On some Krylov subspace methods tailored for large-scale block two-by-two linear systems

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Block two-by-two linear systems

• Nonsymmetric saddle-point linear systems of the form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{M} & \mathbf{A}^\top \\ \mathbf{B} & \mathbf{0} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} \\ \mathbf{y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{b} \end{bmatrix},$$

where $\mathbf{M} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$ is invertible, $\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{B} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$ are nonzero, and $\mathbf{b} \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is nonzero.

• Nonsymmetric partitioned linear systems of the form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \lambda \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{A} \\ \mathbf{B} & \mu \mathbf{I} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} \\ \mathbf{y} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{c} \end{bmatrix},$$

where $\mathbf{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$, $\mathbf{B} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$, and $\mathbf{b} \in \mathbb{R}^{m}$, and $\mathbf{c} \in \mathbb{R}^{n}$. Note that λ and/or μ may be zero.

Review papers and books

 Michele Benzi, Gene H. Golub, and Jörg Liesen Numerical solution of saddle point problems. Acta Numerica (2005), pp. 1137.



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K. Du, J.-J. Fan, and F. Wang. *nsLSQR: A quasi-minimum residual method for nonsymmetric saddle-point linear systems.* (2024)

Simultaneous bidiagonalization via M-conjugacy

Algorithm Simultaneous bidiagonalization via M-conjugacy **Require:** $\mathbf{M} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$, \mathbf{A} , $\mathbf{B} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$, and \mathbf{b} , $\mathbf{c} \in \mathbb{R}^{n}$ 1: $\beta_1 \mathbf{v}_1 := \mathbf{c}, \ \delta_1 \mathbf{z}_1 := \mathbf{b}$ 2: $\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{A}^{\top} \mathbf{v}_1$. $\mathbf{w} = \mathbf{M}^{-\top} \mathbf{B}^{\top} \mathbf{z}_1$ 3: $\alpha_1 = |\mathbf{w}^{\top} \mathbf{u}|^{1/2}$. $\gamma_1 = \mathbf{w}^{\top} \mathbf{u} / \alpha_1$ 4: $\mathbf{u}_1 = \mathbf{M}^{-1}\mathbf{u}/\alpha_1, \ \mathbf{w}_1 = \mathbf{w}/\gamma_1$ 5: for k = 1, 2, ... do 6: $\beta_{k+1}\mathbf{v}_{k+1} := \mathbf{A}\mathbf{w}_k - \alpha_k \mathbf{v}_k, \ \delta_{k+1}\mathbf{z}_{k+1} := \mathbf{B}\mathbf{u}_k - \gamma_k \mathbf{z}_k$ $\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{A}^{\top} \mathbf{v}_{k+1} - \beta_{k+1} \mathbf{M} \mathbf{u}_k, \ \mathbf{w} = \mathbf{M}^{-\top} \mathbf{B}^{\top} \mathbf{z}_{k+1} - \delta_{k+1} \mathbf{w}_k$ 7: $\alpha_{k+1} = |\mathbf{w}^\top \mathbf{u}|^{1/2}, \ \gamma_{k+1} = \mathbf{w}^\top \mathbf{u}/\alpha_{k+1}$ 8: $\mathbf{u}_{k+1} = \mathbf{M}^{-1}\mathbf{u}/\alpha_{k+1}, \ \mathbf{w}_{k+1} = \mathbf{w}/\gamma_{k+1}$ 9: 10: end for

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Simultaneous bidiagonalization via $\operatorname{M-conjugacy}$

