# Numerical Methods

Systems of linear equations

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- Linear equations (first degree equation)
  - Algebraic equation in which each term is either a constant and (the first power of) a single variable. Ex: ax + b =0
- Systems of Linear equations

collection of two or more linear equations involving the same set of variables

$$a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + \dots + a_{1n}x_n = b_1$$
 $a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + \dots + a_{2n}x_n = b_2$ 
 $\vdots$ 
 $\vdots$ 
 $\vdots$ 
 $a_{n1}x_1 + a_{n2}x_2 + \dots + a_{nn}x_n = b_n$ 

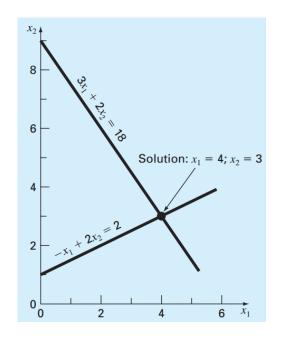
a's are constant coefficients, b's are constants, the x's are unknowns, and n is the number of equations

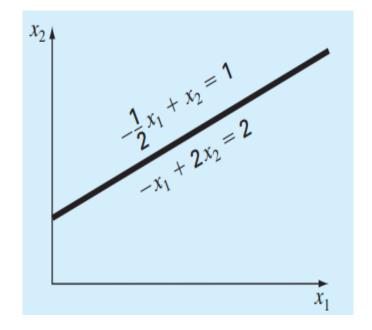
- A linear system may behave in any one of three possible ways:
  - The system has a single unique solution
  - >The system has infinitely many solutions

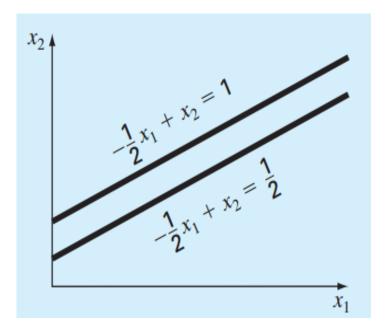


HOW TO SOLVE?

The system has no solution







### Topics

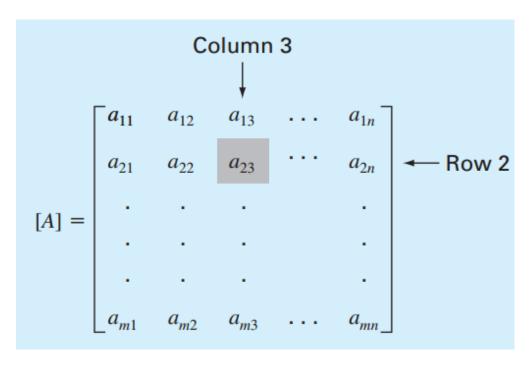
- > Introduction of systems
- Naïve Gauss Elimination
- Jacobi method
- Gauss-Seidel method

#### Objectives

- Understanding matrix notation, matrix multiplication, types of matrices identity, diagonal, symmetric, triangular
- Knowing how to represent a system of linear algebraic equations in matrix form
- > Understanding how to use the Naïve Gauss elimination method

#### Matrix Notation

- $\triangleright$  [A] is the shorthand notation for the matrix an m by n matrix
- > a designates an individual element of the matrix
- $ightharpoonup a_{11}$ ,  $a_{22}$ ,  $a_{33}$ : the principal or main diagonal of the matrix
- $> a_{ij} = a_{ji}$ : symmetric matrix
- > m = n : square matrices



#### Matrix Notation

Diagonal matrix

Upper triangular matrix

Lower triangular matrix

$$[A] = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & & \\ & a_{22} & \\ & & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[A] = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ & & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$[A] = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

- Matrix Notation
  - Identity matrix

$$[I] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & \\ & 1 & \\ & & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Banded matrix

$$[A] = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ & a_{32} & a_{33} & a_{34} \\ & & a_{43} & a_{44} \end{bmatrix}$$

#### Matrix Notation

Matrices with row dimension n = 1 => row vectors

$$[B] = [b_1 \quad b_2 \quad \cdots \quad b_m]$$

> Matrices with column dimension n = 1 => column vectors

$$[C] = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \\ c_n \end{bmatrix}$$

- Representing Linear Algebraic Equations in Matrix Form
  - > a 3 × 3 set of linear equations

$$a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + a_{13}x_3 = b_1$$

$$a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + a_{23}x_3 = b_2$$

$$a_{31}x_1 + a_{32}x_2 + a_{33}x_3 = b_3$$

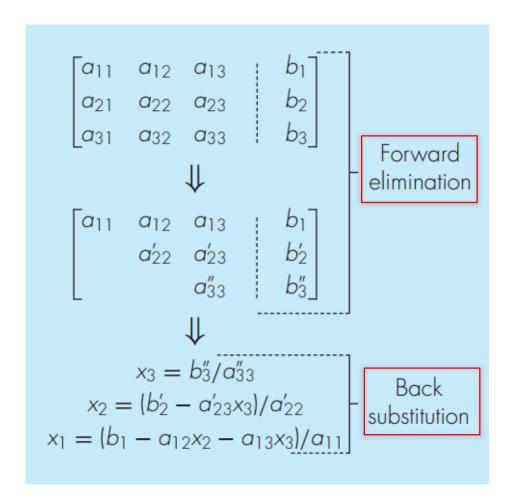
$$x_1 \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} \\ a_{21} \\ a_{31} \end{bmatrix} + x_2 \begin{bmatrix} a_{12} \\ a_{22} \\ a_{32} \end{bmatrix} + x_3 \begin{bmatrix} a_{13} \\ a_{23} \\ a_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

