APPM4600 Homework 6

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1 Question 1

See GitHub for full code

1.1 i

For initial guess [x, y] = [1, 1]:

The approximate solution using Broyden method is [-1.81626407 0.8373678] in 12 iterations. The approximate solution using the Lazy Newton method is [nan nan] in 499 iterations.

1.2 ii

For initial guess [x, y] = [1, -1]:

The approximate solution using Broyden method is [1.00416874 -1.72963729] in 6 iterations. The approximate solution using the Lazy Newton method is [1.00416874 -1.72963729] in 36 iterations.

So the Broyden method is way faster than Lazy Newton, which is expected since you don't have to compute the Jacobian.

1.3 iii

For initial guess x = 0, y = 0, the Jacobian is singular so it's impossible to solve via Lazy Newton or Broyden.

2 Question 2

Using initial guess of [x, y, z] = [0.5, 0.5, 0.5]

The approximate solution using the Steepest Descent method is $[0.00304809\ 0.1029706\ 1.00086192]$ in 5 iterations.

Using this as a new initial guess and then applying Newton's method, the approximate solution is [-5.22760036e-08 9.99986414e-02 9.99989812e-01] in 1 iteration.

So Newton's converges much faster.