• Simultaneous bidiagonalization via M-conjugacy:

$$\begin{split} \mathbf{A}\mathbf{W}_{k} &= \mathbf{V}_{k+1}\mathbf{C}_{k+1,k}, \quad \mathbf{A}^{\top}\mathbf{V}_{k+1} = \mathbf{M}\mathbf{U}_{k+1}\mathbf{C}_{k+1}^{\top}, \\ \mathbf{B}\mathbf{U}_{k} &= \mathbf{Z}_{k+1}\mathbf{F}_{k+1,k}, \quad \mathbf{B}^{\top}\mathbf{Z}_{k+1} = \mathbf{M}^{\top}\mathbf{W}_{k+1}\mathbf{F}_{k+1}^{\top}, \\ \mathbf{W}_{k}^{\top}\mathbf{M}\mathbf{U}_{k} &= \mathbf{V}_{k}^{\top}\mathbf{V}_{k} = \mathbf{Z}^{\top}\mathbf{Z}_{k} = \mathbf{I}_{k}, \end{split}$$

where

$$\mathbf{U}_{k} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_{1} & \cdots & \mathbf{u}_{k} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{V}_{k} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_{1} & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_{k} \end{bmatrix}, \\ \mathbf{W}_{k} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{w}_{1} & \cdots & \mathbf{w}_{k} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{Z}_{k} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{z}_{1} & \cdots & \mathbf{z}_{k} \end{bmatrix}, \\ \mathbf{C}_{k} = \operatorname{bidiag}(\beta_{i}, \alpha_{i}), \quad \mathbf{C}_{k+1,k} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{C}_{k} \\ \beta_{k+1} \mathbf{e}_{k}^{\top} \end{bmatrix}, \\ \mathbf{F}_{k} = \operatorname{bidiag}(\delta_{i}, \gamma_{i}), \quad \mathbf{F}_{k+1,k} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{F}_{k} \\ \delta_{k+1} \mathbf{e}_{k}^{\top} \end{bmatrix}.$$

SPMR-SC

• The kth SPMR-SC iterate is $\mathbf{x}_k = \mathbf{U}_k \widetilde{\mathbf{x}}_k$, $\mathbf{y}_k = \mathbf{V}_k \widetilde{\mathbf{y}}_k$, where

$$\begin{bmatrix} \widetilde{\mathbf{x}}_k \\ \widetilde{\mathbf{y}}_k \end{bmatrix} = \operatorname*{argmin}_{\widetilde{\mathbf{x}} \in \mathbb{R}^k, \ \widetilde{\mathbf{y}} \in \mathbb{R}^k} \left\| \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{0} \\ \delta_1 \mathbf{e}_1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I}_k & \mathbf{C}_k^\top \\ \mathbf{F}_{k+1,k} & \mathbf{0} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \widetilde{\mathbf{x}} \\ \widetilde{\mathbf{y}} \end{bmatrix} \right\|_2$$

• Equivalent to USYMQR applied to the Schur complement system:

$$-\mathbf{S}\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{b}, \quad \mathbf{S} = \mathbf{B}\mathbf{M}^{-1}\mathbf{A}^{\top}.$$

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M. A. Saunders, H. D. Simon, and E. L. Yip. *Two conjugate-gradient-type methods for unsymmetric linear equations.* SINUM, Vol. 25, Iss. 4 (1988)

Example: an ill-conditioned Schur complement





Simultaneous bidiagonalization via biorthogonality

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$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{A}\mathbf{W}_{k} &= \mathbf{Z}_{k+1}\mathbf{C}_{k+1,k}, \quad \mathbf{A}^{\top}\mathbf{V}_{k+1} &= \mathbf{M}\mathbf{U}_{k+1}\mathbf{C}_{k+1}^{\top}, \\ \mathbf{B}\mathbf{U}_{k} &= \mathbf{V}_{k+1}\mathbf{F}_{k+1,k}, \quad \mathbf{B}^{\top}\mathbf{Z}_{k+1} &= \mathbf{M}^{\top}\mathbf{U}_{k+1}\mathbf{F}_{k+1}^{\top}, \\ \mathbf{W}_{k}^{\top}\mathbf{M}\mathbf{U}_{k} &= \mathbf{V}_{k}^{\top}\mathbf{Z}_{k} &= \mathbf{I}_{k}, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\mathbf{U}_{k} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_{1} & \cdots & \mathbf{u}_{k} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{V}_{k} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_{1} & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_{k} \end{bmatrix}, \\ \mathbf{W}_{k} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{w}_{1} & \cdots & \mathbf{w}_{k} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{Z}_{k} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{z}_{1} & \cdots & \mathbf{z}_{k} \end{bmatrix}, \\ \mathbf{C}_{k} = \operatorname{bidiag}(\beta_{i}, \alpha_{i}), \quad \mathbf{C}_{k+1,k} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{C}_{k} \\ \beta_{k+1} \mathbf{e}_{k}^{\top} \end{bmatrix}, \\ \mathbf{F}_{k} = \operatorname{bidiag}(\delta_{i}, \gamma_{i}), \quad \mathbf{F}_{k+1,k} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{F}_{k} \\ \delta_{k+1} \mathbf{e}_{k}^{\top} \end{bmatrix}.$$

