

Twogrid Method:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \text{Fine: } & A_h \cdot u = b_h & \\
 R_h^{2h} \downarrow & & \uparrow I_{2h}^h \\
 \text{Coarse: } & A_{2h} \cdot v = b_{2h} &
 \end{array}$$

- (1) Iterate $A_h \cdot u = b_h$ ($\nu_1 \times$ GS) $\rightsquigarrow u_h$
- (2) Restrict residual $r_h = b_h - A_h u_h$ by $r_{2h} = R_h^{2h} \cdot r_h$
- (3) Solve for coarse error: $A_{2h} \cdot e_{2h} = r_{2h}$
- (4) Interpolate error: $e_h = I_{2h}^h \cdot e_{2h}$
Update $\tilde{u}_h = u_h + e_h$
- (5) Iterate $A_h \cdot u = b_h$ ($\nu_2 \times$ GS) starting with \tilde{u}_h

v-cycle:

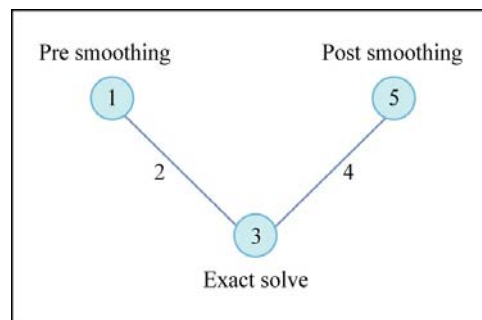
Multigrid:

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- Use twogrid recursively in (3)

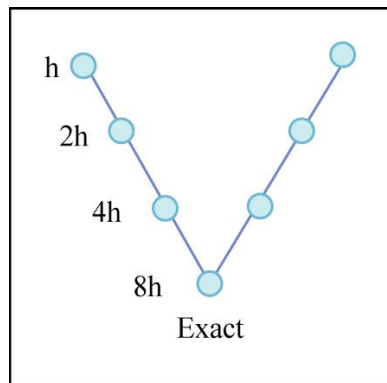
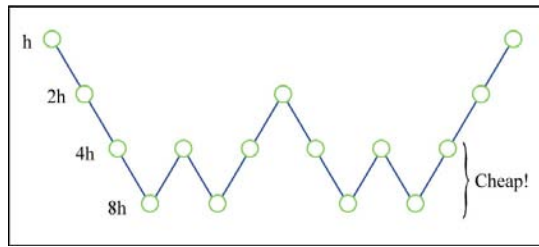
V-Cycle:

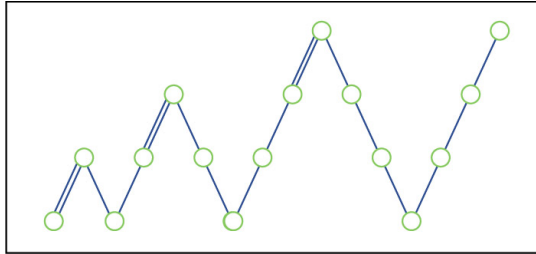
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W-Cycle: Apply (3) twice



FMG (full multigrid):

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Optimal: Cost = $O(n)$. Image by MIT OpenCourseWare.

Krylov Methods

Consider $A \cdot x = b$ already preconditioned.

Iterative scheme: $x^{(k+1)} = x^{(k)} + (b - Ax^{(k)})$

$$x^{(0)} = 0$$

$$x^{(1)} = b$$

$$x^{(2)} = 2b - Ab$$

$$x^{(3)} = 3b - 3Ab + A^2b$$

Observe: $x^{(k)} \in K_k$

where $\left| \begin{array}{l} K_k = \text{span}\{b, Ab, \dots, A^{k-1}b\} \\ \text{Krylov subspace} \end{array} \right|$

$$K_1 \subset K_2 \subset K_3 \subset \dots$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \Psi & \Psi & \Psi \\ x^{(1)} & x^{(2)} & x^{(3)} \end{array}$$

Find sequence $x^{(k)} \in K_k$ which converges fast to $x = A^{-1} \cdot b$.

⊕ Only requirement: Apply A (can be blackbox).

Examples of Krylov Methods:

Choose $x^{(k)} \in K_k$, such that

(1) $r_k = b - Ax_k \perp K_k \rightarrow$ conjugate gradients (CG)

(2) $\|r_k\|_2$ minimal \rightarrow GRMES & MINRES

(3) $r_k \perp K_k(A^T) \rightarrow$ BiCG

(4) $\|e_k\|_2$ minimal \rightarrow SYMMLQ

Conjugate Gradient Method

A symmetric positive definite

Enforce orthogonal residuals: $r_k \perp K_k$

Know $x_k \in K_k \Rightarrow r_k = b - Ax_k \in K_{k+1} \Rightarrow r_k = \gamma_k q_{k+1}$ ($\gamma_k \in \mathbb{R}$)

where q_1, q_2, q_3, \dots orthonormal, and $q_k \in K_k$.

$\Rightarrow r_i^T \cdot r_k = 0 \forall i < k$.

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \Delta r_k = r_k - r_{k-1} \perp K_i \\ \Delta x_i = x_i - x_{i-1} \in K_i \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \Delta x_i^T \cdot \Delta r_k = 0 \forall i < k$$

Also: $\Delta r_k = (b - Ax_k) - (b - Ax_{k-1}) = -A \cdot \Delta x_k$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\Delta x_i^T \cdot A \cdot \Delta x_k = 0 \forall i < k}$$

Updates (= directions) are “ A -orthogonal” or “conjugate”;

Scalar product $(\Delta x_i, \Delta x_k)_A := \Delta x_i^T \cdot A \cdot \Delta x_k$.

Search direction: d_{k-1}

Update solution: $x_k = x_{k-1} + \alpha_k d_{k-1}$

New direction: $d_k = r_k + \beta_k d_{k-1}$

$$\alpha_k = \frac{\|r_{k-1}\|_2^2}{d_{k-1}^T \cdot A \cdot d_{k-1}}, \text{ so that error in direction } d_{k-1} \text{ minimal}$$

$$\beta_k = \frac{\|r_k\|_2^2}{\|r_{k-1}\|_2^2}, \text{ so that } (d_k, d_{k-1})_A = 0$$

CG finds unique minimizer of $E(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^T \cdot A \cdot x - x^T \cdot b$ ($x_{\min} = A^{-1} \cdot b$)

using conjugate directions after at most n steps.

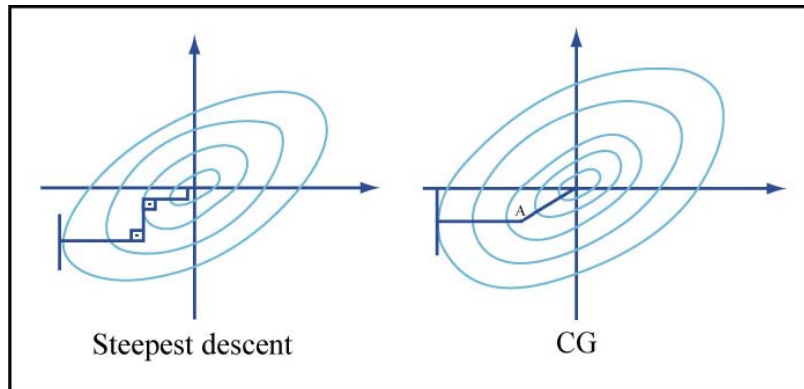


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