

ECSE 543

Assignment 1

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Introduction

The code for this assignment was created in Python 2.7 and can be seen in Appendix A. To perform the required tasks in this assignment, a custom `Matrix` class was created, with useful methods such as add, multiply, transpose, etc. This package can be seen in the `matrices.py` file shown in Listing 1. The structure of the rest of the code will be discussed as appropriate for each question. Output logs of the program are provided in Appendix B.

The only packages used that are not built-in are those for fitting curves and creating the plots for this report. These include `matplotlib` for plotting, `numpy` for curve fitting and `sympy` for printing mathematical symbols on the plots. Curve fitting was used to fit the $R(N)$ function in Question 2 and to fit polynomial complexity functions to the number of iterations or runtime of various parts of the program. For any curve fit, the fitting function is given in the legend of the associated plot.

1 Choleski Decomposition

The source code for the Question 1 program can be seen in the `q1.py` file, shown in Listing 5.

1.a Choleski Program

The code relating specifically to Choleski decomposition can be seen in the `choleski.py` file shown in Listing 3. It is separated into `elimination` and `back_substitution` methods.

1.b Constructing Test Matrices

The matrices were constructed with the knowledge that, if A is positive-definite, then $A = LL^T$ where L is a lower triangular non-singular matrix. The task of choosing valid A matrices then boils down to finding non-singular lower triangular L matrices. To ensure that L is non-singular, one must simply choose nonzero values for the main diagonal. The Choleski decomposition algorithm then validates that the matrix is positive definite during the elimination phase, throwing an error if it is not. The positive definite validation of these test matrices can be seen in Listing 9.

1.c Test Runs

The matrices were tested by inventing x matrices, and checking that the program solves for that x correctly. The output of the program, comparing

expected and obtained values of x , can be seen in Listing 9.

1.d Linear Networks

The code relating to solving linear networks can be found in the `linear_networks.py` file and is shown in Listing 4. Here, the `csv_to_network_branch_matrices` method reads from a CSV file where row k contains the J_k , R_k and E_k values. It then converts the resistances to a diagonal admittance matrix Y and produces the J and E column vectors. The incidence matrix A is also read directly from file, as seen in Listing 5.

First, the program was tested with various circuits. These circuits are labeled 1 to 6 and can be seen in Figures 1 to 6. The corresponding voltages solved by SPICE at each node can be seen in Tables 1 to 6. Each circuit has corresponding incidence matrix and network branch CSV files, located in the `network_data` directory. For each circuit, the program obtains the expected voltages, as seen in the output in Listing 9.

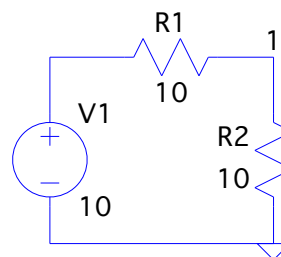


Figure 1: Test circuit 1 with labeled nodes.

Table 1: Voltage at labeled nodes of circuit 1.

Node	Voltage (V)
1	5.000

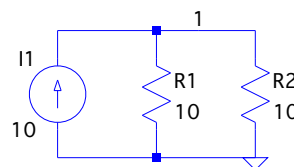


Figure 2: Test circuit 2 with labeled nodes.

Table 2: Voltage at labeled nodes of circuit 2.

Node	Voltage (V)
1	50.000

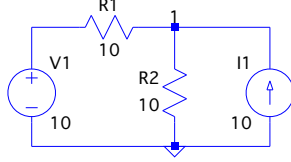


Figure 3: Test circuit 3 with labeled nodes.

Table 3: Voltage at labeled nodes of circuit 3.

Node	Voltage (V)
1	55.000

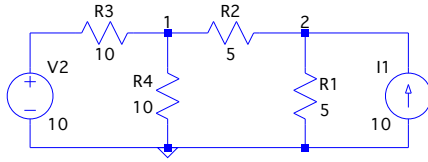


Figure 4: Test circuit 4 with labeled nodes.

Table 4: Voltage at labeled nodes of circuit 4.

Node	Voltage (V)
1	20.000
2	35.000

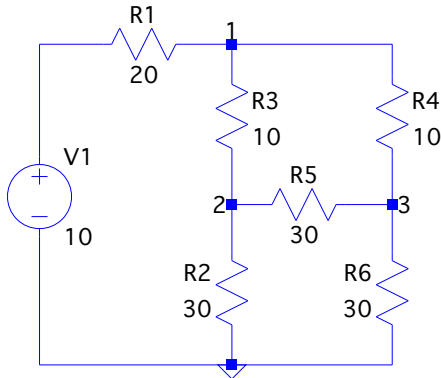


Figure 5: Test circuit 5 with labeled nodes.

2 Finite Difference Resistive Mesh

The source code for the Question 2 program can be seen in the `q2.py` file shown in Listing 6.

Table 5: Voltage at labeled nodes of circuit 5.

Node	Voltage (V)
1	5.000
2	3.750
3	3.750

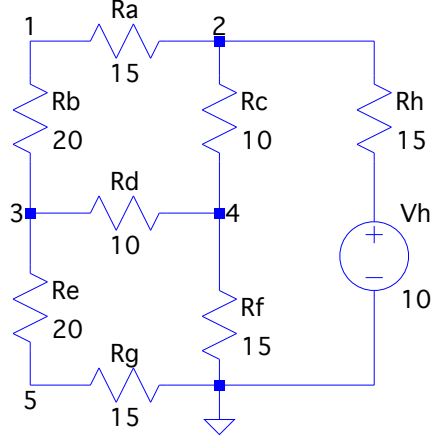


Figure 6: Test circuit 6 with labeled nodes.

Table 6: Voltage at labeled nodes of circuit 6.

Node	Voltage (V)
1	4.443
2	5.498
3	3.036
4	3.200
5	1.301

2.a Equivalent Resistance

The code for creating all the network matrices and for finding the equivalent resistance of an N by $2N$ mesh can be seen in the `linear_networks.py` file shown in Listing 4. To find the equivalent resistance of the mesh, a current source between the top right node and ground was added. Finding the resistance is then simply measuring the voltage at that node and dividing by the test current, which is 10 mA. The `create_network_matrices_mesh` method creates the incidence matrix A , the admittance matrix Y , the current source matrix J and the voltage source matrix E . The matrix A is created by reading the associated numbered `incidence_matrix` CSV files inside the `network_data` directory. Similarly, the Y , J and E matrices are created by reading the `network_branches` CSV files in the same directory. Each of these files contains a list of network branches (J_k, R_k, E_k) . The resistances found by the

program for values of N from 2 to 10 can be seen in Table 7.

Table 7: Mesh equivalent resistance R versus mesh size N .

N	R (Omega)
2	1875.000
3	2379.545
4	2741.025
5	3022.819
6	3253.676
7	3449.166
8	3618.675
9	3768.291
10	3902.189

The resistance values returned by the program for small meshes were validated using simple SPICE circuits. The voltage found at the V_{test} node for the 2x4 mesh shown in Figure 7 is 1.875 V and the equivalent resistance is therefore 1875 Ω . Similarly, for the 3x6 mesh (Figure 8), $V_{test} = 2.37955$ V and the equivalent resistance is 2379.55 Ω . These match the results found by the program, as seen in Table 7. Bigger mesh circuits were not tested, but these results give at least some confidence that the program is working correctly.

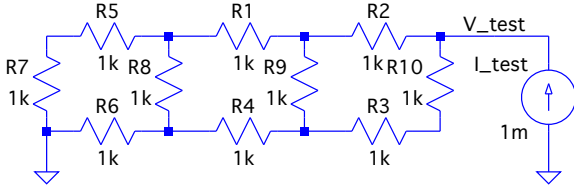


Figure 7: SPICE circuit used to test the 2x4 mesh.

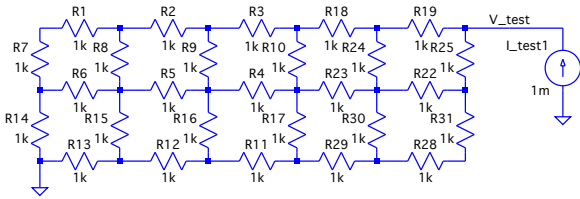


Figure 8: SPICE circuit used to test the 3x6 mesh.

2.b Time Complexity

The runtime data for the mesh resistance solver is plotted in Figure 9. The overall runtime of the program is dominated by the initial matrix multiplication to form AYA^T , which is $O(N^6)$, and this

will be true for the banded and non-banded versions of the Choleski program. This matches the results seen in Figure 9.

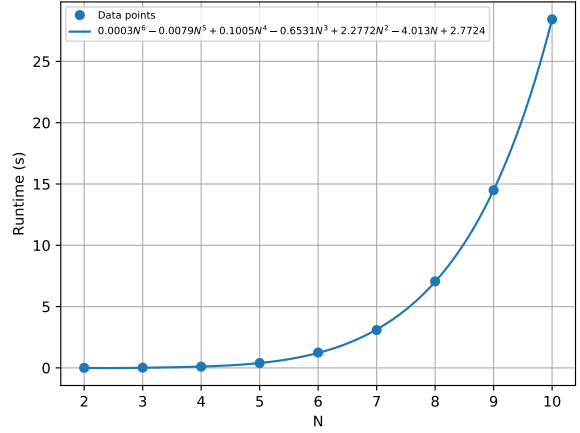


Figure 9: Runtime of non-banded mesh resistance solver program versus mesh size N .

To better display the benefits of banded Choleski elimination, we will look specifically at the runtime of the Choleski elimination and back-substitution, which is plotted in Figure 10. Theoretically, the time complexity of the non-banded Choleski program should be $O(N^6)$. However, as can be seen in Figure 10, $O(N^5)$ more closely matches the obtained data. The simple Choleski program is therefore more efficient than expected. This may be because of successful branch prediction on the repeated zeros of the matrix when performing elimination, or because of the relatively small amount of data points.

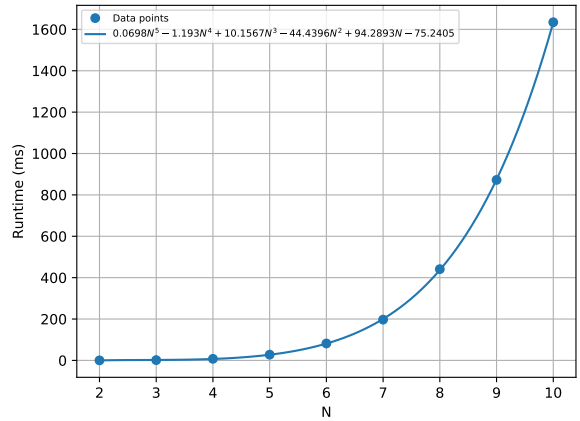


Figure 10: Runtime of non-banded Choleski program versus mesh size N .

2.c Sparsity Modification

By inspection of the constructed network matrices, a half-bandwidth of $b = 2N + 1$ was chosen for the banded version of the program. The runtime data for the banded mesh resistance solver is plotted in Figure 11. Once again, the program is dominated by the $O(N^6)$ initial matrix multiplication, which matches the obtained results. The runtime of the banded Choleski program is plotted in Figure 12. Theoretically, the banded version of the Choleski program should have a time complexity of $O(N^4)$, which also matches the experimental results.

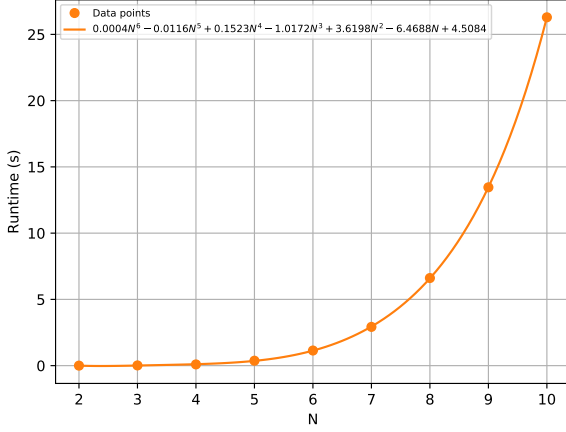


Figure 11: Runtime of banded mesh resistance solver program versus mesh size N .

