

# Numerical Linear Algebra

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## 5: Final Project

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### 1 Part 1

#### 1.1 SVD for image compression

The first 10 largest singular values

663180.2023  
85706.5957  
62129.0257  
34664.6330  
31861.7923  
21872.7216  
19628.4428  
18434.9377  
13693.8154  
12815.2083

The singular value for  $k = 20$

$$\sigma_k \approx 7528.0246523376873.$$

The singular value for  $k = 40$

$$\sigma_k \approx 5489.1246638996563.$$

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The singular value for  $k = 80$

$$\sigma_k \approx 3948.7799793164731.$$

The singular value for  $k = 160$

$$\sigma_k \approx 2668.2235780120509.$$

The singular value for  $k = 320$

$$\sigma_k \approx 1515.8659320175318.$$

The singular value for  $k = 640$

$$\sigma_k \approx 821.89312579199247.$$

The singular value for  $k = 1280$

$$\sigma_k \approx 513.56803215302216.$$

The singular value for  $k = 2560$

$$\sigma_k \approx 179.11503509371889.$$

The original image

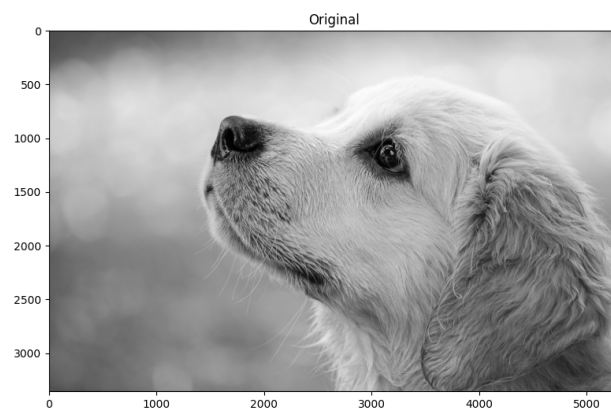


Figure 1: Original

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compressed images

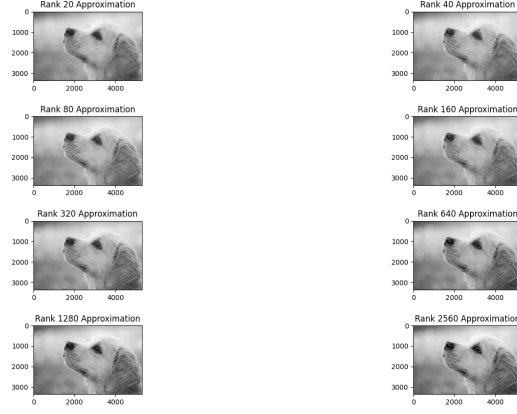


Figure 2: Sigma k

As we increase the number of singular values the image becomes clearer on reconstruction. Plotting the averaged Frobenius norm

$$E_k = \frac{\|A - A_{\sigma_k}\|_F}{mn}.$$

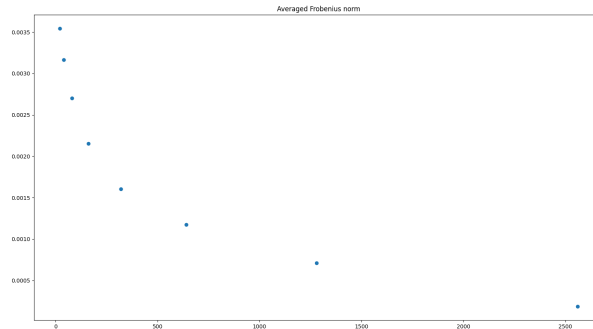


Figure 3: Error

and the value of  $k$ , where the error  $E_k < 10^{-3}$ , is

$$\boxed{k = 1280}.$$

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## 1.2 Iterative Methods

### 1.2.1 Gauss-Jacobi and Gauss-Seidel

Both algorithms "split" the matrix into a sum of parts. This split,

$$A = M - N.$$

assuming  $M$  is invertible, induces an iterative method

$$\begin{aligned} Mx_{k+1} &= Nx_k + b \\ \Leftrightarrow x_{k+1} &= M^{-1}Nx_k + M^{-1}b \end{aligned}$$