> can be expressed as

[A] 
$$\{x\} = \{b\}$$
 where [A] = 
$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{bmatrix} \qquad \{b\} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \end{bmatrix} \qquad \{x\} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\{x\} = [A]^{-1} \{b\}$$

- Gauss elimination (also known as row reduction)
  The procedure consisted of two steps:
  - 1. The equations were manipulated to eliminate one of the unknowns from the equations. The result of this elimination step was that we had one equation with one unknown
  - 2. Consequently, this equation could be solved directly and the result back-substituted into one of the original equations to solve for the remaining unknown

#### Gauss elimination



The two phases of Gauss elimination

The primes indicate the number of times that the coefficients and constants have been modified

#### Naïve Gauss elimination

#### 1. Forward Elimination of Unknowns

- a. Reduce the coefficient matrix [A] to an upper triangular system
- b. Eliminate  $x_1$  from the  $2^{nd}$  to nth Eqns.
- c. Eliminate  $x_2$  from the 3<sup>rd</sup> to nth Eqns.
- d. Continue process until the *n*th equation has only 1 Non-Zero coefficient

#### 2. Back-substituted

- a. Starting from the last equation, => find  $x_n$
- b. Substitute to (n-1)th equation => find  $x_{n-1}$
- c. Each of the unknowns is found

#### Naïve Gauss elimination

### The approach is designed to solve a general set of n equations

$$a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + a_{13}x_3 + \dots + a_{1n}x_n = b_1$$

$$a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + a_{23}x_3 + \dots + a_{2n}x_n = b_2$$

$$\vdots \qquad \vdots$$

$$a_{n1}x_1 + a_{n2}x_2 + a_{n3}x_3 + \dots + a_{nn}x_n = b_n$$

$$a_{11} = 0$$
- pivot equation
-  $a_{11}$  pivot coefficient



$$a_{11} \neq 0$$

Naïve Gauss elimination

Forward Elimination of Unknowns

The first phase is designed to reduce the set of equations to an upper triangular system

 $\triangleright$  The initial step will be to eliminate the first unknown  $x_1$  from the second through the nth equations

$$a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + a_{13}x_3 + \cdots + a_{1n}x_n = b_1$$

Multiply by 
$$a_{21}$$
 /  $a_{11}$  to give  $a_{21}x_1 + \frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}}a_{12}x_2 + \frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}}a_{13}x_3 + \dots + \frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}}a_{1n}x_n = \frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}}b_1$ 

This equation can be subtracted from 2<sup>nd</sup> equation to give

$$\left(a_{22} - \frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}}a_{12}\right)x_2 + \dots + \left(a_{2n} - \frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}}a_{1n}\right)x_n = b_2 - \frac{a_{21}}{a_{11}}b_1$$

or 
$$a'_{22}x_2 + \cdots + a'_{2n}x_n = b'_2$$

#### Forward Elimination of Unknowns

- > The procedure is then repeated for the remaining equations
- ➤ The final manipulation in the sequence is to use the (n 1)th equation to eliminate the  $x_{n-1}$  term from the nth equation. At this point, the system will have been transformed to an upper triangular system:

$$a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + a_{13}x_3 + \dots + a_{1n}x_n = b_1$$

$$a'_{22}x_2 + a'_{23}x_3 + \dots + a'_{2n}x_n = b'_2$$

$$a''_{33}x_3 + \dots + a''_{3n}x_n = b''_3$$

$$\vdots$$

$$a_{nn}^{(n-1)}x_n = b_n^{(n-1)} \implies \text{can now be solved for } x_n = \frac{b_n^{(n-1)}}{a_{nn}^{(n-1)}}$$

#### Back substitution

$$x_n = \frac{b_n^{(n-1)}}{a_{nn}^{(n-1)}}$$

- This result can be back-substituted into the (n 1)th equation to solve for  $x_{n-1}$
- The procedure, which is repeated to evaluate the remaining x's, can be represented by the following formula:

$$b_i^{(i-1)} - \sum_{j=i+1}^n a_{ij}^{(i-1)} x_j$$

$$x_i = \frac{a_{ii}^{(i-1)}}{a_{ii}^{(i-1)}}$$
For  $i = n-1, n-2 \dots 1$ 

### Case study 1

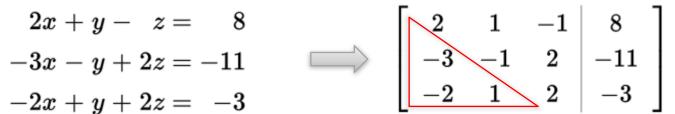
Find and describe the set of solutions to the following system of linear equations

$$2x + y - z = 8$$
 $-3x - y + 2z = -11$ 
 $-2x + y + 2z = -3$ 

The procedure consisted of steps:

