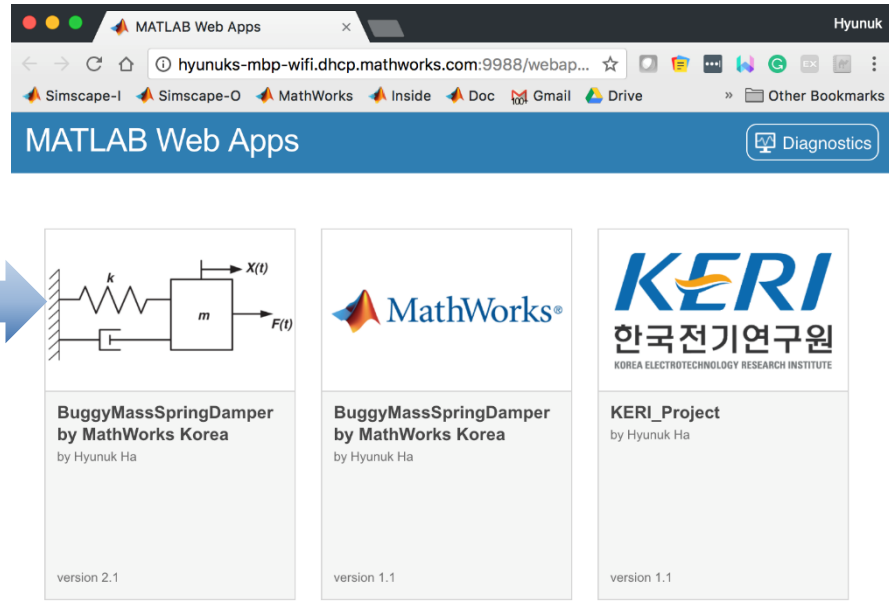
MATLAB Compiler

App



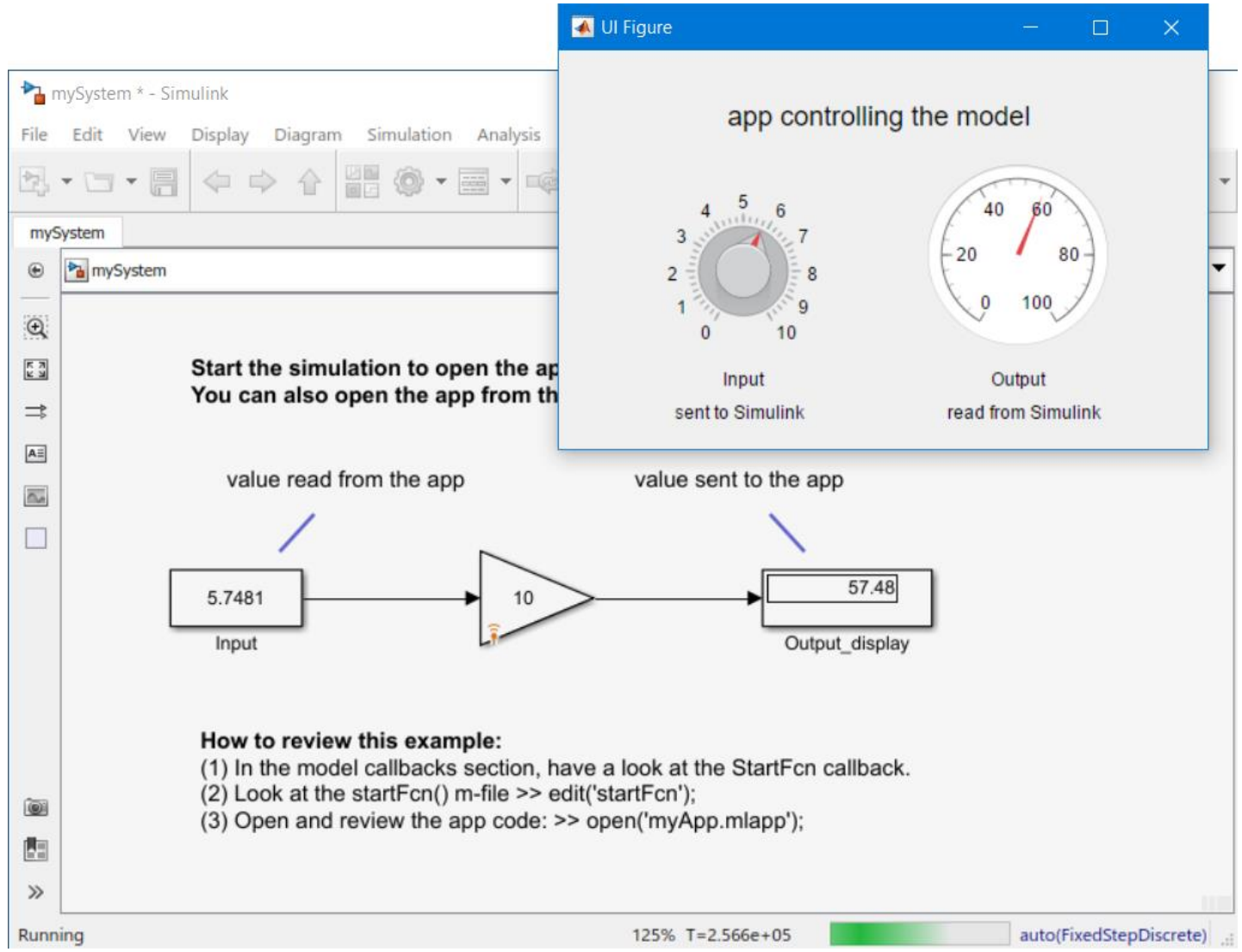
Installer

Web Apps Server



+ Additional feature for HMI : Integrating with Simulink

- Objective: Use an app to write and read block values in a Simulink model
- What we'll see
  - Open an app from a model
  - Set a model parameter from the app
  - Display a value from the model in the app



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