So we'd like  $M$  to be a good approximation for  $A$  where  $Mx = y$  is cheap and easy to solve. The splitting  $A = M - N$  converges to

$$Ax = b.$$

for  $A$  nonsingular and iff the spectral radius  $\rho(M^{-1}N) < 1$

The Jacobi method corresponds to the splitting  $M = D$  and  $N = -L - U$  where  $D$  is the diagonal part of  $A$ , and  $L$  and  $U$  are the lower and upper triangular part respectively. For a strictly diagonally dominant matrix  $A$

$$|a_{ii}| > \sum_{j \neq i} |a_{ij}| \quad \text{for } i = 1, \dots, n.$$

Then the iterative scheme,

$$\begin{aligned} T &= M^{-1}N = -D^{-1}(L + U) \\ \Rightarrow \|T\|_{\infty} &< 1 \\ \Rightarrow \rho(T) &\leq \|T\|_{\infty} < 1 \end{aligned}$$

converges.

The Gauss-Seidel scheme, on the otherhand, corresponds to the splitting  $M = D + L$  and  $N = -U$ . This algorithm uses updated values as soon as they become available, but has less clear convergence criteria. Though it manages to converge in the cases when Gauss-Jacobi fails. In both I set a maximum iteration of 1000 and exit when the error grows too large. I use the two norm and fortrans [huge](#) function which returns the largest value for the data inputted data type

$$\|Ax - b\|_2 < \text{huge}(\|Ax - b\|_2).$$

Run the code for a 10 x 10 matrix  $A$  with  $D = 2, 5, 10, 100, 1000$  and plot the error  $\|b - Ax\|_2$  for each value of  $D$  and for both Jacobi and Gauss-Seidel

