

Lecture 6: Solutions of System of Nonlinear Equations

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System of Nonlinear Equations

Consider the system of two equations in two independent variables x_1 and x_2 :

$$\begin{cases} f_1(x_1, x_2) = 0 \\ f_2(x_1, x_2) = 0. \end{cases}$$

$f_i: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, i=1,2.$
Assume that all partial derivatives up to second order are continuous. (1)

Let (x_1^0, x_2^0) be an initial approximation to the exact solution, and let h_1^0 and h_2^0 be the corrections given to x_1^0 and x_2^0 , respectively so that

$$\begin{aligned} f_1(x_1^0 + h_1^0, x_2^0 + h_2^0) &= 0, \\ f_2(x_1^0 + h_1^0, x_2^0 + h_2^0) &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

$x_1^0 + h_1^0$
 $x_2^0 + h_2^0$
 $f_i(x_1^0 + h_1^0, x_2^0 + h_2^0) = 0$
 $i=1,2.$

Then, using Taylor's expansion upto linear term

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= f_1(x_1^0 + h_1^0, x_2^0 + h_2^0) \approx f_1(x_1^0, x_2^0) + h_1^0 \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1^0} + h_2^0 \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_2^0} \\ 0 &= f_2(x_1^0 + h_1^0, x_2^0 + h_2^0) \approx f_2(x_1^0, x_2^0) + h_1^0 \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_1^0} + h_2^0 \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_2^0}, \end{aligned}$$

$\frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x_j^0} = \left. \frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x_j} \right|_{(x_1^0, x_2^0)}$

where the partial derivatives are evaluated at (x_1^0, x_2^0) .

$$f(a+h, b+k) = f(a, b) + h \left. \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \right|_{(a, b)} + k \left. \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) \right|_{(a, b)} + \frac{1}{2} \left[h^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + 2hk \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + k^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \right]_{(a, b)} + \text{higher-order term.}$$

we have

$$f_1(x_1^0, x_2^0) + h_1^0 \left. \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1} \right|_{(x_1^0, x_2^0)} + h_2^0 \left. \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_2} \right|_{(x_1^0, x_2^0)} = 0$$

$$f_2(x_1^0, x_2^0) + h_1^0 \left. \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_1} \right|_{(x_1^0, x_2^0)} + h_2^0 \left. \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_2} \right|_{(x_1^0, x_2^0)} = 0$$

\Rightarrow

$$h_1^0 \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1^0} + h_2^0 \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_2^0} = -f_1(x_1^0, x_2^0)$$

$$h_1^0 \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_1^0} + h_2^0 \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_2^0} = -f_2(x_1^0, x_2^0)$$

or

Jacobian matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1^0} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_2^0} \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_1^0} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_2^0} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} h_1^0 \\ h_2^0 \end{bmatrix} = - \begin{bmatrix} f_1(x_1^0, x_2^0) \\ f_2(x_1^0, x_2^0) \end{bmatrix}$$

(correction vector)

Rewrite the above equation as

$$\mathbf{J}\mathbf{h} = -\mathbf{f},$$

where the Jacobian matrix $\mathbf{J} = \mathbf{J}(f_1, f_2)$, the correction vector \mathbf{h} and the vector \mathbf{f} are given by

$$\mathbf{J} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1^0} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_2^0} \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_1^0} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_2^0} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{h} = \begin{bmatrix} h_1^0 \\ h_2^0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{f} = \begin{bmatrix} f_1(x_1^0, x_2^0) \\ f_2(x_1^0, x_2^0) \end{bmatrix}.$$

If \mathbf{J} is invertible, then the correction vector is determined by

$$\mathbf{h} = -\mathbf{J}^{-1}\mathbf{f} \implies \begin{bmatrix} h_1^0 \\ h_2^0 \end{bmatrix} = -\mathbf{J}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} f_1(x_1^0, x_2^0) \\ f_2(x_1^0, x_2^0) \end{bmatrix}.$$

The first approximation to the solution is obtained as:

$$x_1^1 = x_1^0 + h_1^0, \quad x_2^1 = x_2^0 + h_2^0.$$

first approximation
to the root is
 $x_1^1 = x_1^0 + h_1^0$
 $x_2^1 = x_2^0 + h_2^0$

For a better approximation, set $x_1^2 = x_1^1 + h_1^1$ and $x_2^2 = x_2^1 + h_2^1$, and repeat the procedure to obtain

$$\begin{bmatrix} h_1^1 \\ h_2^1 \end{bmatrix} = -\mathbf{J}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} f_1(x_1^1, x_2^1) \\ f_2(x_1^1, x_2^1) \end{bmatrix},$$

$$\mathcal{J} = \mathcal{J} \begin{pmatrix} x_1^1, x_2^1 \end{pmatrix}$$

and so on. In general, Newton's iteration formula, in this case, reads

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1^{(n+1)} \\ x_2^{(n+1)} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1^{(n)} \\ x_2^{(n)} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} h_1^{(n)} \\ h_2^{(n)} \end{bmatrix}.$$

Remark. (i) At each stage of Newton's iteration, one requires to solve the linear system

$$\mathbf{J} \begin{bmatrix} h_1^{(n)} \\ h_2^{(n)} \end{bmatrix} = - \begin{bmatrix} f_1(x_1^{(n)}, x_2^{(n)}) \\ f_2(x_1^{(n)}, x_2^{(n)}) \end{bmatrix}.$$

(ii) **Stopping Criteria.** If $|h_1^{(n)}| + |h_2^{(n)}| < tol$ then stop. Print the solution.

