

Problem 1: If $e^{(0)} = \hat{e}^{(0)}$ and $\rho(S_1) < \rho(S_2)$, is it the case that $\|e^{(k)}\| < \|\hat{e}^{(k)}\|$? If so, prove it, otherwise provide a counter example.

Solution 1: Consider the following values for A, b, Q_1, Q_2 :

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$b = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Trivially, the true solution is $x = [\frac{1}{2}, 1]$. Consider the following splittings:

$$Q_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 20 & 0 \\ 0 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Q_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 200 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 + \frac{1}{99} \end{bmatrix}$$

The associated iteration matrices are:

$$S_1 = \begin{bmatrix} .9 & 0 \\ 0 & .9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_2 = \begin{bmatrix} .99 & 0 \\ 0 & .01 \end{bmatrix}$$

Trivially,

$$\rho(S_1) = .9$$

$$\rho(S_2) = .99$$

$$\rho(S_2) > \rho(S_1)$$

Starting with initial estimate $x^{(0)} = [00]$, have $e^{(0)} = [\frac{1}{2}, 1]$. After applying one iteration:

$$e^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} .45 \\ .9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{e}^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} .495 \\ .01 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\|e^{(1)}\| \approx 1.062$$

$$\|\hat{e}^{(1)}\| \approx 0.49510$$

Thus, it is not the case that $\|e^{(k)}\| < \|\hat{e}^{(k)}\|$.

Problem 2: Implement Jacobi method, the Gauss-Seidel method, the SOR method and the conjugate gradient method.

Solution 2: See attached for source code. As can be seen in Figures 1 and 2, as n increases, the number of iterations and execution time for Jacobi, GS and SOR seem to increase on the order of n^2 .

On the other hand, Conjugate Gradient, and the built-in 'solve' function seem to increase linearly with n .

Problem 3a: Show that the Chebyshev polynomials $\tau_k(t)$ satisfy the three term recurrence:

$$\tau_{k+1}(t) = 2t\tau_k(t) - \tau_{k-1}(t)$$

Solution 3a: Proof by Induction on k .

Proof of Base Cases, $k = 0, 1, 2; t \leq |1|$.

$$\begin{aligned} T_0(t) &= 1 \\ T_1(t) &= \cos \cos^{-1} t \\ &= t \\ T_2(t) &= \cos 2 \cos^{-1} t \\ \text{let:} \\ \theta &= \cos^{-1} t \\ T_2(\theta) &= \cos 2\theta \\ &= 2 \cos^2 \theta - 1 \\ &= 2t^2 - 1 \\ T_2(t) &= 2t \cdot T_1(t) - T_0(t) \end{aligned}$$

□

Inductive Case. Assume true for all $j \leq k$, prove for $k + 1$.

$$\begin{aligned} T_{k+1} &= \cos((k+1) \cos^{-1}(t)) \\ &= \cos(k+1)\theta \\ &= \cos k\theta \cos \theta - \sin k\theta \sin \theta \\ &= t \cdot \cos k\theta - \sin k\theta \sin \theta \\ &= t \cdot T_k(t) - \sin k\theta \sin \theta \\ &= t \cdot T_k(t) - \frac{1}{2} [\cos(k\theta - \theta) - \cos(k\theta + \theta)] \\ &= t \cdot T_k(t) - \frac{1}{2} T_{k-1}(t) + \frac{1}{2} T_{k+1}(t) \\ \frac{1}{2} T_{k+1}(t) &= t \cdot T_k(t) - \frac{1}{2} T_{k-1}(t) \\ T_{k+1}(t) &= 2t \cdot T_k(t) - T_{k-1}(t) \end{aligned}$$

□

When $t > |1|$: see attached

Problem 3b: Prove that:

$$\tau_k(t) = \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(t + \sqrt{t^2 - 1} \right)^k + \left(t - \sqrt{t^2 - 1} \right)^k \right]$$

Solution 3b:

$$\begin{aligned}
\tau_k(t) &= \cos k \cos t^{-1} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} e^{ik \cos t^{-1}} + \frac{1}{2} e^{-ik \cos t^{-1}} \\
\cos t^{-1} &= -i \ln(t + i\sqrt{1-t^2}) \\
&= \frac{1}{2} e^{ik(-i \ln(t + i\sqrt{1-t^2}))} + \frac{1}{2} e^{-ik(-i \ln(t + i\sqrt{1-t^2}))} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} e^{k \ln(t + i\sqrt{1-t^2})} + \frac{1}{2} e^{-k \ln(t + i\sqrt{1-t^2})} \\
&= \frac{1}{2} e^{\ln(t + i\sqrt{1-t^2})^k} + \frac{1}{2} e^{\ln(t + i\sqrt{1-t^2})^{-k}} \\
&= \frac{(t + i\sqrt{1-t^2})^k}{2} + \frac{1}{2(t + i\sqrt{1-t^2})^k} \\
&= \frac{(t + i\sqrt{1-t^2})^{2k} + 1}{2(t + i\sqrt{1-t^2})^k}
\end{aligned}$$