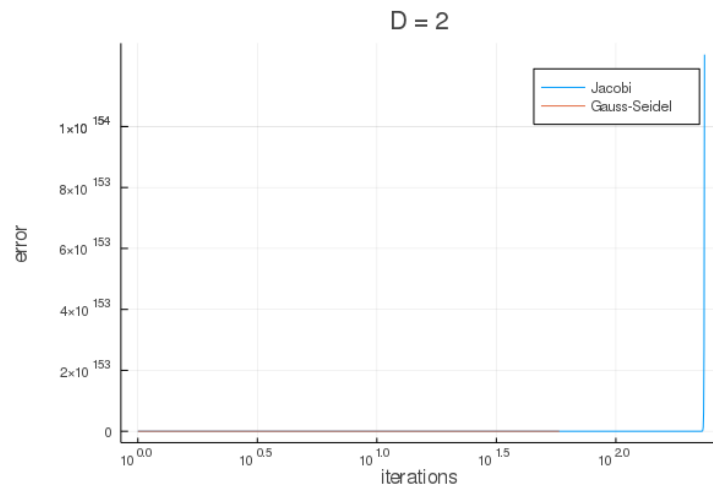


Figure 4: Error  $D = 2$

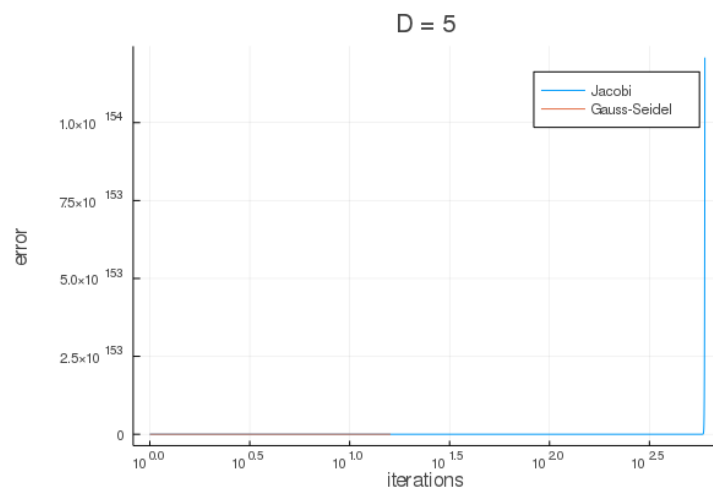


Figure 5: Error  $D = 5$

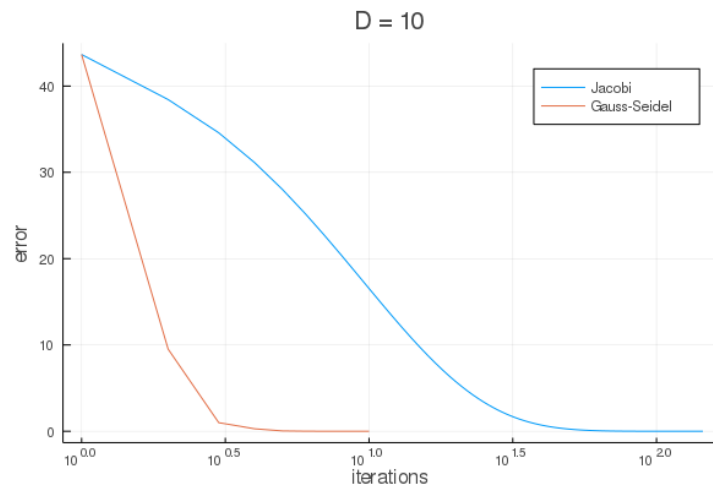


Figure 6: Error  $D = 10$

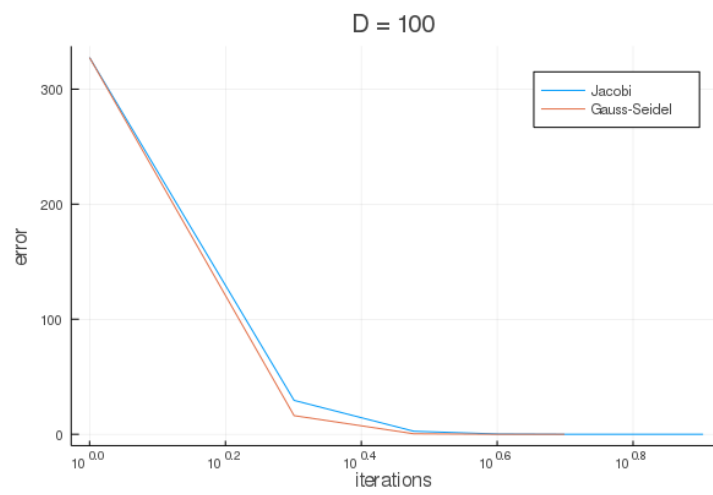


Figure 7: Error  $D = 100$

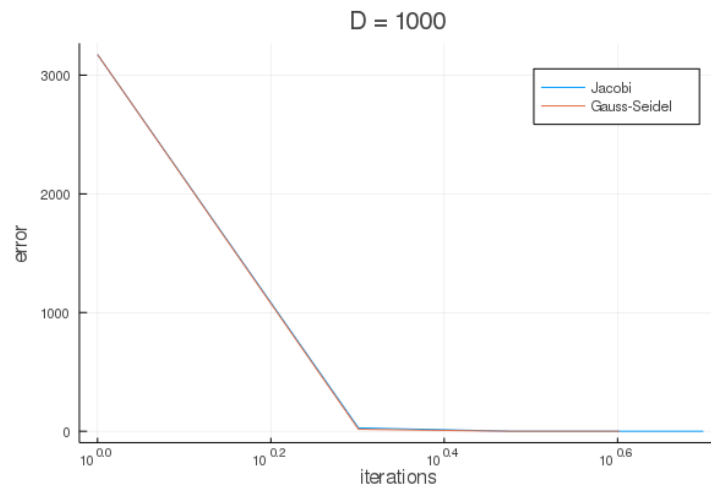


Figure 8: error  $D = 1000$

Jacobi didn't converge for  $D = 2, 5$  since, in those cases, the matrix  $A$  was not diagonally dominant.

