

# Computing complex $\mu$

## PURPOSE:

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Compute upper and lower bounds for the structured singular value of a given  $5 \times 5$  complex matrix, for a variety of block structures. Note the dependence of  $\mu_{\Delta}(M)$  on the particular structure  $\Delta$ , and verify the correctness of the bounds produced by the calculation.

## COMMANDS:

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`easymu`                    upper and lower bounds for  $\mu_{\Delta}(M)$  (calls `mussv` and `mussvextract`)

**Syntax for `easymu`:**

```
>> [upp,low,pert,dleft,dright] = easymu(mat,blk);
```

## Description

`mat`     Matrix to calculate  $\mu$  of

`blk`     block structure information about the set  $\Delta$ ; the number of perturbation blocks, their sizes and types. For example:

The block structure

$$\Delta := \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} \delta_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \delta_2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \delta_3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \delta_4 \end{bmatrix} : \delta_i \in \mathbf{C} \right\}$$

is represented by the array

$$\text{blk} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

The block structure

$$\Delta := \left\{ \text{diag} [\Delta_1 \ \Delta_2 \ \delta_3] : \Delta_1 \in \mathbf{C}^{3 \times 2}, \Delta_2 \in \mathbf{C}^{4 \times 5}, \delta_3 \in \mathbf{C} \right\},$$

is represented by the array

$$\mathbf{blk} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 4 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Finally, the block structure

$$\Delta := \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} \delta_1 I_3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \Delta_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \delta_3 I_2 \end{bmatrix} : \delta_1, \delta_3 \in \mathbf{C}, \Delta_2 \in \mathbf{C}^{2 \times 2} \right\}$$

is represented by the array

$$\mathbf{blk} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Lower and Upper bounds**

$$\text{low} \leq \mu_{\Delta}(M) \leq \text{upp}$$

**Perturbation (gives lower bound)**

$$\text{pert} \in \Delta$$

$$\text{norm}(\text{pert}) = \frac{1}{\text{low}}$$

$$\det(\mathbf{I} - \text{mat} * \text{pert}) = 0$$

**Scaling matrices (give upper bound)**

$$\text{dleft} = \text{dleft}^* > 0, \quad \text{dright} = \text{dright}^* > 0$$

$$\text{upp} = \bar{\sigma}(\text{dleft} * \text{mat} * \text{dright}^{-1})$$

$$\text{dright} * \Delta = \Delta * \text{dleft} \quad \forall \Delta \in \Delta$$

Try this on some examples:

```
>> simpmu;
```

This creates a  $5 \times 5$  matrix, `mat`, and several different block structures, `blka`, `blkb`, . . . , `blki`.

Consider the block structure defined by the array `blke`

```
>> blke;
```

Run the `easymu` command

```
>> [upp,low,pert,dleft,dright] = easymu(mat,blke);
```

Verify that

- $\text{pert} \in \Delta$ ; print out the matrix `pert`, and check that its structure corresponds to that given by the array `blke`
- Compare the norm of the matrix `pert` with the lower bound `low`

```
>> low;  
>> norm(pert);
```

How are they related?

- Check that  $\det(I_5 - \text{mat} * \text{pert}) = 0$

```
>> det(eye(5)-mat*pert);      or  
>> eig(mat*pert);
```

- Look at the scaling matrices `dleft` and `dright`. Note that  $\text{dright} * \Delta = \Delta * \text{dleft} \quad \forall \Delta \in \Delta$ . Check that the upper bound `upp` comes from these.

```
>> upp  
>> norm(dleft*mat*inv(dright));
```

Try the other examples.