

# COL726 Homework 3

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1. (a) The LU decomposition of a banded matrix without pivoting will give L and U that are lower banded and upper banded respectively. For e.g., for  $l = 2$  and  $u = 1$ , we have

$$L = \begin{bmatrix} \times & & & & & \\ \times & \times & & & & \\ \times & \times & \times & & & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & & \\ & & \times & \times & \times & \end{bmatrix}$$

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} \times & \times & & & & \\ & \times & \times & & & \\ & & \times & \ddots & & \\ & & & \ddots & \times & \\ & & & & \ddots & \times \\ & & & & & \times \end{bmatrix}$$

So, modifying the Gaussian Elimination Algorithm without pivoting using the above fact will result in the following algorithm:

- i.  $U = A, L = I$
- ii. for  $k = 1$  to  $m - 1$
- iii.     for  $j = k + 1$  to  $\min(k + l, m)$
- iv.          $l_{jk} = u_{jk}/u_{kk}$
- v.          $u_{j,k:\min(k+u,m)} = u_{j,k:\min(k+u,m)} - l_{jk}u_{j,k:\min(k+u,m)}$

Now to count the number of flops, step v takes at max  $2u$  flops per one iteration of the inner for loop. The inner loop is computed at max  $l$  times. So, the total cost of inner for loop is  $2lu$  per one iteration of outer for loop. Since, the outer for loop is computed  $m$  times, the total cost is  $2lum$  flops.

- (b) For  $l = 1$  and  $u = 1$ , consider matrix  $A$  as:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 6 & 1 & 4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 8 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 9 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

The LU decomposition with partial pivoting results in the following decomposition:

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, L = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0.167 & 0.691 & -0.170 & -0.211 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, U = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 1 & 4 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 7 & 1 & 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 8 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 9 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0.551 \end{bmatrix}$$

Here,  $L$  has non zero value in its bottom left entry.

2. We have  $M = \begin{bmatrix} A & b \\ b^T & c \end{bmatrix}$  and  $A = LL^T$ . Let the Cholesky decomposition of  $M$  be  $M = \tilde{L}\tilde{L}^T$  and let  $\tilde{L} = \begin{bmatrix} L_1 & 0 \\ d^T & e \end{bmatrix}$  where  $L_1$  is some lower triangular matrix,  $d$  is a vector and  $e$  is a scalar.

Now,

$$\tilde{L}\tilde{L}^T = \begin{bmatrix} L_1 & 0 \\ d^T & e \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} L_1^T & d \\ 0 & e \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} L_1 L_1^T & L_1 d \\ d^T L_1^T & d^T d + e^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} L_1 L_1^T & L_1 d \\ d^T L_1^T & ||d||^2 + e^2 \end{bmatrix} \quad (1)$$

Also, we have

$$\tilde{L}\tilde{L}^T = M = \begin{bmatrix} A & b \\ b^T & c \end{bmatrix} \quad (2)$$

Using (1) and (2),

$$\begin{bmatrix} L_1 L_1^T & L_1 d \\ d^T L_1^T & ||d||^2 + e^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} A & b \\ b^T & c \end{bmatrix}$$

Since,  $A$  is SPD, the Cholesky decomposition of  $A$  is unique. So, we get

$$L = L_1 \quad (3)$$

$$L_1 d = b \Rightarrow Ld = b \quad (4)$$

$$||d||^2 + e^2 = c \Rightarrow e = \sqrt{c - ||d||^2} \quad (5)$$

Equation (4) can be solved for  $d$  in  $O(m^2)$  time using forward substitution since  $L$  is lower triangular.

$$\begin{bmatrix} l_{11} & & & \\ l_{21} & l_{22} & & \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \\ l_{m1} & \cdots & & l_{mm} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} d_1 \\ d_2 \\ \vdots \\ d_m \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ \vdots \\ b_m \end{bmatrix}$$

So, we get the values of  $d_i$  iteratively by:

$$l_{11}d_1 = b_1 \Rightarrow d_1 = \frac{b_1}{l_{11}}$$

$$l_{21}d_1 + l_{22}d_2 = b_2 \Rightarrow d_2 = \frac{b_2 - l_{21}d_1}{l_{22}}$$

$$\vdots$$

$$l_{m1}d_1 + \cdots + l_{mm}d_m = b_m \Rightarrow d_m = \frac{b_m - l_{m1}d_1 - \cdots - l_{m(m-1)}d_{m-1}}{l_{mm}}$$