Step 1: forward elimination

$$2x + y - z = 8$$
 $-3x - y + 2z = -11$ 
 $-2x + y + 2z = -3$ 



Step 2

$$egin{aligned} L_2 + rac{3}{2} L_1 
ightarrow L_2 \ L_3 + L_1 
ightarrow L_3 \end{aligned}$$



$$egin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & -1 & 8 \ \hline 0 & 1/2 & 1/2 & 1 \ 0 & 2 & 1 & 5 \ \end{bmatrix}$$



$$L_3 + -4L_2 
ightarrow L_3$$

The procedure consisted of steps:

$$L_3 + -4L_2 
ightarrow L_3$$

Step 4



Upper triangular form

$$2x + y - z = 8$$

$$\frac{1}{2}y + \frac{1}{2}z = 1$$

$$-z = 1$$

Back Substitution

The procedure consisted of steps:

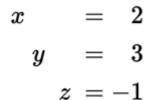
Step 5

$$-z = 1$$

Back Substitution

$$egin{array}{lll} 2x+y&=&7\ rac{1}{2}y&=&rac{3}{2}\ -z&=&1 \end{array}$$

Step 6





$$egin{array}{cccc} 2x+y&=&7 \ y&=&3 \ z&=-1 \ \end{array}$$

## Exercise

$$4x_1 + x_2 - x_3 = 3$$
  
 $2x_1 + 7x_2 + x_3 = 19$   
 $x_1 - 3x_2 + 12x_3 = 31$ 

The exact solution is:  $x_1 = 1$ ,  $x_2 = 2$ ,  $x_3 = 3$ .

# Matlab

1. Create a 
$$3 \times 3$$
 matrix  $\Rightarrow$  A = [1 5 6;7 4 2;-3 6 7]

$$A = 156$$
  
742  
-367

2. The transpose of [A] can be obtained using the 'operator: >> A'



3. Next we will create another  $3 \times 3$  matrix on a row basis. First create three row vectors:

4. Then we can combine these to form the matrix:

$$>> B = [x; y; z]$$

5. We can add [A] and [B] together:

$$>> C = A + B$$

6. Further, we can subtract [B] from [C] to arrive back at [A]:

$$>> A = C-B$$

$$A = 156$$
  
 $742$   
 $-367$ 

7. Because their inner dimensions are equal, [A] and [B] can be multiplied

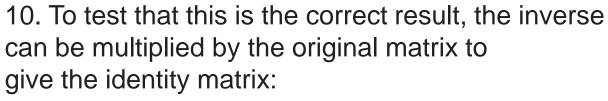
>> A\*B

8. multiplied on an element-by-element >> A.\*B



9. The matrix inverse can be computed with the inv function:

$$>> AI = inv(A)$$



11. The eye function can be used to generate an identity matrix:

$$>> I = eye(3)$$



AI = 0.2462 0.0154 -0.2154 -0.8462 0.3846 0.6154 0.8308 -0.3231 -0.4769



ans = 1.0000 -0.0000 -0.0000 0.0000 1.0000 -0.0000 0.0000 -0.0000 1.0000



I = 100 010 001

#### SOLVING LINEAR ALGEBRAIC EQUATIONS WITH MATLAB

MATLAB provides two direct ways to solve systems of linear algebraic equations. The most efficient way is to employ the backslash, or "left-division," operator as in

$$>> X = A/b$$

The second is to use matrix inversion:

$$>> x = inv(A)*b$$

#### MATLAB Naïve Gauss Elimination

(a) forward elimination

```
FOR k = 1, n - 1
     FOR i = k + 1, n
          factor = ai,k / ak,k
            FOR j = k + 1 to n
                ai,j = ai,j - factor . ak,j
           END
          bi = bi - factor . bk
          END
END
```

(b) Back substitution

```
xn = bn/an,n
FOR i = n - 1, 1, -1
sum = bi
FOR j = i + 1, n
sum = sum - ai,j . xj
END
xi = sum/ai,i
END
```

```
clc
clear all
close all
응응
A = [2 \ 1 \ -1; \ -3 \ -1 \ 2; \ -2 \ 1 \ 2]
B = [8 -11 -3]
x = naiv gauss(A, B)
% 2nd method
y = A \setminus B'
% 3rd method
z = inv(A)*B'
```

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  - ➤ Naive Gauss Elimination
  - Gauss Elimination: Pivoting
- > Iterative Methods
  - > Gauss-Seidel method
  - > Jacobi method

### Gauss Elimination: Pivoting

1. The primary reason that the foregoing technique is called "naïve" is that during both the elimination and the back-substitution phases, it is possible that a division by zero can occur. For example, if we use naïve Gauss elimination to solve

$$2x_2 + 3x_3 = 8$$
 - pivot equation - pivot coefficient  $a_{11} = 0$   $2x_1 - 3x_2 + 6x_3 = 5$ 

2. Problems may also arise when the pivot coefficient is close, rather than exactly equal, to zero because if the magnitude of the pivot element is small compared to the other elements, then round-off errors can be introduced

#### Basis idea

- determine the coefficient with the largest absolute value in the column below the pivot element
- The rows can then be switched so that the largest element is the pivot element. This is called partial pivoting.

- pivot equation
- pivot coefficient  $a_{11}=0.0003 < 1.0000$



Pivoting is required at the first column!