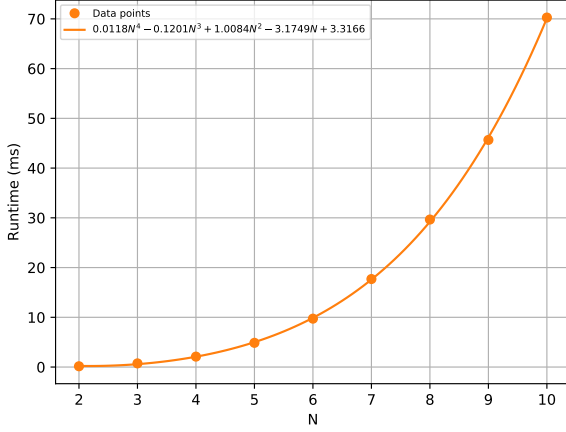


Figure 12: Runtime of banded Choleski program versus mesh size N .

The runtime of the banded and non-banded versions of the Choleski program are plotted together in Figure 13, showing the clear benefits of banded elimination.

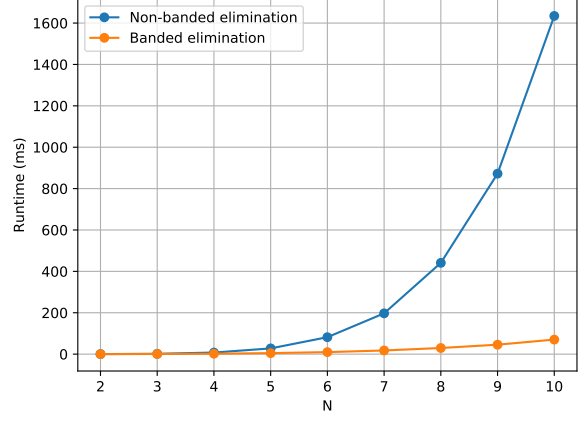


Figure 13: Comparison of runtime of banded and non-banded Choleski programs versus mesh size N .

2.d Resistance vs. Mesh Size

The equivalent mesh resistance R is plotted versus the mesh size N in Figure 14. The function $R(N)$ appears logarithmic, and a log function does indeed fit the data well. As shown in Figure 14, $R(N) = 1260.81 \log N + 996.28$ is a good fit, where R is in Ω .

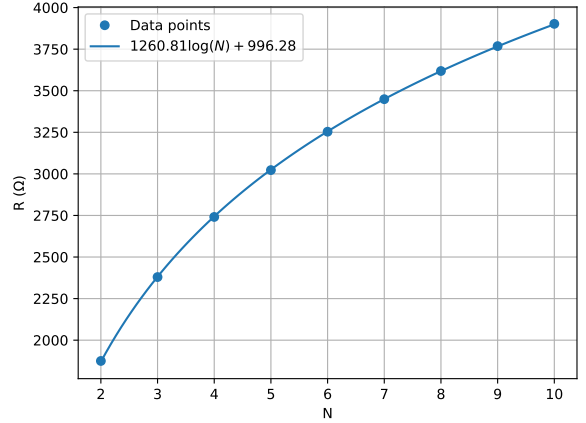


Figure 14: Resistance of mesh versus mesh size N .

3 Coaxial Cable

The source code for the Question 3 program can be seen in the `q3.py` file shown in Listing 8.

3.a SOR Program

The source code for the finite difference methods can be seen in the `finite_diff.py` file shown in Listing 7. Horizontal and vertical symmetries were exploited by only solving for a quarter of the coaxial

cable, and reproducing the results where necessary. The initial potential values are guessed based on a simple function which decreases radially from the center conductor.

3.b Varying ω

The number of iterations to achieve convergence for 10 values of ω between 1 and 2 are tabulated in Table 8 and plotted in Figure 15. Based on these results, the value of ω yielding the minimum number of iterations is 1.3.

Table 8: Number of iterations of SOR versus ω .

Omega	Iterations
1.0	32
1.1	26
1.2	20
1.3	14
1.4	16
1.5	20
1.6	27
1.7	39
1.8	60
1.9	127

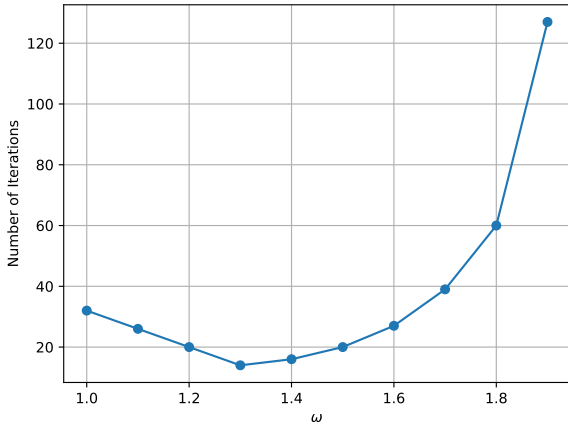


Figure 15: Number of iterations of SOR versus ω .

The potential values found at (0.06, 0.04) versus ω are tabulated in Table 9. It can be seen that all the potential values are identical to 3 decimal places, which shows that the program is converging correctly.

3.c Varying h

With $\omega = 1.3$, the number of iterations of SOR versus $1/h$ is tabulated in Table 10 and plotted in Figure 16. Note that h is in meters in all

Table 9: Potential at (0.06, 0.04) versus ω when using SOR.

Omega	Potential (V)
1.0	5.526
1.1	5.526
1.2	5.526
1.3	5.526
1.4	5.526
1.5	5.526
1.6	5.526
1.7	5.526
1.8	5.526
1.9	5.526

shown plots and tables. It can be seen that the smaller the node spacing is, the more iterations the program will take to run. Theoretically, the time complexity of the program should be $O(N^3)$, where the finite difference mesh is $N \times N$. However, the experimental data shows a complexity closer to $O(1/h^2) = O(N^2)$. The discrepancy can perhaps be because of the relatively small amount of data points.

Table 10: Number of iterations of SOR versus $1/h$. Note that $\omega = 1.3$.

1/h	Iterations
50.0	14
100.0	59
200.0	189
400.0	552
800.0	1540
1600.0	4507

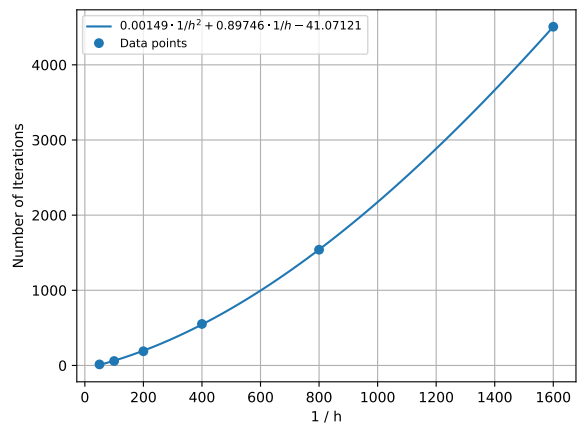


Figure 16: Number of iterations of SOR versus $1/h$. Note that $\omega = 1.3$.

The potential values found at (0.06, 0.04) versus $1/h$ are tabulated in Table 11 and plotted in Figure 17. By examining these values, the potential at (0.06, 0.04) to three significant figures is converging to approximately 5.24 V. It can be seen that the smaller the node spacing is, the more accurate the calculated potential is. However, by inspecting Figure 17 it is apparent that the potential converges relatively quickly to around 5.24 V. There are therefore diminishing returns to decreasing the node spacing too much, since this will also greatly increase the runtime of the program. This of course depends on the level of precision needed in the program.

Table 11: Potential at (0.06, 0.04) versus $1/h$ when using SOR.

$1/h$	Potential (V)
50.0	5.526
100.0	5.351
200.0	5.289
400.0	5.265
800.0	5.254
1600.0	5.247

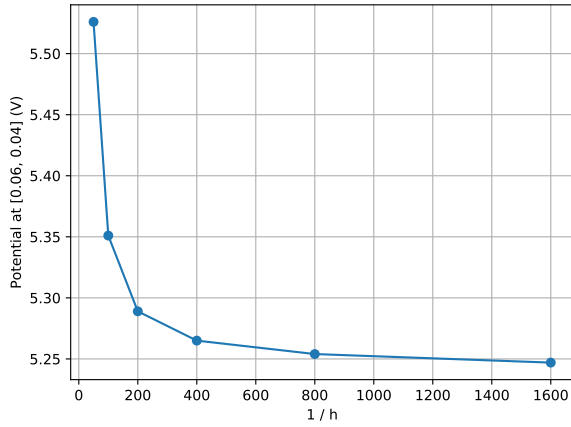


Figure 17: Potential at (0.06, 0.04) found by SOR versus $1/h$. Note that $\omega = 1.3$.

3.d Jacobi Method

The number of iterations of the Jacobi method versus $1/h$ is tabulated in Table 12 and plotted in Figure 18. Similarly to SOR, the smaller the node spacing is, the more iterations the program will take to run. We can see however that the Jacobi method takes a much larger number of iterations to converge. Theoretically, the Jacobi method should have a time complexity of $O(N^4)$. However,

the experimental data shows a complexity closer to $O(1/h^3) = O(N^3)$. The discrepancy can perhaps be because of the relatively small amount of data points.

Table 12: Number of iterations versus ω when using the Jacobi method.

$1/h$	Iterations
50.0	51
100.0	180
200.0	604
400.0	1935
800.0	5836
1600.0	16864

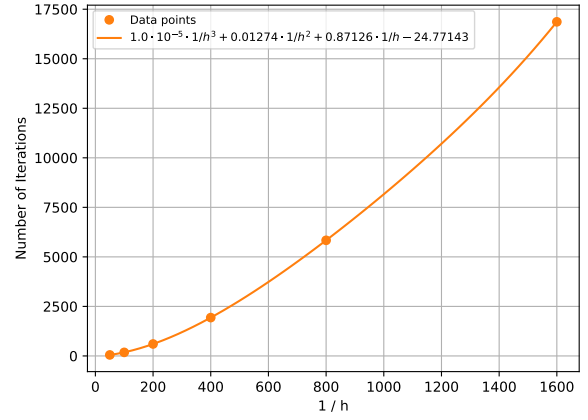


Figure 18: Number of iterations of the Jacobi method versus $1/h$.

The potential values found at (0.06, 0.04) versus $1/h$ with the Jacobi method are tabulated in Table 13 and plotted in Figure 19. These potential values are almost identical to the SOR ones, which suggests that it is converging correctly. Similarly to SOR, the smaller the node spacing is, the more accurate the calculated potential is.

Table 13: Potential at (0.06, 0.04) versus $1/h$ when using the Jacobi method.

$1/h$	Potential (V)
50.0	5.526
100.0	5.351
200.0	5.289
400.0	5.265
800.0	5.254
1600.0	5.246

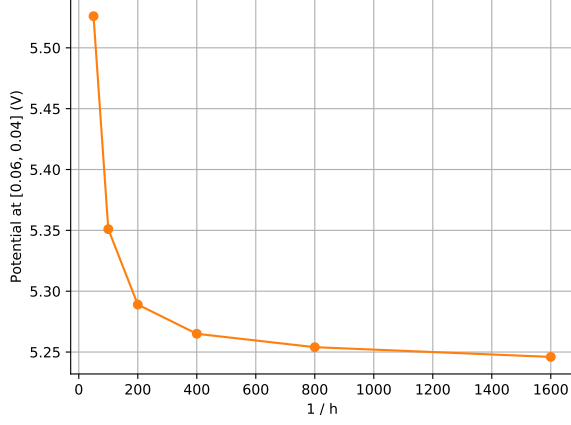


Figure 19: Potential at $(0.06, 0.04)$ versus $1/h$ when using the Jacobi method.

A comparison of the number of iterations of SOR and Jacobi can be seen in Figure 20, which shows the clear benefits of SOR.

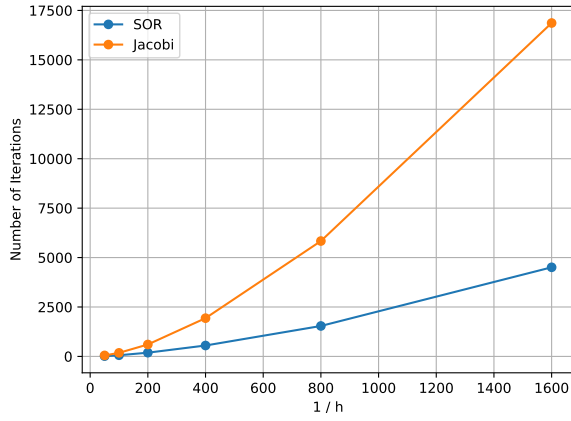


Figure 20: Comparison of number of iterations when using SOR and Jacobi methods versus $1/h$. Note that $\omega = 1.3$ for the SOR program.

