

1. (Jacobi) Consider the Jacobi method for solving

$$Ax = b, \quad \text{with } A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad b = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

and with start value $x^{(0)} = (0, 0, 0)^T$.

(a) State the iteration matrix $R = -D^{-1}(L + U)$, compute its spectral radius $\rho(R)$ and deduce that the Jacobi method converges.

Soln

$$D = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \# \text{ which we can also write as } D = \text{diag}(2, 2, 2)$$

$$L = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad U = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The iteration matrix $R = -D^{-1}(L + U)$ comes from

$$Mx^{(k)} = b - Nx^{(k-1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^{(k)} = M^{-1}b - \boxed{M^{-1}N}x^{(k-1)}$$

$$\text{So, } M = D \quad \text{and} \quad N = L + U$$

Note: from Lemma 20.1, $e^{(k)} \rightarrow 0$ iff $\rho(R) < 1$.

$$L + U = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad -D^{-1} = \text{diag}(-1/2, -1/2, -1/2)$$

$$R = \begin{pmatrix} -1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1/2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1/2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R = -\frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The characteristic polynomial is given by
 $\det(R - \lambda I) = 0$

$$\begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\lambda & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$-\lambda \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} - \frac{1}{4} \begin{vmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$-\lambda^3 + \frac{1}{4}\lambda + \frac{1}{4}\lambda = 0$$

$$-\lambda(\lambda^2 - \frac{1}{2}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 0, \lambda = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma = \{0, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\}$$

$$\rho(R) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} < 1$$

Hence the Jacobi method converges.

(c) Derive the estimate

$$\frac{\|e^{(k)}\|_2}{\|x\|_2} \leq \kappa_2(A) \frac{\|r^{(k)}\|_2}{\|b\|_2}$$

and give an upper bound for the number of steps required to get the relative error of the solution below 10^{-6} .

Proof: We have a SLE given as $Ax = b$
 therefore,

$$\|Ax\|_2 = \|b\|_2$$

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but,

$$\|Ax\|_2 \leq \|A\|_2 \|x\|_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \|b\|_2 \leq \|A\|_2 \|x\|_2$$

$$\frac{1}{\|x\|_2} \leq \frac{\|A\|_2}{\|b\|_2} \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$e^{(k)} := x - x^{(k)},$$

but x is not known. All that we know is the residual

$$r^{(k)} := b - Ax^{(k)} \quad (\text{but } Ax = b)$$

$$= Ax - Ax^{(k)}$$

$$= A(x - x^{(k)})$$

$$r^{(k)} = Ae^{(k)}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{(k)} = A^{-1} r^{(k)}$$

$$\therefore \|e^{(k)}\|_2 = \|A^{-1} r^{(k)}\|_2 \leq \|A^{-1}\|_2 \|r^{(k)}\|_2$$

$$\|e^{(k)}\|_2 \leq \|A^{-1}\|_2 \|r^{(k)}\|_2 \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

Multiplying (i) and (ii) yields:

$$\frac{1}{\|x\|_2} \|e^{(k)}\|_2 \leq \frac{\|A\|_2}{\|b\|_2} \|A^{-1}\|_2 \|r^{(k)}\|_2$$

Recall that $k(A) = \|A^{-1}\| \|A\|$

$$\therefore \frac{\|e^{(k)}\|_2}{\|x\|_2} \leq k(A) \frac{\|r^{(k)}\|_2}{\|b\|_2}$$

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$$\frac{\|e^{(k)}\|_2}{\|x\|_2} \leq \kappa(A) \frac{\|r^{(k)}\|_2}{\|b\|_2}$$

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Note that the relative error of the solution is

$$\frac{\|x - x^{(k)}\|}{\|x\|} = \frac{\|e^{(k)}\|}{\|x\|}$$

and that of the estimate is given by

$$\frac{\|Ax - Ax^{(k)}\|}{\|Ax\|} = \frac{\|r^{(k)}\|}{\|b\|}$$

Finding k to achieve $\frac{\|e^{(k)}\|_2}{\|x\|_2} \leq \varepsilon$ if

$$\frac{\|r^{(k)}\|_2}{\|b\|_2} \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{\kappa(A)}.$$

Also, recall that $r^{(k)} = Ae^{(k)} = AR^k e_0$

$$\therefore \frac{\|e_k\|_2}{\|x\|_2} \leq \frac{\|A\|_2 \|R\|_2^k \|e_0\|_2}{\|b\|_2} \leq \frac{\varepsilon}{\kappa_2(A)}$$

$$\|R\|^k \leq \frac{\varepsilon \|b\|_2}{\kappa_2(A) \|A\|_2 \|e_0\|_2}$$

$k \leq k^*$, where k^* is given by

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$$k^\# = \frac{\ln \left(\frac{\varepsilon \|b\|_2}{\kappa_2(A) \|A\|_2 \|e^0\|_2} \right)}{\ln(\|R\|)}$$

$$\|b\|_2 = \sqrt{1^2 + 0^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{2}$$

