# Serie 2

**Context:** Galerkin approximation.

## **Theoretical Exercises:** 1.–5.

### Practical Exercise: 6.

Let  $V_N$  and  $W_N$  be two finite dimensional spaces with  $\dim(V_N) = N$  and  $\dim(W_N) = P$ . Let  $A_N : V_N \to (W_N)'$  be a linear operator. Let  $f_N$  be an element of  $(W_N)'$ 

Find 
$$u_N \in V_N$$
, such that  $A_N u_N = f_N$ . (1)

We introduce a basis  $\mathfrak{B}_V = \{p_N^1, ..., p_N^N\}$  (resp.  $\mathfrak{B}_W = \{q_N^1, ..., q_N^P\}$ ) of  $V_N$  (resp.  $W_N$ ). Finally, we consider the problem:

Find 
$$\mathbf{u}_N \in \mathbb{C}^N$$
  $\mathbf{A}_N \mathbf{u}_N = \mathbf{f}_N,$  (2)

with

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{A}_{N} &= \left(\left\langle A_{N}p_{N}^{i}; q_{N}^{j} \right\rangle_{W_{N}} \right)_{j,i=1}^{P,N} \in \mathbb{C}^{P \times N}, \\
\mathbf{f}_{N} &= \left(\left\langle f; q_{N}^{j} \right\rangle_{W_{N}} \right)_{j=1}^{P} \in \mathbb{C}^{P}, \\
u_{N} &= \sum_{i=1}^{N} \mathbf{u}_{N}^{i} p_{N}^{i}.
\end{aligned}$$
(3)

- **1.** (a) Show that problem (1) is equivalent to problem (2).
  - (b) Prove that:

the problem (1) has generically  $(\forall f)$  one solution  $\implies N = P$ . (4) **Hint:** Use that  $\dim(Rg(A_N)) + \dim(Ker(A_N)) = N$ .

**2.** We set N = P,  $V_N = W_N$  and  $\mathfrak{B}_V = \mathfrak{B}_W$ .

Compute the new Galerkin matrix  $\underline{\mathbf{A}}_N$  and the right hand side vector  $\underline{f}_N$  for problem (1) after a permutation of the basis vectors of  $\mathfrak{B}_V$ .

Hint: Introduce a permutation matrix **P**.

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**3.** We set  $V_N = W_N$  and  $\mathfrak{B}_V = \mathfrak{B}_W$ . We denote by  $\mathfrak{B}_V^2$  the basis obtained by scaling the basis vectors of  $\mathfrak{B}_V$ :

$$\mathfrak{B}_V^2 = (\alpha_N^i p_N^i)_{i=1}^N \quad \text{with } \forall i = 1, ..., N \quad \alpha_N^i \in \mathbb{R}^*.$$
(5)

Express  $\mathbf{A}_N^2$  and  $\mathbf{f}_N^2$  with respect to  $\mathbf{A}_N$ ,  $\mathbf{f}_N$ ,  $\alpha_N^i$ , where  $\mathbf{A}_N^2$  and  $\mathbf{f}_N^2$  are the Galerkin matrix associated to problem (1) and to the basis  $\mathfrak{B}_V^2$ 

- 4. The operator equation (1) is set in finite dimensional spaces. Hence, after choosing bases for  $V_N$  and  $(W_N)'$  it can be converted into a linear system of equations. Which bases have to be chosen, such that we exactly end up with (2)?
- 5. We set N = P, and we suppose that  $A_N$  is bijective:

For a fixed basis  $\mathfrak{B}_W = (q_N^i)_{i=1}^N$  of  $W_N$ , define a basis  $\mathfrak{B}_V = (p_N^i)_{i=1}^N$  of  $V_N$  such that:

$$u_N = \sum_{i=1}^N \left\langle f_N; q_N^i \right\rangle \, p_N^i \tag{6}$$

where  $u_N$  is the solution of problem (1). What is the Galerkin matrix  $\mathbf{A}_N$  associated to  $\mathfrak{B}_V$  and  $\mathfrak{B}_W$ ?

6. Consider the bilinear form:

$$\begin{cases} \mathbf{a}: \ L^2([0;1]) \times L^2([0;1]) \to \mathbb{R} \\ (u,v) \mapsto \int_0^1 u(x) \ v(x). \end{cases}$$
(7)

- (a) Does this bilinear form satisfy the inf-sup condition in  $L^2([0; 1])$ ?
- (b) We set:

$$V_N = \operatorname{span}(\mathfrak{B}_V) \subset L^2([0;1])$$
 and  $W_N = \operatorname{span}(\mathfrak{B}_W) \subset W \subset L^2([0;1])$ , (8) with:

$$\begin{cases} \mathfrak{B}_{V} = \left\{ p_{N}^{k} : [0;1] \to \mathbb{R}, \ x \mapsto x^{k} \ \middle/ \ k = 0, ..., N-1 \right\}, \\ \mathfrak{B}_{W} = \left\{ q_{N}^{k} : [0;1] \to \mathbb{R}, \ x \mapsto \mathbb{I}_{\left[\frac{k}{n}, \frac{k+1}{n}\right]}(x) \ \middle/ \ k = 0, ..., N-1 \right\}, \end{cases}$$
(9)

where  $\mathbb{I}_I(x) = 1$  if  $x \in I$  and 0 else.