3.e Non-uniform Node Spacing

First, we adjust the equation derived in class to set $a_1 = \Delta_x \alpha_1$, $a_2 = \Delta_x \alpha_2$, $b_1 = \Delta_y \beta_1$ and $b_2 = \Delta_y \beta_2$. These values ¹ correspond to the distances between adjacent nodes, and can be easily calculated by the program. Then, the five-point difference formula for non-uniform spacing can be seen in Equation 1.

¹Note that, in the program, index i is associated to position y and index j is associated to position x . This is purely for easier handling of the matrices.

$$\phi_{i,j}^{k+1} = \frac{1}{a_1 + a_2} \left(\frac{\phi_{i-1,j}^k}{a_1} + \frac{\phi_{i+1,j}^k}{a_2} \right) + \frac{1}{b_1 + b_2} \left(\frac{\phi_{i,j-1}^k}{b_1} + \frac{\phi_{i,j+1}^k}{b_2} \right) \quad (1)$$

This was implemented in the finite difference program, as seen in `NonUniformRelaxer` class in the `finite_diff.py` file shown in Listing 7. As can be seen in this code, many different mesh arrangements were tested. It was also tested that, if the non-uniform program is given a uniformly spaced grid, it finds the same potential as Jacobi. The chosen grid arrangement can be seen in Figure 21. This grid was selected because the “difficult” regions are close to the inner conductor, where there is a higher concentration of nodes. The potential at $(0.06, 0.04)$ obtained from this arrangement is 5.243 V, which seems like an accurate potential value. Indeed, as can be seen in Figures 17 and 19, the potential value for small node spacings tends towards 5.24 V for both the Jacobi and SOR methods.

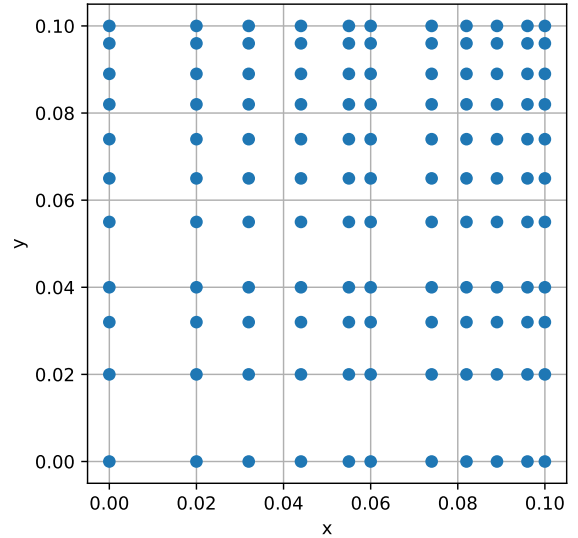


Figure 21: Final mesh arrangement used for non-uniform node spacing. Each point corresponds to a mesh point. The x and y coordinate are in meters. Points are positioned closer to the inner conductor, since this is a more difficult area. Note that this arrangement only represents one fourth of the entire grid, which is symmetric in x and y .

A Code Listings

Listing 1: Custom matrix package (*matrices.py*).

```
1  from __future__ import division
2
3  import copy
4  import csv
5  from ast import literal_eval
6
7  import math
8
9
10 class Matrix:
11
12     def __init__(self, data):
13         self.data = data
14         self.rows = len(data)
15         self.cols = len(data[0])
16
17     def __str__(self):
18         string = ''
19         for row in self.data:
20             string += '\n'
21             for val in row:
22                 string += '{:6.2f} '.format(val)
23         return string
24
25     def __add__(self, other):
26         if len(self) != len(other) or len(self[0]) != len(other[0]):
27             raise ValueError('Incompatible matrix sizes for addition. Matrix A is {}x{}, but matrix B is
28                 ↳ {}x{}.'.format(len(self), len(self[0]), len(other), len(other[0])))
29
30         return Matrix([[self[row][col] + other[row][col] for col in range(self.cols)] for row in
31                 ↳ range(self.rows)])
32
33     def __sub__(self, other):
34         if len(self) != len(other) or len(self[0]) != len(other[0]):
35             raise ValueError('Incompatible matrix sizes for subtraction. Matrix A is {}x{}, but matrix B
36                 ↳ is {}x{}.'.format(len(self), len(self[0]), len(other), len(other[0])))
37
38         return Matrix([[self[row][col] - other[row][col] for col in range(self.cols)] for row in
39                 ↳ range(self.rows)])
40
41     def __mul__(self, other):
42         if self.cols != other.rows:
43             raise ValueError('Incompatible matrix sizes for multiplication. Matrix A is {}x{}, but matrix
44                 ↳ B is {}x{}.'.format(self.rows, self.cols, other.rows, other.cols))
45
46         # Inspired from https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Matrix_multiplication
47         product = Matrix.empty(self.rows, other.cols)
48         for i in range(self.rows):
49             for j in range(other.cols):
50                 row_sum = 0
51                 for k in range(self.cols):
52                     row_sum += self[i][k] * other[k][j]
53                 product[i][j] = row_sum
54         return product
55
56     def __deepcopy__(self, memo):
57         return Matrix(copy.deepcopy(self.data))
58
59     def __getitem__(self, item):
60         return self.data[item]
```

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61         return len(self.data)
62
63     def is_positive_definite(self):
64         """
65         :return: True if the matrix is positive-definite, False otherwise.
66         """
67         A = copy.deepcopy(self.data)
68         for j in range(self.rows):
69             if A[j][j] <= 0:
70                 return False
71             A[j][j] = math.sqrt(A[j][j])
72             for i in range(j + 1, self.rows):
73                 A[i][j] = A[i][j] / A[j][j]
74                 for k in range(j + 1, i + 1):
75                     A[i][k] = A[i][k] - A[i][j] * A[k][j]
76         return True
77
78     def transpose(self):
79         """
80         :return: the transpose of the current matrix
81         """
82         return Matrix([[self.data[row][col] for row in range(self.rows)] for col in range(self.cols)])
83
84     def mirror_horizontal(self):
85         """
86         :return: the horizontal mirror of the current matrix
87         """
88         return Matrix([[self.data[self.rows - row - 1][col] for col in range(self.cols)] for row in
89             ↪ range(self.rows)])
90
91     def empty_copy(self):
92         """
93         :return: an empty matrix of the same size as the current matrix.
94         """
95         return Matrix.empty(self.rows, self.cols)
96
97     @staticmethod
98     def multiply(*matrices):
99         """
100         Computes the product of the given matrices.
101
102         :param matrices: the matrix objects
103         :return: the product of the given matrices
104         """
105         n = matrices[0].rows
106         product = Matrix.identity(n)
107         for matrix in matrices:
108             product = product * matrix
109         return product
110
111     @staticmethod
112     def empty(num_rows, num_cols):
113         """
114         Returns an empty matrix (filled with zeroes) with the specified number of columns and rows.
115
116         :param num_rows: number of rows
117         :param num_cols: number of columns
118         :return: the empty matrix
119         """
120         return Matrix([[0 for _ in range(num_cols)] for _ in range(num_rows)])
121
122     @staticmethod
123     def identity(n):
124         """
125         Returns the identity matrix of the given size.
126
127         :param n: the size of the identity matrix (number of rows or columns)
128         :return: the identity matrix of size n
129         """
130         return Matrix.diagonal_single_value(1, n)

```

```

130
131     @staticmethod
132     def diagonal(values):
133         """
134         Returns a diagonal matrix with the given values along the main diagonal.
135
136         :param values: the values along the main diagonal
137         :return: a diagonal matrix with the given values along the main diagonal
138         """
139         n = len(values)
140         return Matrix([[values[row] if row == col else 0 for col in range(n)] for row in range(n)])
141
142     @staticmethod
143     def diagonal_single_value(value, n):
144         """
145         Returns a diagonal matrix of the given size with the given value along the diagonal.
146
147         :param value: the value of each element on the main diagonal
148         :param n: the size of the matrix
149         :return: a diagonal matrix of the given size with the given value along the diagonal.
150         """
151         return Matrix([[value if row == col else 0 for col in range(n)] for row in range(n)])
152
153     @staticmethod
154     def column_vector(values):
155         """
156         Transforms a row vector into a column vector.
157
158         :param values: the values, one for each row of the column vector
159         :return: the column vector
160         """
161         return Matrix([[value] for value in values])
162
163     @staticmethod
164     def csv_to_matrix(filename):
165         """
166         Reads a CSV file to a matrix.
167
168         :param filename: the name of the CSV file
169         :return: a matrix containing the values in the CSV file
170         """
171         with open(filename, 'r') as csv_file:
172             reader = csv.reader(csv_file)
173             data = []
174             for row_number, row in enumerate(reader):
175                 data.append([literal_eval(val) for val in row])
176             return Matrix(data)

```

Listing 2: CSV manipulation utilities (csv_saver.py).

```

1  import csv
2
3
4  def save_rows_to_csv(filename, rows, header=None):
5      with open(filename, "wb") as f:
6          writer = csv.writer(f)
7          if header is not None:
8              writer.writerow(header)
9          for row in rows:
10             writer.writerow(row)

```

Listing 3: Choleski decomposition (choleski.py).

```

1  from __future__ import division
2
3  import math
4
5  from matrices import Matrix

```

```

6
7
8 def choleski_solve(A, b, half_bandwidth=None):
9     """
10     Solves an  $Ax = b$  matrix equation by Choleski decomposition.
11
12     :param A: the A matrix
13     :param b: the b matrix
14     :param half_bandwidth: the half-bandwidth of the A matrix
15     :return: the solved x vector
16     """
17     n = len(A[0])
18     if half_bandwidth is None:
19         elimination(A, b)
20     else:
21         elimination_banded(A, b, half_bandwidth)
22     x = Matrix.empty(n, 1)
23     back_substitution(A, x, b)
24     return x
25
26
27 def elimination(A, b):
28     """
29     Performs the elimination step of Choleski decomposition.
30
31     :param A: the A matrix
32     :param b: the b matrix
33     """
34     n = len(A)
35     for j in range(n):
36         if A[j][j] <= 0:
37             raise ValueError('Matrix A is not positive definite.')
38         A[j][j] = math.sqrt(A[j][j])
39         b[j][0] = b[j][0] / A[j][j]
40         for i in range(j + 1, n):
41             A[i][j] = A[i][j] / A[j][j]
42             b[i][0] = b[i][0] - A[i][j] * b[j][0]
43             for k in range(j + 1, i + 1):
44                 A[i][k] = A[i][k] - A[i][j] * A[k][j]
45
46
47 def elimination_banded(A, b, half_bandwidth):
48     """
49     Performs the banded elimination step of Choleski decomposition.
50
51     :param A: the A matrix
52     :param b: the b matrix
53     :param half_bandwidth: the half_bandwidth to be used for the banded elimination
54     """
55     n = len(A)
56     for j in range(n):
57         if A[j][j] <= 0:
58             raise ValueError('Matrix A is not positive definite.')
59         A[j][j] = math.sqrt(A[j][j])
60         b[j][0] = b[j][0] / A[j][j]
61         max_row = min(j + half_bandwidth, n)
62         for i in range(j + 1, max_row):
63             A[i][j] = A[i][j] / A[j][j]
64             b[i][0] = b[i][0] - A[i][j] * b[j][0]
65             for k in range(j + 1, i + 1):
66                 A[i][k] = A[i][k] - A[i][j] * A[k][j]
67
68
69 def back_substitution(L, x, y):
70     """
71     Performs the back-substitution step of Choleski decomposition.
72
73     :param L: the L matrix
74     :param x: the x matrix
75     :param y: the y matrix

```

```

76     """
77     n = len(L)
78     for i in range(n - 1, -1, -1):
79         prev_sum = 0
80         for j in range(i + 1, n):
81             prev_sum += L[j][i] * x[j][0]
82             x[i][0] = (y[i][0] - prev_sum) / L[i][i]

```

Listing 4: Linear resistive networks (*linear_networks.py*).

