# Linear Equations Number of operations

# **Linear Systems**



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# **Gauss Elimination**



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# **Gauss – Jordan Elimination**



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#### **Gauss Elimination**

To automate elimination method with pivoting and scaling with coefficient matrix A and inhomogeneous vector b, define an order vector o  $(n \times 1)$  for rows which is initially (1,2,3,...,n).

1- In column 1, the largest coefficient be row k. Pivot row k to be the first row, with order vector will be o = (k, 2, 3, ..., 1, ..., n)

2- Eliminate  $x_k$  from (n-1) equations

3- In modified (n-1) equations, pivot and eliminate  $x_k$ , and o=(k,k',3,...,1,...n).

- 4- Upon completion, matrix A is transformed to an upper triangular matrix that could be solved for x direct backward substitution.
- 5- Number of operations(?)

### Gauss – Jordan Elimination

This elimination procedure will find  $A^{-1}$  and x

1- Form an augmented matrix in the form

$$[A \mid b \mid I]$$

2- By elimination, transform A to I so that we have

$$[A \mid b \mid I] \rightarrow [I \mid b' \mid A']$$

$$3-A' = A^{-1}$$
 and  $b' = x$ 

4- No. of operations (?).

#### **LU Factorization**

$$L = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & 0 & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & a_{n3} & \dots & \dots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix} \qquad U = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} & a_{14} & \dots & \dots & a_{1n} \\ 0 & a_{22} & a_{23} & a_{24} & \dots & \dots & a_{2n} \\ 0 & 0 & a_{33} & a_{34} & \dots & \dots & a_{3n} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a_{44} & a_{45} & a_{4n} \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & \dots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

For linear equation Ax = b, decompose matrix A as product of L and U

$$A = LU$$
$$LUx = b$$

Multiply both sides with  $L^{-1}$ 

$$L^{-1}LUx = L^{-1}b \rightarrow IUx = L^{-1}b$$

With IU = U and set  $b' = L^{-1}b$ 

$$Ux = b'$$

This equation solved for *x* with direct backward substitution.

#### **Factorization Procedure**

For Ax = b, use Gauss elimination to transform matrix A into U.

In this transformation, keep the elimination multipliers  $m_{ij}$  and

$$l_{ij} = m_{ij}$$
.

This procedure is Doolittle factorization and with steps on the left, x can be determined.

# MatLab

For A is defined [l, u] = lu(A)

For A and P defined [l, u, P] = lu(A) with PA = LU

## More on determinants

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

For which del [A] =  $|A| = a_{11} a_{12} - a_{12} a_{21}$ 

1- Pivot matrix A to  $A^p$ 

$$A^p = \begin{bmatrix} a_{21} & a_{22} \\ a_{11} & a_{12} \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$|A^p| = a_{12}a_{21} - a_{11} a_{12} = -|A|$$

Pivoting by *i* rows,  $|A^p| = (-1)^i |A|$ 

2- Multiply A by a constant  $\alpha$ 

$$\alpha A = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha a_{11} & \alpha a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow |\alpha A| = \alpha |A|$$

3- Set 
$$R_1' = R_1 + \lambda R_2$$

$$R_1' = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} + \lambda a_{21} & a_{12} + \lambda a_{21} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|R_1'| = |A|$$

# Solving Tridiagonal Matrix

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & 0 & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} & 0 & \dots & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & a_{32} & a_{33} & a_{34}, \dots & \dots & 0 \\ & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & a_{(n-1)n} & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

- 1- Gauss elimination to make it zero the lowest diagonal elements to make T a U. Back substitution to find x. In this transformation, the vector b should also be modified.
- 2- Use Gauss elimination to calculate em's and decompose T to L and U.
- 3- No. of operations (?)
- 4- T can be stored as a  $n \times 3$  matrix to save memory space.

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} - & a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{32} & a_{33} & a_{34} \\ & \cdots & \cdots & \cdots \\ & & \vdots & \vdots \\ a_{(n-1)n} & a_{nn} & - \end{bmatrix}$$

# Norms and conditions

#### For *A* a matrix and *b* a vector

Norm of 
$$A = ||A||$$
  
Norm of  $b = ||b||$ 

#### For *b*

$$\begin{aligned} ||b||_1 &= \sum_{i=1}^n |x_i| \\ ||b||_2 &= \left[\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2\right]^{1/2} \\ ||b||_{\infty} &= \max_{i=1,n} x_i \end{aligned}$$

#### For A

$$\begin{split} \|A\|_1 &= \max_{j=1,n} \sum_{i=1}^n \left| a_{i,j} \right| \quad \text{columns} \\ \|A\|_2 &= \max_{i=1,n} \sum_{i=1}^n \left| a_{i,j} \right| \quad \quad \text{rows} \\ \|A\|_3 &= \min_{i=1,n} \lambda_i \quad \quad \text{Special norm} \\ \|A\|_e &= \left[ \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n a_{i,j}^2 \right]^{1/2} \quad \text{Euclidean norm} \end{split}$$

$$\lambda_i = n$$
 eigenvalues of A

# **Norm Properties**

$$\begin{split} \|A\| &\geq 0 & \text{zero when } A = 0 \\ \|kA\| &= k\|A\| \\ \|A+B\| &\leq \|A\| + \|B\| \\ \|AB\| &\leq \|A\| \times \|B\| \end{split}$$

