

Due: at the time of the in-class portion of the final. This work is voluntary.  
 At most 20/100 points is given for each of the following problems. PLEASE submit neat work... points taken off for messy work.

① We considered the following system

$$(\mathbb{I} - C)\tilde{x} = \tilde{d}$$

The claim is that if  $|C| < 1$  then

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=0}^N C^i = (\mathbb{I} - C)^{-1} \quad (\dagger)$$

(the

norm of the matrix. Norms are ways of measuring the "size" of a matrix. We will not cover this in 341 (covered in 342))

Goal: to confirm  $(\dagger)$  by taking  $N=0, 1, 2, \dots$  and showing that the more terms you take in the finite sum, the closer you get to  $(\mathbb{I} - C)^{-1}$

Use Matlab, python in the following

① Create a matrix  $C \in \mathbb{R}^{50 \times 50}$  and

$A \in \mathbb{R}^{50 \times 50}$ , where  $A = (\mathbb{I} - C)^{-1}$

$n = 50$ ;

$C = \text{zeros}(n)$ ;  $A = \text{zeros}(n)$ ;

for  $i:i = 1:n$

$dx = 10^{-5} + (0.99 - 10^{-5}) * \text{rand};$

$C(i:i, i:i) = dx;$

$A(i:i, i:i) = 1/(1-dx);$

end

$C$  is a diagonal matrix, and  $A = (\mathbb{I} - C)^{-1}$  also diagonal.

② Confirm that  $A \cdot (\mathbb{I} - C) = \mathbb{I}$ .

③ Let  $M_N = \sum_{i=0}^N C^i$ . Let  $W = \mathbb{I} - C$ .

The eigenvalues of  $C$  are the diagonal entries and if  $|\lambda_i| < 1$  for  $1 \leq i \leq n$ , then  $(t)$  holds:

The claim is thus that

$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} M_N * W = \mathbb{I}$ .

Make a table and/or figure

that consists of

$N$	$\text{norm}(M_N * W; 2) = D$
0	:
1	:
2	:
3	:
4	:
:	:

or  $\text{plot}(N, D)$ .

- (ii)  $D$  should approach 1 as  $N \rightarrow \infty$ . Confirm this with table or plot.

(II)

In class we often said that in solving

$$(L) \quad \underline{A}\underline{x} = \underline{b} \quad A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}; \underline{x}, \underline{b} \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

for the unknown  $\underline{x}$ , we avoid

direct use of the formula

$$\underline{x} = \underline{A}^{-1} \underline{b} \quad (\text{when } n \text{ is large})$$

because computing  $\underline{A}^{-1}$  is very expensive  
(and sometimes very numerically unstable).

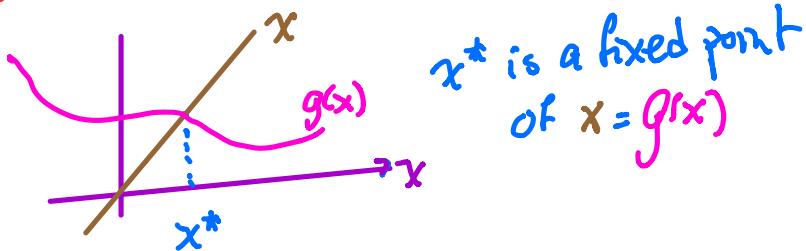
There are a whole class of methods for solving (approximately) ( $\mathcal{E}$ ) called **Iterative Methods**

Finding the root(s) of an equation

$h(x) = 0$   
can be written as a fixed point problem

$$h(x) = x - g(x) = 0$$

Hence the root(s) of  $h(x) = 0$   
satisfy  $x = g(x)$  a fixed point  
problem



The fixed point is unique over an interval in  $x$  for which  $|g'(x)| < 1$ . Assume  $|g'(x)| < 1$  then

The map  $x_{n+1} = g(x_n)$   $n=0,1,2\dots$

$x_0$  an initial guess  
 $\text{as } n \rightarrow \infty \quad x_n \rightarrow x^*$ . That is,

will converge to  $\underline{x}^* = g(\underline{x}^*)$ .

Let's go back to solving  $A\underline{x} = \underline{b}$ .

We'll write  $A = T - D$  (many ways to do this)

$$T\underline{x} - D\underline{x} = \underline{b}$$

$$\text{or } T\underline{x} = D\underline{x} + \underline{b}$$

The idea is to choose  $T$  to be easily invertible, so

$$\underline{x} = T^{-1}(D\underline{x} + \underline{b}) = T^{-1}D\underline{x} + T^{-1}\underline{b}$$

Now, in order to exploit the fixed point idea, choose  $T$  so that  $|T^{-1}D| < 1$

so that  $\begin{cases} \underline{x}_{n+1} = T^{-1}D\underline{x}_n + T^{-1}\underline{b}, n=0,1,2\dots \\ \underline{x}_0 \text{ a guess} \end{cases}$

will converge as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  to the solution

$\underline{x}$ , which is a solution to  $A\underline{x} = \underline{b}$ .

Jacobi Iteration: suppose that the matrix  $A$  is "diagonally dominant": this is the case when  $|a_{ii}| > \sum_{j \neq i} |a_{ij}| \quad 1 \leq i \leq n$

the absolute value of the diagonal entry > the sum of the absolute value of the off-diagonal elements in each row.

In that case, let  $T = \text{diag}(A)$   
 $A$  matrix of the diagonal elements of  $A$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots \\ \vdots & \ddots & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix} = T - D$$

$$T = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & & & & 0 \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & & & \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} & \cdots & \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & a_{nn} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$D = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -a_{12} & -a_{13} & \cdots & -a_{1n} \\ -a_{21} & 0 & -a_{23} & \cdots & -a_{2n} \\ -a_{31} & -a_{32} & 0 & \cdots & \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \ddots & 0 \\ -a_{n1} & -a_{n2} & -a_{n3} & \cdots & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{So } \underline{x}_{n+1} = T^{-1} D \underline{x}_n + T^{-1} \underline{b}$$

$\underline{x}_0$  some initial guess.

In Matlab  $n=100$ ;

$T=zeros(n); D=T;$

$A=rand(n)+n*eye(n);$

$s=rand(n,1);$

$\underline{b} = \underline{A} \underline{s};$

So for  $\underline{A} \underline{s} = \underline{b}$ , we know what  
the solution  $\underline{s}$  is.

$A$  has been built so that it is diagonally  
dominant, but check yourself.

Assign  $T$  the matrix with diagonal entries  
of  $A$ . Then  $D=T-A$ . Find  $T^{-1}$  (analytically)

Pick  $s_0$  random  $x_0 \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , write a loop

$m x = s_0;$

$x(:,1) = rand(n,1);$

$K = T^{-1}; %$  Finding the inverse of  $T$  is

% trivial. Do it analytically.

$L = K * D;$

$B = K * b;$

for  $jj = 1:m$

$x(:, jj+1) = L * x(:, jj) + B;$

$\text{normdist}(jj) = \text{norm}(x(:, jj+1) - S(:, 1));$

end

$\text{plot}(\text{normdist})$

From the plot, what can you  
conclude?