Recall (from one of the lemmas discussed in the notes) that

$\|A\|_2 = \rho(A)$, where A is Hermitian

$$\lambda_A = \{2 + \sqrt{2}, 2, 2 - \sqrt{2}\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \rho(A) = 2 + \sqrt{2} = \|A\|_2$$

Also,

$$\kappa_2(A) = \|A\|_2 \|A^{-1}\|_2$$

$$\|A^{-1}\|_2 = \rho(A^{-1}) = \rho(\lambda_{A^{-1}}) = 1/(2 - \sqrt{2})$$

$$\Rightarrow \kappa_2(A) = \frac{2 + \sqrt{2}}{2 - \sqrt{2}}$$

$$\|R\|_2 = \rho(R) = 1/\sqrt{2}$$

With a solution of $x = (1, 1, 1)^T$ and $x^{(0)} = (0, 0, 0)^T$, then

$$\|e^0\|_2 = \|x - x^0\|_2 = \sqrt{3}$$

$$k^\# \approx \underline{\underline{49}}$$

(b) Recall the estimate

$$k \geq k^\# = \frac{\log(\|A\|_2 \|e^{(0)}\|_2 / \|b\|_2) - \log(\varepsilon_r)}{\log(\|R\|_2^{-1})}$$

for the number of steps in order to achieve that $\|r^{(k)}\|_2 \leq \varepsilon_r \|b\|_2$.

For the above specific data, give an upper bound for the number of steps required to get the relative error of the residual below 10^{-6} .

$$\text{For this, we need } \frac{\|r^{(k)}\|_2}{\|b\|_2} \leq \varepsilon_r$$

$$\frac{\|A\|_2 \|R\|_2^k \|e_0\|_2}{\|b\|_2} \leq \varepsilon_r$$

$$\|R\|_2^k \leq \frac{\varepsilon_r \|b\|_2}{\|A\|_2 \|e_0\|_2}$$

$$k \leq k^*, \text{ where}$$

$$k^* = \frac{\ln(\varepsilon_r) + \ln(\|b\|_2) - \ln(\|A\|_2) - \ln(\|e_0\|_2)}{\ln(\|R\|_2)}$$

plugging in the same values as before,
we get,

$$k^* \approx \underline{\underline{43.99}}$$

(d) State the definition of the graph $G(B)$ of a matrix $B \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$.

Prove that $B \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$ is irreducible if and only if its graph $G(B)$ is connected.

(d) The graph $G(B)$ of B is an oriented graph with vertices $1, \dots, n$ and edges $i \rightarrow j$ if $a_{i,j} \neq 0$. We first show " \Rightarrow " by a contradiction argument. Assume that $G(B)$ is not connected. There is a vertex k to which not all vertices are connected by a chain of edges. Let $S \subsetneq \{1, \dots, n\}$ denote the set of vertices connected to k . Pick any $j \in S$ and any $i \in \{1, \dots, n\} \setminus S$. Then

$$b_{ij} = 0 \quad (\star)$$

since otherwise i would be connected to $j \in S$, but since j is connected to k then also i would be connected to k in contradiction to $i \notin S$. After a suitable permutation ($B = P\tilde{B}P^T$) we may assume that $S = \{1, \dots, p\}$ with $p < n$ and let $q = n - p$. By (\star) the lower left block of size $q \times p$ in \tilde{B} vanishes, hence B is not irreducible.

Now, we show " \Leftarrow ". Assume that B is not irreducible. Up to renumbering of the vertices, the graphs of B and \tilde{B} are the same. Therefore, it is sufficient to show that $G(\tilde{B})$ is not connected. Let $i > p$ and $j \leq p$ be two vertices of $G(\tilde{B})$ and suppose that there is a chain of edges

$$i = i_0 \rightarrow i_1 \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow i_k = j$$

connecting them. Necessarily, there is an edge $i_l \rightarrow i_{l+1}$ with $i_l > p$ and $i_{l+1} \leq p$. But since $\tilde{a}_{i_l, i_{l+1}} = 0$ such an edge cannot exist. Hence, i cannot be connected to j so that $G(\tilde{B})$ is not connected.

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Que 2.

2. (SSOR) The symmetric successive over relaxation consists in performing the following iteration:

$$i = 1, \dots, n : \quad a_{ii}x_i^{(k+\frac{1}{2})} = \omega \left(- \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} a_{ij}x_j^{(k+\frac{1}{2})} - \sum_{j=i+1}^n a_{ij}x_j^{(k)} + b_i \right) - (\omega - 1)a_{ii}x_i^{(k)},$$

$$i = n, \dots, 1 : \quad a_{ii}x_i^{(k+1)} = \omega \left(- \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} a_{ij}x_j^{(k+\frac{1}{2})} - \sum_{j=i+1}^n a_{ij}x_j^{(k+1)} + b_i \right) - (\omega - 1)a_{ii}x_i^{(k+\frac{1}{2})}.$$

Here, $x^{(k)}$ stands for the k^{th} iterate, and $x^{(k+\frac{1}{2})}$ is an intermediate value.
Show that SSOR is a linear iterative method with

$$M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1} = \omega(2 - \omega)(D + \omega U)^{-1}D(D + \omega L)^{-1}.$$

Remark: Recalling that SOR uses $M_{\text{SOR}} = \frac{1}{\omega}D + L$ we see that SSOR essentially consists in performing an SOR step followed by a reverse SOR step with $\frac{1}{\omega}D + U$, which explains its name. A couple of SSOR steps sometimes are applied as a preconditioner in CG.

