

T U T O R I A L

“Computational Mechanics”

to the lecture

“Numerical Methods in Continuum Mechanics 1”

Tutorial 10/11

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(Time : 8³⁰ – 10⁰⁰ Room : SR T 111)

- 36** Show, that the preconditioned Uzawa Algorithm (see formula (51) in Chapter 2 of the Lectures) is equivalent to the classical Uzawa Algorithm (see formula (48) in Chapter 2 of the Lectures) applied to the preconditioned system

$$\begin{aligned} A\mathbf{u} + B^T D^{-1/2} \underline{\mu} &= \underline{f}, \\ D^{-1/2} B\mathbf{u} - D^{-1/2} C D^{-1/2} \underline{\mu} &= D^{-1/2} \underline{g}. \end{aligned}$$

- 37** Let us consider the problem $S\mathbf{X} = \underline{F}$, where

$$S = \begin{pmatrix} (A - A_0)A_0^{-1}A & (A - A_0)A_0^{-1}B^T \\ BA_0^{-1}(A - A_0) & BA_0^{-1}B^T + C \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{X} = \begin{pmatrix} \underline{u} \\ \underline{\lambda} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \underline{F} = \begin{pmatrix} (A - A_0)A_0^{-1}\underline{f} \\ BA_0^{-1}\underline{f} - \underline{g} \end{pmatrix}.$$

(see formula (61) in Chapter 2 of the Lectures). Write down in detail (for \underline{u}_k and $\underline{\lambda}_k$) the preconditioned Richardson-method

$$\bar{S} \frac{\mathbf{X}_{k+1} - \mathbf{X}_k}{\tau} + S\mathbf{X}_k = \underline{F}, \quad (4.62)$$

with

$$\bar{S} = \begin{pmatrix} A - A_0 & 0 \\ 0 & D \end{pmatrix},$$

where D is a good preconditioner for the Schur complement $BA^{-1}B^T + C$, c.f. spectral equivalence inequalities (71) from Chapter 2 of the Lectures. Which error estimates do you know ?

- 38** Describe the relation of the preconditioned Richardson Method (4.62) with $A_0 = \gamma G$ and the Arrow-Hurwitz Algorithm (see formula (54) in Chapter 2 of the Lectures).

- 39** Provide the detailed (i.e. for the iterates \underline{u}_k and $\underline{\lambda}_k$) algorithm of the so-called Bramble-Pasciak-CG which is nothing else but the preconditioned (with \bar{S}) CG for solving system $S\mathbf{X} = \underline{F}$ (this is system (61) from Chapter 2 of the Lectures), and provide the corresponding iteration error estimate !

Hint: The preconditioning equation $\bar{S}\mathbf{W} = \underline{R}$ has the residual (defect)

$$\underline{R} = \underline{F} - S\mathbf{X} = \begin{pmatrix} (A - A_0)A_0^{-1}(\underline{f} - A\mathbf{u} - B^T \underline{\lambda}) \\ B[A_0^{-1}(\underline{f} - A\mathbf{u} - B^T \underline{\lambda}) + \mathbf{u}] - C\underline{\lambda} - \underline{g} \end{pmatrix}. \quad (4.63)$$

as the right-hand side showing that the inversion of $A - A_0$ is not necessary (see also Exercise 2.24 from Chapter 2 of the Lecture) !

40* Consider the discrete mixed variational problem: Find $(u_h, \lambda_h) \in X_h \times \Lambda_h$ such that

$$a(u_h, v_h) + b(v_h, \lambda_h) = \langle F, v_h \rangle \quad \forall v_h \in X_h, \quad (4.64)$$

$$b(u_h, \mu_h) = \langle G, \mu_h \rangle \quad \forall \mu_h \in \Lambda_h. \quad (4.65)$$

Let $\{\phi^{(i)}\}$ be a basis for X_h and $\{\varphi^{(k)}\}$ be a basis for Λ_h . Then, the discrete solutions u_h and λ_h can be represented by

$$u_h := \sum_i u_i \phi^{(i)}, \quad \lambda_h := \sum_k \lambda_k \varphi^{(k)},$$

and the problem (4.64)–(4.65) can equivalently written as: Find $(\underline{u}, \underline{\lambda})$ such that

$$\begin{pmatrix} A & B^T \\ B & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \underline{u} \\ \underline{\lambda} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \underline{f} \\ \underline{g} \end{pmatrix}, \quad (4.66)$$

where

$$A = (a(\phi^{(j)}, \phi^{(i)}))_{ij}, \quad B = (b(\phi^{(j)}, \varphi^{(k)}))_{kj}, \quad \underline{f} = (\langle F, \phi^{(i)} \rangle)_i, \quad \underline{g} = (\langle G, \varphi^{(k)} \rangle)_k.$$

Show, that under the assumptions

1. the bilinearform a is symmetric, elliptic and bounded in the whole space X (e. g. Stokes),
2. the bilinearform b is bounded, i. e.,

$$|b(v, \mu)| \leq \beta_2 \|v\|_X \|\mu\|_\Lambda,$$

3. the discrete inf-sup condition is satisfied, i. e.,

$$\inf_{0 \neq \mu_h \in \Lambda_h} \sup_{0 \neq v_h \in X_h} \frac{b(v_h, \mu_h)}{\|v_h\|_X \|\mu_h\|_\Lambda} \geq \tilde{\beta}_1 > 0,$$

where $\tilde{\beta}_1$ is independent of h ,

the matrix $M = ((\varphi^{(l)}, \varphi^{(k)}))_{kl}$ is a preconditioner for the Schur-complement $S = BA^{-1}B^T$, i. e., there exist positive constants $\underline{\gamma}$ and $\bar{\gamma}$ such that

$$\underline{\gamma}M \leq S \leq \bar{\gamma}M.$$

Hint: Since a is bounded and elliptic on the whole space, we can define $\|\cdot\|_X := a(\cdot, \cdot)^{1/2}$. Show, that

$$(BA^{-1}B^T \underline{\mu}, \underline{\mu})_{l_2} = \sup_{0 \neq v_h \in X_h} \frac{b(v_h, \mu_h)^2}{\|v_h\|_V^2}.$$

Then, use the discrete inf-sup condition and the boundedness for $b(\cdot, \cdot)$.