SPQMR-SC

• The kth SPQMR-SC iterate is $\mathbf{x}_k = \mathbf{U}_k \widetilde{\mathbf{x}}_k$, $\mathbf{y}_k = \mathbf{V}_k \widetilde{\mathbf{y}}_k$, where

$$\begin{bmatrix} \widetilde{\mathbf{x}}_k \\ \widetilde{\mathbf{y}}_k \end{bmatrix} = \operatorname*{argmin}_{\widetilde{\mathbf{x}} \in \mathbb{R}^k, \ \widetilde{\mathbf{y}} \in \mathbb{R}^k} \left\| \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{0} \\ \delta_1 \mathbf{e}_1 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I}_k & \mathbf{C}_k^\top \\ \mathbf{F}_{k+1,k} & \mathbf{0} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \widetilde{\mathbf{x}} \\ \widetilde{\mathbf{y}} \end{bmatrix} \right\|_2$$

• Equivalent to QMR applied to the Schur complement system:

$$-\mathbf{S}\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{b}, \quad \mathbf{S} = \mathbf{B}\mathbf{M}^{-1}\mathbf{A}^{\top}.$$

• The convergence of SPMR-SC is monotonic, while the convergence of SPQMR-SC is erratic.

R. Estrin and C. Greif. *SPMR: A family of saddle-point minimum residual solvers*. SISC, Vol. 40, No. 3 (2018)

R. W. Freund and N. M. Nachtigal. *QMR: A Quasi-Minimal Residual Method for Non-Hermitian Linear-Systems.* NM, Vol. 60, Iss. 3 (1991)

Bidiagonal-Hessenberg reduction

Algorithm Bidiagonal-Hessenberg reduction **Require:** $\mathbf{M} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times m}$, $\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{B} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$, $\mathbf{b} \in \mathbb{R}^{n}$ 1: $\mathbf{u}_1 = \mathbf{b}/\beta_1$ with $\beta_1 = \|\mathbf{b}\|_2$ 2: $\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{A}^{\top} \mathbf{u}_1, \, \mathbf{v}_1 = \mathbf{M}^{-1} \mathbf{v}, \, \alpha_1 = \begin{cases} |\mathbf{v}_1^{\top} \mathbf{v}|^{1/2} & \text{if } \mathbf{v}_1^{\top} \mathbf{v} \neq 0 \\ \|\mathbf{v}_1\|_2 & \text{if } \mathbf{v}_1^{\top} \mathbf{v} = 0 \end{cases}$ 3: $\mathbf{v}_1 = \mathbf{v}_1 / \alpha_1$ 4: for k = 1, 2, ... do 5: $\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{B}\mathbf{v}_{k}$ 6: **for** i = 1, 2, ..., k **do** 7: $h_{ik} = \mathbf{u}_i^\top \mathbf{u}$ $\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{u} - h_{ik}\mathbf{u}_i$ 8: end for 9. $\mathbf{u}_{k+1} = \mathbf{u}/\beta_{k+1}$ with $\beta_{k+1} = \|\mathbf{u}\|_2$ 10: $\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{A}^{\top} \mathbf{u}_{k+1} - \beta_{k+1} \mathbf{M} \mathbf{v}_k, \ \mathbf{v}_{k+1} = \mathbf{M}^{-1} \mathbf{v}, \ \alpha_{k+1} = \begin{cases} |\mathbf{v}_{k+1}^{\top} \mathbf{v}|^{1/2} & \text{if } \mathbf{v}_{k+1}^{\top} \mathbf{v} \neq 0 \\ \|\mathbf{v}_{k+1}\|_2 & \text{if } \mathbf{v}_{k+1}^{\top} \mathbf{v} = 0 \end{cases}$ 11: 12: ${\bf v}_{k+1} = {\bf v}_{k+1} / \alpha_{k+1}$ 13: end for