```

1  from __future__ import division
2
3  import csv
4  import time
5  from matrices import Matrix
6  from choleski import choleski_solve
7
8
9  def solve_linear_network(A, Y, J, E, half_bandwidth=None):
10     """
11     Solve the linear resistive network described by the given matrices.
12
13     :param A: the incidence matrix
14     :param Y: the admittance matrix
15     :param J: the current source matrix
16     :param E: the voltage source matrix
17     :param half_bandwidth:
18     :return: the solved voltage matrix
19     """
20     A_new = A * Y * A.transpose()
21     b = A * (J - Y * E)
22     return choleski_solve(A_new, b, half_bandwidth=half_bandwidth)
23
24
25  def solve_linear_network_runtime(A, Y, J, E, half_bandwidth=None):
26     """
27     Solve the linear resistive network described by the given matrices.
28
29     :param A: the incidence matrix
30     :param Y: the admittance matrix
31     :param J: the current source matrix
32     :param E: the voltage source matrix
33     :param half_bandwidth:
34     :return: the solved voltage matrix and the runtime of the Choleski program (in ms)
35     """
36     A_new = A * Y * A.transpose()
37     b = A * (J - Y * E)
38     t = time.clock()
39     x = choleski_solve(A_new, b, half_bandwidth=half_bandwidth)
40     runtime = (time.clock() - t) * 1000
41     return x, runtime
42
43
44  def csv_to_network_branch_matrices(filename):
45     """
46     Converts a CSV file to Y, J, E network matrices.
47
48     :param filename: the name of the CSV file
49     :return: the Y, J, E network matrices
50     """
51     with open(filename, 'r') as csv_file:
52         reader = csv.reader(csv_file)
53         J = []
54         Y = []
55         E = []
56         for row in reader:
57             J_k = float(row[0])
58             R_k = float(row[1])
59             E_k = float(row[2])

```

```

60         J.append(J_k)
61         Y.append(1 / R_k)
62         E.append(E_k)
63     Y = Matrix.diagonal(Y)
64     J = Matrix.column_vector(J)
65     E = Matrix.column_vector(E)
66     return Y, J, E
67
68
69 def create_network_matrices_mesh(rows, cols, branch_resistance, test_current):
70     """
71     Create the network matrices needed (A, Y, J, E) to solve the resistive mesh network with the given rows,
72     ↪ columns,
73     branch resistance and test current.
74
75     :param rows: the number of rows in the mesh
76     :param cols: the number of columns in the mesh
77     :param branch_resistance: the resistance in each branch
78     :param test_current: the test current to apply
79     :return: the network matrices (A, Y, J, E)
80     """
81     num_horizontal_branches = (cols - 1) * rows
82     num_vertical_branches = (rows - 1) * cols
83     num_branches = num_horizontal_branches + num_vertical_branches + 1
84     num_nodes = rows * cols - 1
85
86     A = create_incidence_matrix_mesh(cols, num_branches, num_horizontal_branches, num_nodes,
87     ↪ num_vertical_branches)
88     Y, J, E = create_network_branch_matrices_mesh(num_branches, branch_resistance, test_current)
89
90     return A, Y, J, E
91
92
93 def create_incidence_matrix_mesh(cols, num_branches, num_horizontal_branches, num_nodes,
94 ↪ num_vertical_branches):
95     """
96     Create the incidence matrix given by the resistive mesh with the given number of columns, number of
97     ↪ branches,
98     number of horizontal branches, number of nodes, and number of vertical branches.
99
100     :param cols: the number of columns in the mesh
101     :param num_branches: the number of branches in the mesh
102     :param num_horizontal_branches: the number of horizontal branches in the mesh
103     :param num_nodes: the number of nodes in the mesh
104     :param num_vertical_branches: the number of vertical branches in the mesh
105     :return: the incidence matrix (A)
106     """
107     A = Matrix.empty(num_nodes, num_branches)
108     node_offset = -1
109     for branch in range(num_horizontal_branches):
110         if branch == num_horizontal_branches - cols + 1:
111             A[branch + node_offset + 1][branch] = 1
112         else:
113             if branch % (cols - 1) == 0:
114                 node_offset += 1
115                 node_number = branch + node_offset
116                 A[node_number][branch] = -1
117                 A[node_number + 1][branch] = 1
118     branch_offset = num_horizontal_branches
119     node_offset = cols
120     for branch in range(num_vertical_branches):
121         if branch == num_vertical_branches - cols:
122             node_offset -= 1
123             A[branch][branch + branch_offset] = 1
124         else:
125             A[branch][branch + branch_offset] = 1
126             A[branch + node_offset][branch + branch_offset] = -1
127     if num_branches == 2:
128         A[0][1] = -1
129     else:

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```

126         A[cols - 1][num_branches - 1] = -1
127     return A
128
129
130 def create_network_branch_matrices_mesh(num_branches, branch_resistance, test_current):
131     """
132     Create the Y, J, E network branch matrices of the resistive mesh given by the provided number of
133     ↪ branches, branch
134     resistance and test current.
135
136     :param num_branches: the number of branches in the mesh
137     :param branch_resistance: the resistance of each branch in the mesh
138     :param test_current: the test current to apply to the mesh
139     :return: the Y, J, E network branch matrices
140     """
141     Y = Matrix.diagonal([1 / branch_resistance if branch < num_branches - 1 else 0 for branch in
142     ↪ range(num_branches)])
143     # Negative test current here because we assume current is coming OUT of the test current node.
144     J = Matrix.column_vector([0 if branch < num_branches - 1 else -test_current for branch in
145     ↪ range(num_branches)])
146     E = Matrix.column_vector([0 for _ in range(num_branches)])
147     return Y, J, E
148
149
150 def find_mesh_resistance(N, branch_resistance, half_bandwidth=None):
151     """
152     Find the equivalent resistance of an Nx2N resistive mesh with the given branch resistance and optional
153     ↪ half-bandwidth
154
155     :param N: the size of the mesh (Nx2N)
156     :param branch_resistance: the resistance of each branch of the mesh
157     :param half_bandwidth: the half-bandwidth to be used for banded Choleski decomposition (or None to use
158     ↪ non-banded)
159     :return: the equivalent resistance of the mesh
160     """
161     test_current = 0.01
162     A, Y, J, E = create_network_matrices_mesh(N, 2 * N, branch_resistance, test_current)
163     x, choleski_runtime = solve_linear_network_runtime(A, Y, J, E, half_bandwidth=half_bandwidth)
164     test_voltage = x[2 * N - 1 if N > 1 else 0][0]
165     equivalent_resistance = test_voltage / test_current
166     return equivalent_resistance, choleski_runtime

```

Listing 5: Question 1 (q1.py).

```

1  from __future__ import division
2
3  from csv_saver import save_rows_to_csv
4  from linear_networks import solve_linear_network, csv_to_network_branch_matrices
5  from choleski import choleski_solve
6  from matrices import Matrix
7
8  NETWORK_DIRECTORY = 'network_data'
9
10 L_2 = Matrix([
11     [5, 0],
12     [1, 3]
13 ])
14 L_3 = Matrix([
15     [3, 0, 0],
16     [1, 2, 0],
17     [8, 5, 1]
18 ])
19 L_4 = Matrix([
20     [1, 0, 0, 0],
21     [2, 8, 0, 0],
22     [5, 5, 4, 0],
23     [7, 2, 8, 7]
24 ])
25 matrix_2 = L_2 * L_2.transpose()

```



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26 matrix_3 = L_3 * L_3.transpose()
27 matrix_4 = L_4 * L_4.transpose()
28 positive_definite_matrices = [matrix_2, matrix_3, matrix_4]
29
30 x_2 = Matrix.column_vector([8, 3])
31 x_3 = Matrix.column_vector([9, 4, 3])
32 x_4 = Matrix.column_vector([5, 4, 1, 9])
33 xs = [x_2, x_3, x_4]
34
35
36 def q1():
37     """
38     Question 1
39     """
40     q1b()
41     q1c()
42     q1d()
43
44
45 def q1b():
46     """
47     Question 1(b): Construct some small matrices (n = 2, 3, 4, or 5) to test the program. Remember that the
    ↪ matrices
48     must be real, symmetric and positive-definite.
49     """
50     print('\n=== Question 1(b) ===')
51     for count, A in enumerate(positive_definite_matrices):
52         n = count + 2
53         print('n={} matrix is positive-definite: {}'.format(n, A.is_positive_definite()))
54
55
56 def q1c():
57     """
58     Question 1(c): Test the program you wrote in (a) with each small matrix you built in (b) in the
    ↪ following way:
59     invent an x, multiply it by A to get b, then give A and b to your program and check that it returns x
    ↪ correctly.
60     """
61     print('\n=== Question 1(c) ===')
62     n = 2
63     for x, A in zip(xs, positive_definite_matrices):
64         b = A * x
65         print('Matrix with n={}'.format(n))
66         print('A: {}'.format(A))
67         print('b: {}'.format(b))
68
69         x_choleski = choleski_solve(A, b)
70         print('Expected x: {}'.format(x))
71         print('Actual x: {}'.format(x_choleski))
72         n += 1
73
74
75 def q1d():
76     """
77     Question 1(d): Write a program that reads from a file a list of network branches (Jk, Rk, Ek) and a
    ↪ reduced
78     incidence matrix, and finds the voltages at the nodes of the network. Use the code from part (a) to
    ↪ solve the
79     matrix problem.
80     """
81     print('\n=== Question 1(d) ===')
82     for i in range(1, 7):
83         A = Matrix.csv_to_matrix('{}incidence_matrix{}.csv'.format(NETWORK_DIRECTORY, i))
84         Y, J, E = csv_to_network_branch_matrices('{}network_branches{}.csv'.format(NETWORK_DIRECTORY,
    ↪ i))
85         # print('Y: {}'.format(Y))
86         # print('J: {}'.format(J))
87         # print('E: {}'.format(E))
88         x = solve_linear_network(A, Y, J, E)
89         print('Solved for x in network {}'.format(i)) # TODO: Create my own test circuits here

```

```

90     node_numbers = []
91     voltage_values = []
92     for j in range(len(x)):
93         print('V{} = {:.3f} V'.format(j + 1, x[j][0]))
94         node_numbers.append(j + 1)
95         voltage_values.append('{:.3f}'.format(x[j][0]))
96     save_rows_to_csv('report/csv/q1_circuit_{}.csv'.format(i), zip(node_numbers, voltage_values),
97                     header=('Node', 'Voltage (V)'))
98
99
100 if __name__ == '__main__':
101     q1()

```

Listing 6: Question 2 (q2.py).

```

1  import time
2
3  import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
4  import numpy as np
5  import numpy.polynomial.polynomial as poly
6  import sympy as sp
7  from matplotlib.ticker import MaxNLocator
8
9  from csv_saver import save_rows_to_csv
10 from linear_networks import find_mesh_resistance
11
12
13 def q2():
14     """
15     Question 2
16     """
17     runtimes1, choleski_runtimes1 = q2ab()
18     pts, runtimes2, choleski_runtimes2 = q2c()
19     plot_runtimes(runtimes1, runtimes2)
20     plot_runtimes(choleski_runtimes1, choleski_runtimes2, True)
21     q2d(pts)
22
23
24 def q2ab():
25     """
26     Question 2(a): Using the program you developed in question 1, find the resistance, R, between the node
27     ↪ at the
28     bottom left corner of the mesh and the node at the top right corner of the mesh, for N = 2, 3, ..., 10.
29
30     Question 2(b): Are the timings you observe for your practical implementation consistent with this?
31
32     :return: the timings for finding the mesh resistance for N = 2, 3 ... 10
33     """
34     print('\n=== Question 2(a)(b) ===')
35     _, runtimes, choleski_runtimes = find_mesh_resistances(banded=False)
36     save_rows_to_csv('report/csv/q2b.csv', zip(runtimes.keys(), runtimes.values()), header=('N', 'Runtime
37     ↪ (s)'))
38     save_rows_to_csv('report/csv/q2b_choleski.csv', zip(choleski_runtimes.keys(),
39     ↪ choleski_runtimes.values()),
40                     header=('N', 'Runtime (ms)'))
41     return runtimes, choleski_runtimes
42
43
44 def q2c():
45     """
46     Question 2(c): Modify your program to exploit the sparse nature of the matrices to save computation
47     ↪ time.
48
49     :return: the mesh resistances and the timings for N = 2, 3 ... 10
50     """
51     print('\n=== Question 2(c) ===')
52     resistances, runtimes, choleski_runtimes = find_mesh_resistances(banded=True)
53     save_rows_to_csv('report/csv/q2c.csv', zip(runtimes.keys(), runtimes.values()), header=('N', 'Runtime
54     ↪ (s)'))