• If columns as well as rows are searched for the largest element and then switched, the procedure is called complete pivoting



Complete pivoting is rarely used because most of the improvement comes from partial pivoting

- Advantages
  - a. avoiding division by zero
  - b. minimizes round-off error

Let's consider the following linear system

$$0.0003x_1 + 3.0000x_2 = 2.0001$$

$$1.0000x_1 + 1.0000x_2 = 1.0000$$

Use Gauss elimination to solve, recall that the true solution is  $x_1 = 1/3$ ,  $x_2 = 2/3$ 

Note that in this form the first pivot element,  $a_{11} = 0.0003$ , is very close to zero

$$0.0003x_1 + 3.0000x_2 = 2.0001$$

$$1.0000x_1 + 1.0000x_2 = 1.0000$$

Naïve Gauss elimination

Multiplying the first equation by 1/(0.0003) yields

$$X_1 + 10.000X_2 = 6667$$



$$x_1 + 10.000x_2 = 6667$$
  
 $x_1 + x_2 = 1$ 

which can be used to eliminate  $x_1$  from the second equation:

$$9999x_2 = 6666$$

which can be solved for  $x_2 = 2/3$ 

This result can be substituted back into the first equation to evaluate  $x_1 = \frac{2.0001 - 3(2/3)}{0.0003}$ 

$$0.0003x_1 + 3.0000x_2 = 2.0001$$

$$1.0000x_1 + 1.0000x_2 = 1.0000$$

However, due to subtractive cancellation, the result is very sensitive to the number of significant figures carried in the computation:

Significant Figures	<b>x</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>x</b> 1	Absolute Value of Percent Relative Error for x <sub>1</sub>
3	0.667	-3.33	1099
4	0.6667	0.0000	100
5	0.66667	0.30000	10
6	0.666667	0.330000	1
7	0.6666667	0.3330000	0.1



x<sub>1</sub> is highly dependent on the number of significant figures

$$0.0003x_1 + 3.0000x_2 = 2.0001 (1)$$

$$1.0000x_1 + 1.0000x_2 = 1.0000$$
 (2)

Gauss elimination: Pivoting

On the other hand, if the equations are solved in reverse order, the row with the larger pivot element is normalized. The equations are

$$1.0000x_1 + 1.0000x_2 = 1.0000$$
 (2)  $1.0000x_1 + 1.0000x_2 = 1.0000$   $0.0003x_1 + 3.0000x_2 = 2.0001$  (1)  $2.9997x_2 = 1.9998$ 

Elimination and substitution yield  $x_2 = 2/3$ 

$$x_1 = (1.0000 - x_2)/(1.0000)$$
  
 $x_2 = 2/3$ 

$$0.0003x_1 + 3.0000x_2 = 2.0001$$

$$1.0000x_1 + 1.0000x_2 = 1.0000$$

This case is much less sensitive to the number of significant figures in the computation

<b>x</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>x</b> 1	Absolute Value of Percent Relative Error for x <sub>1</sub>
0.667	0.333	0.1
0.6667	0.3333	0.01
0.66667	0.33333	0.001
0.666667	0.333333	0.0001
0.6666667	0.3333333	0.00001
	0.667 0.6667 0.66667 0.666667	0.667       0.333         0.6667       0.3333         0.66667       0.33333         0.666667       0.333333



Thus, a pivot strategy is much more satisfactory

# Exercise

$$2x_2 + 5x_3 = 1$$
$$2x_1 + x_2 + x_3 = 1$$
$$3x_1 + x_2 = 2$$

The exact solution is:  $x_1 = -2$ ,  $x_2 = 8$ ,  $x_3 = -3$ .

## Topics

- > Introduction of systems
- ➤ Gauss Elimination
  - ➤ Naive Gauss Elimination
  - > Gauss Elimination: Pivoting
- Iterative Methods
  - > Gauss-Seidel method
  - > Jacobi method

- Iterative methods: is a mathematical procedure that generates a sequence of approximate solutions hopefully converging to the exact solution
  - Stationary
    - √ Gauss-Seidel
    - ✓ Jacobi
  - Non Stationary
    - ✓GCR, CG, GMRES.....
- !terative methods
  - nonlinear equations
  - linear problems involving a large number of variables (sometimes of the order of millions)

#### Gauss-Seidel Method

- the most commonly used iterative method for solving linear equations
- Employ initial guesses
- iterates to obtain refined estimates of the solution
- Convergence can be checked using the criterion



round-off errors controlled by the number of iterations

# Gauss-Seidel Method Principle

$$a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + a_{13}x_3 = b_1$$
  
 $a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + a_{23}x_3 = b_2$   
 $a_{31}x_1 + a_{32}x_2 + a_{33}x_3 = b_3$ 

If the diagonal elements are all nonzero,

- the first equation can be solved for  $x_1$
- the second for  $x_2$
- the third for  $x_3$

$$x_1 = \frac{b_1 - a_{12}x_2 - a_{13}x_3}{a_{11}}$$

$$x_2 = \frac{b_2 - a_{21}x_1 - a_{23}x_3}{a_{22}}$$

$$x_3 = \frac{b_3 - a_{31}x_1 - a_{32}x_2}{a_{33}}$$

A simple approach is to assume that the initial guesses are all zero

$$x_1^j = \frac{b_1 - a_{12}x_2^{j-1} - a_{13}x_3^{j-1}}{a_{11}}$$

$$x_2^j = \frac{b_2 - a_{21}x_1^j - a_{23}x_3^{j-1}}{a_{22}}$$

$$x_3^j = \frac{b_3 - a_{31}x_1^j - a_{32}x_2^j}{a_{33}}$$

where j and j-1 are the present and previous iterations



As each new x value is computed, it is immediately used in the next equation to determine another x value

