

# MA4230: Problem Sheet 4

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## Q1 *Bauer–Fike theorem*

Let  $A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$  be a diagonalizable matrix with an eigenvalue decomposition  $A = XDX^{-1}$ , where  $X \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$  is invertible and  $D = \text{diag}_{n \times n}(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n) \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$  is diagonal with  $\{\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n\} = \Lambda(A)$ . Let  $\Delta A \in \mathbb{C}^{n \times n}$ . Show that for any  $\mu \in \Lambda(A + \Delta A)$  there holds

$$\min_{i \in \{1, \dots, n\}} |\mu - \lambda_i| \leq \kappa_p(X) \|\Delta A\|_p \quad (\text{here, } \kappa_p(X) := \|X\|_p \|X^{-1}\|_p)$$

for any  $p \geq 1$ . [Instructions: 1) Show the claim for  $\mu \in \Lambda(A + \Delta A) \cap \Lambda(A)$ . 2) Now consider  $\mu \in \Lambda(A + \Delta A) \setminus \Lambda(A)$  and define  $M := -(D - \mu I_n)^{-1} X^{-1} (\Delta A) X$ . Show that  $\|M\|_p \geq 1$  by proving that  $I_n - M$  is singular. 3) Conclude the proof.]

## Q2 *Perturbed linear systems*

- (i) Let  $\|\cdot\|$  be a norm on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  and let  $\|\|\cdot\|\|$  be the matrix norm on  $\mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  induced by  $\|\cdot\|$ . Let  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  be invertible, let  $\Delta A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  with  $\|\|\Delta A\|\| < \|\|A^{-1}\|\|^{-1}$ , let  $b \in \mathbb{R}^n \setminus \{0\}$ , and let  $\Delta b \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Let  $x := A^{-1}b$  and  $\hat{x} := (A + \Delta A)^{-1}(b + \Delta b)$ . Show that there holds

$$\frac{\|\hat{x} - x\|}{\|x\|} \leq \frac{\kappa(A)}{1 - \frac{\|\|\Delta A\|\|}{\|A\|} \kappa(A)} \left( \frac{\|\|\Delta A\|\|}{\|A\|} + \frac{\|\Delta b\|}{\|b\|} \right) \quad (\text{here, } \kappa(A) := \|A\| \|A^{-1}\|).$$

- (ii) For fixed  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \setminus \{0\}$ ,  $b \in \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $c \in \mathbb{R}$ , consider the problem of computing  $\frac{1}{2}x^T A A^\dagger x + b^T x + c$  from  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Write this problem as a mathematical problem  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  with normed vector spaces  $X, Y$ , which you should equip with Euclidean norms. Compute the absolute condition number  $\hat{\kappa} = \hat{\kappa}(x)$  and show that  $\hat{\kappa}(x) \leq \|x\|_2 + \|b\|_2$  for any  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ .

- (iii) Let

$$A := \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 4 & 3 \\ 1 & -3 & -2 \\ 8 & 5 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad b := \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- Show that for any  $\Delta A \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}$  with  $\frac{\|\|\Delta A\|\|_1}{\|A\|_1} \leq \frac{1}{150}$  and  $\Delta b \in \mathbb{R}^3$  with  $\frac{\|\Delta b\|_1}{\|b\|_1} \leq \frac{1}{110}$ , the linear system  $(A + \Delta A)\hat{x} = b + \Delta b$  has a unique solution  $\hat{x} = \hat{x}(\Delta A, \Delta b) \in \mathbb{R}^3$  and that  $\frac{\|\hat{x} - x\|_1}{\|x\|_1} < \frac{1}{4}$ , where  $x \in \mathbb{R}^3$  denotes the unique solution to  $Ax = b$ .
- Find the value of

$$s := \sup_{\substack{\Delta A \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}, \Delta b \in \mathbb{R}^3 \\ \frac{\|\|\Delta A\|\|_1}{\|A\|_1} \leq \frac{1}{150}, \frac{\|\Delta b\|_1}{\|b\|_1} \leq \frac{1}{110}}} \|\hat{x}(\Delta A, \Delta b) - x\|_1$$

and prove your claim.