Once we have  $d$ , we can get the value of  $e$  using equation (5). Using the values of  $L$ ,  $d$  and  $e$ , we can get

$$\tilde{L} = \begin{bmatrix} L & 0 \\ d^T & e \end{bmatrix}.$$

3. (a) First decompose  $A$  into  $A = D + L + U$ , where  $D$  is formed from the diagonal entries of  $A$ ,  $L$  is formed using the matrix entries of  $A$  below the diagonal and  $U$  is formed using the matrix entries of  $A$  above the diagonal. Now,  $Ax = b$  can be written as  $(D + L + U)x = b$ , or simply:

$$Dx = b - (L + U)x$$

$$x = D^{-1}b - D^{-1}(L + U)x$$

Here  $x$  is a fixed point that satisfies the above equation. So, we can write the update rule as:

$$x^{(n+1)} = D^{-1}(b - (L + U)x^n)$$

This iterative method is the Jacobian stationary iterative method.

- (b) The update rule using for loop in this case can be written as:

$$x_{q_k} \leftarrow \frac{1}{a_{p_k q_k}}(b_{p_k} - \sum_{j \neq q_k} a_{p_k j} x_j)$$

First form permutation matrices  $P$  and  $Q$  from  $(p_1, \dots, p_m)$  and  $(q_1, \dots, q_m)$  respectively. For e.g. for  $m = 4$  and  $(p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4) = (3, 1, 4, 2)$ , we have:

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now, we will do the decomposition of matrix  $PAQ^T$ , i.e.  $PAQ^T = D' + L' + U'$ . This is because we want  $a_{p_k q_k}$  as the diagonal element instead of  $a_{kk}$ .  $P$  will exchange the rows and  $Q^T$  will exchange the columns. To get  $b_{p_k}$  from  $b_k$ , we multiply by  $P$ . So, the update rule becomes

$$Qx^{(n+1)} = D'^{-1}(Pb - (L' + U')Qx^n)$$

4. The Krylov subspace is written as  $K_k = \langle q_1, q_2, \dots, q_k \rangle = \langle b, Ab, A^2b, \dots, A^{k-1}b \rangle$ . Since  $b$  lies in the span of  $n$  eigenvectors of  $A$  say  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$ , we can write  $b$  as the linear combination of these  $n$  eigenvectors. i.e.  $b = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i v_i$ .

Now,

$$A^j b = A^j \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i v_i \right) = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i (A^j v_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i \lambda_i^j v_i$$

i.e. we can write  $A^j b$  as the linear combination of  $v_i$ 's.

Suppose Arnoldi iteration does not break for any number of iterations less than equal to  $n$ . This means that  $A^n b$  (formed after  $n^{th}$  step) is linearly independent of the vectors forming the basis of the Krylov subspace  $K_n$ . Therefore, we get  $n + 1$  dimensional basis for  $K_{n+1}$ . But we showed that each of  $A^j b$ 's are linear combination of  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$  thus  $K_{n+1}$  can be at most  $n$  dimensional which is a contradiction. Hence, Arnoldi iteration breaks down in at most  $n$  iterations.

Assume that the Arnoldi iteration breaks down after  $k$  steps. Therefore  $Aq_k$  lies in  $K_k$ . Also,  $Aq_j \forall j < k$  lies in  $K_k$  (Construction of Arnoldi iteration). Now, any vector  $x$  lying in  $K_k$  will have  $Ax$  lying in  $K_k$  (because  $x$  can be written as a linear combination of  $q_1, \dots, q_k$ ).

Since  $A$  is full rank, it will map 2 distinct  $x_i$ 's in  $K_k$  to distinct vectors. Therefore, there will exist a unique  $x_*$  such that  $Ax_* = b$ . Hence, GMRES solves  $\min_{x \in K_k} \|Ax - b\|_2$  exactly.

5. We have  $\|A - I\|_2 = 0.6$

(a) Using the definition of induced norm, we have

$$\|A - I\|_2 = \max_x \frac{\|(A - I)x\|_2}{\|x\|_2} = \max_x \frac{\|Ax - x\|_2}{\|x\|_2}$$

Now, suppose  $v$  is an eigenvector of  $A$  with eigenvalue  $\lambda$ . We have

$$Av = \lambda v \quad (6)$$

$$\frac{\|Av - v\|_2}{\|v\|_2} \leq \max_x \frac{\|Ax - x\|_2}{\|x\|_2} \quad (7)$$

Put (6) in (7) to get

$$\frac{\|\lambda v - v\|_2}{\|v\|_2} \leq \max_x \frac{\|Ax - x\|_2}{\|x\|_2}$$

Therefore,

$$\frac{\|\lambda v - v\|_2}{\|v\|_2} = \frac{|\lambda - 1| \|v\|_2}{\|v\|_2} = |\lambda - 1| \leq \max_x \frac{\|Ax - x\|_2}{\|x\|_2} = \|A - I\|_2 = 0.6$$