Proof by induction on k

Base case, $k = 1$.

$$\begin{aligned}
\tau_1(t) &= \frac{(t + i\sqrt{1-t^2})^2 + 1}{2(t + i\sqrt{1-t^2})} \\
&= \frac{t^2 + 2it\sqrt{1-t^2} - (1-t^2) + 1}{2(t + i\sqrt{1-t^2})} \\
&= \frac{2t^2 + 2it\sqrt{1-t^2} + 0}{2(t + i\sqrt{1-t^2})} \\
&= t \\
&= \frac{1}{2}(t + \sqrt{t^2-1}) + \frac{1}{2}(t - \sqrt{t^2-1})
\end{aligned}$$

□

Inductive case, assume for $j \leq k$, prove for $k+1$.

$$\begin{aligned}
\tau_{k+1}(t) &= 2t \cdot \tau_k(t) - \tau_{k-1}(t) \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \left[(t + \sqrt{t^2-1})^k + (t - \sqrt{t^2-1})^k \right] \cdot 2t - \frac{1}{2} \left[(t + \sqrt{t^2-1})^{k-1} + (t - \sqrt{t^2-1})^{k-1} \right] \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \left[(t + \sqrt{t^2-1})^{k-1} \left[(t + \sqrt{t^2-1}) \cdot 2t - 1 \right] + (t - \sqrt{t^2-1})^{k-1} \left[(t - \sqrt{t^2-1}) \cdot 2t - 1 \right] \right] \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \left[(t + \sqrt{t^2-1})^{k-1} \left[2t^2 + 2t\sqrt{t^2-1} - 1 \right] + (t - \sqrt{t^2-1})^{k-1} \left[2t^2 - 2t\sqrt{t^2-1} - 1 \right] \right]
\end{aligned}$$

Note that:

$$\begin{aligned}
(t + \sqrt{t^2-1})^2 &= t^2 + 2t\sqrt{t^2-1} + t^2 - 1 \\
&= 2t^2 + 2t\sqrt{t^2-1} - 1
\end{aligned}$$

And:

$$\begin{aligned}(t - \sqrt{t^2 - 1})^2 &= t^2 - 2t\sqrt{t^2 - 1} + t^2 - 1 \\ &= 2t^2 - 2t\sqrt{t^2 - 1} - 1\end{aligned}$$

So:

$$\begin{aligned}\tau_{k+1}(t) &= \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(t + \sqrt{t^2 - 1} \right)^{k-1} (t + \sqrt{t^2 - 1})^2 + \left(t - \sqrt{t^2 - 1} \right)^{k-1} (t - \sqrt{t^2 - 1})^2 \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(t + \sqrt{t^2 - 1} \right)^{k+1} + \left(t - \sqrt{t^2 - 1} \right)^{k+1} \right]\end{aligned}$$

□

Problem 4a: Given a symmetric positive-definite matrix A of order n , show that $\langle x, y \rangle_A$ defines an inner product on \mathcal{R}_n .

Solution 4a: Show $\langle x, y \rangle_A = \langle y, x \rangle_A$.

Proof.

$$\begin{aligned}\langle x, y \rangle_A &= (x, Ay) \\ &= x^T Ay \\ &= x^T A^T y \\ &= y^T Ax \\ &= \langle y, x \rangle\end{aligned}$$

□

Show $\langle \alpha x, y \rangle_A = \alpha \langle x, y \rangle_A$.