#### Gauss-Seidel Method

Convergence can be checked using the criterion that for all i

$$\varepsilon_{a,i} = \left| \frac{x_i^j - x_i^{j-1}}{x_i^j} \right| \times 100\% \le \varepsilon_s$$

The iterations are stopped when the absolute relative approximate error is less than a prespecified tolerance for all unknowns

Gauss-Seidel Method

If the following condition holds, Gauss-Seidel will converge

$$|a_{ii}| > \sum_{\substack{j=1\\j\neq i}}^{n} |a_{ij}|$$

Use the Gauss-Seidel method to obtain the solution for

$$3x_1 - 0.1x_2 - 0.2x_3 = 7.85$$
  
 $0.1x_1 + 7x_2 - 0.3x_3 = -19.3$   
 $0.3x_1 - 0.2x_2 + 10x_3 = 71.4$ 

Recall that the true solution is  $x_1 = 3$ ,  $x_2 = -2.5$ , and  $x_3 = 7$ 

The procedure consisted of steps

Step 1: First, solve each of the equations for its unknown on the diagonal

$$3x_{1} - 0.1x_{2} - 0.2x_{3} = 7.85$$

$$0.1x_{1} + 7x_{2} - 0.3x_{3} = -19.3$$

$$0.3x_{1} - 0.2x_{2} + 10x_{3} = 71.4$$

$$x_{1} = \frac{7.85 + 0.1x_{2} + 0.2x_{3}}{3}$$

$$x_{2} = \frac{-19.3 - 0.1x_{1} + 0.3x_{3}}{7}$$

$$x_{3} = \frac{71.4 - 0.3x_{1} + 0.2x_{2}}{10}$$

Step 2: By assuming that  $x_2=0$  and  $x_3=0$ , Eq. (1) can be used to compute

$$x_1 = \frac{7.85 + 0.1(0) + 0.2(0)}{3} = 2.616667$$

Step 3: This value  $x_1$ , along with the assumed value of  $x_3 = 0$ , can be substituted into Eq. (2) to calculate

$$x_2 = \frac{-19.3 - 0.1(2.616667) + 0.3(0)}{7} = -2.794524$$

Step 4: The first iteration is completed by substituting the calculated values for  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  into Eq. (3) to yield

$$x_3 = \frac{71.4 - 0.3(2.616667) + 0.2(-2.794524)}{10} = 7.005610$$

and

Step 5: For the second iteration, the same process is repeated to compute

$$x_1 = \frac{7.85 + 0.1(-2.794524) + 0.2(7.005610)}{3} = 2.990557$$
 
$$x_2 = \frac{-19.3 - 0.1(2.990557) + 0.3(7.005610)}{7} = -2.499625$$
 
$$x_3 = \frac{71.4 - 0.3(2.990557) + 0.2(-2.499625)}{10} = 7.000291$$
 estimate the error  $|\varepsilon_{a,1}| = \left|\frac{2.990557 - 2.616667}{2.990557}\right| 100\% = 12.5\%$ 

Additional iterations could be applied to improve the solutions

 $|\varepsilon_{a,2}| = 11.8\%$   $|\varepsilon_{a,3}| = 0.076\%$ .

# Exercise

$$4x_1 + x_2 - x_3 = 3$$
  
 $2x_1 + 7x_2 + x_3 = 19$   
 $x_1 - 3x_2 + 12x_3 = 31$ 

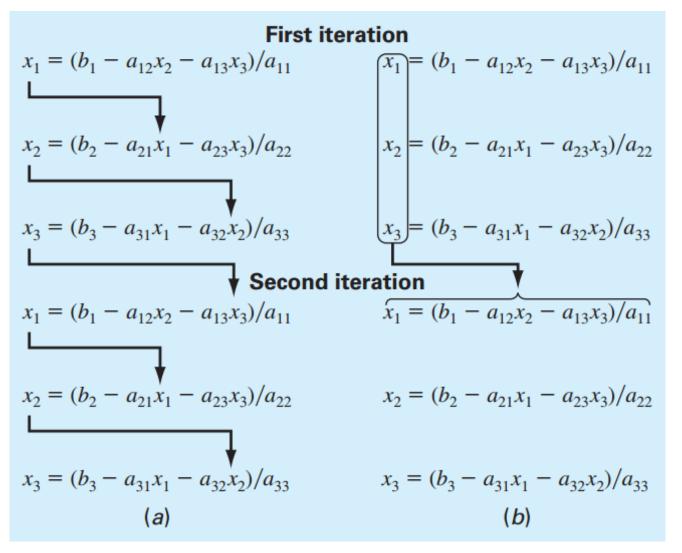
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0 0 0 0
1 0,75 2,50 3,15
2 0,91 2,00 3,01
3 1,00 2,00 3,00
4 1,00 2,00 3,00
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The exact solution is:  $x_1 = 1$ ,  $x_2 = 2$ ,  $x_3 = 3$ .

