

## MTH 451/EGR 551 - Homework 6

Due Monday April 5, 2021 at 5 p.m.

Please submit all computer codes you developed to solve these problems.

1. A Gauss-Newton continuation method for solving a parameter dependent system of nonlinear equations is as follow.

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**Input:**  $y_0$ , such that  $H(y_0) = 0$ ,  $\tau_0$ , such that  $\|\tau_0\| = 1$ ,  $h$ ,  $h_{\min} < h_{\max}$ ,  $N_{\text{opt}} > 0$ ,  $\eta > 0$ , and  $\epsilon_t > 0$ .

**Output:**  $y_k$  such that  $\|H(y_k)\| \leq \epsilon_t$ ,  $k = 1, 2, \dots$ .

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1: for  $k = 0, 1, \dots$  do
2:   % Predictor
3:    $y = y_k + h\tau_k$ 
4:   % Corrector
5:   for  $j = 0, 1, \dots$  do
6:     if  $\|H(y)\| \leq \epsilon_t$ ,  $y_{k+1} = y$  break
7:     Solve  $G(y)\Delta y = -H(y)$ 
8:      $y = y + \Delta y$ 
9:   end for
10:  if  $\lambda_{k+1} \geq \eta$  break
11:  % Tangent computation
12:  Solve  $G(y_{k+1})v = G(y_{k+1})\tau_k$ 
13:   $\tau = \tau_k - v$ 
14:   $\tau_{k+1} = \tau / \|\tau\|$ 
15:  % Step size adjustment
16:   $h = h\sqrt{N_{\text{opt}}/(j+1)}$ 
17:   $h = \max(h_{\min}, \min(h_{\max}, h))$ 
18: end for
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- (a) Implement this algorithm in MATLAB/Octave using a damped Newton's method to solve the equations  $H(x, \lambda)$  for some given continuation parameter  $\lambda$ . Your solver interface should have the following format.

`X = solver_name(H, y0, h, h_min, h_max, tau0, eta, tol)`

Here, `H` is the function that computes  $H(y)$  given the vector  $y$ . (The last element of  $y$  is the continuation parameter  $\lambda$ .) The initial estimate is `y0`. The initial step size is `h`. The minimum step size is `h_min`. The maximum step size is `h_max`. The vector `tau0` is the initial tangent vector. The terminal value for  $\lambda$  is  $\eta$ . The convergence tolerance `tol`. The matrix `X` stores the solution of the equations along the path.

- (b) Use the Gauss-Newton continuation method to solve the following problem.

$$\begin{aligned} & -3.933x_1 + 0.107x_2 + 0.126x_3 - 9.99x_5 \\ & -45.83\lambda - 0.727x_2x_3 + 8.39x_3x_4 - 684.4x_4x_5 + 63.5x_4\lambda = 0, \\ & -0.987x_2 - 22.95x_4 - 28.37u + 0.949x_1x_3 + 0.173x_1x_5 = 0, \\ & 0.002x_1 - 0.235x_3 + 5.67x_5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
-0.921\lambda - 0.713x_1x_2 - 1.578x_1x_4 + 1.132x_4\lambda &= 0, \\
x_2 - x_4 - 0.168u - x_1x_5 &= 0, \\
-x_3 - 0.196x_5 - 0.0071\lambda + x_1x_4 &= 0
\end{aligned}$$

- (a) Set  $u = 0$ . Starting at  $x_i = 0$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, 5$ , and  $\lambda = 0$ , compute the solution in the interval  $0 \leq \lambda \leq 1$ . Plot  $x_i$  versus  $\lambda$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, 5$ .
- (b) Set  $u = -0.008$ ,  $\lambda = 0$  and determine the values of  $x_i$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, 5$  that solve the nonlinear equations. Then, compute the solution of the nonlinear equations in the interval  $0 \leq \lambda \leq 1$ . Plot  $x_i$  versus  $\lambda$ ,  $i = 1, 2, \dots, 5$ .