Proof.

$$\begin{aligned}\langle \alpha x, y \rangle_A &= (x, \alpha Ay) \\ &= \alpha (x, Ay) \\ &= \alpha \langle x, y \rangle_A\end{aligned}$$

□

Show $\langle x + z, y \rangle_A = \langle x, y \rangle_A + \langle z, y \rangle_A$

Proof.

$$\begin{aligned}\langle x + z, y \rangle_A &= \langle y, x + z \rangle_A \\ &= (y, A(x + z)) \\ &= (y, Ax + Az) \\ &= (y, Ax) + (y, Az) \\ &= \langle y, x \rangle_A + \langle y, z \rangle_A \\ &= \langle x, y \rangle_A + \langle z, y \rangle_A\end{aligned}$$

□

Show $\langle x, x \rangle_A \geq 0, 0 \iff x = 0$

Proof.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle x, x \rangle_A &= (x, Ax) = x^T Ax \\
 x^T Ax > 0 &\iff x > 0 \text{ By definition of positive definite} \\
 &\implies \\
 \langle x, x \rangle_A \geq 0, &= 0 \iff x = 0
 \end{aligned}$$

□

Problem 4b: A matrix B is symmetric with respect to an inner product \langle, \rangle if $\langle Bx, y \rangle = \langle x, By \rangle$. Show that if A and Q are symmetric positive-definite, then $Q^{-1}A$ is symmetric with respect to the inner product \langle, \rangle_Q .

Solution 4b:

Proof.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle Q^{-1}Ax, y \rangle_Q &= (QQ^{-1}Ax, y) \\
 &= (x, Ay) \\
 &= x^T A^T y \\
 &= x^T Q^T Q^{-T} A^T y \\
 &= x^T Q^T Q^{-1} Ay \\
 &= (Qx, Q^{-1}Ay) \\
 &= \langle x, Q^{-1}Ay \rangle
 \end{aligned}$$

□

Problem 5a: Show that

$$AR_k = R_k S_k - \frac{1}{\alpha_k} [0, \dots, 0, r_k].$$

where

$$S_k = \text{tridiag} \left[-\frac{1}{\alpha_{j-1}}, -\frac{1}{\alpha_j} + \frac{\beta_{j-1}}{\alpha_{j-1}}, -\frac{\beta_j}{\alpha_j} \right]$$

Solution 5a: The step to update the residual r goes as follows:

$$r^{(j+1)} = r^{(j)} - \alpha_j A p^{(j)}$$

The step to update the 'update' vector p :

$$p^{(j)} = r^{(j)} + \beta_j p^{(j-1)}$$

Substituting $p^{(j)}$:

$$r^{(j+1)} = r^{(j)} - \alpha_j A r^{(j)} - \alpha_j \beta_j A p^{(j-1)}$$

Rewriting the residual step for j :

$$A p^{(j-1)} = \frac{r^{(j-1)} - r^{(j)}}{\alpha_{j-1}}$$

And plugging back in above for $Ap^{(j-1)}$:

$$r^{(j+1)} = r^{(j)} - \alpha_j Ar^{(j)} - \frac{\alpha_j \beta_j}{\alpha_{j-1}} (r^{(j-1)} - r^{(j)})$$

Rearranging terms:

$$Ar^{(j)} = \frac{1}{\alpha_j} (r^{(j)} - r^{(j+1)}) - \frac{\beta_j}{\alpha_{j-1}} (r^{(j-1)} - r^{(j)})$$

For $j = 0, 1 \dots k-1$:

$$\begin{aligned} Ar^{(0)} &= \frac{1}{\alpha_0} (r^{(0)} - r^{(1)}) \\ Ar^{(1)} &= \frac{1}{\alpha_1} (r^{(1)} - r^{(2)}) - \frac{\beta_1}{\alpha_0} (r^{(0)} - r^{(1)}) \\ Ar^{(2)} &= \frac{1}{\alpha_2} (r^{(2)} - r^{(3)}) - \frac{\beta_2}{\alpha_1} (r^{(1)} - r^{(2)}) \\ &\dots \\ Ar^{(k-1)} &= \frac{1}{\alpha_{k-1}} (r^{(k-1)} - r^{(k)}) - \frac{\beta_{k-1}}{\alpha_{k-2}} (r^{(k-2)} - r^{(k-1)}) \end{aligned}$$

Collecting the common coefficients in $r^{(0)} \dots r^{(k-1)}$ this forms the linear system:

$$A[r^{(0)}, r^{(1)} \dots r^{(k-1)}] = [r^{(0)}, r^{(1)} \dots r^{(k-1)}] \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\alpha_0} & -\frac{\beta_1}{\alpha_0} & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{\alpha_0} & \frac{1}{\alpha_1} + \frac{\beta_1}{\alpha_0} & -\frac{\beta_2}{\alpha_1} & 0 & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & 0 & -\frac{1}{\alpha_{k-2}} & \frac{1}{\alpha_{k-1}} + \frac{\beta_{k-1}}{\alpha_{k-2}} \\ 0 & \dots & 0 & -\frac{1}{\alpha_{k-2}} & \frac{1}{\alpha_{k-1}} + \frac{\beta_{k-1}}{\alpha_{k-2}} \end{bmatrix} + \frac{1}{\alpha_{k-1}} r^{(k)} \mathbf{e}^{(k)}$$

Where $\mathbf{e}^{(k)}$ is the $k+1$ th column of the identity matrix.