Answer: From the first part of the step we have that

$$a_{ii}x_i^{(k+\frac{1}{2})} + \sum_{j<i} \omega a_{ij}x_j^{(k+\frac{1}{2})} = \omega b_i - \sum_{j=i+1}^n \omega a_{ij}x_j^{(k)} - (\omega - 1)a_{ii}x_i^{(k)}$$

so that, after dividing by ω ,

$$(\frac{1}{\omega}D + L)x^{(k+\frac{1}{2})} = b - (U + (1 - \frac{1}{\omega})D)x^{(k)}.$$

Similarly, the second part of the step gives

$$(\frac{1}{\omega}D + U)x^{(k+1)} = b - (L + (1 - \frac{1}{\omega})D)x^{(k+\frac{1}{2})}.$$

Observe that

$$\begin{aligned} & (L + (1 - \frac{1}{\omega})D)(\frac{1}{\omega}D + L)^{-1} \\ &= (L + \frac{1}{\omega}D + (1 - \frac{2}{\omega})D)(\frac{1}{\omega}D + L)^{-1} \\ &= I + (1 - \frac{2}{\omega})D(\frac{1}{\omega}D + L)^{-1} \\ &= I + (\omega - 2)D(D + \omega L)^{-1}. \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

Inserting the formula for $x^{(k+\frac{1}{2})}$ into the one for $x^{(k)}$ therefore yields

$$\begin{aligned} (\frac{1}{\omega}D + U)x^{(k+1)} &= b - (L + (1 - \frac{1}{\omega})D)(\frac{1}{\omega}D + L)^{-1}(b - (U + (1 - \frac{1}{\omega})D)x^{(k)}) \\ &= -(\omega - 2)D(D + \omega L)^{-1}b \\ &\quad + (U + (1 - \frac{1}{\omega})D)x^{(k)} \\ &\quad + (\omega - 2)D(D + \omega L)^{-1}(U + (1 - \frac{1}{\omega})D)x^{(k)}. \end{aligned}$$

Similarly to (1)

$$(\frac{1}{\omega}D + U)^{-1}(U + (1 - \frac{1}{\omega})D) = I + (D + \omega U)^{-1}(\omega - 2)D.$$

We conclude that

$$\begin{aligned} x^{(k+1)} &= (\frac{1}{\omega}D + U)^{-1}(2 - \omega)D(D + \omega L)^{-1}b \\ &\quad + (I + (D + \omega U)^{-1}(\omega - 2)D)x^{(k)} \\ &\quad + (\frac{1}{\omega}D + U)^{-1}(\omega - 2)D(D + \omega L)^{-1}(U + (1 - \frac{1}{\omega})D)x^{(k)} \\ &= M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1}b + x^{(k)} \\ &\quad + \underbrace{(D + \omega U)^{-1}(\omega - 2)D}_{\text{related to each other}} \underbrace{\omega(D + \omega L)^{-1}\frac{1}{\omega}(D + \omega L)}_{\text{artificially added}} x^{(k)} \\ &\quad - M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1}(U + (1 - \frac{1}{\omega})D)x^{(k)} \\ &= M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1}b - M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1}(-M_{\text{SSOR}})x^{(k)} \\ &\quad - M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1}(\underbrace{\frac{1}{\omega}D + L + U + (1 - \frac{1}{\omega})D}_{=D+L+U=A})x^{(k)} \\ &= M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1}b - M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1}(\underbrace{A - M_{\text{SSOR}}}_{=:N_{\text{SSOR}}})x^{(k)} \\ &= M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1}(b - N_{\text{SSOR}}x^{(k)}). \end{aligned}$$

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& -M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1} \frac{1}{\omega} (D + \omega L) x^{(k)} - M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1} \left(u + \left[1 - \frac{1}{\omega}\right] D \right) x^{(k)} \\
& = -M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{\omega} D + L + u + \left(1 - \frac{1}{\omega}\right) D \right) x^{(k)} \\
& = -M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1} (D + L + u) x^{(k)} \\
& = -M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1} A x^{(k)}
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& = -(\omega - 2)D(D + \omega L)^{-1}b \\
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& \quad + \left(\frac{1}{\omega}D + U\right)^{-1}(\omega - 2)D(D + \omega L)^{-1}(U + (1 - \frac{1}{\omega})D)x^{(k)} \\
& = M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1}b + x^{(k)} \\
& \quad + (D + \omega U)^{-1}(\omega - 2)D\omega(D + \omega L)^{-1}\frac{1}{\omega}(D + \omega L)x^{(k)} \\
& \quad - M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1}(U + (1 - \frac{1}{\omega})D)x^{(k)} \\
& = M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1}b - M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1}(-M_{\text{SSOR}})x^{(k)} \\
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& = M_{\text{SSOR}}^{-1}(b - N_{\text{SSOR}}x^{(k)}).
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