#### Jacobi Method

- an algorithm for determining the solutions of a diagonally dominant system of linear equations
- transforms a matrix to a diagonal matrix by eliminating off-diagonal terms in a systematic fashion
- requires an infinite number of operations because the removal of each nonzero element often creates a new nonzero value at a previous zero element
- the approach is iterative in that it is repeated until the off-diagonal terms are "sufficiently" small
- An alternative approach, with Gauss-Seidel, utilizes a somewhat different tactic

• The difference between the Gauss-Seidel method and Jacobi iteration



#### System

$$a_{11}x_{1} + a_{12}x_{2} + \dots + a_{1n}x_{n} = b_{1}$$

$$a_{21}x_{1} + a_{22}x_{2} + \dots + a_{2n}x_{n} = b_{2}$$

$$\vdots$$

$$a_{n1}x_{1} + a_{n2}x_{2} + \dots + a_{nn}x_{n} = b_{n}$$

#### First iteration

$$x_{1}^{1} = \frac{1}{a_{11}} (b_{1} - a_{12}x_{2}^{0} - \dots - a_{1n}x_{n}^{0})$$

$$x_{2}^{1} = \frac{1}{a_{22}} (b_{2} - a_{21}x_{1}^{0} - a_{23}x_{3}^{0} - \dots - a_{2n}x_{n}^{0})$$

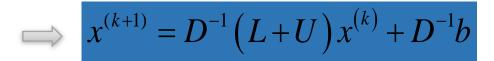
$$x_{n}^{1} = \frac{1}{a_{nn}} (b_{n} - a_{n1}x_{1}^{0} - a_{n2}x_{2}^{0} - \dots - a_{nn-1}x_{n-1}^{0})$$

#### Initial guesses

$$x^0 = \begin{bmatrix} x_1^0 \\ x_2^0 \\ \vdots \\ x_n^0 \end{bmatrix}$$

(k+1)th iteration - Generalization

$$x_i^{k+1} = \frac{1}{a_{ii}} \left[ b_i - \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} a_{ij} x_j^k - \sum_{j=i+1}^n a_{ij} x_j^k \right]$$



Solve the following linear system using the Jacobi-Iterative method

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If we choose (0, 0, 0, 0) as the initial approximation, then the first approximate solution is given by

$$egin{aligned} x_1 &= (6-0-0)/10 = 0.6, \ x_2 &= (25-0-0)/11 = 25/11 = 2.2727, \ x_3 &= (-11-0-0)/10 = -1.1, \ x_4 &= (15-0-0)/8 = 1.875. \end{aligned}$$

- Using the approximations obtained, the iterative procedure is repeated until
  the desired accuracy has been reached
- The following are the approximated solutions after five iterations

$x_1$	$x_2$	$x_3$	$x_4$
0.6	2.27272	-1.1	1.875
1.04727	1.7159	-0.80522	0.88522
0.93263	2.05330	-1.0493	1.13088
1.01519	1.95369	-0.9681	0.97384
0.98899	2.0114	-1.0102	1.02135

The exact solution of the system is (1, 2, -1, 1)

#### Gauss-Seidel Method: Matlab

$$x_1^{\text{new}} = \frac{b_1}{a_{11}} - \frac{a_{12}}{a_{11}} x_2^{\text{old}} - \frac{a_{13}}{a_{11}} x_3^{\text{old}}$$

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$$x_3^{\text{new}} = \frac{b_3}{a_{33}} - \frac{a_{31}}{a_{33}} x_1^{\text{new}} - \frac{a_{32}}{a_{33}} x_2^{\text{new}}$$

the solution can be expressed concisely in matrix form as

$$\{x\} = \{d\} - [C]\{x\} \qquad \qquad \{d\} = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} b_1/a_{11} \\ b_2/a_{22} \\ b_3/a_{33} \end{array} \right\} \qquad [C] = \left[ \begin{array}{ll} 0 & a_{12}/a_{11} & a_{13}/a_{11} \\ a_{21}/a_{22} & 0 & a_{23}/a_{22} \\ a_{31}/a_{33} & a_{32}/a_{33} & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

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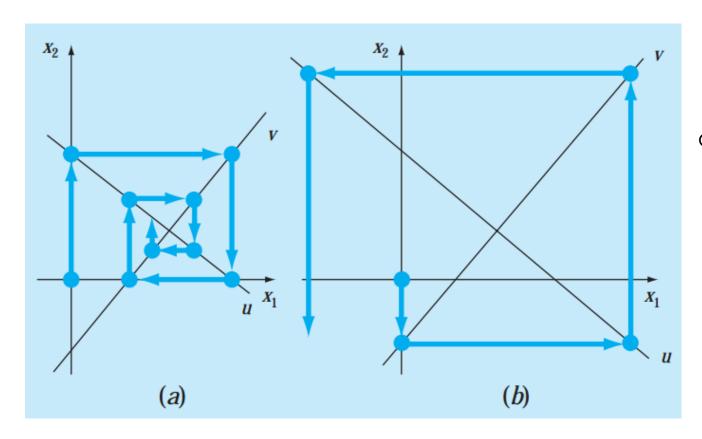
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- Relaxation represents a slight modification of the Gauss-Seidel method and is designed to enhance convergence.
- After each new value of x is computed, that value is modified by a weighted average of the results of the previous and the present iterations:

$$x_i^{\text{new}} = \lambda x_i^{\text{new}} + (1 - \lambda) x_i^{\text{old}}$$

where  $\lambda$  is a weighting factor that is assigned a value between 0 and 2.

If  $\lambda = 1$ ,  $(1 - \lambda)$  is equal to 0 and the result is unmodified

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- It is typically employed to make a nonconvergent system converge or to hasten convergence by dampening out oscillations.