This is exactly the form desired:

$$AR_k = R_k S_k - \frac{1}{\alpha_k} [0, \dots, 0, r_k].$$

Problem 5b: Show that S_k is similar to a symmetric matrix T_k . Where have you seen the matrix T_k before?

Solution 5b: Need to show that there exists an invertible $k \times k$ matrix U s.t.

$$US_k U^{-1} = T_k$$

or perhaps that S_k and T_k have the same eigenvalues. T_k is most likely the matrix of coefficients from the Lanczos procedure, but α and β are probably different. I'm fairly certain that if $v^{(1)} = x^{(0)}$, both the set of $\{r^{(j)}\}$ and the Lanczos basis vectors $\{v^{(j)}\}$ span the Krylov subspace $K(A, x^{(0)})$, but I'm not sure how this helps.

Problem 6: Show the PCG algorithm can be interpreted as an implementation of solving the normal CG on the following system:

$$[L^{-1}AL^T] \hat{x} = [L^{-1}b]$$

where $Q = LL^T$ and $\hat{x} = L^{-T}x$.

Solution 6: The PCG algorithm proceeds as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}x^{(0)} &= \textit{arbitrary} \\r^{(0)} &= b - Ax^{(0)} \\\tilde{r}^{(0)} &= Q\left(b - Ax^{(0)}\right) \\p^{(0)} &= \tilde{r}^{(0)} \\x^{(j+1)} &= x^{(j)} + \alpha_j p^{(j)} \\r^{(j+1)} &= r^{(j)} + \alpha_j A p^{(j)} \\\tilde{r}^{(j+1)} &= Q r^{(j+1)} \\\beta_j &= ?? \\p^{(j+1)} &= \tilde{r}^{(j)} + \beta_j p^{(j)}\end{aligned}$$

TODO: Finish this.

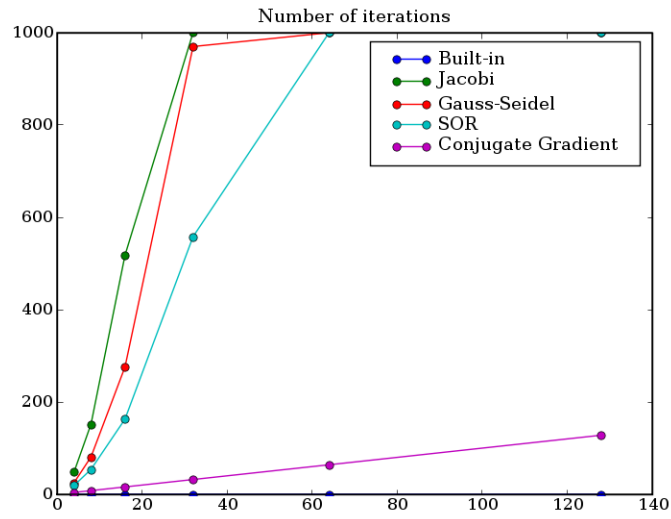


Figure 1: Number of iterations to convergence (Max is 10000)

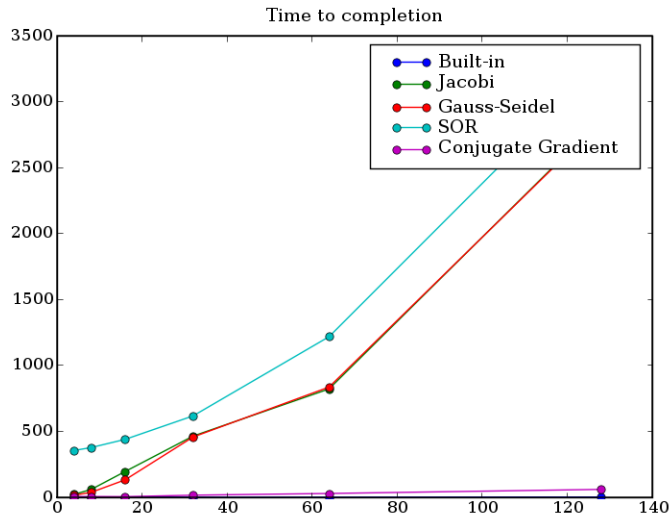


Figure 2: Amount of time until convergence (ms) (Max 10000 iterations)