A Tuned Preconditioner for Inexact Inverse Iteration

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Motivation

- Inexact Inverse Iteration
- 3 Krylov solvers
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- $Ax = \lambda Mx$
- simple (λ_1, x_1) : $Ax_1 = \lambda_1 M x_1$
- Large sparse nonsymmetric matrices
- Stability calculations for linearised N-S using Mixed FEM
- Hopf bifurcation: λ complex
- Jacobi-Davidson, Arnoldi,...
- Inverse Iteration with iterative solves for shifted linear systems
- (a)costs of system solves (b)theory for symmetric problems



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Inexact inverse iteration (an inner-outer iteration)

•
$$Ax = \lambda Mx$$
, $(A - \sigma M)^{-1}Mx = \frac{1}{\lambda - \sigma}x$

• Fixed shift,
$$x^{(0)}$$
, $e^{H}x^{(0)} = 1$



for
$$i = 1$$
 to ... do
choose $\tau^{(i)}$
solve

$$||(A - \sigma M)y^{(i)} - Mx^{(i)}|| \le \tau^{(i)}$$

update eigenvector $x^{(i+1)} = \frac{y^{(i)}}{c^H y^{(i)}}$, update eigenval $\lambda^{(i+1)} =$ Ray. Quot. e-value residual $r^{(i+1)} = (A - \lambda^{(i+1)}M)x^{(i+1)}$. end for



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PDE Example

Consider

$$-\Delta u + 5u_x + 5u_y = \lambda u$$

- Finite Difference Discretisation: $A_1 x = \lambda x$
- Finite Element Discretisation: $A_2 x = \lambda M_2 x$

Apply inexact inverse iteration with fixed shift σ and decreasing tolerance:

$$(A_1 - \sigma I)y^{(i)} = x^{(i)}, \quad (A_2 - \sigma M_2)y^{(i)} = M_2 x^{(i)}.$$



PDE Example: Numerics

Inner v. outer iterations





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- What implications are there for preconditioned iterative solvers?
- What can we prove for the symmetric case?



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- Nonsymmetric: $Ax = \lambda Mx$ [Lai/Lin/Wen-Wei (1997); Golub/Ye (2000); Berns-Müller/Sp (2006)]
- If $\tau^{(i)} = C \| r^{(i)} \|$ then LINEAR convergence



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• If
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 then

$$k \ge C_1 + C_2 \log \frac{\|b\|}{\tau}$$

• Bound on k increases as τ decreases



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• to achieve
$$\|b - By_k\| \leq \tau$$
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$$k \ge C_3 + C_4 \log \frac{\|Qb\|}{\tau}$$

• Bound on k depends on $\frac{\|Qb\|}{\tau}$



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$\overline{(A - \sigma M)y^{(i)}} = Mx^{(i)}$

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- Re-arrange to:

$$Mx^{(i)} = \mathbb{T}x^{(i)}$$

• Implement by rank-one change to Identity:

$$\mathbb{T} := I + (Mx^{(i)} - x^{(i)})\mathbf{c}^H \quad (\mathbf{c}^H x^{(i)} = 1)$$

So

$$\mathbb{T}x^{(i)} = x^{(i)} + (Mx^{(i)} - x^{(i)})\mathbf{c}^H x^{(i)} = Mx^{(i)}$$

 \bullet Use Sherman-Morrison to get action of \mathbb{T}^{-1}



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Flow past a circular cylinder (incompressible Navier-Stokes)

- Re = 25, $\lambda \approx \pm 10i$
- Mixed FEM: $Q_2 Q_1$ elements
- Elman preconditioner: 2-level additive Schwarz
- ≈ 54000 degrees of freedom



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Figure: Fixed Shift

Figure: Rayleigh Quotient Shift





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- Remember $Ax_1 = \lambda_1 M x_1$, so condition $\mathbb{P}x^{(i)} \approx \lambda^{(i)} M x^{(i)}$?
- Take

$$\mathbb{P}x^{(i)} = Ax^{(i)}$$

since then

$$\mathbb{P}x^{(i)} = \lambda^{(i)}Mx^{(i)} + (Ax^{(i)} - \lambda^{(i)}Mx^{(i)})$$



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Implementation of $\mathbb{P}x^{(i)} = Ax^{(i)}$

- Given P_S
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• Given P_S

• Evaluate
$$u^{(i)} = Ax^{(i)} - P_S x^{(i)}$$

• Rank-one update:

$$\mathbb{P} = P_S + u^{(i)} \mathbf{c}^H$$

$$\mathbb{P}x^{(i)} = P_S x^{(i)} + u^{(i)} \mathbf{c}^H x^{(i)} = P_S x^{(i)} + u^{(i)} = A x^{(i)}$$

• Use Sherman-Morrison - one extra backsolve per outer iteration



Example

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Convergence rates: symmetric problems - variable shifts