```

```

50     save_rows_to_csv('report/csv/q2c_choleski.csv', zip(choleski_runtimes.keys(),
    ↪     choleski_runtimes.values()),
51                     header=('N', 'Runtime (ms)'))
52     return resistances, runtimes, choleski_runtimes
53
54
55 def q2d(resistances):
56     """
57     Question 2(d): Plot a graph of R versus N. Find a function R(N) that fits the curve reasonably well and
    ↪     is
58     asymptotically correct as N tends to infinity, as far as you can tell.
59
60     :param resistances: a dictionary of resistance values for each N value
61     """
62     print('\n=== Question 2(d) ===')
63     f = plt.figure()
64     ax = f.gca()
65     ax.xaxis.set_major_locator(MaxNLocator(integer=True))
66     x_range = [float(x) for x in resistances.keys()]
67     y_range = [float(y) for y in resistances.values()]
68     plt.plot(x_range, y_range, 'o', label='Data points')
69
70     x_new = np.linspace(x_range[0], x_range[-1], num=len(x_range) * 10)
71     coeffs = poly.polyfit(np.log(x_range), y_range, deg=1)
72     polynomial_fit = poly.polyval(np.log(x_new), coeffs)
73     plt.plot(x_new, polynomial_fit, '{:}-'.format('C0'), label='${:.2f}\log(N) + {:.2f}$'.format(coeffs[1],
    ↪     coeffs[0]))
74
75     plt.xlabel('N')
76     plt.ylabel('R ($\Omega$)')
77     plt.grid(True)
78     plt.legend()
79     f.savefig('report/plots/q2d.pdf', bbox_inches='tight')
80     save_rows_to_csv('report/csv/q2a.csv', zip(resistances.keys(), resistances.values()), header=('N', 'R
    ↪     ($\Omega$)'))
81
82
83 def find_mesh_resistances(banded):
84     branch_resistance = 1000
85     points = {}
86     total_runtimes = {}
87     choleski_runtimes = {}
88     for n in range(2, 11):
89         start_time = time.time()
90         half_bandwidth = 2 * n + 1 if banded else None
91         equivalent_resistance, choleski_runtime = find_mesh_resistance(n, branch_resistance,
    ↪         half_bandwidth=half_bandwidth)
92         print('Equivalent resistance for {}x{} mesh: {:.2f} Ohms.'.format(n, 2 * n,
    ↪         equivalent_resistance))
93         points[n] = '{:.3f}'.format(equivalent_resistance)
94         runtime = time.time() - start_time
95         total_runtimes[n] = '{:.3f}'.format(runtime)
96         print('Choleski runtime: {} ms'.format(choleski_runtime))
97         choleski_runtimes[n] = '{:.3f}'.format(choleski_runtime)
98         print('Runtime: {} s.'.format(runtime))
99     plot_runtime(total_runtimes, banded)
100     plot_runtime(choleski_runtimes, banded, True)
101     return points, total_runtimes, choleski_runtimes
102
103
104 def plot_runtime(points, banded=False, choleski=False):
105     f = plt.figure()
106     ax = f.gca()
107     ax.xaxis.set_major_locator(MaxNLocator(integer=True))
108     x_range = [float(x) for x in points.keys()]
109     y_range = [float(y) for y in points.values()]
110     plt.plot(x_range, y_range, '{:}o'.format('C1' if banded else 'C0'), label='Data points')
111
112     x_new = np.linspace(x_range[0], x_range[-1], num=len(x_range) * 10)
113     degree = 6 if not choleski else (4 if banded else 5)

```

```

114     polynomial_coeffs = poly.polyfit(x_range, y_range, degree)
115     polynomial_fit = poly.polyval(x_new, polynomial_coeffs)
116     N = sp.symbols("N")
117     poly_label = sum(sp.S("{:.4f}".format(v)) * N ** i for i, v in enumerate(polynomial_coeffs))
118     equation = '${}$'.format(sp.printing.latex(poly_label))
119     plt.plot(x_new, polynomial_fit, '{}-'.format('C1' if banded else 'C0'), label=equation)
120
121     plt.xlabel('N')
122     plt.ylabel('Runtime ({}).format('ms' if choleski else 's'))
123     plt.grid(True)
124     plt.legend(fontsize='x-small')
125     f.savefig('report/plots/q2{}.pdf'.format('c' if banded else 'b', '_choleski' if choleski else ''),
126             bbox_inches='tight')
127
128
129 def plot_runtimes(points1, points2, choleski=False):
130     f = plt.figure()
131     ax = f.gca()
132     ax.xaxis.set_major_locator(MaxNLocator(integer=True))
133     x_range = points1.keys()
134     y_range = points1.values()
135     y_banded_range = points2.values()
136     plt.plot(x_range, y_range, 'o-', label='Non-banded elimination')
137     plt.plot(x_range, y_banded_range, 'o-', label='Banded elimination')
138     plt.xlabel('N')
139     plt.ylabel('Runtime ({}).format('ms' if choleski else 's'))
140     plt.grid(True)
141     plt.legend()
142     f.savefig('report/plots/q2bc{}.pdf'.format('_choleski' if choleski else ''), bbox_inches='tight')
143
144
145 if __name__ == '__main__':
146     q2()

```

Listing 7: Finite difference method (*finite_diff.py*).

```

1  from __future__ import division
2
3  import math
4  import random
5  from abc import ABCMeta, abstractmethod
6
7  from matrices import Matrix
8
9  MESH_SIZE = 0.2
10
11
12 class Relaxer:
13     """
14     Performs the relaxing stage of the finite difference method.
15     """
16     __metaclass__ = ABCMeta
17
18     @abstractmethod
19     def relax(self, phi, i, j):
20         """
21         Perform a relaxation iteration on a given (i, j) point of the given phi matrix.
22
23         :param phi: the phi matrix
24         :param i: the row index
25         :param j: the column index
26         """
27         raise NotImplementedError
28
29     def reset(self):
30         """
31         Optional method to reset the relaxer.
32         """
33         pass

