

An Algorithm for the Generalized Symmetric Tridiagonal Eigenvalue Problem

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Def (Problem)

Find λ such that $Tx = \lambda Sx$.

T, S symmetric implies $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$.

Algorithm philosophy

We find zeros of the polynomial equation

$$\mathcal{F}_{(T,S)}(\lambda) = \det(T - \lambda S) = 0$$

using an iterative method, living on real line.

Brainstorming

We want:

Fast and secure iterative method.
Starting points for our method.
Scalability.

We have:

Laguerre's method.
Cuppen's divide and conquer method.
Symmetric tridiagonal matrices.

We add:

Unreducible condition.
Dynamic programming (Bottom-up).
Efficient matrix storing.

Unreducible pencil

Def (as in [1])

(T, S) is an *unreducible pencil* if $t_{i,i+1}^2 + s_{i,i+1}^2 \neq 0$
for $i = 1, 2, \dots, n - 1$.

Matrix storin

$$T = \text{trid}(\text{sub}, \text{diag}, \text{super})$$

But T is symmetric, so $\text{sub} = \text{super}$. We define and use

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integer , parameter :: dp = kind(1.d0)  
real(dp), dimension(1:n,0:1) :: T, S
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with $T(:,0) = \text{diag}$ and $T(:,1) = \text{super}$.

Oss

We don't use $T(n,1)$ and $S(n,1)$.

Fast and secure iterative method

$\mathcal{F}_{T,S}(\lambda)$ is a polynomial with only real zeros; we call them

$$\lambda_1 \leq \lambda_2 \leq \dots \leq \lambda_n$$

where we count with multiplicity.

If λ_m and λ_{m+1} are simple zeros (mlt=1), then we consider the quadric

$$g_u(X) = (x - X)^2 \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(u - \lambda_i)^2}{(x - \lambda_i)^2} - (u - X)^2$$

if $\boxed{u \neq x}$ then $g_u(x) < 0$ and $g_u(\lambda_m) > 0$.

So we have two sign change.

Bolzano's Theorem tell us that there are two zeros of g_u between λ_m and λ_{m+1} . We call them X_- , X_+ .

Fast and secure iterative method

$$\lambda_m < X_- < x < X_+ < \lambda_{m+1}$$

We have one freedom: the u parameter.

Calling $\hat{X}_- = \min_u X_-$ and $\hat{X}_+ = \max_u X_+$ we can obtain

$$\lambda_m \approx \hat{X}_- < x < \hat{X}_+ \approx \lambda_{m+1}$$

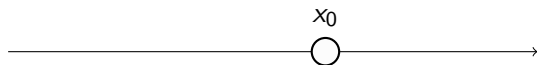
and with algebraic manipulations:

$$\hat{X}_-, \hat{X}_+ = L_{\pm}(x) = x + \frac{n}{-\frac{f'}{f} \pm \sqrt{(n-1)[(n-1)(-\frac{f'}{f}) - n\frac{f''}{f}]}}$$

$$\text{with } \frac{f'}{f} = \frac{(\mathcal{F}_{T,S}(\lambda))'}{\mathcal{F}_{T,S}(\lambda)}.$$

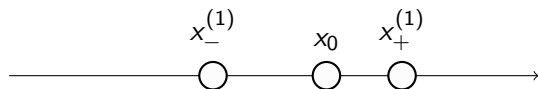
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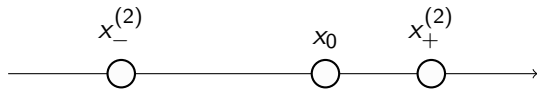
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Def (Laguerre's iteration)

If $m/t(\lambda_m) = m/t(\lambda_{m+1}) = 1$ then

$$x_+^{(k)} = L_+^k(x) = L_+(L_+(\dots(x_0)))$$

$$x_-^{(k)} = L_-^k(x) = L_-(L_-(\dots(x_0)))$$

else we have a similar expression.

We can prove that

$$\lambda_m \leftarrow \dots x_-^{(2)} < x_-^{(1)} < x_0 < x_+^{(1)} < x_+^{(2)} \dots \rightarrow \lambda_{m+1}$$

Fast and secure iterative method

It's clear that we need a powerfull method to obtain x_0 and an algorithm to estimate $mlt(\lambda_m)$.

Overestimate $mlt(\lambda_m)$ (as we can read in [2]) causes no trouble, so the most importan aspects of our calculation are: good x_0 and good evaluation of $L_{\pm}(x)$.

Split

Consider (\hat{T}, \hat{S}) with

$$\hat{T} = \begin{bmatrix} T_0 & 0 \\ 0 & T_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{S} = \begin{bmatrix} S_0 & 0 \\ 0 & S_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

and let be

$$\hat{\lambda}_1 \leq \hat{\lambda}_2 \leq \dots \leq \hat{\lambda}_n$$

eigenvalues of (\hat{T}, \hat{S}) , then

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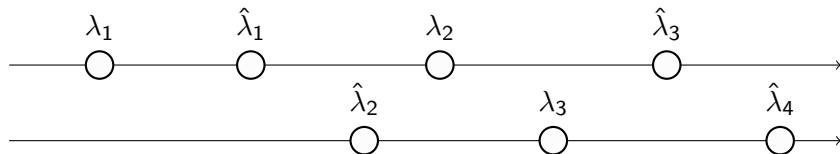
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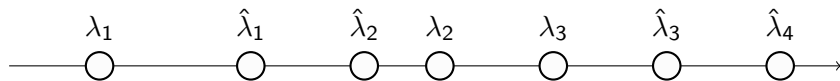
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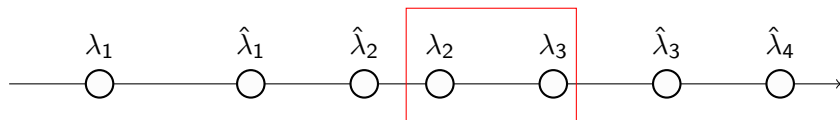
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