

Exercise 12 for the lecture  
NUMERICS II  
WS 2011/12

**Due: till Thursday, 2. February 12 o'clock**

**Problem 1** (3 TP)

Show that

$$\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\kappa(A)}\ln\left(\frac{2}{\text{TOL}}\right)$$

CG iterations are necessary to reduce the error by a factor TOL.

**Problem 2** (5 PP + 3 bonus PP)

Consider the linear system

$$AU = b \tag{1}$$

with the symmetric positive definite matrix  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  and  $b \in \mathbb{R}^n$ .

- a) Implement the conjugate gradient method and the preconditioned conjugate gradient method as `matlab` functions

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function [u, uk] = cg(A, b, u0, tol, uexact),
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and

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function [u, uk] = pcg(A, b, u0, tol, uexact, pre).
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`u`, `uk`, `A`, `b`, `u0`, `tol`, and `uexact` denote the last iterate, a vector containing all iterates, the system matrix, the right hand side, the initial iterate, the error tolerance, and the exact solution, respectively. `pre` denotes a function `y = pre(x)` that applies the inverse  $y = B^{-1}x$  of some preconditioner  $B$ . The iteration should stop if the energy norm  $\|\cdot\|_A = \langle A\cdot, \cdot \rangle^{\frac{1}{2}}$  of the error is smaller than the tolerance.

- b) Test your programs with the matrix of the model problem given in the lecture and the right hand side  $b = AU$  where  $U$  is the pointwise evaluation of  $(x_1 - x_1^2)(x_2 - x_2^2)$  for  $u_0 = 0$ ,  $\text{tol} = 10^{-8}$  and various choices of  $n$ . Use one Jacobi step and one symmetric Gauß-Seidel step, respectively as preconditioner for the pcg-method. Plot the error over the number of iteration steps. Compare the results with the simple Jacobi and Gauß-Seidel method.
- c) Augment your function `pcg` from a) with an error estimator. For Jacobi and symmetric Gauß-Seidel preconditioned cg method plot the estimated error

$$\|d\|_B, \quad d = B^{-1}r_k$$

over the number of iteration steps and compare the results with the exact error from b).

**Problem 3** (4 bonus TP)

Derive from the cg method a method for *non-symmetric*  $A$  by application of  $A^T$  to  $Ax = b$ . Which Krylov spaces are spanned by this method? What can you say about the convergence properties?