

# MAT 228A Notes

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## 1 GS-RB, Full Weighting, Bilinear Interpolation

$\nu$  = total # of smoothing steps,  $\nu = \nu_1 + \nu_2$ .

$\nu$	$\rho$
1	0.25
2	0.74
3	0.53
4	0.41

Want to solve to a tolerance, set  $\rho^k = \varepsilon$ , so  $k = \log \varepsilon / \log \rho$ . That is,

$$k \propto \frac{-1}{\log \rho}$$

### 1.1 Work

What is the work per iteration? Set  $WU$  be the work unit.

$$WU = \underbrace{\mathcal{O}(N)}_{\nu, \text{ work from smoothing}} + \underbrace{\text{work from everything else}}_w$$

So the total work is proportional to  $-(\nu+w)/\log \rho$ . Assuming  $w$ , we get

$\nu$	$WU; w = 0$	$WU; w = 1$	...	$WU; w = 5$	$WU; w = 6$
1	1.66	3.32	...	9.97	11.63
2	1.77	2.65	...	6.19	7.07
3	2.35	3.14	...	6.27	7.05
4	2.88	3.60	...	6.49	7.21

### 1.2 How to pick $\nu_1$ and $\nu_2$

Let  $M$  be the MG iteration operator. Let  $e^1 = Me^0$ . So

$$\|e^1\|_2 \leq \|M\|_2 \|e^0\|_2 \implies \frac{\|e^1\|_2}{\|e^0\|_2} \leq \|M\|_2$$

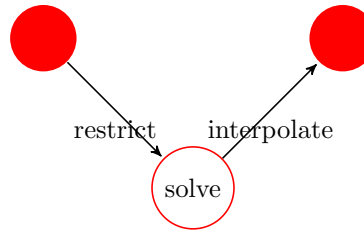
We get

$\nu_1$	$\nu_2$	$\ M\ _2$
1	0	0.559
0	1	1.414
2	0	0.200
1	1	0.141
0	2	1.414
3	0	0.137
2	1	0.081
1	2	0.081
0	3	1.414

A common choice is  $(\nu_1, \nu_2) = (1, 1)$  or  $(\nu_1, \nu_2) = (2, 1)$ .

### 1.3 Multigrid States

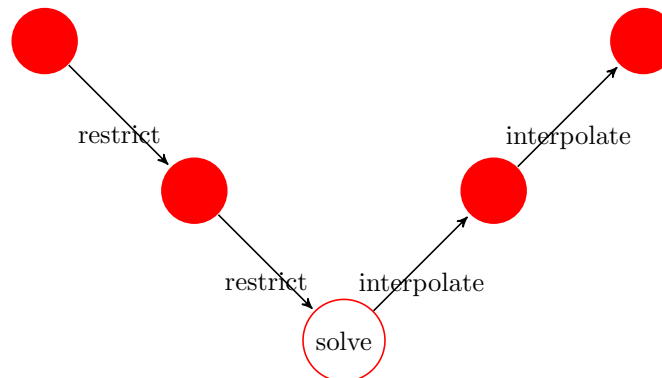
#### 1.3.1 2-Grid



#### 1.3.2 3-Grid

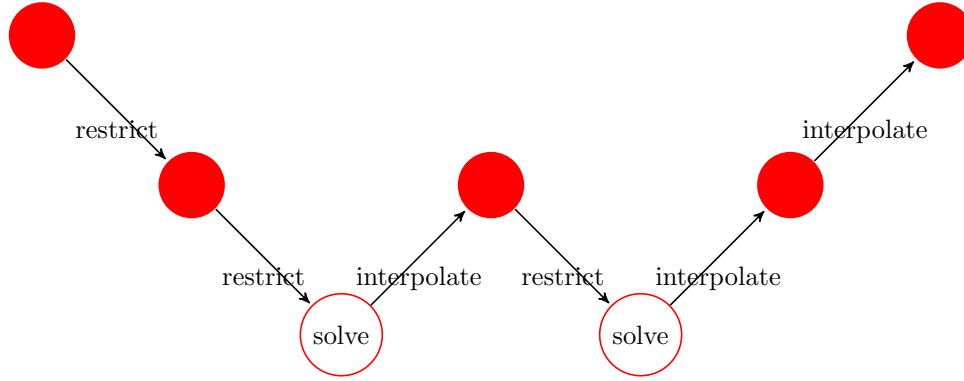
MG Iteration

- Smooth  $\nu_1$  times
- Compute  $r_h$ 
  - restrict to  $f_{2h}$
  - solve  $L_{2h}e_{2h} = r_{2h}$
  - smooth  $L_{2h}u_{2h} = f_{2h}$ ,  $\nu_1$  times, initial guess  $e_{2h} \approx 0$ .
  - compute  $r_{2h}$ 
    - \* Restrict to  $f_{4h}$
    - \* Solve  $L_{4h}u_{4h} = f_{4h}$
  - interpolate and correct  $u_{2h} = u_{2h} + I_{4h}^{2h}u_{4h}$
  - smooth  $\nu_2$  times
- interpolate and correct  $u_h = u_h + I_{2h}^h u_{2h}$
- Smooth  $\nu_2$  times



#### 1.3.3 Other forms of cycles

Do  $\gamma$  iteration before returning to fine grid.  $\gamma = 1$  is called *V-cycle*,  $\gamma = 2$  for three grids is called *W-cycle*.  $\gamma = 2$  for 3 levels looks like



$\gamma = 2$  for 4 levels looks like a fractal.

### 1.3.4 How much work is there in a V-cycle?

On the fine mesh, smooth,  $\nu$  times is  $\mathcal{O}(N)$ . We also have to compute the residual,  $r_h = \mathcal{O}(N)$ . We also have to restrict,  $\mathcal{O}(N)$ . We also have to correct  $\mathcal{O}(N)$  and interpolate  $\mathcal{O}(N)$ .

In 2D, the work on a fine mesh is  $CN$ . Every time we drop a level is dropping by a factor of 4..

level $\ell$	work
$\ell = 1$	$CN$
$\ell = 2$	$\frac{CN}{4}$
$\ell = 3$	$\frac{CN}{4^2}$
$\vdots$	$\vdots$

The total work in the limit of many levels is

$$\sum_{\ell=1}^L CN \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{\ell-1} \approx CN \left(\frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{4}}\right) = \frac{4}{3}CN$$

So V-cycle work is not much different than work on the fine level.

## 1.4 GS-RB, FM, bilinear interpolation, 2D

For  $\nu = 2$ , 2-grid gives  $\rho \approx 0.074$ . V-cycle gives  $\rho \approx 0.10$ .

## 1.5 Comparisons to SOR

Say we have  $64 \times 64$  mesh with tolerance of  $10^{-6}$ .

	# iterations	work per iteration	total work
SOR	144	1	144
MG	6	$4/3 \cdot (2 + 4) = 8$	48

Say we have  $265 \times 265$  mesh with tolerance of  $10^{-7}$ .

	# iterations	work per iteration	total work
SOR	658	1	658
MG	7	$4/3 \cdot (2 + 4) = 8$	56