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$$\mathbf{A}^{\top}\mathbf{U}_{k} = \mathbf{M}\mathbf{V}_{k}\mathbf{C}_{k}^{\top}, \qquad \mathbf{U}_{k+1}^{\top}\mathbf{U}_{k+1} = \mathbf{I}_{k+1}, \\ \mathbf{B}\mathbf{V}_{k} = \mathbf{U}_{k+1}\mathbf{H}_{k+1,k} = \mathbf{U}_{k}\mathbf{H}_{k} + \beta_{k+1}\mathbf{u}_{k+1}\mathbf{e}_{k}^{\top},$$

where

$$\mathbf{U}_{k} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_{1} & \cdots & \mathbf{u}_{k} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{V}_{k} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_{1} & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_{k} \end{bmatrix},$$
$$\mathbf{C}_{k} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_{1} & & & \\ \beta_{2} & \alpha_{2} & & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & \\ & & \beta_{k} & \alpha_{k} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{H}_{k+1,k} = \begin{bmatrix} h_{11} & \cdots & h_{1k} \\ h_{21} & \ddots & \vdots \\ & \ddots & h_{kk} \\ & & h_{k+1,k} \end{bmatrix}$$

• The kth nsLSQR iterate is $\mathbf{x}_k = \mathbf{V}_k \widetilde{\mathbf{x}}_k$, $\mathbf{y}_k = \mathbf{U}_k \widetilde{\mathbf{y}}_k$, where

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Example: an ill-conditioned Schur complement



Example: Flow over an obstacle (IFISS)



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K. Du, J.-J. Fan, and F. Wang. *GPBiLQ and GPQMR: Two iterative methods for unsymmetric partitioned linear systems.* arXiv:2401.02608 (2024)

A. Montoison and D. Orban. *GPMR: An iterative method for unsymmetric partitioned linear systems.* SIMAX, Vol. 44, No. 1 (2023)

Simultaneous orthogonal Hessenberg reduction

Algorithm Simultaneous orthogonal Hessenberg reduction **Require**: **A**, **B**, **b**, **c**, all nonzero 1: $\beta \mathbf{v}_1 := \mathbf{b}, \ \gamma \mathbf{u}_1 := \mathbf{c}$ 2: for $k = 1, 2, \cdots$ do for $i = 1, 2, \dots, k$ do 3: 4: $h_{ik} = \mathbf{v}_i^\top \mathbf{A} \mathbf{u}_k$ $f_{ik} = \mathbf{u}_i^\top \mathbf{B} \mathbf{v}_k$ 5: 6: end for $h_{k+1,k}\mathbf{v}_{k+1} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{u}_k - \sum_{i=1}^k h_{ik}\mathbf{v}_i$ 7: $f_{k+1 k} \mathbf{u}_{k+1} = \mathbf{B} \mathbf{v}_k - \sum_{i=1}^k f_{ik} \mathbf{u}_i$ 8: 9: end for

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$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{U}_{k} = \mathbf{V}_{k}\mathbf{H}_{k} + h_{k+1,k}\mathbf{v}_{k+1}\mathbf{e}_{k}^{\top} = \mathbf{V}_{k+1}\mathbf{H}_{k+1,k},$$
$$\mathbf{B}\mathbf{V}_{k} = \mathbf{U}_{k}\mathbf{F}_{k} + f_{k+1,k}\mathbf{u}_{k+1}\mathbf{e}_{k}^{\top} = \mathbf{U}_{k+1}\mathbf{F}_{k+1,k},$$
$$\mathbf{V}_{k+1}^{\top}\mathbf{V}_{k+1} = \mathbf{U}_{k+1}^{\top}\mathbf{U}_{k+1} = \mathbf{I}_{k+1},$$