**Q3** *Application of Gerschgorin's theorem*

Let  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{5 \times 5}$  be defined as

$$A := \begin{pmatrix} -10 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 1 & 2 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & 5 & 1 & \frac{3}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 1 & -\frac{1}{2} & 10 & 5 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 5 & 20 & 5 \\ 2 & \frac{1}{2} & 0 & 5 & 40 \end{pmatrix}$$

and write  $\Lambda(A) = \{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3, \lambda_4, \lambda_5\} \subseteq \mathbb{C}$  with  $|\lambda_1| \geq |\lambda_2| \geq |\lambda_3| \geq |\lambda_4| \geq |\lambda_5|$ . Using Gerschgorin's theorem, show that  $\frac{|\lambda_1|}{|\lambda_5|} \leq 19$ .

**Q4** *MATLAB: QR algorithm and simultaneous iteration*

Implement the QR algorithm and simultaneous iteration in MATLAB. In Example 6.3, add a few more iterations produced by the QR algorithm, perform simultaneous iteration and verify the results from Theorem 6.13.

**Q5** *Power iteration, inverse iteration*

Let  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}$  be defined as

$$A := \begin{pmatrix} 5 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

and write  $\Lambda(A) = \{\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3\} \subseteq \mathbb{R}$  with  $|\lambda_1| \geq |\lambda_2| \geq |\lambda_3|$ . Consider the condition number  $\kappa_2(A) := \|A\|_2 \|A^{-1}\|_2$  of  $A$ .

- (i) Show that  $\kappa_2(A) = \frac{|\lambda_1|}{|\lambda_3|}$ .
- (ii) Find an approximation to  $\kappa_2(A)$  by performing power iteration and inverse iteration to approximate  $\lambda_1$  and  $\lambda_3$ . Perform three steps each with  $v^{(0)} := (1, 0, 0)^T \in \mathbb{R}^3$ .

**Q6** *Hessenberg decomposition, QR algorithm, Rayleigh quotient shift*

Let  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{4 \times 4}$  be defined as

$$A := \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 & -1 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- (i) Compute a Hessenberg decomposition  $A = QHQ^T$  of  $A$ .
- (ii) Perform three steps of the QR algorithm applied to  $H$ . What are the approximations to the eigenvalues of  $A$ ?
- (iii) Perform three steps of the QR algorithm with Rayleigh quotient shift applied to  $H$ . What are the approximations to the eigenvalues of  $A$ ?

For parts (ii) and (iii), you may perform the respective algorithms in floating point arithmetic using MATLAB.

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**Q7** *Special matrices*

For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , we define  $C(n) := \{M \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} : M \text{ is special}\}$  and  $\mathcal{S}^n := \{M \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} : M^T = M\}$ , where we call a matrix  $M \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  *special* iff

$$\exists \delta \in (0, 1] : \|M\|_F \leq \frac{\operatorname{tr}(M)}{\sqrt{n-1+\delta}}.$$

Further, we define the map  $\gamma : \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $M \mapsto \gamma(M) := \|M\|_F^{-2} \operatorname{tr}(M)$ . Let  $A \in \mathcal{S}^n$  and suppose that there exist  $\alpha, \beta > 0$  such that  $\alpha \|\xi\|_2^2 \leq \xi^T A \xi \leq \beta \|\xi\|_2^2$  for any  $\xi \in \mathbb{R}^n$ .

- (i) Show that  $\frac{\alpha}{\beta^2} \leq \gamma(A) \leq \frac{\beta}{\alpha^2}$ .
- (ii) If  $n = 2$ , show that  $A \in C(2)$  and  $\alpha \|B\|_F^2 \leq \beta (\|B\|_F^2 - |\gamma(A) \langle A, B \rangle_F - \operatorname{tr}(B)|^2)$  for any  $B \in \mathcal{S}^2$ .