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Summary by Release

This table provides quick access to what's new in each release. For clarification, see "Using Release Notes" on page 1.

Version (Release)	New Features and Changes	Version Compatibility Considerations	Fixed Bugs and Known Problems
Latest Release R2011b	Yes Details	No	Search bug reports for the products that support code generation from MATLAB®:
			• MATLAB® Coder TM
			• Fixed-Point Toolbox TM
			• Simulink® Coder™
			• Simulink®
			• Stateflow®
			• SimEvents®
R2011a	Yes Details	No	Search bug reports for the products that support code generation from MATLAB:
			MATLAB Coder
			• Fixed-Point Toolbox
			Simulink Coder
			Simulink
			• Stateflow
			• SimEvents

Using Release Notes

Use release notes when upgrading to a newer version to learn about:

- New features
- Changes
- Potential impact on your existing files and practices

Review the release notes for other MathWorks® products required for this product (for example, MATLAB or Simulink). Determine if enhancements, bugs, or compatibility considerations in other products impact you.

If you are upgrading from a software version other than the most recent one, review the current release notes and all interim versions. For example, when you upgrade from V1.0 to V1.2, review the release notes for V1.1 and V1.2.

What Is in the Release Notes

New Features and Changes

- New functionality
- Changes to existing functionality

Version Compatibility Considerations

When a new feature or change introduces a reported incompatibility between versions, the **Compatibility Considerations** subsection explains the impact.

Compatibility issues reported after the product release appear under Bug Reports at the MathWorks Web site. Bug fixes can sometimes result in incompatibilities, so review the fixed bugs in Bug Reports for any compatibility impact.

Fixed Bugs and Known Problems

MathWorks offers a user-searchable Bug Reports database so you can view Bug Reports. The development team updates this database at release time and as more information becomes available. Bug Reports include provisions for any known workarounds or file replacements. Information is available for bugs existing in or fixed in Release 14SP2 or later. Information is not available for all bugs in earlier releases.

Access Bug Reports using your MathWorks Account.

Documentation on the MathWorks Web Site

Related documentation is available on mathworks.com for the latest release and for previous releases:

- Latest product documentation
- Archived documentation

Release 2011b Code Generation from MATLAB

This table summarizes what's new in R2011b:

New Features and Changes	Version Compatibility Considerations	Fixed Bugs and Known Problems
Yes Details below	No	Search bug reports for the products that support code generation from MATLAB:
		• MATLAB Coder
		• Fixed-Point Toolbox
		Simulink Coder
		• Simulink
		• Stateflow
		• SimEvents

New features and changes introduced in this release are:

- "Support for Deletion of Rows and Columns from Matrices" on page 4
- "New Toolbox Functions Supported for Code Generation" on page 5
- $\bullet\,$ "New System Objects Supported for Code Generation" on page $5\,$

Support for Deletion of Rows and Columns from Matrices

You can now generate C/C++ code from MATLAB code that deletes rows or columns from matrices. For example, the following code deletes the second column of matrix X:

$$X(:,2) = [];$$

For more information, see "Deleting Rows and Columns" in the MATLAB documentation.

New Toolbox Functions Supported for Code Generation

To view implementation details, see "Functions Supported for Code Generation — Alphabetical List".

Data Type Functions

- deal
- structfun

Linear Algebra

Addition of Hessenberg and Hermitian positive definite solvers to linsolve

Fixed-Point Toolbox Functions

- cordicabs
- cordicangle
- cordicatan2
- cordiccart2pol

New System Objects Supported for Code Generation

The following System objects are now supported for code generation. To see all System objects supported for code generation, see "System Objects Supported for Code Generation".

Communications System Toolbox

- comm.BarkerCode
- comm.DifferentialDecoder
- comm.DifferentialEncoder
- comm.DiscreteTimeVCO
- comm.HadamardCode
- comm.OVSFCode

• comm.WalshCode

Computer Vision System Toolbox

• vision.IFFT

Release 2011a Code Generation from MATLAB

This table summarizes what's new in R2011a:

New Features and Changes	Version Compatibility Considerations	Fixed Bugs and Known Problems
Yes Details below	No	Search bug reports for the products that support code generation from MATLAB: • MATLAB Coder • Fixed-Point Toolbox
		• Simulink Coder
		• Simulink
		• Stateflow
		• SimEvents

New features and changes introduced in this release are:

• "Embedded MATLAB Now Called Code Generation from MATLAB" on page 7

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- "New Toolbox Functions Supported for Code Generation" on page 8
- "Function Being Removed in a Future Release" on page 9
- "Function Elements Being Removed in a Future Release" on page 9

Embedded MATLAB Now Called Code Generation from MATLAB

MathWorks is no longer using the term *Embedded MATLAB*® to refer to the language subset that supports code generation from MATLAB algorithms. This nomenclature incorrectly implies that the generated code is used in embedded systems only.

The new term is *code generation from MATLAB*. This terminology better reflects the full extent of the capability for translating MATLAB algorithms into readable, efficient, and compact MEX and C/C++ code for deployment to both desktop and embedded systems.

New Toolbox Functions Supported for Code Generation

To view implementation details, see "Functions Supported for Code Generation — Alphabetical List".

Bitwise Operation Functions

• swapbytes

Data Type Functions

• str2func

Derivative and Integral Functions

- del2
- gradient

Discrete Math Functions

- factor
- isprime
- primes

Filtering and Convolution Functions

• convn

Fixed Point Toolbox Functions

- cordicrotate
- cordicpol2cart

Linear Algebra Functions

- null
- orth

MATLAB Compiler Functions

- isdeployed
- ismcc

Matrix and Array Functions

• hadamard

Signal Processing Functions in MATLAB

- fftn
- ifftn

Function Being Removed in a Future Release

Function Name	What Happens When You Use This Function?	Use This Function Instead
emlmex	Still runs with a warning in R2011a	codegen (requires MATLAB Coder license)

Function Elements Being Removed in a Future Release

Function or Element Name	What Happens When You Use the Function or Element?	Use This Element Instead
%#eml	Still runs	%#codegen
eml.allowpcode	Still runs	coder.allowpcode

Function or Element Name	What Happens When You Use the Function or Element?	Use This Element Instead
eml.ceval	Still runs	coder.ceval
eml.cstructname	Still runs	coder.cstructname
eml.extrinsic	Still runs	coder.extrinsic
eml.inline	Still runs	coder.inline
eml.nullcopy	Still runs	coder.nullcopy
eml.opaque	Still runs	coder.opaque
eml.ref	Still runs	coder.ref
eml.rref	Still runs	coder.rref
eml.target	Still runs	coder.target
eml.unroll	Still runs	coder.unroll
eml.varsize	Still runs	coder.varsize
eml.wref	Still runs	coder.wref

Compatibility Summary for Code Generation from MATLAB

This table summarizes new features and changes that might cause incompatibilities when you upgrade from an earlier version, or when you use files on multiple versions. Details are provided in the description of the new feature or change.

Release	New Features and Changes with Version Compatibility Impact
Latest Version (R2011b)	None
R2011a	None