where

$$\mathbf{U}_k = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u}_1 & \mathbf{u}_2 & \cdots & \mathbf{u}_k \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{V}_k = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v}_1 & \mathbf{v}_2 & \cdots & \mathbf{v}_k \end{bmatrix},$$
 and

$$\mathbf{H}_{k+1,k} = \begin{bmatrix} h_{11} & \cdots & h_{1k} \\ h_{21} & \ddots & \vdots \\ & \ddots & h_{kk} \\ & & h_{k+1,k} \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{F}_{k+1,k} = \begin{bmatrix} f_{11} & \cdots & f_{1k} \\ f_{21} & \ddots & \vdots \\ & \ddots & f_{kk} \\ & & & f_{k+1,k} \end{bmatrix}$$

GPMR

• The *k*th GPMR iterate is

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}_k \\ \mathbf{y}_k \end{bmatrix} = \operatorname*{argmin}_{\mathbf{x} \in \operatorname{range}(\mathbf{V}_k), \ \mathbf{y} \in \operatorname{range}(\mathbf{U}_k)} \left\| \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{c} \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} \lambda \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{A} \\ \mathbf{B} & \mu \mathbf{I} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} \\ \mathbf{y} \end{bmatrix} \right\|_2$$

• Equivalent to Block-GMRES:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \lambda \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{A} \\ \mathbf{B} & \mu \mathbf{I} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}^1 & \mathbf{x}^2 \\ \mathbf{y}^1 & \mathbf{y}^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{b} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{c} \end{bmatrix}$$

 GPMR terminates significantly earlier than GMRES on a residual-based stopping criterion with an improvement up to 50% in terms of number of iterations.

A. Montoison and D. Orban. *GPMR: An iterative method for unsymmetric partitioned linear systems.* SIMAX, Vol. 44, No. 1 (2023)

Example: A = well1850, B = illc1850



Randomized Numerical Linear Algebra +

- Arguably, the most exciting recent development in NLA is the advent of new randomized algorithms that are fast, scalable, robust, and reliable.
- Intelligent solvers.

M. Dereziński, Michael W. Mahoney. *Recent and Upcoming Developments in Randomized Numerical Linear Algebra for Machine Learning.* arXiv:2406.11151 (2024)

A. Kireeva and J. A. Tropp. *Randomized matrix computations: Themes and variations.* arXiv:2402.17873 (2024)

J. A. Tropp and R. J. Webber. *Randomized algorithms for low-rank matrix approximation: Design, analysis, and applications.* arXiv:2306.12418 (2023)

R. Murray et al. Randomized Numerical Linear Algebra : A perspective on the field with an eye to software, arXiv:2302.11474 (2023)

Haifeng Zou, Xiaowen Xu, Chen-Song Zhang. A Survey on Intelligent Iterative Methods for Solving Sparse Linear Algebraic Equations. arXiv:2310.06630 (2023)