# Conditioning number C(A)

For linear problem Ax = b, conditioning number defined as

$$C(A) = ||A|| \, ||A^{-1}||$$

A variation of x as  $\delta x$  in terms of variation of matrix A as  $\delta A$ 

$$\frac{\|\delta x\|}{\|x\|} \le C(A) \frac{\|\delta A\|}{\|A\|}$$

C(A) scales  $\delta x$  with  $\delta A$ 

$$C(A) << 1$$
 problem is well-conditioned  $C(A) \gg 1$  problem is ill-conditioned

# **Iterative** Compensation

For linear system Ax = b,

The exact solution  $\chi$ 

Your numerical solution

 $\delta x = (x - z)$ your error

 $\boldsymbol{Z}$ 

 $\delta b = Az - b$ Recover

Solve for  $\delta x$  $A \delta x = \delta b$ 

Improved solution  $(z + \delta x)$ 

- This procedure can be continued iteratively for better accuracy
- Convergence checked at every iteration
- Use of LU factorization will reduce no. of operations (?).

# **Accuracy and Convergence**

Two subsequent iterations k and k+1

*x*- vector values

$$x^k$$
 and  $x^{k+1}$ 

Error at step k + 1  $\Delta x^k = x^{k+1} - x^k$ 

$$\Delta x^k = x^{k+1} - x^k$$

Accuracy – Choose  $\varepsilon$  to be much smaller than unity.

**Absolute** accuracy

$$\left|\Delta x_i^k\right|_{max} \le \varepsilon$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \left| \Delta x_i^k \right| \le \varepsilon$$

$$\left[\sum_{i=1}^{n} \left(\Delta x_i^k\right)^2\right]^{1/2} \le \varepsilon$$

**Relative** accuracy

$$\left| \frac{\left| \Delta x_i^k \right|_{max}}{x_i} \right| \le \varepsilon$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \left| \frac{\Delta x_i^k}{x_i} \right| \le \varepsilon$$

$$\left[\sum_{i=1}^{n} \left(\frac{\Delta x_i^k}{x_i}\right)^2\right]^{1/2} \le \varepsilon$$

## **Iterative** Methods

For 
$$Ax = b$$
 or  $\sum_{j=1}^{n} a_{ij}x_j = b_i$   
 $a_{11} x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + a_{13}x_3 - b_1 = R_1$   
 $a_{21} x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + a_{23}x_3 - b_2 = R_2$   
 $a_{31} x_1 + a_{32}x_2 + a_{33}x_3 - b_3 = R_3$ 

Residual values for row  $i = R_i$ 

#### **Jacoby Method**

At iteration k, solve for  $x_i$  in row i

$$x_1^{k+1} = \frac{R_1^k + b_1 - a_{12}x_2^k - a_{13}x_3^k}{a_{11}} = x_1^k - \frac{R_1^k}{a_{11}}$$

$$x_2^{k+1} = \frac{R_2^k + b_2 - a_{21}x_1^k - a_{13}x_3^k}{a_{11}} = x_2^k - \frac{R_2^k}{a_{22}}$$

$$x_3^{k+1} = x_3^k - \frac{R_3^k}{a_{33}}$$

Initial guess

$$x_i^0$$
 as  $x_1^0, x_2^0, x_3^0$ 

Use recurrence equations above to solve for  $x_1^1, x_2^1, x_3^1$  and beyond, until desired convergence.

#### **Gauss-Seidel Method**

Jacoby method with updated values for k+1 iteration known as successive iteration

$$x_1^{k+1} = \frac{R_1^k + b_1 - a_{12}x_2^k - a_{13}x_3^k}{a_{11}}$$

$$x_2^{k+1} = \frac{R_2^k + b_2 - a_{21}x_1^{k+1} - a_{13}x_3^k}{a_{11}}$$

$$x_3^{k+1} = \frac{R_3^k + b_3 - a_{31}x_1^{k+1} - a_{32}x_2^{k+1}}{a_{11}}$$

Faster convergence than Jacoby method.

#### Successive Over Relaxation-SOR

Recurrence equations can be modified for faster convergence. Use Gauss-Seidel method with

$$x_i^{k+1} = x_i^k - \frac{R_i^k}{a_{ii}}$$

- $\omega$  is over-relaxation factor and for most systems  $1 < \omega < 2$ .
- Optimal  $\omega$ ,  $\omega_{opt}$  is determined by numerical experimentation.
- For marginally stable systems, SOR can diverge the calculations
- For  $0<\omega<1$ , successive under relaxation. Slows the calculations and can stabilize the calculations for complex systems.

$$Ax = b$$

A = [1.002, 1; 1., 0.998]

b = [2.002; 1.998]

X= ?

B2 = [2.0021; 1.998]

X2 =?