```

```

34
35     def residual(self, phi, i, j):
36         """
37         Calculate the residual at the given (i, j) point of the given phi matrix.
38
39         :param phi: the phi matrix
40         :param i: the row index
41         :param j: the column index
42         :return:
43         """
44         return abs(phi[i + 1][j] + phi[i - 1][j] + phi[i][j + 1] + phi[i][j - 1] - 4 * phi[i][j])
45
46
47     class GaussSeidelRelaxer(Relaxer):
48         def relax(self, phi, i, j):
49             return (phi[i + 1][j] + phi[i - 1][j] + phi[i][j + 1] + phi[i][j - 1]) / 4
50
51
52     class JacobiRelaxer(Relaxer):
53         def __init__(self, num_cols):
54             self.num_cols = num_cols
55             self.prev_row = [0] * (num_cols - 1) # Don't need to copy entire phi, just previous row
56
57         def relax(self, phi, i, j):
58             left_val = self.prev_row[j - 2] if j > 1 else 0
59             top_val = self.prev_row[j - 1]
60             self.prev_row[j - 1] = phi[i][j]
61             return (phi[i + 1][j] + top_val + phi[i][j + 1] + left_val) / 4
62
63         def reset(self):
64             self.prev_row = [0] * (self.num_cols - 1)
65
66
67     class NonUniformRelaxer(Relaxer):
68         def __init__(self, mesh):
69             self.mesh = mesh
70
71         def get_distances(self, i, j):
72             a1 = self.mesh.get_y(i) - self.mesh.get_y(i - 1)
73             a2 = self.mesh.get_y(i + 1) - self.mesh.get_y(i)
74             b1 = self.mesh.get_x(j) - self.mesh.get_x(j - 1)
75             b2 = self.mesh.get_x(j + 1) - self.mesh.get_x(j)
76             return a1, a2, b1, b2
77
78         def relax(self, phi, i, j):
79             a1, a2, b1, b2 = self.get_distances(i, j)
80
81             return ((phi[i - 1][j] / a1 + phi[i + 1][j] / a2) / (a1 + a2)
82                     + (phi[i][j - 1] / b1 + phi[i][j + 1] / b2) / (b1 + b2)) / (1 / (a1 * a2) + 1 / (b1 * b2))
83
84         def residual(self, phi, i, j):
85             a1, a2, b1, b2 = self.get_distances(i, j)
86
87             return abs(((phi[i - 1][j] / a1 + phi[i + 1][j] / a2) / (a1 + a2)
88                         + (phi[i][j - 1] / b1 + phi[i][j + 1] / b2) / (b1 + b2))
89                       - phi[i][j] * (1 / (a1 * a2) + 1 / (b1 * b2)))
90
91
92     class SuccessiveOverRelaxer(Relaxer):
93         def __init__(self, omega):
94             self.gauss_seidel = GaussSeidelRelaxer()
95             self.omega = omega
96
97         def relax(self, phi, i, j, last_row=None, a1=None, a2=None, b1=None, b2=None):
98             return (1 - self.omega) * phi[i][j] + self.omega * self.gauss_seidel.relax(phi, i, j)
99
100
101     class Boundary:
102         """
103         Constant-potential boundary in the finite difference mesh, representing a conductor.

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104     """
105     __metaclass__ = ABCMeta
106
107     @abstractmethod
108     def potential(self):
109         """
110         Return the potential on the boundary.
111         """
112         raise NotImplementedError
113
114     @abstractmethod
115     def contains_point(self, x, y):
116         """
117         Returns true if the boundary contains the given (x, y) point.
118
119         :param x: the x coordinate of the point
120         :param y: the y coordinate of the point
121         """
122         raise NotImplementedError
123
124
125 class OuterConductorBoundary(Boundary):
126     def potential(self):
127         return 0
128
129     def contains_point(self, x, y):
130         return x == 0 or y == 0 or x == 0.2 or y == 0.2
131
132
133 class QuarterInnerConductorBoundary(Boundary):
134     def potential(self):
135         return 15
136
137     def contains_point(self, x, y):
138         return 0.06 <= x <= 0.14 and 0.08 <= y <= 0.12
139
140
141 class PotentialGuesser:
142     """
143     Guesses the initial potential in the finite-difference mesh.
144     """
145     __metaclass__ = ABCMeta
146
147     def __init__(self, min_potential, max_potential):
148         self.min_potential = min_potential
149         self.max_potential = max_potential
150
151     @abstractmethod
152     def guess(self, x, y):
153         """
154         Guess the potential at the given (x, y) point, and return it.
155
156         :param x: the x coordinate of the point
157         :param y: the y coordinate of the point
158         """
159         raise NotImplementedError
160
161
162 class RandomPotentialGuesser(PotentialGuesser):
163     def guess(self, x, y):
164         return random.randint(self.min_potential, self.max_potential)
165
166
167 class LinearPotentialGuesser(PotentialGuesser):
168     def guess(self, x, y):
169         return 150 * x if x < 0.06 else 150 * y
170
171
172 class RadialPotentialGuesser(PotentialGuesser):
173     def guess(self, x, y):

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174     def radial(k, x, y, x_source, y_source):
175         return k / (math.sqrt((x_source - x) ** 2 + (y_source - y) ** 2))
176
177     return 0.0225 * (radial(20, x, y, 0.1, 0.1) - radial(1, x, y, 0, y) - radial(1, x, y, x, 0))
178
179
180 class PhiConstructor:
181     """
182     Constructs the phi potential matrix with an outer conductor, inner conductor, mesh points and an initial
    ↪ potential
183     guess.
184     """
185
186     def __init__(self, mesh):
187         outer_boundary = OuterConductorBoundary()
188         inner_boundary = QuarterInnerConductorBoundary()
189         self.boundaries = (inner_boundary, outer_boundary)
190         self.guesser = RadialPotentialGuesser(0, 15)
191         self.mesh = mesh
192
193     def construct_phi(self):
194         phi = Matrix.empty(self.mesh.num_rows, self.mesh.num_cols)
195         for i in range(self.mesh.num_rows):
196             y = self.mesh.get_y(i)
197             for j in range(self.mesh.num_cols):
198                 x = self.mesh.get_x(j)
199                 boundary_pt = False
200                 for boundary in self.boundaries:
201                     if boundary.contains_point(x, y):
202                         boundary_pt = True
203                         phi[i][j] = boundary.potential()
204                 if not boundary_pt:
205                     phi[i][j] = self.guesser.guess(x, y)
206         return phi
207
208
209 class SquareMeshConstructor:
210     """
211     Constructs a square mesh.
212     """
213
214     def __init__(self, size):
215         self.size = size
216
217     def construct_uniform_mesh(self, h):
218         """
219         Constructs a uniform mesh with the given node spacing.
220
221         :param h: the node spacing
222         :return: the constructed mesh
223         """
224         num_rows = num_cols = int(self.size / h) + 1
225         return SimpleMesh(h, num_rows, num_cols)
226
227     def construct_symmetric_uniform_mesh(self, h):
228         """
229         Construct a symmetric uniform mesh with the given node spacing.
230
231         :param h: the node spacing
232         :return: the constructed mesh
233         """
234         half_size = self.size / 2
235         num_rows = num_cols = int(half_size / h) + 2 # Only need to store up to middle
236         return SimpleMesh(h, num_rows, num_cols)
237
238     def construct_symmetric_non_uniform_mesh(self, x_values, y_values):
239         """
240         Construct a symmetric non-uniform mesh with the given adjacent x coordinates and y coordinates.
241
242         :param x_values: the values of successive x coordinates

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243         :param y_values: the values of successive y coordinates
244         :return: the constructed mesh
245         """
246         return NonUniformMesh(x_values, y_values)
247
248
249 class Mesh:
250     """
251     Finite-difference mesh.
252     """
253     __metaclass__ = ABCMeta
254
255     @abstractmethod
256     def get_x(self, j):
257         """
258         Get the x value at the specified index.
259
260         :param j: the column index.
261         """
262         raise NotImplementedError
263
264     @abstractmethod
265     def get_y(self, i):
266         """
267         Get the y value at the specified index.
268
269         :param i: the row index.
270         """
271         raise NotImplementedError
272
273     @abstractmethod
274     def get_i(self, y):
275         """
276         Get the row index of the specified y coordinate.
277
278         :param y: the y coordinate
279         """
280         raise NotImplementedError
281
282     @abstractmethod
283     def get_j(self, x):
284         """
285         Get the column index of the specified x coordinate.
286
287         :param x: the x coordinate
288         """
289         raise NotImplementedError
290
291     def point_to_indices(self, x, y):
292         """
293         Converts the given (x, y) point to (i, j) matrix indices.
294
295         :param x: the x coordinate
296         :param y: the y coordinate
297         :return: the (i, j) matrix indices
298         """
299         return self.get_i(y), self.get_j(x)
300
301     def indices_to_points(self, i, j):
302         """
303         Converts the given (i, j) matrix indices to an (x, y) point.
304
305         :param i: the row index
306         :param j: the column index
307         :return: the (x, y) point
308         """
309         return self.get_x(j), self.get_y(i)
310
311
312 class SimpleMesh(Mesh):

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313     def __init__(self, h, num_rows, num_cols):
314         self.h = h
315         self.num_rows = num_rows
316         self.num_cols = num_cols
317
318     def get_i(self, y):
319         return int(y / self.h)
320
321     def get_j(self, x):
322         return int(x / self.h)
323
324     def get_x(self, j):
325         return j * self.h
326
327     def get_y(self, i):
328         return i * self.h
329
330
331 class NonUniformMesh(Mesh):
332     def __init__(self, x_values, y_values):
333         self.x_values = x_values
334         self.y_values = y_values
335         self.num_rows = len(y_values)
336         self.num_cols = len(x_values)
337
338     def get_i(self, y):
339         return self.y_values.index(y)
340
341     def get_j(self, x):
342         return self.x_values.index(x)
343
344     def get_x(self, j):
345         return self.x_values[j]
346
347     def get_y(self, i):
348         return self.y_values[i]
349
350
351 class IterativeRelaxer:
352     """
353     Performs finite-difference iterative relaxation on a phi potential matrix associated with a mesh.
354     """
355
356     def __init__(self, relaxer, epsilon, phi, mesh):
357         self.relaxer = relaxer
358         self.epsilon = epsilon
359         self.phi = phi
360         self.boundary = QuarterInnerConductorBoundary()
361         self.num_iterations = 0
362         self.rows = len(phi)
363         self.cols = len(phi[0])
364         self.mesh = mesh
365         self.mid_i = mesh.get_i(MESH_SIZE / 2)
366         self.mid_j = mesh.get_j(MESH_SIZE / 2)
367
368     def relaxation(self):
369         """
370         Performs iterative relaxation until convergence is met.
371
372         :return: the current iterative relaxer object
373         """
374         while not self.convergence():
375             self.num_iterations += 1
376             self.relaxation_iteration()
377             self.relaxer.reset()
378         return self
379
380     def relaxation_iteration(self):
381         """
382         Performs one iteration of relaxation.

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383         """
384         for i in range(1, self.rows - 1):
385             y = self.mesh.get_y(i)
386             for j in range(1, self.cols - 1):
387                 x = self.mesh.get_x(j)
388                 if not self.boundary.contains_point(x, y):
389                     relaxed_value = self.relaxer.relax(self.phi, i, j)
390                     self.phi[i][j] = relaxed_value
391                     if i == self.mid_i - 1:
392                         self.phi[i + 2][j] = relaxed_value
393                     elif j == self.mid_j - 1:
394                         self.phi[i][j + 2] = relaxed_value
395
396     def convergence(self):
397         """
398         Checks if the phi matrix has reached convergence.
399
400         :return: True if the phi matrix has reached convergence, False otherwise
401         """
402         max_i, max_j = self.mesh.point_to_indices(0.1, 0.1) # Only need to compute for 1/4 of grid
403         for i in range(1, max_i + 1):
404             y = self.mesh.get_y(i)
405             for j in range(1, max_j + 1):
406                 x = self.mesh.get_x(j)
407                 if not self.boundary.contains_point(x, y) and self.relaxer.residual(self.phi, i, j) >=
408                     ↪ self.epsilon:
409                     return False
410             return True
411
412     def get_potential(self, x, y):
413         """
414         Get the potential at the given (x, y) point.
415
416         :param x: the x coordinate
417         :param y: the y coordinate
418         :return: the potential at the given (x, y) point
419         """
420         i, j = self.mesh.point_to_indices(x, y)
421         return self.phi[i][j]
422
423     def non_uniform_jacobi(epsilon, x_values, y_values):
424         """
425         Perform Jacobi relaxation on a non-uniform finite-difference mesh.
426
427         :param epsilon: the maximum error to achieve convergence
428         :param x_values: the values of successive x coordinates
429         :param y_values: the values of successive y coordinates
430         :return: the relaxer object
431         """
432         mesh = SquareMeshConstructor(MESH_SIZE).construct_symmetric_non_uniform_mesh(x_values, y_values)
433         relaxer = NonUniformRelaxer(mesh)
434         phi = PhiConstructor(mesh).construct_phi()
435         return IterativeRelaxer(relaxer, epsilon, phi, mesh).relaxation()
436
437     def successive_over_relaxation(omega, epsilon, h):
438         """
439         Perform SOR on a uniform symmetric finite-difference mesh.
440
441         :param omega: the omega value for SOR
442         :param epsilon: the maximum error to achieve convergence
443         :param h: the node spacing
444         :return: the relaxer object
445         """
446         mesh = SquareMeshConstructor(MESH_SIZE).construct_symmetric_uniform_mesh(h)
447         relaxer = SuccessiveOverRelaxer(omega)
448         phi = PhiConstructor(mesh).construct_phi()
449         return IterativeRelaxer(relaxer, epsilon, phi, mesh).relaxation()
450
451

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452
453 def jacobi_relaxation(epsilon, h):
454     """
455     Perform Jacobi relaxation on a uniform symmetric finite-difference mesh.
456
457     :param epsilon: the maximum error to achieve convergence
458     :param h: the node spacing
459     :return: the relaxer object
460     """
461     mesh = SquareMeshConstructor(MESH_SIZE).construct_symmetric_uniform_mesh(h)
462     relaxer = GaussSeidelRelaxer()
463     phi = PhiConstructor(mesh).construct_phi()
464     return IterativeRelaxer(relaxer, epsilon, phi, mesh).relaxation()

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Listing 8: Question 3 (q3.py).

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1  from __future__ import division
2
3  import time
4
5  import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
6  import numpy as np
7  import numpy.polynomial.polynomial as poly
8  import sympy as sp
9
10 from csv_saver import save_rows_to_csv
11 from finite_diff import successive_over_relaxation, jacobi_relaxation, \
12     non_uniform_jacobi
13
14 EPSILON = 0.00001
15 X_QUERY = 0.06
16 Y_QUERY = 0.04
17 NUM_H_ITERATIONS = 6
18
19
20 def q3():
21     o = q3b()
22     h_values, potential_values, iterations_values = q3c(o)
23     _, potential_values_jacobi, iterations_values_jacobi = q3d()
24     plot_sor_jacobi(h_values, potential_values, potential_values_jacobi, iterations_values,
25                     ↪ iterations_values_jacobi)
26     q3e()
27
28 def q3b():
29     """
30     Question 3(b): With  $h = 0.02$ , explore the effect of varying  $\omega$ .
31
32     :return: the best  $\omega$  value found for SOR
33     """
34     print('\n=== Question 3(b) ===')
35     h = 0.02
36     min_num_iterations = float('inf')
37     best_omega = float('inf')
38
39     omegas = []
40     num_iterations = []
41     potentials = []
42
43     for omega_diff in range(10):
44         omega = 1 + omega_diff / 10
45         print('Omega: {}'.format(omega))
46         iter_relaxer = successive_over_relaxation(omega, EPSILON, h)
47         print('Quarter grid: {}'.format(iter_relaxer.phi.mirror_horizontal()))
48         print('Num iterations: {}'.format(iter_relaxer.num_iterations))
49         potential = iter_relaxer.get_potential(X_QUERY, Y_QUERY)
50         print('Potential at ({}, {}): {:.3f} V'.format(X_QUERY, Y_QUERY, potential))
51         if iter_relaxer.num_iterations < min_num_iterations:
52             best_omega = omega

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53         min_num_iterations = min(min_num_iterations, iter_relaxer.num_iterations)
54
55         omegas.append(omega)
56         num_iterations.append(iter_relaxer.num_iterations)
57         potentials.append('{:.3f}'.format(potential))
58
59     print('Best number of iterations: {}'.format(min_num_iterations))
60     print('Best omega: {}'.format(best_omega))
61
62     f = plt.figure()
63     x_range = omegas
64     y_range = num_iterations
65     plt.plot(x_range, y_range, 'o-', label='Number of iterations')
66     plt.xlabel('$\omega$')
67     plt.ylabel('Number of Iterations')
68     plt.grid(True)
69     f.savefig('report/plots/q3b.pdf', bbox_inches='tight')
70
71     save_rows_to_csv('report/csv/q3b_potential.csv', zip(omegas, potentials), header=('Omega', 'Potential
    ↳ (V)'))
72     save_rows_to_csv('report/csv/q3b_iterations.csv', zip(omegas, num_iterations), header=('Omega',
    ↳ 'Iterations'))
73
74     return best_omega
75
76
77 def q3c(omega):
78     """
79     Question 3(c): With an appropriate value of  $w$ , chosen from the above experiment, explore the effect of
    ↳ decreasing
80      $h$  on the potential.
81
82     :param omega: the omega value to be used by SOR
83     :return: the  $h$  values, potential values and number of iterations
84     """
85     print('\n=== Question 3(c): SOR ===')
86     h = 0.04
87     h_values = []
88     potential_values = []
89     iterations_values = []
90     for i in range(NUM_H_ITERATIONS):
91         h = h / 2
92         print('h: {}'.format(h))
93         print('1/h: {}'.format(1 / h))
94         iter_relaxer = successive_over_relaxation(omega, EPSILON, h)
95         # print(phi.mirror_horizontal())
96         potential = iter_relaxer.get_potential(X_QUERY, Y_QUERY)
97         num_iterations = iter_relaxer.num_iterations
98
99         print('Num iterations: {}'.format(num_iterations))
100        print('Potential at ({}, {}): {:.3f} V'.format(X_QUERY, Y_QUERY, potential))
101
102        h_values.append(1 / h)
103        potential_values.append('{:.3f}'.format(potential))
104        iterations_values.append(num_iterations)
105
106    f = plt.figure()
107    x_range = h_values
108    y_range = potential_values
109    plt.plot(x_range, y_range, 'o-', label='Data points')
110
111    plt.xlabel('1 / h')
112    plt.ylabel('Potential at [0.06, 0.04] (V)')
113    plt.grid(True)
114    f.savefig('report/plots/q3c_potential.pdf', bbox_inches='tight')
115
116    f = plt.figure()
117    x_range = h_values
118    y_range = iterations_values
119

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120 x_new = np.linspace(x_range[0], x_range[-1], num=len(x_range) * 10)
121 polynomial_coeffs = poly.polyfit(x_range, y_range, deg=3)
122 polynomial_fit = poly.polyval(x_new, polynomial_coeffs)
123 N = sp.symbols("1/h")
124 poly_label = sum(sp.S("{:.5f}".format(v)) * N ** i for i, v in enumerate(polynomial_coeffs))
125 equation = '${}$'.format(sp.printing.latex(poly_label))
126 plt.plot(x_new, polynomial_fit, '{-}'.format('C0'), label=equation)
127
128 plt.plot(x_range, y_range, 'o', label='Data points')
129 plt.xlabel('1 / h')
130 plt.ylabel('Number of Iterations')
131 plt.grid(True)
132 plt.legend(fontsize='small')
133
134 f.savefig('report/plots/q3c_iterations.pdf', bbox_inches='tight')
135
136 save_rows_to_csv('report/csv/q3c_potential.csv', zip(h_values, potential_values), header=('1/h',
↵ 'Potential (V)'))
137 save_rows_to_csv('report/csv/q3c_iterations.csv', zip(h_values, iterations_values), header=('1/h',
↵ 'Iterations'))
138
139 return h_values, potential_values, iterations_values
140
141
142 def q3d():
143     """
144     Question 3(d): Use the Jacobi method to solve this problem for the same values of h used in part (c).
145
146     :return: the h values, potential values and number of iterations
147     """
148     print('\n=== Question 3(d): Jacobi ===')
149     h = 0.04
150     h_values = []
151     potential_values = []
152     iterations_values = []
153     for i in range(NUM_H_ITERATIONS):
154         h = h / 2
155         print('h: {}'.format(h))
156         iter_relaxer = jacobi_relaxation(EPSILON, h)
157         potential = iter_relaxer.get_potential(X_QUERY, Y_QUERY)
158         num_iterations = iter_relaxer.num_iterations
159
160         print('Num iterations: {}'.format(num_iterations))
161         print('Potential at ({}, {}): {:.3f} V'.format(X_QUERY, Y_QUERY, potential))
162
163         h_values.append(1 / h)
164         potential_values.append('{:.3f}'.format(potential))
165         iterations_values.append(num_iterations)
166
167     f = plt.figure()
168     x_range = h_values
169     y_range = potential_values
170     plt.plot(x_range, y_range, 'C1o-', label='Data points')
171     plt.xlabel('1 / h')
172     plt.ylabel('Potential at [0.06, 0.04] (V)')
173     plt.grid(True)
174     f.savefig('report/plots/q3d_potential.pdf', bbox_inches='tight')
175
176     f = plt.figure()
177     x_range = h_values
178     y_range = iterations_values
179     plt.plot(x_range, y_range, 'C1o', label='Data points')
180     plt.xlabel('1 / h')
181     plt.ylabel('Number of Iterations')
182
183     x_new = np.linspace(x_range[0], x_range[-1], num=len(x_range) * 10)
184     polynomial_coeffs = poly.polyfit(x_range, y_range, deg=4)
185     polynomial_fit = poly.polyval(x_new, polynomial_coeffs)
186     N = sp.symbols("1/h")

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187 poly_label = sum(sp.S("{:.5f}".format(v if i < 3 else -v)) * N ** i for i, v in
    ↪ enumerate(polynomial_coeffs))
188 equation = '${}$'.format(sp.printing.latex(poly_label))
189 plt.plot(x_new, polynomial_fit, '{}-'.format('C1'), label=equation)
190
191 plt.grid(True)
192 plt.legend(fontsize='small')
193
194 f.savefig('report/plots/q3d_iterations.pdf', bbox_inches='tight')
195
196 save_rows_to_csv('report/csv/q3d_potential.csv', zip(h_values, potential_values), header=('1/h',
    ↪ 'Potential (V)'))
197 save_rows_to_csv('report/csv/q3d_iterations.csv', zip(h_values, iterations_values), header=('1/h',
    ↪ 'Iterations'))
198
199 return h_values, potential_values, iterations_values
200
201
202 def q3e():
203     """
204     Question 3(e): Modify the program you wrote in part (a) to use the five-point difference formula
    ↪ derived in class
205     for non-uniform node spacing.
206     """
207     print('\n=== Question 3(e): Non-Uniform Node Spacing ===')
208
209     print('Jacobi (for reference)')
210     iter_relaxer = jacobi_relaxation(EPSILON, 0.01)
211     print('Quarter grid: {}'.format(iter_relaxer.phi.mirror_horizontal()))
212     print('Num iterations: {}'.format(iter_relaxer.num_iterations))
213     jacobi_potential = iter_relaxer.get_potential(X_QUERY, Y_QUERY)
214     print('Potential at ({}, {}): {:.3f} V'.format(X_QUERY, Y_QUERY, jacobi_potential))
215
216     print('Uniform Mesh (same as Jacobi)')
217     x_values = [0.00, 0.01, 0.02, 0.03, 0.04, 0.05, 0.06, 0.07, 0.08, 0.09, 0.1, 0.11]
218     y_values = [0.00, 0.01, 0.02, 0.03, 0.04, 0.05, 0.06, 0.07, 0.08, 0.09, 0.1, 0.11]
219     iter_relaxer = non_uniform_jacobi(EPSILON, x_values, y_values)
220     print('Quarter grid: {}'.format(iter_relaxer.phi.mirror_horizontal()))
221     print('Num iterations: {}'.format(iter_relaxer.num_iterations))
222     uniform_potential = iter_relaxer.get_potential(X_QUERY, Y_QUERY)
223     print('Potential at ({}, {}): {:.3f} V'.format(X_QUERY, Y_QUERY, uniform_potential))
224     print('Jacobi potential: {} V, same as uniform potential: {} V'.format(jacobi_potential,
    ↪ uniform_potential))
225
226     print('Non-Uniform (clustered around (0.06, 0.04))')
227     x_values = [0.00, 0.01, 0.02, 0.03, 0.05, 0.055, 0.06, 0.065, 0.07, 0.09, 0.1, 0.11]
228     y_values = [0.00, 0.01, 0.03, 0.035, 0.04, 0.045, 0.05, 0.07, 0.08, 0.09, 0.1, 0.11]
229     iter_relaxer = non_uniform_jacobi(EPSILON, x_values, y_values)
230     print('Quarter grid: {}'.format(iter_relaxer.phi.mirror_horizontal()))
231     print('Num iterations: {}'.format(iter_relaxer.num_iterations))
232     potential = iter_relaxer.get_potential(X_QUERY, Y_QUERY)
233     print('Potential at ({}, {}): {:.3f} V'.format(X_QUERY, Y_QUERY, potential))
234
235     print('Non-Uniform (more clustered around (0.06, 0.04))')
236     x_values = [0.00, 0.01, 0.02, 0.03, 0.055, 0.059, 0.06, 0.061, 0.065, 0.09, 0.1, 0.11]
237     y_values = [0.00, 0.01, 0.035, 0.039, 0.04, 0.041, 0.045, 0.07, 0.08, 0.09, 0.1, 0.11]
238     iter_relaxer = non_uniform_jacobi(EPSILON, x_values, y_values)
239     print('Quarter grid: {}'.format(iter_relaxer.phi.mirror_horizontal()))
240     print('Num iterations: {}'.format(iter_relaxer.num_iterations))
241     potential = iter_relaxer.get_potential(X_QUERY, Y_QUERY)
242     print('Potential at ({}, {}): {:.3f} V'.format(X_QUERY, Y_QUERY, potential))
243
244     print('Non-Uniform (clustered near outer conductor)')
245     x_values = [0.00, 0.020, 0.032, 0.044, 0.055, 0.06, 0.074, 0.082, 0.089, 0.096, 0.1, 0.14]
246     y_values = [0.00, 0.020, 0.032, 0.04, 0.055, 0.065, 0.074, 0.082, 0.089, 0.096, 0.1, 0.14]
247     iter_relaxer = non_uniform_jacobi(EPSILON, x_values, y_values)
248     print('Quarter grid: {}'.format(iter_relaxer.phi.mirror_horizontal()))
249     print('Num iterations: {}'.format(iter_relaxer.num_iterations))
250     potential = iter_relaxer.get_potential(X_QUERY, Y_QUERY)
251     print('Potential at ({}, {}): {:.3f} V'.format(X_QUERY, Y_QUERY, potential))

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252
253     plot_mesh(x_values, y_values)
254
255
256 def plot_mesh(x_values, y_values):
257     f = plt.figure()
258     ax = f.gca()
259     ax.set_aspect('equal', adjustable='box')
260     x_range = []
261     y_range = []
262     for x in x_values[:-1]:
263         for y in y_values[:-1]:
264             x_range.append(x)
265             y_range.append(y)
266     plt.plot(x_range, y_range, 'o', label='Mesh points')
267     plt.xlabel('x')
268     plt.ylabel('y')
269     plt.grid(True)
270     f.savefig('report/plots/q3e.pdf', bbox_inches='tight')
271
272
273 def plot_sor_jacobi(h_values, potential_values, potential_values_jacobi, iterations_values,
↳ iterations_values_jacobi):
274     f = plt.figure()
275     plt.plot(h_values, potential_values, 'o-', label='SOR')
276     plt.plot(h_values, potential_values_jacobi, 'o-', label='Jacobi')
277     plt.xlabel('1 / h')
278     plt.ylabel('Potential at [0.06, 0.04] (V)')
279     plt.grid(True)
280     plt.legend()
281     f.savefig('report/plots/q3d-potential-comparison.pdf', bbox_inches='tight')
282
283     f = plt.figure()
284     plt.plot(h_values, iterations_values, 'o-', label='SOR')
285     plt.plot(h_values, iterations_values_jacobi, 'o-', label='Jacobi')
286     plt.xlabel('1 / h')
287     plt.ylabel('Number of Iterations')
288     plt.grid(True)
289     plt.legend()
290     f.savefig('report/plots/q3d-iterations-comparison.pdf', bbox_inches='tight')
291
292
293 if __name__ == '__main__':
294     t = time.time()
295     q3()
296     print('Total runtime: {} s'.format(time.time() - t))

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B Output Logs

Listing 9: Output of Question 1 program (q1.txt).

