

## Homework Assignment # 3 (due Nov.1)

**deadline:** 2023.11.01, 9:00 am

1. Let  $\mathbf{A} = (a_{ij})_{n \times n} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  be a real square matrix. Recall that the  $\ell_1$ -norm of a vector  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n$  is given by  $\|\mathbf{x}\|_1 = \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i|$ . Show that the induced  $\ell_1$ -norm of the matrix  $\mathbf{A}$

$$\|\mathbf{A}\|_1 = \max_{\mathbf{0} \neq \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^n} \frac{\|\mathbf{Ax}\|_1}{\|\mathbf{x}\|_1}$$

can be computed by

$$\|\mathbf{A}\|_1 = \max_{1 \leq j \leq n} \sum_{i=1}^n |a_{ij}|.$$

2. (a) Let  $\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Show the equivalence between vector norms and operator norms, i.e.,

$$\|\mathbf{x}\|_1 = \sup_{\mathbf{y} \neq 0} \frac{(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y})}{\|\mathbf{y}\|_\infty}, \quad \|\mathbf{x}\|_\infty = \sup_{\mathbf{y} \neq 0} \frac{(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y})}{\|\mathbf{y}\|_1},$$

where  $(\cdot, \cdot)$  is the inner product of vectors.

- (b) Let  $\mathbf{A}$  be a real matrix. Show that  $\|\mathbf{A}\|_1 = \|\mathbf{A}^T\|_\infty$ .

3. Let  $\mathbf{A}$  be a symmetric positive definite matrix. Given the maximal and minimal eigenvalues of  $\mathbf{A}$ , find the optimal parameter for the Richardson iteration method.

4. Prove the following theorems:

- (a) Suppose  $\mathbf{A}$  is a symmetric matrix with positive diagonal elements. If it is strictly diagonally dominant, or irreducible diagonally dominant, then  $\mathbf{A}$  is positive definite.  
(b) If  $\mathbf{A} = (a_{i,j})_{n \times n} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  is symmetric and positive definite with  $a_{i,j} \leq 0, \forall i \neq j$ , then the Jacobi method is convergent.

5. The symmetric Gauss-Seidel method is obtained by combining an iteration of Gauss-Seidel method with an iteration of backward Gauss-Seidel method. Precisely, the  $k$ -th iteration of the symmetric Gauss-Seidel method for solving  $\mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{b}$ , with  $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{D} - \mathbf{L} - \mathbf{U}$  is

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{x}_{k+1/2} &= \mathbf{x}_k + (\mathbf{D} - \mathbf{L})^{-1}(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{Ax}_k) \\ \mathbf{x}_{k+1} &= \mathbf{x}_{k+1/2} + (\mathbf{D} - \mathbf{U})^{-1}(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{Ax}_{k+1/2}), \end{aligned}$$

i.e., the iteration method can be written as

$$\mathbf{x}_{k+1} = \mathbf{x}_k + \mathbf{P}^{-1}(\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{Ax}_k).$$

If  $\mathbf{A}$  is a symmetric positive definite matrix:

- (a) Compute the preconditioner  $\mathbf{P}$  of the symmetric Gauss-Seidel method, and show that  $\mathbf{P}$  is symmetric positive definite.  
(b) Show that the spectral radius of the iteration matrix is less than 1.

6. Consider the linear system

$$\frac{1}{h^2} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & & & \\ -1 & 2 & -1 & & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \\ & & -1 & 2 & -1 \\ & & & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ u_3 \\ \vdots \\ u_{n-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} f_1 \\ f_2 \\ f_3 \\ \vdots \\ f_{n-1} \end{bmatrix},$$

where,  $h = 1/n$ ,  $f_i = (3x_i + x_i^2)e^{x_i}$  and  $x_i = i/n$  for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ .

- (a) Given a real matrix  $\mathbf{A}$ , show that

$$\rho(\mathbf{A}) = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \|\mathbf{A}^k\|^{1/k},$$

where  $\rho(\mathbf{A})$  is the spectral radius of  $\mathbf{A}$  and  $\|\cdot\|$  is any matrix norm.

- (b) Define the asymptotic convergence rate of an iteration method as  $R_\infty = -\ln \rho(\mathbf{B})$  where  $\mathbf{B}$  is the iteration matrix. Let  $\mathbf{B}_{Jacobi}$  and  $\mathbf{B}_{GS}$  be the iteration matrices of the Jacobi method and the Gauss-Seidel method, respectively. Calculate  $\rho(\mathbf{B}_{Jacobi})$ ,  $\rho(\mathbf{B}_{GS})$  and the corresponding asymptotic convergence rates.
- (c) Write a computer program to numerically verify the asymptotic convergence rates.
- (d) Write a computer program to solve the linear system with the SOR method. For each  $n = 1000, 2000, 4000, 8000$ , chose different relaxation parameter  $\omega_k = 1 + k/101$  for  $k = 1, 2, \dots, 100$  to collect the required iteration numbers until convergence. Plot your results with x-axis for  $\omega$  and y-axis for iteration number. Use double precision in your computation and set the relative residual tolerance as  $\varepsilon_{rel} = 1 \times 10^{-8}$ .