Consider the system

$$\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}) = 0, \quad (2)$$

where $\mathbf{f} = (f_1, f_2, \dots, f_n)^T$, $\mathbf{x} = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)^T$. As before, a linearization of (2) leads to

$$0 = \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}^0 + \mathbf{h}^0) \approx \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}^0) + \mathbf{f}'(\mathbf{x}^0)\mathbf{h}^0,$$

where $\mathbf{h}^0 = (h_1^0, h_2^0, \dots, h_n^0)^T$ is the correction vector and $\mathbf{f}'(\mathbf{x}^0)$ denotes the Jacobian matrix given by

$$\mathbf{f}'(\mathbf{x}^0) = \mathbf{J} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_2} & \dots & \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_n} \\ \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_2} & \dots & \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f_n}{\partial x_1} & \frac{\partial f_n}{\partial x_2} & \dots & \frac{\partial f_n}{\partial x_n} \end{bmatrix}_{(\mathbf{x}^0)}.$$

The correction vector \mathbf{h}^0 is determined as

$$\mathbf{h}^0 = -\mathbf{J}^{-1}\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}^0).$$

Newton's iteration reads

$$\mathbf{x}^{n+1} = \mathbf{x}^n + \mathbf{h}^n,$$

with

$$\mathbf{h}^n = -(\mathbf{J}^{-1})\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}^n) = -(\mathbf{f}'(\mathbf{x}^n))^{-1}\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}^n).$$

Example. Consider the system

$$f_1(x_1, x_2) = 3x_1^2x_2 - 10x_1 + 7 = 0$$

$$f_2(x_1, x_2) = x_2^2 - 5x_2 + 4 = 0.$$

$$\frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_1} = 6x_1x_2 - 10; \quad \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x_2} = 3x_1^2,$$

$$\frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_1} = 0; \quad \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x_2} = 2x_2 - 5.$$

With starting value $x_1^0 = x_2^0 = 0.5$, the Jacobian matrix at (x_1^0, x_2^0) is

$$\mathbf{J} = \begin{bmatrix} -8.5 & 0.75 \\ 0 & -4 \end{bmatrix}; \quad f_1(x_1^0, x_2^0) = 2.375 \quad f_2(x_1^0, x_2^0) = 1.75$$

Solving the system

$$\begin{bmatrix} -8.5 & 0.75 \\ 0 & -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} h_1^0 \\ h_2^0 \end{bmatrix} = - \begin{bmatrix} 2.375 \\ 1.75 \end{bmatrix}$$

one gets $h_1^0 = 0.3180$ and $h_2^0 = 0.4375$.

The first approximation to the root is

$$x_1^1 = x_1^0 + h_1^0 = 0.8180, \quad x_2^1 = x_2^0 + h_2^0 = 0.9375.$$

For the second approximation, we have

$$\mathbf{J} = \begin{bmatrix} -5.3988 & 2.0074 \\ 0 & -3.125 \end{bmatrix}, f_1(x_1^1, x_2^1) = 0.7019, f_2(x_1^1, x_2^1) = 0.1914$$

$$h_1^1 = 0.1528, \quad h_2^1 = 0.0612,$$

$$x_1^2 = x_1^1 + h_1^1 = 0.9708, \quad x_2^2 = x_2^1 + h_2^1 = 0.9987.$$

After k th iteration,

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1^{(k)} \\ x_2^{(k)} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1^{(k-1)} \\ x_2^{(k-1)} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} h_1^{(k-1)} \\ h_2^{(k-1)} \end{bmatrix},$$

$$|h_1^{(k)}| + |h_2^{(k)}| < \text{TOL}$$

where

$$\begin{bmatrix} h_1^{(k-1)} \\ h_2^{(k-1)} \end{bmatrix} = -(\mathbf{J}(x_1^{(k-1)}, x_2^{(k-1)}))^{-1} \mathbf{f}(x_1^{(k-1)}, x_2^{(k-1)}).$$

print the
sol.
 $\begin{pmatrix} x_1^{(k+1)} & x_2^{(k+1)} \end{pmatrix}$

End

Recall

$$|e_{n+1}| = c |e_n|^p$$

$$e_n = x_n - \xi$$

$$|e_n| = C |e_{n-1}|^p$$

We need to find p ?

$$\left| \frac{e_{n+1}}{e_n} \right| \approx \left| \frac{e_n}{e_{n-1}} \right|^p$$

Taking log. both side.

$$p \approx \frac{\log \left(\left| \frac{e_{n+1}}{e_n} \right| \right)}{\log \left(\left| \frac{e_n}{e_{n-1}} \right| \right)}$$

Slope

$$\log |e_{n+1}| = \log C + p \log |e_n|$$

$$Y = C + mX$$

$$\underline{\underline{p \rightarrow 2}}$$

for Newton's method
(in case of simple root)

$$\begin{array}{l} x_0 \\ x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{array} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} e_{n-1} \\ e_n \\ e_{n+1} \end{array} \right.$$