Running each algorithm with a matrix  $A$  full of ones, except on the diagonal where  $a_{ii} = i$ , Jacobi does not converge, but Gauss-Seidel converges in 1 step to

$$\begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The error on a log-linear plot

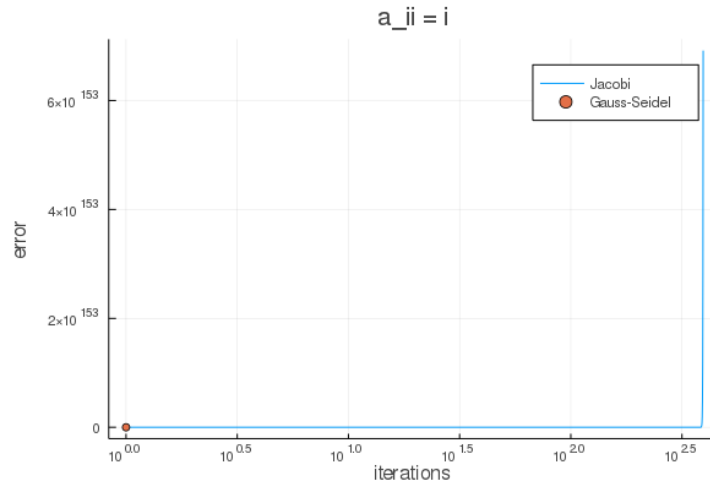


Figure 9: Aii

- Conjugate Gradient, and other similar algorithms, can be thought of as minimizing the objective function

$$\phi(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^T Ax - x^T b.$$

The solution to which converges to  $Ax = b$ , and corresponds to the scheme

$$x_{k+1} = x_k + \alpha_k p_k.$$

for some direction  $p_k$ . For Steepest Descent (or Gradient Descent) this direction is the residual or the steepest slope. However, with Conjugate Gradient, the direction  $p_{k+1}$  is chosen to be  $A$ -conjugate to  $p_k$ .

$$p_{k+1}^T A p_k = 0.$$

Conjugate Gradient converges in at most  $m$  steps since the vectors  $p_k$  are guaranteed to be linearly independent. Which means our solution  $x^*$  can be written as a linear combination of these vectors, and addition directions offer no more information. For well conditioned matrices, Conjugate Gradient can converge in as few as 2 steps

proof:

- Prove the smart conjugate gradient is equivalent to the basic conjugate gradient.
- Table comparing number of iterations until convergence between 3 algorithms.



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Table 1: Number of Iterations

D	2	5	10	100	1000
Jacobi	DNC	DNC	145	8	5
Gauss-Seidel	58	16	10	5	4
Conjugate Gradient	2	2	2	2	2

Jacobi doesn't converge until it becomes diagonally dominant at  $D = 10$ . Both Jacobi and Gauss-Seidel converge faster for larger diagonal elements. This is because the matrix becomes better conditioned.

- A diagonal pre-conditioner is not very useful for these matrices since they are already well conditioned (ie the maximum and minimum eigenvalues only differ by a small amount). Since the matrix is symmetric positive definite.

$$\kappa(A) = \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_m}.$$

- Running the algorithm again with a matrix  $A$  full of ones, except on the diagonal where  $a_{ii} = i$ , Conjugate Gradient takes more than 2 steps to converge.

For a 10 x 10 matrix it takes 10 iterations to converge to the solution

$$\begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

For a  $100 \times 100$  matrix it takes 62 iterations to converge to the solution

$$\begin{pmatrix} -98 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

These matrices take longer to converge since they are ill-conditioned. For the  $10 \times 10$  case, the largest eigenvalue  $\lambda_{10} \approx 15.3$  and the smallest is  $\lambda_1 \approx 0.23$ . For the  $100 \times 100$  case, the largest  $\lambda_{100} \approx 157.7$  and the smallest  $\lambda_1 \approx 0.15$