So,  $|\lambda - 1| \leq 0.6 \Rightarrow 0.4 \leq \lambda \leq 1.6$

Since  $A$  is SPD, we have

$$\frac{\|e_n\|_A}{\|e_0\|_A} \leq 2\left(\frac{\sqrt{\kappa} - 1}{\sqrt{\kappa} + 1}\right)^n$$

where  $\kappa = \|A\|_2 = \frac{|\lambda_{max}|}{|\lambda_{min}|} \leq \frac{1.6}{0.4} = 4$

Therefore using the fact that  $\frac{\sqrt{\kappa}-1}{\sqrt{\kappa}+1}$  is an increasing function,

$$\frac{\|e_n\|_2}{\|e_0\|_2} \leq 2\left(\frac{\sqrt{\kappa} - 1}{\sqrt{\kappa} + 1}\right)^n \leq 2\left(\frac{\sqrt{4} - 1}{\sqrt{4} + 1}\right)^n = \frac{2}{3^n}$$

(b) We have  $B = A + ww^T = A + 49v_1v_1^T$ . Now, suppose  $v$  is any eigenvector of  $A$  with eigenvalue  $\lambda$ . So,

$$Bv = (A + 49v_1v_1^T)v = Av + 49(v_1v_1^T)v = \lambda v + 49v_1(v_1^T v) = \lambda v + 49(v_1^T v)v_1$$

Suppose  $\text{rank}(A) = m$ . Now since  $A$  is SPD,  $A$  will have  $m$  linearly independent eigenvectors (Trefethen & Bau's Theorem 24.5).

Therefore, given 2 different eigenvectors  $v_i$  and  $v_j$  of  $A$ , we have  $v_i^T v_j = 0$ . So,

$$Bv = \lambda v + 49(v_1^T v)v_1 = \begin{cases} \lambda v & v \neq v_1 \\ 50v & v = v_1 (\|v_1\|_2 = 1, \lambda_1 = 1) \end{cases}$$

Since  $v$  is an eigenvector of  $A$ ,  $v$  is an eigenvector of  $B$ . Only 1 eigenvalue is different for  $B$  and  $A$ .  $\lambda'_1 = 50$  and  $\lambda'_i = \lambda_i \forall i = 2, 3, \dots, m$ , where  $\lambda'_i$ 's and  $\lambda_i$ 's are the eigenvalues of  $B$  and  $A$  respectively.

(c) **NOTE:** Used stack overflow as reference for the idea (Link)

Using Trefethen & Bau's Theorem 38.3, we have:

$$\frac{\|e_n\|_B}{\|e_0\|_B} \leq \min_{p \in P_n} \max_{\lambda \in \Lambda(B)} |p(\lambda)|$$

We will choose the polynomial space  $Q_n$  instead of  $P_n$  ( $Q_n \subset P_n$ ) such that  $q(50) = q(\lambda_1) = 0$ . We can do this since there is minimum over the polynomial space. i.e.

$$\min_{p \in P_n} \max_{\lambda \in \Lambda(B)} |p(\lambda)| \leq \min_{q \in Q_n} \max_{\lambda \in \Lambda(B)} |q(\lambda)|$$

Now,

$$q(\lambda) = (1 - \frac{\lambda}{50})q'(\lambda)$$

where  $q'(\lambda) \subset Q_{n-1}$

Therefore,

$$\min_{q \subset Q_n} \max_{\lambda \subset \Lambda(B)} |q(\lambda)| = \min_{q' \subset Q_{n-1}} \max_{\lambda_i \subset \Lambda(B)} |(1 - \frac{\lambda_i}{50})q'(\lambda_i)| \leq (\min_{q' \subset Q_{n-1}} \max_{\lambda_i \subset \Lambda(B) - \lambda_1} |1 - \frac{\lambda_i}{50}| |q'(\lambda_i)|) = Q$$

Further,

$$Q < \min_{q' \subset Q_{n-1}} \max_{\lambda_i \subset \Lambda(B) - \lambda_1} |q'(\lambda_i)| \quad (8)$$

because  $0.4 \leq \lambda_i \leq 1.6 \Rightarrow 1 - \frac{\lambda_i}{50} < 1 \quad \forall i = 2, 3, \dots, m$  Now, we can simply use the result of Trefethen & Bau's Theorem 38.3 for RHS of (8). i.e.