Randomized Gram–Schmidt process

Algorithm 2.1. RGS algorithm

Given: $n \times m$ matrix **W** and $k \times n$ matrix Θ , $m < k \ll n$. **Output**: $n \times m$ factor **Q** and $m \times m$ upper triangular factor **R**. for i = 1 : m do 1. Sketch \mathbf{w}_i : $\mathbf{p}_i = \mathbf{\Theta} \mathbf{w}_i$. # macheps: u_{fine} 2. Solve $k \times (i-1)$ least-squares problem: $[\mathbf{R}]_{(1:i-1,i)} = \arg\min_{\mathbf{y}} \|\mathbf{S}_{i-1}\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{p}_i\|.$ # macheps: u_{fine} 3. Compute projection of \mathbf{w}_i : $\mathbf{q}'_i = \mathbf{w}_i - \mathbf{Q}_{i-1}[\mathbf{R}]_{(1:i-1,i)}$. # macheps: u_{crs} 4. Sketch \mathbf{q}'_i : $\mathbf{s}'_i = \mathbf{\Theta} \mathbf{q}'_i$. # macheps: u_{fine} 5. Compute the sketched norm $r_{i,i} = \|\mathbf{s}'_i\|$. # macheps: u_{fine} 6. Scale vector $\mathbf{s}_i = \mathbf{s}'_i / r_{i,i}$. # macheps: u_{fine} 7. Scale vector $\mathbf{q}_i = \mathbf{q}'_i / r_{i,i}$. # macheps: u_{fine} end for 8. (Optional) compute $\Delta_m = \|\mathbf{I}_{m \times m} - \mathbf{S}_m^{\mathrm{T}} \mathbf{S}_m\|_{\mathrm{F}}$ and $\tilde{\Delta}_m = \frac{\|\mathbf{P}_m - \mathbf{S}_m \mathbf{R}_m\|_{\mathrm{F}}}{\|\mathbf{P}_m\|_{\mathrm{F}}}$. # macheps: u_{fine} Use Theorem 3.2 to certify the output.

$\mathbf{W} = \mathbf{Q}\mathbf{R}, \ \mathbf{\Theta}\mathbf{W} = \mathbf{\Theta}\mathbf{Q}\mathbf{R}, \ (\mathbf{\Theta}\mathbf{Q})^{\top}(\mathbf{\Theta}\mathbf{Q}) = \mathbf{I}_m, \ \mathrm{cond}(\mathbf{Q}) \ \mathrm{is \ small}$

O. Balabanov and L. Grigori. *Randomized Gram–Schmidt process with application to GM-RES.* SISC, Vol. 44, No. 3 (2022)

Randomized GMRES (rGMRES) for Ax = b

Algorithm 4.1. RGS-Arnoldi algorithm

 $\begin{array}{ll} \textbf{Given:} & n \times n \text{ matrix } \mathbf{A}, & n \times 1 \text{ vector } \mathbf{b}, & k \times n \text{ matrix } \mathbf{\Theta} \text{ with } k \ll n, \text{ parameter } m. \\ \textbf{Output:} & n \times m \text{ factor } \mathbf{Q}_m \text{ and } m \times m \text{ upper triangular factor } \mathbf{R}_m. \\ 1. & \text{Set } \mathbf{w}_1 = \mathbf{b}. \\ 2. & \text{Perform 1st iteration of Algorithm 2.1.} \\ \textbf{for } & i = 2 : m \text{ do} \\ 3. & \text{Compute } \mathbf{w}_i = \mathbf{Aq}_{i-1}. \\ 4. & \text{Perform } i\text{th iteration of Algorithm 2.1.} \\ \textbf{end for} \\ 5. & (\text{Optional) Compute } \Delta_m \text{ and } \tilde{\Delta}_m. \\ & \text{Use Proposition 4.1 to certify the output.} \end{array}$

- $(\mathbf{\Theta}\mathbf{Q}_m)^{\top}(\mathbf{\Theta}\mathbf{Q}_m) = \mathbf{I}_m$ and \mathbf{Q}_m is nonorthogonal.
- rGMRES: $\mathbf{x}_m = \mathbf{Q}_m \mathbf{y}_m$, where \mathbf{y}_m solves

$$\min_{\mathbf{y}} \|\mathbf{H}_{m+1,m}\mathbf{y} - r_{11}\mathbf{e}_1\|_2.$$

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$$\|\mathbf{r}^{\text{GMRES}}\|_2 \le \|\mathbf{r}^{\text{rGMRES}}\|_2 \le \text{const} \cdot \|\mathbf{r}^{\text{GMRES}}\|_2$$
 whp.

