# Homework 2016-03-02

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## Problem 1.

When  $x \to 0$ , will the result of  $f(x) = \frac{1 - \cos(x)}{x^2}$  be far from 0.5?

*Proof.* The code is shown as follows.

```
1 % homework1
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4 format long
5 xx = 10 .^ [-1:-1:-16];
6 yy = (1 - cos(xx)) ./ (xx .^ 2);
7 semilogx(xx, yy);
```

The result is shown as follows.

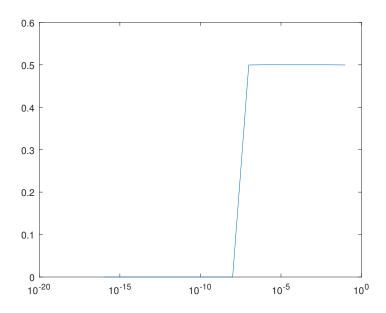


Figure 1: problem1

#### Problem 2.

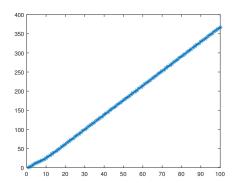
Check the relationship of the conds of the two matrixs with their dims.

*Proof.* The code is shown as follows, which means the statement is proved wrong.

```
1 % make matrix
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    function [A] = make_matrix(op, n)
 5
 6
           if nargin < 1
 7
                 error('More args needed ---make matrix');
 8
           elseif nargin = 1
 9
                 op = 'A1';
10
           end
11
12
           if op = 'A1'
13
                 \mathbf{c1} = \mathbf{zeros}(1, \mathbf{n} - 1);
14
                 c1(2 : n - 1) = -3;
                 \mathbf{c2} = \mathbf{zeros}(1, \mathbf{n} - 2) + 2;
15
                 \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{eye}(\mathbf{n}) + \mathbf{diag}(\mathbf{c1}, -1) + \mathbf{diag}(\mathbf{c2}, -2);
16
           elseif op = 'A2'
17
18
                 \mathbf{c1} = \mathbf{zeros}(1, \mathbf{n} - 1);
19
                 c1(2 : n - 1) = -3;
                 \mathbf{c2} = \mathbf{zeros}(1, \mathbf{n} - 2) + 2;
20
                 \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{eye}(\mathbf{n}) + \mathbf{diag}(\mathbf{c1}, -1) + \mathbf{diag}(\mathbf{c2}, -2);
21
22
                 \mathbf{A}(1, \mathbf{n}) = -1;
23
           else
24
                 error ('Operation Failed to Match A1 or A2');
25
           end
```

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1 % homework2.m
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 3 % 2016-03-02
 4
 5 \text{ op1} = 'A1';
 6 \text{ op2} = 'A2';
 7 N = 100;
 8 \operatorname{cond} 1 = \operatorname{zeros}(1, \mathbf{N});
 9 \quad \mathbf{cond2} = \mathbf{zeros}(1, \mathbf{N});
10 for n = 1 : N
11
          A1 = make_matrix(op1, n);
12
          A2 = make_matrix(op2, n);
13
          cond1(n) = cond(A1);
14
          cond2(n) = cond(A2);
15 end
```

The result is shown as follows.



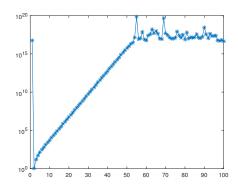


Figure 2: The relationship of  $cond(A_2)$  with Figure 3: The relationship of  $cond(A_1)$  with  $dim(A_2)$ , problem2-1  $dim(A_1)$ , problem2-2

### Problem 3.

Given 
$$||x_{n+2} - x_{n+1}|| \le \alpha ||x_{n+1} - x_n||$$
, then  $||x^* - x_n|| \le \frac{\alpha_n}{1-\alpha} ||x_1 - x_0||$ .

Proof. 
$$||x_n - x_{n-1}|| \le \alpha ||x_{n-1} - x_{n-2}|| \le \dots \le \alpha^{n-1} ||x_1 - x_0||$$

Hence, 
$$||x_{\star} - x_n|| \le ||x_n - x_{n+1}|| + ||x_{n+1} - x_{n+2}|| + \dots \le (\alpha^n + \alpha^{n+1} + \dots)||x_1 - x_0||$$

$$= \frac{\alpha^n}{1-\alpha} ||x_1 - x_0|| \qquad \Box$$