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- accelerate the convergence of an already convergent system.
- The approach is also called successive or simultaneous overrelaxation, or SOR.

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- The choice of a proper value for  $\lambda$  is highly problem-specific and is often determined empirically.
- For a single solution of a set of equations it is often unnecessary.
- However, if the system under study is to be solved repeatedly, the efficiency introduced by a wise choice of  $\lambda$  can be extremely important.
- Good examples are the very large systems of partial differential equations that often arise when modeling continuous variations of variables

#### Improvement of Convergence Using Relaxation

#### Gauss-Seidel Method with Relaxation

Problem Statement. Solve the following system with Gauss-Seidel using overrelaxation ( $\lambda = 1.2$ ) and a stopping criterion of  $\varepsilon_s = 10\%$ :

$$-3x_1 + 12x_2 = 9$$

$$10x_1 - 2x_2 = 8$$

#### Improvement of Convergence Using Relaxation

Solution. First rearrange the equations so that they are diagonally dominant and solve the first equation for  $x_1$  and the second for  $x_2$ :

$$x_1 = \frac{8 + 2x_2}{10} = 0.8 + 0.2x_2$$
$$x_2 = \frac{9 + 3x_1}{12} = 0.75 + 0.25x_1$$

First iteration: Using initial guesses of  $x_1 = x_2 = 0$ , we can solve for  $x_1$ :

$$x_1 = 0.8 + 0.2(0) = 0.8$$

Before solving for  $x_2$ , we first apply relaxation to our result for  $x_1$ :

$$x_{1,r} = 1.2(0.8) - 0.2(0) = 0.96$$

We use the subscript r to indicate that this is the "relaxed" value. This result is then used to compute  $x_2$ :

$$x_2 = 0.75 + 0.25(0.96) = 0.99$$

We then apply relaxation to this result to give

$$x_{2,r} = 1.2(0.99) - 0.2(0) = 1.188$$

At this point, we could compute estimated errors with Eq. (12.2). However, since we started with assumed values of zero, the errors for both variables will be 100%.

### Systems of linear equations

Second iteration: Using the same procedure as for the first iteration, the second iteration yields

$$x_1 = 0.8 + 0.2(1.188) = 1.0376$$
  
 $x_{1,r} = 1.2(1.0376) - 0.2(0.96) = 1.05312$   
 $\varepsilon_{a,1} = \left| \frac{1.05312 - 0.96}{1.05312} \right| \times 100\% = 8.84\%$   
 $x_2 = 0.75 + 0.25(1.05312) = 1.01328$   
 $x_{2,r} = 1.2(1.01328) - 0.2(1.188) = 0.978336$   
 $\varepsilon_{a,2} = \left| \frac{0.978336 - 1.188}{0.978336} \right| \times 100\% = 21.43\%$ 

Because we have now have nonzero values from the first iteration, we can compute approximate error estimates as each new value is computed. At this point, although the error estimate for the first unknown has fallen below the 10% stopping criterion, the second has not. Hence, we must implement another iteration.

### Systems of linear equations

#### Third iteration:

$$x_1 = 0.8 + 0.2(0.978336) = 0.995667$$
  
 $x_{1,r} = 1.2(0.995667) - 0.2(1.05312) = 0.984177$   
 $\varepsilon_{a,1} = \left| \frac{0.984177 - 1.05312}{0.984177} \right| \times 100\% = 7.01\%$   
 $x_2 = 0.75 + 0.25(0.984177) = 0.996044$   
 $x_{2,r} = 1.2(0.996044) - 0.2(0.978336) = 0.999586$   
 $\varepsilon_{a,2} = \left| \frac{0.999586 - 0.978336}{0.999586} \right| \times 100\% = 2.13\%$ 

At this point, we can terminate the computation because both error estimates have fallen below the 10% stopping criterion. The results at this juncture,  $x_1 = 0.984177$  and  $x_2 = 0.999586$ , are converging on the exact solution of  $x_1 = x_2 = 1$ .

### Case study

Solve the following system using three iterations with Gauss-Seidel using overrelaxation ( $\lambda = 1.25$ )

$$3x_1 + 8x_2 = 11$$
$$6x_1 - x_2 = 5$$

Recall that the true solution is  $x_1 = x_2 = 0$ 

# Matlab

#### SOLVING LINEAR ALGEBRAIC EQUATIONS WITH MATLAB

MATLAB provides two direct ways to solve systems of linear algebraic equations. The most efficient way is to employ the backslash, or "left-division," operator as in

$$>> X = A/b$$

$$>> x = mldivide(A,B)$$

The second is to use matrix inversion:

$$>> x = inv(A)*b$$

### MATLAB Naïve Gauss Elimination

(a) forward elimination

```
FOR k = 1, n - 1
     FOR i = k + 1, n
           factor = ai,k / ak,k
            FOR j = k + 1 to n
                 ai,j = ai,j - factor \cdot ak,j
            END
          bi = bi - factor . bk
           END
END
```

(b) Back substitution

```
xn = bn/an,n
FOR i = n - 1, 1, -1
sum = bi
FOR j = i + 1, n
sum = sum - ai,j . xj
END
xi = sum/ai,i
END
```

### MATLAB Naïve Gauss Elimination

### (a) forward elimination

```
% forward elimination
for k = 1:n-1
for i = k+1:n
factor = Aug(i,k)/Aug(k,k);
Aug(i,k:nb) = Aug(i,k:nb)-
factor*Aug(k,k:nb);
end
end
```