```

1  === Question 1(b) ===
2  n=2 matrix is positive-definite: True
3  n=3 matrix is positive-definite: True
4  n=4 matrix is positive-definite: True
5
6  === Question 1(c) ===
7  Matrix with n=2:
8  A:
9    25.00   5.00
10   5.00  10.00
11  b:
12  215.00
13   70.00
14  Expected x:
15    8.00
16    3.00

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17 Actual x:
18     8.00
19     3.00
20 Matrix with n=3:
21 A:
22     9.00    3.00   24.00
23     3.00    5.00   18.00
24    24.00   18.00   90.00
25 b:
26   165.00
27   101.00
28   558.00
29 Expected x:
30     9.00
31     4.00
32     3.00
33 Actual x:
34     9.00
35     4.00
36     3.00
37 Matrix with n=4:
38 A:
39     1.00    2.00    5.00    7.00
40     2.00   68.00   50.00   30.00
41     5.00   50.00   66.00   77.00
42     7.00   30.00   77.00  166.00
43 b:
44     81.00
45    602.00
46    984.00
47   1726.00
48 Expected x:
49     5.00
50     4.00
51     1.00
52     9.00
53 Actual x:
54     5.00
55     4.00
56     1.00
57     9.00
58
59 === Question 1(d) ===
60 Solved for x in network 1:
61 V1 = 5.000 V
62 Solved for x in network 2:
63 V1 = 50.000 V
64 Solved for x in network 3:
65 V1 = 55.000 V
66 Solved for x in network 4:
67 V1 = 20.000 V
68 V2 = 35.000 V
69 Solved for x in network 5:
70 V1 = 5.000 V
71 V2 = 3.750 V
72 V3 = 3.750 V
73 Solved for x in network 6:
74 V1 = 4.443 V
75 V2 = 5.498 V
76 V3 = 3.036 V
77 V4 = 3.200 V
78 V5 = 1.301 V

```

Listing 10: Output of Question 2 program (q2.txt).

```

1  === Question 2(a)(b) ===
2  Equivalent resistance for 2x4 mesh: 1875.00 Ohms.
3  Runtime: 0.000999927520752 s.
4  Equivalent resistance for 3x6 mesh: 2379.55 Ohms.

