

The basic formulae are

$$\begin{aligned}
\bar{\phi}_{mg} &= T_{ml}\phi_{lg} \\
\phi_{lg} &= T_{lm}^{-1}\bar{\phi}_{mg} \\
\dot{\bar{\phi}}_{mg} &= \dot{T}_{ml}\phi_{lg} + T_{ml}\dot{\phi}_{lg} \\
&= P_{mg} + T_{ml}\dot{\phi}_{lg}
\end{aligned}$$

where  $P_{mg} = \dot{T}_{ml}\phi_{lg}$ ,  $\bar{\phi}_{mg}$  are the orthogonal states and  $\phi_{mg}$  are the non-orthogonal states.

Manipulation of  $P_{mg}$  via the chain rule yields

$$\begin{aligned}
P_{mg} &= \frac{\partial T_{ml}}{\partial \phi_{jg'}} \dot{\phi}_{jg'} \phi_{lg} \\
&= \frac{\partial T_{ml}}{\partial \phi_{jg'}} \dot{\phi}_{jg'} T_{ls}^{-1} \bar{\phi}_{sg} \\
&= T_{mq} T_{qp}^{-1} \frac{\partial T_{pl}}{\partial \phi_{jg'}} T_{ls}^{-1} \dot{\phi}_{jg'} \bar{\phi}_{sg} \\
&= T_{ml} T_{lp}^{-1} \frac{\partial T_{pq}}{\partial \phi_{jg'}} T_{qs}^{-1} \dot{\phi}_{jg'} \bar{\phi}_{sg} \\
&= -T_{ml} \frac{\partial T_{ls}^{-1}}{\partial \phi_{jg'}} \dot{\phi}_{jg'} \bar{\phi}_{sg} \\
&= -T_{ml} Q_{lg}
\end{aligned}$$

where

$$Q_{lg} = \frac{\partial T_{ls}^{-1}}{\partial \phi_{jg'}} \dot{\phi}_{jg'} \bar{\phi}_{sg}$$

An identity regarding the parametric differentiation of  $T$  used above (well known):

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial}{\partial \gamma} T_{pq} T_{ql}^{-1} &= 0 \\
\frac{\partial T_{pq}}{\partial \gamma} T_{ql}^{-1} &= -T_{pq} \frac{\partial T_{ql}^{-1}}{\partial \gamma} \\
T_{sp}^{-1} \frac{\partial T_{pq}}{\partial \gamma} T_{ql}^{-1} &= -\frac{\partial T_{ql}^{-1}}{\partial \gamma}
\end{aligned}$$

Parametric differentiation of  $T$  and  $S$  can be used to define an iterative procedure in powers of  $T, T^{-1}$  that is rapidly convergent when  $T, T^{-1}$  are close to unit matrices (likely well known):

$$\begin{aligned} T_{ml}^{-1} &= S_{mp} T_{pl} \\ \frac{\partial T_{ml}^{-1}}{\partial \gamma} &= \frac{\partial S_{mp}}{\partial \gamma} T_{pl} + S_{mp} \frac{\partial T_{pl}}{\partial \gamma} \\ &= \frac{\partial S_{mp}}{\partial \gamma} T_{pl} - T_{mp}^{-1} \frac{\partial T_{pq}^{-1}}{\partial \gamma} T_{ql} \end{aligned}$$

Consider the case  $T, T^{-1}, S$  are real symmetric for all  $\gamma$ :

$$\frac{\partial T_{ml}^{-1}}{\partial \gamma} = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{\partial S_{mp}}{\partial \gamma} T_{pl} + \frac{\partial S_{lp}}{\partial \gamma} T_{pm} - T_{mp}^{-1} \frac{\partial T_{pq}^{-1}}{\partial \gamma} T_{ql} - T_{lp}^{-1} \frac{\partial T_{pq}^{-1}}{\partial \gamma} T_{qm} \right]$$

Let  $S$  take on the simple quadratic form:

$$\begin{aligned} S_{mp} &= \phi_{mg'} \phi_{pg'} w_{g'} \\ \frac{\partial S_{mp}}{\partial \phi_{gk}} &= w_g [\phi_{gp} \delta_{mk} + \phi_{gm} \delta_{pk}] \end{aligned}$$

Substitution yields:

$$\frac{\partial T_{ml}^{-1}}{\partial \phi_{gk}} = \frac{1}{2} \left[ w_g (\bar{\phi}_{gl} \delta_{mk} + \bar{\phi}_{gm} \delta_{lk} + \phi_{gl} T_{km} + \phi_{gm} T_{kl}) - T_{mp}^{-1} \frac{\partial T_{pq}^{-1}}{\partial \phi_{gk}} T_{ql} - T_{lp}^{-1} \frac{\partial T_{pq}^{-1}}{\partial \phi_{gk}} T_{qm} \right]$$