Decreasing tolerance $\tau^{(i)} = C ||r^{(i)}|| = \mathcal{O}(\sin \theta^{(i)})$

• Rayleigh quotient shift $\sigma^{(i)} = \rho(x^{(i)}) = \frac{x^{(i)T}Ax^{(i)}}{x^{(i)T}x^{(i)}}$: cubic convergence

Fixed tolerance $\tau^{(i)} = \tau$

- convergence still possible
- Rayleigh quotient shift: quadratic convergence



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Unpreconditioned MINRES $(A - \sigma I)y = x$

Number of inner solves for each i for $\|x^{(i)} - (A - \sigma^{(i)}I)y^{(i)}\| \leq \tau^{(i)}$

$$k \ge C_1 + C_2 \log \frac{\|\mathcal{Q}x^{(i)}\|_2}{|\lambda_1 - \sigma^{(i)}|\tau^{(i)}|}$$

2 Interplay between the shift, solve tolerance and right hand side



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Preconditioning

Incomplete Cholesky preconditioning

$$A = LL^T + E$$

symmetric preconditioning of $(A - \sigma I)y^{(i)} = x^{(i)}$:

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Remarks

- $L^{-1}x^{(i)}$ is not a "good" rhs for $L^{-1}(A \sigma I)L^{-T}$
- **2** k increases with i for $\tau^{(i)} = C \|r^{(i)}\|$ even for fixed shift.



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$I modify \ L \to \mathbb{L}$

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modify L → L L⁻¹(A − σI)L^{-T} ỹ⁽ⁱ⁾ = L⁻¹x⁽ⁱ⁾, y⁽ⁱ⁾ = L^{-T} ỹ⁽ⁱ⁾

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Ask that





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 is current eigenvector approximation

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• Note:
$$\mathbb{LL}^T = LL^T + \frac{1}{e^{(i)^T} x^{(i)}} u^{(i)} u^{(i)^T}$$

(2) \mathbb{L} is a rank-one update of L, and \mathbb{LL}^T is a rank-one update of LL^T .



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Example

- SPD matrix from the Matrix Market library (nos5: 3 story building with attached tower)
- seek eigenvalue near fixed shift $\sigma=100$
- $A \approx LL^T$, incomplete Cholesky factorisation (drop tol. = 0.1)
- compare standard and tuned preconditioner



Fixed shift solves



- total number of inner iterations using standard preconditioner: 2026
- total number of inner iterations using tuned preconditioner: 779



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Spectral properties of preconditioned matrix

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$$\mathbb{L}^{-1}(A - \sigma I)\mathbb{L}^{-T}\hat{w} = \xi \hat{w}$$

Theorem - no (i)

If $\sigma \notin \Lambda(A)$ then $\mu, \xi \neq 0$ and

$$\min_{\mu \in \Lambda(L^{-1}(A-\sigma I)L^{-T})} \left| \frac{\mu - \xi}{\xi} \right| \le |\gamma v^T v|,$$

where $\gamma = 1/(u^T x)$ and $v = L^{-1}u$.



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- If $\gamma > 0$ eigenvalues are moved towards the origin.
- If $\gamma < 0$ eigenvalues are moved away from the origin.



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Rank-one perturbation of a symmetric matrix





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Interlacing property



- μ and ξ interlace each other depending on the sign of γ
- Clustering properties are preserved
- reduced condition number $\kappa_L^1 \leq \kappa_L^1 \leq \kappa_L^1 (1 + \gamma v^T v)$



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Another approach: Changing the right hand side

Approach by Simoncini/Eldén

Instead of solving

$$L^{-1}(A - \sigma^{(i)}I)L^{-T}\tilde{y}^{(i)} = L^{-1}x^{(i)}, \quad y^{(i)} = \mathbb{L}^{-T}\tilde{y}^{(i)}$$

change the right hand side

$$L^{-1}(A - \sigma^{(i)}I)L^{-T}\tilde{y}^{(i)} = L^{T}x^{(i)}, \quad y^{(i)} = L^{-T}\tilde{y}^{(i)}$$



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Comparison

Tuned preconditioner and Simoncini & Eldén approach

Example nos5.mtx from Matrix Market. Solves to fixed tolerance $\tau = 0.01$. Rayleigh quotient shift. Quadratic convergence for both methods.

	Simoncini & Eldén		Tuned preconditioner	
	Drop Tolerances			
OUTER ITERATION	0.25	0.1	0.25	0.1
1	67	62	29	26
2	74	66	56	55
3	85	75	71	67
4	63		18	
total	289	203	174	148



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Conclusion

• When preconditioning an eigenvalue problem think of adding the property

$$\mathbb{P}x^{(i)} = Ax^{(i)}$$

to your favourite preconditioner

• This can be achieved by a simple and cheap rank one modification



Comparison Simoncini/Eldén with tuning

Standard method





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