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5 Runtime: 0.0169999599457 s.
6 Equivalent resistance for 4x8 mesh: 2741.03 Ohms.
7 Runtime: 0.100000143051 s.
8 Equivalent resistance for 5x10 mesh: 3022.82 Ohms.
9 Runtime: 0.481999874115 s.
10 Equivalent resistance for 6x12 mesh: 3253.68 Ohms.
11 Runtime: 1.46099996567 s.
12 Equivalent resistance for 7x14 mesh: 3449.17 Ohms.
13 Runtime: 3.26600003242 s.
14 Equivalent resistance for 8x16 mesh: 3618.67 Ohms.
15 Runtime: 7.53400015831 s.
16 Equivalent resistance for 9x18 mesh: 3768.29 Ohms.
17 Runtime: 15.001999855 s.
18 Equivalent resistance for 10x20 mesh: 3902.19 Ohms.
19 Runtime: 28.3630001545 s.
20 === Question 2(c) ===
21 Equivalent resistance for 2x4 mesh: 1875.00 Ohms.
22 Runtime: 0.00100016593933 s.
23 Equivalent resistance for 3x6 mesh: 2379.55 Ohms.
24 Runtime: 0.0169999599457 s.
25 Equivalent resistance for 4x8 mesh: 2741.03 Ohms.
26 Runtime: 0.0950000286102 s.
27 Equivalent resistance for 5x10 mesh: 3022.82 Ohms.
28 Runtime: 0.378000020981 s.
29 Equivalent resistance for 6x12 mesh: 3253.68 Ohms.
30 Runtime: 1.19199991226 s.
31 Equivalent resistance for 7x14 mesh: 3449.17 Ohms.
32 Runtime: 3.05200004578 s.
33 Equivalent resistance for 8x16 mesh: 3618.67 Ohms.
34 Runtime: 6.9430000782 s.
35 Equivalent resistance for 9x18 mesh: 3768.29 Ohms.
36 Runtime: 14.2189998627 s.
37 Equivalent resistance for 10x20 mesh: 3902.19 Ohms.
38 Runtime: 26.763999939 s.
39 === Question 2(d) ===

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Listing 11: Output of Question 3 program (q3.txt).

```

1 === Question 3(b) ===
2 Omega: 1.0
3 Quarter grid:
4   0.00  3.96  8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
5   0.00  4.25  9.09 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
6   0.00  3.96  8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
7   0.00  3.03  6.18  9.25 10.29 10.55 10.29
8   0.00  1.97  3.88  5.53  6.37  6.61  6.37
9   0.00  0.96  1.86  2.61  3.04  3.17  3.04
10  0.00  0.00  0.00  0.00  0.00  0.00  0.00
11 Num iterations: 32
12 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.526 V
13 Omega: 1.1
14 Quarter grid:
15   0.00  3.96  8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
16   0.00  4.25  9.09 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
17   0.00  3.96  8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
18   0.00  3.03  6.18  9.25 10.29 10.55 10.29
19   0.00  1.97  3.88  5.53  6.37  6.61  6.37
20   0.00  0.96  1.86  2.61  3.04  3.17  3.04
21   0.00  0.00  0.00  0.00  0.00  0.00  0.00
22 Num iterations: 26
23 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.526 V
24 Omega: 1.2
25 Quarter grid:
26   0.00  3.96  8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
27   0.00  4.25  9.09 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
28   0.00  3.96  8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
29   0.00  3.03  6.18  9.25 10.29 10.55 10.29
30   0.00  1.97  3.88  5.53  6.37  6.61  6.37
31   0.00  0.96  1.86  2.61  3.04  3.17  3.04

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32 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
33 Num iterations: 20
34 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.526 V
35 Omega: 1.3
36 Quarter grid:
37 0.00 3.96 8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
38 0.00 4.25 9.09 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
39 0.00 3.96 8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
40 0.00 3.03 6.18 9.25 10.29 10.55 10.29
41 0.00 1.97 3.88 5.53 6.37 6.61 6.37
42 0.00 0.96 1.86 2.61 3.04 3.17 3.04
43 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
44 Num iterations: 14
45 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.526 V
46 Omega: 1.4
47 Quarter grid:
48 0.00 3.96 8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
49 0.00 4.25 9.09 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
50 0.00 3.96 8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
51 0.00 3.03 6.18 9.25 10.29 10.55 10.29
52 0.00 1.97 3.88 5.53 6.37 6.61 6.37
53 0.00 0.96 1.86 2.61 3.04 3.17 3.04
54 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
55 Num iterations: 16
56 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.526 V
57 Omega: 1.5
58 Quarter grid:
59 0.00 3.96 8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
60 0.00 4.25 9.09 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
61 0.00 3.96 8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
62 0.00 3.03 6.18 9.25 10.29 10.55 10.29
63 0.00 1.97 3.88 5.53 6.37 6.61 6.37
64 0.00 0.96 1.86 2.61 3.04 3.17 3.04
65 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
66 Num iterations: 20
67 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.526 V
68 Omega: 1.6
69 Quarter grid:
70 0.00 3.96 8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
71 0.00 4.25 9.09 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
72 0.00 3.96 8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
73 0.00 3.03 6.18 9.25 10.29 10.55 10.29
74 0.00 1.97 3.88 5.53 6.37 6.61 6.37
75 0.00 0.96 1.86 2.61 3.04 3.17 3.04
76 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
77 Num iterations: 27
78 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.526 V
79 Omega: 1.7
80 Quarter grid:
81 0.00 3.96 8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
82 0.00 4.25 9.09 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
83 0.00 3.96 8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
84 0.00 3.03 6.18 9.25 10.29 10.55 10.29
85 0.00 1.97 3.88 5.53 6.37 6.61 6.37
86 0.00 0.96 1.86 2.61 3.04 3.17 3.04
87 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
88 Num iterations: 39
89 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.526 V
90 Omega: 1.8
91 Quarter grid:
92 0.00 3.96 8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
93 0.00 4.25 9.09 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
94 0.00 3.96 8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
95 0.00 3.03 6.18 9.25 10.29 10.55 10.29
96 0.00 1.97 3.88 5.53 6.37 6.61 6.37
97 0.00 0.96 1.86 2.61 3.04 3.17 3.04
98 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
99 Num iterations: 60
100 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.526 V
101 Omega: 1.9

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102 Quarter grid:
103 0.00 3.96 8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
104 0.00 4.25 9.09 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
105 0.00 3.96 8.56 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
106 0.00 3.03 6.18 9.25 10.29 10.55 10.29
107 0.00 1.97 3.88 5.53 6.37 6.61 6.37
108 0.00 0.96 1.86 2.61 3.04 3.17 3.04
109 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
110 Num iterations: 127
111 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.526 V
112 Best number of iterations: 14
113 Best omega: 1.3
114 === Question 3(c): SOR ===
115 h: 0.02
116 1/h: 50.0
117 Num iterations: 14
118 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.526 V
119 h: 0.01
120 1/h: 100.0
121 Num iterations: 59
122 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.351 V
123 h: 0.005
124 1/h: 200.0
125 Num iterations: 189
126 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.289 V
127 h: 0.0025
128 1/h: 400.0
129 Num iterations: 552
130 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.265 V
131 h: 0.00125
132 1/h: 800.0
133 Num iterations: 1540
134 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.254 V
135 h: 0.000625
136 1/h: 1600.0
137 Num iterations: 4507
138 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.247 V
139 === Question 3(d): Jacobi ===
140 h: 0.02
141 Num iterations: 51
142 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.526 V
143 h: 0.01
144 Num iterations: 180
145 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.351 V
146 h: 0.005
147 Num iterations: 604
148 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.289 V
149 h: 0.0025
150 Num iterations: 1935
151 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.265 V
152 h: 0.00125
153 Num iterations: 5836
154 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.254 V
155 h: 0.000625
156 Num iterations: 16864
157 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.246 V
158 Total runtime: 1724.82099986
159 === Question 3(e): Non-Uniform Node Spacing ===
160 Jacobi (for reference)
161 Quarter grid:
162 0.00 1.99 4.06 6.29 8.78 11.66 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
163 0.00 2.03 4.14 6.41 8.95 11.82 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
164 0.00 1.99 4.06 6.29 8.78 11.66 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
165 0.00 1.87 3.81 5.89 8.23 11.04 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
166 0.00 1.69 3.42 5.24 7.19 9.28 11.33 12.14 12.50 12.66 12.71 12.66
167 0.00 1.46 2.95 4.47 6.02 7.55 8.90 9.73 10.20 10.44 10.51 10.44
168 0.00 1.22 2.44 3.66 4.87 6.01 6.99 7.69 8.14 8.38 8.45 8.38
169 0.00 0.96 1.92 2.87 3.78 4.63 5.35 5.90 6.27 6.48 6.55 6.48
170 0.00 0.71 1.42 2.11 2.77 3.37 3.89 4.29 4.57 4.73 4.79 4.73
171 0.00 0.47 0.94 1.39 1.81 2.20 2.53 2.80 2.98 3.09 3.13 3.09

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172 0.00 0.23 0.46 0.69 0.90 1.09 1.25 1.38 1.47 1.53 1.55 1.53
173 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
174 Num iterations: 106
175 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.351 V
176 Uniform Mesh (same as Jacobi)
177 Quarter grid:
178 0.00 1.99 4.06 6.29 8.78 11.66 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
179 0.00 2.03 4.14 6.41 8.95 11.82 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
180 0.00 1.99 4.06 6.29 8.78 11.66 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
181 0.00 1.87 3.81 5.89 8.23 11.04 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
182 0.00 1.69 3.42 5.24 7.19 9.28 11.33 12.14 12.50 12.66 12.71 12.66
183 0.00 1.46 2.95 4.47 6.02 7.55 8.90 9.73 10.20 10.44 10.51 10.44
184 0.00 1.22 2.44 3.66 4.87 6.01 6.99 7.69 8.14 8.38 8.45 8.38
185 0.00 0.96 1.92 2.87 3.79 4.63 5.35 5.90 6.27 6.48 6.55 6.48
186 0.00 0.71 1.42 2.11 2.77 3.37 3.89 4.29 4.57 4.73 4.79 4.73
187 0.00 0.47 0.94 1.39 1.81 2.20 2.53 2.80 2.98 3.09 3.13 3.09
188 0.00 0.23 0.46 0.69 0.90 1.09 1.25 1.38 1.47 1.53 1.55 1.53
189 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
190 Num iterations: 209
191 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.351 V
192 Jacobi potential: 5.35062156679 V, same as uniform potential: 5.35067998265 V
193 Non-Uniform (clustered around (0.06, 0.04))
194 Quarter grid:
195 0.00 2.00 4.08 6.33 11.61 13.25 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
196 0.00 2.04 4.17 6.45 11.80 13.37 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
197 0.00 2.00 4.08 6.33 11.61 13.25 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
198 0.00 1.89 3.84 5.93 10.90 12.71 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
199 0.00 1.71 3.45 5.28 9.27 10.26 11.15 11.74 12.14 12.66 12.71 12.66
200 0.00 1.21 2.43 3.66 6.06 6.57 7.03 7.42 7.75 8.38 8.45 8.38
201 0.00 1.09 2.18 3.26 5.35 5.78 6.18 6.52 6.81 7.41 7.48 7.41
202 0.00 0.96 1.92 2.87 4.66 5.04 5.38 5.67 5.93 6.48 6.55 6.48
203 0.00 0.84 1.67 2.48 4.01 4.33 4.62 4.87 5.09 5.59 5.65 5.59
204 0.00 0.71 1.42 2.11 3.39 3.65 3.89 4.11 4.29 4.72 4.77 4.72
205 0.00 0.23 0.47 0.69 1.10 1.19 1.26 1.33 1.39 1.54 1.56 1.54
206 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
207 Num iterations: 385
208 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.378 V
209 Non-Uniform (more clustered around (0.06, 0.04))
210 Quarter grid:
211 0.00 2.03 4.14 6.41 13.24 14.65 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
212 0.00 2.07 4.22 6.53 13.40 14.68 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
213 0.00 2.03 4.14 6.41 13.24 14.65 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
214 0.00 1.92 3.90 6.02 12.55 14.45 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
215 0.00 1.73 3.51 5.36 10.40 11.09 11.24 11.38 11.86 12.65 12.71 12.65
216 0.00 1.10 2.19 3.28 5.90 6.21 6.29 6.36 6.62 7.44 7.51 7.44
217 0.00 1.00 1.99 2.97 5.28 5.56 5.62 5.69 5.92 6.69 6.75 6.69
218 0.00 0.97 1.94 2.89 5.13 5.40 5.46 5.52 5.75 6.50 6.57 6.50
219 0.00 0.94 1.88 2.81 4.98 5.24 5.30 5.36 5.58 6.32 6.38 6.32
220 0.00 0.84 1.68 2.50 4.39 4.62 4.68 4.73 4.92 5.60 5.66 5.60
221 0.00 0.24 0.47 0.70 1.21 1.28 1.29 1.31 1.36 1.56 1.57 1.56
222 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
223 Num iterations: 1337
224 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.461 V
225 Non-Uniform (clustered near outer conductor)
226 Quarter grid:
227 0.00 4.38 7.21 10.30 13.47 7.42 8.97 9.82 10.43 10.80 10.86 7.63
228 0.00 4.46 7.34 10.46 13.55 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
229 0.00 4.38 7.21 10.30 13.47 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
230 0.00 4.19 6.91 9.94 13.24 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00 15.00
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240 Potential at (0.06, 0.04): 5.243 V

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