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- 1. (15 points) In class, we discussed iterative schemes based on a specific **splitting** of an  $n \times n$  matrix A to solve the linear system  $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$ .
  - (a) (5 points) If A = M N, then show that the following schemes are equivalent:

$$M\mathbf{x}_{k+1} = N\mathbf{x}_k + \mathbf{b};$$
  
 $\mathbf{x}_{k+1} = (\mathbb{I} - M^{-1}A)\mathbf{x}_k + M^{-1}\mathbf{b}, \text{ where } \mathbb{I} \text{ is the } n \times n \text{ identity matrix};$   
 $\mathbf{x}_{k+1} = \mathbf{x}_k + M^{-1}\mathbf{r}_k, \text{ where } \mathbf{r}_k = \mathbf{b} - A\mathbf{x}_k.$ 

(b) (10 points) A totally **equivalent splitting** of A that we discussed is of the form: A = L + U + D. Note that, L is **strictly** lower triangular, U **strictly** upper triangular and D diagonal. This way, the Jacobi method reads

$$\mathbf{x}_{k+1} = R_J \mathbf{x}_k + D^{-1} \mathbf{b},$$

with  $R_J$  the Jacobi iteration matrix  $R_J = -D^{-1}(L+U)$ .

If A is **strictly diagonally dominant**, show that the Jacobi iteration matrix satisfies

$$||R_J||_{\infty} < 1.$$

Note that if this condition holds, then the Jacobi method converges for **any** initial vector  $\mathbf{x}_0$ .

*Hints*:

- An  $n \times n$  matrix A is strictly diagonally dominant if  $|a_{ii}| > \sum_{\substack{j=1 \ j \neq i}}^{n} |a_{ij}|$  holds.
- Note that if A is an  $n \times n$  matrix, then  $||A||_{\infty} = \max_{1 \le i \le n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} |a_{ij}|$ .
- 2. (a) (10 points) Find by hand the eigenvalues, eigenvectors and spectral radius of the following matrices:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

You may use MATLAB's eig command to verify your answers. Furthermore, you can find the spectral radius of a matrix easily using MATLAB by typing max(abs(eig)).

(b) (15 points) Find **all** the values of a and b for which the matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & 1 & 1+b \\ 1 & a & 1 \\ 1-b^2 & 1 & a \end{bmatrix}$$

is symmetric positive definite.

3. (30 points) The linear system  $A\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{b}$  with

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

has the unique solution  $\mathbf{x} = [1 \ 1]^T$ .

- (a) (10 points) Determine by hand the  $R_J = -D^{-1}(L+U)$  and  $R_{GS} = -(L+D)^{-1}U$ , that is, the Jacobi and Gauss-Seidel iteration matrices, respectively (of course you may use MATLAB to **verify** your answers).
- (b) (5 points) Find the  $\infty$ -norm and spectral radius of  $R_J$  and  $R_{GS}$ .
- (c) (15 points) Perform **5 iterations** of both Jacobi and Gauss-Seidel methods using  $\mathbf{x}_0 = [0\ 0]^T$ . For each present your results in a table with the following format:
  - column 1: k (iteration step)
  - column 2:  $x_1^{(k)}$  (1st component of the computed solution vector at step k)
  - column 3:  $x_2^{(k)}$  (2nd component of the computed solution vector at step k)
  - column 4:  $||e^{(k)}||_{\infty}$  (error norm at step k)
  - column 5:  $||e^{(k)}||_{\infty}/||e^{(k-1)}||_{\infty}$  (ratio of successive error norms at step k).

Which method is converging faster? Attach any of your codes and **justify your** answer.

4. (20 points) Employ the Successive Over-Relaxation (SOR) method to solve the linear system

$$2x_1 - x_2 = 5,$$

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

$$-x_2 + 2x_3 = 2,$$

with  $\omega = 1.3$  and initial vector  $\mathbf{x}_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \ 0 \ 0 \end{bmatrix}^T$ . Stop the iterations when  $\|\mathbf{r}_k\|_2 \leq \text{tol } \|\mathbf{b}\|_2$  holds with tol =  $10^{-10}$ . Provide your MATLAB code and output which includes the solution.

5. (20 points) Assume that  $\omega \in [0.5, 1.8]$  and notice that the case with  $\omega < 1$  corresponds to the Successive **Under**-Relaxation and  $\omega > 1$  to SOR. Also, when  $\omega = 1$ , this is the original Gauss-Seidel method.

Make a graph of the spectral radius of the iteration matrix:

$$R_{SOR} = (\omega L + D)^{-1} \left[ (1 - \omega) D - \omega U \right],$$

for the matrix A given in Question 4 as a function of  $\omega$ . What is the **optimal value** of  $\omega$  here, i.e.,  $\omega_{\rm opt}$ ? **Verify your answer** by running your code developed in Question 4 for  $\omega = \omega_{\rm opt}$ . Include its output together with the figure for  $\rho(R_{SOR})$  as a function of  $\omega$  and the code producing it.

6. (20 points) Use your codes developed for the **Jacobi**, **Gauss-Seidel**, and **SOR** (with  $\omega = 1.1$ ) iterative methods to solve the following linear system of equations:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 7 & 1 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & 8 & 0 & -2 \\ -1 & 0 & 4 & -1 \\ 2 & -2 & -1 & 6 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -5 \\ 4 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Stop the iterations when  $\|\mathbf{r}_k\|_2 \leq \text{tol } \|\mathbf{b}\|_2$  holds with tol =  $10^{-10}$ . As per the initial guess (for **all** methods), use the **zero** vector, i.e.,  $\mathbf{x}_0 = [0\,0\,0\,0]^T$ . Make a graph in a **semilog scale** showcasing the  $\|\mathbf{r}_k\|_2$  against the number of iterations k in each case and compare your findings. Include **all** your codes, MATLAB output and solution.

7. (20 points) Implement the Conjugate Gradient (CG) method in MATLAB (or in any other scientific programming language). To do so, write an m-file my\_cg.m, the first line of which should be:

Test your code with the linear system given by

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix},$$

using initial vector  $\mathbf{x}_0 = [0\ 0\ 0]^T$ . Stop the iterations when  $\langle \mathbf{r}_k, \mathbf{r}_k \rangle \leq \mathrm{tol}^2 \langle \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{b} \rangle$  holds and  $\mathrm{tol} = 10^{-10}$ . Include **all** your codes and MATLAB output.

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