$$\min_{q' \subset Q_{n-1}} \max_{\lambda_i \subset \Lambda(B) - \lambda_1} |q'(\lambda_i)| \leq 2 \left( \frac{\sqrt{\kappa'} - 1}{\sqrt{\kappa'} + 1} \right)^{n-1}$$

where  $\kappa' = \frac{|\lambda_{max}|}{|\lambda_{min}|}$  and  $\lambda_{max}, \lambda_{min} \subset \{\lambda_2, \lambda_3, \dots, \lambda_m\}$  Now, using the result from part (a), we get:

$$\frac{\|e_n\|_B}{\|e_0\|_B} < \frac{2}{3^{n-1}}$$

6. (a) The matrix  $A$  will have the entries as following:

$$a_{ij} = \begin{cases} \left( \sum_{j \text{ connected to } i} \frac{1}{R_{ij}} \right) & i = j \quad \forall i \in \{1, 2, \dots, m-2\} \\ \left( \sum_{j \text{ connected to } i} \frac{1}{R_{ij}} \right) + 1 & i = j \quad \forall i \in \{0, m-1\} \\ -\frac{1}{R_{ij}} & j \text{ connected to } i \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Also, we can observe that  $a_{ji} = -\frac{1}{R_{ji}} = -\frac{1}{R_{ij}} = a_{ij}$ . Therefore, the matrix  $A$  is symmetric.

(b) `cg` function implemented using the pseudocode given in Chapter 38, Trefethen & Bau. On running `cg` on `makeNetwork('random1', 1000)`, we get the following plot for  $\|r_n\|_2 / \|b\|_2$  on a log scale as a function of  $n$ .

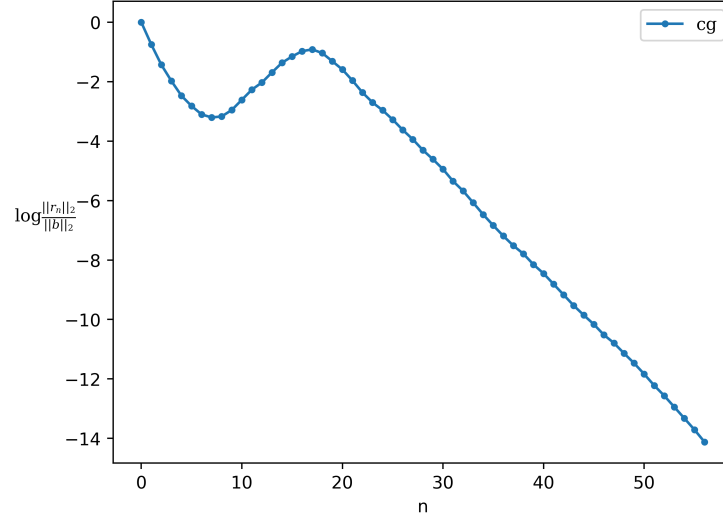


Figure 1:  $\log \frac{\|r_n\|_2}{\|b\|_2}$  vs  $n$  on `makeNetwork('random1', 1000)`

(c) Comparison of `cg` and `pcg` on `makeNetwork('random2', 1000)`.

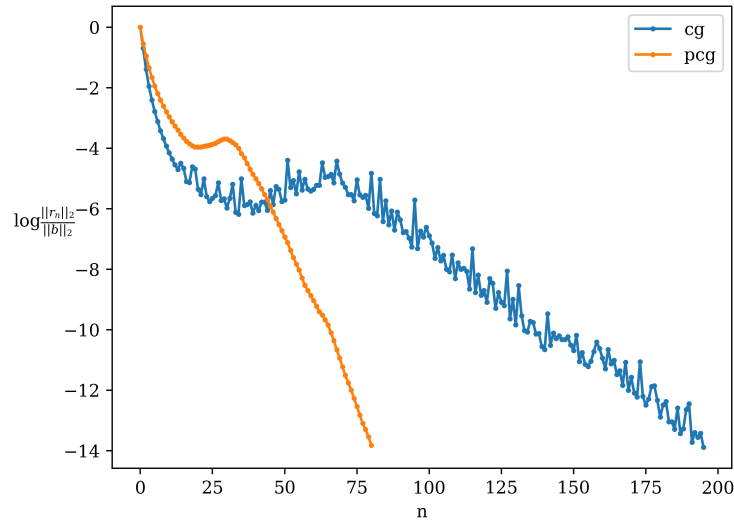


Figure 2:  $\log \frac{\|r_n\|_2}{\|b\|_2}$  vs  $n$  on `makeNetwork('random2', 1000)`