In the limit  $T^{-1}, T$  are diagonally dominant, three natural zero order approximations can be formed by taking  $T_{km} \approx \delta_{mk}$  and  $\phi_{gl} \approx \bar{\phi}_{gl}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial T_{ml}^{-1}}{\partial \phi_{gk}} &= w_g (\bar{\phi}_{gl} \delta_{mk} + \bar{\phi}_{gm} \delta_{lk}) + \mathcal{O}(T) \\ \frac{\partial T_{ml}^{-1}}{\partial \phi_{gk}} &= w_g (\phi_{gl} \delta_{mk} + \phi_{gm} \delta_{lk}) + \mathcal{O}(T) \\ \frac{\partial T_{ml}^{-1}}{\partial \phi_{gk}} &= \frac{w_g}{2} (\bar{\phi}_{gl} \delta_{mk} + \bar{\phi}_{gm} \delta_{lk} + \phi_{gl} \delta_{mk} + \phi_{gm} \delta_{lk}) + \mathcal{O}(T) \end{aligned}$$

A 1st order approximation in  $T, T^{-1}$  is

$$\frac{\partial T_{ml}^{-1}}{\partial \phi_{gk}} = \frac{w_g}{2} (\bar{\phi}_{gl} \delta_{mk} + \bar{\phi}_{gm} \delta_{lk} + \phi_{gl} T_{km} + \phi_{gm} T_{kl}) + \mathcal{O}(T^2)$$

Higher order approximations are formed by inserting the above into the self-consistent equation and iterating.

The above results allow progressively more accurate approximations to be made to the quantity of interest,  $Q_{lg}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
Q_{lg}^{(1,l)} &= (\Lambda_{ls} + \Lambda_{sl}) \bar{\phi}_{sg} \\
Q_{lg}^{(1,\hat{l})} &= (\hat{\Lambda}_{ls} + \hat{\Lambda}_{sl}) \bar{\phi}_{sg} \\
Q_{lg}^{(1,h)} &= \frac{1}{2} (\Lambda_{ls} + \Lambda_{sl} + \hat{\Lambda}_{ls} + \hat{\Lambda}_{sl}) \bar{\phi}_{sg} \\
Q_{lg}^{(2)} &= \frac{1}{2} (\Lambda_{ls} + \Lambda_{sl} + \bar{\Lambda}_{ls} + \bar{\Lambda}_{sl}) \bar{\phi}_{sg} \\
\Lambda_{ls} &= w_g \bar{\phi}_{lg} \dot{\phi}_{sg} \\
\hat{\Lambda}_{ls} &= w_g \phi_{lg} \dot{\phi}_{sg} \\
\bar{\Lambda}_{ls} &= w_g \phi_{lg} T_{sj} \dot{\phi}_{jg}
\end{aligned}$$

where the sum of the components of the  $\Lambda$  matrices are related to time derivatives of  $S$  matrix elements as might be expected.

In this way, a hierarchy of approximations to the state velocities is developed

$$\begin{aligned}
\dot{\phi}_{mg}^{(1)} &= T_{ml} \dot{\phi}_{lg} \\
\dot{\phi}_{mg}^{(2,l)} &= T_{ml} [\dot{\phi}_{lg} - Q_{lg}^{(1,l)}] \\
\dot{\phi}_{mg}^{(2,\hat{l})} &= T_{ml} [\dot{\phi}_{lg} - Q_{lg}^{(1,\hat{l})}] \\
\dot{\phi}_{mg}^{(2,h)} &= T_{ml} [\dot{\phi}_{lg} - Q_{lg}^{(1,h)}] \\
\dot{\phi}_{mg}^{(3)} &= T_{ml} [\dot{\phi}_{lg} - Q_{lg}^{(2)}]
\end{aligned}$$

The two lower accuracy 2nd order formulae labeled  $(2, l/\hat{l})$  require less computational work to evaluate than the higher accuracy 2nd order formula labeled  $(2, h)$  which itself requires less work to evaluate than the 3rd order formula labeled (3). The low accuracy 2nd order approximation  $(2, l)$  has the same structure as the formula employed to generate the forces on the  $\phi_{mg}$ ; the function  $\bar{f}_{lg}$  is simply replaced by  $\dot{\phi}_{lg}$ . The  $(2, l)$  method has a lower communication overhead than the alternative method,  $(2, \hat{l})$  which makes the  $(2, l)$  approximation the superior choice for applications on large parallel platforms. Note, in the limit  $\phi_{mg} \equiv \bar{\phi}_{mg}$  or  $T$  is diagonal and  $\hat{\Lambda}_{ls} + \hat{\Lambda}_{sl} = 0$ , then  $\dot{\phi}_{mg} \equiv \dot{\bar{\phi}}_{mg}$  as these two conditions place the system on the surface of constraint,  $S_{lm} = \delta_{lm}$ ,  $\dot{S}_{lm} = 0$ , at time,  $t$ .