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CP.2.3.1, Sauer3

For the *n*-by-*n* matrix with entries $a_{ij} = 5/(i+2j-1)$, set $x = (1, ..., 1)^T$ and b = Ax. Use the Use the python program from CP.2.2.2 or Numpy's **numpy.linalg.solve** command to compute $\mathbf{x}_{-\mathbf{c}}$, the double precision computed solution. Find the infinity norm of the forward error and the error magnification factor of the problem Ax = b, and compare it with the condition number of A: (a) n = 6, (b) n = 10.

<u>Hint:</u> Be careful with Python's indexing that starts at 0, and Sauer's and Matlab's indexing that starts at 1. With zero-based indexing the formula for a_{ij} is $a_{ij} = 5/(i+2j+2)$. Here is a code snippet to generate A with n = 5.

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n = 5
A = np.zeros([n, n], dtype=float)
for i in range(0,n):
    for j in range(0,n):
        A[i,j] = 5 / (i + 2*j + 2.)
print(A)
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