

Chapter 14

14.1 Krylov Subspace Methods

Idea: Use the space $\mathcal{K}_k = \text{span}\{x, Ax, \dots, A^{k-1}x\}$, write $\mathcal{K}_k = [x, Ax, \dots, A^{k-1}x]$ matrix for eigenvalue problems: Project A onto \mathcal{K}_k and find the eigenvalues of the projection $\mathcal{K}_k = QR$, where Q is a basis of \mathcal{K}_k . Write $H = Q^T A Q$, find eigenvalues of H (non-symmetric called Arnoldi, symmetric called Lanczos).

For $Ax = b$, find best $x \in \mathcal{K}_n$. Two possibilities for best:

- MINRES (non-symmetric case)

$$\min_{x \in \mathcal{K}_k} \|Ax - b\|_2 = \min_{x \in \mathcal{K}_k} \|r\|_2 \quad (14.1)$$

- Conjugate gradients

$$\min_{x \in \mathcal{K}_k} \|r\|_{A^{-1}} \quad (14.2)$$

How it works:

Consider

$$\mathcal{K}_n = \text{span}\{x, Ax, \dots, A^{n-1}x\} \quad (14.3)$$

Let $K_n = [x, Ax, \dots, A^{n-1}x]$

Write

$$y_1 = x_1 \quad (14.4)$$

$$y_2 = Ax_1 \quad (14.5)$$

\vdots

$$y_n = A^{n-1}x \quad (14.6)$$

$$AK = [y_2, \dots, y_n, A^n y_1] \quad (14.7)$$

Write

$$c = -K^{-1}A^n y_1 \quad (14.8)$$

$$\begin{aligned} AK &= K[e_2, e_3, \dots, e_n, -c] \\ &\equiv K \cdot C \end{aligned} \quad (14.9)$$

where, $C = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & & -c_1 \\ 1 & & \vdots \\ & \ddots & \vdots \\ & & 1 & -c_n \end{bmatrix}$, Hessenberg.

Write

$$K = QR \quad (14.10)$$

$$K^{-1}AK = C$$

$$(QR)^{-1}AQR =$$

$$R^{-1}Q^T AQR = \quad (14.11)$$

$$Q^T A Q = RCR^{-1}$$

$$= H - \text{Hessenberg} \quad (14.12)$$

$$\text{Partition } Q = [Q_1 | Q_2] \quad (14.13)$$

$$([Q_1 | Q_2])^T A [Q_1 | Q_2] = H$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{c|c} Q_1^T A Q_1 & Q_1^T A Q_2 \\ \hline Q_2^T A Q_1 & Q_2^T A Q_2 \end{array} \right] = H. \quad (14.14)$$

where, $Q_1^T A Q_1$ still Hessenberg, if $A^T = A \Rightarrow$ tridiag.

How do we compute Q ? One column at a time.

$$Q^T A Q = H \quad (14.15)$$

$$A q_i = \sum_{i=1}^{j+1} h_{ij} q_i \quad (14.16)$$

$$q_m^T A q_j = h_{mj}, \quad 1 \leq m \leq j \quad (14.17)$$

$$h_{j+1,j} q_{j+1} = A q_j - \sum_{i=1}^j h_{ij} q_i \quad (14.18)$$

14.2 Arnoldi Method

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 $q_1 = \frac{x}{\|x\|_2};$   
for  $j = 1 : k$  ( $k =$  number of columns  $Q$  to compute)  
   $z = Aq_j$   
  for  $i = 1 : j$   
     $h_{ij} = q_i^T z$   
     $z = z - h_{ij}q_i$   
  end  
   $h_{i+1,j} = \|z\|_2$   
   $q_{j+1} = \frac{z}{h_{i+1,j}}$   
end
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