Sketched GMRES (sGMRES) for Ax = b

- Columns of B form a basis of the Krylov subspace $\mathcal{K}_j(\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{b})$.
- GMRES: $\mathbf{x}_{\mathbf{B}} = \mathbf{B}\mathbf{y}_{\star}$, where Arnoldi process is used for \mathbf{B} and \mathbf{y}_{\star} solves the overdetermined least-squares problem

$$\min_{\mathbf{y}} \|\mathbf{A}\mathbf{B}\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{b}\|_2.$$

$$\min_{\mathbf{y}} \|\mathbf{S}(\mathbf{ABy} - \mathbf{b})\|_{2}.$$

$$\|\mathbf{r}^{\text{GMRES}}\|_{2} \leq \|\mathbf{r}^{\text{sGMRES}}\|_{2} \leq \text{const} \cdot \|\mathbf{r}^{\text{GMRES}}\|_{2} \quad \text{whp.}$$

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sGMRES + k-truncated Arnoldi

Algorithm 1.1. sGMRES + k-truncated Arnoldi.

- **Input:** Matrix $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$, right-hand side $f \in \mathbb{C}^n$, initial guess $x \in \mathbb{C}^n$, basis dimension d, number k of vectors for truncated orthogonalization, stability tolerance $tol = O(u^{-1})$.
- **Output:** Approximate solution $\hat{x} \in \mathbb{C}^n$ to linear system (1.5) and estimated residual norm \hat{r}_{est}

1 function sGMRES

- 2 Draw subspace embedding $S \in \mathbb{C}^{s \times n}$ with s = 2(d+1) \triangleright See subsection 2.4
- 3 Form residual and sketch: r = f Ax and g = Sr
- 4 Normalize basis vector $\boldsymbol{b}_1 = \boldsymbol{r} / \|\boldsymbol{r}\|_2$ and apply matrix $\boldsymbol{m}_1 = \boldsymbol{A} \boldsymbol{b}_1$
- 5 for $j = 2, 3, 4, \dots, d$ do \triangleright See also subsection 5.2
- 6 Truncated Arnoldi: $\boldsymbol{w}_j = (\mathbf{I} \boldsymbol{b}_{j-1} \boldsymbol{b}_{j-1}^* \dots \boldsymbol{b}_{j-k} \boldsymbol{b}_{j-k}^*) \boldsymbol{m}_{j-1} \qquad \triangleright \ \boldsymbol{b}_{-i} = \mathbf{0}$ for $i \ge 0$
- 7 Normalize basis vector $\boldsymbol{b}_j = \boldsymbol{w}_j / \|\boldsymbol{w}_j\|_2$ and apply matrix $\boldsymbol{m}_j = \boldsymbol{A}\boldsymbol{b}_j$
- 8 Sketch reduced matrix: $C = S[m_1, \ldots, m_d]$
- 9 Thin QR factorization: C = UT
- 10 if condition number $\kappa_2(T) > \text{tol then warning...}$
- 11 Either whiten $B \leftarrow BT^{-1}$ or form new residual and restart \triangleright See subsection 5.3
- 12 Solve least-squares problem: $\hat{y} = T^{-1}(U^*g)$ \triangleright See (3.7)
- 13 Residual estimate: $\hat{r}_{est} = \| (\mathbf{I} UU^*) g \|_2$ \triangleright See (3.8)
- 14 Construct solution: $\hat{\boldsymbol{x}} = \boldsymbol{x} + [\boldsymbol{b}_1, \dots, \boldsymbol{b}_d]\hat{\boldsymbol{y}}$
- **Implementation:** In line 6, use double Gram–Schmidt for stability. In line 9, the QR factorization may require pivoting. In lines 11–12, apply T^{-1} via triangular substitution.

rGMRES vs sGMRES

- rGMRES uses sketching to reduce the orthogonalization cost.
- sGMRES uses "sketch-and-solve" to reduce computational cost, is asymptotically faster, and has more flexibility.

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Summary

- We have presented nsLSQR for nonsymmetric saddle-point linear systems.
- nsLSQR is mathematically equivalent to GMRES applied to the corresponding Schur complement system, but may be numerically superior.
- nsLSQR usually is faster than SPMR-SC and SPQMR-SC in terms of the number of iterations, and if the iteration cost is dominated by the M-solve rather than reorthogonalization, then nsLSQR should be the preferred method.
- The ideas of rGMRES and sGMRES can be used for GPMR and nsLSQR.
- Intelligent iterative methods for block two-by-two linear systems?

Thanks!