

SF2524 Matrix Computations for Large-scale Systems Exam

Aids: None Time: Four hours

**Grades: E: 14 points, D: 16 points, C: 18 points, B: 20 points, A: 22 points
(out of the possible 27 points, including bonus points from homeworks).**

Problem 1 (3p)

The program to the right corresponds to GMRES and CG as we have implemented them in the course: Q, H correspond to an Arnoldi factorization. X, P, R are matrices containing the vectors computed throughout CG.

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>> size(A)
ans =
    1000    1000
>> N=3;
>> [Q,H,x_gmres]=mygmres(A,b,N);
>> [x_cg,rhist,X,P,R]=cg(A,b,N);
>> Z=inv(Q(:,1:N)'\*X);
>> f=norm(Q(:,1:N)-X\*Z)
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- (a) What will f be in the output? Explain your reasoning and any simplifying assumption.
- (b) Suppose the eigenvalues are contained in a disk of radius 5 centered at 10. Give a bound on $\|Ax - b\|/\|b\|$ where $x=x_{\text{gmres}}$.

Problem 2 (4p)

- (a) Describe (or derive) the method called Newtons method for the matrix square root.
- (b) Generalize the method and propose a method for the matrix function $F = f(A)$

$$A = \exp(A) + F$$

where A is a symmetric matrix.

Problem 3 (5p)

- (a) Describe the Arnoldi relation? What are the matrices and the non-zero structure of the matrices?

- (b) Suppose the Krylov subspace with starting vector c contains an eigenvector of the matrix. Prove that this eigenpair will be computed exactly with Arnoldi's method for eigenvalue problems if it is started with c .
- (c) Prove that GMRES converges in at most $k = n$ steps.

Problem 4 (4p) Suppose the function f is piecewise constant and

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -1 & x < -1 \\ 0 & -1 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 1 & x > 1 \end{cases}$$

and $A = QDQ^T$ where $D = \frac{1}{2} \text{diag}(-5, -2, \dots, 1, 2, 5)$ where Q is an orthogonal matrix.

- (a) Which matrix functions definitions are applicable extensions to matrix functions for this matrix A ? Jordan-definition, Taylor definition and/or Cauchy integral definition?
- (b) What is $f(A)$ if D is replaced by $D = \frac{1}{6} \text{diag}(-5, -2, \dots, 1, 2, 5)$?

Problem 5 (4p) Does the basic QR-method converge, and if so in approximately how many iterations does it converge? Use termination criteria $\|Q^{(k)} - X\| \leq 10^{-10}$ where $XX^T = A$ is a Schur factorization. Specify any simplifying assumptions.

- (a)

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & A_{1,3} \\ & 3 & A_{2,3} \\ & & A_{3,3} \end{bmatrix} \text{ where } A_{3,3} = \begin{bmatrix} \pi & \alpha \\ & \pi + \varepsilon \end{bmatrix}$$

- (b) $A = Q \in \mathbb{R}^{10 \times 10}$ where Q is an orthogonal matrix.
- (c) A symmetric matrix with eigenvalues 1, 3, 5.

Problem 6 (4p) Let $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ be a symmetric matrix.

- (a) Describe the Rayleigh quotient iteration for this matrix.
- (b) What is the relationship between Rayleigh quotient iteration and the power method?
- (c) Prove that if the starting vector x_0 in Rayleigh quotient iteration is orthogonal to the eigenvector v_1 then all iterates will be orthogonal to v_1 and Rayleigh quotient iteration will therefore not converge to the corresponding eigenpair (λ_1, v_1) .