### (b) Back substitution

```
% back substitution
x = zeros(n,1);
x(n) = Aug(n,nb)/Aug(n,n);
for i = n-1:-1:1
x(i) = (Aug(i,nb)-
Aug(i,i+1:n)*x(i+1:n))/Aug(i,i);
end
```

### MATLAB Naïve Gauss Elimination

Use naive Gauss elimination to solve the following system

$$7x_1 + 2x_2 - 3x_3 = -12$$
$$2x_1 + 5x_2 - 3x_3 = -20$$
$$x_1 - x_2 - 6x_3 = -26$$

# MATLAB Gauss Elimination-Pivoting

```
function x = GaussPivot(A,b)
% GaussPivot: Gauss elimination pivoting
% x = GaussPivot(A,b): Gauss elimination with
pivoting.
% input:
% A = coefficient matrix
% b = right hand side vector
% output:
% x = solution vector
[m,n]=size(A);
if m~=n, error('Matrix A must be square');
end
nb=n+1;
Aug=[A b];
```

# MATLAB Gauss Elimination-Pivoting

The max function has the syntax [y,i] = max(x) where y is the largest element in the vector x, and i is the index corresponding to that element

```
% forward elimination
for k = 1:n-1
% partial pivoting
[big,i]=max(abs(Aug(k:n,k)));
ipr=i+k-1;
if ipr~=k
Aug([k,ipr],:)=Aug([ipr,k],:);
end
for i = k+1:n
factor=Aug(i,k)/Aug(k,k);
Aug(i,k:nb) = Aug(i,k:nb) -
factor*Aug(k,k:nb);
end
end
```

```
% back substitution
x=zeros(n,1);
x(n)=Aug(n,nb)/Aug(n,n);
for i = n-1:-1:1
x(i)=(Aug(i,nb)-
Aug(i,i+1:n)*x(i+1:n))/Aug(i,i);
end
```

# MATLAB Gauss Elimination-Pivoting

Use Gauss elimination with partial pivoting to solve the following system

$$0.0003x_1 + 3.0000x_2 = 2.0001$$

$$1.0000x_1 + 1.0000x_2 = 1.0000$$

### MATLAB Gauss-Seidel

Before developing an algorithm, let us first recast Gauss-Seidel in a form that is compatible with MATLAB's ability to perform matrix operations.

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$$x_3^{\text{new}} = \frac{b_3}{a_{33}} - \frac{a_{31}}{a_{33}} x_1^{\text{new}} - \frac{a_{32}}{a_{33}} x_2^{\text{new}}$$

Notice that the solution can be expressed concisely in matrix form as  $\{x\} = \{d\} - [C]\{x\}$ 

where 
$$\{d\} = \left\{ \begin{array}{c} b_1/a_{11} \\ b_2/a_{22} \\ b_3/a_{33} \end{array} \right\}$$
  $[C] = \left[ \begin{array}{cccc} 0 & a_{12}/a_{11} & a_{13}/a_{11} \\ a_{21}/a_{22} & 0 & a_{23}/a_{22} \\ a_{31}/a_{33} & a_{32}/a_{33} & 0 \end{array} \right]$ 

### MATLAB Gauss-Seidel

#### Exercise 1

Use Matlab and the Gauss-Seidel method to solve the following system

$$3x_1 - 0.1x_2 - 0.2x_3 = 7.85$$
  
 $0.1x_1 + 7x_2 - 0.3x_3 = -19.3$   
 $0.3x_1 - 0.2x_2 + 10x_3 = 71.4$ 

### MATLAB Gauss-Seidel

#### Exercise 2

Use Matlab and the Gauss-Seidel method to solve the following system until the percent relative error falls below  $\varepsilon_s = 5\%$ 

$$10x_1 + 2x_2 - x_3 = 27$$

$$-3x_1 - 6x_2 + 2x_3 = -61.5$$

$$x_1 + x_2 + 5x_3 = -21.5$$

### MATLAB Jacobi - Iterative

Convert the system: Ax = Binto the equivalent system:

$$a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + a_{13}x_3 = b_1$$

$$a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_1 + a_{23}x_3 = b_2$$

$$a_{31}x_1 + a_{32}x_1 + a_{33}x_3 = b_3$$



$$x_{1} = -\frac{a_{12}}{a_{11}}x_{2} - \frac{a_{13}}{a_{11}}x_{3} + \frac{b_{1}}{a_{11}}$$

$$x_{2} = -\frac{a_{21}}{a_{22}}x_{1} - \frac{a_{23}}{a_{22}}x_{3} + \frac{b_{2}}{a_{22}}$$

$$x_{3} = -\frac{a_{31}}{a_{33}}x_{1} - \frac{a_{32}}{a_{33}}x_{2} + \frac{b_{3}}{a_{33}}$$

Generate a sequence of approximation

$$x^{(1)}, x^{(2)}, \dots$$

$$x^{(1)}, x^{(2)}, \dots \qquad x^{(k)} = Cx^{(k-1)} + d$$

x = Cx + d

### Exercise

Write the Matlab function to solve the system of linear equations using

- Jacobi method
- Gauss-Seidel method

Application: solve the following system

$$2x_1 + x_2 - x_3 = 8$$

$$-3x_1 - x_2 + 2x_3 = -11$$

$$-2x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3 = -3$$