

# NUMERICAL METHODS, MAT202E

## Homework II (Due April 8)

1- A linear system of equations arising from the finite element discretization of a beam is presented in matrix form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 87.82557 & 0 & -43.91278 & 3659.399 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 813199.7 & -3659.399 & 203299.9 & 0 & 0 \\ -43.91278 & -3659.399 & 87.82557 & 0 & -43.91278 & 3659.399 \\ 3659.399 & 203299.9 & 0 & 813199.7 & -3659.399 & 203299.9 \\ 0 & 0 & -43.91278 & -3659.399 & 44.41278 & -3659.399 \\ 0 & 0 & 3659.399 & 203299.9 & -3659.399 & 406599.8 \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \\ x_5 \\ x_6 \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{Bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \\ b_4 \\ b_5 \\ b_6 \end{Bmatrix}$$

- Decompose the coefficient matrix into LU form using Gauss elimination.
- Decompose the coefficient matrix into LU form using Cholesky decomposition.
- Calculate the inverse of the coefficient matrix (use L and U matrices obtained in either part a or part b)
- Calculate the matrix condition number of the coefficient matrix using row-sum norm.

2- Use least squares regression to fit polynomials of order 1, 2 and 3 to the data given in table (Use Gauss elimination with partial pivoting in the solution of linear equation systems). Compute the correlation coefficient for each fit. Plot 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> order polynomial fits and the given discrete data.

Comment on which of these curves explain better the variability of given data.

$x_i$	$y_i$
-0.08782	0.078597
0.084523	0.308436
0.263619	0.62902
0.293331	0.90405
0.472033	0.880547
0.529981	1.072706
0.603711	1.081378
0.783421	0.849039
0.885681	0.669272
0.914265	0.449664
1.006573	0.191648
1.070965	-0.20313
1.232576	-0.42675
1.359112	-0.77451
1.327033	-0.85954
1.477735	-0.99787
1.647759	-1.06124
1.75348	-0.88792
1.882376	-0.73878
1.813837	-0.57943
1.92543	-0.2393

3- The variation of specific heats of air is presented in the table. By using this data, rebuild the given table for  $c_p$ ,  $c_v$  and  $k$  between  $T=250\text{K}$  and  $T=500\text{K}$  with  $\Delta T=10\text{K}$  steps by using Newton's divided difference interpolating polynomials or the Lagrange interpolating polynomials. Present your results in a new table.

Temperature, K	$c_p$ kJ/kg·K	$c_v$ kJ/kg·K	$k$
<i>Air</i>			
250	1.003	0.716	1.401
300	1.005	0.718	1.400
350	1.008	0.721	1.398
400	1.013	0.726	1.395
450	1.020	0.733	1.391
500	1.029	0.742	1.387

**Note:**

- Always use radians for trigonometric functions.
- Writing program codes for the solution of problems is highly recommended (You can use any programming language of your choice).
- You can't use built in functions for the solution of HW questions. You need to either write program codes (advised) or do calculations by hand (not advised, will take a lot of time and effort). There is no third option.
- Present your results in a HW report. If you wrote program codes you need to add them to your submission.
- If you calculated by hand (not advised) use at least 5 significant figures in calculations and present your calculations in your HW report.