

Thm: Let CG be applied to an SPD matrix A to solve $A\hat{x}=b$, where A and b are known.

Let $\text{cond}(A) = \kappa(A)$. In $\|A\|_2 = \frac{|\lambda_{\text{largest}}|}{|\lambda_{\text{smallest}}|}$
 $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$, $b \in \mathbb{R}^m$.

Also let error at iterate n be $e_n = x_n - \hat{x}$.

Also for $f \in \mathbb{R}^m$, let $\|f\|_A = \sqrt{f^T A f}$

the A -norm:

For CG

$$\|e_n\|_A \leq \|e_{n-1}\|_A$$

and $e_n = 0$ is achieved for some $n \leq m$

and \hat{x} is the unique minimizer of

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2} x^T A x - x^T b$$

Thm' Rate of Convergence:

$$\frac{\|e_n\|_A}{\|e_0\|_A} \leq 2 \left(\frac{\sqrt{\kappa} - 1}{\sqrt{\kappa} + 1} \right)^n. \text{ In fact, for}$$

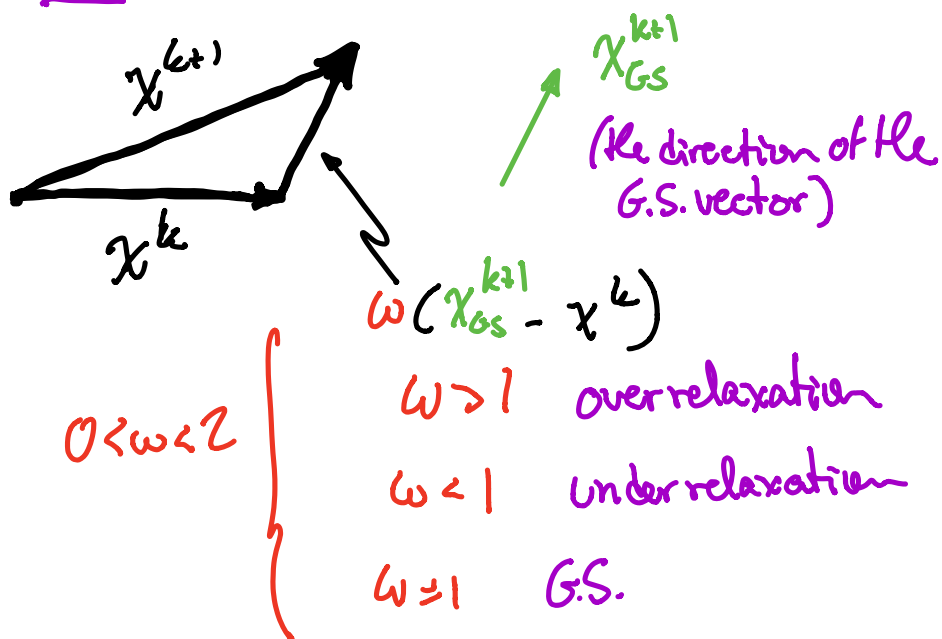
$k \rightarrow \infty,$

$$\frac{\|e_k\|_A}{\|e_0\|_A} \sim 1 - \frac{2}{\sqrt{k}}.$$

Which

implies that for large k , convergence to some tolerance is expected in $O(\sqrt{k})$ iterations.

Prmk: Let's revisit SOR: $x^{k+1} = x^k + \omega(x_{GS}^{k+1} - x^k).$



SOR is also a line search