Compute the Galerkin matrix  $A_N$ .

(c) Write a MATLAB code which computes the inf-sup constant  $\gamma_N$  for some N's.

#### Siehe nächstes Blatt!

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**Testat requirement:** 50% of the theoritical exercises and 50% practical exercises (MAT-LAB) should be solved.

**Appendix:** Singular Value Decomposition (SVD):

Let A be an element of  $\mathbb{C}^{N \times N}$ . We will show that there exist  $\mathbf{U} \in \mathbb{C}^{N \times N}$  unitary and  $\mathbf{V} \in \mathbb{C}^{N \times N}$  unitary and  $\mathbf{D} \in \mathbb{C}^{N \times N}$  diagonal such that:

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{U} \mathbf{D} \mathbf{V}^{H}. \tag{10}$$

First, we consider  $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}^H \in \mathbb{C}^{N \times N}$ . This is a symetric matrix. Therefore, there exist  $\mathbf{U} \in \mathbb{C}^{N \times N}$  unitary and  $\mathbf{D}_2 \in \mathbb{C}^{N \times N}$  diagonal satisfying:

$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}^{H} = \mathbf{U}\mathbf{D}_{2}\mathbf{U}^{H}$$
(11)

In other words, there exist N vectors  $\mathbf{u}_i$  and N scalars  $\lambda_i$  such that:

$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}^{H}\mathbf{u}_{i} = \lambda_{i}\mathbf{u}_{i}, \quad \text{for all } i = 1, ..., N.$$
(12)

where the  $\mathbf{u}_i$ 's are the columns of the matrix U and  $\lambda_i$  are the coefficients of the diagonal matrix  $\mathbf{D}_2$ . The  $\mathbf{u}_i$  satisfies the orthogonal property:

$$\mathbf{U}^{H}\mathbf{U} = \mathbf{I} \iff \mathbf{u}_{i}^{H}\mathbf{u}_{j} = 1 \text{ if } i = j \text{ and } 0 \text{ else.}$$
 (13)

We define the  $v_i$  in the following way :

$$i \in I = \{i \in \mathbb{N} \text{ with } 1 \leq i \leq N \text{ and } \mathbf{A}^H \mathbf{u}_i \neq 0\}, \quad \mathbf{v}_i =: \frac{\mathbf{A}^H \mathbf{u}_i}{\|\mathbf{A}^H \mathbf{u}_i\|}.$$
 (14)

Remarking that  $\forall i \in I$ :

$$\begin{cases} \|\mathbf{A}^{H} \mathbf{u}_{i}\|^{2} = (\mathbf{A}^{H} \mathbf{u}_{i}; \mathbf{A}^{H} \mathbf{u}_{i}) = (\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}^{H} \mathbf{u}_{i}; \mathbf{u}_{i}) = \lambda_{i}, \\ (\mathbf{A}^{H} \mathbf{u}_{i}; \mathbf{A}^{H} \mathbf{u}_{j}) = (\mathbf{A}^{H} \mathbf{u}_{i}; \mathbf{A}^{H} \mathbf{u}_{j}) = (\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}^{H} \mathbf{u}_{i}; \mathbf{u}_{j}) = \lambda_{i} (\mathbf{u}_{i}; \mathbf{u}_{j}), \end{cases}$$
(15)

leads to for all *i* and *j* in *I*:

$$\mathbf{v}_i^H \, \mathbf{v}_j = 1 \text{ if } i = j \quad \text{and} \quad 0 \text{ else.}$$
 (16)

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By the Gram-Schmidt procedure, we complete the system of vectors  $(\mathbf{v}_i)_{i \in I}$  so that the completed version  $(\mathbf{v}_i)_{i=1}^N$  keep the orthogonality property (16). By construction, one has:

$$\sqrt{\lambda_i} \mathbf{v}_i = \mathbf{A}^H \mathbf{u}_i, \quad \forall i = 1, ..., N.$$
(17)

Now, we denote by  $\mathbf{V} \in \mathbb{C}^{N \times N}$  and  $\mathbf{D} \in \mathbb{C}^{N \times N}$  the matrices given by:

$$\mathbf{V} = (\mathbf{v}_1 | \mathbf{v}_2 | ... | \mathbf{v}_N) \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{D} = \sqrt{\mathbf{D}_2}. \tag{18}$$

The matrix  $\mathbf{V} \in \mathbb{C}^{N \times N}$  is unitary and the matrix  $\mathbf{D} \in \mathbb{C}^{N \times N}$  is diagonal with  $\mathbf{D}_{i,i} = \sqrt{\lambda_i}$ . Finally, equations (16) and (17) lead to:

$$\mathbf{D} = \mathbf{V}^{H}\mathbf{A}^{H}\mathbf{U} \implies \mathbf{V}\mathbf{D}\mathbf{U}^{H} = \mathbf{A}^{H} \implies \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{U}\mathbf{D}\mathbf{V}^{H}.$$
 (19)

We say that the  $\sqrt{\lambda_i}$ , i = 1, ..., N, are the singular values of the matrix **A**.

Matlab command:

[U,S,V] = svd(A) produces a diagonal matrix S, of the same dimension as X and with nonnegative diagonal elements in decreasing order, and unitary matrices U and V so that A = U\*S\*V'.

S = svd(A) returns a vector containing the singular values. Smin = svds(A, 1, 0) returns the smallest singular value.